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Photo by Colleen O'Neill Robert Hughes, a kindergartener in Martha Piper's kindergarten class at North Creek Elementary School. adores a Valentine's Day cookie during his class's Valentine party.

Construction agency gets OK

Regional authority passes village, township hurdles.

By Phil Keren and Jim Silver Special Writer and Staff Writer

All five municipalities involved in the formation of a regional building authority have officially signed on.

While Sylvan and Lyndon townships had aiready approved the agreement chartering the Cheisea Area Construction Agency, the Lima Township Board signed on to the authority on Feb. 7, with the Chelsea Village Council folowing suit the next night.

And the last piece fell into place when Dexter Township authority at the Township Board's Feb. 15 meeting.

Last week. the Lima Township Board voted unanimously to join, also agreeing to enforce the state's code for building, electrical, mechanical and plumbing inspections.

Terry Wesner, who represented Lima Township on a committee that organized the authori- will be located in the basement ty, said the five municipalities of the Sylvan Township Hall

costs. Each governmental entity will lend the authority

Building permit fees will generate the revenue for the authority. Wesner said they will initially use the county's fee structure, but hope to eventually reduce the fees.

In discussing the formation of the agency, representatives said that the first priority for member municipalities was repaying the start-up loans to the village and townships.

Wesner noted that each municipality will appoint a director and an alternate to serve on a board of directors

for the authority. The board will enforce the agreed to formation of the state inspection code, draft a budget and hire two full-time employees to work for the building authority.

Wesner said the municipalities have a list of inspectors that they are interested in using. He added that the county has agreed to provide inspectors when needed.

The building authority office

will provide \$40,000 in start-up and is expected to open sometime in April.

> Lima Township Supervisor Gary Adams said that he had received a "fair number of complaints" about the county's building inspection services He said Lima and the other municipalities are initiating this local inspection service to "provide better service to our residents."

Wesner said the county currently performs inspections for 10 townships. That number will be reduced to six as, soon as the authority begins its operations.

Before the board voted on the authority, Rebecca Head, who leads the Washtenaw County Department of Environmental and Infrastructure Services, gave a presentation on what the county could offer.

Head said the county is careful about who it hires and offers two qualified inspectors in each trade. She pointed out that the

county is moving its offices to Zeeb Road in early summer of 2001 and said that service from See AGENCY - Page 4-A

Postal hearing crowd calls for downtown facility

Opinions split on best way to expand Chelsea office.

By Jim Silver Staff Writer

Discussion of a renovated Chelsea Post Office drew a large turnout to the Feb. 8 Chelsea Village Council meeting, and the majority of speakers during a public hearing on the project expressed a desire that the facility remain down-

Community input on the project was not as decided, however, on how to achieve that end, with some calls for split operations, and some Chelsea residents calling for expanded downtown facilities.

The process leading up to the renovation moved into a 45-day public comment period, starting Feb. 9 and ending March-18.

David Howard, a real estate specialist with the U.S. Postal es. Any lease would include Service, addressed the public and council members at the beginning of the public hear-

ing, saying that the first priority for the facility is to consider an expansion of its existing facility.

If such an expansion proves to be unfeasible through logistical problems or real estate issues, the Postal Service next examines possible relocation sites. Howard asked the council to submit two suggested relocation sites for postal con-

sideration. He also said the postal service hopes to maintain a downtown post office, as it maximizes sales to downtown businesses, residents, and draws customers already patronizing downtown businesses.

Howard pointed out that, should relocation become necessary, the downtown building would not be demolished or left vacant. Instead, the Postal Service would offer to lease the facility, first to municipal agencies, then to private businessdeed restrictions preserving

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Vacancies looming for Lima Twp. Board

Cierk has not had any helped bulld consensus among requests for nominating petitions.

By Dirk Fischbach

The inevitable powers of time and change are leaving their mark on Lima Township.

But the changes now brought to light will leave a more indelible imprint than any mobile home park, gravel quarry or condominium project.

When the dawn breaks on Wednesday, Nov. 8, the township will bid adieu to two longtime servants and a dynamic and popular supervisor.

That is the prospect being faced in the wake of recent announcements by trustees Robert Heller and Harold Trinkle, and the reconfirmation by Supervisor Gary Adams, that there will be no reelection

bids on their behalves. township," says Trinkle, now 75. "I've seen a lot of changes. I just thought that it was time to let someone else have their

Trinkle, who took over his brother Charles' seat on the board when Charles died, has served on the Lima planning commission for nearly 30 years and has been a trustee for the past decade.

Heller boasts a similar record of service, having been a trustee for 22 of his 65 years. "I've served a good length of

time," Heller said. "But I think it's time to get off the board

He noted that as the years pass, the demands on his time get harder to satisfy.

Adams, a relative newcomer by those standards, has risen quickly. Taking over the supervisor's chair when Andrew Adrian vacated it. he has

units of government and guided the township through a period of rapid transition. All this despite his claim that he never wanted the job.

"I didn't really want the job in the first place," Adams admits. "I stepped forward because I thought I was in a position to help."

He points to the formation of the area-wide fire authority and the establishment of the district library as highlights of his service.

Trinkle also ranked those among his most significant achievements.

· "There have been several things, but those are among the most important," he said.

Heller noted that the increased growth made collaborative initiatives like the fire authority important.

All three men believe that growth and the issues associat-"I was born and raised in this ed with it will continue to dominate the township — and area - agenda into the foreseeable

future. "People don't realize the intense growth pressure we're under," Adams said. "The whole area is in an extreme growth mode. We've got growth coming from Scio to the east and from Chelsea to the west-As an elected official it's your responsibility to try to address the issues associated with growth. You've got to try to manage it."

"You can't stop progress," Trinkle conceded, "but you can try and hold it back." Heller concurred.

"The challenge will be to deal with the urbanization," he says. "We're losing lots of good, productive agricultural land. and that's a shame."

None of the men feels that the recent mobile home park

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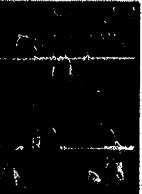


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Spikers win Ypsilanti, Pinckney matches in week's action

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Howard also urged area residents to submit their comments to Chelsea Officer in Charge Mike Schlump, who would collect and forward them to Howard.

"I'm the only one here tonight who gets to put my two cents in," said Howard. "But my two cents counts for a whole lot, if I have your written comments to back it up."

John Frank, chair of the Chelsea Historic District Commission and a member of the board of Preservation Chelsea, called on the Postal Service to keep the office down-

Frank said that the loss of a downtown facility could prove devastating to the Chelsea downtown community, as a post office can draw people. into a downtown, leading to "spin-off" trips to other businesses in the area. He asked that the post office at least continue window services downtown.

He also cited the Chelsea facility's historic background. The building at 200 S. Main St. was built by the Works Progress Administration during the 1930s, and boasts exterior wall reliefs of a plane, train and truck, and an interior mural.

Frank said that such features appealed more to area residents than a modernized design, such as the one shown in an illustration published in the Dec. 16 Chelsea Standard.

Howard addressed concerns about a modernized design when the issue was again raised by Sarah Haselschwardt, who said she also enjoyed the historic interior of the post office.

Howard said that the modernized design, which he referred to as a "strip mall design," was a standard interior for new buildings, but was not being considered for a renovated Chelsea facility

Howard discussed a number of out-of-state post offices he had worked on that required historic preservation efforts. He also said he was working on a post office relocation in Holly, which would require historic design efforts to maintain the character of the down-

town there. Ann Feeney, executive director of the Downtown Development Association, presented Howard with a petition, signed by 660 area residents, asking that the post office stay in downtown Chelsea.

Trustee Brian Cashman, examining post office plans for a renovated facility, called for approximately 35,000 square feet of parking space.

He pointed out that village zoning ordinances exempt downtown businesses from some parking considerations due to municipal lots, and asked what effect such ordinances could have on post office plans.

Howard replied that the plans, by law, must include the parking area. "I'm required to look for possibilities," he said, "but the actualities (of the project) will be ironed out in planning and zoning."

He said that, in any case, parking area was not a "make" or break" consideration for the facility.

When told of plans to construct another municipal lot on the present-day site of Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home and Serendipity Bookshop, he said that could impact plans even further, fulfilling many parking requirements.

Council Trustee Rob Mac-Leod asked Howard what effect moving sorting and carrier operations out of the downtown facility would have. Howard-said that such a move would provide the necessary parking for the Chelsea office.

Frank raised a similar question in his comment, and Kim Broekhuizen, a Chelsea resident, further questioned Howard on the possibility.

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ager for the Detroit Postal District, cautioned the public not to pin all hopes to a separated operation, though. He said that operating cost concerns might derail such a move.

A split facility, with downtown window services and satellite sorting operations, would add costs in space rental and necessary extra manpower.

He also said a partial move of truck oriented operations could result in increased runs between sorting operations and a downtown facility.

Sue Starkey, executive director of the Chelsea Chamber of Commerce, urged council members to form small groups, representing local government, residents, business owners and area organizations to discuss community desires for a post office. Such groups could also be used to suggest sites for a full or partial relocation.

State Senator Dianne Byrum and a representative from Congresswoman Debbie Stabenow's office were on hand for the hearing. Byrum said, as a business owner, she saw the advantage of keeping postal services centered in a community's downtown.

Barbara McCallahan, Stabenow's representative, urged community members to submit comments in writing to Schlump, but also to tell their local representatives and others in the community their desires.

Following the hearing, the Chelsea Village Council adopted a unanimous resolution supporting a downtown post office. Other area municipalities have passed post office related resolutions.

However, resolutions passed by Sylvan and Lyndon townships did not specifically support a downtown facility.

Rather, the Sylvan resolution urged the post office to "minimize any effect on the already congested downtown," while the Lyndon measure encouraged the Postal Service to expand the post office while "not increas(ing) the traffic congestion in downtown."

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Extension program sets horse lectures

Michigan State University Extension will be offering two four-week series on horse production and management in March. This series is designed for families who are interested in becoming horse owners or already have horses and need a little more information on production and management topics.

The series will be held on the last four Thursdays in March, 9, 15, 23 and 30. This series will be held at the Sandy Hills Farm, 9101 Cherry Hill Road, in Ypsilanti. The cost of each series will be \$40 per family. These series are designed to

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ences. Horses will be present at most of sessions so participants will have the opportunity to practice the handling and management techniques that are presented.

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be hands-on learning experi- on the true meaning of horse ownership. The topics for these sessions include: ground handling safety and equipment; housing, fencing and manure management; selecting and buying a horse and nutrition and forage management.

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Father Charlie spreads the word

By Renee Lapham Collins Heritage Newspapers

The landscape has changed but the message is the same and it is a message that has kept the Rev. Charles Irvin on the move since he was ordained in 1967.

The 67-year-old pastor of St. Mary's Church splits his religious duties between the Manchester parish and the Lansing Diocese, where he serves as editor-in-chief of Faith magazine, which made its debut in January.

"It's been an evolutionary process," Irvin explains. "Fourteen months ago, Bishop (Carl) Mengeling first asked me to be the editor of a newspaper published by the Diocese of Lansing. After developing discussions, we realized that we did not want a newspaper because we wanted to evangelize people, not just transmit information and news to them. We wanted to reach into the hearts and souls of people and touch them there. I think it's a well-done magazine that relies on icons and images to inspire and intrigue people."

Irvin, born and raised in Ann Arbor, has been at St. Mary's since 1997. His roots in Ann Arbor made him a perfect choice for the chaplain assignment at St. Mary Student Chapel at U-M, where he had earned his bachelor's degree and master's degrees in busi-

ness, as well as his law degree. "I was assigned to U-M in 1968 — my second assignment," Irvin says. "Those were very turbulent times. We were forming an association of Catholic campus ministries throughout the diocese and we needed to get our story out to the average Catholic, who viewed us as radicals.

"So, I started writing columns for the Catholic Times. I did it out of necessity. I had notes, "the fringe benefits are to explain to people in south- out of this world. ern mid-Michigan what Catholic campus ministry was all about,

Oddly enough, back in the

1970s, when colleges were organizing campus ministries and guitar music was being introduced at mass, Irvin was viewed as a "liberal."

"Now, I'm considered mainstream, even conservative," he says with a smile. "But we're still preaching the same message. That's what Faith magazine is. It's the fundamental teaching of Christ in ways that people can relate to. Bishop Mengling is an evangelizer. He wants to reach out to the alienated, the disenfranchised, the angry and hurt Catholic out there and make the Church available to them in a way that is comfortable,"

Irvin's essays on Christianity, theology, and the Church were featured regularly in the the Times from 1970 until 1999. when he began a monthly column in Faith. As editor-inchief, it's Irvin's responsibility to "set the direction, the vision, and the purpose."

The staff is small—with Patrick O'Brien handling the managing editor duties, and Kathy Funk writing many of the articles that appear in the publication. Jillane Job is the office secretary, and Molly Lauffer, a graduate of Michigan State University, is a staff member. The photography is contracted out, and the 24-28page magazine is printed in full-color by CPI Printers in Lansing.

"Faith is completely funded by the diocese, and there is no intention at the moment of soliciting advertising to support it," says Irvin. "It probably costs about \$640,000 a year between printing, mailing, and salaries. And so far, of the people who have written to us. 98 percent have given us highly favorable comments on

Salaries for the staffers aren't the highest, but as Irvin

"We wanted a publication that would be intriguing and. challenging, and that is in the way Jesus talked to people,"

says Irvin. "I think two of the great images that drive Faith magazine are in the story of the woman at the well and the disciples on the road to Em-

"In the telling of our story, we find the story of Jesus, and in discovering the story of Je-

sus, we find our own story." The human story, is a most intriguing-one for Irvin. His office bookshelf is lined with books, and tomes on the First Amendment, theology, and Catholicism are side by side with titles such as The Ghamber, Managing the Non-Profit Organization, Blind Ambition, and The Handbook of Good English.

"Father Charlie," as most call him, didn't set out to become a priest. After finishing law school, he spent six months on active duty as a first lieutenant in the U.S. Army.

"I had been thinking about it since 1956," he recalls. "I lost my father and the girl I was going to marry said 'good-bye.' It was a very traumatic year. "I asked myself questions like what is life all about? Why

does God allow such pain?" Years later, he says, while practicing law in Chicago, he participated in a retreat and had to face answers to some very basic questions.

"(I had to think about) when I die and look Christ in the eye, what can I say I did with my life?" he explains. "If Jesus Christ is God become man and if it is true that he died and rose from the dead, then what he had to say is impor-

"I wanted to be a part of sharing it.

"While on a retreat when you're disengaged from your normal business and are forced to be still and silent, fundamental questions surface. Questions like, 'What does God expect of us and who is Christ?'"

Irvin "burned some bridges that I spent a lot of time building" when he made his deci-

"I was risking the unknown," he says. "Is it hard to say 'yes' to God? It shouldn't be. It was nice to know what God wanted me to do, but it was hard to release control over my life.

"The vows of poverty, chastity, and obedience—it makes you reliant on the providence of God. You give up being in charge of your life. And to take these vows is irrationalunreasonable-unless God exits. You put your life on the line."

Irvin admits he is still asking questions.

"I can't say I've stopped asking questions," he smiles, "God gives us freedom of choice and I really believe he uses our decisions in our lives."

Certainly, getting all the answers does not concern Irvin quite as much as the journey. In fact, he says that he is "suspicious of people who present faith as a series of answers."

In some ways, the path of Faith is smoothed by mass media and technology. Irvin recognizes the role that technology ultimately will play in the continuing publication of Faith.

"The magazine doesn't stand alone," says Irvin. "It's twin is the Web site. The site, www. faith.com provides access. It's a place where people can read essays and other writings on the church. Eventually, we'll teach CCED and RCIA through the Web site."

A gray cat is sleeping in a little patch sunlight not far from Father Charlie's feet. Irvin is wearing a U-M sweater over his Roman collar, and his posture, while relaxed, speaks of a man with a passion for people and for Christ. He talks with his hands and his smile, completely at peace with his life and eager to spread the

"Faith is a quest, not an answer." he says. "It gives us adventure and intriguing questions to pursue.

"Faith keeps us on the move."

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LIBRARY NOTES

I've read, as I'm sure many of you have, about the deficit in the budget of the Ann Arbor Library. As reported, the board there has, apparently, approved spending more than was actually budgeted, and is now faced with a deficit of almost \$1 million dollars.

First, let me say, that this situation could happen to any village, city, township or school district. Any group

The story titled "Propert,

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Bank reconciliation is done monthly, and those reports are presented to each board member for review. This report includes each check that is issued from library funds. Our policy also requires that any unbudgeted purchase over \$500 must have board approval.

With the passage of the operating millage in October 1999, the library board began a

to assist us with the transition of our reports and procedures to the larger budget. We are interviewing auditors during the next few weeks. Notice of the interviews will be posted in accordance with the Open Meetings Act. We invite you to participate in this process.

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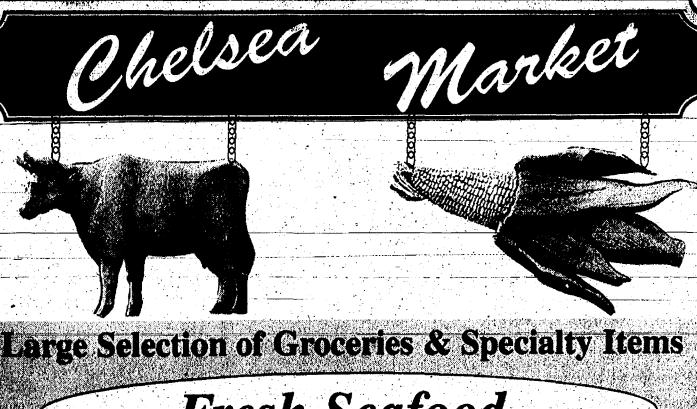


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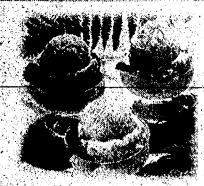


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the building department, road commission, drain commission and planning commission would all be accessed from the Zeeb Road office.

Head defended the county's performance and said that while the county has doubled its workload over the past three years, it has received fewer complaints.

The Chelsea Village Council voted 6-0 to join the agency at its Feb. 8 meeting. The vote followed council discussion of cost and liability issues for the

Bill Eisenbeiser, Dexter Township clerk and a member of the group exploring formation of the construction agency, told council members that the

agreement they were considering contained a modified liability clause.

Trustees expressed concern for the agreement following a Jan. 18 vote against the agreement by the Dexter board. That vote was largely motivated by Dexter trustees' concerns about liability.

Eisenbeiser told council members that he had refined the language in the agreement since the Jan. 18 meeting in order to address such liability concerns.

The revised agreement states that each municipality in the agency, and the agency

The agreement also guarantees that the agency will grant indemnity to the municipali-

All are concerned, however,

As of this week, Township

Clerk Arlene Bareis has not

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ties against lawsuits based in "acts or omissions of the agency."

The clause ultimately clears the village and townships of responsibility for lawsuits, as the agency will conduct mechanical, electrical, building and plumbing inspections on new buildings sites and on building renovations.

Eisenbeiser pointed out that, of four similar agencies in the area, three had never been defendants in a lawsuit, and the Manchester authority had only been named in one lawsuit in 18 years.

asked Eisenbeiser to clarify plied that the agency would charge the same fees as the Washtenaw County Depart-

"I think there are people

who can do as a good a job, if

not better, than I can do, and

I'd like to let them have their

turn," Trinkle said.

ment of Environment and Infrastructure. The county handled inspections before the formation of the authority.

As council trustees made clear, the newly formed construction agency will require fees at least as low as the county, if not lower, in order to succed as a self-sustaining entity.

Village Manager Jack Myers has been the village representative in agency formation, and will continue to represent village concerns in the Chelsea Area Cosntruction Agency.

unanimously approved the agreement, and authorized Eisenbeiser to sign an applica-

But while candidates will no doubt surface, the shoes left to fill are large, and the trail of progress blazed by this trio will not be easily duplicated.



tion to the state.

Eisenbeiser was named by the board to represent Dexter Township on the agency's board of directors.

In other news, Lima Township is also looking at the possibility of either revoking or amending its private road ordi-

According to Adams, Sylvan

and Lyndon townships have eliminated their private road ordinances. Adams said the board will take up the matter at its April 3 meeting and is looking for comments and suggestions from citizens about what should be done with the ordinance. Comments should be sent to the township hall by March 29.

The move by Chelsea left Trustee Brian Cashman itself, will carry "liability and Dexter Township the lone errors and omissions insurwhat fees would be set for holdout on the agreement until ance for their respective activwww.nicolasbooks.com inspections. Eisenbeiser re-Tuesday. The Township Board ities."

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VACANCIES

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controversy influenced their decisions.

"I made my mind up long before this was even discussed," Adams noted, echoing a sentiment expressed by Trinkle and Heller.

For Adams, who still may seek office as a trustee, the decision is simply a matter of time - or the lack of it. He moved to the township to establish a farm and that enterprise now needs more of his attention. There are simply not enough hours to devote the needed time to both pursuits.

Trinkle and Heller also are hoping to slow up their sched-

had any requests for nominating petitions. While only three names are needed on the petition according to state law, candidates must file by 4 p.m. May 16. They also must get their campaign finance paperwork in order.

"I don't want to scare anyone away," Adams joked when discussing the many duties performed by the supervisor.

Trinkle and Heller are convinced that good, qualified candidates exist, and they want to clear the way for them to become established.

Pruess enters honors society

Albion College student Sarah J. Pruess is a new initiate to Alpha Lambda Delta, a national scholastic honors society for freshmen.

Alpha Lambda Delta was established at Albion College in 1940 as an honorary society for academically outstanding freshmen. The honorary is given to students who have earned a 3.5 out of 4.0 grade point average at the end of their first semester or have an accumulative 3.5 at the end of their freshman year, based on

at least three units of graded courses per semester.

Pruess is a sophomore at Albion College and is a member of the Gerstacker Liberal Arts Institute in Professional Management. She is the daughter of David J. and Barbara J. Pruess of Chelsea and a graduate of Chelsea High

Albion College is a private liberal arts college located in the south central Michigan town of the same name.

Webelos from Den 5, Pack 445, visited the offices of The Chelsea Standard last Friday. The Scouts toured the facility as part of their requirement toward the communicator activity badge. During their tour, the Scouts learned about the make-up of the newspaper, what makes a story newsworthy and how the pages are laid out each week. Pictured, front from left, are Talia Dyerly, Allen Kalis and Jon Elordi; middle row, Joel Dyerly, Nick Dyerly and Warren Dyerly: back, leaders Kelli and Dave Dyerly and Mike Wade.



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and daughters. Altogether, he lived so

many years, and then he died....and then

he died....and then he died." Those last

four words conclude each person's life,

day conclude each of our lives: "And

ly aware of that this year, as we already.

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my wife Carolyn lost her father suddenly.

and another member lost her grandmother.

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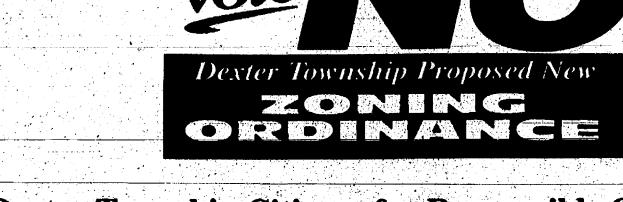
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the problem of sin.

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Dexter Township Citizens for Responsible Government

On May 18,1999, the Dexter Township Board of Trustees, on a split vote, approved a proposed Zoning Ordinance Text and Map (Z00) to be adopted in 30 days. At this time there was a Board acknowledgement of opposition to the adoption but those in the audience were assured that in subsequent Planning Commission meetings, at least some of the opposition's concerns would be addressed.

Immediately a Notice of Intent was filed with the Board to petition for a Referendum to set aside this proposed text and map. Timely petitions were submitted containing many more than the required signatures, requiring proposed text and map not be adopted until an affirmative vote of the registered voters in Dexter Township indicate support for adoption.

Since May 18, 1999, the Planning Commission has taken no action on ANY of our concerns, and the Board of Trustees, at the strong urging of the Planning Commission, set February 22, 2000 as the date to submit the Referendum to the voters for adoption.

We urge that you vote NO because:

- The current 1973 zoning ordinance (Z73) contains no provisions that have inadequately protected 273's philosophy of protecting the rural character of Dexter Township.
- The February 22 election date seems intentional to take the Planning Commission "off the hook." There has been no response from the Planning Commission to the Board of Trustee's assurances that their concerns would be addressed.
- In a January 25, 2000, comparison between the Z73 and Z00, the Planning Commission's hired consultant, with the approval of the Planning Commission, states that Z73 and Z00 are "substantively (sic) similar" while in fact the following shows a few examples of how, with 200, you were about to be "ambushed:"
 - A. The Zoning Inspector, among others, can require a performance bond, absent any criteria for the need, for ANY Zoning Permit issued, and both YOU or developer needs that permit to construct almost ANYTHING.

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- B. The Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA) can require a bond for ANY variance granted. Apparently the Township Board of Trustees has little trust of its constituents. And they want our trust???
- C. The protection for legally non-conforming (grandfathered) uses and legally non-conforming structures (that's almost the entire multi-lakes community and most other structures more than 25 years old!) are greatly diminished. Maintenance and minor repairs are permitted but survival "is not encouraged' by Z00. Z73's protection that you could burn down or tear down and replace IS GONE!!!!!
- The proposed ordinance takes the appeal process on a Conditional Use Permit or Application, or a Planned Unit Development, away from the Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA) (local review). Now to appeal, you must sue in circuit court (judges review). A present example of this type of application is the gas station/car wash proposed at North Territorial and Dexter-Pinckney Road. Under 200, the appeal process would now be lost at the local level, headed to Ann Arbor for "solution."
- Like Z73, Z00 keeps as one acre the minimum size lot that can be created in the new Lakes Residential District (encompassing most township lakes), but 200 makes almost all subdivision lots throughout the township created since 1973 non-conforming and subject to paragraph 'C' above. WOW!!
- We believe, as do many experts, that the Z73 provision for residential density of not more than one dwelling per acre contributes to less land waste (sprawl), and because of its application throughout residential applications, is much more defensible in court than Z00's provisions.

This referendum election is concurrent with the Republican Primary, Regardless of your party affiliation or preference, we urge you to vote NO on the February 22 referendum. Any money contributions to this effort are greatly appreciated. Make your contributions payable to Dexter Township Citizens for Responsible Government and send to: DTCRG c/o Donna Terhune, 9072 Dexter-Pinckney Rd., Pinckney, MI 48169

came to all men, because all sinned Paid for by Faith Lutheran Church 9575 North Territorial Rd. (Romains 5:12). These facts go against our natural way of thinking, but God Worship 10:00 a.m., Sunday School 9:00 a.m. We're in your neighborhood

You are invited to gather further information at infosessions to be held on Saturday, Feb. 19 @ 10:30 a.m., at the Dexter Township Hall, or on

POLICE BLOTTER

Dexter Village

Larceny A larceny was reported in the 7700 block of Kookaburra Court in Walkabout Creek apartments Feb. 7. A 42-yearold woman told a Washtenaw County Sheriff's deputy that her 31-year-old roommate her roommate, a 31-year-old woman, stole several items that she had stored in boxes. The the apartment and temporarily left the items in a garage. When she returned, the woman noticed her Coca-Cola collection, paint, a green bin and a set of car keys missing.

Police interviewed the suspect, who admitted to having the car keys but denied having the other items. Police contacted the woman's probation officer to let the officer know what was going on. The suspect is currently on probation for larceny.

Chelsea Village

Fraud Fraud was reported at the Amoco gas station, 1630 S. Main St., Feb. 8, A 34-year-old Brighton man told Chelsea Police that a man claiming to represent JTS Maintenance Co. said he fixed the carwash, which had been out of service for a couple of weeks. The complainant said he paid the repairman \$124 in cash. When he looked at the carwash later. however, it had not been repaired.

The complainant had a receipt from the suspect, but the company was not identified. Police have a surveillance video tape of the man. Threats

Threats were reported to Chelsea Police Feb. 11. A Dexter Township woman living on McKinley Heights Court said that a Chelsea woman threatened her. The victim said the suspect is threatening her over money she owes. The victim says she does not have the money to repay the woman.

When contacted by police, the suspect denied threatening the victim.

Dexter Township

Domestic Assault

Domestic assault was reported Feb. 2. A 36-year-old man called police after an altercation with his wife. The man said he and his wife have not been getting along. In the morning, his wife was brushing their daughter's hairbut the girl didn't want her hair brushed. The man said his wife grabbed the girl's arm when the girl tried to get away. The man then said he

grabbed the camera and took a photograph of what was going on. He said he and his wife argued over what he was doing with the camera. She followed him and tripped while trying to grab the camera.

The woman said her husband pushed her on the bed and punched her in the head while they struggled over the camera. She said she tried to kick while he stood over her. She told police she is

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Webster Township **Lost Property**

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The man said he is positive he locked the car doors. He thinks he may have dropped the phone in the fresh snow when he went inside the store. Warrant Arrest

Michael L. Morrison, 49, of Manchester was arrested on Mast Road near Gregory Road Feb. 7. The vehicle in which he was a passenger was initially stopped for speeding. The officer checked computer records and discovered that Morrison was wanted on a warrant for failing to appear in court on a matter involving the Friend of the Court. He also was wanted for violating probation related to a drunken driving conviction.

Scio Township

Violation of Public Health Code A deputy patrolling the parking lot at Bel-Mark Lanes Feb. 5 found a vehicle parked in the back lot with four The deputy occupants. approached the vehicle and could smell an odor of marijuana emitting from the vehicle.

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a green leafy substance in a coat pocket. A 20-year-old Milan woman, who was the only person not wearing a

coat, admitted it was hers. The woman told police that three of the four occupants were smoking the marijuana. **Attempted Suicide**

Attempted suicide was reported in Scio Farms Estates, 6655 Jackson Road, Feb. 6. A 33-year-old woman took an overdose of antidepressants and washed it. down with a 40-ounce beer because she said she was having a rough time since her divorce two years ago. The woman told police that she attempted suicide as a teenager by slitting her wrists.

The woman was taken by ambulance to St. Joseph Mercy Hospital for treatment. The investigating officer signed a petition to have her committed in the event that she refused PACTOR Pastries Plus treatment. **Embezziement**

Embezzlement was reported at the Amoco gas station, 325 N. Zeeb Road, Feb. 7. The manager, a 48-year-old Ohio man. told police that he suspects two former employees of embezzling cash from the business. The man said money was taken Nov. 15 and Dec. 12.

The manager said he has conducted an internal investigation and discovered several hundreds of dollars missing from the cash register. two employees he suspects no longer work for the company.

The company's records indicated that an 18-year-old Ann Arbor man worked on a day when there were \$566.34 in voids. One void was for \$500

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The other employee, also an 18-year-old Ann Arbor man, had \$566.77 worth of voids. Computer records show he voided \$30.50 worth gasoline 17 separate times. Suspicious Incident

A suspicious incident was reported in Scio Farms Estates, 6655 Jackson Road, Feb. 7. An 81-year-old woman told police that she woke up and found a stranger in her house. She said the man turned on her bedroom light. and she screamed. She said he swung at her but missed, and she ran out of the trailer to get help.

The neighbors, however, told police that the woman has woken up in the past after

having dreams that someone broke into her house. Police contacted the woman's son, who said she has called police in the past after waking up from a dream and thinking someone was in her house.

The woman's son said he is seeking new living arrangements for his mother so she won't be alone. **Drunken Driving**

A 46-year-old Scio Township man was arrested on Wagner Road near Liberty Road Feb. 2 for operating a vehicle while under the influence of alcohol. The man was initially stopped for speeding. The investigating officer smelled alcohol on the man's breath and asked him to take sobriety tests. The man was unsteady on his feet and admitted to drinking earlier in

the evening.

The man took a breath test, which revealed he had a .15 percent blood-alcohol level. A driver who has a .10 percent blood-alcohol level or higher is considered drunk. The man's driver's license was confiscated and he was taken to jail. Family Trouble

Family trouble was reported Jan. 29. A 42-year-old woman told police that she told her 43-year-old male roommate that she was moving out. She said initially he cooperative but wouldn't let her enter the apartment the next day. She said she waited for him to leave and then entered using her key. She said he returned and told her

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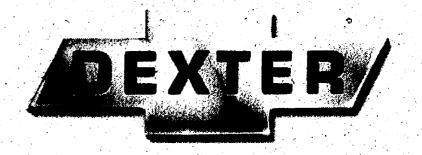
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to leave. She said she told him she would not until she had collected all of her personal belongings. Then, she said, he became irate, so she called police. He left before a deputy arrived.

Domestic Assault

Domestic assault was reported Jan. 23. A 34-year-old township man called police after an argument with his wife turned combative. The man said he and his wife were

arguing about their marriage problems. He said she slapped him across the face with an open hand.

The woman told police that she slapped her husband after he said he wanted to have sex with their teenage nanny. The suspect said she was disgusted by what he said.

The victim said he did not want his wife arrested. He said he just didn't want her to hit him again. The investigating officer did not arrest the suspect. Instead, the victim agreed to stay at a hotel that night while the situation



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Larceny was reported in the 5500 block of Jackson Road Feb. 13. A 21-year-old township woman told police that someone broke into her 1997 Geo Tracker and stole a video camera worth \$800 and prescription contact lenses valued at \$300. Her vehicle sustained \$300 in damage when the driver's window was The incident broken. happened between 8 p.m. Feb. 12 and 7 a.m. Feb. 13.

Sylvan Township

Break-in Breaking and entering was reported on Cavanaugh Lake Road Feb. 7. A 48-year-old man told police that someone broke into his garage and stole more than \$100 worth of tools. The man said two wrenches, a power drill and a gas tank were taken between 9 p.m. Feb. 6 and 9 a.m. Feb. 7.

Police noted the garage door had been pried open and the garage was ransacked. Two other break-ins were recently reported in the area. A neighbor saw a dark-colored pickup truck near the man's home at 4 a.m.

Breaking and entering was reported on Cavanaugh Lake Road Jan. 16. A man checking on a house for a friend discovered the friend's garage door had been pried open. Damage is estimated at \$100. The man did not know whether anything had been stolen.

Breaking and entering was reported in the 200 block of Glazier Road Jan. 16. A 37year-old woman told police Department.)

that someone entered her garage and stole a cable and binoculars valued at \$175. The theft occurred between 9:30 p.m. Jan. 15 and some time the next day. The garage was unlocked at the time.

Manchester Township Break-in

A breaking and entering was reported in the 1000 block of Lakeview Road Feb. 8. A 39year-old man told a sheriff's deputy that someone entered his home through an unlocked walkout basement and stole a Nintendo game system and five games. The missing items are valued at more than \$100.

The break-in occurred between 6 p.m. Jan. 31 and 5 p.m. Feb. 7. The victim suspects the culprits may be children who live in the area; however, he would not provide police with any names or addresses.

Failure to Return Vehicle A 44-year-old Manchester woman called police Feb. 1 after her 24-year-old daughter failed to return a car she borrowed. The woman said her daughter borrowed the 1992 Ford Probe on Dec. 18. She was supposed to return it within a week.

The woman said her daughter has used heroine in the past and may be using crack cocaine now. She thinks the daughter may be in the Wayne-Westland area.

The victim wants daughter prosecuted stealing the vehicle.

(Compiled by Associate Editor Michelie Rogers based on reports filed with Chelsea Police and the Washtenaw County Sheriff's



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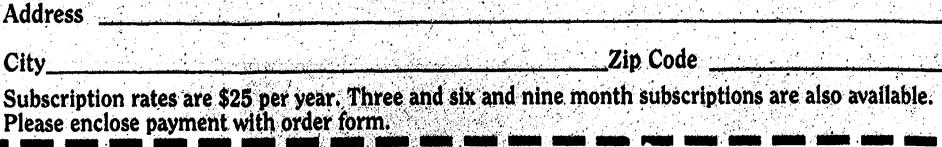


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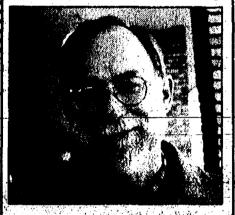
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Ellie Strong Lima Township



"I'm concerned, because the post office is the focal point of municipality. I'd like to see at least the retail side stay downtown."

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"They need a mailbox in the Polly's area, because people have to cross M-52, and there are a dozen mailboxes down there. The real problem is that there are so many mail boxes smashed in. As for the post office, leave it where it is."

> Richard Pavlicek Lima Township



"I want it to stay where it is, but they should get more people to wait on us."

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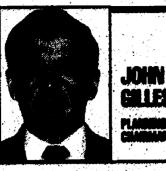
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Township needs updated ordinance



GUEST EDITORIAL

I'm sure the citizens of Dexter Township will face up to their important voting responsibilities during the national election process in November. But there is also a very important voting responsibility coming up in a little over a week.

Regardless of your political preference, all voters should go to the polls and vote on Feb. 22. While voting in the primary is important (for Republicans at least), the really important local voting issue is for the Dexter Township Zoning Ordinance referendum.

That issue is important for citizens regardless of their political beliefs.

Why is it so important? The township is being subjected ing over 80 meetings of the

to increasing developmental planning commission, came to ing for parcel rezonings, single family residential plans, multiple-family condominiums, and a variety of commercial enterprises. In the last year, site plan and building plan reviews have increased 44 percent and 46.5 percent, respectively. The acceptance of land division requests has increased 46.2 percent over the same period a year ago.

As you can see, there is a lot of developmental activity going on in the township. This flurry of growth was anticipated a few years ago, and a plan was put into effect by the township to better control the inevitable growth. That plan included substantial changes to the General Development Plan (GDP) and the Dexter Township Zoning Ordinance.

The Dexter Township Planning Commission, using the results of a formal opinion survey circulated to all citizens in 1994, created new and more powerful zoning provisions during the period of 1995-1999. That effort, includ-

pressures, Demand is increas- fruition on May 18, 1999. The proposed 1999 Zoning Ordinance was adopted by the Dexter Township Board of Trustees on that date.

> There was a great feeling of pride and relief by the planning commission that a much improved ordinance was now available for handling the myriad of projects that were underway, and anticipated to be undertaken. The new ordinance improves zoning considerations in the lake and residential districts. It greatly improves consideration for environmental protection of the land, air and water during all developmental phases. It strengthens effort for retaining the rural character of the township by encouraging buffered cluster developments (Planned Unit Developments, or PUDs), as opposed to strip development and repeated driveway cuts along main thoroughfares.

> Greatly improved zoning definitions and procedures were incorporated in the new ordinance for improving the

fairness and consistency of the 1973 or the 1999 version) zoning decisions. All in all, the can be amended until after the proposed new ordinance provides much-needed new "tools" for use by the planning commission, and the township board, to regulate and control the long anticipated developmental pressure in the township.

But the period of elation of having a new ordinance was soon quashed. A few citizens, acting within their rights, organized a campaign to petition the board to have the question of the new ordinance's acceptance placed before the township's electorate. That petition, filed in June 1999, has, in effect, nullified the intended usefulness and benefits of the proposed new ordinance.

By necessity, the planning commission has had to try to control developmental expansion using the current ordinance, which was adopted by the Township Board in 1973. To make matters even more difficult. the township's legal counsel has decreed that neither ordinance document (i.e., Feb. 22 vote.

In essence, the zoning situa-

tion in the township has had an eight-month stagnation period, and the township has had to continue to rely on the antiquated 1973 ordinance for developmental control. This is indeed unfortunate for the citizens of Dexter Township. The growth that is being experienced, and the even more ambitious development that is anticipated, must be handled with contemporary planning and zoning tools. It is impera-

tive that the township citizens recognize that fact and vote in support of the new ordinance and the new tools it provides.

We cannot stress too strongly how important it is to vote "yes" for the proposed new zoning ordinance (adopted May 1999) at the balloting on Feb. 22. All citizens of the township who are interested in controlled rural character development, will benefit from your "yes" voting decision.

New ordinance will harm Dexter Township



BILL **GAJEWSK**

GUEST EDITORIAL

In 1992, the Environmental Protection Agency funded the "Michigan Environmental and Relative Risk Analysis." This report cited the "absence of land-use planning that considers resources and the integrity of ecosystems" as the No. 1 environmental concern in the

It's my view that Dexter Township's proposed zoning ordinance gets poor marks in both areas.

The proposed ordinance will not only fragment ecosystems but, also, minimal consideration was given to our water

Water resource land planners know that in watershed communities, such as Dexter Township, clustering and the preservation of open space helps protect the watershed and the water quality of lakes. rivers and streams. However, they also know that large-low sprawl will significantly degrade water quality by increasing imperviousness and

non-point pollution (at as little shed lands, yet clustering is as 10 percent imperviousness).

Planned unit development clustering, such as open-space zoning, is not allowed in common-use residential, recreation-conservation, agricultural, convenience commercial or long and wide country roads, commercial zoning

And it's only allowed to a limited extent in lake residential and rural residential districts. Clustering is not allowed in rural residential unless on pavement or within half a mile of pavement, which very much restricts its use.

This may preserve roads at the cost of the environment. All of these zoning districts

contain riparian and/or water-

not allowed or it's of limited use. The proposed ordinance instead mandates two- and five-acre large lot parcels.

Large lots translate into

large road networks, such as to serve these parcels, which would create an extensive network of roads throughout the watershed. Obviously, when you spread homes out, it takes more road to reach them (up to 50 percent more impervious-

Open space communities help protect the watersheds. Large-lot sprawl degrades them.

Dexter Township's proposed

ordinance promotes road building (impervious surfaces) and planned sprawl at the cost of rural character, ecosystems, bio-diversity and the water quality of our lakes, rivers and

The irony is that township residents just spent \$11 million on sewers to preserve water quality and this proposed ordinance will degrade it.

Out of our 50 states, the Sierra Club ranks Michigan 49th in the nation for poor land-use planning. We have to do better than this. It's our choice and our future.

To this end, vote "no" on Dexter Township's proposed ordinance Feb. 22.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Article didn't tell the full story

Phil Keren's article about the proposed development by Medallion Homes left me feeling perplexed.

The tenor of his article suggests that Steve Karbel and Sid Moss want to develop the 650-unit mobile home park for purely altruistic reasons. Let's not overlook that mobile home developments generate a lot of money for the developer and they are bound by very few restrictions.

In a recent article, Bill Ballenger, editor of Inside Michigan Politics, writes "since 1976, local units of government have been in a no-win situation with respect to mobile home park development. State law does not permit locals to exclude mobile home parks from their jurisdiction; to set standards for roads, utilities, open space, and recreational facilities within mobile home parks; or to tax them the same as other residential subdivisions. In essence, state law has created a Bull Market for mobile home parks."

Another point I would like to dispute is Karbel's statement that his community "would be developed at no. cost to the residents of Lima"; again the word "bull" could be applied.

Common sense tells us that years and older.

with the addition of 650 homes there would obviously be a need for more police and fire protection, and not to be redundant, but again the children do need educating. Those burdens fall onto the shoulders of the property-tax paying citizens in this area.

Believe it or not Mister Mighty Developer, we did not fall off the turnip truck yesterday! So unless those trees you plan on lining your "streets" with grow money on them it will cost us.

Karbel stated that research concluded that mobile home park communities tend to have fewer school-aged children. That the highest proportion of mobile home residents are "young couples, empty nesters and retirees."

Michigan Manufactured Housing Association website gives statistics on who lives in manufactured homes, they indicate that in 8 percent of the homes, the household head is younger than 30 years of age. While in 43 percent of the households, the head of that household is between 30-49 years of age. Though some of those could be considered young couples starting out, I would guess a "few" might also be parents of children thirty percent are between the ages of 50-69, and 19 percent are 70

In conclusion I think the sad part of all this is that Karbel and Moss can tell us anything they want in order to get what they want. But in the end they are not accountable to us and will not be around when things go awry.

> Jennie Breuninger Lima Township

Downtown location was well supported

This letter is in response to Linda Ballard's letter to The Standard last week. It is insulting to the library advisory committee and others who worked very hard for 13 months to dismiss the results of the polls and surveys that were done.

Parking was not the No. 1 issue; the downtown location was, by a large margin. It is not only "a small minority of downtown village residents" who feel the library belongs downtown in our historic McKune House; it is people from every township who have expressed concern about the library moving permanently from its downtown location.

Through the generous and hard-working efforts of the DDA and others, the parking problem at the downtown location is being addressed and will soon be solved. To maintain our district library, we all need to work together to ensure its success.

Anne Merkel Daphne Hodder

Farmland set aside is priceless gift Over 200 acres of farmland

have been protected from development, thanks to Helen and Stan Parker and Bruce Manny of Scio and Lima townships. These long-standing farm families decided to sell their development rights to the state, rather than the highest bidder, to ensure that their property would remain

undeveloped in perpetuity. They were aided by Barry Lonik of the Washtenaw-Potawatomi Land Trust in preparing the paperwork which was submitted to the state, and by Scio Township which provided matching funds of \$50 an acre.

Although both families surely could have made a large profit if they had sold their property to a developer, they wanted to ensure that agricultural land and open space were protected for future generations. Twenty or 50 years from now, their grandchildrenand ours will be able to appreciate the beauty and rural heritage of this area.

What a priceless gift. In 50 years time, another strip mall, gas station, housing development, mobile home park or industrial park will show signs

of wear and tear and will undoubtedly be seen as outdated. But in 50 years time, the aesthetic value of the Parker and Manny farms will be of even greater value.

What a wonderful legacy they pass on, not only to their families, but to all of us who live here. Wouldn't it be wonderful if more long-standing farm families and townships followed the example of the Parkers and Bruce Manny and of Scio Township, and worked together to preserve our area's rural heritage?

> Julie Schumaker Dexter

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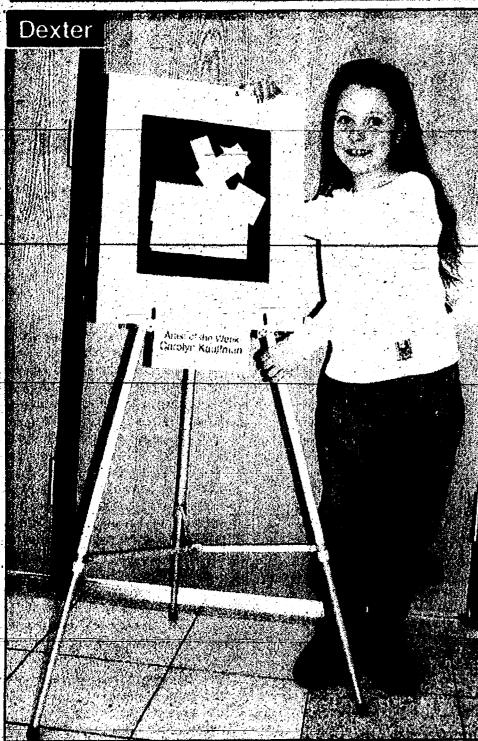
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Artist of the Week

Carolyn Kauffman, a second-grader, was named Artist of the Week at Cornerstone Elementary School. Students studied artist Louise Nevelson's relief sculptures and learned about her interest in shapes and shadows before creating their own designs in her style.

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Local project part of state upgrades As part of the Michigan Debridge projects, seven railroad improvement, 29 traffic

partment of Transportation's (MDOT) \$1.4 billion road and bridge program for 2000, Gov. John Engler recently announced the approval of 99 projects totaling over \$130 million for transportation improvements across Michigan.

"Our 2000 road repair program continues to focus on the worst roads first, moving us closer to bringing 90 percent of state roads and bridges to good condition by 2007. These projects continue to benefit taxpayers by coming in well below internal estimates." said Engler.

This announcement includes 38 projects to improve over 238 miles of road, five

signal, seven airport improvements, and 13 design projects for future construction.

The announcement includes 91 state and eight local projects. Among these are 6:4 miles of preventive maintenance on M-52 between Roepke and Green roads, and extensive pavement reconstruction and bridge work along the M-14 and I-94 corridor. The M-52 work will take about 20 days and will cost \$181,042. The highway and overpass project will cost \$16,858,665 and will wrap up in September.

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Shepherding the flock

Williman helps guide congregation & transition

By Jim Silver Staff Writer

Then a minister decides to move from a United Church of Christ, he or she will usually give the congregatton three months to choose an interim pastor, to assume leadership of the church until a new permanent pastor is elect-

The congregation at St. Paul United Church of Christ did not have that opportunity. The former pastor of the church, the Rev. Lynn Spitz-Nagel, died suddenly in December. His death left the congregation bereft of a popular and influential leader.

The loss left an absence in the "pulpit. But the Rev. Orval" L.E. Willimann, formerly the pastor of Bethelehem United Church of Christ in Ann Arbor. will fill that void for the present.

He retired from the Bethlehem pulpit two years ago, but has stayed active in UCC churches as a part-time interim pastor, at Emanuel United Church of Gnrist in Manchester last year and now at St. Paul.

In UCC congregations, an interim pastor can be a temporary position, but a member of the clergy with specialized training often fills the role. Willimann emphasized that, while he is serving as a kind of firewall pastor, he is sensitive to some of the special needs of a congregation still feeling the

loss of a pastor. He says that the situation at Emanuel Church may have served as on-the-job training in soothing parishioners reeling from a missing pastor. He pointed out that the situation was different there, as the church suffered the sudden departure of a popular minister, but not

through death. However, there is always a grief when a minister leaves suddenly," Willimann says.

"The tragedy here meant there was no time for planning. I'm here to allow the congregation to plan for a full-time inter-

His tenure at St. Paul will be open-ended, until a full-time interim pastor can take over duties. Until that time, he spends three days a week at the church, seeing to duties, as well as any extra time that may prove necessary.

Willimann comes to the church nearly two months after Spitz-Nagel's death. He says that the congregation has opened itself to him, although parishioners have made it clear they don't want to forget "Spitz" too soon.

He credits Tom Gerstenlauer. the director of Christian education, and church secretary Meena Bhattacharya with easing the transition, for himself vibrant and dynamic as Cheland for the congregation. He sea," he says. The village also says that Gerstenlauer, who is offers some specific advantages currently pursuing a master's of to the pastor that is ultimately divinity at Chicago Theological selected to take over at St. Paul. Seminary, has proved to be a capable and dedicated worker growth mode, and that provides for the church's future.

Gerstenlauer will take a turn in the pulpit in March, when -Willimann and his wife make a previously planned visit to Berlin. He will be visiting a daughter who has recently given birth, and has asked people familiar to the congregation to take over ministerial duties for that month.

"Tom will take over for two weeks, along with the Rev. Irving Cook for one week, and (Chelsea High School English teacher) Paul Terpstra for one week."

He also expressed his appreciation for Lynn Spitz-Nagel, widow of the minister, who has also ease his arrival in the congregation. He notes that she received an outpouring of sup-

While the circumstances of Williman's advent at the church are sad, he is not unhappy with the chance to work there. He held the congregation in high regard in the past, as a neighboring minister, and knew that the church held a high position in the UCC conference. He was also friendly with some members of the congregation.

Chelsea Village has proven to be a pleasant surprise, though. Willimann says he was not familiar with most of the community, as his duties at Bethlehem church largely brought him to St. Paul church, the hospital and the retirement center.

Willimann says that he and his wife, Ruth, have spent time before and after his retirement visiting villages in the region.

"We have seen few villages as

"The town as a whole is in a an exciting opportunity for a ministry. You can grow and expand, but also find a way to -maintain-traditions.''-

Willimann has been a guidingvoice in the region's UCC conference for many years, serving on the board of directors of Olivet College

He also completed a 22-year term on the board of directors, 20 as chair of the board, for the Evangelical Homes in Saline. Sterling Heights and Port Huron That term included expanding facilities in Saline to include a retirement center, and opening retirement housing in Detroit and Saline.

Ruth Williman is no stranger to the church either. She was born in India to misport from the congregation, and sionary parents, and spent the has been supportive, in turn, for first 18 years of her life there.



Orval Williman serves as interim pastor at St. Paul Church in Chelsea. Williman comes to the church after the sudden death in December of the late Lynn-Spitz-Nagel. The candle at the left of the altar burns during church services to commemorate the late pastor.

Orval Willimann says that his wife speaks fluent Hindi, which has made her fast friends with Bhattacharya.

The two met at Elmhurst College, and were married before he went on to Eaton Theological Seminary. He has maintained a long-standing relationship with the seminary, working for development there.

While Willimann has enjoyed Chelsea, and loved his life in Ann Arbor, he planned on visiting the rest of the country after retirement.

"I enjoyed Ann Arbor for

some of the same reasons I enjoy Chelsea — the vibrancy, the feel of living in a city — but now, I find pleasure watching a flight of geese or a muskrat on the

"We live on Manitou Lake, and I planned on boating and visiting family, but spending winters elsewhere. But the first ister. winter of my retirement, 1998 to 1999, we enjoyed life on the lake so much, we didn't want to

He says that prompted his decision to make himself available to UCC churches in need, which has now brought him to

Because of the unique situation the village finds itself in, Willimann says that the parishioners of St. Paul's find themselves at a turning point in selecting a full-time interim pastor, as well as a permanent min-

"They will have to resolve many issues in the coming months and will have to assess where they are, and where they want to go. There are many pitfalls in the process, but it is also an exciting opportunity."

Eric Smith has a natural curiosity that cannot be satisfied. His classroom at South Meadows Elementary School reflects his own passion for tearning and many interests, including science. Smith, pictured at the microscope, resides in Chelsea and has been teaching in the district for the past 28 years.

Smith shares his passion for learning with students

By Michelle Rogers Associate Editor

Whether you're a child or an adult, stepping into Eric Smith's classroom at South Meadows Elementary School is like a jolt to your brain.

It's immediate stimulation, from the tarantulas and snapping turtles to all of the scientific gadgets, posters and puzzies. There are thousands of items some hanging from the ceiling, others on tables and stuck to the walls - designed to make you think.

"I like to bring in anything that will keep kids interested," says Smith, who has been teaching in Chelsea for 26 years.

Walking through his classroom is as interesting as it is revealing about a man who has put countless hours into constructing a masterpiece. And although it may appear to be a mess at first glance, everything in his room has its place.

Smith credits his mother, Alice Irene, with instilling his sense of order and bit of perfectionism. His late father, Carl. got him interested in nature and science. Both of their influences are apparent in Smith's class-

An enthusiastic teacher, it's evident that Smith loves what he does for a living. But his career is not something that he had dreamed of since an early age.

In fact, it came later in life after several other attempts at finding happiness.

Smith attended Eastern Michigan University with initial thoughts of becoming an accountant, and graduated with a business degree in 1970.

"I very quickly found out that was not what I should be doing,' he says. "I was good at numbers but not at business."

Smith spent the next four years in a variety of jobs related to the auto industry. He worked in an auto supply store, as an auto mechanic and learned the ropes of running a gas station. "I did a whole lot of jobs. I

couldn't tell you them all," he Finally, after working as a bus

driver for Ann Arbor schools, Smith says it hit him. "That's how I got interested in

teaching little kids," he says. "I had children on my route from all over the world - professors' kids. It was just kind of interesting and I said, 'Hey, this looks like it would be something fun to do.' So. I went back to school to get a teaching certificate."

In 1974, Smith added a master's degree from EMU in early elementary education, specializing in science.

At the same time, he gave up a budding career as a musician. Since junior high he had played guitar in a variety of bands and

says, in retrospect, he would been into nature and how things have liked to explore a career in work." music education.

In high school, Smith played gigs at high school dances, ski resorts in the area, dance halls and clubs. In college, as a member of the Royal Coachmen, he

recorded an album. "Around 1974 I decided it was a pretty tough living," Smith says. "We made a living at it but we weren't going anywhere with

Anyone who works in the schools knows about Smith's fascination with mechanics. Students and staff bring him broken household appliances and machines to fix.

"I enjoy repairing things," Smith says, "I like to know how they work."

He is captivated by physics and his classroom reflects this. it. I don't know if we weren't. It's loaded with examples, such

TEACHER FEATURE

good enough or didn't have the determination." That's when he decided to

dedicate his energy toward teaching. He was hired in Chelsea that same year to teach at North Creek Elementary School and over the years has taught students in third, fourth and fifth grades. Three years age, Smith made the switch to South Meadows when the opening of Pierce necessitated some shifting of staff.

At South Meadows, Smith shares his thirst for knowledge with fourth-graders. Together they explore all sorts of subjects. Science is Smith's favorite.

"I am a science nut," he says. "My father got me into nature when I was young. I've always

as a roller coaster machine that demonstrates motion, on dis-

Besides his father's scientific influence, which is evident in Smith's classroom, Smith suspects one of his teaching mentors played a significant role in the look of his classroom. Smithrecalls serving as a studentteacher under a more traditional teacher, but down the hall was someone with a more creative bent. This teacher had a classroom that looks much like

Smith's today. "I was totally amazed by the classroom," he says. "A kid could be fooling around on the floor, looking up and learnsomething."

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

CHELSEA Saturday, Feb. 19

Chelsea Days in Florida is having a potluck lunch at American Condo Park in Zephyrhills, Fla., 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. For more information call Joyce Schneider Rachuk 1-813-783-2459.

Pierce's Pastries Plus, 103 W. Middle St., presents "Mornings, Mochas & Melodies" featuring live folk and acoustic music, Saturdays from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. This week's entertainment is Thick & Thin. For more information please call (734) 475-6081.

Tuesday, Feb. 22 The Chelsea-Dexter Chapter of the American Business Women's Association (ABWA) is having its monthly dinner meeting, 6:30 D.m. at Cousins Heritage Inn, 7954 Ann Arbor Road, Dexter. For more

information call (734) 426-0692. Laleche League of Western -Washtenaw County meets at the First Congregational Church of Chelsea, 121 E. Middle St., from 10 a.m. to noon. Contact Dena at (734) 475-2094 for additional informa-

CHELSEA MISCELLANEOUS

Thursday Chelsea American Legion, Herbert J. McKune Post 31, will be meeting on the first Thursday of the month, starting at 8 p.m. Any questions, call Pat Merkel (734) 475-1824.

Chelsea Chamber of Commerce Ambassadors meets on the first Thursday of each month. Info, Bill Stewart (734) 475-1515, or Marcia White, (734) 475-6368.

Little Professor Reading Group for adults meets every other: Thursday at 11:30 a.m. Call with questions (734) 433-2665.

Senior Nutrition Program meets Thursdays at noon in the Waterloo Township Hall. For reservations call (734) 475-7439, 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Lunches, cards and fellowship. Friday

Chelsea Arbor Treatment Center offers a new Nicotine Anonymous meeting Fridays noon to 1 p.m. in the center's Community Room, located at 900 Victor's Way, Suite 310, Ann Arbor. For further information call (734) 930-0201.

The Parkinson Education and Support Group of Washtenaw County meets on the second Sunday of the month from 1:30-4 p.m. Questions call (734) 741-9209 or 1-800-852-9781.

Chelsea Area Garden Club meets every second Monday of the month at the First United Methodist Church, 128 Park St., at 12:30 p.m. Summer and holiday season meetings may vary. For information call Christine Forsch, president, (734) 475-4273, or Jennifer Kundak, publicity chair, (734) 475-

2424 or jak@mich.com Chelsea Kiwanis Club meets every Monday at Chelsea Community Hospital, 6:15 p.m.

Domestic Violence Project Safe House Support Group meets every Monday at Chelsea Community Hospital, Behavioral Health Services building, 6:30-8 p.m. Info., (734) 428-0369. Lima Township Board meets

the first Monday of the month at 8

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Mystery Book Club meets regularly at 7:30 p.m. at the library's new location on the second Monday of the month.

Overeaters Anonymous meets Mondays at First United Methodist Church, Chelsea, 7:30 p.m., Info., (734) 475-4264. Tuesday

Chelsea Amateur Radio Club (rptr: 145.45) meets every fourth Tuesday of the month at 7 p.m., at Key Bank, 1478 Chelsea Manchester Road (next to Chelsea Lumber). Summer and holiday seasonmeetings may vary. Information: Jeff Cowall (N8KPA), (734) 475-2424

or jcowall @fame.com Chelsea District Library Board meets the third Tuesday of the month at 7 p.m., White Oaks Inn at p.m. Chelsea Hospital.

Chelsea Lions Club meets the first and third Tuesday at Chelsea Community Hospital, 6:45 p.m.

Chelsea Rotary Club meets every Tuesday at the Common Grill, 12:30 p.m.

Lima Township Planning Commission meets, on the third Tuesday of the month at 8 p.m.

Senior Nutrition Program meets Tuesdays at noon in the Waterloo Township Hall. For reservations call (734) 475-7439, 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Lunches, cards and fellowship.

New Beginnings is a grief support group for people experiencing the loss of a loved one. Offered as a community service by the Chelsea Retirement Community, meetings are on Wednesdays in the Crippen building 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. Info., Kearney Kirkby, (734) 475-2868.

OTHER

Chelsea Senior Nutrition Program meets at the Senior Center. To reserve lunch, call Arlene Larson a day ahead at (734) 475-0160.

Chelsea Together. For more information, call weekdays (734) 475-4030, 8 a.m.-5 p.m., or (734) 475-5935, 5-9 p.m.

Faith in Action House Community Center, open daily. Provides free services to those in need. Services include food, clothing, financial help, advocacy and many other forms off assistance. Need friendly help? Only winter clothing will be accepted. Call from 9

a.m. to 4 p.m., (734) 475-3305. Home Meal Service, Cheisea Meals served daily to elderly or disabled. Cost per meal, \$3.25 with milk, \$3 without milk, for those able to pay. Interested parties call Mary at (734) 475-9494 or Faith in

Action at (734) 475-3305 Parent to Parent Program inhome, friendly, visiting support system for families with children. Call (734) 475-3305

DEXTER MISCELLANEOUS

Thursday Dexter Rotary Club meets at Cousins Heritage Inn every Thurs-

day at 7:30 a.m. Village of Dexter Downtown Development Authority meets the second Thursday of each month, 7:30 p.m., at National City Bank.

Monday Dexter-Chelsea Right to Life meets the third Monday of every other month, Feb. 21, April 17, and June 19, at 7 p.m. in the Mary Room at St. Joseph Catholic Church, 3540 Dover St., Dexter.

Info., Anne Young (734) 426-5010. Dexter PTO meets every fourth

Monday of the month at 7 p.m. in

the media center at Mill Creek Middle School.

Dexter Village Planning Commission meets the first Monday of each month 7:30 p.m. at National City Bank.

Dexter Village Council meets. the second and fourth Monday of the month 8 p.m. at National City Bank. Tuesday

The Village of Dexter Parks Commission meets on the fourth Tuesday of each month at National City Bank, 7 p.m.

Dexter Kiwanis Club meets at Cousins Heritage Inn the first and third Tuesday of the month at 6:30

Dexter Township Planning Commission meets on the first and fourth Tuesday of each month in the Dexter Township Hall at 7:30 p.m.

Dexter Touchdown Club meets on the first Tuesday of each month in the Dexter High School library at 7:30 p.m. All supporters of Dexter football, grades 7-12 are welcome. Contact Pat Little, (734) 426-

Smokers Anonymous meets Tuesdays at St. James' Episcopal Church, Dexter. 7:30-8:30 p.m. Call (734) 426-8696. Wednesday

Dexter Jaycees are looking for young adults ages 21-39 to join their club. Meetings are the second Wednesday of each month at 7 p.m. at National City Bank, Dexter Info., (734) 426-1080

Parents For Safety is a nonprofit organization dedicated to safety issues within the schools and the village of Dexter. Meetings are open to the public every third Wednesday of the month in the Mill Creek Middle School media center at 7:30 p.m. For more information please call Rhonda Hall at (734) 426-2883.

Village of Dexter Zoning Board of Appeals meets the fourth Wednesday of each month at 7 p.m. at National City Bank. This month's meeting is cancelled. OTHER

Alcoholics Anonymous meets at St. Joseph Parish Hall in Dexter Tuesdays at 8 p.m. and Thursdays-at 7:30 p.m.

Dexter District Library is hosting Winter Storytimes for children ages 3-6 years old. Two morning story times are offered, with one on Mondays at 10:30 a.m. and the other on Thursdays at 10:30 a.m. The program ends the week of March 6. No registration is required.

Dexter Family Service, contact Pat Burnett, (734) 449-2149, Marian Burgett, (734) 426-2196, Shawn Dettling, (734) 426-4343 or Judy Wheeler, (734) 426-2160.

Dexter Senior Nutrition Program delivers meals M-F to elderly homebound. Serves lunch M-F at Dexter Senior Center, Copeland building. To reserve a lunch, call 24 hrs. ahead, Cindy White, (734) 426-5397.

Arbor Hospice Grief Support Group New Pathways, a 6-8 week support group for adults who are experiencing grief due to the death of a loved one. They will meet Tuesdays in Ann Arbor at the Arbor Hospice Residence, 2366 Oak Valley Drive from 7-8:30 p.m., or on Thursdays 10:30 a.m. to noon through March 2. March 2.

Arbor Hospice Grief Support Group for adults grieving the

death of a parent will meet Tuesdays 7-8:30 p.m. Jan. 11 through Feb. 29 at the Arbor Hospice Residence.

Camp Fair - The annual Washtenaw Camp Fair will be held Saturday, Feb. 26, at Pioneer High School, 601 West Stadium Blvd., Ann Arbor from 10:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. For more information, Call (734) 971-4537.

The Parkinson Education and Support Group of Washtonaw County meets in Ann Arbor at the St. Joseph Mercy Hospital Education Center, Building 5305, near parking lot P, on the second Sunday of the month, 1:30-4 p.m.

The ABCs of Alzheimer's, an orientation, will be offered on Monday, Feb. 21 from 6-8 p.m. at the Alzheimer's Association Office, 3810 Packard Road., Suite 240, Ann Arbor. Registration is requested. Call 800-337-3827 or (734) 677-3081.

Play-N-Chat, a home-based groupfor moms and their children under 5 years old, meets Wednesdays and Fridays. For place and times call Jackie Esch, (734) 426-



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Alzheimer's Association Transition/Placement Support Group

will meet on Wednesday, Feb. 23. from 7-9 p.m. at Individualized Home Care, 3003 Washtenaw, Sujte 5, Ann Arbor. The meetings are free and confidential. Confact the Alzheimer's Association at (800) 337-3827 or (734) 667-3081 for additional information. This support group meets on the fourth Wednesday of each month.

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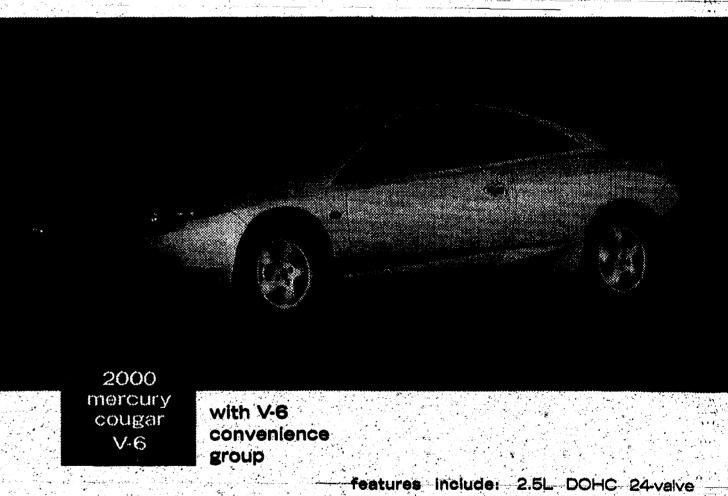




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WEDDINGS & ENGAGEMENTS



Arsenault, Zangara marry

Jennifer Arsenault, daughter of James and Cheryl Arsenault of Plymouth, and Brian Zangara, son of Alexander and Patricia Zangara of Chelsea, were married on Oct. 16 at Ward Presbyterian Church in Northville, with the Rev. Dr. David Brown officiat-

Matron of honor was Nicole Sprague of Plymouth. Holden Harris of Mesa, Calif., was best

Bridesmaids were Jennifer Goerlitz, Jill Christnagel, Karrie Justice and Laura Chase. Groomsmen were Christopher Zangara, brother of the groom, James Arsenault, brother of the bride, Brian Blandford and Michael Holik.

Joshua Arsenault, son of the bride, and Brandon Libby, nephew of the groom, were ringbearers. Flower girls were Jessica Kolian, Catherine Kolian and Kaitlyn Edwards.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at Joy Manor in Westland. The couple honeymooned in Hawaii. and currently resides in Lexington.

The bride is a 1995 graduate of Plymouth-Canton High School. The bridegroom is a 1990 graduate of Chelsea High School, and a 1995 graduate of Eastern Michigan University. He is currently employed as a teacher at Cros-Lex High School in Crosswell.

ENGAGED: Nancy M. daughter of Luther and Cheryl Haab of Cheisea and Darrell and Patricia Pidd of Osseo, and Martin R. Elm, son of Robert and Theima Elm of Wildwood, Fla., have set a May 6 wedding. The future bride is a graduate of Chelsea High School, and Is attending Jackson Community College. The future bridegroom is a graduate of Pinckney High School. Both are currently employed at Sheridan Books in Chelsea.



ENGAGED: Christine E. Betz, daughter of Dennis and Sue Betz of Dexter, and Matthew J. Bolang of Pinckney, son of Jerome and Mary Bolang of Ann Arbor, have set and April wedding. The future bride is a 1993 graduate of Dexter High School and a 1997 graduate of Albion College, and is employed at the University of Michigan College of Literature, Science and the Arts student academic affairs office. The future bridegroom is a 1992 graduate of Brighton High School and a 1996 graduate of the University of Michigan, and is employed as a natural resources agent for the MSU extension in Livingston County.



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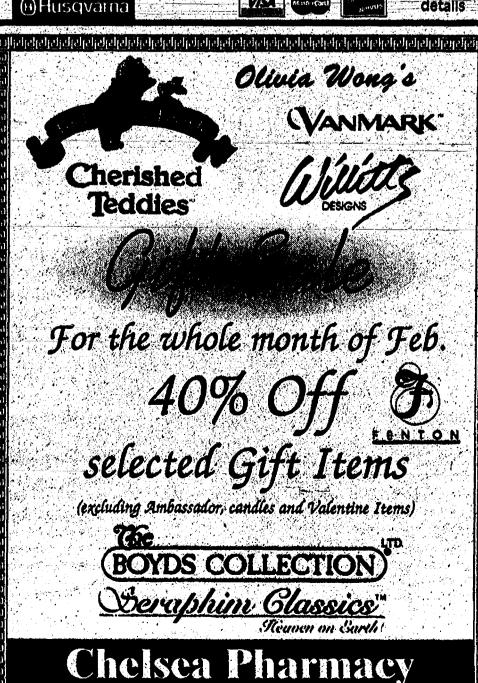
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February Friends

Phote by Colleen O'Neill The playground at North Creek Elementary School got new equipment, purchased by the school's PTO. Above, from left, Marquel Taylor, Amber Stebelton, Halelgh Mepyans, Megan Erskine and Sarah O'Brien hang around on a rope ladder, and Katie VanSchoick climbs to meet them.

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slates auditor interview

The Chelsea District Library has set the evening of Wednesday, Feb. 23, to interview two firms, one of which... will be selected as the library auditor. The meeting will begin at 5 p.m., and will be held in the library meeting room. This meeting is open to the

With a new and larger tax base in place, the library is seeking more intensive consultation with a firm that has previous experience with district libraries established under the Michigan District Library Law. The library will also seek guidance as it approaches the next phase in asking the public for a permanent, handicapped accessible building.

Dick Lee, the newly appointed library board treasurer, Library Board President Lynn Fox and Dan Kaminsky, library trustee, form the Library Finance Committee which will be conducting the

Representatives from Post, Smythe, Lutz and Ziel will be interviewed at 5 pm, and representatives from Plante & Moran at 6 pm.

Seniors announce craft show

The Chelsea Senior Citizens are pleased to announce their 15th annual fall Country Craft Folk Art Show This event serves as one of the group's principal annual fund-raisers,

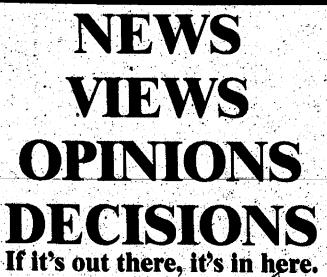
The show features over 100 juried artisans. It is held on Saturday, March 11, from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. at the Washington Street Education Center in Chelsea.

Works featured revolve around the country craft theme, and include an extensive selection of wood, fabric, ceramic, and glass works. All work is hand crafted by the artisan, and artists are selected through a jury process.

This year there will be a small selection of collectible dealers, including Beanle Ba-

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If you are a young man age 18 through 25, it's time to think about your Uncle Sam, and the best way to stay on his good side is to register with Selective Service. Although most men register when they are 18, as required by law, some fail to do so until they are older.

Selective Service Regional Director Glen Ford cautioned that, with few exceptions, a

man who fails to register before turning 26 will forfeit his eligibility for certain benefits. such as federal student aid. job training, and most federal employment, in addition to facing possible prosecution as a felon.

Some states also require registration for state student aid, entrance to state-supported colleges and universities,

state employment and permission to practice law.

Ford points out that men age 18 through 25 who have not yet registered can avoid the risk of prosecution and loss of benefits by registering promptly at any local post office or on the Internet Selective Service home page (http://www.sss.gov).

Men can register with Selective Service up to 30 days prior to their 18th birthday.

School Sweethearts

Students in Martha Piper's kindergarten class at North Creek lined up to exchange Valentine's cards. Above, from left, are Piper, Nicolas Everding, Elaine Johnson, Samantha French, Nicole Schmelz and Bradley Lotz.

SMITH

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As a way to encourage his students' natural curiosity and to teach them beyond what's laid out in the curriculum, students can earn free time to explore Smith's classroom. Often they do it in small groups, playing with the various gadgets or exploring the guts of a VCR, for instance, while sharing with each other what they've discovered.

While Smith appears unconventional, he says his teaching style is very structured.

"I demand their attention but at the same time I allow them some freedom - freedom to express themselves," he says.

Understanding of children's different personalities and needs. Smith says he offers options to the more hyperactive students.

"Some kids can't sit still, so I'll work around that," he says. "I'll let someone work in another room or in the hall. I try hard to meet their needs."

In the end, Smith says he hopes students learn a lot while enjoying their time with him.

"I hope they perceive me as someone who is fun to learn with and someone who means business." he says. "School is a serious place but at the same time it can be fun."

Smith suspects his sixth grade teacher, Mr. Wright, in Milford schools, influenced this particular part of his approach with students.

"He was really fair with everybody and he taught us a lot of neat things," Smith says. "He taught us how to fly kites and play football. He was fun, and I think he was the only teacher of

mine to do that." It's at the lower grade level where Smith has found his professional niche, particularly at fourth grade. He taught third grade for 10 years and fifth for

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around like puppy dogs, while the fifth-graders are more independent," he says.

Teaching fourth grade is somewhere in the middle. "They're pretty mellow and they like to learn," he says about his

fourth-grade students Respect is the only hard rule in this veteran educator's classroom. "I don't have many rules but No. 1 is to be courteous and show respect at all times," he says.

"Kids can be pretty cruel. I'd like to spend some of my time teaching them how to get along together. There is a lot of violence out there and I'd like to show them how to love one another."

After spending his entire teaching career in Chelsea, Smith says he has seen a lot of changes. But what he says hasn't changed is an innocent quality about children living in this

"It's a little more urban now but the kids are still a little naive, and I kind of like that,"

What he finds unusual about teaching in Chelsea is the level of support from the community.

"They'll come in and help any time," he says. "I've never had a year yet when people wouldn't come in and help me out. So, that's one thing that has been unique about Chelsea."

Among the highlights of Smith's career are the accolades he receives from former students. He has been invited twice to the Chelsea High School Cum Laude Banquet by former students who have recognized him as a teacher who played an influential role in their lives.

"That has been a real honor," he says. "I am always really amazed they remembered me from third or fourth grade."

Another highlight is when students return as adults with children of their own and visit his classroom during open house.

What Smith looks forward to in his career is continuing to do what he does best.

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"I just look forward to having kids come in here year after year, and having fun with them," he says. "I just want to keep challenging them and keep them interested. If I can do that, then I should keep doing it."

When he is not in the classroom, Smith enjoys flying kites, fixing things and playing music. He has a recording studio in his home, and in addition to performing pop and rock, he writes music.

The outdoors is his playground. Smith says he enjoys hiking, camping, skiing and taking photographs of nature. His favorite vacation spot is Grand Haven, because he says it feels like you're at the ocean but fairly close to home.

For eight years, Smith spent his summers as a bee inspector for the state Department of Agriculture. Nowadays he spends most of his spare time remodeling his house, which he shares with his wife, Jill. They met at the Woodshed, now Cleary's Pub, when he was performing there in the early 1980s.

The Smiths live in Chelsea and have two children, 14-yearold Aaron and 13-year-old McKenna. Smith has two stepchildren, as well, Ryan, 25, and Heidi, 23. Smith remembers teaching Heidi when she was in fourth grade.

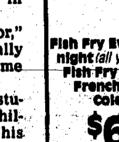
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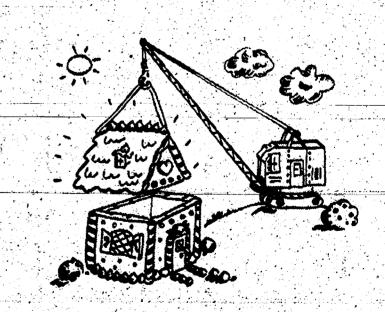
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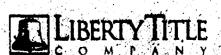


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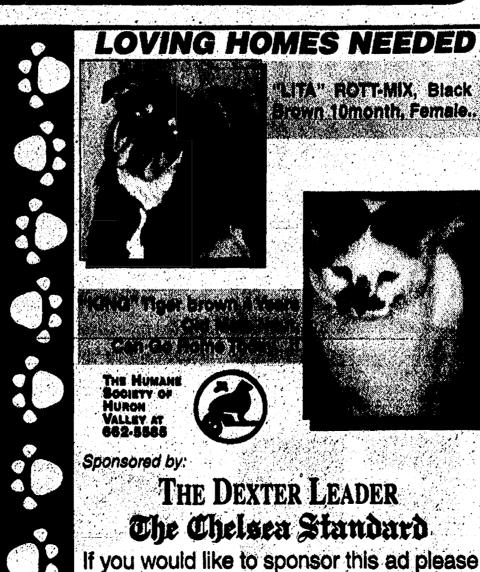
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Study shows radiation helps heart disease

Radiation has long been used as a method for killing cancer cells. Now researchers say radiation looks promising as a way to kill the overgrowth of tissue cells that can lead to a re-blockage of a heart artery, according to a report in today's issue of "Circulation; Journal of the American Heart Association."

"Radiation may one day offer a solution to a longstanding problem - reblockage of a heart artery following angioplasty, particularly in patients who receive stents," says lead author Dr. Paul S. Teirstein, director of interventional cardiology at Scripps Clinic in LaJolla, Calif.

In angioplasty, a balloontipped catheter is threaded into the blocked artery and the balloon is then inflated to widen the narrowed vessel. Sometimes a stent — a metal

coil — is implanted as well to hold the walls of the vessel open. However, doctors have found that a build-up of scar tissue resulting in the artery is a common complication after a stent is put in.

In this study, a ribbon containing sealed radioactive pellets — a technique called brachytherapy - was threaded into the affected artery. The ribbon was left in place for 20 to 45 minutes to administer the prescribed dose of radiation to the artery, and then removed.

Researchers report that after three years the patients who received the radiation had less than half the rate of re-blockage as patients who did not undergo the radiation treatment.

"Brachytherapy is of particular value to patients with in-stent reblockage for whom there is no effective alterna-

tive because their coronary artery disease is too severe," say the authors of an accompanying editorial, Dr. David O. Williams, and Dr. Harry L. Sharaf, of the cardiology division at Brown University.

Sharaf, an associate professor of medicine at Brown University says the "study alleviates some of the unknowns" about the long-term effectiveness of the radiation treatment. "This is now the largest study with long-term follow-up of this treatment," he says.

We are concerned that there might be adverse effects that would outweigh the benefits, and that we would be merely delaying the reblockage of these arteries," Teirstein says. "However, this study tells us that after three years, intracoronary radiation continues to be a safe way to treat reblockage of heart arteries."

All the patients in the study had stents, and some had in-

stent reblockages. Twenty-six patients received the radiation treatment and 29 did not. Three years later, only 15.4 percent of the patients in the radiation-treated group had re-blockages of the affected heart artery, compared to 48.3 percent of the untreated group.

Additionally, researchers found that the rate of deaths, heart attacks and reblockages was much lower in the radiation-treated patients compared to the untreated group (23.1 percent vs. 55.2 percent).

Teirstein says that although the study results are promising, it does not mean that 10 to 20 years out the procedure will show the same effectiveness. "It would be premature to recommend radiation therapy as the first line of treatment for patients with clogged heart arteries," he says, and adds that additional scientific study is needed.



Photo by Mary Kumbler

Blood Drive Slated

The Dexter High School National Honor Society will holds its annual blood drive March 9 from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the high school art room. Pictured are faculty adviser Cheryl Wells, Brian Crose of the American Red Cross and chairpersons Karen Derochers and Sally

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Spikers build momentum with two wins

By Colleen O'Neill Special Writer

The season is rapidly coming to a close for the Chelsea varsity volleyball team. As the post-season draws near, the Bulldogs had a light week of competition, made even easier with two easy, and identical, wins.

On Monday, the Bulldogs defeated Lincoln, 15-4, 15-11, and then racked up the same score against Pinckney on Thursday. Because they had the weekend off, they will have a full week of rest when they go on the road to take on Milan on Thursday.

In just two games against Lincoln, the Bulldogs piled up 27 kills. Mora Arnold had six kills, followed by Michelle Dettling and Lindsay Powers who

each had four. Caitlin Deis and Jill Drexler each had three while Josie Wells, Lindsey Baker and Lindsey Brink each had two. Amber Mattocks also racked up one kill.

Baker had 19 assists in the match. No assists were needed for Larder, Powers, Drexler and Deis who all had aces, two, two, one and one respectively.

Defensively, the Bulldogs were just as strong, as eight players combined for 28 digs. Powers and Baker each had six, Brink had four, Deis and Schiller, three, Mattocks, two, and Arnold and Drexler each dug the ball out once.

For the second time in a week, Chelsea won a match in two games by the score of 15-4,

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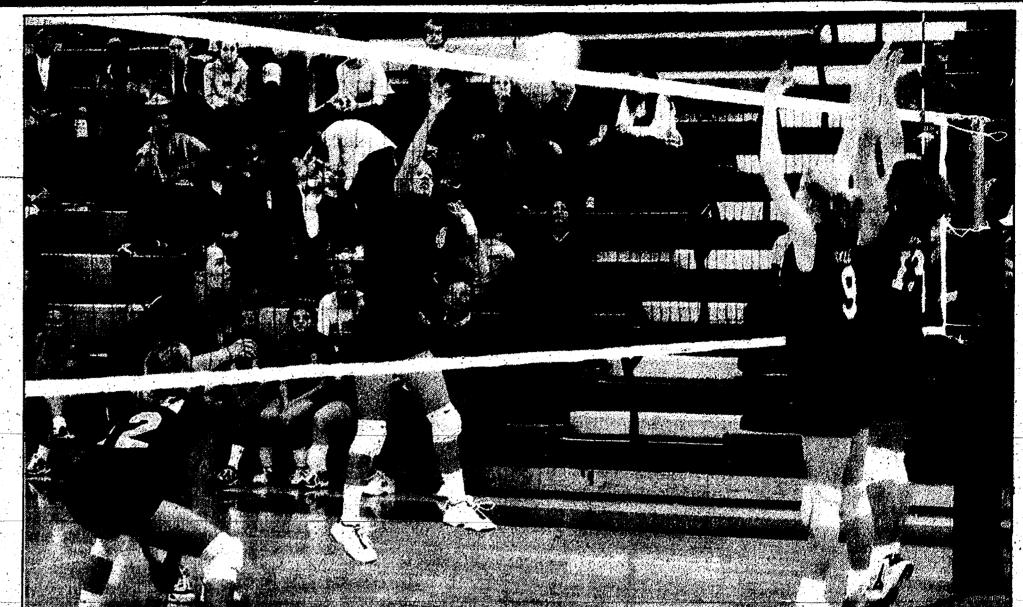


Photo by Doug Trojanowski

Senior Jill Drexler spikes on Pinckney blockers in the varsity volleyball team's Feb. 10 match, while Lindsey Brink and Lindsay Power prepare for a return. The Buildogs won the match in two games.

Grappler's fall to Pinckney in close match

By Colleen O'Neill

Special Writer

The Chelsea wrestling team ended the regular season with a dual meet at home against Pinckney but lost the effort, 43-34.

Dave Graff (103), George Fairly (140), Jeremy Price (145), Darl Bauer (152), Ben Vogel (171) and Heavyweight. Nate Dawson were the only winners in the dual meet.

All but Price pinned their opponents. Graff pinned in

nent, Steve Cook.

Inat summarizes that, said head coach Kerry Kargel of the loss. "We just gave too many points up."

One of the biggest problems for the Bulldogs was giving up pins.

"We got pinned in too many weights," Kargel said. "One thing we've been able to do all season is keep off our backs; 4.47 Fairly in 3:10. Bauer in 52 in this case we had a down seconds and Vogel in 41 sec- night."

Dawson also pinned his oppo- kids to perform at the highest nent and Price earned a major level of expectation because decision, 14-0, over his oppo- the team is not as strong as bring home eight medals.

> "We are not a power-house, Kargel said.

The Bulldogs then went into the league meet on Saturday. "Realistically, I looked at it

and didn't think we'd have too many champions overall because of how tough the league is," Kargel said.

He was right. Only Junior Nate Dawson took the championship medal

Kargel said he needs his when we finished the day 3-0. But while champions were hard to find, the team did

> Junior Ben Vogel took second place for the runner-up medal. Graff, Ostrowski, Fairly, Price, Bauer and Lixey all took third place medals:

Chelsea finished in third place in the league, behind first-place Saline and runnerup Pinckney.

While he does not want to offer excuses, Kargel did point out that the team has a lot of injuries right now

'When you take two or three kids out of the lineup, it is almost impossible to win," Kargel said. "We have a lot of little injuries that kept kids out this season and a couple of big injuries."

Although Kargel feels that, because of the injuries, his team has been playing catchup all year, he is proud of the wrestlers vounger stepped to the mat.

"The backups are younger," Kargel said. "I'd like to compliment those kids. They filled some big shoes, stepped up

and filled good positions."

Chelsea hosted team districts, on Wednesday, but resuits were not available at press time.

Linden will host the Individual District Meet on Saturday and Kargel will send his whole squad.

"That offers invaluable mat time for the kids," Kargel said. "They'll have the experience next year and understand the districts and the competition. The top four placers at districts will go on to regionals."

JV spikers win game for parents

By Colleen O'Neill Special Writer

The Chelsea junior varsity volleyball team had a solid week and came away with two more conference wins. The junior Bulldogs defeated Pinckney at home on Feb. 10 to impress all those in attendance for Parents' Night in two solid games, 15-12, 15-3.

It took three games but they. also defeated Lincoln, 9-15, 15-6 and 15-12, earlier in the

Against Pinckney, the Bulldogs had some difficulty with serves and serve reception that cut it a little too close in the first game.

"We actually came from behind to win," said head coach Beth Box. "In the second game I had three girls serve and that

was all it took. "It was short and sweet."

Everyone got a chance to play and Box felt that everyone seemed to enjoy the floor time.

"I think it was especially nice to take them in two due to Parents' Night," Box said.

Anna Arend scored seven points including one ace. She also had seven assists, four digs and four kills. Jenelle Vicek had two perfect serves for aces and four kills. Susan Frederick scored four points and had three digs while Rochelle Stafford had a great defensive night with two blocks, one kill and one assist. Nikki Steinaway scored four points and served one ace, and dug the ball out once. Heather

Audrey Richardson served an ace for her point, added a dig and three assists, while Tracy Carter scored two points.

Steinaway scored one point

and had two digs.

Connie Kolokithas, Heather Tanner, Kristy Tarantowski, Meghan Tandy, Cara Long and Jessica French all had a great defensive night as they combined for five digs and nine ter on Monday.

kills. Tandy also scored nine points.

Earlier in the week the Bulldogs once again struggled with serve receives and, at times, their serves.

"We struggled a bit but pulled through each time." Box said. "Some of the girls who earlier didn't see much playing time are now stepping up and coming on strong.

"Heather Tanner, for one, has an amazing arm."

Box said that when Tanner gets a hit on the ball, no one can touch it. "No more love taps," Box

said of Tanner's newfound strength. "Just power." "I love the improvement of

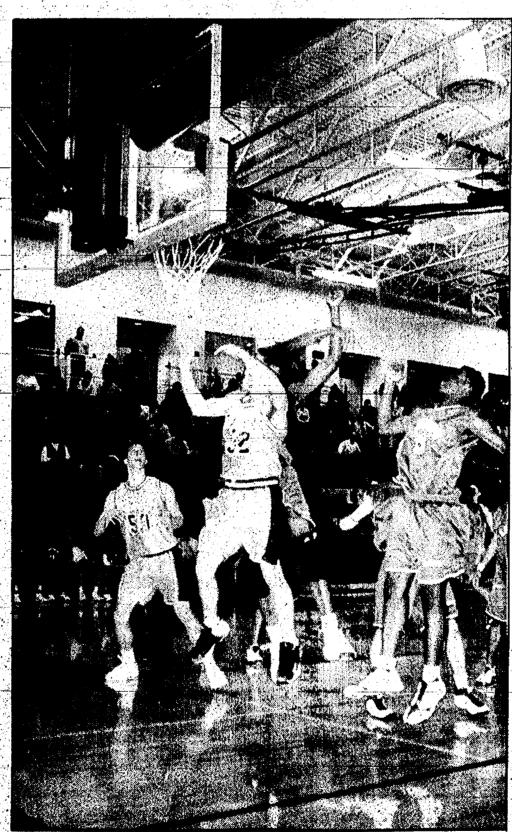
all the girls." Arend had another spectacular night, scoring nine points, including two aces, earning 12 assists, one kill and one dig. Vicek added five kills

and also had a dig. Once again all the junior Bulldogs participated and Box got something from everyone. Stafford scored a point and had three kills and three digs. Carter got an assist and had three digs while Richardson scored two points and added an assist.

Kolokithas scored four points, blocked the ball once. had seven kills and three digs. Nikki Steinaway scored a whopping 12 points including one ace and added a dig while sister Heather scored five points and also had a dig.

Tanner blocked two shots and put three balls on the floor for kills and Frederick scored six points and dug the ball out three times. Long had a kill, Tarantowski had a block and two digs, while Tandy and French combined for three digs.

The Bulldogs have a week of rest before going to Milan on Feb. 17 and then will enjoy a weekend off and host Southeastern Conference rival Dex-



Brian Sayers goes up for a basket in the midst of heavy Lincoln defense, while Alan Bairly looks for the rebound. The 'Dogs brought off a 76-52 victory in the game.

Varsity cagers beat Lincoln in rematch

By Jon Royce

After two losses, the varsity Bulldogs came through with a huge win against the Lincoln Railsplitters Feb. 8. Chelsea handled their guests easily, 76-

"We played pretty well. We did what we wanted to do," coach Robin Raymond said after the game, highlighting Chelsea's ability to control the game.

The Bulldogs didn't look like they were ready to play at first. The Railsplitters came out in the first few minutes of the game and went up 8-2. Chelsea scrambled back into it though, and managed to grab the lead at the end of the first quarter.

Leading by one, going in to the second, the Bulldogs had the most important quarter of the game. Fueled by an aggressive defense, the Bulldogs outscored Lincoln, 16-10, and led at the half, 29-22.

Emphasizing the half-court trap in the second half, Chelsea created a lot of fast break opportunities and broke open the game.

Senior Sean Davis blew up in the second half, scoring 22 of his 25 points in the last two quarters of the game.

"Sean took the ball to the basket really well this game," Raymond said, explaining the offensive explosion. "Our two centers also played well."

Senior Alan Bairley and sophomore Joe Tripodi combined for 12 points and 14 rebounds while holding Lincoln's star center to just 10 points on the game.

"We did what we wanted to do: Sean Davis took the ball to the basket really well this game."

- Varsity coach Robin Raymond

Junior Ben Myers also had a big game. Myers scored 10 points' including two important threes in the second quarter. Myers also had three steals and three steals.

Other scorers included junior Tony Scheffler with 15, seniors Jeff Kolodica and Ethan Rendell with four each, junior Brian Sayers with two junior Brian Sayers with two. Junior Joel Grimm had one.

The team will face Dexter Friday, Feb. 18 in Chelsea. Junior varsity tip off is set for

JV cagers down Lincoln Railsplitters

By Colleen O'Neill

Special Writer

The Chelsea junior varsity basketball team had a light week with only one game, but made it a highlight with a win.

The Bulldogs defeated Lincoln, 59-54, on Tuesday at home.

Chelsea took the lead in the first quarter and added to it in

halftime edge. The Railsplitters were able to match Chelsea point for point in the third to hold the deficit at 10, and even closed it up a bit in the fourth as they outscored Chelsea, 15-10, in the final quarter. But it wasn't enough, as

Chelsea held on for the win. Three Bulldogs were in double digits on the score-

the second quarter for a 30-20 board. Chris Kinaschuk led much improved team from the the team with 14 points, Jake Freeman added 13, while Tim Bentley scored 10. Nike Gadbury scored nine points, Kent Reames added seven, Dan Mueller put up four and James Ballas scored two for the Buildogs.

"We played decent for most of the game," said head coach Mark Scheese, "They are a

first time we played them."

The Buildogs shot a whopping 73 percent from the free throw line in the third and fourth quarters to help seal the victory.

Chelsea played Howell on Tuesday and will host Dexter on Friday for another great SEC match-up.

Icers split in weekend action

The Chelsea hockey team opened weekend action with a win over Bedford, but lost the following night in a tough contest against league rival Pinckney, ending a 13-game unbeaten streak.

The Buildogs traveled to Monroe Ice Arena Friday night in the match against Bedford. The Bulldogs had an earlier loss and a tie against Bedford, but evened the season series with a 3-0 win.

Defenseman Dave Poupard scored first for Chelsea on a wrist shot from the blue line.

Bulldogs Steve Williams and Brad Wright worked hard in front of the net setting the screen for the shot and picking up the assists.

Chelsea extended the lead on a well-executed one timer from the slot. Chris Tyler slid a perfect pass to Craig St. Clair for the goal with Wright picking up the other assist. Nolen Ahrens put the game away with a short-handed goal into an empty net.

Chelsea goalie Mike Osborne turned away 15 shots in his second consecutive shut On Saturday night, the Bull-

dogs hosted the Pinckney Pirates at Optimist Ice Arena in Jackson. Chelsea came out flat in the first period but escaped without a goal being scored.

They outshot the Pirates but

it took a nice save by Osborne on a Pinckney breakaway to keep the game scoreless. In the second period Pinck-

ney scored 2 early goals on defensive miscues by the Bulldogs, prompting a time out by head coach Don Wright.

The timeout refocused the

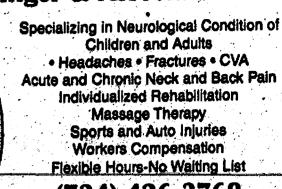
Bulldogs and they scored their lone goal on a great pass by Ahrens to Wright in front of the net.

Mike Sayers also assisted.

The Bulldogs dominated the third period with several good scoring opportunities but couldn't get the tying goal. Chelsea outshot Pinckney 29-19 for the game.

Chelsea's next game is Friday night against Saline at 8:30 p.m. at Jackson Arena.

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Tankers down two, lose to Dexter

The Chelsea Men's varsity swimming and diving team improved its overall record to 9-1-1 and its conference record to 4-1-1 last week, with wins over Pinckney, 97-86, and Mason. 118-66, before suffering the first loss of the season to Dexter, 123-63.

The wins were expected against-Pinckney and Mason, as was the loss to No. 1 ranked Dexter on Thursday night.

Even in a losing effort, the Buildogs were able to put together 14 best performances. At this time in the season this was quite spectacular.

The meet with Pinckney was the first letdown of the season

8th wins, 7th splits in Beach spikers action

The Beach Middle School eighth-grade volleyball team defeated Pinckney and Milan last week to raise its record to

At home last Tuesday, the 85 percent. The high percentage was instrumental in their 11-0, 11-4 and 11-4 three-game victory.

In the first game, Missy Marcom and Nicole Collins, each with six-of-six serving, accounted for all the points scored. Devon Lixey led the second game off with seven straight points, and Jenna Connelly added four points. Lindsey Lye and Ashley Gadbury played very strong allaround games.

Thursday, the team traveled to Milan and came home with a three-game victory, 11-2, 11-1 and 11-1. Again, the girls served well at 82 percent. Leading with service points were Collins, Marcom and Lixey with six points each. Lindsey Parker added five points and Meghan Reames four points...

Becky Sprague played her best game of the season and Rachel Dotson and Parker made significant contributions to the victory with their solid play.

The seventh grade Beach Middle School volleyball team played against Pinckney and Milan_this_week. They met Pinckney Feb. 8, on Chelsea's home court.

It was an exciting match, but Pinckney pulled through in a close fifth game. Scores were, 11-5, 8-11, 8-11, 11-9, 10-

Megan Korc served 14 total points with nine of them in a row and four were aces.

Mary Kate Setta served eight points, Amanda Mattocks served seven. Kara Kimmen served four and Kelly Kennedy had three Jennifer DeWall, Kim Gizicki, Liberty Dickerson and Danae Seward each served two points.

On Feb. 10, the girls traveled to Milan. They beat the Big Reds in a four game match with scores of 11-0, 11-1, 11-13 and 11-3. Korc, DeWall, and Kirby Kedroske each had three assists. Top server was Korc with seven points.

Gizicki, Mattocks and Brenda Satterthwaite each served

five points. DeWall and Dickerson each served four points. Seward served three and Shannon Kinner served two points. Serving was at a season high of 88 percent.

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THE VOICE OF HOPE 1-800-572-1717 for the Bulldogs. They swam butterfly at 1:03.45. Mike Bowflat all night long with only two personal best performances being turned in by the whole team. Top finishes for the bulldogs were as follows: Andy Hack in the 200-yard freestyle; Thiel in the 50-yard freestyle; Steve Basar in Diving, 190.05; Thiel in the 100yard freestyle; Hack in the 500-yard freestyle; the 200yard freestyle relay of Thiel. Rob. Rohrkemper, Hack, and Jeff Heydlauff; and the 400-yard relay of Thiel, Matt Moffett,

Jared Wacker, and Hack. The Bulldogs then had to travel up to Mason. After losing to the Bulldogs of Mason last year, the Bulldogs of Chelsea had revenge on their minds.

The 200-yard medley team of Hack, Moffett, Rohrkemper, and Heydlauff got the meet rolling with a win at 1:49.89. Zack Christman, Matt Holmes, Mike Bowdish, Mike Policht came in third at 1:59.12.

Moffett and Policht came in first and second in the 200yard freestyle, stopping the clock at 2:04.29 and 2:11.97, the 200-yard individual medley with a time of 2:22.19, with teammate Tim Wacker earning second-place honors at 2:27.29. Rohrkemper was third in the 5-yard freestyle at 25.60, with Jake Holton earning fourth place at 26.16. Gabe McGuiness won the one-meter diving at 201.60 and Basar was second with 201.50 points.

Moffett won the 100-yard

dish was second at 1:07.70. Heydlauff won the 100-yard freestyle with a time of 52.71 and Mike Offenbacher had a season-best swim, stopping the

clock at 58.19 for second place. Policht won the 500-yard freestyle at 5:54.91. Andrew Ceo was fourth at 6:56.13. Thiel, Jared Wacker, Heydlauff, and Hack won the 200yard freestyle relay easily, with a time of 1:34.16. Holton, Bowdish, Offenbacher, and Policht placed second in the event at 1:47.92. Christman won the 100-yard backstroke with a time of 1:04.59. Matt Holmes was second in the 100yard breaststroke, stopping the clock at 1:12.07.

The Dexter meet was an opportunity for outstanding competition. The Bulldogs were no match for the superior depth of the number-one ranked Dreadnaughts but gave them the best meet they could han-

The 200-yard medley relay of Jared Wacker, Hack, Thiel, and Heydlauff swam a season best of 1:45.04 earning them girls served for a season high respectively. Christman won second place. Moffett was quick in the 200-yard freestyle, stopping the clock at 2:01.19 and third place. Hack had a season-best performance in the 200-yard individual medley, stopping the clock at 1:59.28, which earned him sec-

> Thiel won the 50-yard freestyle at 22.64 with Heydlauff earning third place at 23.75. Basar and McGuiness had sea

son best performances in the one-meter diving scoring 214.15 points and 211 points, respectively.

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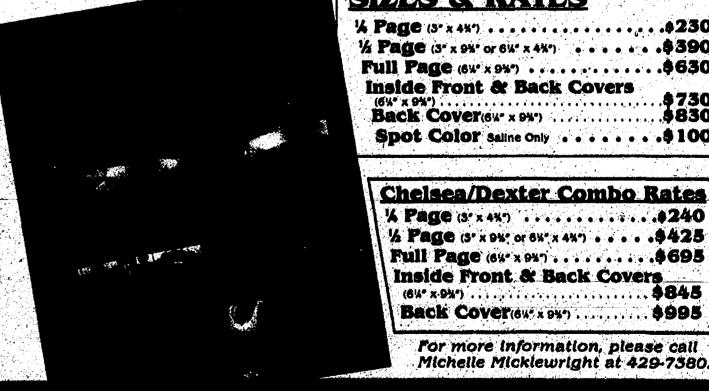
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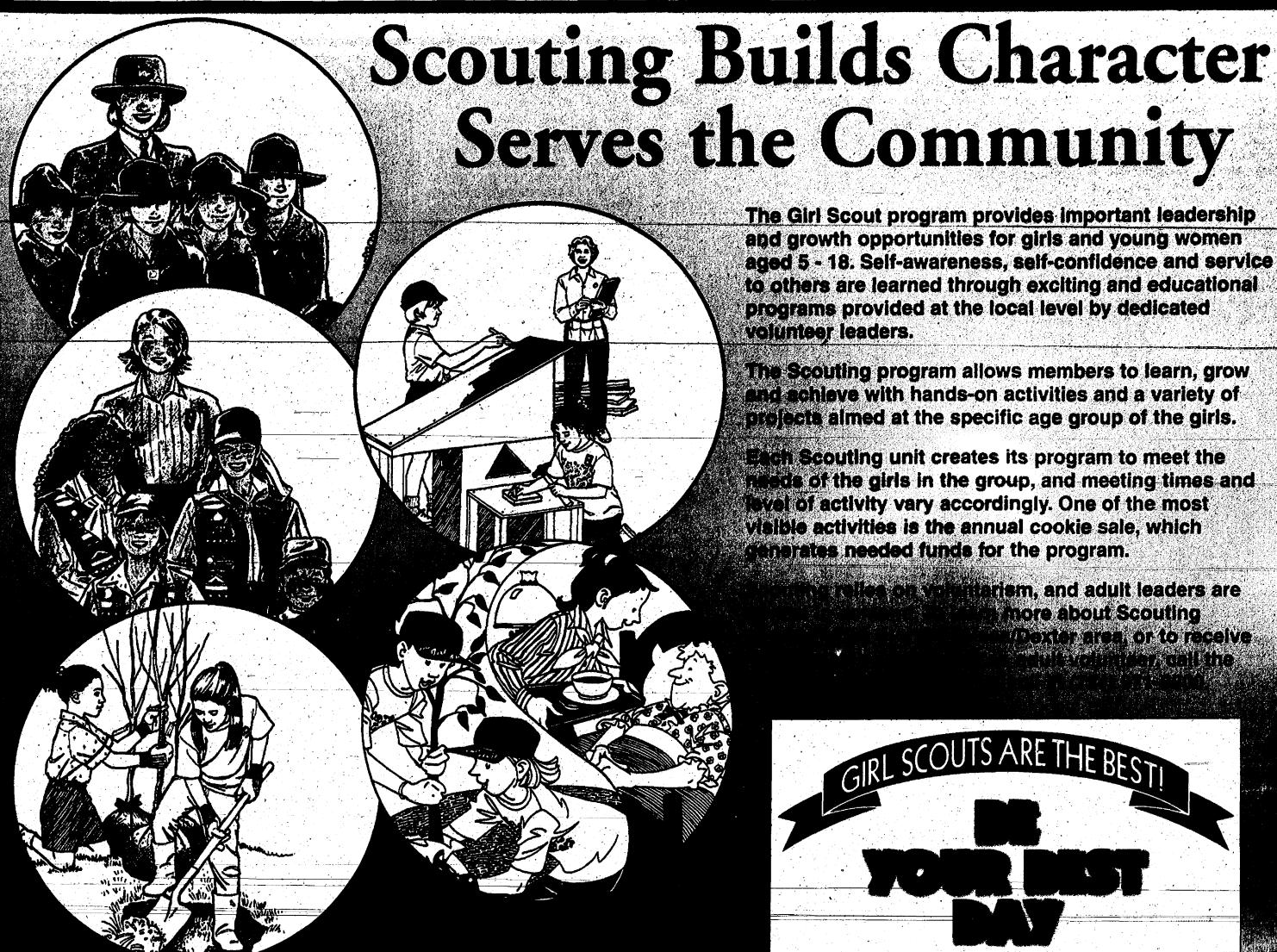
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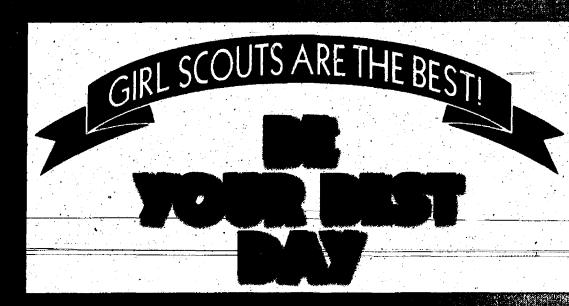


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Frosh spikers split week's games

By Colleen O'Neill Special Writer

The Chelsea freshman volleyball team split their schedule last week by losing to Pinckney in three games on Thursday, but defeating Ypsilanti Lincoln in two games earlier in the week.

At home on Thursday, a much-improved Pinckney team surprised the Bulldogs.

"Pinckney has really improved and we were not ready for them to come out so strong," said head coach Terri McCalla. "We played tough but couldn't pull out the victory."

The Bulldogs lost in three games, 2-15, 15-6,13-15.

One problem early in the night for the younger Bulldogs was serving. McCalla said they had a tough time, making only 50 percent of their serves in the first game.

"I'm proud of the girls," McCalla said. "They came back and stayed focused in the second and third games, only said. missing two serves."

Krystal Space was one who did not struggle with her Lincoln and won that match in

serves. She scored five points on five serves, including one

Julia Arnold scored three points on four serves including two aces, and Sarah Kaminsky also scored three points on four serves with one ace. Catherine Kirkwood and Marjorie Sacks were both perfect, going two for two from the serving line.

"Again, we had a total team effort in our attacks," McCalla

Karri Kuczajda led the team with two kills, while the rest of the team added 10 more. Kills came from Courtney Bentley with three, Space and Kirkwood with two, Sarah Kaminsky, Amy Mattocks and Alison Sacks each added one.

"It was a disappointing loss due to the fact we were up 13-5 at one point and lost our confidence and couldn't receive Pinckney's serves," McCalla

Earlier in the week the Bulldogs hosted Ypsilanti two games, 16-14, 15-7.

"They were both tough games," McCalla said. "In the first game we took an early lead, then let Lincoln back in the game due to poor serve receive."

McCalla said she is working on serve receive daily in practice because that is the most important part of the game.

"Our serving came through," McCalla said.

Jenny Parker was perfect, scoring 12 points on 12 serves. Four were aces. Sarah Brigham scored eight points on nine serves, including three aces, while Alison Sacks scored six points on seven serves and also had four aces.

Bentley was also perfect. She scored five points on five serves with two aces, and Anna Marie Cooper and Kirkwood each had one ace.

attacking the ball, with great assists from Courtney Bentley and Catherine Kirkwood," McCalla said. "We were 25 of 27 from the attack line."

"Chelsea had a great night.

Kuczajda had five kills on eight attacks, Stephanie Minzey and Alison Sacks had four kills each, Space and Sarah Brigham each had two kills and Cooper and Cynthia Johnson each had a kill.

"We are improving each week," McCalla said. "We have some tough games left in our schedule but the girls are staying focused and playing well."

The freshmen record is 7-2 in the conference and 10-8-3 overall.

They played Ann Arbor Huron on Monday and will be at Milan on Feb. 17 before coming home to host the rival Dexter Dreadnaughts on Mon-

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Beach wrestlers down Pinckney

Tuesday, Feb. 8, the Beach Middle School wrestlers traveled to Pinckney for the fourth dual meet of the season. The Bulldogs were able to pull ahead of Pinckney in the first round of matches due to several pins by Chelsea wrestlers.

Tim Svetkovich, Adam Ellis, Ryan Keiser, Ben Rodgers, Rory McGuinness, David Bell, Joel Powers, Karl Wint, Scott Beaudette, and Mike Queenan all won their matches by pins. Josh Clark and Shawn Bergman were able to add to the Cheisea team total with decisions over their opponents.

On Thursday, the Beach wrestlers hosted a solid Milan Middle School team at the Washington Street Education Center Gym.

Chelsea was only able to win

Frosh cagers beat Pirates

The Chelsea freshman bas-ketball team remained undefeated in the Southeastern Conference with a 55-42 win over the Pinckney Pirates,

Feb. 10. The Bulldogs and Pirates were tied 27-27 at halftime, but Chelsea started the second half with a 10-2 run and never looked back.

Paul Newhouse led the Bulldogs with 16 points and five blocked shots. Joe Myers had 12 points and Kyle Brown netted 10.

The entire team played strong defense in the second half holding Pinckney to 15 points.

The squad now boasts an 11-3 overall record and is 9-0 in the league.

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15-11 when the team defeated Pinckney at home on Thursday, which was Parent's Night. Unlike the Lincoln game, where nine players combined for 27 kills, against Pinckney the Bulldogs got kills from only four players, but still managed to put the ball on the floor 25 times. Arnold had six, Powers had five and Brink and Drexler each killed the ball seven times.

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This week, Chelsea will travel to Tecumseh High School on Saturday for the S.E.C. Middle School Wrestling Tournament.

The tournament is divided into-two flights so that each

school can have multiple entries in the event. With the largest squad in the league, 42 wrestlers, this tournament format is a great opportunity for all of the young Chelsea wrestlers to compete.

Coaches Sam Vogel and Dave Keiser expect Chelsea to do well at the tournament and are pleased with the progress the large number of wrestlers. are making in learning the sport.

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VILLAGE OF DEXTER PLANNING COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Pursuant to Michigan Public Act 207 of 1921, as amended (City and Village Zoning Act), notice is hereby given that the Village of Dexter Planning Commission will hold a public hearing at 7:30 P.M., on Monday, March 6, 2000, at the National City Bank Building, 8123 Main Street, second Floor Meeting Room, Dexter, MI 48130, for the purpose of hearing public comment regarding the proposed Planned Unit Development (PUD) Area Plan for the United Bancorp, Inc. The 62,000 square foot parcel, located along Dexter-Ann Arbor Road is currently zoned Professional Business (PB). The 200 foot wide parcel is owned by Dexter, LLC.

Information regarding this proposed PUD is available for public inspection at the Village Zoning Office on the second floor of the National City Bank Building, 8123 Main Street; dexter, weekdays between 9:30 A.M., and 4:00 P.M. Written comments regarding this project should be submitted to the Village Clerk no later than 5 P.M. Thursday, March 2, 2000. Sign language interpreter, or other assistance, is provided upon request to the Clerk, at least 72 hours in advance of the meeting. Minutes of all meetings are available at Village Hall.

Donna Fisher, Clerk 8140 Main Street Dexter, MI 48130 (734) 426-8303, Ext. 2

WEBSTER TOWNSHIP **ELECTION NOTICE**

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN ELECTION WILL BE HELD IN SAID GOVERNMENTAL UNIT ON TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2000 FROM 7:00 A.M. TO 8:00 P.M.

FOR THE PURPOSE OF VOTING ON THE FOLLOWING:

Office of the President of the United States

POLLING PLACES ARE LOCATED AS FOLLOWS and all are accessible by randicapped:

5665 Webster Ch. Rd.

Wana M. Baldus, Clerk

LIMA TOWNSHIP

ORDINANCE NO. 17 LIMA TOWNSHIP ELECTRICAL INSPECTION ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE TO DESIGNATE THE TOWNSHIP OF LIMA AS THE ENFORC-ING AGENCY UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE STATE CONSTRUCTION CODE ACT, ACT NO. 230 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1972, AS AMENDED; TO FORMALLY ADOPT THE STATE CONSTRUCTION CODE; TO REPEAL ALL INCONSISTENT ORDINANCES.

THE TOWNSHIP OF LIMA, WASHTENAW COUNTY, MICHIGAN, ORDAINS: SECTION I. AGENCY DESIGNATED. Pursuant to the provision of the Michigan. Electrical Code, in accordance with section 9 of Act 230, of the Public Acts of 1972, as amended, the Electrical Official of the Township of LIMA is hereby designated as the enforcing agency to discharge the responsibility of the Township of LIMA under Act 230, of the Public Acts of 1972, as amended, State of Michigan. The Township of LIMA assumes responsibility for the administration and enforcement of said Act throughout its corporate limits. The Township of LIMA hereby adopts the State Construction Code as the standard under which it carries out enforcement under Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1972.

SECTION II. REPEALS. All ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION III. PUBLICATION. This ordinance shall be effective after legal publication and in accordance with provisions of the Act governing the same.

This Ordinance was duly adopted by the Township of LIMA at its regular meeting. called and held on the 7th day of February, 2000, and was ordered given publication in the manner required by law.

Arlene R. Barels, Clerk LIMA Township

Passage Date: February 7, 2000 Publication Date: February 17, 2000 Effective Date: February 17, 2000

LIMA TOWNSHIP REGULAR BOARD MEETING MINUTES — FEBRUARY 9, 2000

The regular meeting of the Lima Township Board was called to order at 8:00 P.M. by Supervisor Adams and opened with the Piedge to the Flag. Present, Supervisor Adams, Clerk Bareis, Treasurer Havens, Trustees Heller and Trinkle. Also present several residents and quests.

Motion by Trinkle supported by Heller to approve minutes of 1/3/2000. Carried.

The treasurers report was received. Zoning Inspector issued two permits and 3 addresses.

Motion by Bareis supported by Trinkle to establish the date for the Budget Hearing in conjunction with Settlement Day on March 15 at 7:00 P.M. Carried.

Motion by Heller supported by Bareis to place an ad in the Standard and Leader indicating Lima Township Board is considering amending or revoking the Lima Township Private Road Ordinance, Carried.

Motion by Bareis supported by Heller to deny petition #97-004 based on no activity and expiration of time required to table, in conjunction with the Lima Tewnship Planning Commission action. Carried.

Motion by Trinkle supported by Heller to table application #99-009 Sensoli and send correspondence to attorney for recommendation. Carried.

Motion by Bareis supported by Heller to approve the Interlocal Agreement for The Cheisea Area Construction Agency and authorize Clerk and Supervisor to sign it.

Ayes: Havens, Heller, Trinkle, Adams and Barels, Nays: None. Motion by Barels supported by Trinkle to adopt the Lima Township Building Inspection Ordinance, the Electrical Ordinance, the Plumbing Ordinance, and the

Mechanical ordinance and publish in accordance with provisions of the Act governing same, Ayes: Bareis, Heller, Havens, Trinkle, Adams, Nays: None. Motion by Adams supported by Heller to grant appeal to the ordinance, and to waive the fee to Shirley Cook for emergency services on November 23, 1999. Incident #90690 Ayes: Havens, Heller, Adams, Trinkle, Barels. Nays: None

Motion by Trinkle supported by Heller to accept the proposal from Carlisle/ Wortman and to set a date for the first meeting and get the zoning ordinance fin-Motion by Heller supported by Trinkle to pay bills as presented. Carried.

Motion by Heller supported by Trinkle to adjourn at 10:55 P.M. Carried.

Respectfully submitted, Arlene R. Bareis, Clerk

LYNDON TOWNSHIP

SPECIAL BOARD MEETING SUMMARY MINUTES JANUARY 25, 2000

REGULAR BOARD MEETING SUMMARY MINUTES
FEBRUARY 8, 2000

SPECIAL BOARD MEETING SUMMARY MINUTES. January 25, 2000. Meeting called to order and opened with pledge of allegiance to the flag. Moved and carried to table final approval of Paxson's site plan review until Township Board has had the opportunity to review documents just received, and

receive further advice from Township Attorney on the land division process. Offered and carried to appoint LeeAnn Shanahan to fill the unexpired term of Lyndon Township Trustee.

REGULAR BOARD MEETING SUMMARY MINUTES, February 8, 2000. Meeting called to order and opened with pledge of allegiance to the flag. Offered and carried by roll call vote to recommend Board of Review Poverty

Guidelines as presented. Offered and carried by roll call vote to enter into the Chelsea Area Construction Agency Interlocal Agreement.

Offered and carried by roll call vote to adopt the permit fee schedule for Building. Electrical, Plumbing and Mechanical inspections as presented. Offered and carried by roll call vote to adopt Lyndon Township Building Inspection

Ordinance. Offered and carried by roll call vote to adopt Lyndon Township Electrical

Inspection Ordinance.

Offered and carried by roll call vote to adopt Lyndon Township Mechanical inspection Ordinance.

Offered and carried by roll call vote to adopt Lyndon Township Plumbing inspection Ordinance.

Moved and carried to authorize Township Clerk to sign Application to the State for Rureau of Construction Codes.

Moved and carried to nominate G. Coash as Lyndon Township representative and M. Honbaum as Lyndon Township alternate representative to the Chelsea Area

Construction Agency. Moved and carried to authorize D. McMurray to set up a Township web page and

Offered and carried by roll call vote to set Supervisor's salary as presented. Offered and carried by roll call vote to set Clerk's salary as presented.

to maintain the web page.

Offered and carried by roll call vote to set Treasurer's salary as presented. Offered and carried by roll call vote to set Trustee's salaries as presented.

Reports and other business presented. Meeting adjourned without objection at 8:45 p.m.

Janis Knieper, Lyndon Township Clerk

FARM FACTS

Hundreds of years ago, people's attitudes about fleas and lice were quite different from today. Sharing these parasites was considered a way of staying intimate with one's sweetheart because they were filled with the blood of loved ones. European men wrote love poems about fleas that lived on their girlfriends. French men put their girlfriends' fleas in tiny cages, which were then worn on necklaces. And Sibe-

rian women tossed lice at men they admired.

During the Alaskan Klondike gold rush (1897-1898), potatoes were practically worth their weight in gold. Potatoes were so valued for their vitamin C content that miners traded gold for potatoes.

LIMA TOWNSHIP NOTICE TO RESIDENTS

The Lima Township Board is considering amending or revoking the Lima Township Private Road Ordinance. If the Private Road Ordinance is revoked, new roads would have to be public roads.

Please state any concerns you may have in regard to the above proposal and state them in writing by March 29, 2000, to:

Lima Township Soard P.O. Box 59 Chelsea, MI 48118 Attn: Arlene Bareis, Clerk

DEXTER TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION

WILL HOLD A SPECIAL MEETING MONDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2000, 7:30 P.M. AT DEXTER TOWNSHIP HALL, 6880 DEXTER-PINCKNEY RD. DEXTER, MICHIGAN 48130

Overview of Major Differences of Current Zoning Ordinance (1973) and Proposed Zoning Ordinance

All citizens are encouraged to attend. (Please note: The meeting regularly scheduled for Tuesday, February 22, 2000 has been changed to Tuesday, February 29, 2000 at 7:30 p.m.)

DEXTER TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION

John Gillespie, Chairman

DEXTER TOWNSHIP ELECTION NOTICE

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN ELECTION WILL BE HELD IN SAID GOVERNMENTAL UNIT ON TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2000 FROM 7:00 A.M. TO 8:00 P.M.

FOR THE PURPOSE OF VOTING ON THE FOLLOWING:

Presidential Primary TOWNSHIP REFERENDUM:

Shall the Dexter Township Zoning Ordinance adopted May 18, 1999 be approved?

POLLING PLACES ARE LOCATED AS FOLLOWS and all are accessible by handicapped: Pct. 1 and 3 - 6880 Dexter Pinckney Rd. Pct. 2 - Inverness C.C., 13893 N. Territorial Rd.

William Eisenbeiser, Dexter Township

LIMA TOWNSHIP

ORDINANCE NO. 19 LIMA TOWNSHIP MECHANICAL INSPECTION ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE TO DESIGNATE THE TOWNSHIP OF LIMA AS THE ENFORC-NG AGENCY UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE STATE CONSTRUCTION CODE ACT, ACT NO. 230 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1972, AS AMENDED; TO FORMALLY ADOPT THE STATE CONSTRUCTION CODE; TO REPEAL ALL INCONSISTENT ORDINANCES.

THE TOWNSHIP OF LIMA, WASHTENAW COUNTY, MICHIGAN, ORDAINS: SECTION I. AGENCY DESIGNATED. Pursuant to the provision of the Michigan

Mechanical Code, in accordance with section 9 of Act 230, of the Public Acts of 1972. as amended, the Mechanical Official of the Township of LIMA is hereby designated as the enforcing agency to discharge the responsibility of the Township of LIMA under Act 230, of the Public Acts of 1972, as amended, State of Michigan, The Township of LIMA assumes responsibility for the administration and enforcement of sald Act throughout its corporate limits. The Township of LIMA hereby adopts the State Construction Code as the standard under which it carries out enforcement under Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1972.

SECTION II. REPEALS. All ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION III. PUBLICATION. This ordinance shall be effective after legal publication and in accordance with provisions of the Act governing the same.

This Ordinance was duly adopted by the Township of LIMA at its regular meeting called and held on the 7th day of February, 2000, and was ordered given publication in the manner required by law.

> Ariene R. Bareis, Clerk LIMA Township

> > Janis Knieper, Clerk

Passage Date: February 7, 2000 Publication Date: February 17, 2000 Effective Date: February 17, 2000

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LYNDON TOWNSHIP **ELECTION NOTICE**

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN ELECTION WILL BE HELD IN SAID GOVERNMENTAL UNIT ON TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2000 FROM 7:00 A.M. TO 8:00 P.M.

FOR THE PURPOSE OF VOTING ON THE FOLLOWING: Office of the President of the United States

POLLING PLACES ARE LOCATED AS FOLLOWS and all are accessible by handicapped:

Lyndon Townhall 17751 N. Territorial Road Chelsea, MI 48118.

SYLVAN TOWNSHIP **ELECTION NOTICE**

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN ELECTION WILL BE HELD IN SAID GOVERNMENTAL UNIT ON TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2000 FROM 7:00 A.M. TO 8:00 P.M.

FOR THE PURPOSE OF VOTING ON THE FOLLOWING:

Office of the President of the United States

POLLING PLACES ARE LOCATED AS FOLLOWS and all are accessible by nandicapped:

18027 Old US-12 Chelsea, MI 48118

VILLAGE OF CHELSEA NOTICE OF ORDINANCE ADOPTION

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT Ordinance No. 131, 132, 133 and 134, Ordinances to designate the Village of Chelsea as the enforcing Agency under the Provisions of the State Construction Code Act No. 230 of the Public Acts of 1972, as amended: to formally adopt the State Construction Code; to repeal all inconsistent ordinances was adopted by Chelsea Village Council on February 8, 2000, These Ordinances shall become effective upon publication. Copies of the Ordinances may be purchased or inspected at the Chelsea Village Clerk's Office, 305 S. Main Street, Suite 100, Chelsea, Michigan 48118, telephone (734) 475-1771, during regular business hours of 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, except for legal holidays. Frances E. Zatorski,

Village Clerk

LIMA TOWNSHIP

ORDINANCE NO. 18 LIMA TOWNSHIP PLUMBING INSPECTION ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE TO DESIGNATE THE TOWNSHIP OF LIMA AS THE ENFORCE ING AGENCY UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE STATE CONSTRUCTION CODE ACT, ACT NO. 230 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1972, AS AMENDED; TO FORMALLY ADOPT THE STATE CONSTRUCTION CODE; TO REPEAL ALL INCONSISTENT ORDINANCES.

THE TOWNSHIP OF LIMA, WASHTENAW COUNTY, MICHIGAN, ORDAINS: SECTION I. AGENCY DESIGNATED. Pursuant to the provision of the Michigan Plumbing Code, in accordance with section 9 of Act 230, of the Public Acts of 1972,

as amended, the Plumbing Official of the Township of LIMA is hereby designated as the enforcing agency to discharge the responsibility of the Township of LIMA under Act 230. of the Public Acts of 1972, as amended, State of Michigan. The Township of LIMA assumes responsibility for the administration and enforcement of said Act throughout its corporate ilmits. The Township of LIMA hereby adopts the State Construction Code as the standard under which it carries out enforcement under Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1972.

SECTION II. REPEALS. All ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION III. PUBLICATION. This ordinance shall be effective after legal publication and in accordance with provisions of the Act governing the same.

This Ordinance was duly adopted by the Township of LIMA at its regular meeting called and held on the 7th day of February, 2000, and was ordered given publication in the manner required by law.

> Arlene R. Barels, Clerk LIMA Township

Passage Date: February 7, 2000 Publication Date: February 17, 2000 Effective Date: February 17, 2000

LYNDON TOWNSHIP

MECHANICAL INSPECTION ORDINANCE

ORDINANCE NO. 34 AN ORDINANCE TO DESIGNATE THE TOWNSHIP OF LYNDON AS THE EN-

FORCING AGENCY UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE STATE CONSTRUCTION ACT, ACT NO. 230 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1972, AS AMENDED; TO FORMALLY ADOPT THE STATE CONSTRUCTION CODE; TO REPEAL ALL INCONSISTENT ORDINANCES. THE TOWNSHIP OF LYNDON, WASHTENAW COUNTY, MICHIGAN, ORDAINS: SECTION I. AGENCY DESIGNATED. Pursuant to the provision of the Michigan

Mechanical Code, in accordance with section 9 of Act 230; of the Public Acts of 1972, as amended, the Mechanical Official of the Township of Lyndon is hereby designated as the enforcing agency to discharge the responsibility of the Township of Lyndon under Act 230, of the Public Acts of 1972, as amended, State of Michigan. The Township of Lyndon assumes responsibility for the administration and enforcement of said Act throughout its corporate limits. The Township of Lyndon hereby adopts the State Construction Code as the standard under which it carries out enforcement under Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1972.
SECTION II. REPEALS. All ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this

ordinance are hereby repealed.
SECTION III. PUBLICATION. This ordinance shall be effective after legal publication and in accordance with provisions of the Act governing the same. Janis Knieper, Lyndon Township Cleri

STATE OF MICHIGAN COUNTY OF WASHTENAW)88

I, JANIS KNIEPER, Lyndon Township Clerk, do hereby certify that the above ordinance was adopted by roll call vote of the Lyndon Township Board on the 8, day of February, 2000, upon motion of Member Francis, seconded by Member Shanahan AYES: 5 (McMurray, Knieper, Noah, Francis and Shanahan

I, further certify that said Ordinance was adopted in accordance with the Oper Meetings Act.

JANIS KNIEPER LYNDON TOWNSHIP CLERK Dated: February 9, 2000

NOTICE OF ORDINANCE ADOPTION PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above Ordinance was adopted by the Lyndon Township Board on February 8, 2000.

The above is the full text of the Ordinance. The effective date is February 18, 2000. A copy of the Ordinance may be purchased or inspected at the Lyndon Township Clerk's office, 17751, N. Territorial Road, Chelsea, MI 48118, by appointment with the Clerk or deputy, telephone 734-475-2401, Monday through Friday, except for

Date of Filing Ordinance in Township Book of Ordinances: February 9, 2000.

legal holidays. Dated: February 9, 2000.

RECORD OF ADOPTION Date of Adoption: February 8, 2000. Date of Publication-Affidavit Attached: February 17, 2000. Paper of Publication: The Chelsea Standard Date of Filing Ordinance, Resolution and Affidavit with County Clerk: February 10, 2000.

LYNDON TOWNSHIP

PLUMBING INSPECTION ORDINANCE ORDINANCE NO. 35

AN ORDINANCE TO DESIGNATE THE TOWNSHIP OF LYNDON AS THE EN FORCING AGENCY UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE STATE CONSTRUCTION CODE ACT, ACT NO. 230 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1972, AS AMENDED; TO FORMALLY ADOPT THE STATE CONSTRUCTION CODE; TO REPEAL ALL INCONSISTENT ORDINANCES.

THE TOWNSHIP OF LYNDON, WASHTENAW COUNTY, MICHIGAN, ORDAINS: SECTION I. AGENCY DESIGNATED. Pursuant to the provision of the Michigan Plumbing Code, in accordance with section 9 of Act 230, of the Public Acts of 1972: as amended, the Plumbing Official of the Township of Lyndon is hereby designated as the enforcing agency to discharge the responsibility of the Township of Lyndon under Act 230, of the Public Acts of 1972, as amended, State of Michigan, The Township of Lyndon assumes responsibility for the administration and enforcement of said Act throughout its corporate limits. The Township of Lyndon hereby adopts the State Construction Code as the standard under which it carries out enforcement under Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1972.

SECTION II. REPEALS. All ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this

ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION III. PUBLICATION. This ordinance shall be effective after legal publication and in accordance with provisions of the Act governing the same. Janis Knieper, Lyndon Township Clerk

STATE OF MICHIGAN COUNTY OF WASHTENAW 188

I, JANIS KNIEPER, Lyndon Township Clerk, do hereby certify that the above ordinance was adopted by roll call vote of the Lyndon Township Board on the 8, day of February, 2000, upon motion of Member Francis, seconded by Member Shanahan, AYES: 5 (Noah, McMurray, Francis, Knieper and Shanahan

I, further certify that said Ordinance was adopted in accordance with the Open veetings Act.

JANIS KNIEPER LYNDON TOWNSHIP CLERK

Janis Knieper, Clerk

Dated: February 9, 2000

NOTICE OF ORDINANCE ADOPTION
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above Ordinance was adopted by the Lyndon fownship Board on February 8, 2000. The above is the full text of the Ordinance.

The effective date is February 18, 2000. A copy of the Ordinance may be purchased or inspected at the Lyndon Township Cierk's office, 17751, N. Territorial Road, Chelsea, MI 48118, by appointment with the Clerk or deputy, telephone 734-475-2401, Monday through Friday, except for legal holidays.

Dated: February 9, 2000. RECORD OF ADOPTION

Date of Adoption: February 8, 2000.

Date of Publication-Affidavit Attached: February 17, 2000. Paper of Publication: The Cheisea Standard Date of Filing Ordinance, Resolution and Affidavit with-

County Clerk: February 10, 2000. Date of Filing Ordinance in Township Book of Ordinances: February 9, 2000.

WEBSTER TOWNSHIP SEEKING BIDS

SOURCES SOUGHT

Webster Township is seeking bids for interior modifications to the Township Hall at 5665 Webster Church Road. The successful bidder will prepare required drawings, acquire permits, and furnish all labor and material to accomplish the interior changes in accordance with written and verbal specifications, interested parties should contact the Township at (734) 428-5103 between 8:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M. Monday through Friday to arrange for a meeting with the Township Supervisor Dean F. Fisher

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VILLAGE OF CHELSEA SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 2000

Present: President Steele, Clerk Zatorski, Village Manager Myers Trustees Present: Cashman, Hammer, Myles, Orthring Trustees Absent: MacLeod, and Rauschenberger

Others Present M. Foster, M. Phillips, S. Morrison, G. Beeman. President Steele called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m.

Motion by Trustee Ortbring, seconded by Trustee Hammer to approve the regular: agenda. All Ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Orthring, seconded by Cashman, that the Village purchase AccuVote equipment and training from Doubleday Bros. & Co. with the purchase not to exceed \$5,404. Additionally, payment terms are to be explored. Roll Call: Ayes (Trustees Cashman, Hammer, Myles, Ortbring and President Steele), 0 Nays, 2 Absent

(Trustees MacLeod and Rauschenberger). Motion carried.

Motion by Trustee Orthring, seconded by Trustee Myles that the Council go Into Closed Session for the purpose of discussing union negotiations and attorney/client

Out of closed session, motion by Trustee Hammer, seconded to Trustee Orthring to adjourn. All Ayes. Motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:59 p.m.

Frances E. Zatorski, Clerk

DEXTER TOWNSHIP BOARD OF REVIEW

Notice is hereby given to all persons liable to assessment for taxes in the Township of Dexter that the Assessment Roll of said Township as prepared by Larry Merte, Township Assessor, will be reviewed by the Board of Review on Tuesday. March 7, 2000, at 5:00 p.m. at:

DEXTER TOWNSHIP HALL 6880 DEXTER-PINCKNEY RD. **DEXTER, MI. 48130**

Appeals and conferences with taxpayers will be heard on: Monday, March 13, 2000 - from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Thursday, March 16, 2000 - from 3:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

A resident taxpayer may file his or her protest with the Board of Review by letter without an appearance by the taxpayer or his or her agent. A letter must be received by the first day of the Board of Review. (Monday, March 7, 2000).

The Dexter Township Board of Review will hear appeals by appointment. Taxpayers or their agents may set the appointment by calling the Township Hall at (734) 426-3767, Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Please call prior to March 7, 2000. DO NOT leave appointment request on the answering machine at the Township Hall.

> Robert L. Tetens, **Dexter Township Supervisor**

LIMA TOWNSHIP **BOARD OF REVIEW**

Notice is hereby given to all persons liable to assessment for taxes in the Township of Lima that the Assessment Roll of sald Township as prepared by Marci Betts, Township Assessor, will be reviewed by the Board of Review on Tuesday, March 7, 2000, at 5:00 p.m. at the Lima Township Hall, 11452 Jackson Road,

| | Classification | Ratio | Factor |
|-----|----------------|-------|--------------------|
| | Agricultural | 40.02 | 1.24937 |
| | Commercial | 47.16 | 1.06022 |
| | Industrial | 49.88 | 1.00240 |
| • 7 | Residential | 46.23 | 1.08154 |
| | Development | 39.99 | 1.25031 |

March 13, 2000 from 9:00 A.M. to 12:00 Noon Monday,

March 13, 2000 from 1:00 P.M. to 4:00 P.M. Monday. March 14, 2000 from 1:00 P.M. to 4:00 P.M. Tuesday. March 16, 2000 from 6:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M. Thursday,

A resident taxpayer may file his or her protest with the Board of Review by letter without an appearance by the taxpayer or his or her agent, A letter must be received by the first day of the Board of Review. (Monday, March 13, 2000. The Lima Township Board of Réview will hear appeals by appointment.

Taxpayers or their agents may set the appointment by calling the Township Hall at (734) 475-2246, Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday, 9:00 A.M. to 12:00 noon. Please call prior to March 13, 2000. DO NOT leave appointment requests on the answering machine at the Township Hall.

Gary Adams, Lima Township Supervisor

LYNDON TOWNSHIP **BUILDING INSPECTION ORDINANCE ORDINANCE NO. 32**

AN ORDINANCE TO DESIGNATE THE TOWNSHIP OF LYNDON AS THE EN-FORCING AGENCY UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE STATE CONSTRUCTION CODE ACT, ACT NO. 230 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1972, AS AMENDED; TO FORMALLY ADOPT THE STATE CONSTRUCTION CODE: TO REPEAL ALL INCONSISTENT ORDINANCES.

THE TOWNSHIP OF LYNDON, WASHTENAW COUNTY, MICHIGAN, ORDAINS: SECTION L. AGENCY DESIGNATED. Pursuant to the provision of the Michigan Building Code, in accordance with section 9 of Act 230, of the Public Acts of 1972 as amended, the Building Official of the Township of Lyndon is hereby designated as the enforcing agency to discharge the responsibility of the Township of Lyndon under Act 230, of the Public Acts of 1972, as amended, State of Michigan. The Township of Lyndon assumes responsibility for the administration and enforcement of said Act throughout its corporate limits. The Township of Lyndon hereby adopts the State Construction Code as the standard under which it carries out enforcement under Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1972.

SECTION II. REPEALS. All ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION:III. PUBLICATION. This ordinance shall be effective after legal publi-

cation and in accordance with provisions of the Act governing the same. Janie Knieper, Lyndon Township Clerk

STATE OF MICHIGAN)
COUNTY OF WASHTENAW)ss

I, JANIS KNIEPER, Lyndon Township Clerk, do hereby certify that the above ordinance was adopted by roll call vote of the Lyndon Township Board on the 8, day of February, 2000, upon motion of Member Francis, seconded by Member Shanahan. AYES: 5 (Francis, Shanahan, McMurray, Knieper and Noah NAYES: 0

I, further certify that said Ordinance was adopted in accordance with the Open Meetings Act.

JANIS KNIEPER LYNDON TOWNSHIP CLERK

Dated: February 9, 2000

NOTICE OF ORDINANCE ADOPTION PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above Ordinance was adopted by the Lyndon

Township Board on February 8, 2000. The above is the full text of the Ordinance. The effective date is February 18, 2000.

A copy of the Ordinance may be purchased or inspected at the Lyndon Township Clerk's office, 17751, N. Territorial Road, Chelsea, MI 48118, by appointment with the Clerk or deputy, telephone 734-475-2401, Monday through Friday, except for legal holidays.

Janis Knieper, Clerk Dated: February 9, 2000. RECORD OF ADOPTION

Date of Adoption: February 8, 2000. Date of Publication-Affidavit Attached: February 17, 2000.

Paper of Publication: The Chelsea Standard Date of Filing Ordinance, Resolution and Affidavit with

County Clerk: February 10, 2000. Date of Filing Ordinance in Township Book of Ordinances: February 9, 2000.

LIMA TOWNSHIP

ORDINANCE NO. 16 LIMA TOWNSHIP BUILDING INSPECTION ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE TO DESIGNATE THE TOWNSHIP OF LIMA AS THE ENFORC-ING AGENCY UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE STATE CONSTRUCTION CODE ACT, ACT NO. 230 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1972, AS AMENDED; TO FORMALLY ADOPT THE STATE CONSTRUCTION CODE; TO REPEAL ALL INCONSISTENT ORDINANCES.

THE TOWNSHIP OF LIMA, WASHTENAW COUNTY, MICHIGAN, ORDAINS: SECTION I. AGENCY DESIGNATED. Pursuant to the provision of the Michigan Building Code, in accordance with section 9 of Act 230, of the Public Acts of 1972, as amended, the Building Official of the Township of LIMA is hereby designated as the enforcing agency to discharge the responsibility of the Township of LIMA under Act 230, of the Public Acts of 1972; as amended, State of Richigan. The Township of LIMA assumes responsibility for the administration and enforcement of said Act throughout its corporate limits. The Township of LIMA hereby adopts the State Construction Code as the standard under which it carries out enforcement under Act

230 of the Public Acts of 1972.

SECTION II. REPEALS. All ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this

ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION III. PUBLICATION. This ordinance shall be effective after legal publication and in accordance with provisions of the Act governing the same.

This Ordinance was duly adopted by the Township of LIMA at its regular meeting called and held on the 7th day of February, 2000, and was ordered given publication in the manner required by law.

Arlene R. Bareis, Clerk LIMA Township

Passage Date: February 7, 2000 Publication Date: February 17, 2000 Effective Date: February 17, 2000

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LYNDON TOWNSHIP **ELECTRICAL INSPECTION ORDINANCE ORDINANCE NO. 33**

AN ORDINANCE TO DESIGNATE THE TOWNSHIP OF LYNDON AS THE EN-FORCING AGENCY UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE STATE CONSTRUCTION CODE ACT, ACT NO. 230 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1972, AS AMENDED; TO FORMALLY ADOPT THE STATE CONSTRUCTION CODE; TO REPEAL ALL INCONSISTENT ORDINANCES.

THE TOWNSHIP OF LYNDON, WASHTENAW COUNTY, MICHIGAN, ORDAINS: SECTION I. AGENCY DESIGNATED. Pursuant to the provision of the Michigan Electrical Code, in accordance with section 9 of Act 230, of the Public Acts of 1972, as amended, the Electrical Official of the Township of Lyndon is hereby designated as the enforcing agency to discharge the responsibility of the Township of Lyndon under Act 230, of the Public Acts of 1972, as amended, State of Michigan. The Township of Lyndon assumes responsibility for the administration and enforcement of said Act throughout its corporate limits. The Township of Lyndon hereby adopts the State Construction Code as the standard under which it carries out enforcement under Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1972.

SECTION II. REPEALS. All ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION III. PUBLICATION. This ordinance shall be effective after legal publication and in accordance with provisions of the Act governing the same. Janis Knieper, Lyndon Township Clerk

STATE OF MICHIGAN COUNTY OF WASHTENAW)88

I, JANIS KNIEPER, Lyndon Township Clerk, do hereby certify that the above ordinance was adopted by roll call vote of the Lyndon Township Board on the 8, day of February, 2000, upon motion of Member Francis, seconded by Member Shanahan. AYES: 5 (Shanahan, McMurray, Knieper, Noah and Francis

I, further certify that said Ordinance was adopted in accordance with the Open Meetings Act.

JANIS KNIEPER LYNDON TOWNSHIP CLERK

Dated: February 9, 2000 NOTICE OF ORDINANCE ADOPTION

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above Ordinance was adopted by the Lyndon Township Board on February 8, 2000.

The above is the full text of the Ordinance. The effective date is February 18, 2000.

'A copy of the Ordinance may be purchased or inspected at the Lyndon Township Clerk's office, 17751, N. Territorial Road, Chelsea, Mr 48118, by appointment with the Clerk or deputy, telephone 734-475-2401, Monday through Friday, except for legal holidays. Janis Knieper, Clerk

Dated: February 9, 2000. **RECORD OF ADOPTION**

Date of Adoption: February 8, 2000. Date of Publication-Affidavit Attached: February 17, 2000.

Paper of Publication: The Chelsea Standard Date of Filing Ordinance, Resolution and Affidavit with

County Clerk: February 10, 2000.

Date of Filing Ordinance in Township Book of Ordinances: February 9, 2000.

SYLVAN TOWNSHIP REGULAR BOARD MEETING MINUTES - LEBRUARY 1, 2000

The regular board meeting of the Sylvan Township Board was held February 1, 2000 at 7 P.M. In the Sylvan Township Hall, 18027 Old US 12, Chelsea, MI 48118. The following board members were present: Supervisor Dresselhouse, Clerk Koch, Trustee Heller and Trustee Lesser, Absent Treasurer Grau.

Also present David Koetsler of the Michigan State Police, Rebecca Head of Washtenaw County and a number of County Inspectors, Charles Burgess and a group of concerned residents regarding the by-pass.

Minutes were approved as presented. Motion by Lesser, seconded by Heller to pay bills as presented. Carried.

David Koetsier of the Michigan State Police - Chelsea Detachment introduced himself to the Board and the audience. At the request of Lt. Beth Moranty, Koetsler has been asked to attend Township board meetings and have more contact with the West side of Washtenaw County. Koetsier presented the Board with a Dispatch information sheet for 1999 and hopes to occupy the Sylvan Township office very soon.

Rebecca Head from the Washtenaw County Building Department was present with a number of County inspectors to make a presentation on the County Building Department services. Head stated the County would like to continue serving Sylvan Township and the surrounding townships with Building and Inspection services. Head also stated she would return to the Township regarding other services in future.

Elizabeth Wilson read a letter signed by several Township residents regarding the proposed M-52 western re-route. The letter ask the board to hold a public meeting to discuss the Issue of opposition to the proposed M-52 western re-route. Several other residents expressed concerns. The Board will determine a date for the public meeting and contact Ms. Wilson and notify in the Chelsea Standard.

A Public Hearing was held for Century-Tel Michigan Network, L.L.C. for a permit to install fiber optic ducts through Sylvan Township. Steve Terrell from Mid-States was present to inform the Board that new plans with a new route would be coming to the Township. The review will not begin until the new plans are received. The Board will make a decision at the March meeting.

Zoning Inspector Burgess reported 2 Certificate of Occupancy, 8 complaints and 3 violations in January.

Supervisor Dresselhouse reported on the I-73 Highway meeting on February 9th. The Temporary Dwelling issued to Jim Uphaus March 4, 1999 was discussed. To date there has been nothing done on the proposed new house. The permit expires March 4, 2000. Motion by Heller, seconded by Lesser to recommend rescinding the temporary dwelling permit for not fulfilling due diligence on building the new house on date of expiration. Carried.

Motion by Heller, seconded by Koch to appoint Trustee Lesser as the alternate for the relocated M-52 committee to replace Trustee Heller. Carried. Motion by Lesser, seconded by Heller to not oppose annexation of Donna Lane's

and Otto Riegger's land into the Village. Carried. Motion by Koch, seconded by Heller to adopt the Salary Resolution. Carried. ser, seconded by Koch to adopt ing the Chelsea Area Construction Agency. Carried.

Motion by Heller, seconded by Koch to enter close session at 8:15 P.M. to discuss pending litigation. Carried. Open session returned at 9:00 RM.

Motion by Lesser, seconded by Heller to approve the Consent Judgement for the Montange lawsuit. Carried. The Board will hold the public meeting February 15th, at 7:30 p.m. at the Svivan Township Hall regarding the request from concerned residents regarding the west-

ern re-route of M-52. Motion by Koch, seconded by Lesser to adjourn.

LuAnn S. Koch Sylvan Township Clerk

LIMA TOWNSHIP **ELECTION NOTICE**

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN ELECTION WILL BE HELD IN SAID GOVERNMENTAL UNIT ON TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2000

FROM 7:00 A.M. TO 8:00 P.M.

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Presidential Primary for the Office of President of the United States POLLING PLACES ARE LOCATED AS FOLLOWS and all are accessible by handicapped: LIMA TOWNSHIP HALL, 11452 Jackson Road, Cheisea, Michigan Published in compliance with MCL 168.498(3). Date: February 4, 2000

Arlene R. Bareis, Clerk

LYNDON TOWNSHIP **BOARD OF REVIEW** NOTICE OF MEETING

Notice is hereby given to all persons liable to assessment for taxes in the TOWNSHIP OF LYNDON

County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan
That the Assessment Roll of said Township will be reviewed by the Board of Review on Tuesday, March 7, 2000 at 7:00 P.M.
LYNDON TOWNSHIP HALL

17751 N. Territorial Road Appeals and conferences with texpayers will be heard BY APPOINTMENT MONDAY, MARCH 13, 2000

9 A.M. - Noon and 1:00 P.M. - 4:00 P.M. WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15, 2000 1:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M. and 6:00 P.M. - 8:00 P.M. A taxpayer may file his or her protest with the Board of Review by letter without

an appearance by the taxpayer or his or her agent. A letter must be received by the first day of the Board of Review (Monday, March 13, 2000).

The Lyndon Township Board of Review will hear appeals BY APPOINTMENT. Taxpayers or their agents may set the appointment by calling the Township Hatle at (734) 475-2401 on Tuesday through Friday, March 7 thru March 10 between 1 P.M. and 4 P.M. Please call by March 10, 2000 for an appointment. DO NOT leave

appointment requests on the answering machine at the Township Hall.

Such Assessment Roll as reviewed and approved by said Board of Review will be the Assessment Roll of Lyndon Township for the year 2000. MARYANN NOAH

Lyndon Township Supervisor

VILLAGE OF CHELSEA REGULAR COUNCIL MELTING AMOUTES

Present: President Steele, Clerk Zatorski, Village Manager Myers Trustees Present: Cashman, Hammer, MacLeod, Myles, Ortbring, and Rauschenberger

TUESDAY, JANUARY 25, 2000

Others Present: J. Drolett, D. Lane, J. Frank, G. Silverio, A. Feeney, J. Silver

President Steele called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.

Motion by Trustee Hammer, seconded by Trustee4 Myles to approve the Consent Agenda with the following change to the minutes of the regular Council meeting of Tuesday, January 25, 2000:

Page 2, Paragraph 12, 1st Sentence should read: Trustee Orthring gave a brief summary of what the purpose of the Committee was (1. Should the Police and Fire Departments be housed together - yes; and 2. Can they go into the current facility -6 Ayes (Trustees Cashman, Hammer, MacLeod, Myles and President Steele, 1

Nay (Trustee Ortbring), 0 Absent, Motion carried. Motion by Trustee Hammer, seconded by Trustee Orthring to approve the Regular Agenda with the following changes: ss: The Work Session held 1/19/00

Discuss: Future use of the Papo property New Business: Add: Chelsea Community Hospital's request to apply for a lottery license renewal from the State of Michigan

7 Ayes, 0 Nays, 0 Absent. Motion carried. Trustee Hammer reported that the Fire Authority would meet on January 26,

Trustee Orthring reported that the CATS board had interviewed two people for the

Trustee Myles referred the Council members to the letter from the DDA to David T. Howard, Real Estate Specialist for the United States Postal Service stating how important it is that the Post Office maintain its service location in the downtown area. President Steele reminded everyone that a public hearing regarding the question: of the expansion of the Post Office and the need for it to remain downtown will be held on Tuesday, February 8, 2000.

President Steele said that the next meeting of the M52 Bypass will be held January 28, 2000. J. Drolett reported that the Chelsea Planning Commission would hold a work ses-

sion on Tuesday, February 01, 2000, at the Village Offices. A. Feeney reported that the due diligence on the Mitchell property had been completed by the DDA. Trustee MacLeod reported on the work session held with business owners re-

garding the Gateway overlay and Ordinance. President Steele said another work session is planned for the end of February and that he has suggested to the Strader Group that they do a fact sheet addressing the points brought up that the work session on January 19, 2000. It was sug-

gested that residents of the area attend that meeting as well as the business own-Trustee MacLeod said that he would like to see a deed restriction put on the 25 acres purchased for wells, so that the property would be used as parkland in the

J. Machnik presented his request for approval for a lot split at the end of Gene Drive. He said he had requested a Certificate of Compliance from J. Drolett and had been told that he needed to make a request from the Council for a lot split before he could get a certificate.

Discussion followed regarding the upgrade of Gene Drive and its maintenance. J. Machnik pointed out that at the November 9, 1999, meeting of the Council approval was given to Thurkow and Thompson for lot splits without any mention of maintenance of Machnik Drive.

Motion by Trustee Hammer, seconded by Trustee Myles, that the Council would like to correct an oversight on the November 9, 1999, motion granting Harry Thurkow and Al Thompson two building sites each on Machnik Drive with the condition that they bring Machnik Drive up to the County Gravel Road Standards. The intent was also that Gene Drive will have to meet the same County Gravel Road Standards up to the entrance of Machnik Drive and that should the development of the so called Farley property proceed to Village standards, Thurkow and Thompson would be responsible for Gene Drive up to Machnik from the point of that new development. Additionally there needs to be a maintenance agreement with Thompson and Thurkow relative to keeping the road to the County Standards as long as they own those properties. 6 Ayes (Trustees Hammer, MacLeod, Myles, Ortbring, Rauschenberger and President Steele), 1 Nay (Trustee Cashman), 0 Absent.

Motion by Trustee Hammer, seconded by Trustee Myles, that the Council grant Jim Machnik the ability to have a lot split on his property at the end of Gene Drive meeting the 400 foot road frontage requirement under the condition that Gene Drive be brought up to the County Gravel Road Standards as they are being adopted in the pending RSA district and recognizing with the motion that a developer may develop Gene Drive down to the creek and that Thurkow and Thompson may develop Gene Drive down to the Machnik Road entrance. Additionally, a road maintenance agreement be developed with Mr. Machnik covering that portion Gene Drive. 6 Ayes (Trustees Hammer, MacLeod, Myles, Ortbring, Rauschenberger and President Steele), 1 Nay (Trustee Cashman), 0 Absent. Motion carried.

the request to place a stop sign on West Middle Street at Grant Street slow traffic and create a safer place for children and other pedestrians to cross. Discussion followed regarding the report from Police Chief MacDougal stating that a stop sign would be more effective on West Middle at Hayes.

Motion by Trustee MacLeod, seconded by Trustee Rauschenberger to approved

The motion and second were withdrawn. Motion by Trustee MacLeod, seconded by Trustee Rauschenberger that the Council give this question to Chief MacDougal and Dave Bulson for their recommendations as to the best solution to this problem at which time it will be returned to Council for action. 7 Ayes, 0 Nay, 0 Absent. Motion carried.

It was the recommendation of the Council that the question of parking on the south side of Washington Street be returned to the Chief of Police for further study, and that the question be placed on the agenda of the February 8, 2000, meeting of

Motion by Trustee Cashman, seconded by Trustee Hammer that the request from Ameritech to place Fiber Warning Posts within the Chelses Village limits be denied. 7 Ayes, 0 Nay, 0 Absent. Motion carried.

Motion by Trustee Hammer, seconded by Trustee Cashman that the Council approve reappointment of Paul Frisinger, Frank Renton and Sheridan Springer to four-year terms on the Chelsea Downtown Development Authority Board of Directors. Discussion followed. 5 Ayes (Trustees Cashman, Hammer, MacLeod, Orthring and President Steele),

2 Nays (Trustees Myles and Rauschenberger), 0 Absent. Motion carried.

President Steele), 0 Nay, 0 Absent. Motion carried.

approve the Chelsea Community Hospital request for application for a lottery license renewal from the State of Michigan. 7 Ayes, 0 Nay, 0 Absent. Motion carried. Motion by Trustee Hammer, seconded by Trustee Cashman that the Council go into closed session for the purpose of discussing union negotiations. Roll call: Ayes (Trustees Cashman, Hammer, MacLeod, Myles, Orthring, Rauschenberger and

Motion by Trustee Cashman, seconded by Trustee Hammer that the Council

Out of closed session, motion by Trustee Orthring, seconded by Trustee Hammer to adjourn. 7 Ayes, 0 Nay, 0 Absent. Motion carried. The meeting was adjourned at 9:50 p.m.

Frances E. Zatorski, Clerk

The Chelsen Standard

Maya Place brings Southwest to life

By Clare Bauer **Business Writer**

Almost everyone has some favorite gift that reminds them that somebody special was thinking of them. Sometimes it's for the child who has a collection of dolls of glass ani-

There's a place in town that really caters to that kind of thinking. If you want a special gift for someone, try Maya Place on Main Street in Chel-

Fifteen years ago, Joan Santana opened her first store in Ann Arbor. In November 1990. she and her husband, Joe, bought the building that now houses Maya Place.

Joe, a master carpenter,

renovated the building which was originally constructed in the 1860s. Using vintage materials, including wood recycled from old barns in the Chelsea area, Joe rebuilt the old building. The original tin ceiling was cleaned and restored; a whole new facelist was given to the building's exterior. The final result not only preserved a very special and historic building, it made a perfect showplace for the outstanding collection of folk art that now graces it.

Joan lived for several years in the American Southwest, where she developed a deep love and appreciation for Native American crafts. Everything from Sioux pottery to tiny ocarinas (the oldest known flute in the world). medicine wheels, dream catchers, tiny good-luck fetishes, beautiful Kachina dolls crafted by the Hopi and Zuni Indians, breathtaking Pueblo pottery and Native American baskets, Milagros and Koko-Peli flute players — the store is filled with eye-catching displays that pique your curios-

Native Americans have always been known as spiritual people. All their art reflects some deeply held belief, and part of enjoying the pieces is learning their history. For instance, take the Squash-Blossom necklace.

When a young Navajowoman reaches womanhood, her father presents her with a Squash Blossom necklace. These lovely pieces of jewelry are made of silver and vary greatly from simple to elaborate. Semi-precious stones, including turquoise, are part of the settings. The imagery of the squash, which grows more prolifically in a garden than any other vegetable, is to insure that the daughter will always have more than enough in life. At the very bottom of the necklace is an ancient symbol called the Napa, which represents the arms of the Great Spirit encircling the daughter and forever protecting her.

Upon marriage, the husband presents the woman with a full-sized necklace even more elaborate that the original one. With the giving of the necklace, the bridegroom promises to care for his bridge for the rest of her life.

Fetishes are fascinating. These hand-carved objects represent the spirit of animals or the forces of nature. From the earliest times in North America, the Indians have used fetishes in an effort to master the arbitrary and unpredictable force beyond their control.

Tiny carved animals represent characteristics which the owner of the stone wants to become a part of his life. The heart of a wolf or lion, the industry of the beaver, a frog fetish representing fertility because of the hundreds of tadpoles they produce and the grace of a mountain goat are just a small sampling to be seen in Maya Place.

Artistically carved from turquoise, coral, and shell, as well as marble, travertine, malachite and woods, each fetish comes with its own history written on a small attached card. There is small bowl you can purchase in which you can keep your fetishes. Perhaps you might want to start your grandchild's collection of these delightful objects.

From the 1700s through the 1800s, Navajo women wove

blankets that became highly prized and traded throughout the Southwest. With the introduction of machine-made cloth and clothing, weaving declined sharply. Even for the weaver, it was more economical to buy the fabric or blanket, rather than weave a blanket for personal use. That began to change in the 1880s when the Southwest began to open up to tourist travel and traders saw an exciting new market for Navajo weavings.

Traders sought weavings for floor use, so the Navajo turned to weaving heavier rugs. Changes in patterns and colors, large geometrical designs with borders and the addition of dozens of new colors were added to the weavers' palettes.

Today, over a hundred dye recipes, using a wide variety of berries, roots, flowers and a range of mordants which 'set' the dye to prevent running, are in wide use.

Navajo rugs are justly famous not only for their beauty, but for their durability as well. It is the handspun yarn with its lanolin, which the traditional process leaves in the wool, that helps give the rugs their strength. Rugs woven with commercially cleaned and spun yarn do not wear as

The craft of rug weaving is

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still being practiced by older craftswomen today; it is still being taught to a younger generation who carry on the tradition. Real Navajo rugs are like the fine antiques; as they age, they become more valuable.

Used both as wall hangings and floor coverings, the collection at Maya is remarkable.

Originally, Maya Place specialized in Mexican Indian folk art; hence the name "Maya."

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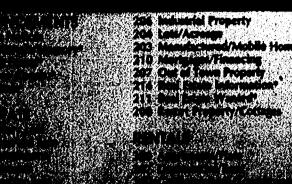
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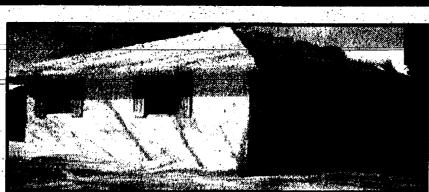


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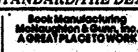
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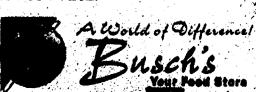
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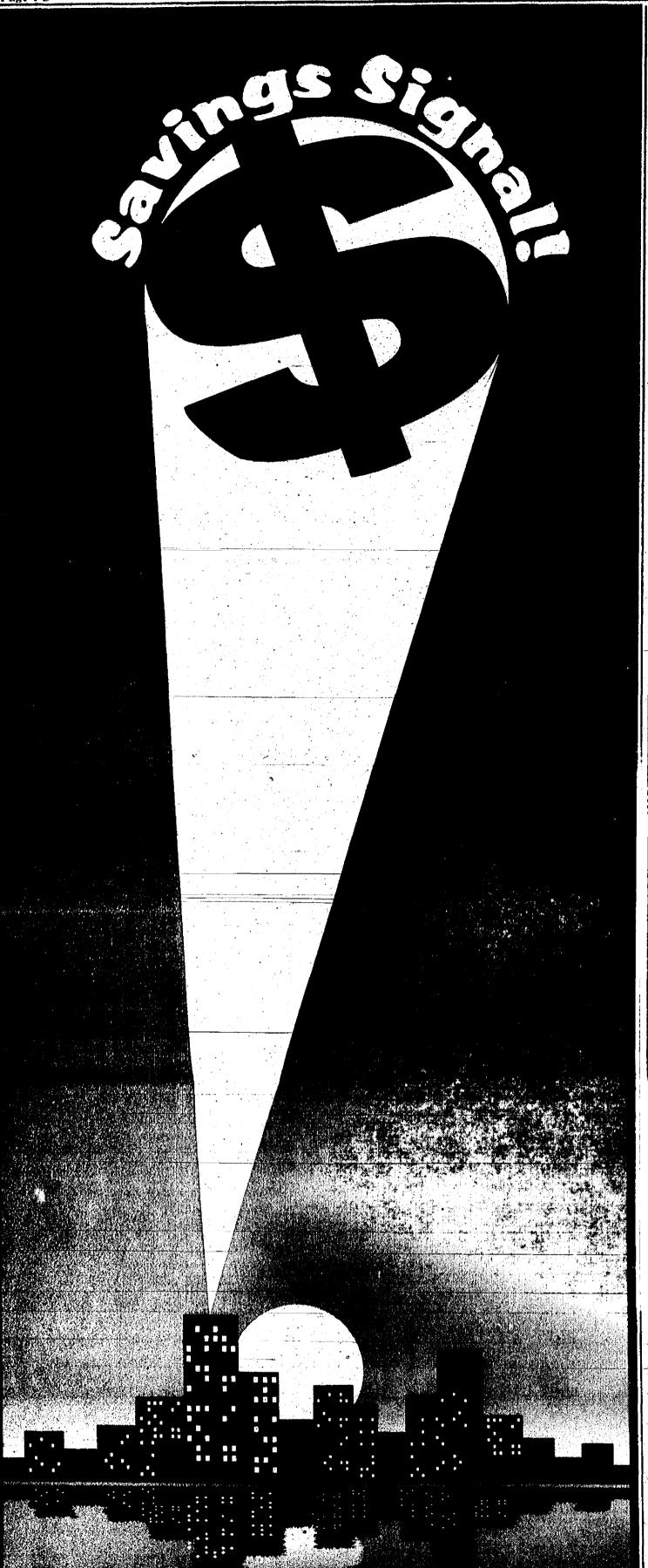
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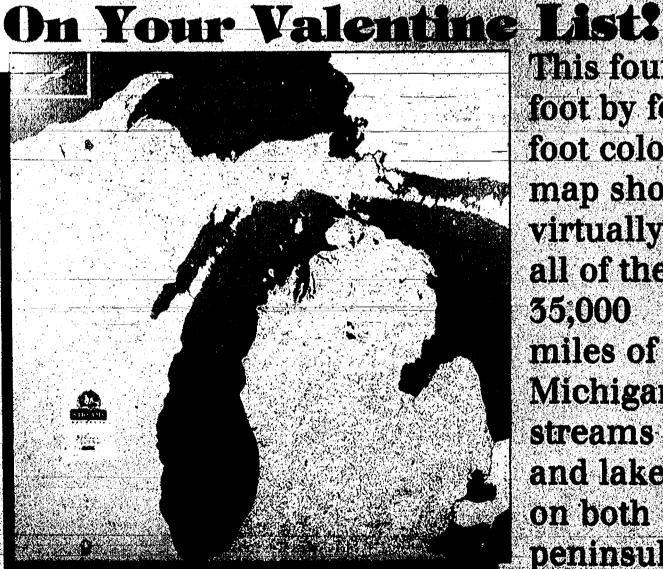
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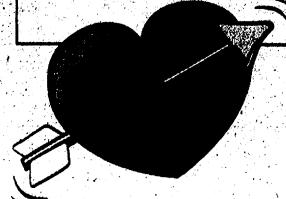


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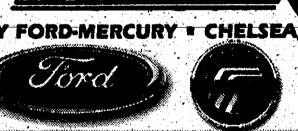
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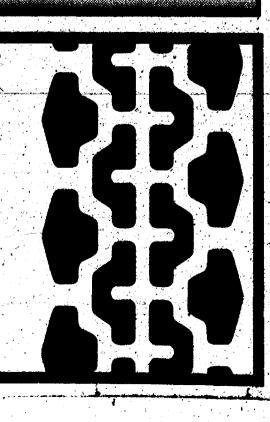
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Chelsea Christian Fellowship 337 Wilkinson St. (734) 475-8305

John Dambacher, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Worship Service. 10 a,m.; Evening Service 6 p.m.

Faith Baptist Faith-In-Action Bldg. Main St., Chelsea (734) 475-7841 Jack Story, Pastor Sunday: Worship, 10:30 a.m., 6 p.m.

North Sharon Baptist Church 17999 Washburne Rd., Grass Lake (734) 428-7222 Bobby D. Toler, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Service,

7 p.m. Wednesday: Bible Study, 7 p.m.

<u>Catholic</u> St. Mary Catholic Church 14200 Old US-12, Chelsea (734) 475-7561 The Rev. Dr. William J. Turner Sunday Masses: Saturday, 4:30 p.m., Sunday, 8 and 10 a.m. Weekday Mass: 9 a.m. Confessions: Saturday, 12-1 p.m.

Church of Christ Church of Christ 13661 E. Old US-12, Chelsea (734) 475-8458 Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.; Evening Worship, 6 p.m. Wednesday: Bible study, 7 p.m.

<u>Church of the Nazarene</u> Church of the Nazarene 805 W. Middle St., in the Chelsea **Retirement Community Chapel** (temporarily) (734) 475-2526 Jeff Crowder, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m. Wednesday: Small groups, 7 p.m.

Episcopal St. Barnabas 20500 Old US-12, Chelsea (734) 475-8818 The Rev. Dr. Jerrold Beaumont Sunday: Christian Education, 10 a.m.: Services, 10 a.m. Wednesday: Services, 6:30 p.m.

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Free Methodist Chelsea Free Methodist 7665 Werkner Rd. (734) 475-1391 Mearl Bradley, Senior Pastor Larry Lyons, Associate Pastor Mikel Henderson, Pastor of Youth Ministries

Sunday: Traditional-worship: 8:30a.m.; Sunday School, 9:50 a.m.; Contemporary worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m. Wednesday: Mid-week services.

LutheranFaith Evangelical (WELS) 9575 North Territorial Rd., Dexter (734) 426-4302 or 426-8442 The Rev. Mark Porinsky Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Worship, 10 a.m.

Our Savior Lutheran 1515 S. Main St., Chelsea (734) 475-1404 The Rev. Dale Grimm Sunday: Heritage/Communion Worship, 8:15 a.m.; Education Hour, 9:30 a.m.; Celebration Service, 10:30 a.m; Evening Service, 6:30 p.m,

St. Jacob Evangelical 12501 Riethmiller Rd., Grass Lake 517-522-4187 The Rev. Paul Huebner Sunday: Sunday School and Bible Class, 9 a.m.; Worship, 10:15 a.m.

Zion Lutheran 3050 S. Fletcher Rd., Chelsea · (734) 475-8064 David Hendricks, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:15 a.m.; Communion Services, first and third Sundays of every month. Tuesday: Aerobics, 6:30 p.m.

Thursday: Aerobics, 6:30 p.m.

Methodist First United Methodist 128 Park St., Chelsea (734) 475-8119 The Rev. Richard Dake The Rev. Peggy R. Garrigues-

Cortelyou Sunday: Worship Services, 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m.; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.

Manchester United Methodist : Church. 501 Ann Arbor Rd., Manchester (734) 428-8495 The Rev. Dave Mulder

North Lake United -14111 North Territorial Rd. (734) 475-7569 The Rev. Wayne Hawley Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Fellowship, 11:30 a.m. Tuesday: Bible Study, 7:15 p.m.; Choir, 8 p.m.

Salem Grove United Methodist 3320 Notten Rd., Grass Lake (734) 475-2370

The Rev. Carolyn Harris and The Rev. Daniel Harris Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.: Worship, 10:30 a.m.

Sharon United Methodist Corner M-52 & Pleasant Lake Rd. (734) 428-8430 The Rev. Carter Garrigues-Cartelyou Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m.

Waterloo Village United Methodist Church Washington St., Waterloo Georgie Dack, Minister Sunday: Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.; Worship service, 11 a.m. Country Breakfast second Sunday each month. All you can eat. Free-will donation to Building Fund.

Chelsea Retirement Chapel 805 W. Middle St., Chelsea (734) 475-8633 The Rev. J. Gordon Schleicher Sunday: Worship service, 9:30 a.m.

<u>Mormon</u> Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints Gary Spooner, President 1330 Freer Rd., Chelsea (734) 475-1778 Sunday: Sacrament, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday school, 10:50 a.m.; Priest-

 ${\it Non-Denominational}$ Baha'i Faith 705 S. Main St., Chelsea (734) 475-2718 Monday: Devotional meeting. 7 p.m.

hood and Relief Society, 11:45 a.m.

Chelsea Hospital Ministry 775 S. Main St., Chelsea (734) 475-1311

Covenant Church Anthony Dickerson, Pastor 50 N. Freer Rd. (734) 475-2508 Sunday: Sunday School, 9:15 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m. Communion first Sunday of every month.

Immanuel Bible 145 E. Summit St., Chelsea (734) <u>475-8936</u> Ronald W. Clark, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 10:45; Evening small groups, 6 p.m. Wednesday: Prayer Service, 7 p.m.

Mt. Hope Bible Church 12884 Trist Rd., Grass Lake (517) 522-8182 Joseph O'Neill, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship, 6 p.m. Wednesday: Prayer Fellowship, 7

New Life Christian Center

Call for Location (734) 475-1147 Erik Hansen, Pastor Sunday: Worship, 11 a.m.

St. Vladimir Orthodox 9900 Jackson Rd., (734) 761-7311 The Rev. Father Paul Karas

Sunday and Holy Days: Divine liturgy, English and Slavonic, 10 a.m. <u>Presbuterian</u> Unadilla Presbyterian 20175 Williamsville Rd., Unadilla

Joh Qiu, Pastor

Sunday: Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m. First Presbyterian Church On the Square in Stockbridge M-52 and M-106 1-888-784-8128 Sunday: Worship, 11 a.m. Communion and pot luck first

Quaker Michigan Friends Center 7748 Clark Lake Rd., Chelsea Isabel Bliss, Pastor (734) 475-9976 Sunday: Unprogrammed meeting at 10 a.m., first Sunday of each month; all other Sundays,

Sunday of the month.

Wednesday: Worship, 6:45 p.m.

United Church of Christ Bethel Evangelical 10425 Bethel Church Rd. (734) 428-8000 The Rev. Richard Hardy First Congregational-Chelsea

121 E. Middle St. (734) 475-1844 The Rev. David Cleaver-. Bartholomew Sunday: Church school, 9 a,m.; Worship service, 10 a.m. Nursery provided for 10 a.m service.

St. John's (Roger's Corners) 12376 Waters Rd., Chelsea (517) 456-7661 The Rev. Nancy M. Doty Sunday: Sunday School and Worship, 9:30 a.m.

St. John's 270 Bohne Rd., Grass Lake Kris Abbey, Pastor Sunday: Worship and Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Communion first Sunday each month.

St. Paul

14600 Old US-12

(734) 475-2545 Interim Pastor, The Rev. Dr. Orval L.E. Willimann Sunday: Church school for all ages, 9:15 a.m.; Worship service, 10:30 a.m., Communion Service, every first Sunday of the month. Wednesday: Children's choir 6 p.m.

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CatholicSt. Joseph Catholic Fourth and Dover Streets, Dexter (734) 426-8483 The Rev. Brendan Walsh. Saturday: Weekend Liturgy, 5 p.m. Sunday: Liturgy, 8 a.m., 10 a.m. and 12 noon. Nursery open 10 a.m.-

noon. Episcopal St. James 3279 Broad St., Dexter (734) 426-8247 The Rev. David J. Horning Sunday: Holy Eucharist, 8 a.m. and 10 a.m.; Nursery and Sunday school, 10 a.m.

Lutheran Faith Lutheran (WELS) 9575 N. Territorial Rd. (734) 426-4302 Mark Porinsky, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m. Worship service, 10 a.m.

Peace Lutheran 6105 Jackson Rd., Birchwood Plaza (734)930-2324The Rev. Larry Courson Sunday: Worship 8:30 a.m.; AAL Meeting, 9:35 a.m.;

Celebration, 11 a.m.;

Prayer service, 7 p.m.

Methodist -Dexter United Methodist 7643 Huron River Dr., Dexter (734) 426-8480 The Rev. William Donahue, Senior Pastor The Rev. Fred Finzer. Associate Pastor Sunday: Worship, 8:30 and 11 a.m.

Presbuterian | Covenant Presbyterian 5171 Jackson Rd., Dexter (734) 761-1999 The Rev. Mark Vanderput Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Refreshments 10:20 a.m.: Worship, 10:45 a.m.

<u>Non-Denominational</u> Christian House of Prayer 9949 McGregor Rd. Between Dexter & Pinckney (734) 426-0933 Paul McKelvey, Elder

Ron Mannor, Elder Sunday: Worship, 10 a.m.; Sunday School, 11 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m. Thursday: Bible Study/Youth Group, 7:30 p.m.

Dexter Gospel 2253 Baker Rd., Dexter (734) 426-4915 John O'Dell, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship 10:30 a.m., 6 p.m.

New Hope Christian Fellowship 2207 Jackson Rd., Ann Arbor (734) 761-7303 Tim Wise, Pastor Sunday: Worship 10:30 a.m.

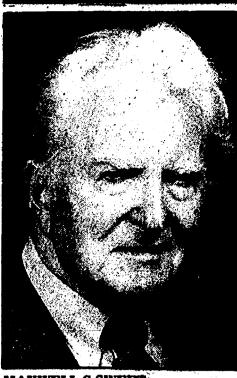
Scio Community Christian and Missionary Alliance 1293 N. Zeeb Rd., Ann Arbor (734) 662-7351 Steve Murray, Pastor Sunday: Worship service, 9 and 10:30 a.m., Jubilee adventure, ⊸10:30 a.m.:-

United Church of Christ St. Andrew's 7610 Ann Arbor St., Dexter (734) 426-8610 The Rev. Gary J. Kwiatek Sunday: Worship, 8:15 a.m.; Coffeetime, 9:30 a.m.; Worship and Sunday School, 10 a.m.

Webster United Church of Christ 5484 Webster Church Rd., Dexter (734) 426-5115 The Rev. LaVerne M. Gill Sunday: Holy Communion, 8:30 a.m.; Church School, 9:15 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m.

If your church is in the Chelsea/Dexter area and is not listed nere, piease caii us at (734) 475-1371. Church Secretaries: We need information about your next week's activities by Friday. Thank you.

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MAXWELL G SWEET Ann Arbor, formerly of Chelsea

Age 86, died Sunday, Feb. 13, 2000, at Hillside Terrace Retirement Residence in Ann Arbor after a long bout with Parkinson's disease. Max was born April 11, 1913, son of the late Glenn and Ethel (Mosure) Sweet in Carsonville.

He served as a captain in the U.S. Army Infantry in World War II, and was decorated with the Purple-Heart and two bronze battle stars. He received his master's degree in business administration from the University of Michigan in 1948, and went on to a successful career as a certified public accountant, retiring from Giffles Associates in 1978.

In the mid-'50s, Max served as mayor of Chelsea. He was a former chair of the Washtenaw chapter of the American Red Cross, and was a member of First Presbyterian Church of Ann Arbor. His life was characterized by devotion to his family and service to his commu-

Those who love and will miss him include his wife of 58 years Shirley (Payne) Sweet, daughter Rebecca Glenn Sweet and her husband Roland Loup; sons William Mosure Sweet, and Robert Elam Sweet and his wife Burgunda (Volger) Sweet; grandchildren Summer Alexis Sweet, Alexander Benedict Sweet, Aaron Maxwell Sweet and Nicholas William Sweet: brother Burton Jack Sweet of Sandusky; and numerous other relatives, neighbors, friends and business associates. His brothers Allan Sweet and William Melford Sweet preceded him in death.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, Feb. 16 at the First United Methodist Church in Chelsea with the Rev. Richard Dake and the Rev. David Krehbiel officiating. Visitation was Tuesday. Feb. 15. at the Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home, Chelsea, and at the church Wednesday until the hour of service. Memorial contributions may be made to the Parkinson's Disease Foundation, 710 W. 168th St., New York, N.Y., 10032-9982.

EVANGELINE MARIE SPARLING Chelsea, formerly of Detroit

Age 98, passed away Saturday, Feb. 12, 2000,

Evangeline and her husband Spud were associated for many years with Central Methodist Church in Detroit. In the years following, they operated several businesses, which continue to this day. Evangeline was energetic in love and loyalty to God, family,

church and friends. She was preceded in death by her husband of 50 years, Clarence Daniel "Spud" Sparling; two children, Robert Daniel Sparling and Helen Terpenning; and a grandson, Daniel. She is survived by her sister Bernice Cundy of Belle Fourche, S.D.; seven grandchildren, Robert, Peter, and Timothy

Sparling of Ann Arbor, the Rev. Peter Terpenning of Bay City, Margaret Terpenning of Ann Arbor, Sue Gay Collins of Marblehead, Mass. and Julie Sparling-Youtt of San Francisco; nine great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews in South Dakota and Washington

Private interment was in Oakland Hills Cemetery in Novi. Memorial services were held at the Chelsea Retirement Community. Memorial contributions may be made to Chelsea Methodist Retirement Community. Arrangements by Muchlig Funeral Chapel.

THOMAS H. PALMER Dexter

(Cooney) Palmer.

Age 74, died peacefully Saturday, Feb. 12, 2000, at University of Michigan Hospital. He was born on Jan. 1, 1926, in Ann Arbor, the son of Harold F. and Helen Louise

Thomas lived in the Dexterarea most of his life. He was a World War II veteran, and a former member of the American Legion in Ann Arbor. He was a selfemployed concrete contractor in Ann Arbor for 40 years. Thomas had a special talent for designing concrete form work, and introduced the use of lightweight cellular concrete in Michigan.

On Feb. 7, 1948, he married Kathleen R. Crosby in Ann Arbor, and she survives. Other survivors include five children, Kelly Thomas (Martina) Palmer of Washington state, William John (Sandra) Palmer of Grass Lake, Thomas Crosby Palmer of Lansing, Elizabeth Helen Palmer of Whitmore Lake, Sean Reino (Sania) Palmer of Michigan Center; four brothers, Louis Palmer of California, Richard "Dick" (Donna) Palmer of Williamsburg, Michael (Linda) Palmer of Tennessee, and Edward "Ned" (Donna) Palmer of Dexter; two sisters, Mary Helen (Earl) Degner of Chelsea and Patricia Ann (Harold) Chambers of Missouri; and five grandchildren.

Private burial was at St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery, Dexter. All arrangements by Cole Funeral Cha-

LINA REULE

Chelsea Age 92, died Tuesday, Feb. 8, 2000, at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital. She was born on June 13, 1907, in Sharon Township, the daughter of Charles and Louise (Troultz) Walker.

Lina lived in Chelsea and Grass Lake throughout her life. She was a member of North Sharon Baptist Church and was a member of the Rebekah Lodge for over 50 years.

On Aug. 14, 1940, she married Julius George Reule, and he preceded her in death on May 1, 1991. Survivors include her daughter Linda C. (Jim) Mangene-Hummel of Ada; two sons, William Lake of Jackson and Alan Harold of Gregory; two brothers-in-law, Paul "Babe" and William Reule; two grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by six brothers, Martin Ernie, Fred, Harry, Arthur and Thomas: and two sisters, Irene and Lillie.

Funeral services were held Friday, Feb. 11 at Cole Funeral Chapel, Chelsea, with the Rev. Bob Toler officiating. Burial followed at Oak Grove Cemetery, Chelsea. The family received friends Wednesday, Feb. 9, and Thursday, Feb. 10, with a Rebekah service Thursday, Feb. 10. Memorial contributions may be made to North Sharon Baptist Church.

ANNE BOEHMER KOSELKA Tucson, Ariz., formerly of Chelsea

Age 93, died Wednesday, Feb. 9. 2000, in Tucson. She was born

Feb. 3, 1907, in-Dearborn to Joseph and Margaret (Valerius) Boehmer. On Feb. 10, 1925, she married Frank J. Koselka, He preceded her in death on Jan. 1, 1977. Anne was a member of St. Odelia's Catholic Church in Tucson.

Anne is survived by two sons, William Koselka and his wife Judi of Ocala, Fla., and Harvey Koșelka and his wife Natalia of Adrian; one daughter, Anne Furguson and her husband John of Tucson; 12 grandchildren and 16 greatgrandchildren. In addition to her husband, Frank, she was preceded in death by her parents and 12 brothers and sisters.

The funeral liturgy for Anne was offered on Monday, Feb. 14, at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Adrian with the Rev. James Lothamer as celebrant. Interment was held on Tuesday, Feb. 15, in the Holy Sepulchre Cemetery in Detroit. Visitation was held on Monday, Feb. 14, until the time of service at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Adrian. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice. Envelopes are available at the Anderson Funeral Home in Adrian.



DILLMAN W. WAHL Grass Lake

Age 90, passed away Sunday, Feb. 13, 2000, in his home under the care of Hospice of Washtenaw and his family. He was born April 9, 1909, in Waterloo Township, the son of John and Carrie (Katz) Wahl. He lived in Waterloo for most of his

Dillman was a Past Master of Olive Lodge No. 156 and a member and Past Patron of the Order of the Eastern Star Lodge No. 108. He was also a member of the Chelsea First United Methodist Church and the Golden Anniversary Club. He founded Wahl Oil in 1957 and worked there until he retired in

On March 3, 1934, he married Ardea M. Loveland on the Loveland Farm, and she survives. Other survivors include two daughters Leah Herrick of Chelsea and Loretta (Richard) McMullin of Lancaster, Pa.; three grandchildren, Bryan (Kelly) Herrick, Jeryl Herrick and Erik (Mindy) Pannone; and three greatgrandchildren, Kristen and Kara Herrick and Kaley Pannone. He was preceded in death by three

brothers. Funeral services were held Wednesday, Feb. 16, at Cole Funeral Chapel, Chelsea, with the Rev. Jan Alford officiating. Burial followed at Mt. Hope Cemetery, Waterloo. The family received friends Tuesday, Feb. 15, with a Masonic service in the evening. Memorial contributions may be made to the Hospice of Washtenaw, or the First United Methodist Church of Chelsea.

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6. Chihuahua mix — female, must spay, over 10 lbs., abandoned, fawn, short hair.

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8. Dobe mix puppies — 2 vaccinated, 11 weeks. 9. Pumpkin — one-eyed

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nated, abandoned, must go. with Jack, deeply bonded with him. 11. Jack - Shih-tzu, neutered male, gray, vaccinated,

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