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Payeur takes Chelsea fire chief post

New chief accepts \$4,000 less than salary in Wisconsin

By Steve Ricci
Staff Writer

James Payeur has accepted a job as the Chelsea Area Fire Authority's new fire chief.

The Fire Authority Board offered Payeur the job last week.

Jamie Bollinger, chairman of the Fire Authority's Personnel, Policy and Procedures Committee, said Monday that Payeur verbally accepted a wage and benefit package offered by the Fire Board.

Payeur agreed to a \$61,000 annual salary as well as a benefit package that will total \$9,000 per year, Bollinger said.

Payeur said Monday that he is reviewing his contract and his benefit package, and that he is in the process of deciding whether to add co-pays to cover options in his benefits, such as health insurance and a retirement

fund. "I don't have a problem with anything, so far, that they've proposed," he said from his home in Green Bay, Wis.

Payeur, 51, is currently fire chief at the Allouez Fire Department, located near Green Bay, a job he has held since March 2003.

Before accepting that job, he was employed with the Pittsfield Township Fire Department from 1971 to 2003. He started his career there as a paid on-call firefighter and rose through the ranks to fire marshal.

Payeur currently earns an annual salary of \$65,000 with the Allouez Fire Department.

"He's taking a \$4,000 pay cut, and he's making the same salary as he had with the Pittsfield Township Fire Department, which shows his eagerness to come back to the area and to take on the Fire Authority's challenges," Bollinger said.

Payeur said he plans to leave his job in Allouez Nov. 18, and that he tentatively plans to start working for the Fire Authority Nov. 21.

Payeur and his wife were in Chelsea last weekend searching for a home to rent.

The couple has three grown children. One son, who lives in Ann Arbor, is a full-time firefighter with the Pittsfield Township Fire

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Customer Margaret McKemie (left) makes a transaction with teller Andrea Côté Tuesday at the Comerica Chelsea branch, located at Polly's Country Market, 1255 S. Main St. Comerica bank recently informed customers the branch would close Jan. 18, 2006. Accounts at the Chelsea branch will be transferred to a Comerica branch at 5370 Jackson Road in Scio Township.

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Comerica to close Chelsea branch

Customer accounts will be transferred to Zeeb Road branch

By Steve Ricci
Staff Writer

Comerica Bank recently informed local customers that the full-service Comerica Chelsea branch, located at Polly's Country Market, 1255 S. Main St. in Chelsea, would close Jan. 18, 2006.

Unless customers request otherwise, all accounts at the Chelsea location will be transferred to a Comerica branch at 5370 Jackson Road, near the intersection of Jackson and Zeeb roads in Scio Township.

With the move, there will be no Comerica automated teller machines or branches in Chelsea.

Comerica operates 18 offices in the Ann Arbor region, including Livingston County.

The Jackson Road branch offers what

the company describes as full-service banking, including bank tellers, an automated teller machine, checking, savings and investment accounts, as well as loan services.

Scott Talley, a Comerica Bank spokesman with the bank's corporate headquarters in downtown Detroit, provided vague reasons Monday for the decision to close the branch, using language similar to that included in an Oct. 14 letter to local customers.

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City extends permit for signs

Enforcement of ordinance will be held off until Dec. 31

By Steve Ricci
Staff Writer

The Chelsea City Council unanimously voted Oct. 25 to extend a temporary enforcement moratorium to Dec. 31 for the use of sandwich-board signs in the city.

The city's current zoning ordinance prohibits sandwich boards — a term used to describe collapsible sidewalk signs used for advertising — in commercial or industrial districts.

The ordinance stems mainly from per-

ceived aesthetic damage to the city's downtown, as well as potential liability issues with pedestrians being injured by the signs.

A number of local business owners, about 30 of whom attended the Oct. 25 meeting, have made pleas to the City Council to legalize use of the sandwich boards, saying that the signs dramatically increase customer traffic and sales during a struggling economy.

The City Council approved the enforcement moratorium June 28. The moratorium was set to expire Oct. 31.

The Oct. 31 deadline was set to ensure the signs would be removed from walkways before the onset of winter weather.

Although the Chelsea Retail Advisory

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A sandwich-board sign is displayed in front of Chelsea Market, 125 S. Main St. The Chelsea City Council voted last week to extend a temporary enforcement moratorium for the signs to Dec. 31.

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Steve Ricci



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30036, Lansing, MI 48909-7536. For more information, contact Brater's office toll free at 1-866-305-0318 or 1-517-373-2406, or e-mail senibrater@senate.michigan.gov. ■ **Author to sign novel at Cranesbill books:** Plymouth author Edward Draugellis will sign his new novel, "The God Symposium," from 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday at Cranesbill Books, 108 E. Middle St., in Chelsea.

Light refreshments will be served. The novel is described as an intellectually challenging thriller in which religious conservatives try to silence controversial views of God, Jesus and Muhammad. Draugellis practices law in Plymouth, and "The God Symposium" is his first published novel. For more information, call Cranesbill Books at 433-2665.

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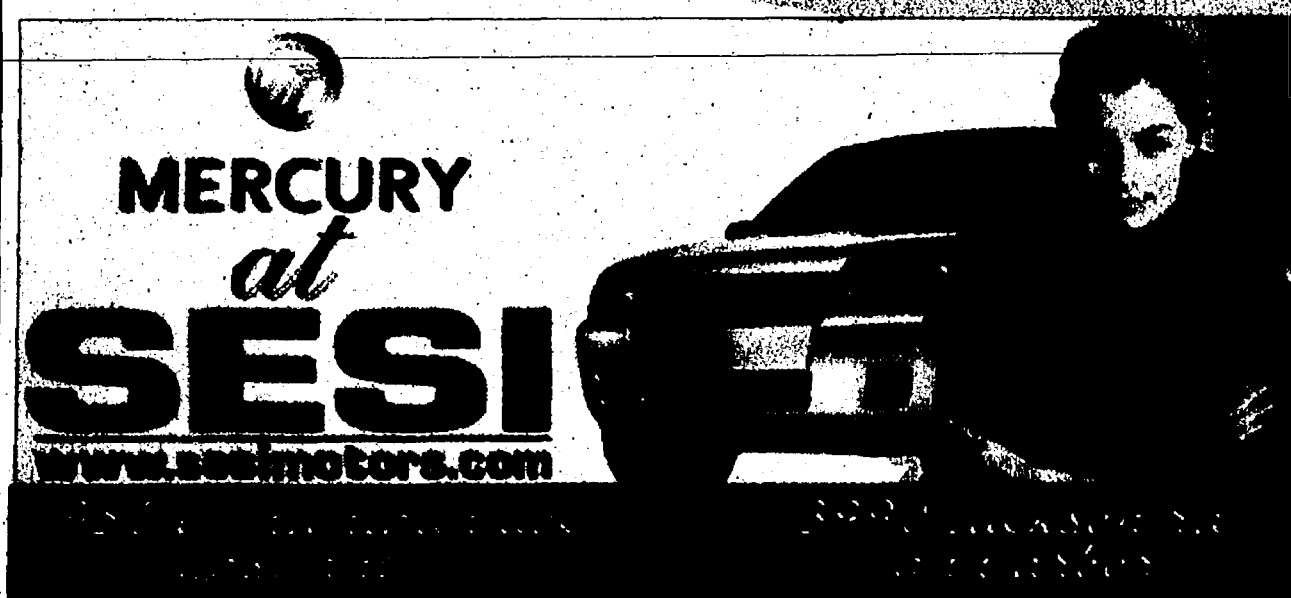
Tradition of service, honesty, integrity and caring continues

Sesi Lincoln Mercury Volvo, located in a brand-new facility at 3990 Jackson Road, between Wagner and Zeeb roads, may be a relatively new dealership, but it is backed by a 59-year tradition of service, honesty, integrity and caring.

Sesi Lincoln Mercury Volvo has been in business for 4 years but the Sesi family's successful business experience dates back to

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The customer-friendly environment allows Sesi to offer better service to their customers and keeps them coming back for future purchases. More than 75 percent of Sesi's business comes from repeat customers or those referred by other Sesi customers.

"Our reputation, our employees, and our customers are our biggest assets," Sesi says.

Chris Conley, general manager at Sesi's Jackson Road location, is

enthusiastic about the new facility and the fantastic opportunity to service it provides.

"Our service and parts departments have doubled in size," he says. "Even though we're a relatively new dealership, it's important for people to know that we operate under the Sesi family's tradition. Our employees are committed to honesty, integrity, and

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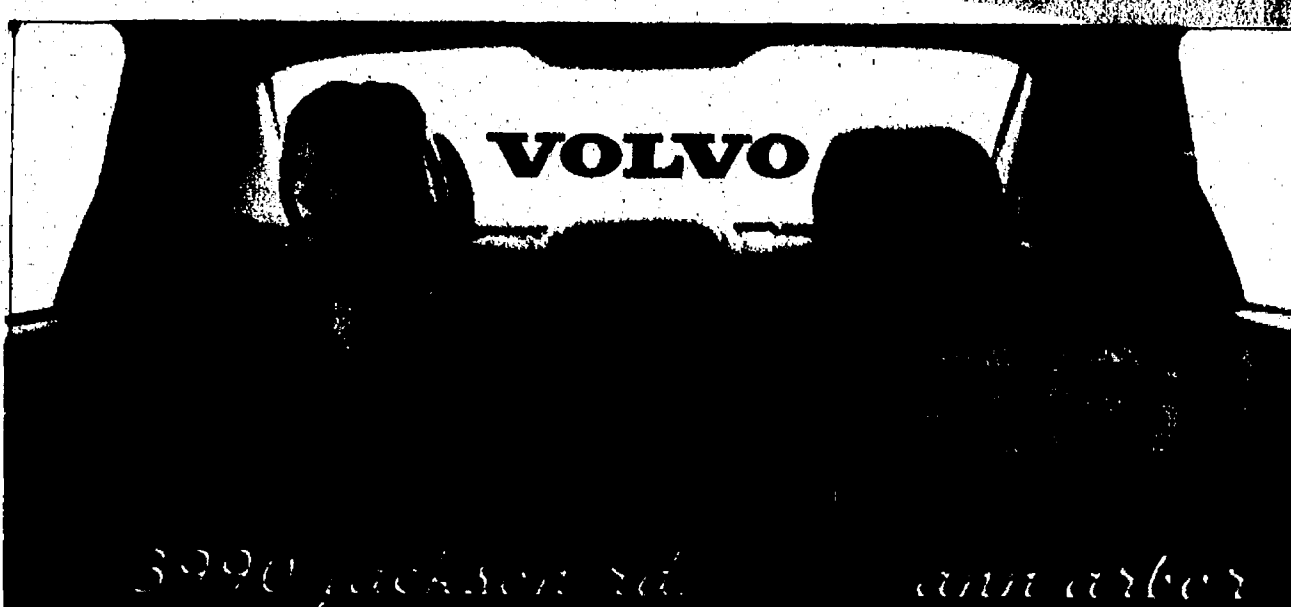
With a sales and service staff averaging 15 years of service, Sesi has one of the most experienced staffs in the business.

"Our employees stay and our customers keep coming back," says Joseph Sesi, owner of the dealership. "That combination has always led to our success."

The unique aspects of the Ypsilanti dealership, including up front pricing, great deals in financing and dealing with the

same person throughout the sale process, have extended to their new Scio Township location as well.

A state-of-the-art facility opened at 3990 Jackson Road in December, offering separate and unique showrooms for Lincoln, Mercury and Volvo brands; customer lounges featuring amenities such as wireless internet, kids' play areas and flat-screen television.



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The new Ann Arbor location is

well on its way to establishing a tradition of its own. With true 21st-century style, Sesi hopes to become the benchmark by which all other dealerships are measured.

Sesi has also integrated their websites under a single homepage, www.sesimotors.com. Both Sesi locations are open on Saturday for Sales, Service and Parts.

large inventory of quality low-mileage used cars, trucks and vans, Sesi says the used car selection is second to none.

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CHELSEA

Council to hold employee forum

Merkel, Hammer say city employees need opportunity to air their grievances

By Steve Ricci
Staff Writer

At the prodding of one of its trustees, the Chelsea City Council has scheduled a 7 a.m. work session Nov. 9 as a forum for city employees to voice their job worries.

At an Oct. 25 meeting, City Council Trustee Joe Merkel said he has heard rumors that three city employees — Wastewater Treatment Plant Superintendent Brad Roberts, Department of Public Works Superintendent Dave Bulson and Director of Administrative Services Barb Fredette — are considering retiring.

Merkel said the employees are mulling over retirement amid uncertainty about their wages or benefits being cut when their three-year contracts are renewed.

There is confusion over when the contracts will be renewed, and that issue will be addressed during the work session.

"By the end of November, they could walk into (Chelsea City Manager Mike Steklac's) office and hand in their resignations, and then where's the city going to be?" Merkel said.

"I just want to let (the employees) air their concerns about their contracts."

There is dissent among council members about formal methods the city uses to address employee issues.

At past City Council meetings, Merkel, along with Trustees Jamie

Bollinger and Frank Hammer, have criticized the city's current practice of using the City Council as the city's personnel committee.

In past practice, select members of the City Council comprised personnel committees, but controversies led to the policy change.

With that old system in place as recently as January 2004, some then-Village Council trustees — Cheri Albertson, Cindy MacFarlan and Charlie Ritter — complained that the former personnel committee made employment decisions in unsanctioned, secret meetings.

At that time, Albertson, MacFarlan and Ritter criticized the council's per-

sonnel committee — which comprised then-Village President Richard Steele and Trustees Howard Holmes and Dale Schumann — for offering a village manager's contract to Steklac without council approval.

Albertson said she was not informed of the meeting where the decision was made, and said the committee meeting violated the Open Meetings Act.

The issue flared up again Jan. 27, 2004, when village attorney Pat Conlin advised that a 3-1 Village Council vote Jan. 13, 2004, to appoint Scott Sumner as Chelsea's new police chief was invalid.

The personnel committee of Steele, Schumann and Holmes recommended Sumner for the post.

Under the old system, employees could meet with the personnel committee privately, without notice of the meetings being posted.

Now, city employees wishing to discuss employment issues must first tell Steklac about their work concerns before they address the City Council in meetings open to the public.

Today, despite the changes to the personnel committee that occurred about a year ago, there are unresolved employment issues.

Both Chelsea Police Chief Scott Sumner and Chelsea Water Superintendent Brad Roberts are working without contracts.

Steklac declined to comment last July about why Sumner does not have a contract.

At the Oct. 25 meeting, Steklac said he wanted to avoid the department heads negotiating their contracts as a collective bargaining unit.

Steklac has indicated he prefers employees come to him and the city attorney in closed sessions, so that he can make employment recommendations to the City Council.

Merkel said he was seeking a forum for employees to discuss their issues without formally bargaining, and added that he wants all non-unionized city employees to attend the session.

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CHELSEA

Steklac takes heat for car lease

Bollinger says city manager acted outside council's direction

By Steve Ricci
Staff Writer

A quarrel with a lease for Chelsea City Manager Mike Steklac's work car triggered heated denunciations last week from City Council Trustee Jamie Bollinger, who alleged Steklac has exclusionary decision-making habits.

At an Oct. 11 meeting, the Chelsea City Council approved a three-year lease for a 2006 Ford Five Hundred sedan, from Palmer Motor Sales Inc. in Chelsea, for Steklac's use.

Steklac's employment contract with the city provides a vehicle, leased at the city's expense, for the city manager.

Steklac intended to pick up the car and execute the lease Oct. 18 at Palmer Ford.

According to an Oct. 25 memo, Steklac said he went to the dealership and was told the lease quoted to the city was no longer available.

Steklac said a salesman at the dealership told him Ford only offered lease-purchase programs to municipalities, which would have raised the monthly lease price from \$291.11 to \$662.43 — a cost exceeding the budget allocation authorized by the council.

On Oct. 19, Steklac said he contacted Faist-Diesing Chevrolet in Chelsea and agreed to a three-year lease for a 2006 Chevrolet Impala, with a yearly cost of \$11,054.88, which was about \$40 less than Ford's three-year lease.

At an Oct. 25, meeting, Steklac brought a motion to approve the Chevrolet lease before the City Council.

Bollinger said Steklac acted too hastily in seeking the Chevrolet lease, and that he acted outside of his authority by bringing before council members a lease

they had not approved. "The City Council approved a lease, but not for the Chevy," Bollinger said. "(Steklac) went outside of the council's direction. Period."

Bollinger, who said he spoke with Biff Weber, owner of Palmer Family Ford-Mercury, said Steklac should

have discussed the discrepancy with Weber before going to Faist-Diesing, although he acknowledged that the Ford salesman was culpable in the problem.

Bollinger alleged Steklac left the Ford dealership after 35 minutes, not allowing time for the dealership's manage-

ment to address the problem. Steklac said he could not accept a higher-priced lease, adding that he did not intend to act outside of the council's direction.

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COMERICA

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"Basically, our goal is to serve all of our customers as well as possible by providing an appropriate number of branches in the communities we serve," he said.

Talley said the decision to consolidate branches was "based on population, traffic patterns and specific needs of the area."

Talley declined to say the decision to close the Chelsea branch was based on insufficient customer traffic.

"I don't know if I can accurately say traffic is light in Chelsea," he said. "The

point is we're trying to make sure there is an appropriate number of offices and locations where people are doing banking in that area, including Chelsea residents.

"The driving force behind our consolidations is serving all of our customers well, so it's not so much of an individual office decision. It's trying to serve the needs of all our customers where most of their needs are in a particular region."

The Chelsea branch office opened Feb. 28, 2001, at the former site of Farmer Jack, a supermarket chain owned by Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co.

Jackson-based Polly's Food Service Inc., owner of

the Polly's Country Market chain, last summer signed a 15-year lease at the former Farmer Jack store, moving its Chelsea operations from

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Comerica Bank Spokesman

its old location at 1101 M-52.

The supermarket branch, called a Comerimart, continued operations during the changeover.

Great Atlantic & Pacific

Talley said the Comerica branch currently has 1,270 accounts, with more than 1,100 of them retail accounts, adding that the account numbers transferred from

Chelsea will not be changed.

The five Comerica workers employed at the Chelsea branch will be offered comparable jobs at other Comerica locations, he said.

Talley said Chelsea resident Celeste Balogh, the current officer in charge of the Chelsea branch, is also the manager at the Jackson Road branch.

"Ms. Balogh is extremely committed to the Chelsea community and to her Comerica customers," Talley said. "Her charge is to ensure that her customers from the Chelsea branch still continue to receive the same level of quality service at the Jackson Road location."

Sean Kennedy of Polly's Food Service Inc. said Monday that Comerica officials did not provide him a reason for the closing.

Kennedy said Polly's inherited a sublease that Comerica had with Farmer Jack, and that the lease will expire in March.

"They told us they're not going to renew after that," he said.

"They really didn't give me a reason (for the decision to close the branch). They just left me a voice-mail saying that they would not be renewing their lease."

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SIGNS

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Council asked the City Council to extend the enforcement moratorium indefinitely, the Oct. 25 decision to extend the moratorium came with more teeth than the last relieve.

It stipulates that, during any times when sidewalks need to be cleared of snow, the city will charge businesses \$100 for any sign city workers have to remove, as well as a \$100 fee for offending businesses to re-set the signs at any future date.

Further, a motion was passed with the understanding that local merchants must work collaboratively with the Chelsea Planning Commission to present a new sandwich-board sign ordinance before the coming spring.

At the Oct. 25 meeting, Chelsea City Manager Mike Steklac argued against extending the moratorium.

"Our attorney's position is that extending (the moratorium) indefinitely is illegal," he said.

While the Chelsea Planning Commission has asked the Chelsea Downtown Development Authority to make recommendations for use of the sandwich boards, Steklac said the Downtown Development Authority is still meeting with the Retail Advisory Council to develop a new sign policy.

City Council Trustee Cheri Albertson said the decision-making process is moving too slowly.

"In four months, what kind of discussion has gone on?" she said. "We granted (the moratorium) with the understanding that merchants would monitor themselves, but they

haven't done so. I'd like to see more action on this."

Chelsea Mayor Ann Feeney said she understood the Planning Commission's reluctance to take up the issue.

"It's a devilish thing to open up a sign ordinance," Feeney said. "It opens up a can of worms."

At last week's meeting, Ed Greenleaf, owner of Chelsea Lanes Inc., told the City Council he gathered 41 signatures from Chelsea business owners supporting legalization of the signs.

Bob Pierce, executive

director of the Chelsea Area Chamber of Commerce, stood with the business owners, telling the City Council that the signs have helped their sales.

Marsi Darwin, representing West of the Moon Gallery, said the sandwich boards are crucial because they help call attention to the artists' cooperative, located in an alley off Main Street.

"Our business will die without the signs," she said.

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PAYEUR

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Department. Another son, who lives in Tecumseh, is a paid on-call firefighter with fire departments in Pittsfield and Raisin townships.

Payeur said he plans to buy a house in Chelsea after his house in Green Bay sells.

The Fire Authority Board picked Payeur for the job out of a field of 60 applicants. He was the board's choice after public interviews of Payeur and three other fire chief finalists Oct. 7 at Sylvan Township Hall.

The other finalists were Kenneth Hubbard, deputy fire chief in Alpena; John Parrott, fire chief at the Buena Vista Fire Department in Saginaw County; and Michael Quint, assis-

tant chief at the Watertown Fire Department in Watertown, Wis.

Bollinger said Payeur, who has passed a mandatory background check, would sign a three-year contract, which entails a job review after his first year of service.

The Fire Authority will hold an open house for Payeur at the main fire station, located at 200 W. Middle St. in Chelsea, in the near future, Bollinger said.

One of Payeur's first challenges to tackle will be helping the Fire Authority pass a millage to fund construction of a new main fire station as well as substations in its member municipalities.

"I'm really excited to get down there and get started," he said.



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PLAY REVIEW

Purple Rose in bloom with 'The Glass Menagerie'

Cast delivers in theater's rendition of American classic

By Steve Ricci
Staff Writer

Tennessee Williams' "The Glass Menagerie" is a Spartan play.

It's Spartan in its set, Spartan in tone, Spartan in its emotional truth, and Spartan in its view of life's realities.

And that's just fine.

The best drama is the sort that seems closest to real life, and oftentimes, real life does not present easy answers, triumph over obstacles or package itself in tidy endings.

The Purple Rose Theatre Company, which premiered its version of "The Glass Menagerie" last Friday, seems to understand this.

First-time director Michelle DiDomenico, along with the theater's cast, deserved the standing ovation they received for abiding Williams' voice, while tinkering with one of the play's

characters in a way, I believe, that Williams would have endorsed.

The play, set in 1937 St. Louis, tells the story of the Wingfield family — mother Amanda, a former Southern socialite, son Tom, the family breadwinner in lieu of his

caddish father who abandoned the clan years ago, and daughter Laura, a pretty-but-diffident girl with a textbook case of low self-esteem.

Tom, played by the wiry Tom Whalen, carries on his shoulders a gravity befitting his predicament as a poet at heart stuck in the tedious oblivion of a factory job.

Molly Thomas, who also appeared in the theater's

rendition of "Bus Stop" earlier this year, personifies Laura with the right amount of awkward ugly-duckling baggage, even though, in a truth her character cannot grasp, she is pretty — inside and out.

Laura walks with a limp — a vestige of her high school



STEVE RICCI

pleurosis — and, to her mother's dismay, has no "gentleman callers" at her door.

Michelle Mountain, who plays Amanda Wingfield, puts her signature ebullience into a character that some actresses have portrayed more cynical-

ly.

Mountain, who played Norma Randolph in Jeff Daniels' "Norma & Wanda" last January, has a reputation, in real life, as being a glass-is-half-full sort of person, and her real-life personality lends Amanda a sympathy that fits her as well as the heyday dress she rescues from mothballs when James O'Connor, the gentleman caller, accepts an invitation to dinner.

O'Connor, played by Ryan Carlson, is the character Purple Rose tweaked.

Williams wrote the character as an all-American golden-boy in high school — a popular athlete who also sang, charmed and made the girls swoon — including Laura.

Before Tom invites O'Connor to dinner, Laura confides to her mother that she once liked a boy, and that boy was O'Connor.

At Amanda's urging, Tom, the play's narrator, who also enters the mise-en-scene as an older man playing his younger self, invites O'Connor to dinner as a suitor for Laura.

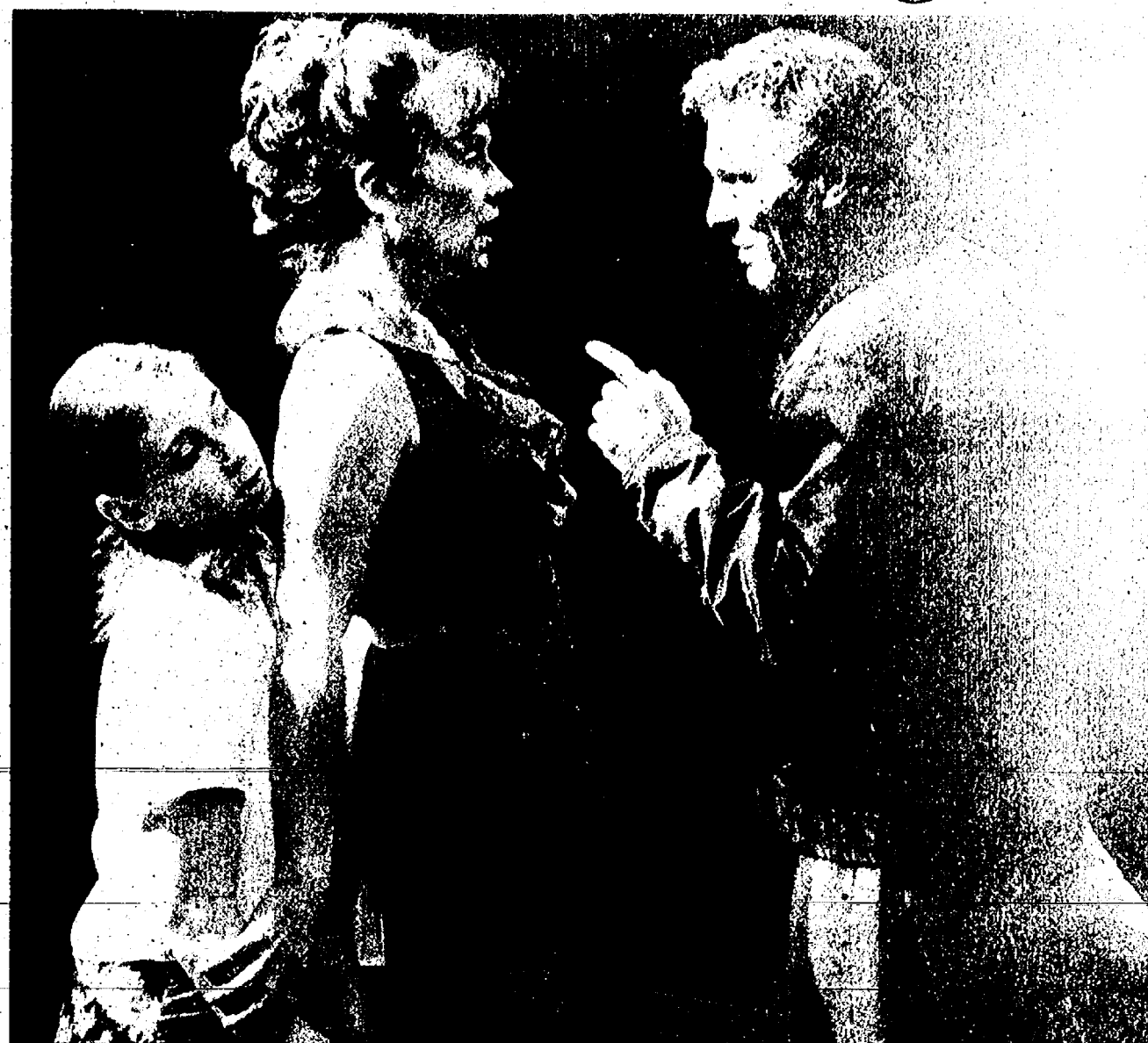
Tom and O'Connor work at the same factory, and while Tom dreams of joining the merchant marine, O'Connor attends night school, taking courses in radio engineering and public speaking.

Both men want a better life, just as Amanda wants a better life for her children, although she fumbles, albeit earnestly, in her efforts.

Carlson's version of O'Connor is a happy-go-lucky guy who isn't exactly a hunk, in the traditional sense, but his sincerity and heart lend him his own sort of beauty.

While he's no Superman, he has learned to control and overcome his insecurities, and, as he imparts his lessons to Laura, a connection between the two — for a moment — transcends their apertunances.

This is where the play hits its mark, and I applaud Purple Rose for moving the audience — perhaps even more than could have been achieved otherwise — by



Photos by Danna Segrest, courtesy The Purple Rose Theatre Company. Taking refuge behind Michelle Mountain, playing her mother, Molly Thomas (left), playing Laura Wingfield, listens to a frustrated Tom Wingfield, played by Tom Whalen.

casting Carlson against type.

For those who have not read, or do not remember reading or seeing "The Glass Menagerie," I won't spoil the play's ending with any kind of plot synopsis — other than to reiterate that its conclusion, as is the case with life, isn't tidy.

I will say that this small Midwestern theater, founded by a local movie star who forsook Hollywood's limelight in deference to his love of the dramatic arts, is doing honest and important work.

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Ryan Carlson (left), playing the "gentleman caller," and Molly Thomas, playing Laura Wingfield, talk alone during a pivotal scene of The Purple Rose Theatre Company's production of Tennessee Williams' "The Glass Menagerie," which premiered Friday and runs through Dec. 17.

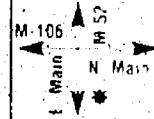
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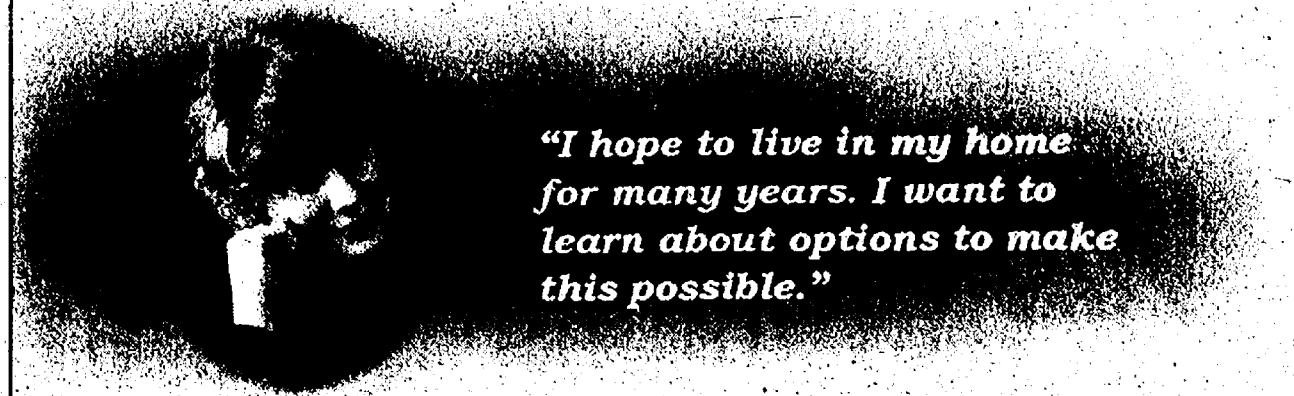
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CHELSEA

City election to be held on Tuesday

Chelsea Area Chamber of Commerce to hold candidates forum

By Steve Ricci
Staff Writer

Chelsea city residents will have an opportunity to vote for the mayor and three trustees to serve on the Chelsea City Council between 7 a.m. and 8 p.m. Tuesday at the Washington Street Education Center, 500 Washington St.

Absentee ballot applications for the election are available at the city offices, 305 S. Main St.

Anyone interested in running as write-in candidates for mayor or trustee may declare candidacy with Chelsea City Clerk Terri

Burtch until 4 p.m. tomorrow. The Chelsea Area Chamber of Commerce will host a candidates forum from 7 to 9 p.m. tonight at the Washington Street Education Center boardroom, 500 Washington St.

Mayor candidate Ann Feeney and trustee candidates Cheri Albertson, Frank Hammer, Jim Myles and Kent Martinez-Kratz will attend the forum.

All candidates are running for four-year terms on the City Council.

Members of the audience will be invited to submit questions for the candidates.

For more information about the forum, call the Chelsea Area Chamber of Commerce at 475-1145.

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STEKLAC

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Referring to an article about the car in an Oct. 20 edition of The Chelsea Standard, Steklac said he was not pleased with the publicity the matter received.

"I'm about ready to turn (the car) in," Steklac said.

Bollinger suggested Steklac's behavior with the vehicle lease was emblematic of a larger problem with Steklac's job performance.

"There is a history of (Steklac) doing things outside of council decisions," Bollinger said.

City Council Trustee Jim Myles said he thought Bollinger's point was valid.

"(The City Council) specifically approved the lease from Ford, so (Steklac) should have come back before the council," Myles said.

Steklac defended his actions, saying he was told the Ford Motor Co. credit department would have "kicked back" the lease if he had pursued it.

Steklac said Weber apologized for the incident.

Bollinger confronted Chelsea Mayor Ann Feeney, who defended Steklac at the meeting.

"So you approved of (Steklac) going outside of the City Council's decision?" Bollinger said to Feeney.

Following the discussion, the City Council unanimously approved the three-year

Chevrolet Impala lease with the Faist-Diesing dealership. Bollinger said Monday that part of the reason he was displeased with Steklac was because Palmer Ford has done favors for the city in the past.

Those favors, as well as a history of sponsorship benefiting the community, included re-painting a city police car without charge and donating a vehicle hoist to the city, he said.

"We're still living in a small city, where you can go to an owner and shake his hand if you have a problem," Bollinger said.

Steklac and Feeney could not be reached for comment as of press time.

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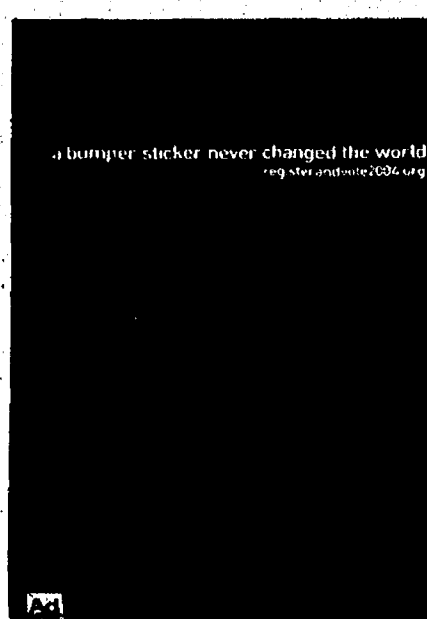
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tee and because Steklac is to be told of any work-related conversations, trustees have with city employees, he has missed hearing employee complaints.

"I haven't had an opportunity in six months to sit down and chew the fat (with the employees)," he said.

Hammer said some employees are frustrated and need to air their grievances.

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— MAKING BUBBLES —



Jacob (left) and John Jachalke of Chelsea took turns with a bubble-making activity last month during Oktoberfest in Chelsea. This was the brothers' first year at the event. They enjoyed Colors the Clown and all the activities available for children.

Photo by Rita Fischer

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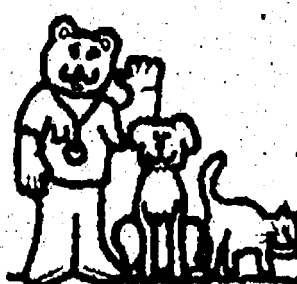
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STATE New bill aims to protect consumers

Unlicensed contractors
would face stiffer
penalties with new law

By Emily Burton
Heritage Newspapers

State Sen. Raymond Basham, D-Taylor, has introduced legislation he believes will help many Michigan consumers.

Basham recently introduced Senate Bill 826, which increases protection for consumers and seeks to find and put unlicensed contractors out of business.

Basham said unlicensed contractors often perform shoddy work, or simply take a homeowner's money and never do any work at all.

"Essentially, this legislation will go after the individual," he said. "It will increase fines and make those offenses part of a person's record."

The legislation is part of a three-bill package and is tied to bills 827 and 828, which also would alter the fines and punishments for unlicensed contractors.

Michigan requires that all contractors be licensed, but Basham said there is not enough legal recourse under current law for consumers who have been wronged by an unlicensed contractor.

SB 826 would increase the fines for those who work as contractors without a license from \$500 to \$2,000 for the first offense, and \$5,000 for each subsequent offense. It also would increase the maximum jail time from 90 to 93 days incarceration.

It also allows people to sue an unlicensed contractor in civil court and seek damages from between \$5,000 to \$50,000, something not now allowed under Public Act 299. That act, also known as the Occupational Code, was passed in 1980.

Any such convictions would be required to be

reported to the state Department of Labor and Economic Growth, through which all contractors are licensed.

Those people currently required to hold a license are those who work in carpentry, concrete, swimming pool installation, waterproofing a basement, excavation, installation work, masonry work, painting and decorating, roofing, siding and gutters, screen or storm sash installations, tile and marble work and house wrecking, in a residential setting.

That licensing requirement would not change under Basham's bill.

Those who are convicted of working as an unlicensed contractor could have their property seized or forfeited under the proposed law.

The bill also would require the Department of Labor and Economic Growth to receive complaints on unlicensed contractors. Currently, it only takes complaints on licensed contractors.

In addition, the bill would alter the license-renewal date to every three years to coincide with the renewal of building codes. It also would raise fees from \$80 for a two-year license to \$180 for a three-year license and would increase the license-examination fee from \$50 to \$100.

Basham said the legislation would not harm contractors who work within the parameters of the current law by obtaining a license and performing quality work.

He also said he believed the bills would be given a hearing this week in the Committee on Economic Development, Small Business and Regulatory Reform, where they were sent after their introduction.

To verify if a contractor is licensed and has no complaints filed, call the Department of Labor and Economic Growth at 1-517-241-9524 or visit the Web site www.michigan.gov/builders.



A Helping Hand

John McKenzie, manager of The Perky Pantry Mobil in Chelsea, presents Lisa Nickel, principal at South Meadows Elementary School, with a check for \$500. McKenzie said this is the second consecutive year the gas station has donated to the school as part of the Exxon Mobil Educational Alliance Grant. Nickel said the money will be used to bring a Michigan author to the school during National Reading Month in March. Standing as the check was presented are Phillip Formigan (left), McKenzie, Nickel, Lloyd Pruner and Sheila Formigan.

CHELSEA

Items needed for hospital fund-raiser

A holiday bazaar and bake sale will be held from 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Nov. 10 at the Chelsea Community Hospital Dining Room.

Craft items and baked goods will be available, as well as a raffle for a 6 1/2-foot pre-lit Christmas tree, a hand-crocheted afghan and a \$50 gift certificate for Polly's Country Market.

The auxiliary is asking for

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Donations should be clearly labeled with the list of ingredients of a baked good and a price marked for craft items. Cookies should be packaged in groups of six, and candies, bars and

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Chelsea police assisted the Washtenaw Narcotic Enforcement Team Oct. 20 with the search of a truck at Grass Lake Scales along Interstate 94 in Grass Lake.

A Chelsea police dog detected the odor of narcotics inside a tractor-trailer.

The Washtenaw Narcotic Enforcement Team continued its investigation.

Larceny

A Chelsea man reported his cellular phone was stolen from his house in the 1000 block of North Freer Road Oct. 22.

The man said he last saw the phone on his kitchen counter at his residence. He said numerous guests of his teenage son were in the house between 8 a.m. and noon and that any one of them could have stolen the phone.

The stolen phone is valued at \$150.

Trouble with Subject

A Chelsea man living in the 500 block of North Main Street reported another man threatened him Oct. 24.

The father of the man's ex-girlfriend confronted him at his house, the man said, telling him, "I will terminate you if you don't leave my daughter alone," according to a police report.

The victim said he had been in a prior altercation with his ex-girlfriend and had been arrested by Washtenaw County Sheriff's deputies.

The man said he had not bothered the woman since, but that her father came by to threaten him anyway.

General Assistance

A woman living in the 100 block of East Summit Street told police Oct. 24 that a raccoon was stumbling down the street and appeared to be sick or hurt.

Police arrived and found the raccoon had climbed a tree.

The woman called back later in the evening and said

the raccoon had come out of the tree.

Police removed the animal from the area.

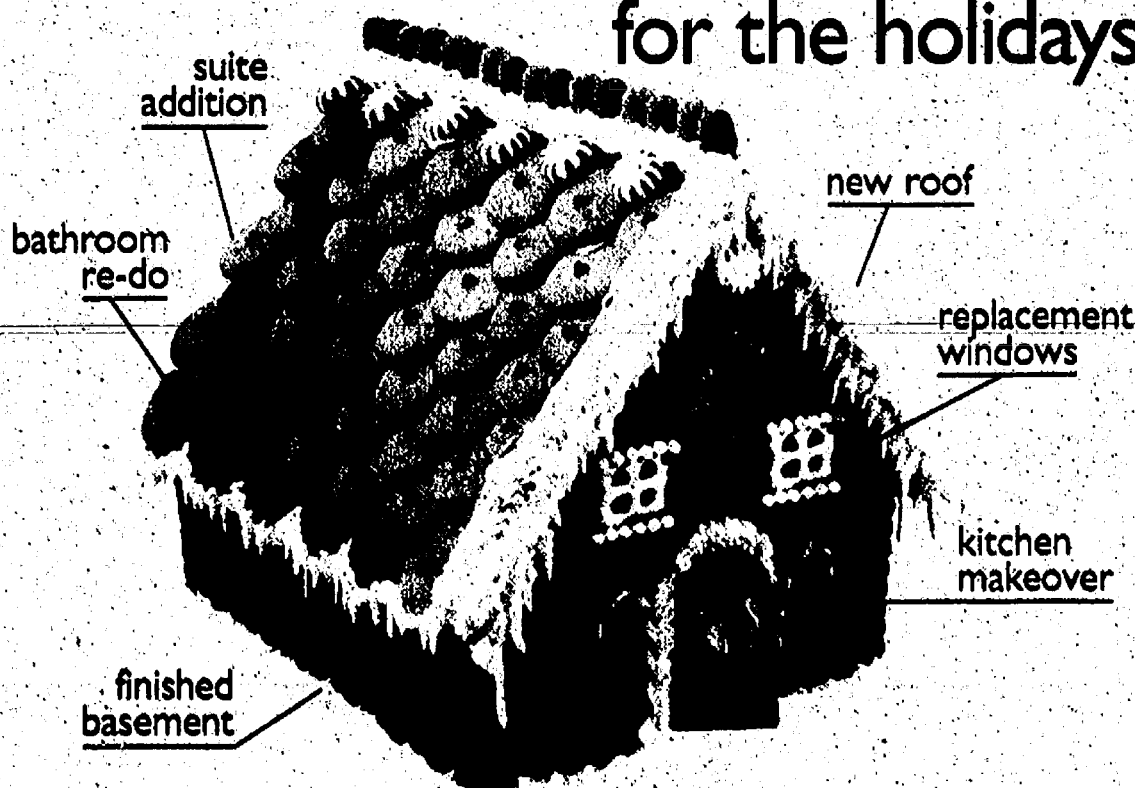
Family Trouble

A Chelsea man told police his sister's ex-boyfriend, an 18-year-old Chelsea man, came to his apartment Oct. 25 and tried to come inside without his consent.

Police arrived at the scene and were unable to find the suspect. Police contacted the suspect by telephone. The suspect told officers he would not return to the man's residence again.

Compiled by Staff Writer Steve Ricci based on reports filed with the Chelsea Police Department.

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COMMENTARY

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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2005

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Donkey basketball game disrespectful

The Chelsea Senior Center recently held a donkey basketball game fund-raiser. Many groups use these games as fund-raisers across the country.

During these games, donkeys are usually dragged around a court and mishandled. The donkeys lead miserable lives hauled all over the country from gym to gym.

The donkeys have been known to lash out in frustration and fear, causing injury to participants and spectators.

It's sad that a community organization would treat animals with such little dignity.
William McMullin
Mount Morris.

Joe Welton is in a league of his own

This Chelsea High School football team has a record that speaks for itself.

And it's not about wins and losses.

A few days prior to the season opener, Joe Welton, the expected starting senior quarterback for the defending Southeastern Conference champs, broke his leg and was out for the season, which was a big disappointment for the team, as well as for this young man.

We often hear that football, as well as the other sports, is more than just a game. Often we don't realize what exactly this means or how it relates to our daily lives.

It came to my attention during the 2005 football season while attending all the football games and watching this young man on the sidelines. Joe has learned and, most importantly, demonstrated to everyone, by positive support and encouragement to his teammates while on crutches intermixing with the players, how disappointment can also provide you with an opportunity in life. This was apparent not just to me, but others at the games.

Joe Welton, even though his stats won't be in the record books for his senior year, his example of leadership and realizing that there is more to life than playing football, will be with the community for a long time.

Joe, in my book, is in a league of his own.

Don Tapping
Sylvan Township

Share your concerns about arctic drilling

Next week, Congress will vote on the budget reconciliation bill that would open the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge to drilling.

This has been a long battle, but now is not the time to relax our efforts to protect the refuge from oil and gas development.

If oil and gas companies — and their friends in the Bush Administration — can break into our most pristine refuge,

no previously protected area in the United States will be safe.

Increasing information makes it clear: the oil companies will be the ones to benefit, not the American people. We need more fuel-efficient cars, and more investment in renewable forms of energy. This is the only way to lighten our dependence on foreign oil and our tread on the Earth.

Some issues are too important to let go by. We must all step up and call and write our senators and representatives now.

Anya Dale
Ann Arbor

Donkey basketball a disservice to Chelsea

Thank you The Ann Arbor News and Heritage Newspapers (The Chelsea Standard and The Dexter Leader) for publishing the articles regarding the donkey basketball event being held at the Chelsea Senior Center Oct. 29.

Thanks also to the Chelsea Senior Center for sponsoring this event as it brought attention that there are people who believe using animals in entertainment is still acceptable to society.

As the saying goes, good always results from a bad situation and the good in this is it has informed and raised awareness that animals are not here to perform unnatural acts to their being for human entertainment, whether it's donkey basketball, circuses, rodeos, dog racing, etc.

Being legal in all but two states (cockfighting is illegal in all except two states) doesn't make it right nor does the end justify the means.

In reply to the quotes by Joe Yekulis in The Ann Arbor News — "We have 650 seniors and, in our mind, the needs of those 650 seniors outweigh the concerns of a handful of activists who don't even live in the community" — and Chris Livengood in The Chelsea Standard — "I have a feeling the opposition isn't going to fly in this community" — here is one community resident and Chelsea School District taxpayer who finds this fund-raising event distasteful and unacceptable.

The seniors deserve better.
Kathy Spain
Dexter Township

Welfare simulation good lesson for all

This letter is to express our gratitude to the Chelsea community for its support in helping to make possible the welfare simulation hosted by Michigan Friends Center Oct. 23.

Michigan Friends Center is very grateful for support from St. Paul's United Church of Christ, Faith In Action and St. Mary Catholic Church.

In addition, The Chelsea

Standard's coverage, a number of area churches and One World One Family all helped to get the word out, as did local businesses who posted the fliers.

We are also grateful to all those, including a wonderful group of Chelsea High students from the Young Progressives Club, who took time on that Sunday afternoon to come learn more about poverty issues.

This event, described in The Chelsea Standard Oct. 13, offered people who came an opportunity for dialog with people who had been and/or are on welfare. It was presented by the Interfaith Council for Peace and Justice and designed by the Welfare Rights Organization, as part of their mission to help educate us all about poverty issues.

The richness of the learning came out of two experiences. It came first from the immersion in "simulated family" small-group decision making under assigned conditions of poverty. These were conditions such as job loss, fixed income, medical bills and, most importantly, trying to live on a minimum wage job that is not a living wage.

We were reminded that in 2006 there will be a ballot initiative to raise the minimum wage in Michigan. But, secondly and especially, the learning came from the shared debriefings of the simulation with input from the very knowledgeable and candid presenters who pointed out that no political party has recently been a friend of poor people.

Conditions are getting worse for those in poverty and the slide from middle class comfort into poverty is now greased by current economic and environmental conditions. The Interfaith Council for Peace and Justice is able to present this welfare simulation from time to time, and if others are interested in it, they could contact ICPJ at 663-1870.

Pam and Phil Hoffer
Ann Arbor
Michigan Friends Center
Lyndon Township

Getting a mammogram is the adult thing to do

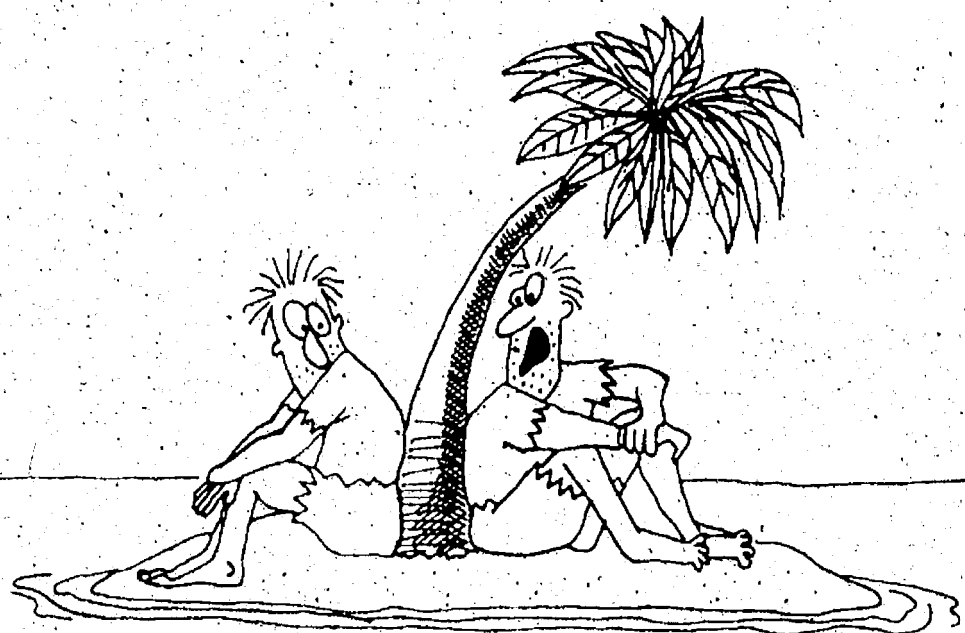
October was Breast Cancer Awareness Month, and that scared me. Not breast cancer, but because I think a lot of the publicity about breast cancer scares women from getting mammograms.

I'm concerned that their fear keeps them away from a proven screening procedure that can save lives.

I'm a mammographer, which means I'm a radiologist who reads and interprets mammograms. You probably thought last month was a really busy time for mammographers, with all the publicity about breast cancer causing women to schedule the.

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OTHER VOICES

Time to re-evaluate each political party

Michigan likely voters were polled last week on the performance of our elected officials (see www.strategivision.biz/political/results.htm).

First, the obvious conclusions.

On issues where the public is uninformed, we respond down party lines (46 percent Democrat, 42 percent Republican).

That seems bullheaded. In these times, we all ought to be "undecided" until someone can step up and prove they are the right person for the job, not just the right ideology.

We should have learned that from the 2004 election. Since the inauguration, have we heard boo about any of the hotly debated ideological issues we were tricked into focusing on?

President George W. Bush's ratings are at rock bottom. (Come on, you stubborn 34 percent who still approve, put your pride aside.) In a sick and twisted turn, Bush dumped his crony Harriet Miers (she withdrew her nomination), who was approved by 46 percent of voters, for a Supreme Court seat because of the hell raised by the small faction of extreme right-wingers he considers his base.

In a do over, like we used to give my little brother in Capture the Flag, Bush has appointed Samuel Alito, who's a lot more right wing. I predict he'll get nowhere near 46 percent approval here, not when 56 percent of us support women's rights (that's "freedom," by the way — do you value yours?) and Roe v. Wade, and the same number now realize Bush's brand of conservatism is nothing like President Ronald Reagan's.

If the Supreme Court becomes neo-con, we'll all lose a measure of good, old American freedom.

Finally, all incumbents in Michigan, and across the country, are at risk of being replaced. This is because we are uninformed about their performance.

And, to be frank, they haven't shown results. The U.S. Congress is a mess, and

at first glance, Michigan seems no closer to solvency.

Next, the not-so-obvious conclusions.

Gov. Jennifer Granholm's approval rating is nearly as bad as Bush's. Really. Is she that unlikeable? No. But she's an

unknown. If Granholm, a Democrat, wants to convince us that

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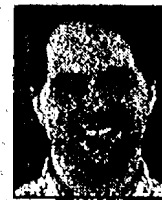
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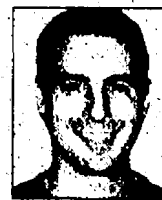
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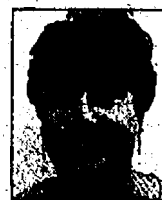
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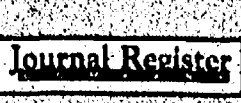
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STREET TALK

By Steve Ricci

Do you watch your local cable access channels?



"I do. I enjoy 'Around Town' with Linda. I'd like to see even more interviews with local people."

Shannon Amburgey
Chelsea



"Cable TV isn't offered in our area. If it was, we would probably tune in every now and then to check out the local updates."

Erin Rosentreter
Lyndon Township



"I just moved to Dexter, a few weeks ago. I surely intend to watch community access when my cable TV is hooked up."

Steve Hoffman
Dexter



"No. Maybe I'll watch it for two seconds."

Shannon MacDougall
Dexter

PARTY

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she has done anything to make Michigan better off than it was when she was elected, she needs to blow her horn.

According to the Democratic Governors Association, Granholm has resolved more than \$4 billion in budget deficits, and chopped more money from state government than any governor in the state's history.

Remember her bold move to re-examine every state contract in the last couple years? My full-time employer wasn't ultimately affected, but we sure took notice and trimmed the fat from our proposals.

Granholm was responsible for Jobs Today, Jobs Tomorrow, which created jobs by speeding up infrastructure projects, training unemployed workers and reducing red tape for businesses that seek state permits.

As a result, small firms grew by 2,400 last year. Seven companies opened new headquarters here. Direct action by the state created or retained 130,000 jobs. She attracted Toyota, which announced plans to invest \$150 million in a new research-and-development facility in York Township, which will create more than 600 new jobs.

In Governing magazine's "Grading the States 2005" report, only Virginia and Utah scored higher than the Granholm administration in the areas of money, people, infrastructure and information management.

Granholm has saved us nearly \$40 million in prescription drug costs while actually expanding healthcare coverage for the uninsured and needy. And this year, for the first time, classrooms in Michigan actually received the funding they were promised.

Granholm has been a major force in cracking down on gas station price gouging, and in successfully lobbying big oil companies to reduce their pump prices.

Finally, the subtle conclusions.

Two common threads weave through the poll results. First, we are not content with the way things are or the direction we are heading, whether it be with the Michigan economy, the changes to the Supreme Court, the war in Iraq, the deterioration of morals

in the Republican Party, or the performance of the Congress.

Second, we are uninformed about individual players, whether they are incumbents or potential candidates.

We need to do two things, and these are citizen responsibilities. We need to find out about our elected officials: Are Granholm, U.S. Sen. Debbie Stabenow and U.S. Sen. Carl Levin doing a good job despite current overall conditions?

And we need to examine the next wave of candidates with new criteria:

- What are their moral references?
- What have they accomplished?
- How will they help us on the pressing, relevant issues?

•Will they stay away from deception, spin, smoke and mirrors on such red herrings as abortion, gay rights, affirmative action, terrorism, swift boat service, and so on?

If you vote Democrat, find yourself a moderate, someone who will denounce abortion while protecting women's rights; someone who will stand up for hunters' rights while supporting gun control in the cities; someone who will assure us that America's many factions don't get special rights, but they do get full equal rights.

If you vote Republican, find yourself another Joe Schwarz, R-7th District, not a mean-spirited, conniving "hammer" like Texas Congressman Tom DeLay or Tennessee Sen. Bill Frist.

We've had enough of the free-spending rich-and-richer elite who want to take the entire left side of government and drown it in the bathtub. Let's get back to the 1980 Olympic Hockey Team version, where we all play together against the world, not each other.

At the heart of this poll is one message: Is your party representing you? Take a long hard look at yourself, and at what's really important today. How does your party represent that? The parties have changed a lot in the last 20 years.

It's time for all of us to re-evaluate.

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Preparing for Flu Season

Phyllis and Harold Bennett of Dexter receive a flu shot Oct. 19 from Chelsea Community Hospital nurse Margaret Nagi at a flu clinic hosted by the Chelsea Senior Center. A total 130 people rolled up their sleeves and many stayed for Octoberfest entertainment by Luke Schaible, as well as lunch in the cafeteria.

ROAD RULES

Watch for kids, buses

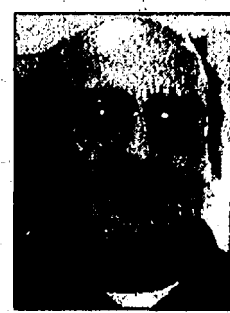
Drivers are asked to watch for the buses and to remember they must stop for flashing overhead red lights. It's illegal to pass a bus with red lights flashing.

By state law, a bus driver activates the yellow overhead flashing lights 200 feet before a stop and the red flashing stop lights come on when the bus stops.

When you see the yellow overhead flashing lights, slow down and be prepared to stop. Michigan law requires that vehicles prepare to stop when a school bus has its overhead yellow flashers on.

After loading and unloading students, Chelsea buses will attempt to pull over, where it is safe, to allow traffic to pass the buses. When the bus is pulled off the right-hand side of the road with a right turn signal on, it is OK to pass the bus.

The Chelsea School District does not participate in "yellow hazard stops." The yellow lights below the bus windows are the yellow



SAM VOGEL

hazard lights. There have been a number of Detroit news broadcasts about the yellow hazard stops that can now be used in some cities where speed limits are 25 mph.

Other requirements for yellow hazard stops are double lanes of traffic, the ability to totally pull off the roadway and right-hand pickups only.

Unfortunately, these requirements can not be met on the vast majority of Chelsea bus runs. As a result, the school is not participating in yellow hazard stops.

Questions about bus transportation of Chelsea students may be answered by going to the transportation department's Web pages located under "departments" at the Chelsea School District Web site, chelsea.k12.mi.us, or by calling 433-2274.

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mammograms that they have been neglecting.

But things didn't seem any busier than usual. And that's a shame because the statistics for Michigan show that the rates of screening mammography are going down.

The publicity for Breast Cancer Month seems counterproductive to me. The newspaper and magazine articles usually feature a young mother who is diagnosed with advanced disease requiring surgery, radiation, chemotherapy and then a bone marrow transplant.

I have yet to see a Breast Cancer Awareness Month article that features a patient typical of the vast majority of patients. That patient is older than 50, has an early breast cancer diagnosed by mammography that neither she nor her doctor can feel as a lump, does not require a mastectomy, undergoes the appropriate therapy and then goes on with her life.

I'm not suggesting or minimizing the hassle of the surgery, radiation or even chemotherapy, but to imply that all breast cancers are an immediate threat to life or a death sentence simply doesn't reflect the current state of breast cancer treatment.

Most women diagnosed with breast cancer now ultimately die with, but not from, their breast cancer. Eight times as many women die of heart disease as do breast cancer, but no one

seems to avoid having their cholesterol checked.

The implications of those screening procedures are similar to the implications of mammography. No one talks in hushed tones of someone taking high blood pressure or cholesterol medication.

People are even talking with more openness about their colonoscopies. No one seems panicked over colon cancer. Maybe a catchy TV commercial, like the "catch the colon polyp early" campaign is what mammography needs.

Or maybe women are still concerned that a diagnosis of breast cancer automatically means that a mastectomy is required. That simply isn't true anymore. Breast conservation surgery, with the advances in radiation and chemotherapy, has made a mastectomy a much less needed procedure.

The whole point of screening mammography is to find disease early enough to avoid the necessity of the old and dreaded surgeries.

Screening mammography can't prevent breast cancer. What it can prevent is the early deaths from a cancer that isn't recognized until it is a late stage. That's the objective of all preventive health care — not to prevent all disease but to recognize and treat a disease early, thus preventing the complications and early deaths of untreated or late disease.

Fear and guilt don't seem to be good motivators for health care. Schedule a mammogram because it's the responsible, adult thing to do.

If you are a woman between the ages of 35 and 40 and haven't had a baseline mammogram, you need one. If you are over 40, you need an annual mammogram. If you are overdue for your annual mammogram, don't wait until your anniversary date, go now.

The recommendations for screening mammograms are based on the biology of the disease, not just because a yearly examination is a convenient schedule. Waiting beyond the yearly recommendation means that a woman loses the advantages of screening for diagnosing early disease and falls back into the unscreened population.

After you have had your mammogram, reward yourself. Go out to lunch, meet a friend, go shopping, see a movie, and have a massage, a manicure, whatever makes you feel good. Better yet, go for your mammogram with a friend. You both can have a mammogram and then treat yourselves. That's the kind of breast cancer awareness I would like to have promoted.

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CHELSEA SCHOOLS

South contributes to hurricane relief efforts

Pupils help school district with effort to gather supplies

By Alison Marable
Special Writer

South Meadows Elementary School pupils and staff took on a huge fund-raising project to help the victims of Hurricane Katrina in Louisiana.

Their efforts are part of a districtwide project to gather supplies and ship them to schools devastated by the hurricane Aug. 29.

Donations will be sent to Bonabel High School in Kenner, La., where officials will disperse the much-needed items to other schools in the area. Kenner is located just west of New Orleans and plays a major role in the New Orleans Mardi Gras parades.

Chelsea families donated books, clothes, shoes, bedding, towels, household items and school supplies, while the Chelsea School District provided old classroom furniture to refill schools in Louisiana.

Local businessman Howdy Holmes, president of Chelsea Milling Co., maker of Jiffy Mix, connected the schools with a trucking service that delivers for charitable purposes and Pierce Lake Elementary raised enough

money to cover the truck's gas expenses.

Two teachers at South Meadows created a musical piece to coordinate with the fund-raiser. Teachers Eric Smith and David Brinklow formed the Sixth Grade Blue Team Kidz and titled their song "We Got Soul Man."

The lyrics are sung to the tune of "I'm a Soul Man," written in 1967. The duo dressed as the Blues Brothers and sang the song Friday with their sixth-graders during the school's Halloween celebration.

The school changed its traditional Halloween parade into a Mardi Gras-style parade in honor of the victims of the hurricane. The pupils and staff wore Mardi Gras beads along with their Halloween costumes as they marched through the neighborhood.

During the celebration, sixth-graders sorted and stacked hundreds of boxes to prepare them for delivery. The day marked the end of the South school fund-raiser.

Beach Middle School is continuing its drive for another week and will finish up the project. The delivery truck is expected to arrive in Chelsea between Friday and Nov. 14 to pick up the boxes.

Alison Marable is a special writer. She can be reached at 475-0407 or via e-mail at almarabelle@yahoo.com.



Photos by Alison Marable

Pupils in teacher Jill Albert's first-hour class lead the Mardi-Gras parade around the South Meadows Elementary School neighborhood Friday and played a significant role in a project to help Hurricane Katrina survivors. Holding the banner is Jennifer Craig (left), Elijah Aarons and Tessa Elwart. The rest of the sixth-grade class includes Cody Barber, Christopher Boyd, Joel Bradley, Sarah Bucholz, William Collins, Dominic Davis, Sophie Detroyer, Sarah Eckart, Phillip Formigan, Anna Friss, Eden Gaiski, Anna Helvey, Lisa Keene, Ryan Koenn, Bryan Nichols, Sean O'Quinn, Lloyd Pruner, Jessica Ruikka, Nicole Santistevan, Jarred Scheese, Jill Schmidt, Nicholas Scripter, Erik Shackelford and Kaylie Walker.



David Brinklow, a teacher at South Meadows Elementary School, sings aloud with sixth-graders during a Halloween celebration. The song, which includes original lyrics written by Brinklow and teacher Eric Smith, speaks about the school's efforts in helping survivors of Hurricane Katrina. Smith played the guitar during the song.

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The Miss Washtenaw County Scholarship Pageant will be held 7 p.m. Saturday at the Chelsea High School Auditorium, 740 Freer Road. The contestants, pictured with Miss Washtenaw County 2004 Katie Lorenz, are Erica Thomas of Dexter, Alicia Jaros of Riverview, Ashlee Baracy of Westland, Shannon Kantner of Saline, Sheila Klein of Ann Arbor, Semaj Porter of Jackson, Megan Gibson of Canton, Teresa Stewart of Monroe, Yasamina Kabisch of Ann Arbor, Chasidy Clark of Pinckney, Angela Corradin of Muskegon, Brittne Halford of Ann Arbor, Kathryn Lampi of Farmington Hills, Brittany Fox of Grand Haven and Emily Bowman of Monroe.

WASHTENAW COUNTY

Pageant to be held Saturday

The Miss Washtenaw County Scholarship Pageant, now in its 11th year, will be held 7 p.m. Saturday at the Chelsea High School Auditorium, 740 Freer Road.

"Silhouettes" is the theme of the show and organizers say it promises to be highly entertaining.

Octavia Reese, Miss Michigan 2005, will be featured as a special guest and will perform her winning talent from this past summer's Miss Michigan pageant. She joins Katie Lorenz, Miss Washtenaw County 2004.

Lucy Ann Lance, host of the morning show on WAAM radio station, will serve as emcee. In addition, several members of the local Kiwanis club will be on hand to serve as escorts for the contestants.

Fifteen young women ranging in age from 17 to 22 will compete for the title of Miss Washtenaw County and more than \$10,000 in cash and prizes. The

winner will receive a cash prize, in-kind scholarships to Baker College and Cleary College totaling \$6,000, and a full-ride one-semester scholarship to Eastern Michigan University.

Four runner-ups also will receive cash prizes. All contestants receive several gifts, donated by local businesses throughout Washtenaw County.

The young women will be judged in several areas, including a private interview in which each will have an opportunity to present a social issue platform important to her. The platform of the winner then serves as a basis for the coming year for developing and executing community programming relevant to that issue.

Contestants also will be judged on fitness and a healthy lifestyle in a swimsuit component, personality projection, energy and enthusiasm in sportswear modeling, as well as poise and self-confidence in the eveningwear contest.

In addition, contestants will be judged on talent. This year features several singers covering a wide genre of styles, several dancers, including lyrical, jazz, tap and flamenco, and an interpretive reading.

The nonprofit event is a Miss America preliminary competition. The winner will represent Washtenaw and Livingston counties at the Miss Michigan pageant in June.

Contestants include Erica Thomas of Dexter, Alicia Jaros of Riverview, Ashlee Baracy of Westland, Shannon Kantner of Saline, Sheila Klein of Ann Arbor, Semaj Porter of Jackson, Megan Gibson of Canton, Teresa Stewart of Monroe, Yasamina Kabisch of Ann Arbor, Chasidy Clark of Pinckney, Angela Corradin of Muskegon, Brittne Halford of Ann Arbor, Kathryn Lampi of Farmington Hills, Brittany Fox of Grand Haven and Emily Bowman of Monroe.

CHELSEA-DEXTER AREA

Newspapers launch puzzle

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Where do you start solving a Sudoku puzzle? Anyplace you can — and the popular puzzle is now a regular part of The Chelsea Standard and The Dexter Leader. It makes its debut in today's Community section.

Sudoku puzzles come in varying formats, from Very Easy to Hard. Solving them takes various tricks and techniques, but discovering them is part of the fun.

A Very Easy puzzle might take half an hour the first

time out. But that time will come down, maybe to 10 minutes or less. The Hard puzzles, however, need a lot of attention.

Players should be careful of Very Hard puzzles. How hard can they be? Put it this way: If you were on death row and due to be executed in the morning,

and the guard told you if you solved the puzzle your life would be spared, you'd probably die. Very Hard puzzles are not impossible. They are just very hard.

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SUDOKU PUZZLE

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WASHTENAW COUNTY

Food Gatherers gets grant

Food Gatherers has received a \$44,500 grant from Kraft Foods through the Kraft Community Nutrition Program.

Grants through the program are meant to increase the supply of non-shelf-stable foods with high nutritional quality available to those in need, according to a press release. Funds from Kraft will be used to expand the collection and distribution of

non-shelf-stable food to local nonprofit programs in Washtenaw County.

Support from grantmakers such as Kraft Foods allow Food Gatherers to distribute food to more than 150 nonprofit programs in Washtenaw County. Food Gatherers'

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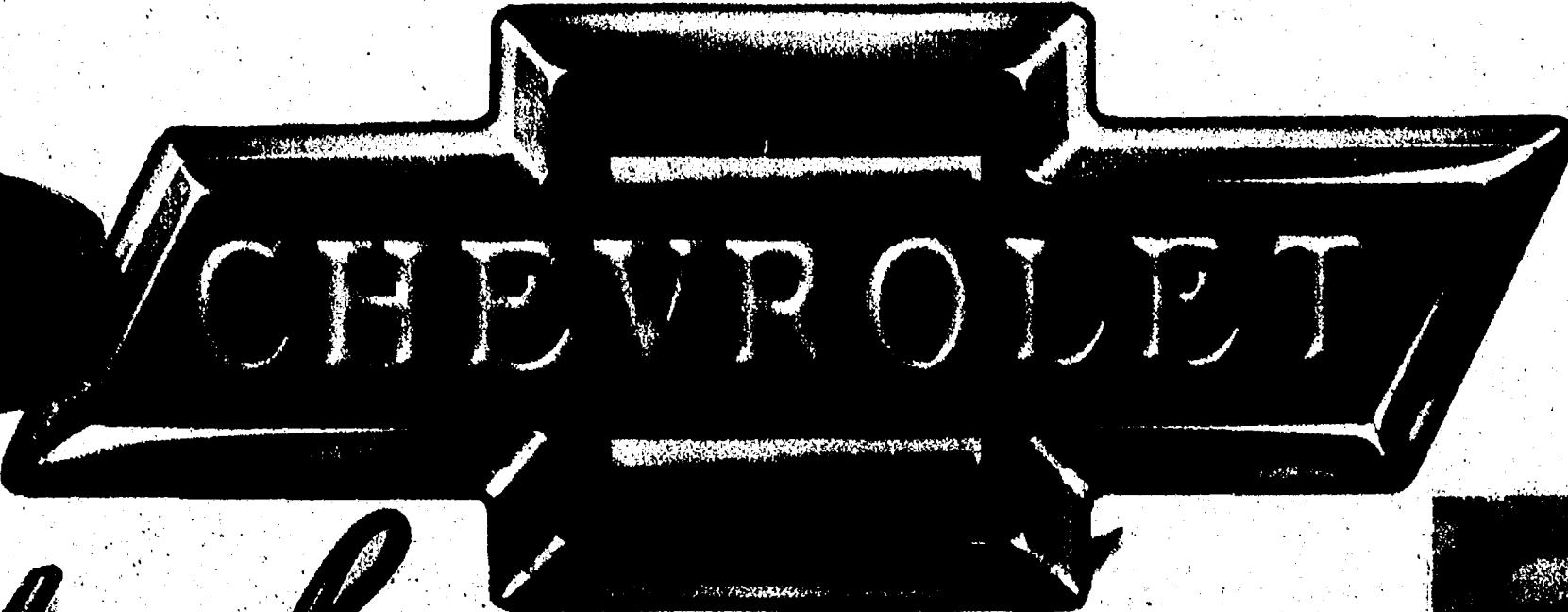
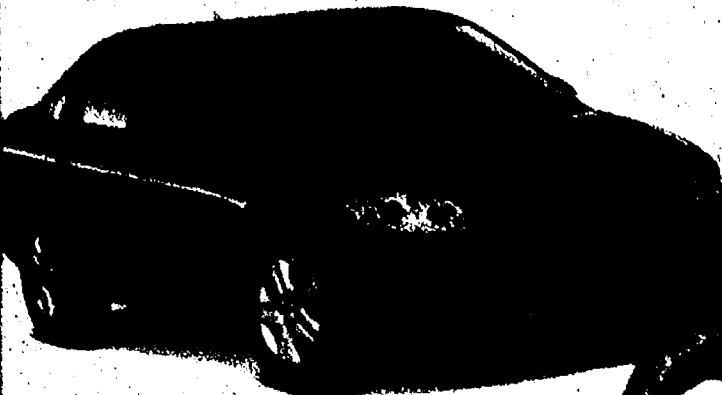
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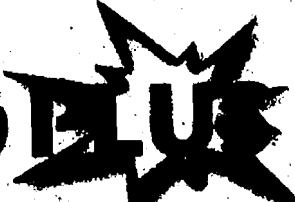
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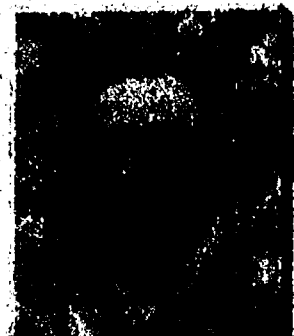
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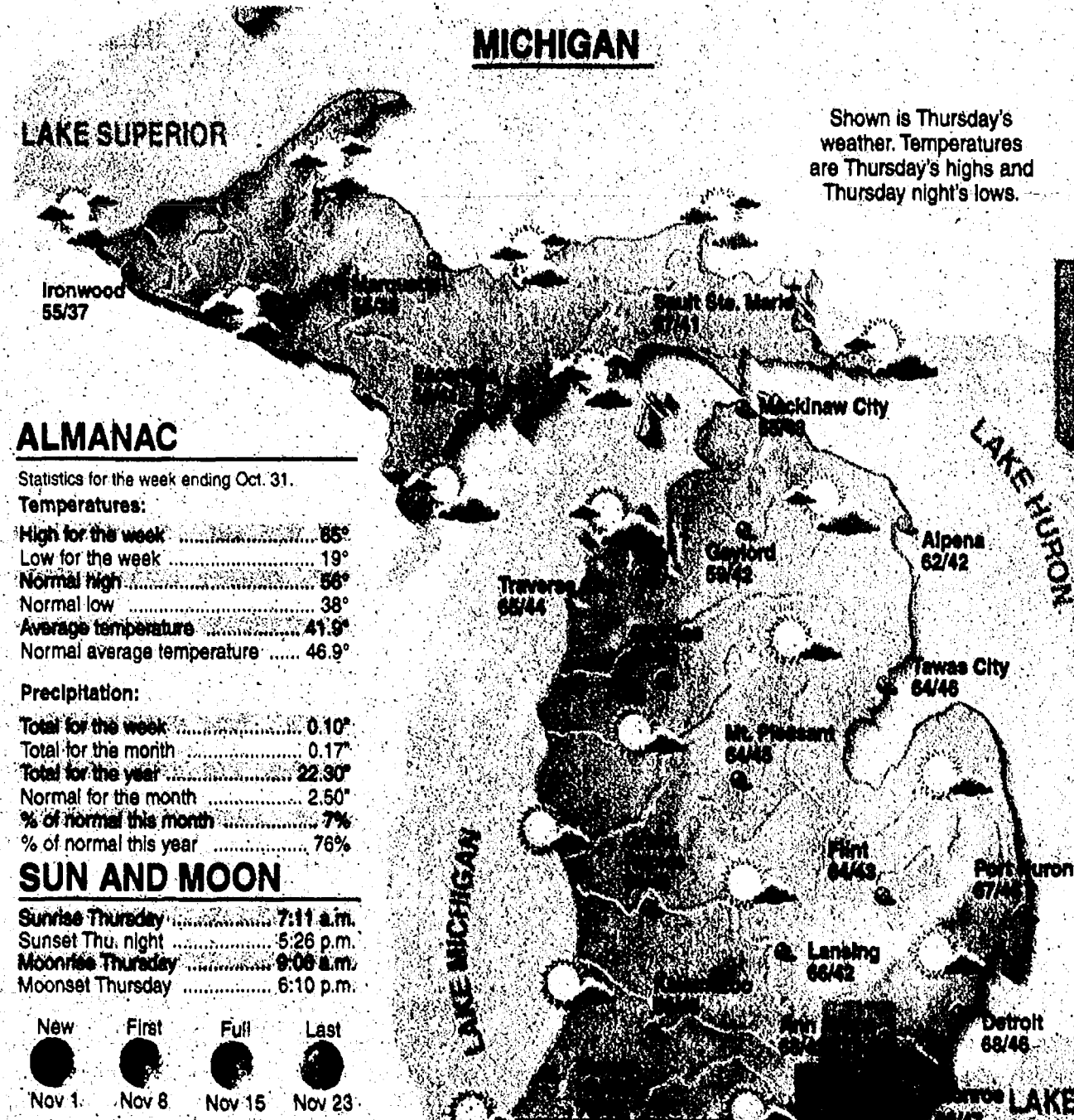

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FIVE-DAY FORECAST FOR WASHTENAW COUNTY

THURSDAY	THU. NIGHT	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY
HIGH: 66°-70° Mostly sunny	LOW: 40°-44° Mainly clear	HIGH: 64°-68° Sunny to partly cloudy	HIGH: 56°-60° Mostly cloudy, a shower in spots	HIGH: 52°-56° Mostly cloudy, a shower in spots	HIGH: 50°-54° Intervals of clouds and sunshine
					
LOW: 37°-41°	LOW: 34°-38°	LOW: 32°-36°	LOW: 34°-38°	LOW: 34°-38°	LOW: 34°-38°



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Statistics for the week ending Oct. 31.

Temperatures:

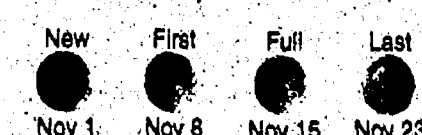
High for the week	85°
Low for the week	19°
Normal high	56°
Normal low	38°
Average temperature	41.9°
Normal average temperature	46.9°

Precipitation:

Total for the week	0.10
Total for the month	0.17
Total for the year	22.30
Normal for the month	2.50
% of normal this month	7%
% of normal this year	76%

SUN AND MOON

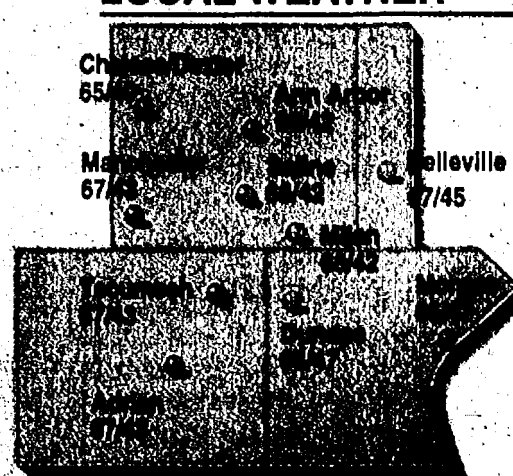
Sunrise Thursday	7:11 a.m.
Sunset Thu. night	5:26 p.m.
Moonrise Thursday	9:06 a.m.
Moonset Thursday	6:10 p.m.



NATIONAL CITIES

	Thur.	Fri.		Thur.	Fri.		Thur.	Fri.		Thur.	Fri.		Thur.	Fri.
City	H/L/W	H/L/W	City	H/L/W	H/L/W	City	H/L/W	H/L/W	City	H/L/W	H/L/W	City	H/L/W	H/L/W
Akron	64/48/s	69/49/s	Burlington	63/40/s	62/47/p	Dallas	65/52/p	65/50/p	Knoxville	70/54/s	74/57/p	Norfolk	66/54/s	73/57/s
Albany	62/41/s	59/44/s	Burlington, IA	72/48/s	64/47/s	Des Moines	68/45/s	62/40/p	Las Vegas	78/52/s	74/50/s	Oklahoma City	60/53/s	79/47/s
Albuquerque	65/42/s	64/43/s	Burlington, VT	58/43/p	66/48/p	Dubuque	81/53/sh	49/52/sh	Louisburg, KY	74/52/s	74/55/s	Omaha	74/48/s	66/50/s
Anchorage	24/12/c	24/13/p	Casper	52/30/p	54/28/sh	El Paso	82/54/s	78/50/s	Lincoln	71/40/s	61/39/p	Orlando	82/65/s	84/65/p
Atlanta	73/54/s	79/55/s	Cedar Rapids	70/41/f	68/40/p	Fairfield	34/10/c	4/-12/c	Little Rock	69/54/s	70/55/p	Palm Springs	62/50/s	67/47/p
Atlantic City	64/48/s	68/51/s	Charleston, SC	78/59/p	77/81/s	Fargo	43/29/sh	44/30/p	Los Angeles	80/58/p	72/54/p	Peoria	72/48/s	67/47/p
Austin	61/58/s	82/58/s	Charlottesville, WV	70/48/s	75/49/s	Flagstaff	58/50/s	59/22/s	Louisville	70/55/s	74/57/p	Philadelphia	65/58/s	70/55/s
Baltimore	68/42/s	72/48/s	Charlotte	72/48/s	76/50/s	Fort Wayne	68/44/s	68/48/p	Madison	67/41/s	57/39/p	Phoenix	85/58/s	83/58/s
Baton Rouge	79/53/s	82/60/sh	Cheyenne	57/32/p	67/48/p	Gary	69/52/s	67/48/p	Memphis	78/57/s	77/60/sh	Portland, ME	58/39/p	60/43/p
Billings	48/32/i	52/32/sh	Chicago	70/48/s	68/48/p	Green Bay	60/42/p	55/35/p	Miami	86/72/sh	86/73/sh	Portland, OR	59/50/s	60/43/p
Birmingham	74/56/s	77/54/s	Cincinnati	71/48/s	70/51/s	Helena	49/28/c	50/30/c	Minneapolis	64/47/s	62/44/p	Providence	59/48/s	65/49/s
Bismarck	44/26/sh	50/27/sh	Cleveland	69/49/s	70/49/s	Honolulu	86/72/s	85/71/p	Mobile	77/57/s	80/51/p	Raleigh	72/52/s	74/54/p
Bloomington	76/51/s	69/47/s	Columbia, MO	77/48/s	65/49/s	Houston	80/60/s	82/62/s	Nashville	78/55/s	79/55/s	Rapid City	47/32/p	54/29/sh
Boise	54/36/s	54/36/sh	Columbus, OH	70/50/s	72/50/s	Indianapolis	69/49/s	69/51/s	New Orleans	80/60/s	81/60/p	Reno	68/58/s	73/58/s
Boston	58/46/s	70/43/s	Dallas	82/58/s	82/58/s	Juneau	40/32/r	38/33/r	New York	64/52/s	71/58/s	Richmond	70/48/s	71/50/s
Brownsville	64/65/s	86/69/s	Davenport	69/44/s	61/42/s	Kansas City	76/47/s	66/47/s						

LOCAL WEATHER



MICHIGAN CITIES

City	Thur. Hi/Low	Fri. Hi/Low
Ann Arbor	68/42/s	68/40/s
Battle Creek	68/44/s	61/45/pc
Bay City	63/43/s	59/41/pc
Coldwater	68/47/s	64/47/pc
Dearborn	68/47/s	65/48/s
Detroit	68/46/s	66/46/pc
Grand Rapids	64/46/s	61/44/pc
Holland	67/46/s	61/44/pc
Jackson	68/45/s	66/44/s
Kalamazoo	68/45/s	66/43/pc
Lansing	66/42/s	61/43/pc
Livonia	68/45/s	64/47/pc
Midland	62/44/s	60/42/pc
Monroe	66/47/s	63/45/pc
Muskegon	62/45/s	59/44/pc
Pontiac	65/45/s	61/48/pc
Port Huron	67/44/s	62/42/pc
Saginaw	65/43/s	60/41/pc
Sarnia	66/42/s	62/41/s
Sault Ste. Marie	57/41/s	50/36/sh
Sturgis	66/46/s	62/45/s
Toronto	67/43/pc	57/42/pc
Traverse City	65/44/s	57/39/pc
Warren	68/48/s	63/49/pc

Weather (W): s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy,
c-cloudy, sh-showers, r-rain, t-thunderstorms
sf-snow flurries, ss-snow like

TRAVEL

Lenawee, Monroe and Washtenaw Counties
High pressure will bring dry weather to the region Thursday with 10 hours of sunshine. Winds will be southwest at 10-20 mph. Dry weather will continue Friday.

REAL FEEL TEMP

<p>The patented RealFeel Temperature is AccuWeather's exclusive index of the effects of temperature, wind, humidity, sunshine, precipitation and elevation on the human body. Shown is the highest realfeel temperature for each day.</p>	
Highest Thursday	63
Highest Friday	59
Highest Saturday	60
Highest Sunday	64

SOLUNAR TABLE

Four-day forecast indicates peak feeding times for fish and game.

	Major	Minor	Major	Minor
Thurs	12:12 p.m.	5:58 a.m.	---	6:25 p.m.
Fri	12:43 a.m.	6:56 a.m.	1:13 p.m.	7:27 p.m.
Sat	1:46 a.m.	8:03 a.m.	2:18 p.m.	8:33 p.m.
Sun	2:44 a.m.	9:10 a.m.	3:25 p.m.	9:39 p.m.

UV INDEX

Highest Thursday 3 Moderate
The ultraviolet index is a guide to exposure to the sun. The higher the UV Index number, the greater the need for eye and skin protection.

WORLD CITIES

	Thur.	Fri.		Thur.	Fri.
City	H/La/W	H/La/W	City	H/La/W	H/La/W
Acapulco	31/74/pc	31/74/pc	Kay	48/66/pc	50/57/pc
Algiers	63/59/s	71/43/sh	Lima	73/59/pc	72/58/pc
Amsterdam	61/48/s	65/49/sh	Lisbon	66/57/pc	61/52/pc
Athens	61/54/r	63/50/pc	London	59/48/sh	54/41/sh
Auckland	69/57/s	73/50/s	Madrid	64/50/sh	57/41/pc
Bangkok	50/73/r	61/72/r	Manila	90/77/sh	91/75/sh
Batavia	66/71/r	66/73/r	Medan City	73/59/pc	76/58/pc
Belling	66/43/s	63/46/s	Montreal	52/39/pc	50/39/c
Bekur	71/68/pc	68/59/sh	Moscow	49/50/pc	49/53/pc
Belgrade	61/48/s	65/46/sh	Nairobi	81/56/pc	81/55/pc
Berlin	62/43/s	52/43/s	Nor Ochi	90/51/pc	86/56/pc
Bogota	69/52/r	69/53/sh	Panama	64/71/r	64/71/r
Buenos Aires	79/58/s	68/40/pc	Paris	66/50/pc	65/53/pc
Cairo	78/57/s	82/57/s	Rio de Janeiro	71/63/r	77/67/sh
Calgary	42/22/s	41/23/s	Rome	68/57/pc	68/57/pc
Cape Town	59/40/pc	59/39/pc	San Juan	88/76/pc	88/78/s
Copenhagen	62/48/s	62/40/pc	Santiago	72/47/pc	78/57/pc
Dublin	57/48/r	52/41/pc	Seoul	68/46/pc	64/48/sh
Hankow	57/43/pc	67/54/sh	Singapore	61/77/r	61/78/r
Geneva	62/47/pc	49/38/c	Stockholm	51/43/pc	53/41/c
Hong Kong	61/72/pc	66/70/pc	Sydney	68/53/pc	76/62/sh
Istanbul	51/38/sh	52/44/sh	Tehran	68/54/sh	68/52/pc
Jakarta	66/71/pc	66/71/pc	Tokyo	68/58/sh	68/58/sh
Jerusalem	72/49/pc	71/49/pc	Vancouver	48/38/r	45/38/r
London	59/48/sh	54/41/sh	Yokohama	64/62/pc	64/62/pc

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COMMUNITY

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Saving a piece of History Welfare Building has interesting past

By Steve Ricci
Staff Writer

Chelsea resident Greg Raye says he is spending "gobs and gobs of money" to renovate and restore a 100-year-old building in Chelsea's Clocktower Complex.

The Welfare Building, 300 N. Main St., was built in 1906 as a recreation facility for employees of the Glazier Stove Co.

Today, although it's surrounded on three sides by buildings owned by McKinley Properties Inc., which is working on a large-scale redevelopment of other buildings in the Clocktower Complex, McKinley, contrary to easy assumptions, does not own the Welfare Building.

Its owners are Raye and H.K. Leonard, a husband-and-wife team that owns H. Leonard LLC, which, according to city tax rolls, owns the Welfare Building, Chelsea Farmer's Supply and two other properties, including their residence, in the city.

Raye said H. Leonard LLC owns the building currently leased by Cranesbill Books, 108 E. Middle St.

H.K. Leonard is the daughter of the late Walter and Helen Leonard, owners and publishers of The Chelsea Standard and The Dexter Leader from 1947 to 1995, when Heritage Newspapers purchased both weekly publications. The Chelsea Standard was established in 1871 and The Dexter Leader two years earlier, in 1869.

Frank Glazier, owner of the Glazier Stove Co., built the 2.4-acre Clocktower Complex in the early 1900s.

Glazier intended to use the Welfare Building as a recreation facility for his workers, many of whom took trains to work from Detroit, staying in boardinghouses for week-long periods.

An article in the Nov. 2, 1905, edition of The Chelsea Standard described Glazier's plans for the building as containing "reading rooms, supplied with the best current literature, a swimming pool, shower baths, separate lockers for the men's clothes."

"There will also be a fine, thoroughly equipped gymnasium in charge of a competent instructor," according to the book "Less Than Immortal, The Rise and Fall of Frank Porter Glazier of Chelsea, Michigan," by Louis Doll.

The Welfare Building also featured a basketball court, theater stage, billiards room and an outdoor porch adjacent to the library.

THE FACTS

THE WELFARE BUILDING

■ Built in 1906 as a recreational facility for Glazier Stove Co. employees.

■ Part of a complex of buildings constructed in the early 1900s as the Glazier Stove Co., owned by Frank Glazier.

■ Glazier, a Republican, was representative of the Michigan State Senate 10th District, 1903-1904; Michigan state treasurer, 1905-1908; Chelsea village president, Chelsea School District director; president of Chelsea Savings Bank; founder of The Ann Arbor News Publishing Co.; part owner of the Chelsea Herald weekly newspaper.

■ Glazier was convicted of embezzlement and misappropriation of state funds, and was sentenced to a 10-year prison term at Jackson Prison in 1908.

■ The Welfare Building passed through the ownership of Glazier; Lewis Spring & Axle Co.; Central Fiber Products; Olivet College; Walter and Helen Leonard; and H.K. Leonard and Greg Raye.

■ A floor of the building collapsed in 1907.

■ Used by Federal Screw Works during World War II for production of war material.

■ Currently undergoing renovation and leased for office space.

■ A museum tracing the history of The Chelsea Standard and The Dexter Leader is planned for the building.

Sources: John Frank; John Kusch; Greg Raye; "Less Than Immortal: The Rise and Fall of Frank Porter Glazier of Chelsea, Michigan," by Louis Doll; www.politicalgraveyard.com by Washtenaw County Clerk Larry Kestenbaum.

Glazier's idea of a company gym proved to be progressive. According to Doll's book, in 1906, the building received a Michigan Historical Site marker as the first recreation building of its kind for company workers in Michigan.

The first such facility in the United States, which, through its generous amenities "exacted absolute obedience and a high rate of productivity," was built by John Patterson of the National Cash Register Co. of Dayton in the 1880s, according to "Less Than Immortal."

John Frank, chairman of the Chelsea Historic District Commission, said that the facility helped keep Glazier Stove Co. employees out of trouble during their weeks away from home.

Frank added that he thinks it's unfortunate Glazier is remembered more for scandal than for his vital contributions to Chelsea.

"Some of Glazier's supporters say he was a populist progressive who was way ahead of his time, and one of the things he did was he took care of his employees," Frank said.

"He thought it was a great idea to look out for (workers') welfare and keep them out of the local brothels and saloons."

Frank said the building's

design was heavily influenced by Flemish architecture, which impressed Glazier when he honeymooned with his wife in Europe, spending time in Belgium and the Netherlands.

Glazier had little time to watch the Welfare Building, or the rest of his company prosper.

In 1907, in the midst of a financial panic, Glazier, then Michigan state treasurer, commingled \$685,000 of state money into his own banks, using the funds for business purposes and his company stock as collateral.

His political enemies took him to court for his borderline business practices.

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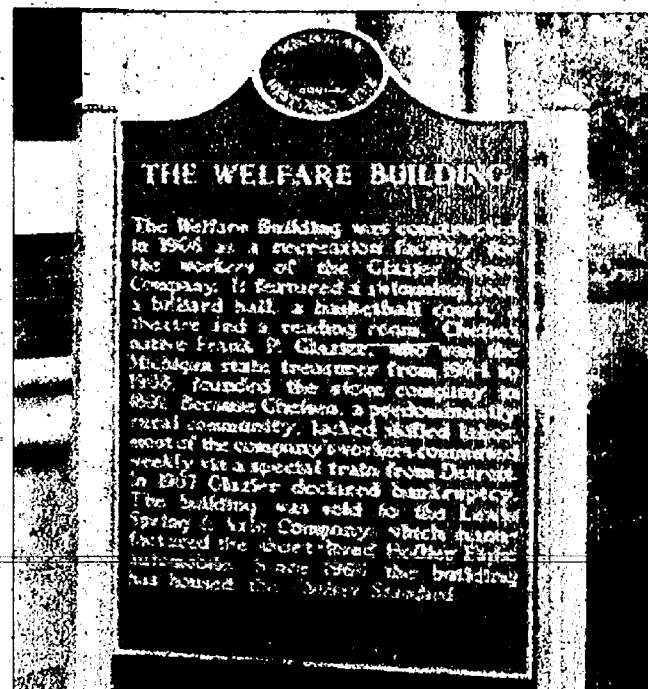
Glazier spent a short time incarcerated — he was released for health problems related to diabetes — and reentered the free world as a politically ruined man.

Glazier became a recluse at his home on Cavanaugh Lake and died Jan. 1, 1922.

After Glazier had declared bankruptcy in 1907, the Lewis Spring & Axle Co., manufacturer of the Hollier Eight automobile, bought the Welfare Building.

The company used the

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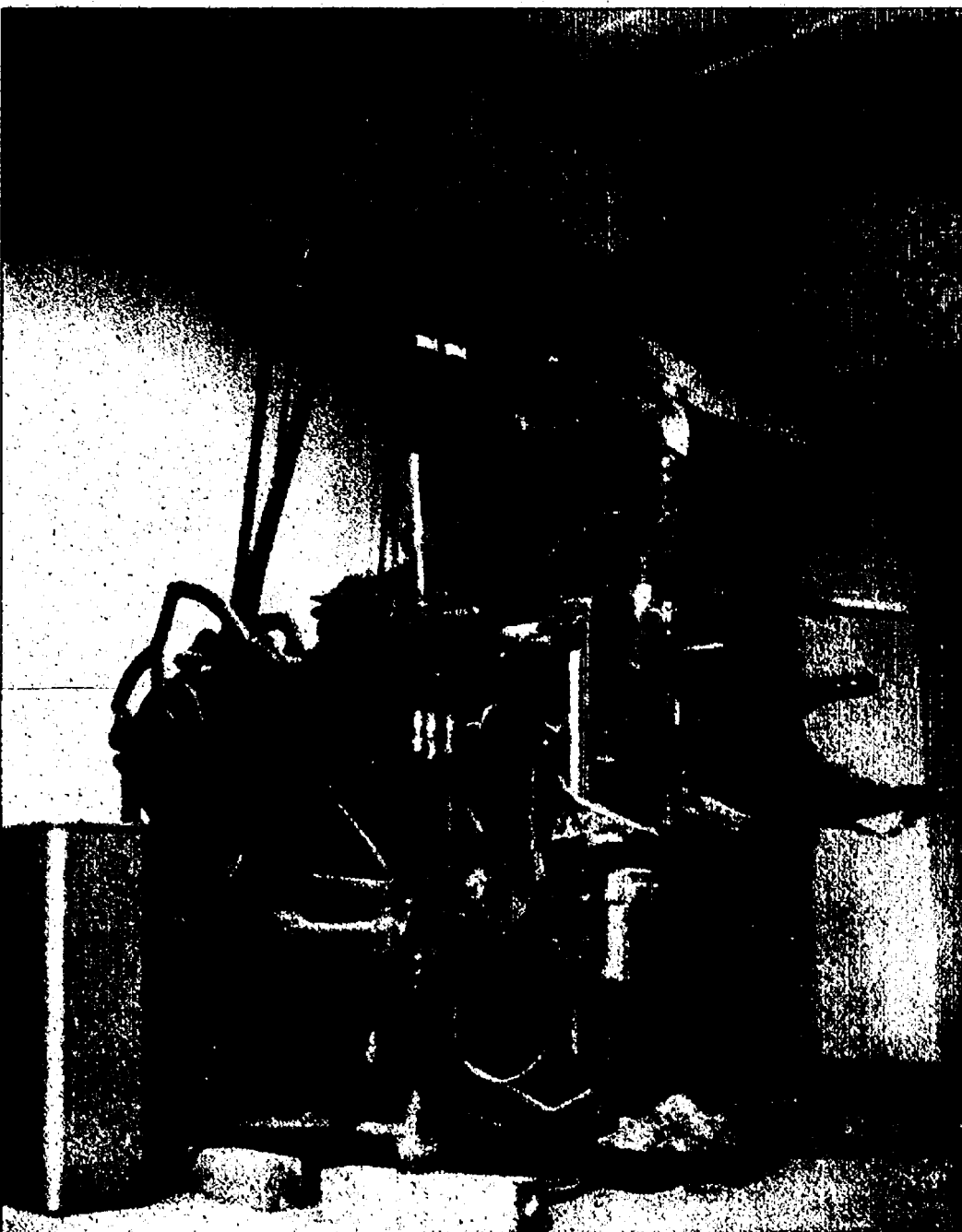
A Michigan Historical Site marker is placed outside the Welfare Building.



Greg Raye (left) and his daughter, Olivia, stand at the entrance to the Welfare Building, 300 N. Main St. in Chelsea. The building once housed The Chelsea Standard and The Dexter Leader.



The Welfare Building as seen from its south façade.



Greg Raye plans to keep the printer in the Welfare Building as "object art." H.K. Leonard is considering establishing a museum in the building to trace the history of The Chelsea Standard and The Dexter Leader newspapers.

Photos by
Steve Ricci

One of Walter and Helen Leonard's printing presses remains inside the building.



COMMUNITY CALENDAR

CHELSEA

Saturday, Nov. 5

The third annual craft and bake sale will be held from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at St. Paul United Church of Christ, 14600 Old US-12, in Chelsea.

Barefoot Kevin & Friends will perform from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at Pierce's Pastries Plus, 103 W. Middle St., in Chelsea as part of the Morning Mochas and Melodies program.

The Eddy Discovery Center will present a walk titled "Who's Hibernating?" 2 p.m. at the Waterloo Recreation Area, 17030 Bush Road, in Chelsea. To register for the free program, call 475-3170. A state park motor vehicle permit is required for entry.

St. Louis Center will hold its 18th annual charity dinner and auction 6 p.m. at the Chelsea Community Hospital Main Dining Room, 775 S. Main St. For reservations and ticket information, call 475-8430.

Monday, Nov. 7

Coffee hour with state Sen. Liz Brater will be held from 8 to 10 a.m. at Zou Zou's Café, 101 N. Main Street, in Chelsea. For more information, call 1-866-305-0318 or e-mail: senlbrater@senate.michigan.gov.

"Reverse Mortgages: What You Need to Know" program will be held 6:30 p.m. at the Chelsea District Library, 500 Washington St. Wells Fargo consultant Dennis Grysen will discuss the facts about reverse mortgages and answer questions. Registration requested, but walk-ins are welcome. For more information or to register, call 475-8732.

Tuesday, Nov. 8

The Alzheimer's Association will present a two-hour workshop titled "Partnering With Your Doctor: A Workshop for People Experiencing Memory Loss and Their Care Partners." It will be held from 6 to 8 p.m. at Chelsea Community Hospital Woodland Rooms A & B, 775 S. Main St. The workshop is free, but registration is required. To register or for more information, call the Alzheimer's Association at 677-3081.

Book signing by Michigan author Ed Draugelis will be held 7 p.m. at Cranesbill Books, 108 E. Middle St., in Chelsea. For more information, call 433-2665.

Thursday, Nov. 10

A holiday bazaar and bake sale will take place from 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. in the Chelsea Community Hospital Dining Room, 775 S. Main St. Raffle tickets are on sale for \$1 each or six for \$5. For more information or to purchase a ticket, call 475-3913.

"Step 3 - Internet Advanced" workshop will be held from 6 to 8 p.m. at the Chelsea District Library, 500 Washington St. Prerequisite of Step 2 recommended. Space is limited and registration is required. For more information or to register, call 475-8732.

"Budget Decorating and Entertaining for the Holidays" program will be held 6:30 p.m. at the Chelsea District Library, 500 Washington St. Interior designer Pat Allegra will lead the program. Registration is required, but walk-ins are welcome. For more information or to register, call 475-8732.

Saturday, Nov. 12 and Sunday, Nov. 13

Annual Christmas bazaar of the Ladies of St. Mary Catholic

Church will be held from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday and from 9 a.m. to noon Sunday at the Parish Hall, 14200 E. Old US-12, in Chelsea.

Charles Reinhart Co. Realtors 10th annual coat drive will take place throughout the month of November. Coats in good repair may be dropped off at any Charles Reinhart Co. sales office or at any Reinhart Sunday open house. There is a particular need for children's coats. For more information, call 669-5870.

CHELSEA MISCELLANEOUS

Thursday

Alzheimer's Association Family Caregiver Support Group meets from 2 to 3:30 p.m. the third Thursday of the month at the Chelsea Retirement Community, 805 W. Middle St. Call 1-800-337-3827.

Books & Banter Group meets 1:30 p.m. the third Thursday of each month at the Chelsea District Library, 500 Washington St. Copies of the books are available for registered readers. For information, call 475-8732.

Chelsea Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors meets the third Thursday of the month. Call 475-1145.

Friends of Chelsea District Library meets on a regular basis. For more information, call Marie Brooks at 475-8732 or Jennifer Kundak at 475-2424.

Mastering Motherhood group meets every Thursday during the school year from 9:15 to 11 a.m. at Chelsea Free Methodist Church, 7665 Werkner Road. The group provides support to mothers through weekly meetings, discussions and book studies. Newcomers are always welcome. For more information, call 475-1391.

Senior Nutrition Program meets noon every Thursday for dinner at the Waterloo Township Hall, 8061 Washington St., in Waterloo. For reservations, call 475-7439.

Friday

Al-Anon meets 12:30 p.m. every Friday at Chelsea Community Hospital, 775 S. Main St., in the White Oak Center Great Room. Call 475-1462.

Bingo is held 6:30 p.m. every Friday night at Chelsea Rod and Gun Club, 7103 Lingane Road, in Chelsea. Call 475-7910.

Rep. Joe Schwarz will meet with residents from 8 to 9 a.m. the first and third Fridays of the month at Zou Zou's Café, 101 N. Main St., in Chelsea.

Saturday

Hope Clinic, for people with no health insurance, is held 9 a.m. to noon on the second Saturday of the month at Faith In Action, 775 S. Main St. Call 475-3305.

Western Washtenaw Republicans meets from 9:30 to 11 a.m. the second Saturday of the month at Cleary's Pub, 113 S. Main St. Call 996-9467.

German Social Club meets 1 p.m. the last Saturday of the month at Wolverine restaurant, 20460 Old US-12. Call 475-1583.

Prayerful Hands Group meets monthly at Our Savior Lutheran Church, 1515 S. Main St., in Chelsea. The group knits, crochets, sews and quilts for those in need. For more information, call the church at 475-1404 or 475-1295.

Sunday

The Parkinson Education and Support Group of Washtenaw County meets from 1:30 to 4 p.m.

the second Sunday of the month. Call 1-800-852-9781.

Monday

Al-Anon meets 7:30 p.m. every Monday at Chelsea Community Hospital, 775 S. Main St. Call 475-1462.

Chelsea AA group meetings are held 8:30 p.m. Monday, 8 p.m. Thursday, 7 p.m. Saturday and Sunday at the Chelsea hospital dining room, and noon on Tuesday and Wednesday at First Congregational Church, 121 E. Middle St.

Chelsea Area Garden Club meets noon the second Monday of the month at First United Methodist Church, 128 Park St. Call 475-1493.

Chelsea Kiwanis Club meets 6:15 p.m. every Monday at Chelsea Community Hospital, 775 S. Main St. Call 475-6128.

Chelsea Senior Nutrition Lunch Program has moved to the cafeteria at the Washington Street Education Center, 500 East Washington St. Lunch is open to the public noon Monday through Friday. To reserve a spot, call 475-9242 at least one day in advance.

Lima Township Board meets 8 p.m. the second Monday of every month at the Township Hall, 11452 Jackson Road, in Chelsea. For more information, call 475-2246.

Masonic Lodge 156 of Chelsea meets 7:30 p.m. the second Monday of the month at 113 W. Middle St. Call 433-1452.

Mystery Book Club meets 7:30 p.m. the second Monday of the month at the Washington Street Education Center, 500 Washington St.

Overeaters Anonymous meets 6 to 7 p.m. every Monday at the Covenant Church, 50 N. Freer Road. Call 995-1835.

Tuesday

Chelsea District Library Board meets 6:30 p.m. the third Tuesday of the month at the Washington Street Education Center, 500 Washington St.

Chelsea Lions Club meets 6:45

p.m. on the first and third Tuesdays of the month at Chelsea Community Hospital, 775 S. Main St.

Chelsea Rotary Club meets 12:30 p.m. every Tuesday at the Common Grill, 112 S. Main St.

Euchre Party is held 7 p.m. every Tuesday at the Chelsea Senior Citizen Center, 512 E. Washington St. Call 475-9242.

Grandparents as Parents program is held 12:30 p.m. the second and fourth Tuesdays of the month at First United Methodist Church, 128 Park St. Call 712-3625.

"Senior Computing: One to One" workshop is held from 10 a.m. to noon the first and third Tuesdays each month at the Chelsea District Library, 500 Washington St. There is no charge, but registration is required. To register or for more information, call 475-8732.

Senior Nutrition Program meets noon every Tuesday for dinner at the Waterloo Township Hall, 8061 Washington St., in Waterloo. Call 475-7439.

Woman's Club of Chelsea meets 1 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month at The Pines, 325 Wilkinson St. For information, call Marjorie Heppum at 475-0467.

Wednesday

Chelsea Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 4076, 105 N. Main St., meets 7:30 p.m. the second Wednesday of the month. Call 475-1448.

Narcotics Anonymous meets 7 p.m. every Wednesday at Chelsea Community Hospital, main dining room, 775 S. Main St., in Chelsea.

The Evening Primrose Garden Club meets 7 p.m. the second Wednesday of the month at the Chelsea Depot, 125 Jackson St.

DEXTER

Friday, Nov. 4

Community planning meeting will be held 7 p.m. in the basement of National City Bank, 8123 Main St., in Dexter for anyone wishing to volunteer to put together Luminaria kits and distribute them. For more

information, call the Dexter Area Chamber of Commerce at 426-0887. The Luminaria kit workshop will be held Nov. 26 and 27 at Prestige Lines in Dexter.

Saturday, Nov. 5

A bird hike will begin 8 a.m. at Hudson Mills Metropark, 8801 North Territorial Road, in Dexter Township. Participants should bring binoculars and a field guide. The fee is \$2 per person and registration is required. Call 426-8211.

"Turkey in the Straw" program will be held 11 a.m. at the Dexter District Library, 8040 Fourth St., in Dexter. No registration is required, but space is limited. For more information, call 426-4477.

Travels with a Naturalist: Discover Ancient Pompeii program will be held 1 p.m. at Hudson Mills Metropark, 8801 North Territorial Road, in Dexter. The fee is \$2 per person and registration is required. Call 426-8211.

"Adoption Conference: How to Adopt Infants, Toddlers and Older Children" will be held from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. at People's Church, 425 W. Unadilla St., in Pinckney. Various workshops will be held throughout the day and include speakers from agencies, as well as attorneys, social workers and adoptive parents. The cost is \$50 per person and pre-registration is required. For more information or to register, call 1-734-878-3407.

DEXTER MISCELLANEOUS

Thursday

Dexter AA group meets 7:30 p.m. every Thursday at St. Joseph's Parish Hall in the education building, 3470 Dover St., in Dexter.

Dexter American Legion meets 8 p.m. the first Thursday of the month at the American Legion Post, 8225 Dexter-Chelsea Road. Call 426-3112.

Dexter Community Band meets from 7 to 9 p.m. every Thursday at the Dexter High School band room, 2200 N. Parker Road. Call 426-2734.

Dexter Historical Society meets 7:30 p.m. the first Thursday of the month at the Dexter Area Museum, 3443 Inverness St., in Dexter.

Dexter Rotary Club meets 7:30 to 8:30 a.m. every Thursday at Creekside Intermediate School, 2615 Baker Road.

Dexter Downtown Development Authority meets 7:30 p.m. the second Thursday of the month at the Copeland Administration Building, 7714 Ann Arbor St., in Dexter.

Dexter Lions Club meets 6:45 p.m. on the first and third Thursdays at DAPCO Industries, 2500 Bishop Circle East, in Dexter. Call 426-8549.

Girlfriends Inc. is for women of all ages. The group meets 6:30 p.m. every Tuesday. See CALENDAR — Page 6-B



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WEDDINGS

Howison, Douglass marry

Elizabeth Howison, daughter of William and Margo Howison of Dexter, and Daniel Douglass, son of Claudia Douglass of Mount Pleasant, were married May 21 at Grace Bible Church in Ann Arbor.

The Rev. Matthew Postiff, Ph.D. officiated.

The maid of honor was Meghann McParlan. Jennifer Howison, sister-in-law, and Kristen White, cousin of bride, were bridesmaids.

Grace Kleindienst was the flower girl and Joseph Kleindienst was the ring bearer. They are both cousins of the bride.

The best man was Joseph Wapenski. The groomsmen were Steve Patterson and Ian Trevethan.

A reception was held at the bride's parents' home in Dexter. The couple honeymooned on Mackinac Island. They reside in Mukilteo, Wash.

The bride graduated from Dexter High School and the University of Michigan. She is employed at Imagine Children Museum in Everett, Wash.

The groom graduated from Mount Pleasant High School and U of M. He is employed with Boeing in Everett, Wash.



BIRTHS

A son, Andrew Martin, was born Oct. 4 at Foote Hospital in Jackson to Sarah and Martin Sherwood of Grass Lake. Maternal grandparents are John and Patti Schick of Chelsea. Paternal grandparents are Duke and Sharon Sherwood of Grass Lake. Great-grandparents are Noel Laraway of Chelsea, John Laraway of Wayne, and John and Louise Schick of Auburn.

A daughter, Sarah Lucille, was born March 14 in Augusta, Ga., to David and Deborah Steele of Martinez, Ga. Maternal grandparents are J. Paul and Beverly Griffin of Martinez, Ga. Paternal grandparents are Richard and Margaret Steele of Chelsea. Great-grandmother is Dorothy McBride of Martinez, Ga. Sarah has a brother, Joey, 4.

A son, Landen Carter, was born Oct. 14 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Superior Township to Jennifer and Bryan Schipul of Munith. Maternal grandparents are Margaret Hafner of Ann Arbor and Lloyd Hafner of Munith. Paternal grandparents are Sandi and Steve Varney of Pinckney, and David and Angel Schipul of Clearwater, Fla. Landen has a brother, Conor, 2.

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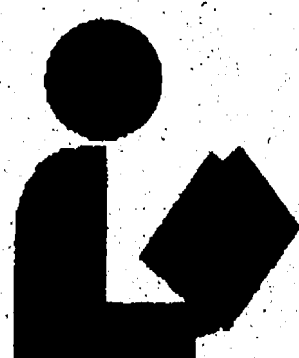
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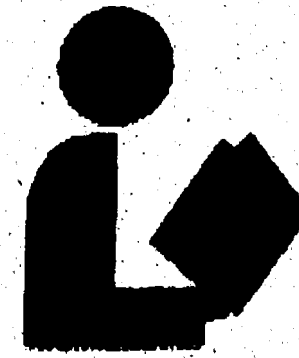
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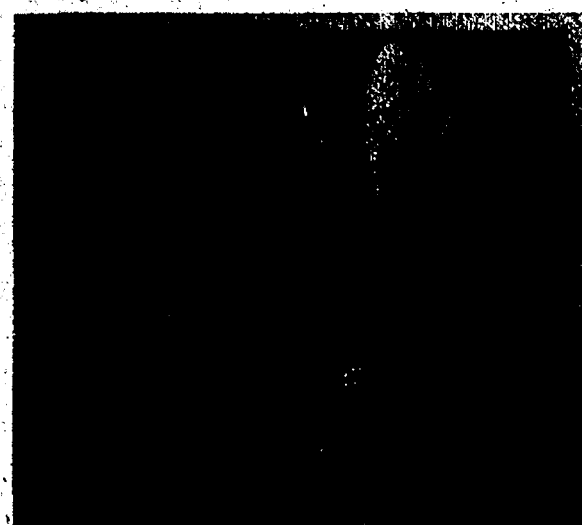
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Chelsea Lanes held a Halloween party Oct. 29 for pupils in fourth through eighth grades. Activities included bowling, face painting, fortune telling, cookie decorating and a costume contest. Diana Uihlein, dressed as Zorro, is shown pumpkin bowling on the lawn of Chelsea Lanes. Behind her are Daniel Wisniewski (left), a doctor; his sister, Jessica Wisniewski, a surgeon; and Brittany Moore, dressed as Lucille Ball from "I Love Lucy." Brittany won first place in the costume contest, Diana won third place, and Jessi Baldwin (not pictured) won second place as a multi-colored ghost.



Photo by Alison Marable
Olivia Steele's pirate costume didn't stop her from swinging at recess Friday at South Meadows Elementary School.



Hunter Twigg, a corpse bride; Rachel Snyder, a Diva; and Ian Shackelford, a wizard, hang out on the bridge during recess following a pizza and pop lunch at South Meadows Elementary School's Halloween party.

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HALLOWEEN



Photo by Alison Marable
Lauren Hall fans out the body of her construction-paper lizard. Fifth-graders at South Meadows Elementary School used brightly-colored paper to make long, moveable lizards as one of the Halloween party activities.



Lauren Schad (left) and Holly Kranz, pupils at South Meadows Elementary School, had the same witchy idea when they dressed for school Friday to celebrate Halloween.

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Zach Ousley, dressed as a scarecrow, and his younger sister, Olivia, play Halloween games on laptops Friday at South Meadows Elementary School as part of the Halloween festivities.

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Photo courtesy of Ginger Watson

Bella Verardi looks like a princess in the dress-up center at Lambs of Our Savior Christian Preschool. Bella is in Ginger Watson and Jane Kranz's pre-kindergarten class.



Photo by Alison Marable

Penny Hollandsworth and South Meadows Elementary School Principal Lisa Nickel serve up pizza Friday as a special treat for Halloween lunch.



Ryan Mitchell and Kylie Kuebler got all dressed up for a Halloween Party Oct. 27 at Chelsea Community Education Preschool. They were visiting their younger siblings in the 3-year-old class.

HISTORY

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building as a recreation hall for a short period before converting the structure into office and warehouse space, Frank said.

Although he said he is not certain of the facts, Frank said that around 1920, James Bacon and Howard Holmes, organizers of Central Fiber Products, bought the Clocktower buildings.

Longtime Chelsea attorney John Keusch said, that, at some point, Bacon donated the Welfare Building to Olivet College, which used it for storage.

Keusch said that during World War II, Federal Screw Works used two floors of the Welfare Building to produce war-related materiel.

"(Federal Screw Works) ruined the building," he said.

Keusch said Walter Leonard, as publisher of The Chelsea Standard and The Dexter Leader, rented portions of the building from Bacon and Olivet College for a period before buying the building in the early 1960s.

Although the newspapers changed hands in 1995, the Leonard family retained ownership of the Welfare Building, the former home of The Chelsea Standard and The Dexter Leader for more than 30 years.

In addition to publishing the newspapers, Leonard also ran a print shop business in the building.

Walter and Helen Leonard passed on ownership of the building to their daughter, H.K. Leonard.

While the building was home to The Chelsea Standard and The Dexter Leader, its main floor housed editorial offices, and its second floor and basement were used for storage.

Raye, who recently guided a tour of the building, said the storage floors contained large amounts of supplies,

including parts for old printing presses, reams of paper, rolls of newsprint, boxes of envelopes and card stock.

Before renovation work started, H.K. Leonard donated as much of the surplus materials she could to charitable organizations, her husband said.

Raye said Walter Leonard used a small, antique printing press until 1995 for the production of printed materials, such as fliers.

The Purple Rose Theatre Company leased the building in the late 1990s while the company's new theater building was built at 137 Park St.

Raye has shown an interest in the building dating back years. He said he got involved with the building shortly after meeting H.K. whom he married in 1986.

In earning a master's degree in architecture at the University of Michigan, Raye built a model of a proposal for redevelopment of the downtown railway corridor from East Street to Main Street in Chelsea.

While home to the newspapers, Raye said the building, which has a total of 12,000 square feet combined in its basement, first and second floors, had about 1,500 square feet of office space and 1,000 square feet devoted to printing presses.

When the Purple Rose moved out, Raye divided the building's first floor into six offices, each with "a different personality," he said.

Renovation work included installing new walls, ceilings, floors, new electrical wiring and a new roof.

"The old roof leaked like a sieve," he said.

With the exception of a few bathrooms, "We've redone everything except the shell of the building," he said.

Raye declined to say how much money was invested in the renovation, but said large sums were called for.

"This building deserved a first-class renovation," he said.

Tenants, including an attorney, hand weaver, financial planner and a manufacturer's representative, currently occupy five of the building's first-floor offices.

Raye worked to maintain the cathedral ceilings of the upper floor, former home of the basketball court.

On the second floor, Raye built one-story offices with their own roofs, above which the cathedral ceiling rises, painted blue to mimic a wide-open, blue sky.

Old steel girding supporting the ceiling is left exposed.

"I'm trying to do a first-class renovation here," Raye said. "I'm trying to be sensitive to the magnificent architecture and leave the space open."

The second floor still has 100-year-old maple hardwood floors — part of the original basketball court — and Raye replaced some places of the floor that had deteriorated with new maple.

Three third-floor offices are currently occupied, and 1,400 square feet of the floor are either unfinished or not leased.

Plans also include converting freight elevators into passenger elevators.

Raye said despite industrial uses in the building's past, he knows of no contamination on the site.

Asbestos removal in the basement, most likely the site of the pool, was the only work needed in that regard, he said.

A large printing press remains in the Welfare Building, which Raye plans to keep as "object art," he said.

Raye also said that H.K. Leonard would like to establish a museum in the building to trace the history of the newspapers.

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A Job Well Done

Chelsea Mayor Ann Feeney presents a Certificate of Appreciation to Chelsea Downtown Development Authority President Edith Behringer recognizing her service to the city and the DDA. Behringer is moving from Chelsea and submitted her resignation at the October DDA meeting. She served on the board of directors from February 2001 to October 2005, and held the position of president from January 2004 to October 2005. DDA Vice President Mike Jackson, owner of Vogel's & Foster's, will be taking over the duties of president.

ANN ARBOR

Fund-raiser to benefit rabbits

The second annual Art, Wine and Ears fund-raiser for the Great Lakes Rabbit Sanctuary will be held from 2 to 6 p.m. Nov. 13 at Cobblestone Farm in Ann Arbor.

The event will include live entertainment, appetizers, wine, a silent auction and good-will bunny ambassadors.

The Great Lakes Rabbit Sanctuary takes calls that come from people across

Southeastern Michigan looking for homes for abandoned or abused rabbits. Currently, the rabbit sanctuary is caring for 75 rabbits.

The Art, Wine and Ears event is the sanctuary's largest fund-raising event of the year.

Tickets are \$25, and all proceeds will benefit the Great Lakes Rabbit Sanctuary, a nonprofit organization. For tickets or more information, contact Tim Patino at tim@rabbit-sanctuary.org or call 1-734-461-1726.

CALENDAR

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p.m. the second and fourth Thursday of the month. Call 424-3404.

Friday

Friends of Dexter District Library meets 10 a.m. the second Friday of the month at the Dexter District Library, 8040 Fourth St. Call 426-4477.

Saturday

Monthly Book Sale by the Friends of the Dexter District Library will be held from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. the first Saturday of each month through June at the library, 8040 Fourth St.

Monday

Dexter Board of Education meets 7 p.m. the second and fourth Mondays at Creekside Intermediate School, 2615 Baker Road, in Dexter.

Dexter Village Council meets 7:30 p.m. the second and fourth Mondays at the Dexter Senior Center, 7720 Ann Arbor St.

Dexter Village Planning Commission meets 7:30 p.m. the first Monday of the month at the Dexter Senior Center, 7720 Ann Arbor St.

Dexter Village Zoning Board of Appeals meets 7 p.m. the third Monday of the month at Dexter Senior Center, 7720 Ann Arbor St.

Tuesday

Dexter Kiwanis Club meets 6:30 p.m. the first and third Tuesdays of the month at Lighthouse Café, 8124 Main St., in Dexter.

Dexter Township Planning Commission meets 7:30 p.m. the first and fourth Tuesdays at Dexter Township Hall, 6880 Dexter-Pinckney Road.

Dexter Village Parks Commission meets 7 p.m. the third Tuesday of the month at Wylie Elementary School, 3060

Kensington St.

Wednesday

Dexter American Legion Auxiliary meets 7 p.m. the third Wednesday of the month at the American Legion Post, 8225 Dexter-Chelsea Road. Call 426-3112.

Dexter Area Chamber of Commerce Golf Committee meets 8 a.m. the fourth Wednesday of the month in the Chamber Conference Room, 8005 Main St. For more information, call 426-0887.

TOPS Weight Loss Group meets weekly from 6:30 to 8 p.m. at the Dexter Senior Center, 7720 Ann Arbor-Dexter Road. Call 426-4031 for more information.

Western Washtenaw Democrats meets 7 p.m. the fourth Wednesday of the month at the IBEW Hall, 7920 Jackson Road, in Scio Township. For more information, call 475-8551.

Ann Arbor

Tuesday, Nov. 8

"Teens Using Drugs Part 2: What to Do?" free seminar will be held from 7:30 to 9 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month through June at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital.

Education Center, 5305 Elliott Drive in Superior Township. For more information about the program, call 973-7892.

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Now their story is being told in "A Soldier's Life," a special exhibit opening Sunday and running through June 11, 2006, at the Michigan Historical Museum in downtown Lansing.

Opening-day activities for "A Soldier's Life" include the 2005 Veterans Tribute, sponsored by the Friends of Michigan History, beginning at 2 p.m.

Gus Ganakas, former Michigan State University men's basketball coach who, as a young Marine in World War II, served during the invasion of Okinawa, will be the honored guest speaker at the tribute, which begins with a ceremonial massing of the colors.

A variety of special activities highlighting Michigan's military history will take place at the museum from 1 to 5 p.m.

"It goes without saying that life has changed quite a bit over the past 200 years, and life in the military is no exception," Phillip Kwiatkowski, direc-

tor of the Michigan Historical Museum System, said in a press release. "A Soldier's Life" explores how life as a Michigan soldier has changed over the years and how some things have stayed remarkably the same.

Through artifacts, graphics and interactive programs, visitors will experience the daily lives of troops living at various Michigan military posts.

The exhibit will allow visitors to follow changes in missions, daily jobs, food, shelter, uniforms, recreation, housing and technology during the past two centuries, as well as play a drum, use a washboard and carry gear just like our service men and women have.

"A Soldier's Life" also examines how technological support from Michigan-based military installations and industries impacts today's citizen-soldiers.

Each major time period and each branch of military service — Army, Navy, Marines, Air Force and Coast Guard — are represented in the exhibit, as are major military forts and posts.

Key artifacts include:

• 1812 Chapeau Bras — A decorated hat worn by a militia officer during the War of 1812.

• World War I Gas Mask — Stories about the use of poison gas in battle on

the Western front were kept from the American public, as scientists and business struggled to design and produce effective masks to protect U.S. soldiers.

• World War II K-rations — In 1942 a new Army ration was introduced for use by mobile units. The ration contained everything a soldier needed for one meal and provided more than 1,000 calories.

• Add-on Armor Door (2005) — Today Michigan citizen-soldiers serve around the world, and citizens back home support them through research, development and production of a wide variety of items that make our soldiers safer.

The Michigan Historical Museum is located inside the Michigan Library and Historical Center, 702 West Kalamazoo St., two blocks west of the State Capitol in downtown Lansing.

The main entrance and visitor parking are located north of Kalamazoo Street, just east of Martin Luther King Jr. Boulevard. Museum hours are 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday and 1 to 5 p.m. Sunday. Admission and weekend parking are free.

For more information, visit the Web site www.michigan.gov/museum or call 1-517-373-3559.



Anne Sullivan, played by Jackie Stotlar, and Tally Chomic, as Helen Keller, share a tender moment during the Dexter High School Drama Club's production of "The Miracle Worker." The play will be performed Nov. 11, 12, 18, 19 and 20.

DEXTER SCHOOLS

Club to present 'Miracle Worker'

The Dexter High School Drama Club will present "The Miracle Worker" Nov. 11, 12, 18, 19 and 20.

The play tells the story of the blind and deaf Helen Keller and her teacher, Anne Sullivan, who comes to the Keller house to help Helen cope with her disability.

This year, director Harry Wilcox and his assistant director Jane Wilcox, have decided to double cast the production to accommodate all of Dexter High School's talent.

Brittany Batell and Tally Chomic will play Helen Keller, and Amanda Forrester and Jackie Stotlar will assume the role of Anne Sullivan.

Maggie Craft and Christy Derry will play Kate Keller, Sebastian Gerstner will play Captain Keller and Andrew Keller will play James Keller.

The rest of the cast includes Catherine Bergren, Mitchell Clark, Casey Daczka, Rachel Davis, Andrew Ellwood, Caitlin Gravel, Luke Longoria, Sheena Mathew, Sam Offord, Christi Olton, Rachel Viola, Lawren Wright and Alexandria Zadryzinski.

Fridy and Saturday shows are set for 7:30 p.m. and Sunday's will be held 2 p.m. The Sunday performance will be presented with an interpreter for the deaf.

The performances will be at the Dexter High School Center for the Performing Arts, 2200 N. Parker Road.

General admission tickets are available in advance at \$8 for adults and \$6 for students and senior citizens at the Country Market, Busch's ValuLand and the Dexter District Library.

Tickets will cost \$2 more at the door.

PINCKNEY

Auditions set Nov. 14

The Pinckney Players will hold auditions for Neil Simon's "Rumors," a dinner-theater show set for March.

The cast will include five men and four women, approximately 30 years and older. Auditions will be held 7 p.m. Nov. 14 at the Navigator School Library in Pinckney.

A typical farce, the dialogue is fast and furious as the characters find themselves at a dinner party with one host missing and the other unconscious. As the guests scramble to unravel the mystery, the police arrive on the scene, only to complicate matters.

Shows, to be directed by Kris Lovill and produced by Lisa Stahl, will be held at Whispering Pines Golf Club in Pinckney.

For more information, call the Pinckney Players' voice mail at 1-810-220-9332, visit the Web site

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CHELSEA AREA

Ott completes basic training

Navy Seaman Recruit Richard Ott, son of Laura Schmid of Chelsea and Richard Ott of Pinckney recently completed U.S. Navy basic training at Recruit Training Command in Great Lakes, Ill.

During the eight-week program, Ott, a 2004 Chelsea High School graduate, com-

pleted a variety of training, which included classroom study and practical instruction on naval customs, first aid, firefighting, water safety and survival. He also learned about shipboard and aircraft safety. An emphasis was also placed on physical fitness.

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Introducing Sudoku

Sudoku is a placement puzzle and is also known as number place.

The aim of the puzzle is to enter a number from 1 through 9 in each cell of a grid, starting with various "given" numbers in some cells. Each row, column and region must contain only one instance of each number.

Completing the puzzle requires patience and modest logical ability (although some puzzles can be very difficult).

First published in the United States, Sudoku initially became popular in Japan and attained international popularity in 2005.

The numerals in Sudoku puzzles are used for convenience; arithmetic relationships between numerals are not important.

Rules and guidelines:

The puzzle is most frequently a 9x9 grid made up of 3x3 "regions". Some cells already contain numbers, known as "givens".

The goal is to fill in the empty cells, placing one number in each, so that each column, row, and region contains the numbers 1 through 9 exactly once.

Each number in the solution therefore occurs only once in each of three directions.

The attraction of the puzzle is that the completion rules are simple, yet the line of reasoning required for completion may be difficult.

Published puzzles often are ranked in terms of difficulty. This also may be expressed by giving an estimated solution time.

While the greater the number of givens, the easier the solution, and the opposite is not necessarily true. The true difficulty of the puzzle depends upon how easy it is to logically determine subsequent numbers.

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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2005



Bob Pierce, director of the Chelsea Area Chamber of Commerce, presents Jane Diesing a U.S. Congressional Tribute on behalf of U.S. Rep. Joe Schwarz, R-7th District.

Jane Diesing, owner of The Village Shoppe in Chelsea, was honored at a banquet Oct. 27 as Chelsea's Citizen of the Year. The Chelsea Area Chamber of Commerce and The Chelsea Standard partnered this year in presenting the award.

Diesing was recognized for her 12 years on the Chelsea school board, as well as her contributions to the Chelsea District Library, Chelsea Senior Center Board and Chelsea Area Chamber of Commerce.

The banquet featured speeches by Chelsea Library Director Metta Lansdale and Kay Heller, former interim director of the Chelsea Senior Center, who both nominated Diesing for the award. Other speakers were Fred Mills, former assistant superintendent of Chelsea schools; Chelsea Mayor Ann Feeney; Chelsea Board of Education President Dayle Wright; and Scott Broshar, former Chelsea school board president.

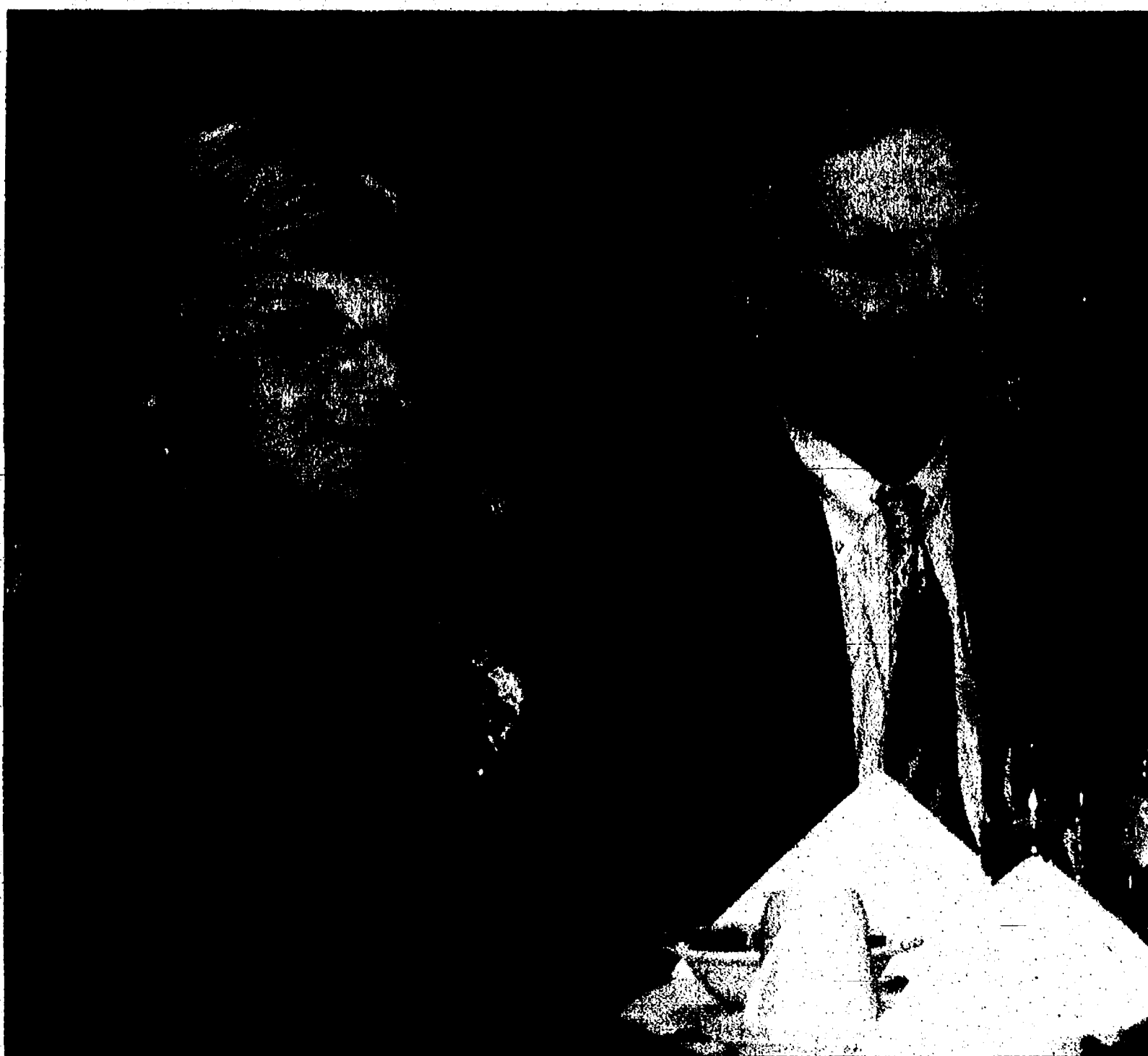
There also were five presentations.

Next year, the chamber and newspaper will partner again to present the award to an individual for his or her contributions in the last year and will seek nominations for a lifetime achievement award.

Chelsea's Citizen of the Year



Ann Feeney, mayor of Chelsea, reads a City Council-adopted resolution honoring Jane Diesing as Citizen of the Year. Feeney also works for Diesing at The Village Shoppe.



Jane Diesing and her husband, Dave, were joined by family, friends, colleagues and neighbors Oct. 27 as Jane was honored as Citizen of the Year.



Mark Guilmet, who serves the Chelsea area as commissioner of District 1 on the Washtenaw County Board, was among five presenters and seven speakers at the Citizen-of-the-Year banquet. He recognized Diesing for her dedication to the community with a proclamation from the board.



State Rep. Pam Byrnes, D-52nd District, reads a statement recognizing Jane Diesing's accomplishments, including her 12 years on the Chelsea school board, involvement on the Chelsea District Library Building Committee, Chelsea Senior Center Board and Chelsea Area Chamber of Commerce.

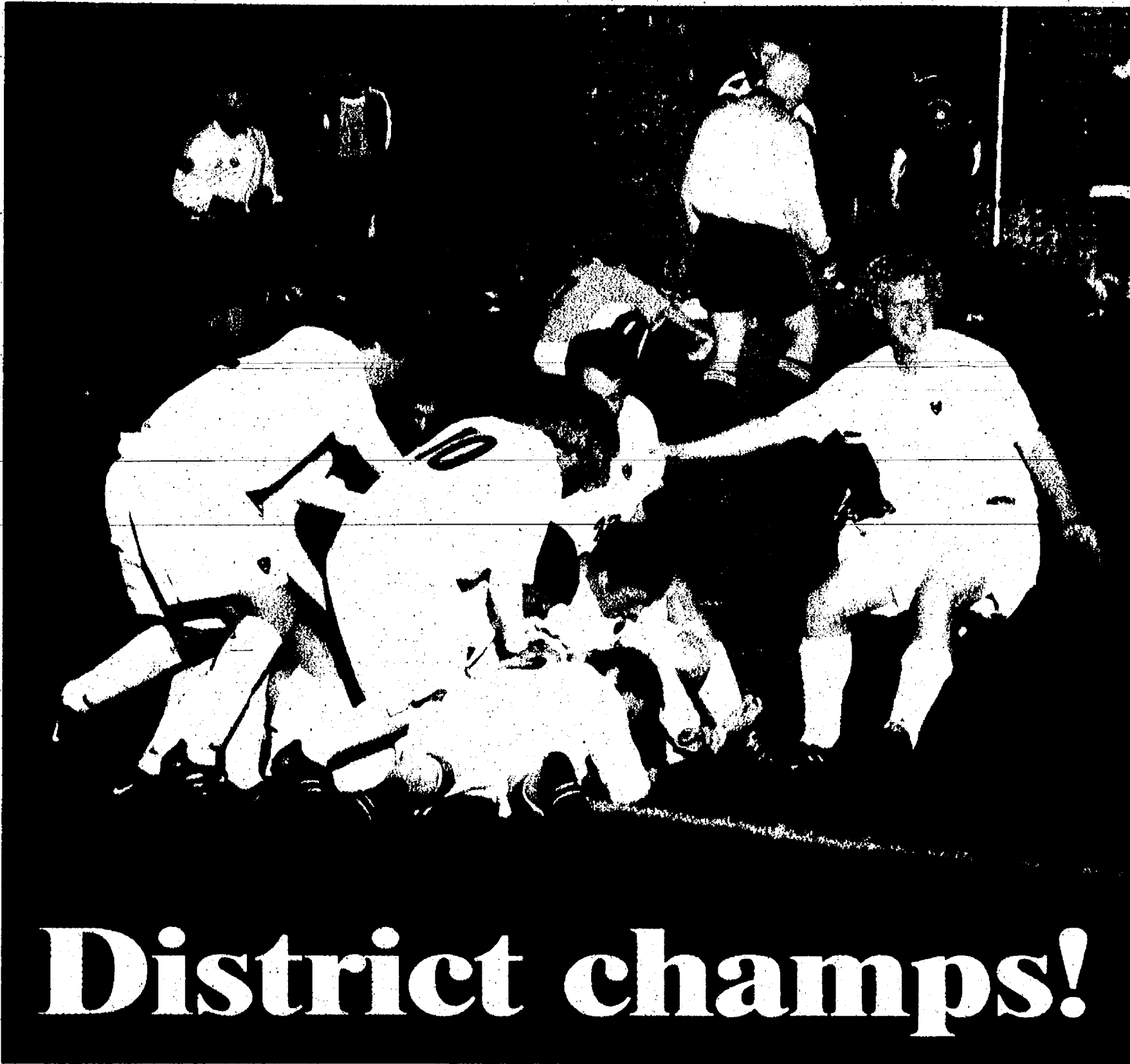
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Photos courtesy of Alice Rawson

Chelsea players pile on junior Steve Tapping in celebration after Tapping's goal, with 19 seconds left, clinched a district title for the Bulldogs last Friday.

District champs!

Last second goal sparks Bulldogs to title

By Don Richter
Sports Editor

The Chelsea boys' soccer team showed heart, grit and a never-say-die determination, defeating visiting Tecumseh 1-0 on a last-second goal to capture a Division II district championship last Friday.

With 19 seconds left in the contest, Bulldog junior forward Steve Tapping headed in a shot passed a sprawling Indian keeper for the game-winning, and district-clinching goal.

Senior midfielder Ausable Schwiebert picked up an assist on the goal for Chelsea.

"It was a great game that saw great scoring opportunities by both teams in the first half, but no goals," said Chelsea coach Chad Scaling. "Both teams were up and down the field, but neither could find the back of the net."

"The second half started and continued the same way. Back and forth, up and down the field, but no scoring."

That is, until Tapping found the back of the Tecumseh net.

On the game-winning score, the Bulldogs started with a goal kick from deep in their own end. In the Indians' zone, Tapping crossed a pass to Schwiebert, who, in turn, passed back to Tapping, who headed in the goal.

Senior keeper Nikolai Voicechovski earned the shutout in net for Chelsea. The victory was Voicechovski's ninth game without allowing a goal.

The district title was the Bulldogs' second in the past four years.

In the district semifinals, Chelsea defeated Adrian 2-1 Oct. 28.

The Maples opened the scoring with a goal three minutes into the game.

"Adrian caught us off-guard and got an early lead," Scaling said. "But we were able to hustle back and score 10 minutes later."

Junior midfielder Mike Sauers tied the game, scoring off an assist from Schwiebert.

"Mike Sauers finished off a great play started by Steve



Bulldog senior forward Kolton Niesen battles Tecumseh's keeper during last Friday's 1-0 district final thriller against the Indians.

Tapping," Scaling said. "He (Tapping) played a ball to Ausable, who put it in front of the goal, where Mike finished it off."

Six minutes later, with momentum on its side, Chelsea scored the game-winning, as Schwiebert headed in a corner kick by senior midfielder Bill Hayes for the contest's final 2-1 margin.

"That was the difference in the game," Scaling said of Schwiebert's goal.

Voicechovski recorded the victory in net for the Bulldogs.

Chelsea squared off against South Haven in a regional semifinal contest at Parma Jackson County Western Tuesday after press deadline.

If the Bulldogs were successful, they would play the winner of St. Joseph-Mason in the regional championship game 7 p.m. tomorrow.

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Chelsea junior midfielder Sean Dzobel heads the ball away versus Tecumseh last Friday.



Photo by Jerry Milliken

Bulldog senior halfback Michael Hamilton scampers around right end as junior offensive guard Doug DeVol pulls leading the way against Haslett in a first-round Division III district playoff game last Friday.

FOOTBALL

Haslett knocks Chelsea out of state playoffs

Late game rally not enough for Bulldogs against Vikings

By Don Richter
Sports Editor

Haslett's concession stand ran out of hot chocolate last Friday night, but the Viking gridders had enough left on the football field to defeat visiting Chelsea 22-14 in a Division III first-round state district playoff game.

Haslett (10-0) entered the contest ranked No. 3 in the state in Division III. The Vikings, during the regular season, had outscored their opponents 428-79. Haslett had been averaging 47 points per outing, while allowing only eight points.

The Bulldogs (5-5), however, had played a much tougher schedule during the regular season. All four of Chelsea's losses during the year came against playoff teams.

"Regardless of the match-up coming in, we felt like it was a pretty even match," said Chelsea coach Brad Bush. "No one gave us a chance, but we really felt like we were going to win the game. I thought we matched up well with them. And they hadn't played the people we had."

"We had a few penalties that hurt us, and a few things go against us, but overall we played pretty well. We certainly had a shot at the end to take it to overtime."

Despite the Vikings' gaudy regular season numbers -- and packed stadium -- the visiting Bulldogs fought valiantly ending the game at Haslett's 14-yard line, an overthrow away from possibly tying the game and sending it into overtime.

"Our defense was the key to victory," said Haslett coach Charlie Otlewski. "One of the things we talked about was we have to play great defense to advance in the playoffs."

"I can't say enough about Brad Bush and his staff, and his kids. They're extremely well coached. Our kids knew this wasn't a 5-4 team. It's disappointing one of us had to lose."

To begin the contest, Haslett forced a Chelsea punt after the Bulldogs had run 10 plays, moving the ball to midfield before stalling.

The Vikings, champions of the Capital Area Activities Conference Division 3, took over at its own 30-yard line for its first possession of the night. Five plays into their inaugural drive, Chelsea junior defensive back Dan Rhodes intercepted a pass at the Bulldog 20-yard line, thwarting a scoring chance.

After a Chelsea three and out punt, Haslett scored on its next drive, as senior kicker Colin Yerby drilled a 38-yard field goal. With 11:07 left in the second quarter, the Vikings led 3-0.

After another three-and-out punt by the Bulldogs, Haslett scored on an 8-yard

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Photo by Jerry Milliken

Chelsea junior halfback Antwan McClendon (18) dives into the end zone for a touchdown, with 32 seconds left in the first half, during last Friday's first round state playoff game against No. 3-ranked and unbeaten Haslett.

CROSS COUNTRY Chelsea captures regional crown

Bulldogs beat state's No. 1 team for title last Saturday

By Don Richter
Sports Editor

The Chelsea girls' cross country team bested the field, finishing first overall at last Saturday's Division II regional in Haslett.

The Bulldogs captured the meet with 74 points.

With their placing, Chelsea qualified for the Division II state meet 2:30 p.m. Saturday at Michigan International Speedway in Brooklyn.

Only the top three at the regional advanced to the state final.

Finishing second was county rival Dexter with 88 points. Ending up third was Division II No. 1-ranked East Lansing with 89 points.

Rounding out the top five in the 16-team meet was DeWitt, in fourth place, with a score of 124, while Coldwater was fifth with 131 points.

"This meet showed the great amount of heart that this team has," said Chelsea coach Pat Clarke. "With two girls under the weather and not feeling good, they still prevailed to defeat an East Lansing team that has been ranked No. 1 in the state all season."

"I cannot say enough about the mental toughness these young ladies displayed in winning one of the toughest regionals in the state."

Leading Chelsea individually was senior captain Rachel Severin, who finished second with a time of 18:31.

"Rachel ran one of her best races of the season," Clarke said.

Junior captain Amanda



Photo courtesy of Alice Rawson

Chelsea freshman Nicole Hopp finished 58th with a personal best time of 21:10, helping the Bulldogs place first at last Saturday's Division II regional meet at Haslett. With its finish, Chelsea qualified for the state meet 2:30 p.m. Saturday at Michigan International Speedway.

McKenzie was third with a personal best clocking of 18:32.

Both Severin and McKenzie earned All-Region honors for their performance.

Bulldog junior Katelyn Ciaccio ended up 18th in 19:56, while Nicole Bougher was 20th in a personal best 19:59 for Chelsea.

Senior Athena Eyster crossed the line 31st in 20:22, while junior Joy Wilke was 37th in 20:34 and freshman Nicole Hopp 58th in a personal best 21:10 for the Bulldogs.

Clarke said his squad is running well, as it heads into the state final.

"I hope the great attitude

will continue and carry us to a peak this week in the state meet at Michigan International Speedway, where we still have one last team goal to accomplish," he said.

Last season, Chelsea placed sixth at the state final with 230 points.

East Grand Rapids won the state title with 92 points.

Individually, Severin finished fourth last year at the state meet with a time of 18:26.00. McKenzie was 14th in 18:56.80.

Ciaccio was 62nd in 19:57.95, while Bougher was 100th in 20:27.30 and Eyster 144th in 21:07.40.

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CROSS COUNTRY

Dawgs qualify for state meet

Five of seven runners post personal best times at regional

By Don Richter
Sports Editor

The Chelsea boys' cross country team finished third at last Saturday's Division II regional at Haslett.

With their placing, the Bulldogs qualified for the Division II state meet Saturday 1:30 p.m. at Michigan International Speedway in Brooklyn. It's the sixth time in the last seven years Chelsea has competed in the state final.

Only the top three teams from each regional advanced to the state meet.

Winning the regional for the fourth straight year was county rival and three-time defending state champion Dexter with 53 points.

Coldwater ended up second with 69 points. The Bulldogs finished with 101 points.

Rounding out the top five in the 16-team meet was Eaton Rapids, in fourth place with 132 points, and Linden, in fifth place with 137 points.

"This Haslett regional is the toughest in the state, but only three teams advance," said Chelsea coach Eric Swager.

"Coming in, we had a game plan to count positions and move up gradually through the race. The strategy worked amazingly well. Five of the seven (Chelsea) runners used this strategy to run lifetime best performances."

Leading the Bulldogs individually was senior Ian Girard, who finished third overall with a time of 15:48.

"Ian Girard was outstanding as usual," Swager said. "He turned in his second fastest time ever."

Placing 21st for Chelsea was Al Stewart with a mark of 16:52.

Brendan Smith was a step behind, ending up 22nd in a personal best 16:54 for the Bulldogs.

Jeff Squires finished 27th in a personal best 17:08, while Chet Hopp was 28th in a personal best 17:08.

Teddy Eyster was 36th in a personal best 17:30, while Drew Hamilton was 41st in a



Chelsea senior Chet Hopp placed 28th with a personal best 17:08 at last Saturday's Division II regional meet at Haslett. As a team, the Bulldogs finished third overall with 101 points. Chelsea advances to the state meet 1:30 p.m. Saturday at Michigan International Speedway.

Photo courtesy of Alice Rawson

personal best time of 17:41 for Chelsea.

Swager said his team is looking forward to the state meet.

"This is what we have worked for all season," he said. "I thank the Lord that we were healthy enough to let our training shine through. We look forward to the reward -- a trip to (Michigan) International Speedway in Brooklyn for the championships."

Last season, Chelsea placed ninth in the state with 277 points.

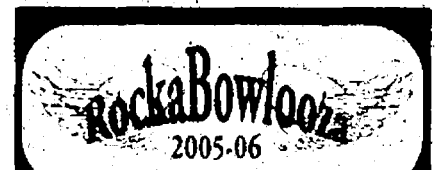
Individually last year, Girard earned All-State honors, finishing 19th in 16:13.15.

Smith was 53rd in 16:47.75, while Hopp was 163rd in 17:51.70. Squires ended up 221st in 18:40.25, while Eyster was 226th in 18:46.25.

In 2003, the Bulldogs placed 18th in the state with 426 points.

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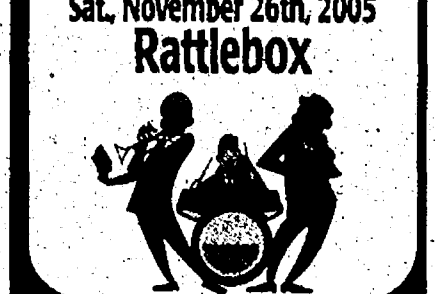
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BOWLING

Herter wins junior tournament

Chelsea's Austin Herter finished first at the Junior Gold Bowling Tournament Oct. 29 in Port Clinton, Ohio.

In the tournament final, Herter, 16, defeated Ohio's Heidi Sanders 208-173. In the semi-finals, he bested Adam Ferri of Pennsylvania 212-184.

In the six-game qualifying round, Herter, a junior at Chelsea High School, led the field with 1,128 pins.

The victory ensured Herter a spot in the USA Junior Gold National Championship Tournament, which will be held July 9

through 15 in Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.

On Oct. 22, the United States Bowling Congress, in a ceremony at Chelsea Lanes, awarded Herter with a 300 ring. The ring was for Herter's 300 game at last March's Michigan High School Athletic Association singles tournament final.

Last month, Herter placed 10th overall at the Michigan Junior Masters Association Tournament in Bay City. He was the lone high school bowler in the top 16 of the college-aged event. Herter's high game for the tournament was a 279.

BASEBALL

Riverhawks hold tryouts

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SWIMMING AND DIVING

Chelsea tankers battle county rival in pool

Lodewyk earns two first-place finishes against Dexter

By Don Richter
Sports Editor

The Chelsea girls' swimming and diving team lost to county and Southeastern Conference White Division rival Dexter 120-66 last Thursday.

In the 200 medley relay, the Bulldog foursome of April Adams, Kellyn Pagliarini, Nicole Lodewyk and Ayla DeTroyer finished second in 2:03.08.

Jessica Lodewyk led the Bulldogs in the 200 freestyle, finishing first with a state cut time of 1:59.37. Allison Frayer was fifth in 2:14.52, while Katlin Cottrell was sixth in 2:15.55.

In the 200 individual medley, Chelsea's Nicole Lodewyk placed second with a clocking of 2:27.61. Teammate Pagliarini touched third with a mark of 2:29.48, while April Adams was fifth in 2:33.27.

Winning the event was Dreadnaught Adrienne Woods in 2:13.79.

Claire Stephens topped the Bulldogs in the 50 freestyle, placing third in 26.27. DeTroyer ended up fourth in 28.41, while Phoebe Conybeare was sixth in 27.39 for Chelsea.

Dexter's Ally Daily finished first in the race with a mark of 25.66.

In the one-meter diving competition, Bulldog Jillian Drow excelled, finishing first in convincing fashion, with a total score of 243.70 points. Drow outdistanced Dexter's Claire Coffey, who ended up second with a score of 203.50 points. Chelsea teammate Lisa Broberg finished fifth with a tally of 136.70 points.

In the 100 butterfly, Nicole Lodewyk placed fourth in 1:07.91 for the Bulldogs. Tori Salas finished fifth in 1:14.06, while Anna Rowland was sixth in 1:16.31.

Stephens ended up fourth in the 100 freestyle with a clocking of 57.89. Erika Purdy was fifth in 59.48, while Conybeare was sixth in 1:00.19 and Trish Hash seventh in 1:31.36.

Sami Daily captured the race with a time of 55.79.

Jessica Lodewyk won her second event of the meet,



Photo courtesy of Alice Rawson
Chelsea senior diver Jillian Drow topped the field last Thursday against rival Dexter, finishing first with a score of 243.70 points.

outdistancing the field in the 500 freestyle and touching first with a clocking of 5:26.21, a full 16 seconds in front of second-place finisher Dreadnaught Kelsey Schultz, who touched in 5:42.89. Cottrell placed fourth in 5:48.88, while Aurora Knopper was sixth in 6:46.40.

In the 200 freestyle relay, DeTroyer, Stephens, Purdy and Conybeare finished second in 1:46.92. The Bulldog quartet of Meghan Bean, Katherine McEachern, Kristen Angelocci and Rowland placed third in 1:53.58.

In the 100 backstroke, Pagliarini ended up third with a time of 1:08.89. Frayer was fourth in 1:09.15, while Grace Benton was sixth in 1:17.59.

Daily finished first in the event for the Dreadnaughts in 1:04.21.

Chelsea's April Adams placed third in the 100 breaststroke with a mark of 1:18.28. Bean ended up fifth in 1:20.28, while Hillary Phillips was sixth in 1:20.92.

Dexter's Ally Melinsky touched first in the race with a time of 1:11.81. In the 400 freestyle relay, the Chelsea group of Jessica Lodewyk, Stephens, Purdy and Conybeare finished second in 3:54.50. The team of Nicole Lodewyk, Salas, Pagliarini and McEachern was third in 4:08.01.

The loss to Dexter snapped a two-meet winning streak for the Bulldogs.

Chelsea next participates in the Southeastern Conference meet tomorrow and Saturday at Saline. Events begin at noon both days.

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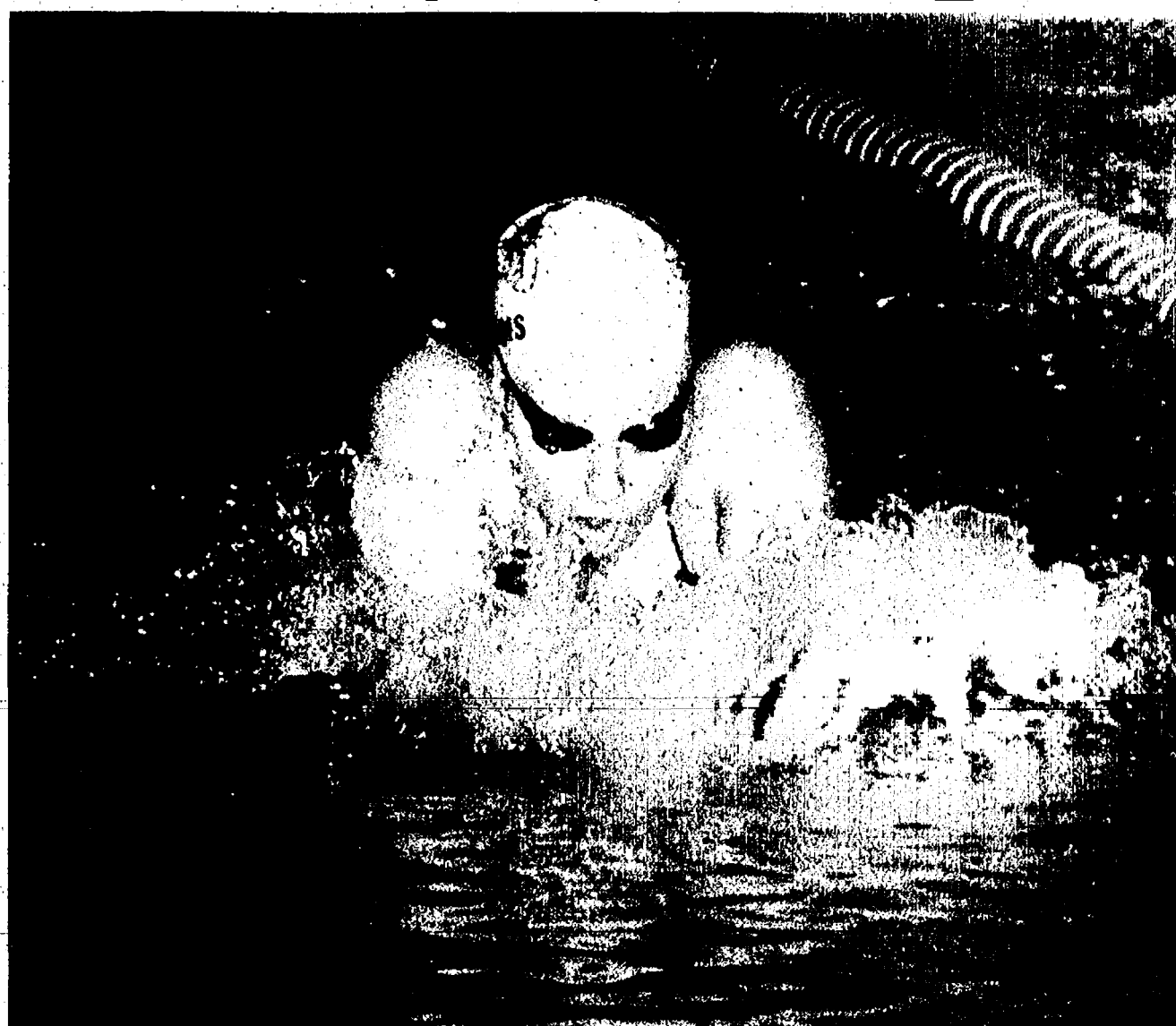


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Bulldog Julie Adams and the rest of her Chelsea teammates lost to county rival Dexter 120-66 last Thursday in a dual meet.

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GYMNASTICS

Champion places third at EMU meet

Champion Gymnastics' Level 5 team opened the season, finishing third at the Judges Cup at Eastern Michigan University Oct. 22. The squad ended up with a total of 108.05 points.

In the 7- to 8-year-old division, Maddie Kurcz placed third with a score of 33.925 for Champion.

In the 9-year-old group, Taylor Livingston finished second with a tally of 35.225.

In the 10- to 11-year-old bracket, Emily Slater ended

up first with a total of 36.875, while Gayla Traskos was second with a score of 35.8 for Champion. Also in the division, Gabbie Ralph had a fine all-around total tally of 35.125.

Members of the Champion gymnastics team include Alyssa Carr, Emma Powers, Morgan Taylor, Shannon Wood, Slater, Ralph, Traskos, Kurcz and Livingston.

Coaches for the squad include Kristy Reske, Rachel Bergren and Laura Wolfe.

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BASKETBALL

Dawgs fall to Pioneer

Chelsea also loses to Williamston in tough stretch last week

By Don Richter
Sports Editor

The Chelsea girls' basketball team lost to host Ann Arbor Pioneer 53-45 last Thursday.

The Bulldogs (9-8, 6-2) had trouble in the first and third quarter, getting outscored 23-12.

"We played two good quarters of basketball, but that was not good enough tonight," said Chelsea coach Todd Blomquist. "We dug ourselves too big of a hole."

Senior forward Emily Woodruff and junior post player Rachel Fitzsimmons led the Bulldogs, each scoring 12 points. Fitzsimmons also added six rebounds, while Woodruff had four boards.

Junior forward Paige Denison chipped in nine points and five rebounds for Chelsea.

Junior guard Bridget Lynn finished with seven points and three assists for the Dawgs.

Chelsea vs. Williamston

On Oct. 25, host Chelsea lost to Williamston 53-40.

The Bulldogs struggled from the field, shooting 34 percent from the floor and 35 percent from the foul line. The Bulldogs ended up 5-of-14 from the charity stripe.

Woodruff paced the squad with 22 points and four rebounds.

Fitzsimmons and Lynn each netted six points. Fitzsimmons also hauled down six boards.

Junior point guard Leah Morrison had five points, four steals and three assists for Chelsea.

Denison grabbed a team-high eight rebounds.

The Bulldogs next travel to Ypsilanti Lincoln for a game 7 p.m. today.

On Nov. 10, Chelsea concludes the regular season



Photo courtesy of Alice Rawson

Chelsea junior guard Bridget Lynn ended up with seven points and three assists in the Bulldogs' 53-45 loss to Ann Arbor Pioneer last Thursday.

hosting county rival Dexter at 7 p.m.

JV Basketball

The Bulldogs' JV girls' basketball team lost to host Ann Arbor Pioneer last Thursday.

Emily Rabbitt and Annie Hollandsworth each scored 11 points for Chelsea. Rabbitt also had nine rebounds and two steals. Hollandsworth added four steals and three assists.

Lizzie Bentley recorded five points, four assists, four rebounds and three steals for the Bulldogs.

Anna Foley ended up with four points, four boards and two blocks.

Casey Keilman and Sarah Shrobbree each had two points. Shrobbree also hauled down four rebounds.

Chelsea vs. Williamston
On Oct. 25, host Chelsea defeated Williamston 49-23.

Hollandsworth paved the way for the Bulldogs, with 17

points, eight steals and seven rebounds.

Bentley chipped in nine points and five boards, while Rabbitt had seven points, six steals and two rebounds.

Keilman had four points, five assists and two steals, while Shrobbree had four points and two rebounds.

Nellie Daniels and Sam Minzey each finished with four rebounds for Chelsea. Daniels also had two points.

Sara Myers and Foley each added two points, while Erin Benjamin had three assists, two steals and two rebounds for the Bulldogs.

"Everyone contributed to this win and it was very exciting," said Chelsea coach Jenni Linde.

Chelsea next travels to Ypsilanti Lincoln for a game 5:30 p.m. today.

On Nov. 10, the Bulldogs end their season hosting rival Dexter at 5:30 p.m.

The Chelsea Standard

ATHLETES OF THE WEEK

HIGHLIGHTS

Chelsea junior Steve Tapping scored the game-winning goal in the Bulldogs' 1-0 district-clinching win over Tecumseh last Friday. Tapping's goal came with 19 seconds left in the game.



STEVE TAPPING



KATELYN CIACCIO

HIGHLIGHTS

Bulldog junior Katelyn Ciaccio placed 18th with a clocking of 19:56 at last Saturday's Division II regional meet. As a team, Chelsea finished first overall with 74 points.



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GIRLS JUST WANNA HAVE FUN - 10-25-05

W	L
Chelsea State Bank 35	14
Marshall Motors 25	24
Fox's 21	28
Lindemann Farms 17	32

High Game: Donna Davitt, 202

High Series: Dawn Foster, 527

SENIOR FUN TIME - 10-26-05

W	L
Spare Ribs 34	22
Sugar Loafers 33	23
Good Times 32	24
K & C 32	24
Spunky Crew 32	24
The DoMaB Tribe 31	25
Squares 31	25
Sand Baggers 30	26
Wild Ones 28	28
Alley Cats 28	28
Pais 28	28
Keplers 27	29
Go Getters 27	29
The New Kids 27	29
Hi Or Miss 24	32
Spillers 24	32
Hot Shots 20	36
Coach & Experts 16	40
High Game: Garnett Puckett-Harok, 178	Jerry Emery, 225
High Series: Jeanne Staphish, 480	Charlie Slapish, 557

CHELSEA SUBURBAN - 10-26-05

W	L
Chelsea Lanes 52	11
Shupid Excuses 39	24
Lloyd Bridges Traveland 37	26
Chelsea Plumbing 35	28
Veterans Cab 34	29
Vogel's Party Store 32	31
McCalla Feeds 28	35
Schulz Enterprises 21	42
R G Scrapers 21	42
Joey's Girls 16	47
High Game: Danielle Devine, 236	High Series: Danielle Devine, 689

LADIES NIGHT OUT - 10-26-05

W	L
ANN ARBOR DRYWALL 175	5
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Empty Room 20	250	Who Cares 21	14
High Game: Tina Wese, 196		St. Stan's 21	14
High Series: Beth Salyer, 551		900 Gang 19	16
		CB's Full House 19	16
		The Freshmen 19	16
		Jenz & Co 19	16
		Just 4 Fun 18	17
		One n Done 17	18
		Wolvenses 17	19
		Fire & Ice 16	19
		All in 16	19
		B & G 16	19
		Spare Parts 15	20
		Poo Poo 15	20
		Pin Busters 13	22
		Quinn 13	22
		Strikers 13	22
		High Game: Karen Strock, 215	Dennis Salas, 701
		High Series: Pam Vogel, 530	Dennis Salas, 701

YOUTH MIXED LEAGUE 10-29-05

W	L
Players 37	12
Wolvenses 37	12
The Twisters 35	14
Spare Masters 31	18
Sassy Cats 23	26
T E E K 27	20
Zena 2	47
Team #8 0	49
High Game: Kristen Coulter, 137	Greg, 243
High Series: Kristen Coulter, 405	Michael Calus, 673

Mixed Nuts 10-30-05

W	L
Mattinson 29	20
Reed 27	22
Hinczak 26	23
Adams 25	24
Whites Brook 20	29
Blind Sourrels 18	31
High Game: Bev Mattinson, 167	Chris Hinczak, 232
High Series: Bev Mattinson, 489	Rick Str Adams, 629

SUNDAY NITE COME ONS 10-30-05

W	L
Stocketts 23	12
What's Left 22	13
High Game: Edwin Greenleaf, 278	McCalla's Feed, 98.5
High Series: James Laundsen, 758	

CHELSEA SENIOR HOUSE - 10-31-05

W	L
Chelsea Lanes 2	149
Harris Construction 132	108
Thompson's Pizzeria 131.5	108.5
Shamrock Floors 127.5	112.5
Cropley Drilling 125	115
Steele's Heating 121	119
Mark IV Lounge 119.5	121.5
Chelsea Lanes 3 119	122
Mancinos 109	131
Greenleaf Recreation 107	133
Handwood 102	138
McCalla's Feed 98.5	141.5
High Game: Edwin Greenleaf, 278	McCalla's Feed, 98.5
High Series: James Laundsen, 758	

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SOCCER

Kickers lose in districts

Three first half goals too much to overcome last week

By Don Richter
Sports Editor

The Dexter boys' soccer team fell to Tecumseh 4-1 in a Division II district semifinal Oct. 26.

The Dreadnaughts opened the scoring at 29:49 of the first half as C.J. Burhop converted a rebound for a goal. Assisting on the play for Dexter was Jason Lynch.

Two minutes later, the Indians tied the game, scoring off a corner kick.

One minute later, Tecumseh took the lead 2-1, scoring at the 26:15 mark of the first half.

The Indians continued their scoring barrage with a goal less than a minute later, increasing their advantage to 3-1.

The Dreadnaughts responded with scoring opportunities by Ryan LeMasters and Lynch that just missed their mark.

The first half ended with Tecumseh leading 3-1.

Dexter out-shot the Indians 7-6 in the opening half.

In the second half, the Dreadnaughts came out charged up, dominating play and pressuring the Indian net. Tecumseh, however, was up to the task defensively, thwarting every Dexter scoring attempt.

At 8:12 of the second half, the Indians blasted in a

rebound for a goal and the game's final 4-1 margin.

For the contest, Tecumseh out-shot the Dreadnaughts 12-9.

With the loss, Dexter concludes its season.

"This match started off like it was going to be another close victory for our team," said Dexter coach Scott Forrester. "It was not to be tonight, when the Dreads uncharacteristically lost their composure and gave up a string of goals, to which we couldn't recover."

"To our credit, we never gave up and created some great chances that the Indians were able to stop."

Despite ending its season, Dexter's future looks bright.

"While the three seniors will definitely be missed next year, the rest of the squad will be back with more experience and another chance to make a run at the SEC (Southeastern Conference), districts and beyond," Forrester said.

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Midwest Results Week 7 - The Denver Broncos on Sunday lost both their game against the New York Giants and their chance at NFL immortality - all in the space of five seconds.

The Giants scored on a touchdown pass with five seconds left in the game to take the lead, 24-23. On the ensuing kickoff, the Denver returner, as he was being tackled, threw a desperation lateral that was intercepted by a Giants defender as the clock ran out. That turnover was the first given up by Denver in five games. Had it not happened, Denver would have become the first team in NFL history to go five straight games without a turnover. What are the chances?

And what are the chances that two contestants would each miss only one point - and on the same game! - on their entries in the Power Points of the Midwest Football Contest? Sean Fostick, of Chelsea, MI, and Jonathan Norris, of Chicago, both missed a point for one point to tally scores of 135 points. Fostick, 42, and the owner of a pizza parlor, however, emerged from the first Tiebreaker as the winner. He guessed that 47 points would be scored in the Green Bay game. Actual total was 43. Norris guessed 52. As grand prize winner, Fostick takes home the weekly cash bonanza of \$1,000.

He entered the contest through the Saline Reporter newspaper in Saline, MI.

Local high scorers in Week 7 were:

Garden City... Steve Skipton, Garden City (123 points)

Midland... Andrew Myers, Midland (126 points)

Monroe... Jessica Mullin, Monroe (122 points)

Mount Clemens... Ed Kleimeder, Sterling Heights (132 points)

Pontiac... Tom Stankos, Rochester Hills (115 points)

Saline... Sean Fostick, Chelsea (135 points)

Southgate... Walmsley, Woodhaven (125 points)

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Chelsea quarterback Cam Hawkins drops back to pass against Haslett last Friday. The senior signal caller finished 16-of-33 for 174 yards passing in the Bulldogs' 22-14 loss.

HASLETT

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TD run up the middle by senior fullback Mike Mukuna (6-foot-2, 225). The extra point by Yerby was no good, hitting the post and bouncing back onto the field. The Vikings converted a 14-play, 87-yard drive, which consumed 7:51 off the second-quarter clock, taking a 9-0 lead with 2:15 left in the first half.

The Bulldogs, however, answered on their ensuing drive, scoring on junior running back Antwan McClendon's 3-yard run up the gut. Senior Cam Hawkins' extra point split the uprights, trimming Chelsea's deficit to 9-7 with 32 seconds remaining in the half.

In the third quarter, both defenses continued to dominate.

After multiple punts by both clubs, Haslett took possession of the ball at its own 47-yard line. Seven plays later, Viking junior halfback Curtis Schaibly sprinted 21 yards up the middle for a touchdown. The Vikings employ a multiple-faking, run-dominated offense and, on his TD gallop, Schaibly was 10 yards down the field before Bulldog defenders realized he had the ball. Yerby's PAT was blocked, giving Haslett a 15-7 lead with 3:17 left in the third quarter.

To begin the fourth quarter, the Bulldogs drove down to the Viking 32-yard line before turning the ball over on downs.

On the following drive, Haslett scored on a 14-yard pass from senior quarterback Nathan Turner to senior running back Chris Stewart, who fell backward in the right corner of the end zone for the TD. With Yerby's extra point kick, the Vikings increased their advantage to 22-7 with 7:12 left in the game.

The Bulldogs responded on their next possession, executing a 13-play, 89-yard drive, culminating in junior halfback Adam Connell's 3-yard touchdown reception from Hawkins in the right flat of the end zone. With Hawkins' PAT, Chelsea cut Haslett's lead to 22-14 with 4:39 remaining on the clock.

After a Haslett punt on its following drive, the Bulldogs quickly regained possession of the ball at their own 25-yard line with 3:24 left in the contest.

With the Chelsea fans—who filled the entire visitor stands and lined the fence surrounding the end zone—screaming at the top of their collective lungs, momentum was clearly on the Bulldogs' side.

Chelsea's offense immediately went to work, moving the ball efficiently down the field. In six plays, the Bulldogs were inside the Vikings' 15-yard line, threatening to score. On a second-down play, Hawkins lofted a short pass just over the outstretched fingertips of junior tight end Dan Augustine (6-2, 205), who was all alone in the middle of the end zone.

After a third-down play gained zero yards, Chelsea faced a fourth and 10 from the Haslett 14-yard line with 1:23 remaining in the game. With the season on the line, the Vikings broke up a pass in the end zone, ending the Bulldog scoring threat.

Haslett took over at its own 14-yard line, taking a knee and running out the remaining 1:17 for the hard-earned victory.

Hawkins finished 16-of-33 for 174 yards passing. Turner

was 6-of-8 for 64 yards with one interception.

Senior Drew Wint ended up with 42 yards rushing on six attempts, while junior Chris Tapping had 21 yards on nine tries and senior Michael Hamilton 17 yards on two carries for Chelsea.

Mukuna led the Vikings with 101 yards on 17 attempts, while Schaibly had 96 yards on 18 carries.

"Mukuna had been an offensive lineman all these years," Otlewski said. "We moved him to halfback and said where did he come from? He's really evolved as a running back."

Junior Nate Schwarze had six catches for 122 yards, while Augustine had two receptions for 24 yards for the Bulldogs.

Stewart had two catches for 36 yards to pace Haslett.

Chelsea finished with 288 yards of total offense with 174 yards through the air. The Vikings had 332 total yards,

including 268 yards on the ground.

The Bulldogs had six penalties for 46 yards. Haslett had four penalties for 86 yards.

Defensively, senior linebacker Derek Brown and senior tackle Austin Rodgers each had nine tackles for Chelsea. Senior linebacker Robbie Moffett added six stops, while senior safety Adam Gerstler and junior linebacker Chris Hopkins each had five tackles for the Bulldogs.

Despite the season-ending loss, Bush said his squad came to play last Friday.

"We competed," he said. "I love our kids. I love our seniors. Of all the years, we probably had more things go against us. But, yet at the end of the year, we were playing pretty good football."

"But there are no moral victories in our program. Our guys are very disappointed."

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— CHELSEA CHIEFS —



The Chelsea Chiefs Midget AA hockey team finished second overall at the Great Lakes Tournament in Holland last month. Members of the team include, front row, Sam Lishinke (left) and Ethan Baker; middle row, David Branch (left), Ryan Ehmann, Carter Docking, Anthony Brown, Josh Brainerd, Alex Root and Matt Prince; back row, assistant coach Matt Logan (left), assistant coach Tom Prince, Michael Bazydlo, Alan Harrigan, Jared Crow, Sam Bell, coach Kevin Ehmann, Alex Riley, Daniel Lippmann, Kevin Schubring, Matt Logan and Marty Wurster.

COLLEGE ATHLETICS

Tankers compete for Hope

Chelsea juniors Andre Bravo and Jake Holton are members of Hope College's men's swimming and diving team this season.

freestyle events, as well. Association champions. The Flying Dutchmen are Hope finished 13th in the the defending Michigan nation last year in Division Intercollegiate Athletic III.

Bravo, a two-year letter winner, will compete in the butterfly and in freestyle events.

Holton, a two-year letter winner and one of five captains on the squad, will participate in the butterfly and

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CHELSEA AREA

Residents help hurricane survivors

Deikis family donates proceeds from garage sale to help

By Heather Connor
Staff Writer

Local residents are helping the victims of Hurricane Katrina, both in big and small ways.

From large, elaborate fund-raisers to can and bottle drives, people from all walks of life are doing what they can to help those in need along the Gulf Coast — and they're proving that you don't need to be a millionaire to do it.

Carol Deikis of Chelsea happened to be hosting a garage sale at her home when her family decided to offer the proceeds to hurricane relief efforts.

Their thoughts were with

those who had lost everything in the flood waters, she said.

"We were getting rid of things and these people had nothing to begin with, at least now," Deikis said.

When shoppers discovered the purpose of the sale, they started dropping off things of their own to be included in the sale.

Dexter Knights of Columbus then provided tables to Deikis to display the many items neighbors were donating to the garage sale. Many people would buy an item and offer more than it was worth and say, "keep the change," Deikis said.

The sale raised more than \$700 for hurricane relief, Deikis said she wanted people to know how easy it was to help those in need.

"It was just an outpouring of the community," she said. "It was just really an open-

hearted giving from people who offered things to the people who bought things. It worked. It was a lot of money to get and offer to the hurricane relief fund."

Adults aren't the only ones who are giving from their heart. Brittini Prehn, 12, of Dexter decided to spend Labor Day collecting bottles and cans from her neighbors in Brass Creek subdivision in Webster Township.

After posting fliers around the neighborhood letting neighbors know about their plans, Brittini and her friends collected more than 2,500 cans and bottles.

The girls spent most of the day collecting and returning the cans and bottles, said

Brittini's mother, Carol Prehn. "She's very generous with her time," Prehn said.

Brittini is a very considerate person, Prehn said. She often helps her mother with an adopt-a-family program that she coordinates during the holidays for Dexter Family Services.

"I knew that Thursday when I came home from work that she would already have something cooked up for the hurricane victims," Prehn said.

Brittini said she had no problems convincing her friends and neighbors to spend the holiday helping out.

"They were really happy to help out. My neighborhood is

really generous," Brittini said.

The girls raised more than \$295 that will be given to Brittini's cousin, whose employer, Ryder International, will match and donate to the American Red Cross.

"I just wanted to help the people who were down there who were homeless," Brittini said.

Staff Writer Heather Connor can be reached at 475-1371 or hconnor@heritage.com.

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Help is available through Washtenaw County for Hurricane Katrina survivors along the Gulf Coast.

A Web site was launched by the Washtenaw County government in an effort to help both private- and public-sector agencies coordinate relief efforts.

The Web site, which provides resources for survivors, can be found at www.ewashtenaw.org/katrina.

The Washtenaw United

Way has a 24-hour hotline at its Regional Call Center to coordinate offers of time, donated goods and services, as well as requests for information from survivors. The number is 1-734-477-6211.

The Regional Call Center also has established an e-mail address for those who would like to offer their time or new items for hurricane relief efforts. The address is uwcallcenter@hva.org.

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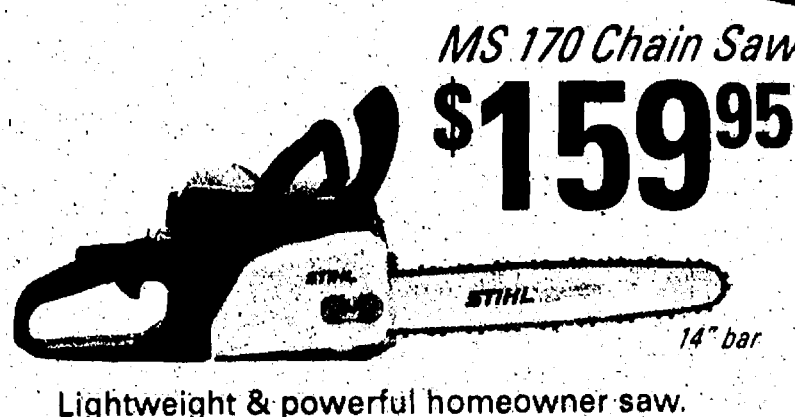
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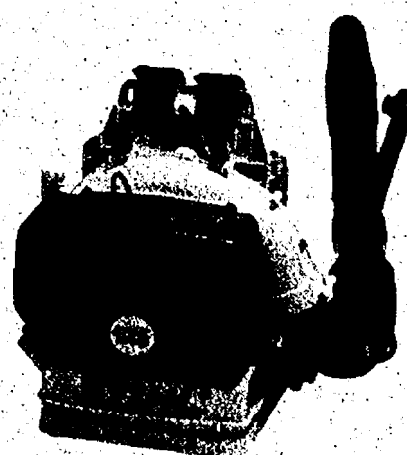
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Survivors getting local help

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If you would like to help those affected by the destruction, below The Chelsea Standard and The Dexter Leader has compiled a list of agencies helping the survivors, and events taking place or that have taken place in the community to raise money and awareness. Also, check out our Web site at www.chelseastandard.com or www.dexterleader.com, and click on "Relief" on the left side of the page.

LOCAL EFFORTS

Real Estate One Donates
Real Estate One, a real estate office with more than 125 agents, recently held three fund-raising events to collect money for the American Red Cross Katrina Relief Fund. Washtenaw County chapters of the American Cancer Society and Special Olympics.

Almost \$4,000 was collected from three events, which included a potluck luncheon, football parking proceeds and a rummage sale. All unsold items from the sale were donated to the Salvation Army.

Proceeds to Help

A new collaboration of Washtenaw County agencies will help raise funds for the continuing relief for hurricane victims still displaced and hoping to rebuild their lives.

Washtenaw Parks and Recreation Commission, Washtenaw County Public Health, MFit and the American Red Cross Washtenaw County chapter will host a fun night from 7 to 10 p.m. Saturday at the Meri Lou Murray Recreation Center. 2960

HURRICANE RELIEF UPDATES

Washtenaw Ave. in Ann Arbor. Cost is a \$5 donation. For more information, call 971-6355.

Local Artist to Give Back

Linda Kolic, a local artist and founder of Locket Cards, has started a new line of products called "Little Books." Twenty percent of the proceeds from the first Little Book, "Our Hearts of Passion," will benefit the American Red Cross for aid to Hurricane Katrina victims.

The book is available for \$5.25 at Polly's Country Market in Chelsea, Kavarna Coffee Bar in Whitmore Lake and at the Sunoco station at North Territorial Road and U.S. 23.

Also, 50 percent of proceeds raised from sales of the regular line of Locket Cards sold at Carpenter Brothers Hardware in Ann Arbor will benefit the Red Cross.

Group Raises \$3,200

Hotrods and Haws raised \$3,200 Sept. 11 at a car show for the American Red Cross to help survivors of Hurricane Katrina.

The car show included a pig roast, children's carnival, remote-control racing and pinewood derby. With 60 hotrods and motorcycles, the show attracted about 700 people at Chelsea Free Methodist Church.

HOW TO HELP

American Red Cross
Donate to the American

Red Cross by sending checks to National Disaster Relief Fund Hurricane Katrina. American Red Cross of Southeastern Michigan, P.O. Box 441280 Detroit, MI 48244, or the Washtenaw chapter, 4624 Packard Road, Ann Arbor, MI 48108. For more information, call 971-5300 or check out the Web site www.werecross.org.

Salvation Army

Send checks to the Salvation Army, 16130 Northland Drive, Southfield, MI 48075, or

100 S. Arbana St., Ann Arbor. Call locally 668-8353 or nationally 1-248-443-5500.

The United Way

Donations may be made to the United Way of America, P.O. Box 630568, Baltimore, MD 21263-0568. To give online, check out the Web site give.united-way.org/hurricane-katrina/donate.

Catholic Charities USA

Send checks to Archdiocese of Detroit, Katrina Relief Fund, 1234 Washington Blvd., Detroit, MI 48226.

WASHTENAW COUNTY ROAD COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING NATURAL BEAUTY ROAD EAST DELHI ROAD NOVEMBER 10, 2005

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held on Thursday the 10th day of November, 2005, at 7:00 p.m. at the Scio Township Hall, Washtenaw County, Michigan, located at 827 N. Zeeb Road, Ann Arbor, Michigan to determine the advisability of designating East Delhi Road between Miller Road and Huron River Drive, a distance of approximately 2 miles in Sections 2, 11, and 14 of Scio Township which is a public road, as a Natural Beauty Road pursuant to Act 451 of the Public Acts of 1994.

Fred J. Veigel, Chairman

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LYNDON TOWNSHIP NOTICE ATTENTION RESIDENTS THE LYNDON TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 2005 AT 7:00 P.M. AT THE LYNDON TOWNSHIP HALL 17751 N. TERRITORIAL ROAD, CHELSEA, MI 48118

AGENDA:
To review the Special Land Use Application of Nextel Communications, Parcel ID# E-05-22-300-007. To Co-locate a Telecommunications Antenna to the existing Pax TV Tower, at 18200 M 52, Chelsea, MI 48118.
Written comments may be sent to: Carol A. Morrow, Office Manager of Lyndon Township, 17751 N. Territorial Road, Chelsea, MI 48118.
The Lyndon Township Board will provide, if time after the request allows, necessary and reasonable auxiliary aids or services to individual with disabilities at the public hearing.
Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services should contact the Lyndon Township Board by writing or calling: Carol A. Morrow, 17751 N. Territorial Road, Chelsea, MI 48118 or phone 734-475-2401.
A copy of this notice is on file in the Office of the Clerk.

LYNDON TOWNSHIP
Linda Reilly, Clerk

Publish: October 27, 2005 & November 3, 2005

SYLVAN TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING TO BE HELD THURSDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2005, 7:00 P.M. SYLVAN TOWNSHIP HALL 18027 OLD US 12, CHELSEA, MI 48118

SUBJECT OF MEETING:
7:00 pm
To hear public comment on the proposed Text Change to the Wireless Communication Ordinance to add the language:
Section 63.000 (Municipal Use District) - Special Uses
L. Wireless Communications Facilities, subject to Section 56.18 herein.
An entire copy of the Ordinance is available in the Clerk's Office at 18027 Old US 12, Chelsea, MI 48118, Monday and Wednesday 9AM to 12 Noon.

This notice is posted in compliance with PA 267 of 1976 as amended (Open Meetings Act) MCLA 41.72a(2)(3) and the American With Disabilities Act (ADA).

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

Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services should contact the Sylvan Township board by writing or calling the following:

LuAnn S. Koch, Clerk
18027 Old US 12
Chelsea, MI 48118
(734) 475-8890.

A copy of this notice and application with supporting documents are on file in the Office of the Clerk.

LUANN S. KOCH, CLERK

Posted: October 31, 2005
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November 17, 2005

MULTI-LAKES SEWER AUTHORITY REGULAR BOARD MEETING

MULTI-LAKES SEWER AUTHORITY WILL HOLD THEIR REGULAR BOARD MEETING ON WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 2005, AT 7:00 P.M. 12088 NORTH TERRITORIAL ROAD, DEXTER, MICHIGAN 48130

Publish: November 3, 2005

LYNDON TOWNSHIP SUMMARY MINUTES

PROPOSED MINUTES PENDING APPROVAL BY LYNDON TOWNSHIP BOARD ON NOVEMBER 17, 2005 LYNDON TOWNSHIP SPECIAL BOARD MEETING OCTOBER 19, 2005

Meeting was called to order at 7:42 P.M.
Moved and carried to approve the Gee Farms quote for landscaping of the Sugarloaf Lake pump station.
Moved and carried to approve the initiating resolution for the Sugarloaf Lake Improvement Project, with the removal of item #5 on page 2.
Moved and carried to approve the rezoning of the North Lake Shore property I.D. #E-05-24-100-030 from Rural Residential to Neighborhood Commercial.
Moved and carried for approval of the Lyndon Township Board to present an issue to Lyndon Township Zoning Board of Appeals for an interpretation of the Ordinance.
Moved and carried to lower the Site Plan Application fee for Nextel Communications.
Moved and carried to adjourn at 8:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Carol A. Morrow
Office Manager

Publish: November 3, 2005

CHELSEA DISTRICT LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2005 - 6:30 P.M. Meeting location: Chelsea District Library Meeting Room

Trustees in Attendance: Jan Dohner, President; Kate McAuliffe, Vice President; Karen Dixon, Treasurer; Greg DeGraff, Secretary, Mary Budzinski, Trustee; Gary Zenz, Trustee; and Metta Lansdale, Director

Trustees Absent With Notice: Colleen Verge.

A quorum was present.

Guests: Steve Schultz of Foster, Swift, Collins and Smith; Mike Truax of O'Neal Construction; Jim Mumby of FanningHowey Architects, Inc.

Welcome and Call to Order: J. Dohner called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

Agenda Review and Additions

By consensus, the distributed Agenda was approved with the addition of a closed session after the construction project reports. Roll Call Vote: G. Zenz-Yea, M. Budzinski-Yea, G. DeGraff-Yea, K. Dixon-Yea, K. McAuliffe-Yea, J. Dohner-Yea. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.

Compulsory Segments:

Minutes

MOTION made by G. DeGraff to accept the August 16, 2005 regular meeting minutes as distributed. SECONDED by K. McAuliffe. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.

MOTION made by K. McAuliffe to accept the August 16, 2005 closed meeting minutes as distributed. SECONDED by K. Dixon. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.

Approval of Checks

MOTION made by K. Dixon, SECONDED by K. McAuliffe to approve the list of Operating Account checks. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.

MOTION made by G. Zenz, SECONDED by K. Dixon to approve the list of Construction Project checks. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.

Director's Report and Communications

The trustees requested an explanation of a difference between "Net Income" and "Ending Balance" in the Debt Retirement Fund. The book keeper will be invited to the October meeting to explain this difference. To a question about the status of the Architect contract the director agreed to push that along to signature. To a question about the timing of the Annual Report the Director agreed to move it along for earlier publication next year.

Public Comment

There was none.

Construction Project Discussions and Reports

O'Neal Construction Report:

Mike Truax, Construction Manager representing O'Neal Construction, distributed an updated project schedule. He noted that with a projected "move in" date of August 30th 2006, the project is one week behind schedule, saying the project was delayed by 1-1/2 weeks due to the soil remediation activities but 1/2 week was gained through other efficiencies.

Soil Remediation Report:

Mike Truax reported that approximately 75% of the contaminated soil has been removed. The remaining 25% will be removed when the balance of excavation is complete (i.e. complete excavation of the light well). Some modification to the basement of the original McKune may be required based on soil testing results. This would add to the estimated cost of the remediation project.

FanningHowey Report:

Jim Mumby reported that the decision to select material for the east facing wall is critical, noting this is on the agenda for the meeting this evening.

Cost Update:

The Director stated that the project technology budget will see some reduction due to the advance purchase of the self-check machine and accompanying equipment. The project budget will reflect this change when it is presented next.

Building Committee Update

Jane Dising reported for the Building Committee on how they arrived at the recommendation for use of Prairie Stone on the east facing wall. Cost was a significant issue. However, the committee also considered longevity. The Prairie Stone will be treated every ten years with a silicone spray as will the brick walls. From the standpoint of color and texture, the committee liked the look of the Prairie Stone better than that of the Granite presented. She also reported that one member of the committee dissented from this recommendation.

Closed session to consider attorney advice

MOTION made by G. DeGraff to enter into closed session for the purpose of attorney advice on matters relating to personnel issues and soil remediation, as permissible by the Open Meeting Act 267 of 1976, 15.268, Sec 8). SECONDED by M. Budzinski.

Roll Call Vote: K. Dixon-Yea, G. Zenz-Yea, M. Budzinski-Yea, G. DeGraff-Yea, K. McAuliffe-Yea, J. Dohner-Yea. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.

Return from Closed Session:

MOTION made by K. McAuliffe to move to action the question of sending letters regarding soil remediation. SECONDED by G. Zenz. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.

MOTION made by K. Dixon to direct the attorney to send two letters regarding soil remediation to prior owner and occupant of Pump-n-Pantry lot. SECONDED by K. McAuliffe. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.

Action Items

Selection of Material for the East Facing Wall

MOTION made by M. Budzinski to accept the Building Committee recommendation of Prairie Stone as the material for the east-facing wall. SECONDED by K. Dixon. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.

FY 2006 Operational Budget

MOTION made by G. DeGraff to adopt the resolution for the lower millage rate of 1.63-mills. SECONDED by K. McAuliffe. MOTION FAILED.

MOTION made by K. Dixon to adopt the resolution for the higher millage rate of 1.6466 mills. SECONDED by G. Zenz. MOTION FAILED.

Items Tabled Until September 27, 2005

MOTION made by G. Zenz to table until September 27, 2005 the following items: for Action: FY 2006 Operational Budget, FOIA Policy Revision and Budget Adjustment Summary. SECONDED by M. Budzinski. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.

Care of Mature Trees - Walnut on the South Side

MOTION made by K. Dixon to allow the director to take down the designated 20" Black Walnut on the south side of the property and to spend an additional \$670.00 in order to do so and to retain the wood, if possible, to use in the interior of McKune. SECONDED by G. Zenz. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.

Adjourn:

MOTION made by M. Budzinski to adjourn the meeting at 10:20 PM. SECONDED by K. Dixon. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.

Gregory P. DeGraff, Secretary

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DEXTER TOWNSHIP SPECIAL MEETING NOTICE

DEXTER TOWNSHIP ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS WILL MEET ON WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 2005 AT 6:00 P.M. AT THE TOWNSHIP HALL 6880 DEXTER PINCKNEY RD., DEXTER, MI 48130

AGENDA

1) DISCUSS LAKES RESIDENTIAL ZONING

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DEXTER TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION APPLICANTS

DEXTER TOWNSHIP is seeking two applicants to serve as members of the Planning Commission. The applicant must be a resident of Dexter Township. The Planning Commission currently meets Bi-monthly and is primarily responsible for the preparing the Townships General Development Plan and Zoning Ordinance. Other duties include reviewing proposed developments and site plans.

If you are interested please submit a letter and brief resume by: Monday, November 14, 2005 to:

Pat Kelly, Supervisor
6880 Dexter Pinckney Rd.
Dexter, MI 48130

supervisor-dexter@twp-dexter.org

If you have any questions, please call 734-426-3767 during business hours. Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

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Showing Off

Fourth-grader Christian Kunitz shows his mother, Margaret, how to use the placement chart for addition problems during the Wylie Elementary School Open House. He is in teacher Narda Black's multiage classroom this year.

SUPERIOR TOWNSHIP

Women's health event set Nov. 17

The American Heart Association, in partnership with St. Joseph Mercy Health System's Michigan Heart and Vascular Institute and the Ellen Thompson Women's Health Center, will present Dress Up Your Heart, a program on women's cardiovascular health from 5:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. Nov. 17.

The event will be held at the Michigan Heart and Vascular Institute Auditorium on the St. Joseph Mercy Hospital Campus in Superior Township.

Cardiologist Dr. Barbara Kong will highlight the latest research and guidelines on women and cardiovascular health. Participants will take part in hands-on activities to learn how to incorporate regular exercise, proper nutrition, cholesterol and blood pressure control, and stress reduction into their daily lives.

Everyone is encouraged to dress for light exercise and wear red to support the American Heart Association's Go Red for Women movement.

"Cardiovascular disease, including stroke, claims more women's lives than the next six causes of death combined — nearly 500,000 a year and nearly twice as many as all forms of cancer," Carolyn Ottney-Schweiss, Washtenaw County Heart and Stroke director for the American Heart Association, said in a press release.

"Women can do a lot to prevent cardiovascular disease and stroke, and it begins by learning all they can about these serious health threats and working to reduce their risks."

"More research needs to be done on heart disease and stroke in women, but we already can share a lot of life-enhancing information. Dress Up Your Heart will help educate women and provide a means for them to do something about their greatest health threat."

Cost for the event is \$20 and includes dinner, as well as door prizes. To register, call 1-800-231-2211 or 712-5400, or register online at www.sjmercyhealth.org.

WASHTENAW COUNTY

Party opposes move

The Washtenaw County Republican Party has voted to support a proposed ballot initiative to rescind the Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners' proposal to fund a \$30 million bond issue, by eliminating the sheriff's road patrol.

The Washtenaw County Republican Party's governing body, chaired by Matthew Schneider, voted 18-1 Oct. 13 in support of the ballot initiative.

"Ensuring public safety is a core function of government," Schneider said in a press release. "County Republicans feel that sheriff patrols provide an absolutely necessary community service. County Republicans will

work extremely hard to support funding for the sheriff."

Washtenaw County Commissioner Mark Ouimet, R-District 1, voted against the measure when it came to a vote of the commissioners.

"No person buying a car tries to save a few bucks by optioning off the seat belts and brakes, but this is exactly what the County Commission did with its vote to eliminate the sheriff's road patrol," he said.

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LIMA TOWNSHIP WASHTENAW COUNTY, MICHIGAN NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING CONCERNING SPECIAL ASSESSMENT DISTRICT FOR FIRE PROTECTION

TO: THE RESIDENTS AND PROPERTY OWNERS OF THE TOWNSHIP OF LIMA, WASHTENAW COUNTY, MICHIGAN, AND OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Township Board of the Township of Lima, will conduct a public hearing at the Township Hall at 11452 Jackson Road, in said Township on November 14, 2005 at 7:00 p.m. to consider the creation of a SPECIAL ASSESSMENT DISTRICT for purposes of special assessing property for the cost of fire protection in the Township.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the district within which the cost of fire protection is proposed to be assessed is described as follows:

THE UNINCORPORATED PORTIONS OF LIMA TOWNSHIP, WASHTENAW COUNTY, MICHIGAN

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the Township has received estimates of the cost of providing fire protection in the approximate amount of \$187,240.00 for the fiscal year 2005-2006 and has estimated that the annual increases in costs will not exceed the annual increase in the cost of living index, as shown in the Consumer Price Index of the U.S. Department of Labor, for "all items" for urban consumers. The estimates are on file with the Township Clerk. The Township Board has passed a resolution tentatively declaring its intention to establish a SPECIAL ASSESSMENT DISTRICT and has further tentatively found that the providing of fire protection to be financed in part by special assessment to be in compliance with the statutory requirements.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that said estimated costs and special assessment district map, may be examined at the office of the Township Clerk at 11452 Jackson Road, Chelsea, Michigan.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the question of raising money for fire protection by special assessment must be submitted to the electors of the Township if the owners of 10% of the land to be made into the special assessment district petition for a referendum.

At the public hearing, the Township Board will consider any written objections to any of the foregoing matters which might be filed with said Board at or prior to the time of said public hearing, as well as any revisions, amendments, or changes to said estimates of cost, or to said special assessment district.

If the Township Board determines to create the SPECIAL ASSESSMENT DISTRICT, a public hearing will be set by resolution to consider the amount of the special assessment to be levied against benefited properties. Appearance and protest at that public hearing is required in order to appeal the amount of the special assessment to the State Tax Tribunal. An owner or party in interest or his or her agent may appear in person at the hearing to protest the special assessment, or shall be permitted to file his or her appearance or protest by letter received at or before that public hearing.

In future years, the Township Board proposes to redetermine the amount to be levied for fire protection purposes in the district at its annual budget hearing each year without further mailed notice. However, if an increase in the levy in any year will exceed the estimated annual increase by more than 10 percent, notice of the redetermination hearing will be mailed to property owners.

All interested persons are invited to be present at the aforesaid time and place to submit comments concerning any of the foregoing.

Lima Township will provide necessary reasonable auxiliary aids and services, such as signers for the hearing impaired and audio tapes of printed material being considered at the hearing to individuals with disabilities at the hearing upon four days notice to the township clerk. Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services should contact the township clerk at the address or telephone number listed below.

Arlene R. Barels Clerk
Lima Township
11452 Jackson Road
P.O. Box 59
Chelsea, MI 48118
Telephone 734-475-2246
Fax 734-475-6967

Publish: November 3, 2005

LOCH ALPINE SANITARY AUTHORITY OF WEBSTER AND SCIO TOWNSHIPS COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, MICHIGAN

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that the regular Quarterly Meeting of the Loch Alpine Sanitary Authority of the Townships of Webster and Scio is scheduled. The meeting will be held on:

November 7 at 7:00 PM

At the

Ann Arbor Country Club
4699 E. Loch Alpine Drive
Ann Arbor, MI 48103

Nell Gerl, Chairman
Loch Alpine Sanitary Authority

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November 3, 2005

CHELSEA DISTRICT LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES MINUTES OF SPECIAL MEETING TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2005 - 7:30 P.M. Meeting location: Chelsea District Library Meeting Room

Trustees in Attendance: Jan Dohner, President; Kate McAuliffe, Vice President; Karen Dixon, Treasurer; Greg DeGraff, Secretary; Mary Budzinski, Trustee; Gary Zenz, Trustee; Colleen Verge and Metta Lansdale, Director.

A quorum was present.

Welcome and Call to Order

J. Dohner called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.

Agenda Review and Additions

By consensus, the distributed Agenda was approved with the addition of "Financial Investigation" as an action item.

Public Comment

There was none.

Action Items

FY 2006 Operational Budget

MOTION made by G. DeGraff to adopt the Resolution 2005-9-01 levying the millage rate of 1.63 mills. SECONDED by K. McAuliffe. Roll Call Vote: G. Zenz-Nay, K. McAuliffe-Yea, K. Dixon-Nay, J. Dohner-Yea, G. DeGraff-Yea, C. Verge-Yea, M. Budzinski-Yea. MOTION PASSED.

FOIA Policy Revision

MOTION made by G. DeGraff to adopt the FOIA Policy Revision as distributed. SECONDED by K. McAuliffe. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.

Budget Adjustment Summary

MOTION made by M. Budzinski to accept the Budget Adjustment Summary as distributed. SECONDED by K. Dixon. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.

Finance Investigation

MOTION made by K. Dixon that the library hire its attorneys Foster, Swift, Collins and Smith to lead the investigation into allegations in a letter from a former employee. SECONDED by K. McAuliffe. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.

Reports:

Friends: G. DeGraff reported on the success of recent used book sales and Friends leadership.

Personnel:

G. DeGraff reported on his presentation to library staff on behalf of the Board.

Adjourn:

MOTION made by K. McAuliffe to adjourn the meeting at 8:45 PM. SECONDED by K. Dixon. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.

Gregory P. DeGraff, Secretary

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SYLVAN TOWNSHIP REGULAR BOARD MEETING WAS HELD OCTOBER 4, 2005 AT 7:00 P.M. AT THE SYLVAN TOWNSHIP HALL 18027 OLD US 12, CHELSEA, MI 48118

The following board members were present: Supervisor Williams, Clerk Koch, Treasurer Grau, Trustees Merkel and Solo.

Also present: Lisa Allmendinger, Brian Dickinson, Don Schoenberg, Ann Feeney, Reuben Lesser, Earl Heller, Dennis Grysen. Meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm and the pledge recited.

Motion by Grau, seconded by Solo to approve minutes of 9-6-05 and 10-3-05 as presented. Carried.

Motion by Grau, seconded by Merkel to pay bills as presented. Carried.

No public hearings.

Public participation:

Brian Dickinson of 16744 Kilmer Road was presented regarding his Temporary Dwelling permit. The permit was issued in July of 2004 and extended until October 1, 2005 and the Dickinson's are requesting another extension. The Board felt that a 30 day extension which would concur the CACA's Statement of Intent/Temporary Occupancy permit would be all the Township would allow. Motion by Koch, seconded by Merkel to grant a 30-day extension of the Temporary Dwelling permit with completion by November 4th or the bond will be forfeited. Carried.

Trustee Solo read an e-mail from Andy Sacks regarding Wireless Communications.

Zoning Inspector Lange reported 8 permits and 1 certificate of occupancy for the month of September.

Supervisor Williams reported on the Lakes sewer restoration issues and the Washtenaw County Road Commission Chelsea West Drive issue.

Clerk Koch reported that the Sylvan Township Water and Sewer Authority is now able to pay all bills except for Jones & Henry.

Treasurer Grau reported only 100 delinquent taxes for summer collection on the books.

Trustee Merkel reported on the Lake Sewer Construction meeting and the last Planning Commission meeting.

Trustee Solo reported he will be presenting an RFP for Wireless Communications later on the agenda.

Reuben Lesser, representative to CAFA reported that Friday, October 7th from 9am to 1pm the CAFA board will be conducting interviews for Chief.

No old business.

New business:

Motion by Merkel, seconded by Grau to amend the fee schedule regarding Land Division fees. Carried.

Motion by Merkel, seconded by Solo to authorize Clerk to sign an Amendment to the General Standard Engineering Agreement with Jones & Henry. Carried.

Motion by Grau, seconded by Koch to approve the bids for snow plowing at the recycle bins. Carried.

Motion by Koch, seconded by Grau to approve the amended Water Use Ordinance. Roll call vote - all ayes - Carried.

Motion by Merkel, seconded by Solo to approve a Resolution regarding the Water Use Rules & Regulations. Roll call vote - all ayes - Carried.

Motion by Merkel, seconded by Grau to send the Proposed RFP regarding Wireless High-Speed Internet Provider to Anne Seurynck at Foster, Swift for her legal review and comments. Carried.

Motion by Solo, seconded by Grau to re-appoint Corinne Sikowski as delegate and LuAnn Koch as alternate to WWRRA for a 2-year term. Carried.

Motion by Koch, seconded by Solo to send a text change to the Wireless Ordinance to Planning Commission to hold a public hearing and make recommendation to the Township Board. Carried.

Motion by Koch, seconded by Grau to approve the Snow & Ice Contract for the Township Hall with Bollinger Sanitation for 2005-06. Carried.

Motion by Koch, seconded by Grau to approve Merkel and Williams to attend a Wetland Seminar. Carried.

Motion by Grau, seconded by Solo to approve a Policy for Capitalization of Assets as recommended by the Township Auditors. Carried.

Motion by Grau, seconded by Koch to approve an Office Depot Credit Card Policy as recommended by our Township Auditors. Carried.

Motion by Solo, seconded by Grau to enter closed session at 7:50pm to discuss a Legal Opinion. Carried.

Open session returned at 8:00pm.

Motion by Williams, seconded by Koch to concur with Counsel's advice regarding Zoning Compliance Permits and Certification of Occupancy permits dated September 7, 2005. Carried.

Motion by Solo, seconded by Grau to adjourn at 8:02pm.

LuAnn S. Koch
Sylvan Township Clerk

October 17, 2005

CLOSED SESSION MINUTES

The board entered closed session at 7:50pm to discuss a Legal Opinion from Foster, Swift, Collins & Smith regarding Zoning Compliance permits and Certificate of Occupancy permits within Sylvan Crossing. See letter dated September 7, 2005.

Motion by Solo, seconded by Grau to adjourn at 8:00pm.

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CHELSEA SCHOOL DISTRICT BID PACKAGE #3A BEACH MIDDLE SCHOOL IMPROVEMENTS

Owner: Chelsea School District
Construction Manager: Granger Construction Company
6267 Aurelius Road/P.O. Box 22187
Lansing, Michigan 48909
(517) 393-1670 Phone / (517) 393-1362 Fax

Invitation is made by the Owner and Construction Manager to have qualified bidders submit bid proposals for the above referenced project. Owner and Construction Manager encourage and seek participation of MBE/WBE/SBE.

CATEGORY DESCRIPTION CATEGORY DESCRIPTION
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3A-8-1: Entrances / Windows 3A-12-1: Casework
3A-9-1: Drywall/Acoustical Finishes 3A-15-1: Mechanical / Plumbing Systems
3A-9-2: Flooring 3A-16-2: Temperature Controls/Test & Balance
3A-10-1: Lockers (Alternate B3) 3A-16-1: Electrical Systems

Bid Proposals are requested and will be received as a "single lump sum proposal" prior to 2:00 p.m., local time, on Wednesday, November 16, 2005. Bids are to be submitted to: Chelsea School District, Administrative Offices, 500 Washington Street, Chelsea, Michigan.

A Pre-Bid Meeting will be held on Thursday, November 3, 2005 at 3:30 pm at Beach Middle School, Media Center, Room 109, Chelsea.

Bid security in the form of bonds are required to be submitted with all proposals. Bid security in the form of a certified check is acceptable bid security only for proposal less than \$50,000.

All bids shall be accompanied by a sworn statement disclosing any familial relationship that exists between the Owner(s) or any employee of the bidder and any member of the Board of Education of the School District or the Superintendent of the School District. The Board of Education shall not accept a bid that does not include a sworn and notarized familial relationship disclosure statement.

All questions and bid document requests should be directed to the Construction Manager via facsimile. To obtain one set of plans and specifications, contact the Construction Manager. Plans and specifications will be on file for reference at the following locations:

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Lansing, MI 48909
(517) 393-1670

Builders Exchange Of Lansing
1240 E. Saginaw Street
Lansing, MI 48906
(517) 372-8930/(517) 372-5022 Fax

Builders Exchange Of Grand Rapids
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The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, to accept other than a low bid, and to waive irregularities, irregularities and/or errors in proposals, which they feel is in their best interest.

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CMD - Construction Market Data
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Novi, MI 48375
(248) 471-5811/(248) 471-6103 Fax

CAM - Construction Association Of MI
43636 Woodward Avenue
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(248) 972-1000/(248) 972-1001 Fax

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NATIONAL

Flu has become the focus of many agencies

Tracking the disease helps officials know how flu strains spread

By Emily Burton
Heritage Newspapers

Tracking the spread of influenza is a complicated process that involves the work of organizations across the state, the nation and the world.

T.J. Bucholz, a spokesman for the Michigan Department of Community Health, is one of the people involved.

But why is tracking the flu so important to the government?

Aside from survival, the answer, Bucholz said, is that influenza is a complicated virus with many variants that are constantly mutating to form new strains of the disease.

Before tracking was done, the virus was unpredictable. Where it would spread and who it would infect were unknowns.

No serious discussion of the disease is complete without mention by health experts of the 1918-1919 influenza pandemic that swept the globe, killing more than 20 million people worldwide.

The pandemic, known historically as a "global disaster," was caused by a strain of the virus known as the Spanish flu.

While it took the Spanish flu more than a year to travel the world, health officials recognize today that modern means of transportation and the constant movement of people from country to country would cut that infection time dramatically.

The invention of the influenza vaccine has helped to stave off the deadly movement of the virus, but because it mutates all of the time, tracking its spread truly is a matter of survival, Bucholz said.

Knowing what strains are where allows scientists to gain control over a potentially fatal disease.

Bucholz said that out of the 79 cases officially diagnosed in Michigan so far, 63 are Type A and are of the Fujian strain.

One of the ways the flu is tracked is through "sentinels" — doctors specifically trained to detect it.

But even that method isn't perfect.

Bucholz said only 200 doctors in Michigan are sentinels, and because not everyone with the flu sees any doctor at all, let alone a sentinel, the numbers of actual flu cases can be difficult to gauge.

Based on the number of patients being cared for by sentinels, 2.4 percent statewide are complaining of flu-like symptoms.

Southeastern Michigan has a higher percentage of people visiting sentinels complaining of the flu — 3.8 percent.

"It's good for people to know, if you live in a more congregated area, the more likely you are to come into contact with infected people, which is why we see a higher incidence of the disease in people who live in urban

areas," Bucholz said.

The national Centers for Disease Control and Prevention in Atlanta, which utilizes 1,000 sentinels to track the flu nationwide, said Michigan has regional flu activity. Infection is monitored on five levels: no flu activity, sporadic, local, regional and widespread.

The peak — or the time when flu infection rates are at their highest — varies from year to year and typically occurs in late January or early February. But the peak can occur as early as December or as late as March.

"This year may see a peak of cases of Type A flu in February and then a really late peak of Type B in March," Bucholz said.

But it's impossible to know exactly when and what type of virus will peak until the flu season has run its course, Bucholz said.

The Fujian strain was common two years ago. Health experts around the world attempt to predict what types of the flu will be most common in a given season so the appropriate vaccines can be manufactured to fight it.

In late 2003, officials failed to predict that the Fujian strain would dominate, causing an earlier peak than expected.

Last season, officials correctly predicted the Fujian strain again would dominate.

However, Bucholz said the flu vaccine would help protect the recipients from the disease even if the strain they are exposed to is not part of the vaccine. This is called cross protection.

As a result of correct predictions last year, Bucholz said the state is seeing a more typical pattern of flu outbreaks.

Another positive development last year was that no pediatric deaths had been associated with the flu in Michigan, Bucholz said.

He also said that while children and infants can die of the flu, those cases typically happen in children whose immune systems already are impaired.

Seniors, children, pregnant women and those who are already ill are most likely to be affected by the flu, he said.

Contrary to popular belief, neither the flu vaccine nor nasal sprays can cause someone to contract the virus.

"What the vaccine does is it triggers your immune system to send out the antibodies to fight the flu without triggering the flu," Bucholz said.

Recipients might experience some light flu symptoms, but would not actually have it.

The flu vaccine is made from killed strains of the virus, meaning it is impossible to contract the flu from the vaccine. The nasal spray is made from live forms of the virus, however, but still cannot give someone the flu.

"It uses a live but inactive version, which means that your body will be able to adapt much more quickly to different types of the virus," Bucholz said. "It is alive, but it can't harm your immune system."



New Officers

New officers for Chelsea Kiwanis Club were inducted in October. Pictured are Bob Milbrodt (left), returning treasurer; Lucy Stieber, immediate past president; Diana Walsh-Ramsay, incoming president-elect; Rod Dewyer, new president 2005-2006; and Ray Kenner, returning secretary.

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Lucky Winner

The Chelsea Senior Center presented a gift certificate to Judy Gentz of Chelsea, winner of a week in Aruba and a \$500 cash prize, in the Chelsea's Changing Seasons Fine Arts and Craft Show drawing. Chuck Schauer, the incoming president of the Chelsea Senior Center Board, presents the certificate to Gentz, who won the first-place prize on her wedding anniversary. Marcia White, the center's outgoing board president, donated the vacation prize.

Photo courtesy of Ed Riske



DEATHS

ERIC JOHNSON Dexter

Eric Johnson, 61, of Dexter died suddenly Oct. 28, 2005. He was born April 19, 1944, to Ermin "Red" and Nona (LaPar) Johnson in Lansing.

Mr. Johnson served in the U.S. Army from 1961 to 1964. He graduated with a bachelor's degree from Michigan State University in 1971 and received a master's degree in business administration from Cranfield Institute of Technology in Cranfield, England, in 1974.

Mr. Johnson was united in

marriage to Cindy Kay Sept. 22, 1972. They had been residents of Dexter since 1976.

Mr. Johnson worked for many years in marketing. He was most recently employed at Hackney Hardware in Dexter.

Mr. Johnson was preceded in death by his parents.

He is survived by his beloved wife, Cindy; children, Manissa and Dane of whom he was so very proud; brothers, Brian (Gail) Johnson and Craig Johnson; sister, Carole Swain; brothers-in-law, Michael Kay and Robert (Susan) Kay; and

several nieces and nephews.

Visitation will be held from 2 to 4 p.m. and 6 to 8 p.m. today at the Hosmer-Muehlig Funeral Chapel in Dexter. A scripture service will be held at 7:30 p.m.

A funeral will be held 11 a.m. tomorrow at St. Joseph Catholic Church. Visitation is from 10 a.m. until the time of service. The Rev. Brendan Walsh will officiate.

Memorial contributions may be made to an educational fund for Mr. Johnson's children or St. Joseph Church Stairway to the Future Campaign.

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Courting Success

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CHELSEA

Events set at library

Patricia Polacco, author and illustrator, brings her magical storytelling to the Chelsea District Library 1 p.m. Nov. 19.

Polacco's books span generations, cultures and history, always telling a story that speaks to not only the child, but to the adult, the parent, the grandparent.

Part of the national celebration of Children's Book Week, Polacco's visit will include a 45-minute talk, followed by an autograph session.

The author, who lives in Michigan, will reflect on writing, illustrating and the magical storytellers from her youth, and what and who has inspired her work. Many of her books also will be available for purchase at the program. Cranesbill book store in Chelsea also will feature her titles.

"Her visit is already creating a lot of buzz, especially among educators because many of her books are used in social studies, English and art classes," Karen Persello,

head of youth and teen services at Chelsea District Library, said in a press release.

"She draws heavily from her own family's history in 'Pink and Say,' about the Civil War; 'Thunder Cake,' about Michigan storms; and 'The Butterfly,' about Nazi Germany.

Other events celebrating Children's Book Week include:

• A Scavenger Hunt for prizes throughout the week.

• Games and crafts for kids from 6 to 8 p.m. Nov. 14.

• The Josh Casey Show 7 p.m. Nov. 17.

• Harry Potter Read-a-Thon from 1 to 9 p.m. Nov. 16.

Celebrity readers will join patrons, volunteers and staff to read "The Goblet of Fire," which is also being released nationwide as a movie that day.

The celebrity line up includes 1 p.m. Linda Meloche of "Around Town With Linda," 2 p.m. Library Director Metta Lansdale, 3 p.m. Chelsea Education Foundation's Anne Merkel, 4

p.m. teacher Tami Gillingham, 5 p.m. storyteller Barb Locks, 6 p.m. singer Ella Fritzemeier, 7 p.m. Mayor Ann Feeney and 8 p.m. City Manager Mike Steklac.

All events are free and are held at 500 Washington St. No registration is required.

For more information, call 475-8732.

NATIONAL

UAW expected to approve cutbacks

DaimlerChrysler AG employees to make healthcare concessions

By Joseph Szczesny
Journal Register News Service

DaimlerChrysler AG expects the United Auto Workers to agree to major cuts for active and retired workers from the Chrysler Group that will reduce the company's overall spending on health care in the United States by between 25 percent and 30 percent.

Bodo Uebber, DaimlerChrysler's chief financial officer, also said during an Oct. 28 conference call with analysts that the German-American is increasingly confident the products the Chrysler Group is about to introduce, such as the Dodge Nitro, are a good fit for the U.S. market.

"I'm confident we're doing the right stuff," said Uebber, who noted the Chrysler Group's operating income increased 43 percent in the third quarter.

Uebber also said the U.S. auto industry's custom of pattern bargaining will mean that the Chrysler Group is in line to get the same concessions as General Motors Corp.

The UAW has tentatively agreed to forgo \$1 per hour worth of future wage increases next year to help finance the cost of GM's health care benefits.

The changes also include monthly contributions and sharply higher co-payments and deductibles for GM retirees and have been endorsed by the union's GM council, pending finalization of the contractual language needed to implement the agreement.

The union has not yet set a ratification vote among active workers. Retired workers will not have a chance to vote on the health care changes.

Uebber said Chrysler's implementation of the health care changes is contingent on the ratification vote at GM. However, he estimated the changes sketched out by GM could trim 25 percent to 30 percent from Chrysler's annual bill for health care.

"We will expect similar concessions from the UAW," he said.

Chrysler currently is paying about \$1.8 billion annually for health care for active and retired workers and its unfunded liability for health care now tops \$5.6 billion,

according to figures supplied by Uebber.

Uebber also said the Chrysler Group is continuing to help bail out bankrupt Collins & Aikman Corp. of Troy, which is supplying pieces on several popular vehicles, among them the Jeep Grand Cherokee.

The Collins & Aikman bailout cost the Chrysler Group \$70 million in the third quarter, Uebber said. He said Chrysler has agreed to provide an additional \$40 million in the fourth quarter and \$70 million in price increases during 2006 and may have to provide additional support to Collins & Aikman operations in Europe.

Uebber also said that DaimlerChrysler has accrued a charge of \$150 million on tax liabilities identified during the course of a review of the company's handling of certain transactions in response to a probe by the U.S. Department of Justice into possible violations of the U.S. Foreign Corrupt Practices Act.

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TASTE

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Pork Tenderloin With Creamy Mustard Sauce

Makes 4 servings

1 pound pork tenderloin
Salt and ground black pepper
1 teaspoon vegetable oil
2/3 cup (5 fluid-ounce can) Nestlé Carnation Evaporated Fat Free Milk
2 tablespoons Dijon mustard
2 green onions, sliced

CUT pork into 1-inch-thick slices. Place pork between 2 pieces of plastic wrap. Flatten to 1/4-inch thickness using meat mallet or rolling pin. Season with salt and pepper. HEAT oil in large skillet over medium-high heat. Add half the

pork; cook on each side 2 minutes or until browned and cooked through. Remove from skillet; set aside and keep warm. Repeat with remaining pork. REDUCE heat to low. Add evaporated milk; stir to loosen brown bits from bottom of skillet. Stir in mustard and green onions. Return pork to skillet. Cook 1 to 2 minutes (do not boil) or until sauce is lightly thickened, turning pork to coat with sauce.

Nutritional analysis per serving: 200 calories, 26g protein, 7g fat (70 calories from fat), 4g carbohydrate, 75mg cholesterol, 0g fiber, 280mg sodium, 10% Daily Value calcium

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Shrimp and Corn Chowder

Makes 4 servings

3/4 cup water, divided
1 small chopped onion
1/2 cup chopped red bell pepper
1 can (15 to 17 ounces) cream-style corn
1 package (16 ounces) loose-pack frozen whole-kernel corn, thawed
1 can (12 fluid ounces) Nestlé Carnation Evaporated Fat Free Milk
3 low sodium chicken bouillon cubes
1 package (8 ounces) frozen shrimp, thawed, cooked and peeled
1 tablespoon chopped fresh basil

BRING 1/4 cup water to boil in large saucepan. Add onion and bell pepper; cook over medium heat 5 minutes or until tender. Add remaining water, corn, evaporated milk and bouillon. Bring to boil; reduce heat to low. Cook, stirring frequently, 15 minutes or until heated through. Stir in shrimp; cook 3 minutes. Sprinkle with basil.

Nutritional analysis per serving: 330 calories, 25g protein, 2.5g fat (25 calories from fat), 60g carbohydrate, 115mg cholesterol, 5g fiber, 600mg sodium, 30% Daily Value calcium

Individual Chocolate Espresso Soufflés

Makes 8 servings

Nonstick cooking spray
2 tablespoons granulated sugar
1/2 cup Nestlé Toll House Baking Cocoa
1/2 cup hot water
3 tablespoons instant coffee granules
2 tablespoons butter
3 tablespoons all-purpose flour
2/3 cup (5 fluid-ounce can) Nestlé Carnation Evaporated Fat Free Milk
3/4 cup granulated sugar, divided
4 large egg whites
Pinch of salt
Powdered sugar

PREHEAT oven to 375°F. Spray eight 6-ounce custard cups with nonstick cooking spray; sprinkle evenly with 2 tablespoons granulated sugar. COMBINE cocoa, water and coffee granules in medium bowl; stir until smooth. Melt butter in small saucepan over medium heat. Stir in flour; cook, stirring constantly, 1 minute. Stir in evaporated milk and 1/2 cup granulated sugar. Cook, whisking frequently, 2 to 3 minutes or until mixture is slightly thickened. Remove from heat. Add to cocoa mixture; stir until smooth.

BEAT egg whites and salt in small mixer bowl until soft peaks form. Gradually beat in remaining granulated sugar until stiff peaks form. Fold 1/4 of egg whites into chocolate mixture to lighten. Fold in remaining egg whites gently but thoroughly. Pour mixture into prepared cups, filling 3/4 full. Place on baking sheet. BAKE 18 to 20 minutes or until wooden pick inserted in center comes out moist but not wet. Sprinkle with powdered sugar. Serve immediately.

Nutritional analysis per serving: 180 calories, 5g protein, 3.5g fat (30 calories from fat), 34g carbohydrate, 10mg cholesterol, 1g fiber, 110mg sodium, 6% Daily Value calcium



Apple-Cranberry Cobbler

Makes 12 servings

1 cup Nestlé Carnation Evaporated Fat Free or Lowfat 2% Milk
1 3/4 cups all-purpose flour
2/3 cup granulated sugar
3 tablespoons butter or margarine, melted
2 teaspoons baking powder
1 teaspoon ground cinnamon
1/2 teaspoon salt
2 cups (21-ounce can) apple pie filling
1 cup sweetened dried cranberries
3/4 cup hot water
Nondairy fat-free whipped topping (optional)

PREHEAT oven to 350°F. Grease 13 x 9-inch baking dish. COMBINE milk, flour, sugar, butter, baking powder, cinnamon and salt in medium bowl; stir until just blended. Spread into prepared baking dish. Combine apple pie filling and cranberries in medium bowl; spread evenly over batter. Carefully pour hot water over fruit. BAKE 45 to 50 minutes. Serve warm with whipped topping.

Nutritional analysis per serving: 230 calories, 4g protein, 3.5g fat (30 calories from fat), 49g carbohydrate, 10mg cholesterol, 2g fiber, 230mg sodium, 10% Daily Value calcium

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ASAP728104 FORE CLOSURE NOTICE. This firm is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for this purpose. If you are in the Military, please contact our office at the number listed below. MORTGAGE SALE. Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Paul Young, Jr. and Dinah M. Young, Husband and wife to WMC Mortgage Corp., a California Corporation, Mortgagee, dated August 28, 2002 and recorded October 11, 2002 in Liber 4171, Page 297, Washtenaw County Records. Said mortgage was subsequently assigned to Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as Trustee for the registered holders of GSAMP Trust 2002-HE, Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2002-HE, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date hereof, the sum of One Hundred Eighty Two Thousand Five Hundred One Dollar and Forty Two Cents (\$182,501.42) including interest at 7.75% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, the main lobby of the Washtenaw County Courthouse, Huron Street entrance, Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00AM, on Thursday, December 8, 2005. Said premises are situated in City of Saline, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Land in the City of Saline, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, described as: Lot 90, Rolling Meadows Community Number 3, as researched in Liber 17, Page 44 of Plats, Washtenaw County Records. Commonly known as 816 N Ann Arbor St. Saline MI 48176 The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with 1948CL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. Dated: OCTOBER 14, 2005 Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. Mortgagee, Potestivo & Associates, P.C. 811 South Blvd. Suite 100 Rochester Hills, MI 48307 (248) 844-5123 Our File No.: 05-39592 ASAP728104 10/27, 11/3, 11/10, 11/17

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ASAP728176 FORE CLOSURE NOTICE. This firm is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for this purpose. If you are in the Military, please contact our office at the number listed below. MORTGAGE SALE. Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Charles Ray Browning and Mary Browning, husband and wife, tenants by entirety, to Amerquest Mortgage Company, mortgagee, dated April 24, 2002 and recorded June 24, 2002 in Liber 4137, Page 111, Washtenaw County Records. Said mortgage is now held by WM Specialty Mortgage LLC, without recourse by assignment submitted to and recorded by the Washtenaw County Register of Deeds. There is claimed to be due on such mortgage the sum of One Hundred Eighty Two Thousand Five Hundred One Dollar and Forty Two Cents (\$182,501.42) including interest at 7.75% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, the main lobby of the Washtenaw County Courthouse, Huron Street entrance, Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00AM, on Thursday, December 8, 2005. Said premises are situated in City of Saline, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Land in the City of Saline, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, described as: Lot 90, Rolling Meadows Community Number 3, as researched in Liber 17, Page 44 of Plats, Washtenaw County Records. Commonly known as 816 N Ann Arbor St. Saline MI 48176 The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with 1948CL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. Dated: OCTOBER 14, 2005 Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. Mortgagee, Potestivo & Associates, P.C. 811 South Blvd. Suite 100 Rochester Hills, MI 48307 (248) 844-5123 Our File No.: 05-39592 ASAP728176 10/27, 11/3, 11/10, 11/17

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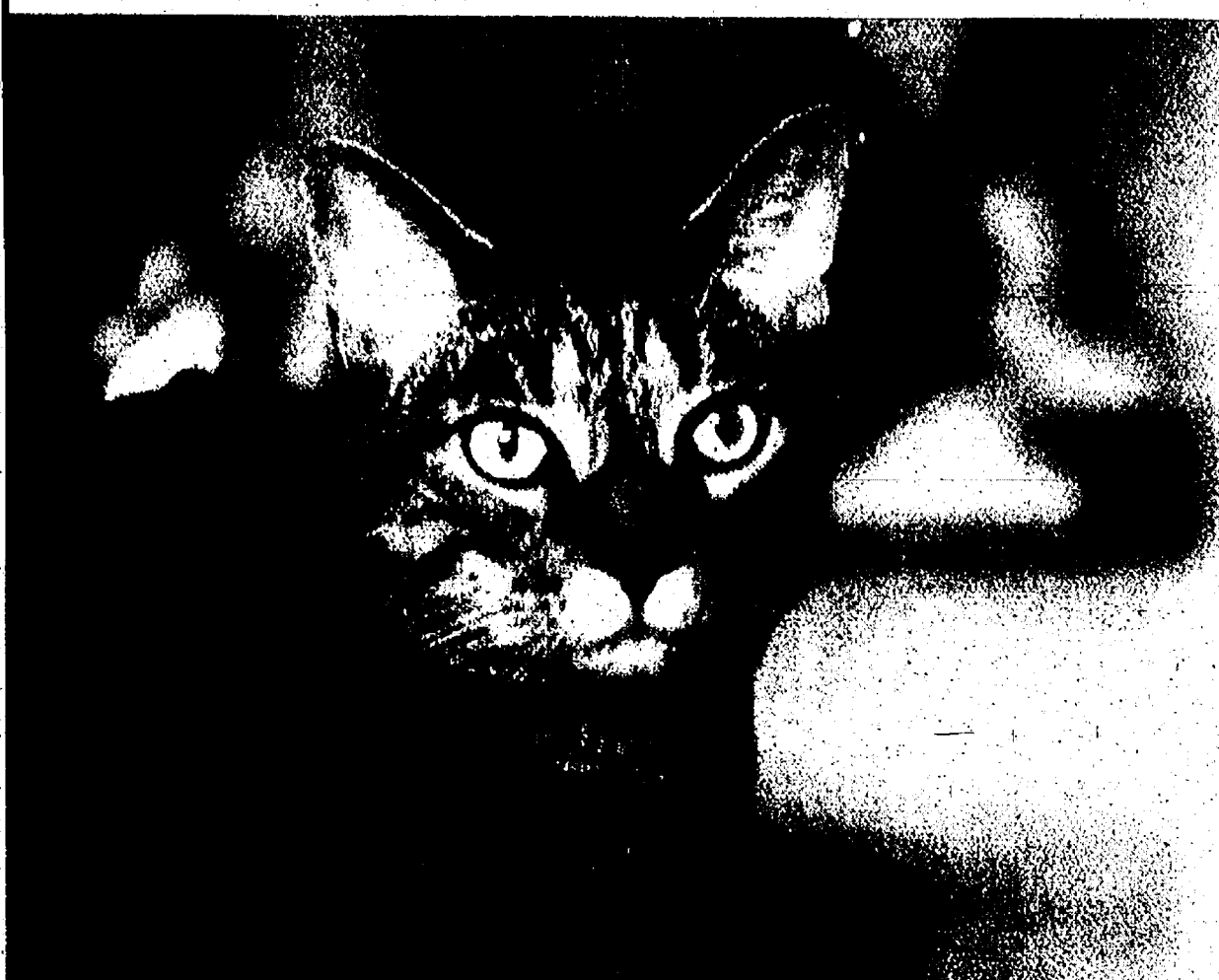
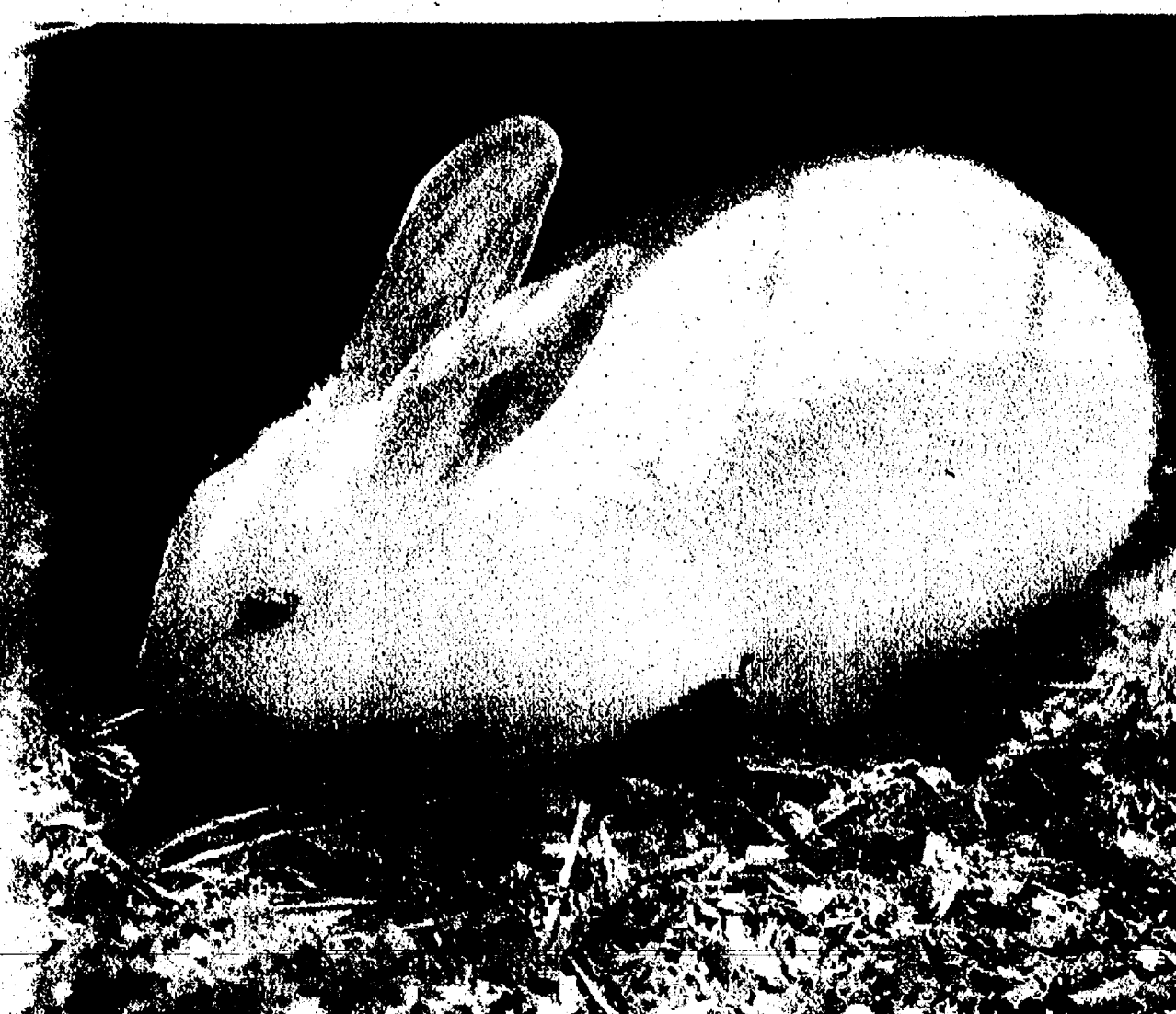
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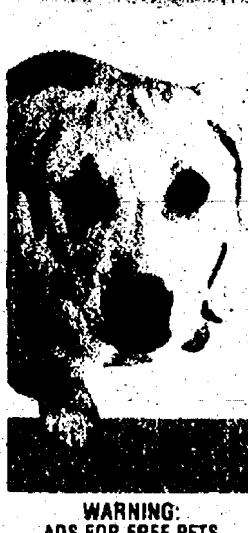
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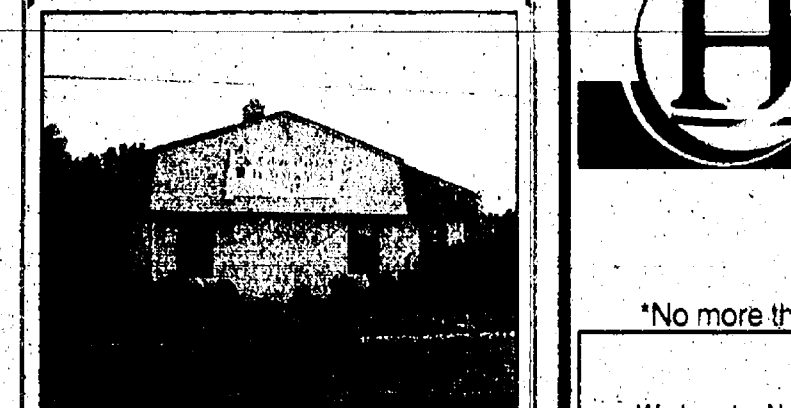
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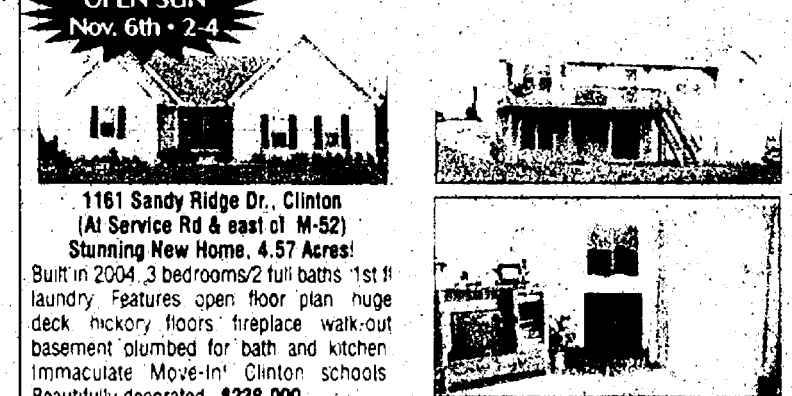
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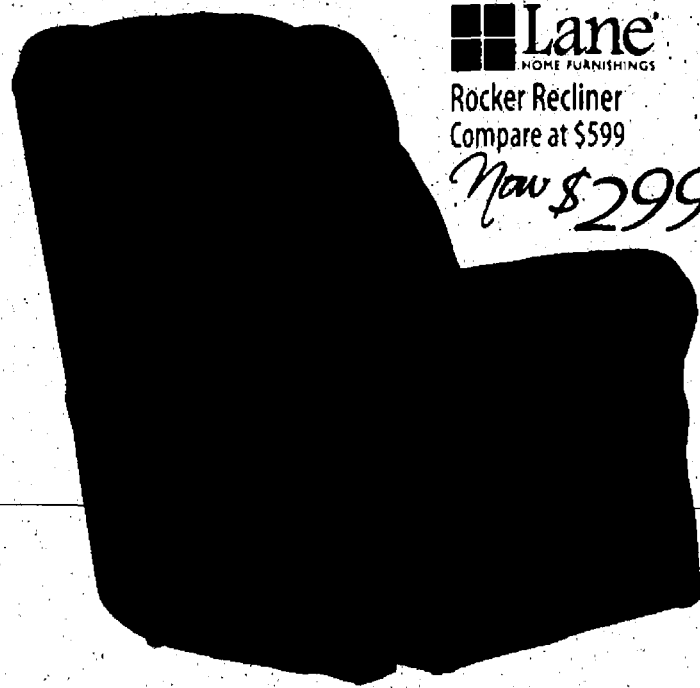
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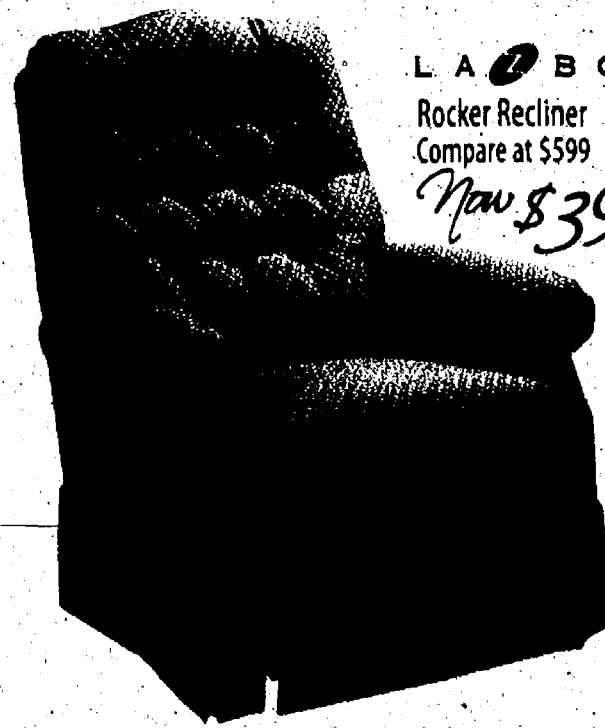


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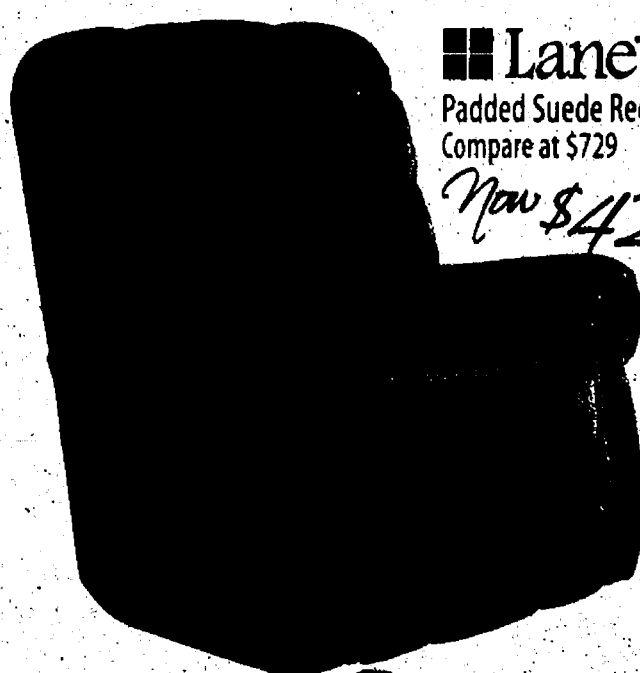


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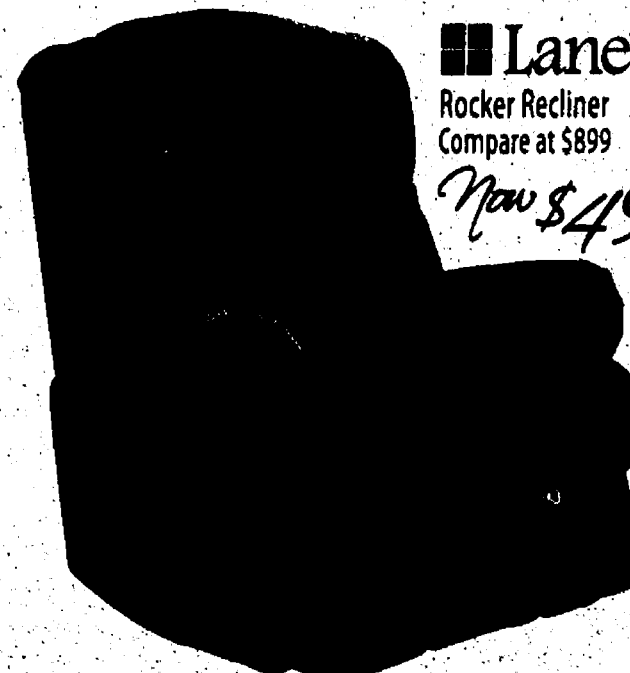


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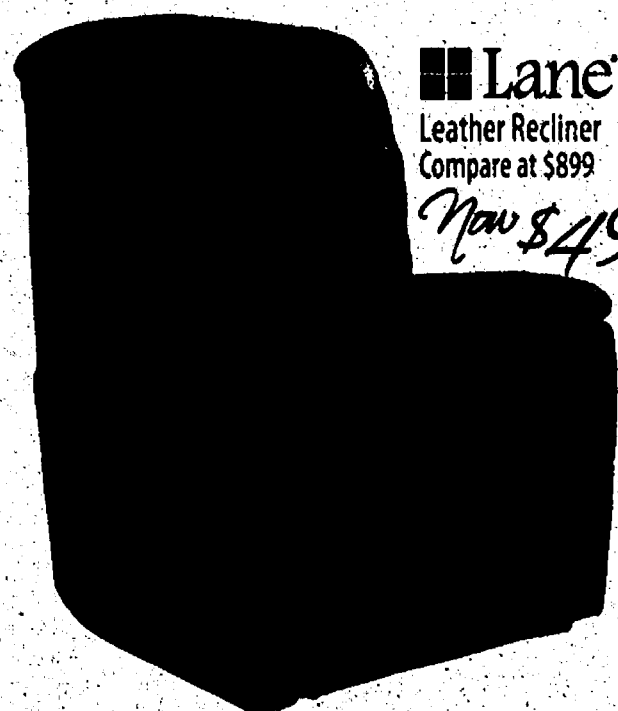


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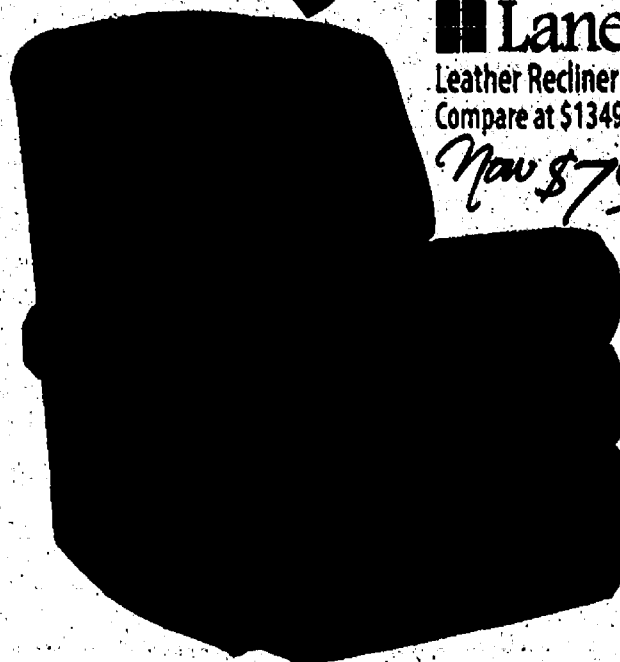


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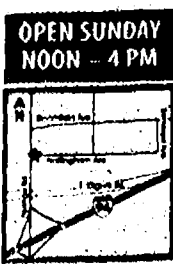


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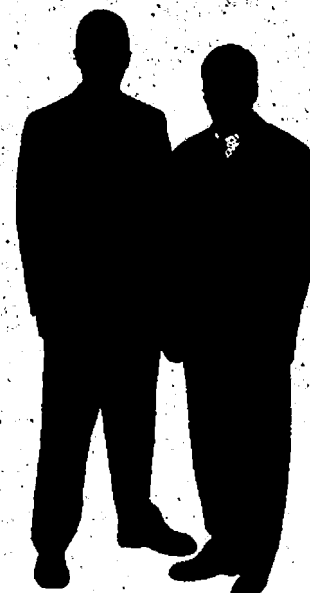
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