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NEWS BRIEFS

Board accepts bid to resurface track

Chelsea Board of Education voted Monday to accept a \$297,800 contract to reconstruct the track at the high school stadium. The money will come from the district's Durant settlement money and sinking fund, which is set aside for maintenance.

The track and all field events will receive a complete overhaul of the asphalt and rubber surfaces. The contract also includes enlarging the pole vault, shot put and discus areas, and using blue, instead of red surface, to match Chelsea's school colors.

Board votes to buy new lawn mower

Chelsea Board of Education voted Monday to purchase a wide-area lawn mower at a cost of \$61,175.

Superintendent Ed Richardson said that with the addition of two new schools, the district has doubled its lawn area, necessitating a mower with increased capacity. He said the new mower will likely pay for itself in two years as the district saves money on reduced labor costs for mowing.

Bidder W.F. Miller received the contract from the district. One company submitted a lower bid for a different mower brand, but Director of Operations Ron Livengood recommended the purchase because of its superior features.

District authorizes state borrowing

Chelsea School District expects to borrow \$2.3 million from the state this year to cover operational costs. Executive Director of Business and Operations Jim Novak told the school board Monday.

Novak said the borrowing is necessary because the state foundation allowance does not coincide directly with the district's pay schedule. The money is a short-term loan, and will be paid back when the state pays the district.

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Rite Aid scraps Chelsea store plans

By Eric Bowen
Staff Writer

After much community outcry, a proposed Rite Aid drug store on the corner of Old US-12 and M-52 has been canceled, according to the company's spokeswoman Beverly Lyons.

Despite receiving a petition and numerous letters from Chelsea residents, Lyons said the opposition was only one factor in the company's decision.

"It may have been a consideration, but it was not the deciding factor in Rite Aid's decision not to build," Lyons said of the petition. "Suffice it to say we decided

not to pursue that store for a number of reasons."

Though the store on one of Chelsea's most prominent corners has been taken out of consideration, Lyons said Rite Aid has not ruled out building a store in Chelsea.

She said Rite Aid will continue its companywide objective of building free-standing stores to replace older, less-convenient locations.

"I can't speculate about another location at this time except to say Rite Aid is always looking for sites," Lyons said.

The news of Rite Aid's decision elated some Chelsea residents, who had

opposed the construction of an 11,000 square-foot store and the corresponding destruction of the four buildings currently on the lot. The residents' vociferous objections came in the form of the petition, letter-writing campaigns and letters to the editor.

Chelsea resident John Frank, who spoke against the store at several Village Council meetings, said he had been hearing rumors of the pull-out for a few weeks. But the confirmation was an affirmation of the effort he and others put in.

"I think this is a demonstration that when a lot of people in the community work together they can affect what hap-

pens in the community," Frank said. "They don't have to settle for what the developers want to deliver."

"Too often people say there is nothing they can do. The truth is that if a lot of people (get) together, they can control the future."

Opposition to the Rite Aid store began in November when Fraser-based AAR-MAX Commercial Realty Group requested the village grant an exemption to the village's building moratorium. The council denied that request and another in January after extending the moratorium

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Beat the WRAP



Local kids hiked, learned about geology and sang songs among other activities last week at the annual WRAP camp for elementary-school-aged children. Above: Arlette Alexander, Lisa Dorrance, Ben Christie and Mitch Schopen show off their bird houses built for wrens. Right: Incoming fifth-graders Julie Adams leads blindfolded Kaitlin Osborn on a trust walk. Below: second-graders Gregory Cornwell and Jason Doyle get ready to sing about their director who eats bugs.



Diesing steps down as school board president

By Eric Bowen
Staff Writer

Jane Diesing stepped down as president of Chelsea Board of Education Monday night after six years of leading the policy-making board. The board members decided their officers at the annual organizational meeting held before the board's regular meeting July 12.

Diesing had been saying she wanted to change positions for weeks, so the only mystery was who would replace her. Diesing nominated former Treasurer Scott Broshar, who was accepted unanimously by the board members.

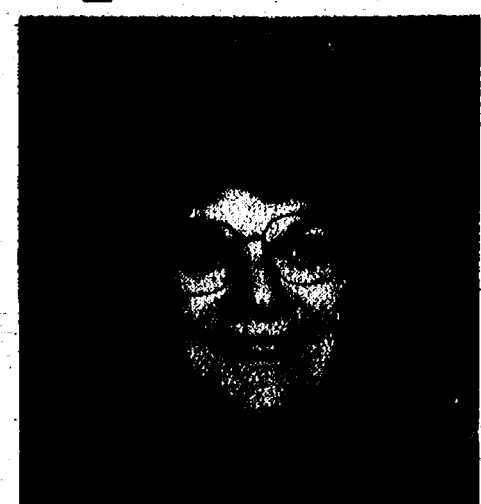
By policy, Broshar began his duties at the end of Monday night's meetings, making his first official action that of leading the board's annual retreat last Tuesday. Broshar will take over the board meetings starting July 26.

Diesing's tenure spans a turbulent time in the district. She presided over the board when then-Superintendent Joe Piasecki was killed, and she oversaw the doubling of school square footage during the recent construction of a new elementary and high school.

Diesing won't be completely out of the top jobs on the board. She will replace Broshar as treasurer.

The other officers won't have to change the titles on their name cards. Both Secretary Dayle Wright and Vice President Sandra Merkel will remain in their positions.

As part of the organizational meeting, the board members also volunteered for numerous



Jane Diesing

standing committees and representative slots. The positions are as follows:

- Board/Staff committee: Diesing, Trustee Conrad Knutsen and Merkel.
- Curriculum: Broshar.
- School Improvement: Wright.
- Education Foundation: Merkel.
- Finance: Diesing, Knutsen and Merkel.
- Personnel: trustees Jill Taylor and Jan Roberts, and Diesing.
- Policy: Broshar, Wright and Knutsen.
- Sex Education Advisory: Knutsen.
- Representative to the Washtenaw, Michigan and National Association of School Boards: Roberts.
- Recreation Council liaison: Diesing.

In other business at the organizational meeting, the board took action to designate Chelsea State Bank as its depository for all of the district's accounts.

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Summer Festival to feature expanded entertainment

Visitors to the Chelsea Summer Festival July 30-31 will find a much larger event designed to appeal to a wider audience.

The festival, which began as a two-day Sidewalk Sale for merchants to clear out hard-to-sell or clearance items, has become a full-blown festival, with more emphasis on entertainment.

However, the sales will still go on for those who want to shop. In recent years, merchants have typically put many more things on sale.

The annual two-day festival features more of just about everything, with expanded hours, according to organizer Laurie Gravelyn.

The entertainment will take a new step up by featuring two Detroit-area bands, Skyline & The Back Street Horns, as well as In The Pocket. They

help round out an entertainment package that includes many regular popular acts, such as the oldies band The Sea Cruisers, Zeemo the Magnificent, Colors the Clown, magician Jeff Boyer, and many other local groups.

All the music acts, except the Skyline band, have some Chelsea connection.

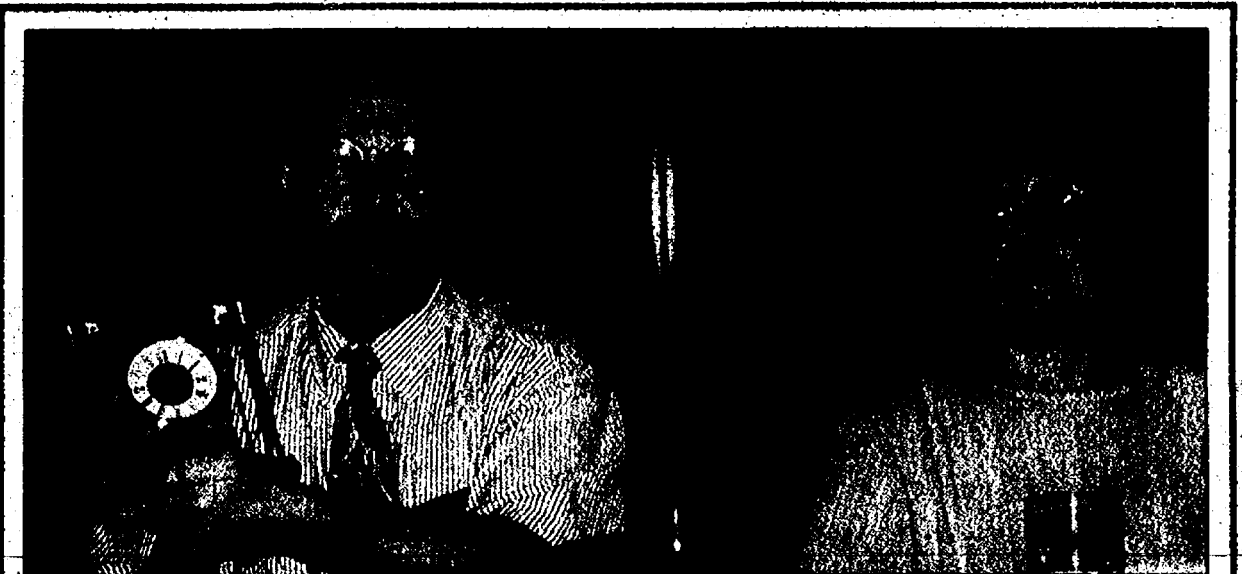
"The lineup we have put together is fantastic," Gravelyn said.

"We truly have something for everyone's taste, with some new blood and, of course, our long-standing favorites like the Sea Cruisers."

The downtown entertainment tent and general area will have something going on continuously from 10:30 a.m. to 11 p.m. on Friday and from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. on Saturday.

As a consequence, the entertainment

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Citizen of the Year Honored

Chelsea Village President Richard Steele was honored Monday night as the Chelsea area's Citizen of the Year. A banquet in his honor was held at Chelsea Community Hospital. The night's speakers all noted Steele's extensive commitment to the community through his governmental role, as well as his honor, integrity and sincerity in all aspects of his life. Joe Yekulis, emcee for the evening, noted that no one roasted Steele, as might be the case with someone else, because he's "too nice a guy." With him is his wife, Margaret.

Ludwig closes out successful career at Findlay College

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Chelsea school board approves policy without comment

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Kargel combines wrestling, art in teaching career

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Players to Perform 'King and I'
Chelsea Area Players' Dana Buck and Mary Beth Sellar will take viewers to Slam for the true love story of "The King and I." The play is showing at 8 p.m. July 29-31 in Chelsea at the George Prinzing Auditorium (old high school).

RITE AID

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until June.

AARMAX President Dennis Gannan said in February that his company would consider a lawsuit to overturn the moratorium in his case. He argued that the store would use less water than the buildings on the site. A village water shortage was the primary reason for the moratorium, which was extended for another three months in June.

Over the last few months, concerned residents organized against the store, urging the Village Council to uphold the moratorium. The last word from AARMAX was in April when the company began considering a development agreement for the site.

Frank said those residents who opposed the Rite Aid now

have shifted their focus to help the owners of the land to sell it for the benefit of the community. The land is the last plot in the village owned by three sisters who are the heirs of the Pierce family, which used to own much of the southern part of the village.

Frank said he thought expansion of the nearby Pierce Park could be one option for the property. Or the property could be developed for other commercial uses that wouldn't raze the current buildings and put in a parking lot on the corner.

"Some of us have made some overtures that said we would like to help (the sisters) sell (their) property for a use that the community likes," Frank said. "There are a lot of things that could happen at that corner."

Neither the Pierce heirs nor Gannan were available for comment.

Board OKs athletic code without protest

By Eric Bowen
Staff Writer

For a document that caused such consternation last summer, Chelsea School District's Athletic Code of Conduct sailed through the board Monday night with little difficulty.

In the two meetings the code has come up for discussion the last two weeks, no one has raised objections to the code. The board voted unanimously to accept the policy as recommended by Athletic Director Wayne Welton.

The policy came under scrutiny last August when several athletes were suspended from play after breaking into Chelsea-Rod and Gun Club and stealing alcoholic beverages. Some of the students appealed the suspensions to a

board hearing, but the suspensions were upheld.

One of the most disputed tenets in last year's debate was that students are covered by the code throughout the entire calendar year. Parents of the suspended students argued that students only should be covered by the code during school and not during the summer, which was when the students broke the code.

The board cemented that portion of the code by removing quotation marks around the words "calendar year." In August the marks were seized upon by lawyers, who said they were unclear and indicated something other than what they said. The board said the marks merely signified a change in wording from the

previous year.

The code did have a few minor changes. Students now can opt to change sports before any competitions have taken place. They also are not required to have a "home-cooked meal" before athletic contests.

Another result of the athletic code controversy was reflected in a change in the district's organizational chart. Welton will now report directly to Superintendent Ed Richardson.

Richardson said that during last year's hearings, he had to relay messages to Welton through another administrator because of the way the duties were set up. He decided it was too cumbersome and needed to be changed.

In other business Monday

night the board took the following action:

- The board officially set the policy for compensation of non-union employees, including administrators. The policies designate the experience level and salaries for the employees.
- The board set a policy for how employees will be reimbursed for expenses at conferences or other training programs. Expenses are supposed to be realistic and approved by an employee's supervisor.
- The board appointed Dick Bradburn and Bill Shrosbree to represent the board on the Chelsea Recreation Council.
- The board approved curriculum for the middle-school social studies curriculum.

Village continues plod toward city status goal

By Michael Rybka
Staff Writer

If the village of Chelsea's endeavor to transform itself into a city has become a forgotten subject of late, it is because the wheels are slow to turn even when progress is being made.

Two weeks ago, local attorney Stanley Burke, a member of the Chelsea City Committee who interacts with Lansing, said he submitted a revised map, accompanied by property descriptions, to the State Boundary Commission.

The map defines the present boundaries of the village, including recent annexations as well as anticipated annexations.

Burke said it's difficult to keep up with village annexations and this was only the third informal submission since the Village Council formed the committee in June 1992.

In an informal opinion, the Boundary Commission said the

submissions were inadequate.

Burke said that only a minor discrepancy was found and that the engineering firm, Midwestern Consulting, was already redrawing the map for another submission next week.

While it is the Boundary Commission that will eventually sanction the village's plans and organize a public hearing, Burke said in the interim the commission acts as an advisory committee.

As long as the Chelsea City Committee informally submits drawings, the Boundary Commission will continue to informally give its opinion on its accuracy.

Burke said that the Chelsea City Committee must be extremely certain that its maps and descriptions are faultless before it makes a formal submission.

Burke said that what the Boundary Commission approves of in an informal capacity may not be what it approves of formally, even if it is the same submission.

If the Chelsea City Committee made a formal submission and it was rejected, Burke said the whole process would have to start from scratch, including a new petition signed by residents of the village and Sylvan and Lima townships.

The Boundary Commission requires that 5 percent of the affected population be represented on the petition with at least 10 signatures from each individual municipality.

After the Boundary Commission approves the legality of the petition, a local public hearing is held. An election is

held if the municipality, which was pursuing city status, decides to go ahead and file a referendum for one.

If this stage is completed, a second election is held to elect nine commissioners to compose a city charter.

A city charter frees the municipality from being bound by the General Law Village Act, which is under the auspices of the state.

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Storybook series features local narrators

Chelsea Children's Cooperative Preschool has produced a unique video series designed to promote reading to youth.

The "Storybooks" series features local Chelsea citizens from all walks of life reading stories to young children. Starting July 19, the series will air on 9 a.m. Monday through Friday on Channel 22, Chelsea's local cable access channel. Each of the five "episodes" in the series runs 15 to 20 minutes and features two or three stories and readers. The tapes are also available for loan at the Chelsea District Library at no cost.

"The tapes show children that all kinds of people like to read books, not just their parents, teachers and librarians," Co-op Preschool director

Janie Brooks said.

"Hopefully the series will appeal to children with differing interests because we've included guest readers from different occupations like firefighters, pilots, musicians, chefs and others."

The guest readers who volunteered their time include: Jeff Rohrer, director of Chelsea Community Education; Jed Fritzemeier, musician/teacher; Dr. Margaret Lane, veterinarian at Lane Animal Hospital; Tom Schuessler, pilot with Northwest Airlines; Kevin Van Orman, firefighter; Anna Murray, author; Maggie Baldwin, Jiffy Mix factory worker; Bob Pierce, owner of Pierce's Pastries Plus; Ed Richardson, superintendent of Chelsea Schools; Dr. Todd Napieralski, dentist; Dr. Mary Westoff, pediatrician; Mary

Lou Severin, nurse; and Daryl Hoskins, the head chef at The Common Grill restaurant.

This series was made possible through the funding of the Rosebud Foundation of Ann Arbor, the Chelsea Education Foundation, Chelsea's Little Professor Book Center and Chelsea Children's Cooperative Preschool.

"This has truly been a community effort from all the volunteer readers, to the co-op families who helped with video taping and editing and the funding organizations," Jolene Everard, co-president of the preschool said.

"The Chelsea Little Professor book store hadn't even been opened for a week when they agreed to provide the funds needed to finish the project."



Kids at the Chelsea Children's Co-op Preschool heard a story read by veterinarian Margaret Lane recently as part of the school's "Storybooks" video series. The series will air at 9 a.m. Monday through Friday on cable channel 22. Front: Madeline Inglis, Georgie Paulsen, Lexi Beatty, Ella Skrocki, Madeline Broekhuizen, Nicholas Hafner and Alex McDougall. Middle: Ian Kemner, Daniel McDevitt, Cassie Smith and Ella Fritzemeier. Back: Lane and preschool Director Janie Brooks.

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area will be moved from West Middle Street to the parking lot behind the Common Grill.

"The entertainment area was too congested and too small," Gravelyn said.

"We looked at both (municipal) lots but the Purple Rose has a play that night and concerts would interfere with them."

Along with the entertainment tent will be a beer tent, a first for the festival.

There will also be entertainment at Chelsea Shopping Center from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Friday and 9:45 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturday. The CATS bus will be used as a shuttle bus between the mall and the downtown. Mall entertainment includes a demonstration by Chelsea Tae Kwon Do, magic, pony rides, an appearance by Detroit Tigers mascot Paws, and performances by the Chelsea Baton Corps and Dance Arts Academy.

In anticipation of a larger downtown crowd and more parking demand, the festival has come up with an incentive program for downtown employ-

ees to park away from the main, two-block area.

All downtown employees are going to receive a coupon for \$2 off a drink at Pierce's Pastries Plus, Zou Zou's, What's The Scoop or Mike's Deli in exchange for parking in the Jiffy Mix lot opposite Chelsea Industries. In addition, the craftspeople are going to be encouraged to park at Jiffy.

"We think we might be able to free up 300 spots," Gravelyn said, noting there aren't many alternatives for handling a large crowd downtown.

Faist-Morrow Buick, Olds Chevrolet and Palmer Family Ford plan to provide vans and drivers to take people from the center of activity to the Jiffy lot. Even though it's only two blocks, Gravelyn believes the service will be appreciated. For example, crafters might be carrying money, or downtown workers might be carrying files.

Also new to the festival this year are an expanded crafts area that includes a juried show, as well as a soapbox race on Freer Road, sponsored by local Scouts. Freer Road will be closed between Washington Street and Mayer Drive from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. on Saturday.

Committee hears traffic survey report

By Michael Rybka
Staff Writer

The Chelsea Area Traffic Committee expressed its appreciation at the speed and depth at which a planning firm accomplished a one-week study of traffic flow on M-52.

The study is intended to help the committee with their long-term goal of rerouting M-52 and short-term solutions that will help in the interim.

The study was conducted last week by Stephanie Aldighieri of HNTB, an engineering and planning firm sub-contracted by JJR Inc.

Aldighieri made site visits at every Main Street crossing from Old US-12 to Sibley Road while having electronic counters installed.

The counters kept track of morning and evening traffic and could measure vehicle weight. This allowed Aldighieri to determine how long it takes for one vehicle to travel from one crossing to another and, consequently,

from end of town to another.

Aldighieri concluded that the busiest hours of the day were from 7 a.m. to 8 a.m., and between 4:30 p.m. and 5:30 p.m., with the evening more congested than the morning.

In the morning, she said, a car could still make it through town in five minutes. In those hours, Aldighieri said that, while the majority of the traffic was southbound, a surprising 25 percent headed north.

Aldighieri said that after 5:30 p.m. traffic in town wasn't really much of a problem.

Aldighieri also delved into records kept by the Southeast Michigan Council of Governments through 1995-97 on the number and type of accidents that occurred downtown.

There were 14 accidents at the intersection of Main and Park/South streets. Of these, eight involved rear-end collisions while six involved sideswipes.

Of the sideswipes, one in-

volved a parked car while the others took place when cars were parallel parking.

From Old US-12 to Park Street, 103 accidents took place in that period which exceeded the total of accidents from Old US-12 to the I-94 overpass.

Of the 103 accidents, 52 were rear-end collisions.

Aldighieri said that some of the problems with traffic may stem from Chelsea's having the traffic lights timed the same during peak hours as during standard traffic periods.

The 300 feet that separates the traffic lights at Main and

Middle streets and Main and Park streets may need to stay green longer during rush hours to avoid traffic overlap at the intersections.

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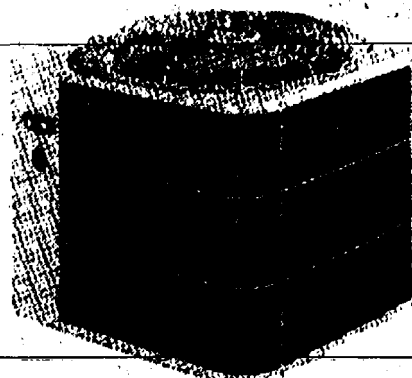


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Parent of the Year

Chelsea Children's Cooperative held its annual ice cream social recently, with the Chelsea House Orchestra providing the entertainment. Krys Patton (right) received the Outstanding Parent of the

Year award. Pictured with Patton (from left) are teacher Jane Brooks, and co-presidents Kathy Johnson and Jelené Everard.

Sylvan Twp. to host open house July 18

By Michael Rybka

Staff Writer

The Sylvan Township Board of Trustees will show off its new township hall at a public open house, Saturday, July 18, between 1 p.m. and 5 p.m.

The hall is located on the southeast corner of Old US-12 and Sylvan Road. Everyone is welcome to come.

Township Clerk LuAnn Koch expects about 300 people to attend. Iced tea, coffee and cookies will be served.

The date was set at a July 6 meeting at which other matters were discussed.

An agreement to house a Michigan State Police substation at the new township hall was made official. Floor plans will be forwarded to the department to facilitate suitable furniture selections.

It was agreed that the state police should be asked attend the open house.

The board decided that a one-year lease should be offered to the Chelsea Area Fire Authority use to the township's basement for training purposes. A clause will allow the township to cancel the agreement with a 30-day notice.

Expanding upon a recently passed "temporary gathering" ordinance, the board decided to require a \$1,000 deposit for such activity.

Expanding upon a months-old franchise ordinance, the board decided to require a \$2,000 deposit when a utility company is merely using township land to extend its servicing equipment rather

than establishing a permanent presence within the township.

Acting upon a correspondence, the board agreed to send a representative to a county-sponsored round table that will discuss viable locations for low-income housing in the greater Ann Arbor area. The board will try to interest a member of the planning commission to attend the forums.

Another letter requested that the township appoint a representative to meetings of the Washtenaw County Intermediate School District.

The board chose to draft a response stating that, while it wishes to be kept informed of the district's activities, it would not appoint a representative at this time.

The board postponed until next month attaching themselves to a bandwagon resolution initiated by the village of Chelsea that supports the Chelsea District Library remaining at its current site.

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Fire Authority to join library ballot

Voters will see two separate ballot issues Oct. 5 when the Chelsea District Library asks voters to approve both an operational millage and a \$6.29 million building project.

The 1.75 mill operating levy would be for 20 years, to coincide with the length of the anticipated building bond issue.

"The resources need to be in place to support the building over the life of the bond," said library board President Lynn Fox.

Library Director Metta Langdale Jr. said previously that she anticipates that less than a mill would be needed to fund the bond issue.

The board anticipates that the physical improvements to the library should be able to handle the community's growth over the next 20 years.

The board approved the separate issues at a July 6 meeting. Final ballot language is scheduled to be approved July 21.

The library district includes Chelsea Village and, Lyndon and Lima townships, and portions of Dexter and Lima townships.

The library's millage requests will be joined by a fire authority election on the same ballot. The authority received permission to use the library's special election July 6, when the Washtenaw County Election Committee approved its request.

Representatives of the fire authority's board have said that the millage would be approximately 1 mill.

DIESING

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Each of the accounts also has a designated person who can sign checks.

The board voted to retain Thrun, Maatsch & Nordberg as the district's attorneys. Executive Director of Business and Operations Jim Novak was given authorization to handle monetary programs for the district and serve as election administrator.

The board also affirmed the district's policy manual and joined MASH and NASB, as in past years.



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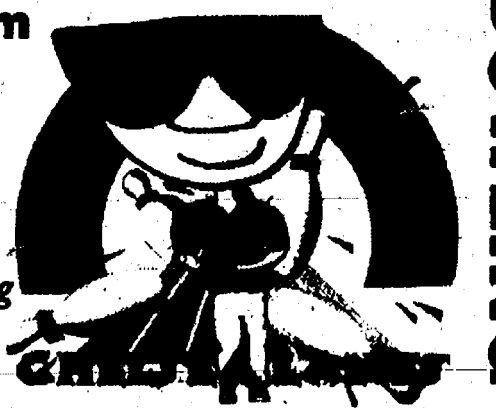
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 - Ample FRESH COOL WATER for drinking and or cooling off (Plastic baby pools make great escapes from the heat... do not overfill or purchase if they are not easily negotiable for your pet).
 - Shade/Shelter from the elements
 - Fresh food... be mindful that the heat may accelerate spoilage
- Be mindful of any sores, lesions or skin conditions... warm moist weather coupled with parasites (fleas and ticks) and fly strike may lead to debilitating infections
- Animals with known or suspected respiratory/cardiac compromise should not be exposed to excessive heat or exercise
- Recently groomed and lighter pigmented pets may be at greater risk for sunburn
- If traveling with your pet do not leave in vehicle unattended... without the ability to truly perspire our pets are very susceptible to heat-stroke

If you have any questions regarding your pet and the summer season please do not hesitate to call LANE ANIMAL HOSPITAL 475-8696. Our friendly doctors and staff are waiting to serve you.



COMMUNITY CALENDAR

CHELSEA

Thursday, July 15

Chelsea Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors meets in the Chelsea Community Hospital private dining room at noon. Info, Sue Starkey (734) 475-1145.

Downtown Development Authority Board of Directors meeting in the Chelsea Village Council chambers. The public is welcome to attend, 8 a.m.

Saturday, July 17

Breathers Club will meet at the Chelsea Community Hospital dining room, 11 a.m.

Monday, July 19

Chelsea Kiwanis Club meets at Chelsea Community Hospital, 8:15 p.m.

Waterloo Area Historical Society Board of Directors meets at the Waterloo Farm Museum, 7 p.m. Info, (734) 498-3395 evenings.

Chelsea Area Players Board meeting at South Meadows Elementary in the teachers lounge, 7:30 p.m. Info, (734) 475-2829.

Chelsea Recreation Council meets at the old village offices, second floor, 7:30 p.m.

Chelsea Village Planning Commission meets at Sylvan Township Hall, 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, July 20

Rotary Club meets at the Common Grill, 12:10 p.m.

Lions Club meets at Chelsea Community Hospital, 8:45 p.m.

Chelsea District Library Board meeting at Faith in Action, 7:30 p.m.

Chelsea Village Planning Commission meets at the Washington St. Education Center Board room, 500 W. Washington, 7:30 p.m.

Lima Township Planning Commission meeting at Lima Township Hall, 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, July 21

Chelsea Zoning Board of Appeals meets at the village offices, 385 S. Main St., Suite 100, in the lower level conference room, at 5 p.m.

Chelsea Athletic Boosters membership meeting at Chelsea High School media center, 7:30 p.m.

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

Thursday, July 22

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Monday, July 26

Chelsea Kiwanis Club meets at Chelsea Community Hospital, 8:15 p.m.

Chelsea School Board meets in the board room, 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, July 27

Rotary Club meets at the Common Grill, 12:10 p.m.

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Wednesday, July 28

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Thursday, July 29

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Wednesday, July 28

Fraternal Order of Eagles, Ladies Auxiliary No. 2154 meet at 7530 Jackson Road, 7:30 p.m.

DEXTER

Thursday, July 15

Dexter Rotary Club meets at Cousins Heritage Inn, 7:30 a.m. Paula Dana will speak on the Retired and Senior Volunteer Program.

Saturday, July 17

St. Joseph Church, 3430 Dover St., celebrates its Summer Fun Festival's 20th anniversary. Free admission to all events, including a craft extravaganza, Las Vegas tent, beer and wine, food courts, kids' games and entertainment, live bands, dancing and a large raffle. Grand prize is a trip to Hawaii. Saturday, noon to 11 p.m. and Sunday, noon to 6 p.m. Info, (734) 426-8483.

Sunday, July 18

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Monday, July 19

Dexter Community Schools Board of Education meets at the Copeland building, 8 p.m.

Tuesday, July 20

Kiwanis Club of Dexter meets at Cousins Heritage Inn, 8:30 p.m.

Dexter Garden Club meets at Dexter Historical Area Museum, 7:30 p.m. Info, Lori Arbour, 426-2372.

Wednesday, July 21

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The Scio Township Board meets at the Scio Township Hall, 8 p.m.

Wednesday, July 21

Dexter Heritage Guild meets at the Dexter Area Museum, 1 p.m. The public is welcome.

American Legion Auxiliary Unit No. 557 meets at the American Legion Home, 8 p.m.

Webster Township Planning Commission meeting at Webster Township Hall, 8 p.m.

Thursday, July 22

Dexter Rotary Club meets at Cousins Heritage Inn, 7:30 a.m. Bryan Lewis, of the Sleeping Bear Press, will be the speaker.

Monday, July 26

Dexter Village Council meeting at National City Bank, 8 p.m.

Dexter PTO meets in the pool lobby, 7:30 p.m. All parents invited to become actively involved.

Tuesday, July 27

Dexter Village Parks Commission meets at National City Bank, 7 p.m.

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

MISCELLANEOUS

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

Alzheimer's Association has many support and group meetings each month for family members of Alzheimer's patients. For more information call the South Central Michigan Chapter at (734) 741-8200 or 800-337-3827.

Alzheimer's Assoc. Family Caregiver Support Group meets the second Thursday each month in the Crippen building at Chelsea Retirement Community, 7-8:30 p.m. Info, (734) 741-8200.

American Red Cross of Washtenaw County is seeking volunteers to assist with its annual fund-raiser, Swim-A-Cross. Have fun and gain experience with event coordination while raising money to support local water safety and health education. Those interested should contact Joan Miller at (734) 971-5300, ext. 215.

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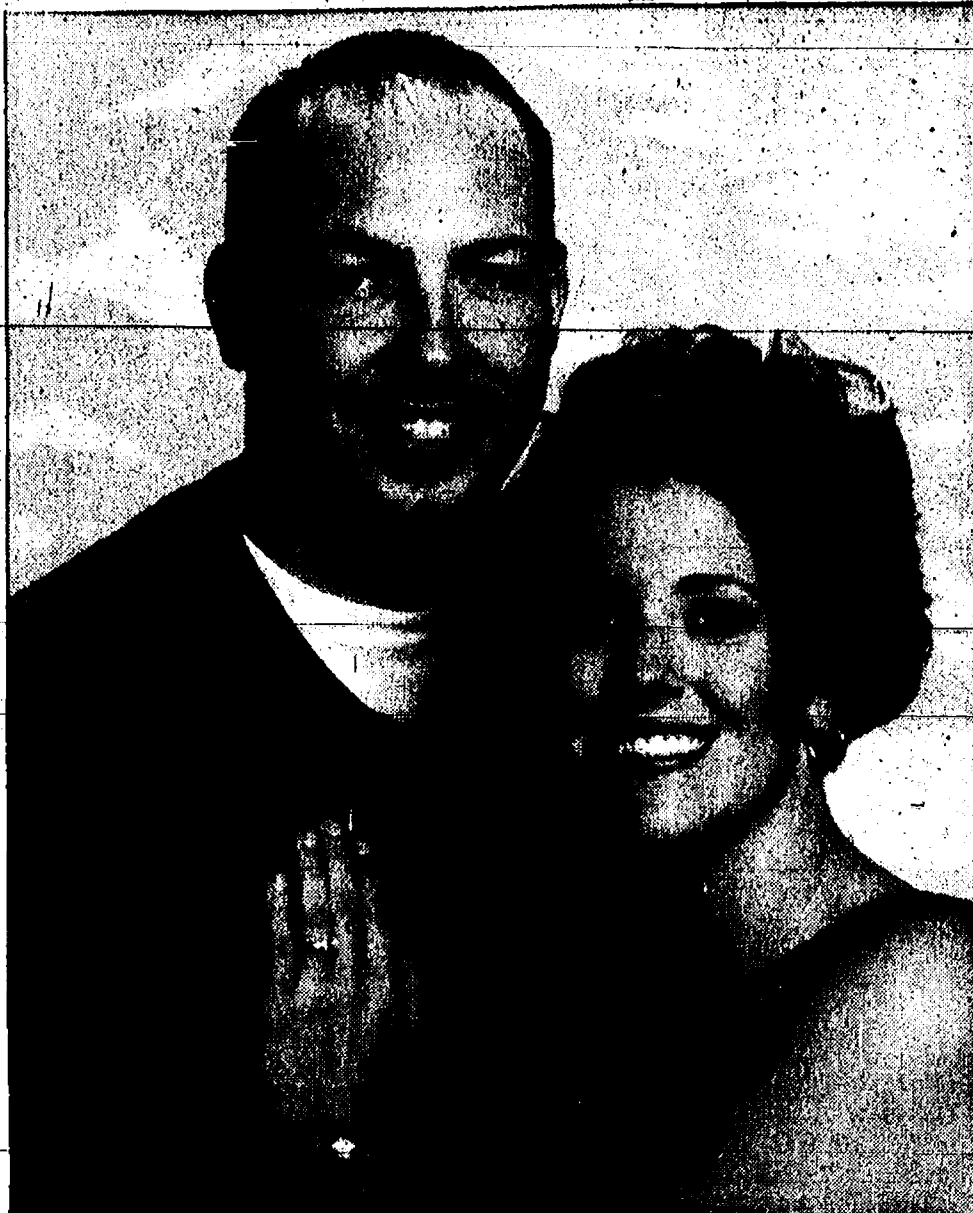
ENGAGEMENTS



ENGAGED: Kaml Lynn Braun, daughter of Thomas and Dawn Braun of Fowlerville, and Christopher Anthony Kargel, son of Kerry and Glenna Kargel of Chelsea, have announced a Sept. 25 wedding to be held at First United Methodist Church of Fowlerville. The future bride is a 1994 graduate of Fowlerville High School and attended Grand Valley State University. She is a para-educator at Fowlerville Community Schools. The future groom is a 1994 graduate of Chelsea High School and attended Grand Valley State University. He is a state park officer for the Michigan Department of Natural Resources.



ENGAGED: Heather A. Trestain, daughter of Mark and Darlene Trestain of Gregory, and Jack E. Boutiller, son of Keith and Vicki Boutiller of Lake, have announced an Oct. 2000 wedding. The future bride is a 1989 graduate of Stockbridge High School and a 1993 graduate of Central Michigan University. She is employed at Chelsea Community Hospital. The future bridegroom is a 1989 graduate of Farwell High School and is employed at Textron Enterprise.



ENGAGED: Shari Renee Babcock, daughter of Samuel and JoAnne Babcock of Port Austin, and Jeffrey Martin Etzel, son of William and Joyce Etzel of Dexter, have announced a Oct. 2 wedding. The future bride is a graduate of North Huron High School and Michigan State University. She is a speech pathologist at Huron Intermediate School District. The future groom is a graduate of Dexter High School and Eastern Michigan University. He is a junior high school guidance counselor for Bad Ax Public Schools.

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CALENDAR

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

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

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

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

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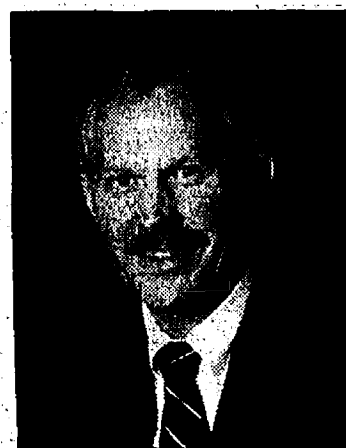
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Maintaining annuals has rewards

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"It takes only a little attention, however, to keep annuals flowering profusely until frost," says Mary McLellan, Master Gardener program coordinator at Michigan State University.

One thing gardeners can do is remove faded flowers and developing seed structures. This practice, called dead-heading, is particularly important with geraniums, snapdragons, zinnias, pansies and the larger marigolds.

"The life's work of annual plants is to produce seed," McLellan explains. "If you pick off the faded flowers, the plants will keep producing more. If you allow the seeds to develop, the plant has no reason to flower any longer."

Many flowers will keep blooming without deadheading, but they may still benefit from having faded flowers removed. They'll look better, for one thing, McLellan points out, and they can use the energy they would have devoted to maturing seed to producing more blossoms.

Some plants — petunias and coleus, particularly — may get straggly-looking by midsummer. Elongated stems with few

branches and diminishing flower protection indicate it's time for drastic action.

McLellan advises using hedge shears or some other sharp-bladed implement to cut leggy plant stems back to 3- to 4-inch stubs with some foliage. Weed and feed and water, then wait. In two to four weeks, plants should be filled out with lots of side branches

and blossoming with new vigor.

"If you vacation in mid-summer, cut plants back right before you leave," McLellan suggests. "When you return, they'll look better than they did when you left, and they'll soon reward you for your efforts with a spectacular flower display that should continue until frost."

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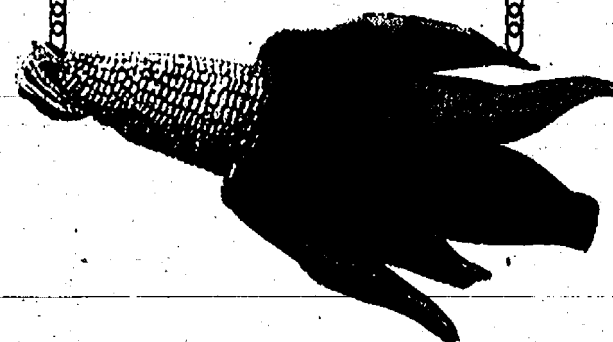
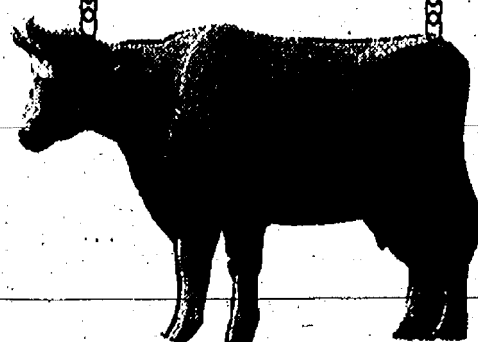
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Music from Mozart, Handel, Mendelssohn, and Andrew Lloyd Webber will be performed, highlighting music from around the world.

The choir, made up of 40 boys and 20 adults, was founded 25 years ago and has given more than 700 concerts all over Europe, United States,

Canada, Japan and Columbia.

The Waterloo Boys Choir 1999 Tour consists of visits to "Waterloos" across the U.S. and Canada. The worldwide spread of the name of this Belgium town, which is located 12 miles from Brussels, is mainly due to the famous battle that took place there

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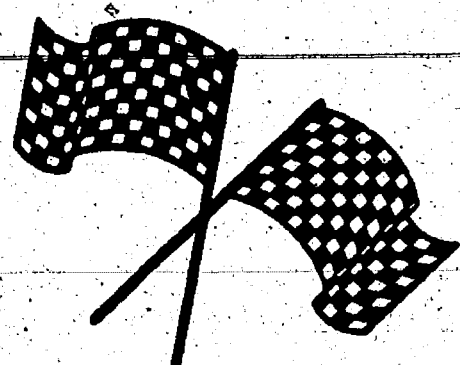
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Experts say some small businesses not yet ready to ward off millennium bug

Small-business owners claim they're ready for the Y2K computer bug, but in fact, fewer than half of all small business owners have even tested their software for Y2K-related difficulties.

That's according to the latest quarterly Small Business Barometer survey. Two hundred Michigan small business owners were surveyed in the first three weeks of May for the 22nd edition of the Barometer research project.

Small business owners express a great deal of confidence in their Y2K readiness. Only about 5 percent of respondents said that they were "not very confident" or "not at all confident" that their computers will make a smooth transition to the year 2000. Additionally, small business owners believe their firms to be well on pace to complete preparations for the Y2K problem before the new year arrives.

But ominously, less than half of all small business owners have tested their software for Y2K-related difficulties. When given the opportunity to list any other precautionary measures they had taken, only six of the 200 survey respon-

dents indicated that they had checked the Y2K readiness of their suppliers and other businesses with whom they do business.

Also, when given the opportunity to explain why they were or were not concerned about the potential impact of the Y2K problem on their business, the survey revealed that business owners lack an understanding of the nature of the Y2K problem. Some said that since their computers were not internally networked and they had no Internet connection, they thought they were effectively "immune" from Y2K problems. Others said that, since they work in a Windows environment, they believed the Y2K problem will not affect them.

"Most small business owners are busy making a living and apparently haven't devoted much attention yet to potential Y2K problems," said Brook Walsh, director of information systems for SBAM's efforts to help its members deal with Y2K.

"With six months left in the year, there's no need to panic. But neither is there time to delay."

Walsh suggests a variety of Y2K Internet resources for small businesses: SBAM's Y2K Web site (www.sbam.org/resource/Y2Kguide.htm), the U.S. Small Business Administration (www.sba.gov/y2k/) and the Y2K article archives of Keystone Systems, Inc., a Kalamazoo-based computer firm that is assisting SBAM members in addressing Y2K (www.keystonesystems.com/sbam.html).

"We know that smaller companies think they can ignore the problem, or that it won't really affect them," said

Ronald R. Hall, Michigan Small Business Development Center state director.

"Yet all small companies — manufacturers, retailers, service providers, contractors and others — must take this problem seriously and they must act now. Y2K problem areas could appear in every operation."

The Small Business Barometer is jointly sponsored by the Small Business Association of Michigan (SBAM) and the Michigan Small Business Development Center (MSBDC).



Story Project

Ryan Fark (right) spent part of his sixth-grade year interviewing kindergarten Caleb York (left) as part of the sixth-grade story project. Fark wrote a story titled "Caleb's Knight Adventure," presenting the book to his subject at the end of the year.

Hospital plans aging seminar

Chelsea Community Hospital Women's Health Center will present "Breaking the Mold of Traditional Aging," on Wednesday, July 28, from 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. at the Polo Fields Golf and Country Club in Scio Township.

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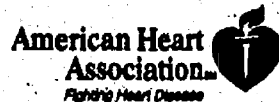
Local golfers hit holes-in-one

Three area golfers have scored a hole-in-one recently. Nuel E. Smock aced the 146-yard, 12th hole at Hudson Mills Golf Course on July 5. He used an 8 iron. It was his first ace in his 62-year golfing career.

Fred Holden got his hole-in-one on the 136-yard eighth hole at Hudson Mills last Saturday. He used an 8 iron.

On Tuesday, July 6 Mary Green recorded her first ever hole-in-one at the Sparrow Hawk Golf Course in Jackson. She used a 5 iron.

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COLLEGE HONORS

Debbie Glowacki of Dexter is studying multicultural relations in Polynesia in Honolulu and Hilo, Hawaii, as part of her study abroad experience through Michigan State University.

She is the daughter of Thomas and Vicki Glowacki and is a 1996 graduate of Dexter High School. She will be returning from her six-week study trip Aug. 8.

At MSU she is active in the Spartan Marching Band and Spartan Brass, and is a member of the dean's list. She is an interdisciplinary studies and community relations major at MSU and plans to graduate in May 2000.

Chelsea resident Emily R. Poplawski received a bachelor's degree, May 22, from Calvin College.

Poplawski is a graduate of Ionia High School. She is the daughter of Thomas and Kathleen Poplawski.

Calvin College is a Christian liberal-arts institution located in Grand Rapids.

Chelsea resident Leslee Parker was named to Butler University dean's list for spring semester.

To achieve this honor, a student's semester grade point average must be in the top 20 percent in their college while carrying a minimum of 12 credits.

Butler is located in Indianapolis, Ind.

Chelsea resident Erin Dougherty was named to Northwood University dean's list for spring term.

To achieve this honor, a student must maintain a 3.0 semester grade point average.

Erin is the daughter of Randy and Melinda Dougherty.

Northwood is located in Midland.

Adam Schaper, a 1998 Chelsea High School alumnus, was named to Hillsdale College dean's list for spring semester.

Adam is the son of Bill and Carol Schaper.

Chelsea residents Thomas J. Begres, Lisa M. Galarowic and Beth M. Gleespen were named to Madonna University dean's list.

Madonna University is located in Livonia.

Chelsea resident Christine Herndon was named to Elmhurst College dean's list for the spring term.

To qualify, a student must maintain a 3.75 minimum semester grade point average and have a 3.5 cumulative grade point average.

Elmhurst College is located in Elmhurst, Ill.

Dexter residents Heather M. Barnes, Betsy M. Grannis and Natalie A. Strasburg were named to Grand Valley State University dean's list for winter semester.

To qualify, a student must maintain a 3.5 minimum semester grade point average while enrolled in a minimum of 12 credit hours.

Dexter resident Gerrod T. Visel received a bachelor's degree from Ferris State University at the completion of his winter term.

Ferris State is located in Big Rapids.

The Eastern Michigan University Board of Regents approved research awards of \$8,000 each to three area residents which they will individually apply.

Chelsea resident Peggy Liggett, a biology major, will

create research teams comprised of K-12 students and teachers who will monitor inland water quality by observing a single-celled alga, *Chlamydomonas*, which is highly sensitive to changing environmental conditions.

Dexter resident Marshal Thomsen, a physics and astronomy major, will obtain pilot data from a new flexible system designed to precisely measure the optical absorption of a wide range of materials.

Gregory resident Heath Smith, a chemistry major, will use chemometric techniques to develop quantitative structure-retention relationships in gas chromatography.

Chelsea resident Nancy S. LaCroix has received an associate's degree from Jackson Community College after completing winter semester May 4.

Dexter native Peter J. Burgett was awarded a bachelor's degree by Kalamazoo College on June 12. Burgett was one of 224 members of the 1999 class to receive an undergraduate degree.

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POLICE BLOTTER

Chelsea Village

Auto Theft

Police were patrolling Main Street at 3:14 a.m. July 5 near I-94 when they saw headlights on in a car in the Palmer Family Ford used car lot, 1194 S. Main St. When the car pulled out of the lot onto Old Manchester Road, the officer saw a pile of glass near where the car had been. Police turned on the emergency lights when the car reached the corner of Old US-12 and the car immediately sped across the intersection onto Taylor Street. The car lost control on a curve, and jumped the curb, driving across a lawn, then into the side of a house belonging to an 82-year-old man. The driver exited the car and fled into the surrounding neighborhoods. A police dog was requested, but all of the scents from the July 4 holiday confused the dog.

Hit and Run

A 66-year-old Chelsea man told police that he parked his car in the parking lot of Polly's Market, 1101 S. Main St., at 12:18 p.m. July 6. When he returned to his car, he found damage to the vehicle. A witness approached him and gave him the license plate number of the car that hit his. Police contacted the owner, a 75-year-old Chelsea woman, who admitted to having hit the car. She said she didn't notice any damage, and thought that if there was no damage, she didn't have to report it.

Property Damage

An 18-year-old Chelsea woman told police that the tires of her car were slashed in the early morning of July 5. The woman said she noticed her car without damage at 11:45 p.m. July 4 when it was parked at her home on Old US-12. She found the tires damaged the next morning. She had several people over to watch the fireworks, but she doesn't suspect any of them.

A 44-year-old Dryden man reported that someone had broken the passenger-side window on his car between 8:10 a.m. and 1 p.m. July 7. The man told police that he parked the car outside Chelsea Industries, 320 N. Main St. When he went to lunch, the window was damaged.

Non-aggravated Assault

An Ann Arbor couple told police that they were walking to their vehicle at 12:08 a.m. July 5 when someone shot a bottle rocket at them. They were parked at Polly's Market, 1101 S. Main St.

Warrant Arrest

Joshua Daniel Fink, 21, of Chelsea was arrested at 3:05 a.m. July 7 on Main Street. Police contacted the man while he was talking on a pay phone and found he was wanted on a misdemeanor warrant in connection with a minor in possession charge out of Unadilla Police Department.

Dexter Village

Drunken Driving

A 39-year-old Pinckney man was arrested at 5 p.m. July 2 after he struck a pedestrian with his car. The man had been drinking and was pulling his car back when he struck a 42-year-old Dexter woman. Police asked the man to perform sobriety tests. His blood-alcohol level was tested later as higher than the legal limit. The woman suffered a minor injury to her leg and was taken to the hospital.

Malicious Mischief

A 44-year-old Dexter woman told police that she received a box in the mail at 4:30 p.m. July 8 that contained cat feces. The box was mailed to her home on Baker Road from a postal business. She told police she suspects a neighbor boy, a 15-year-old Dexter boy, because they had gotten into an argument about her sprinkler system earlier. Police contacted the boy's grandfather, a 63-year-old Dexter man, who said the box had been sent to the boy two weeks earlier.

Dexter Township

Counterfeit Notes

A 59-year-old Pinckney woman told police that a man came into the business where she was working on Silverhill Road at 2:45 p.m. July 4 and handed her a \$20 bill to pay for parking. The woman asked the man about the bill because it looked counterfeit. The man said the bill was fine. The woman then accepted the bill and the man left. She became

suspicious, and took down the man's license plate number. It was registered to a Dearborn man.

Domestic Assault

A 28-year-old township woman told police that she was assaulted by her boyfriend, a 26-year-old township man. The two live together and the woman said the man grabbed her and threw her on to the bed after an argument. He then grabbed her by the back of the neck. The man said he had left the room after an argument and the woman started yelling at him. He grabbed her and threw her on to the bed.

Larceny

Some mail was stolen from a mailbox on Bramble Brae Road at 4:15 p.m. July 6. A 73-year-old township man told police that he put two letters in the mailbox and saw a green pickup truck drive by and put down the mail flag. He believes the occupants of the truck took the mail. Two checks were stolen for a total of \$48.13.

Breaking and Entering

A 54-year-old township man told police that \$150 in cash was stolen from the Portage Marine store, 9627 Dexter-Pinckney Road, July 4. The man said he had left the store to go home at 6:30 p.m. The man's daughter, a 29-year-old township woman, said she returned to the store at 10:50 p.m. and found the cash register had been broken into. The man said he may have left the door unlocked.

Property Damage

Two mailboxes and a van were damaged after five teenagers threw eggs and toilet paper at houses on Horseshoe Bend at 3:53 a.m. July 1. A 14-year-old township boy said he and four of his friends threw the eggs and the toilet paper. He and a 12-year-old township boy then tore up the two mailboxes and threw some trash in the road. They also put lawn furniture on top of the van, which received scratches in the paint. Total damage is \$528.

Sylvan Township

Reckless Driving

A 36-year-old Jackson man was ticketed for reckless driving at 3:30 p.m. June 28. Police received a call from a trucker driving east on I-94 near the M-52 exit. The trucker said a car was traveling very fast and passing people on the median. Police stopped the driver who said he had been speeding. Two truckers stopped to give statements about the man's reckless driving.

Lyndon Township

Breaking and Entering

Cash and change totaling \$2,800 was stolen from a residence on M-52 between July 3 and July 5. A 58-year-old township man told police he returned home from being away, and noticed his bedroom had been ransacked and the money had been taken. Also taken were four 1800s-era silver dollars. Entry was made from an unlocked rear window.

Necklaces, bracelets, a jewelry box, a watch and coins were taken from a house on Farnsworth Road between 10:40 a.m. and 1:45 p.m. July 4. A 42-year-old township woman told police a rear door had been kicked in to gain entry. Police found no fingerprints, and a footprint on the door was wiped off by the suspect. The woman said she had been broken into before, but no suspect had been caught.

Drunken Driving

Police were called to make contact with a 54-year-old Leslie man who was passed out in a vehicle at 2:50 a.m. July 10 on Waterloo Road near M-52. Police woke the suspect and asked him to perform sobriety tests. A breath test revealed the man had a blood-alcohol level higher than the legal limit. The man was transported to jail.

Webster Township

Retail Fraud

Two bags of ice were stolen from CJ's Party Store, 4511 North Territorial Road, at 4:19

p.m. July 7. A 39-year-old Pinckney woman told police two men drove up in a sport-utility vehicle and pulled into the store near two ice machines. The passenger opened the door to the ice box and took out two bags of ice then re-entered the vehicle. The driver then drove away without paying for the ice. The woman observed the two on a video monitor from the security camera. The video tape was turned over to police to identify the suspects.

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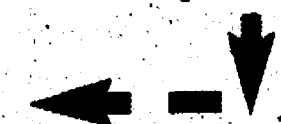
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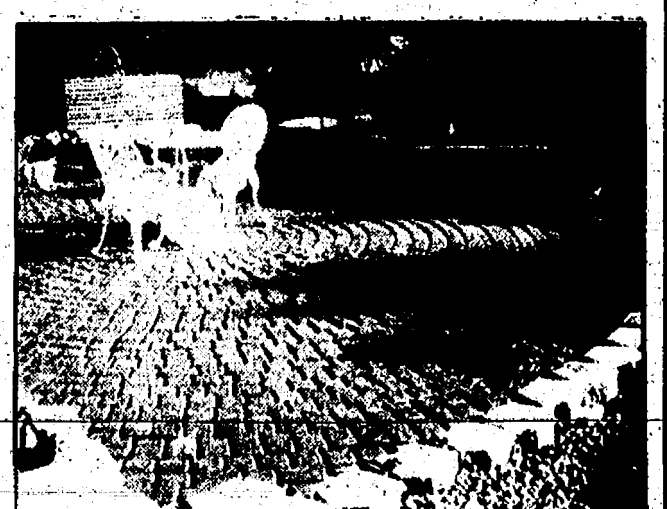


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POLICE

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Domestic Assault

A 51-year-old township man called police to report an assault at 12 a.m. July 1. The man said his stepson, a 28-year-old township man, was playing pool when an argument broke out between him and another player. The man entered the room and found that the stepson had been drinking, which was forbidden as a tenet of his parole from prison. The man dumped out the alcohol, and the stepson shoved him. The man said he then heard what he thought was a shotgun being loaded and fled the residence. The stepson said he did not have a shotgun, but he was found to have been drinking.

Scio Township Overdose

A 54-year-old township man told police that he had an argument with his son, a 29-year-old township man, about his drug addiction. The man said he found his son high July 1 and then went to bed. He was awakened at 2:24 a.m. by paramedics. The son said he had been smoking crack and marijuana, then took some of his father's medication.

Larceny

A 63-year-old township man told police that he and his wife left for vacation Dec. 19 and received a phone call from their daughter-in-law, a 27-year-old township woman, who said the couple's son had been making charges on their credit card. The man said he received a bill in February for approximately \$2,000 of charges that were not his. The son had been living with the man in their home on Sunset Court. Apparently the son had been authorized to use the card in 1992, but was supposed to have been removed in March of that year. The credit card company said the son was still authorized.

Warrant Arrest

Michael Larry Dustin LeMaster, 20, of Munith was arrested at 9 p.m. July 1 on Jackson Road near Zeeb Road. Police stopped LeMaster in connection with an expired plate and found there was a valid warrant out of Lapeer County.

Anthony De Black, 38, of Detroit was arrested at 6 p.m. July 4 on I-94 near Baker

Road. Black was wanted on a warrant in connection with a violation of parole out of Lansing Police Department tether unit.

Property Damage

A 66-year-old Chelsea man told police he has been working at a residence on Scio Church Road near Maple and parked his backhoe in the rear of the residence. At 6 p.m. June 30, the man found the rear window of his machinery had been broken, struck six times with an unknown object. A neighbor, a 13-year-old township boy, said he had hit the backhoe with a golf ball once while playing golf in the back yard.

Obscenities were painted on the side of a building on Wagner Road near Jackson Road at 3 a.m. July 6. A 36-year-old township man told police he left the building July 5 and there was no damage. A window was also broken. Total damage is \$1,500.

Breaking and Entering

Several tools, a telephone, a laptop computer and briefcases were stolen from the Planet Rock Climbing Gym under construction at 82 April Drive. A 34-year-old Redford man told police he was working at the gym July 5 and left from 7:30 p.m. to 11 p.m. When he returned he found that someone had entered a locked door and taken the items. He said the contractors have keys to the building.

Jewelry, stereo equipment and money were stolen from a residence on Pratt Road between 5 p.m. and 8 p.m. July 4. A 55-year-old township man told police he and his wife were down by a river when he heard a car door shut. A short while later he heard it again, and went up to the house. He saw a white car driving away. The man entered the house and found the items missing. Entry had been made from a rear door.

Family Trouble

A 42-year-old township man called police to report that his wife, a 42-year-old township woman, had returned home from a court appearance at 1:21 p.m. June 28 and had be-

come violent. The man said she began throwing dishes around the house and he felt unsafe for himself and his children. The man asked for a medical team to come and take her to the hospital for psychological counseling.

Auto Theft

A motorcycle was stolen between 7 p.m. June 25 and 8 a.m. June 26 from a home in the 5100 block of Jackson Road. A 26-year-old township man told police he had parked the motorcycle in the lawn with a for-sale sign on it. He doesn't know who would have taken it.

Recovered Auto Theft

A car was recovered and another was stolen at 2:21 p.m. July 10 at Rumpy Chevrolet, 3515 Jackson Road. A 46-year-old Adrian man told police that he had let a woman take a car for a test drive, but she didn't return for three hours. The man then checked the car she had driven up in, and found it had been stolen. Police recovered the one car and noted the new car that had been taken. Police also took a photocopy of the woman's driver's license.

Embezzlement

A 19-year-old Ypsilanti man told police that \$603.08 was taken from Burger King, 151 S. Zeeb Road, at 2:07 a.m. July 6. The man said he unlocked the safe while another worker, a 16-year-old Ann Arbor boy, was in the room talking on the phone. The man said he deposited the money in the safe then returned later to count it. He found the money bag missing from the safe. It was later found in the employee restroom without the money. The boy said he was not in the office when the manager said and the boy did not open the safe. The store checked its video system, but discovered that it was out of order and no tape existed for the incident.

Domestic Assault

A 40-year-old township man said he was assaulted by his son, 17, at 11:45 p.m. July 7. The man said his son planned to leave the house. The man told him to clean the kitchen and the boy became angry and pushed him, ripping his shirt. The boy then took some keys

out of his father's hand. The boy returned the keys after the police were called. The boy said his father had been drinking, and was arguing with him. The boy said he pushed his father away in self defense. The man suffered scratch where he had hit a nail in the wall.

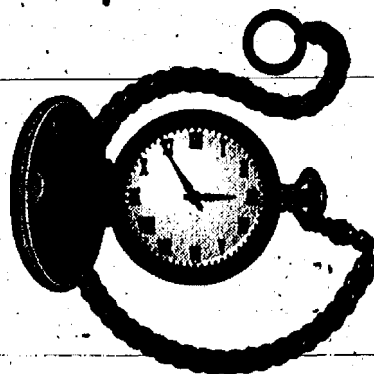
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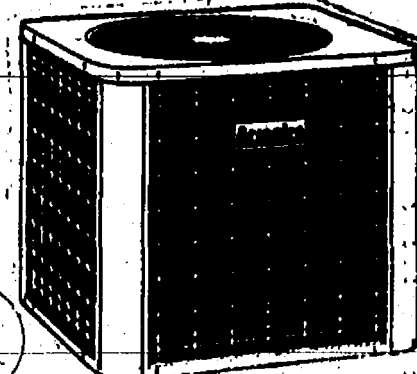
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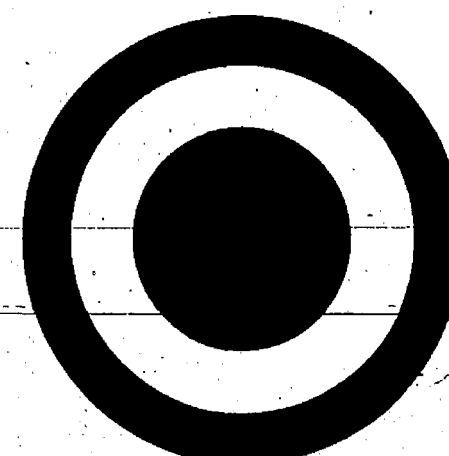
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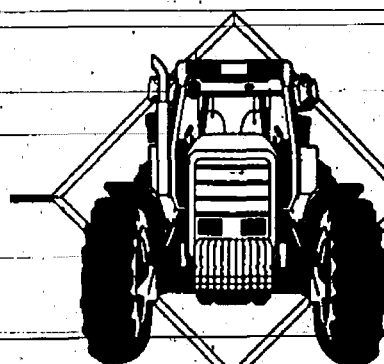
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Rite Aid threat was not what it seemed

Is Rite Aid really gone, or is it a mirage?

The citizens' campaign to keep the national drug store chain out of Chelsea appears to have at least a temporary victory.

Will the company come back and pursue another piece of property as it has hinted? Some people would like you to think so.

Now that Rite Aid appears to have abandoned "the corner," the whole sordid story can be told.

A number of months ago, a well-placed insider who spoke on the condition of complete anonymity (complete with a beard, hat and a fake voice) gave me the complete story on this whole mess.

And just last week, he provided me with undisputable proof.

Here's what happened.

Not long ago, Preservation Chelsea was a fledgling organization. It was composed mostly of transplants (New Yorkers are using the term "carpetbaggers" a lot these days) who live in the old part of the village.

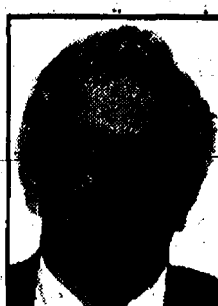
Initially, Preservation Chelsea was mainly interested in preserving gingerbread, cupolas, and double-hung windows, that sort of thing. Since many of the members have older houses and some have spent vast amounts of money on them. They also love the downtown business area, but they know that many local business owners are an independent lot who don't want to be told what to do.

Slowly, a split grew within Preservation Chelsea. The older crew wanted to go slowly and become an advisory group on the merits of various widths of clapboard, solid core doors, and whether pink-and-purple paint schemes are historically correct.

However, for some of the younger members, that was not enough. They were interested in political power and they wanted to do more than sit around and discuss the "historically authentic brick and how to find it."

And the best way to do that? Get ready.

I have it on good authority that one of the key figures in Preservation Chelsea was in the same high school class, and even the same college fraternity as a senior vice president of Rite Aid. In fact, the two were almost inseparable in high school and were named "Most Likely to Start



BRIAN HAMILTON

OPENING REMARKS

an Uprising" in their high school yearbook.

Anyway, this dissident faction of Preservation Chelsea decided that the best way to gain instant credibility and political power was to scare the dickens out of area residents. This faction even duped the unsuspecting older members to help them out, because they fell for the plot just like everyone else.

The dissidents simply got Rite Aid to make a few noises like it wanted to build a store on one of our most visible corners, where there happened to be a few old buildings. A representative came and made threats about lawsuits, adding more fuel to the fire. Of course, the dissidents knew some council members would drag out the water moratorium to keep the issue at the forefront.

The senior Rite Aid VP, strictly out of friendship and loyalty to his old chum, provided the dissident faction with everything from photos of their most ugly stores to legal briefs on what a terrible company it is. It even provided a professional pollster to give advice with a petition drive that created the ultimate sense of impending doom.

To see the upshot of all of this, all you have to do is look at the March village elections. Council now has a majority with sympathies for Preservation Chelsea. It's the closest thing we have to a political party.

And, gee, Rite Aid has gone away without much of a fight. They attended a few meetings, made a few phone calls and gave one of their on-staff junior attorneys a couple hours of work.

The ultimate goal of the dissidents was to have at least the downtown area declared a historical district.

And one more good scare, like a proposed widening of M-52, this just may be what they need to get the support of the downtown business community.

Stay tuned.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Farmer Jack should live by village rules

Welcome to Chelsea Village. If you don't like it here — don't leave — just sue us until you get things your way. Doesn't sound like a Chelsea resident to you? Well, that's exactly what Farmer Jack is doing to the village, using your money, and they claim they have no choice except to sue you, the very people who they hope to entice to shop there.

The village clearly defined its fees to do business in Chelsea to Farmer Jack (and any other business for that matter) based on professional advice from an expert in fee structure. Farmer Jack came before Village Council at the 11th-hour and said it "forgot" to include this fee in its budget. In addition, and at the same time (oddly enough), it realized that this surprise fee was too large and it did not have to pay this in other communities so why would it.

The council decided to allow Farmer Jack to keep their deep pockets and give them a substantial discount of tens of thousands of dollars.

It gets better.

Farmer Jack decided the village had not given enough back so it once again came before the council. Frank Hammer made a motion to reduce its fees to almost half, again allowing Farmer Jack to pay only an estimated 25 percent of what it originally agreed to. I said no and voted against his motion.

My argument? If you want to be part of this very special place, pay to be here, especially since you knew the price of admission prior to one brick being laid. The money we lost from all these reductions from Farmer Jack is money we can't invest back into our community.

Every area has a fixed fee to hook into (the township, village, city) water/sewer based on an REU — residential equivalent unit. We charge around \$4,400 per unit. The strategy in some areas is to charge a large fee per unit and keep the number of units low. We charge a lower REU fee to make it fair for all businesses to come into our community.

I think Farmer Jack is illustrating to you, the village residents, exactly what happens when a new (big) business has no intention on being a good community citizen.

On the other hand, what will this frivolous lawsuit do to the village (you)? The \$44,000, plus

interest, plus attorney fees comes right out of your pocket. Our insurance company has said that we can't make a claim due to the nature of Farmer Jack's suit against our rates. A lawsuit on our rates, it seems, must be paid out of our sewer fund if they are in dispute. Thank Farmer Jack for taking it out of the community.

I grew up in the suburbs where convenience was the way of life. On most corners are gas stations, drug stores and even a Farmer Jack. My mom and I shopped there regularly and loved it. I have nothing against Farmer Jack as a whole, but I do take issue when they want to hurt our community and sneak in a sucker punch.

This is Chelsea. We want new business. We want good business. We want corporations to also want to be here and support our community.

Farmer Jack made the decision to build here. It should realize the cost of doing business here and support our economy by holding up its end of the agreement. The only one who "pays" is its customer.

Janice Ortring

Learn proper way to respect the flag

We are concerned about where respect for the American flag has been going.

And we don't believe it is out of disrespect, but more due to lack of knowledge. So we would like to educate you on the proper way to respect the flag during parades.

The veterans who march in the Memorial Day and fair parade each year served during World War II, Korea, Vietnam, Lebanon/Grenada, Panama and Persian Gulf. We are the first group that you see in the parade because we are the Color Guard.

What that means is we are carrying the flags from each of our veterans posts along with the colors. (The American Flag, Old Glory, The Stars and Stripes). Along with that we have riflemen on each side of the flags, guarding the colors, defending the colors by whatever means it takes to keep them sacred.

Many men have died to preserve that very cause out of respect for our flag and our country.

What each and every one of you citizens must know is that when, "our flag" (that's right, yours and mine) goes by, you, out of respect, should rise to attention, (unless you're an

invalid), remove your hat and place your right hand over your heart or if in proper headgear render a righthand salute as the flag passes you by.

You do this for each and every American flag that is presented, throughout the parade. Yes, you may have to get up and down several times (a small price to pay for the freedoms we've won, but consider those that gave the ultimate sacrifice so that we may be free!) You may then applaud the Color Guard as they move on down the street, because that's one of the things that motivates us into doing these parades each year.

Believe me, we see the people that have not been educated in the proper respect for our flag and we would just like to inform or remind you of your duty as a citizen of the United States of America. That is, simply to stand and honor the American flag.

So in closing, we will be watching during this years fair parade to see just how many of you read the paper, or how many of you remind each other what your responsibility is when the American flag passes by during a parade. Fellow citizens, let's educate each other and have a 100 percent participation in honoring the American flag in our future parades.

In doing this, we salute you!

Respectfully,

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Give farmers non-profit status

I have a solution to a lot of problems facing farmers today.

We should, like churches and government property, be declared non-profit.

Since the farmers are the only ones who can truthfully say that we are more deserving than anyone.

Then the library, jail, land preservation, fire halls, court-houses, and homes or the poor would all pass by landslides every time. Like the people who want all these things, I would vote for them, too, as I would no longer have to pay.

Everyone has a pet project, only they want someone else to pay for it. There are no free rides, someone pays, and I, like the ones who think up these things think someone else should pay.

Roland Heim

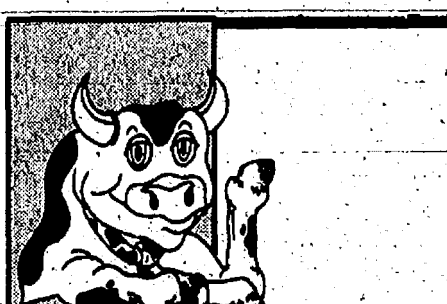
Home designated an official circus

Well, it's official! The state just sent me confirmation that my application has been approved. My home is now officially designated as The Flying One-Point-Three-Ring Circus of Saint Barnum. And since you can only have one circus per 10,000 people or so, it's a pretty exclusive deal, believe me.

You might wonder why I'd go through all the trouble. After all, you have all these application forms to fill out, and all these public hearings. Then they call in Ken Starr, and you know how thorough he is. By the time the process is finished, you feel like you've been lying naked in the middle of I-94 during rush hour.

But it's worth every minute! I'm flying high on this deal and no clowning around. I'm on the big top of the world. You can't believe the advantages this deal offers.

For instance, I can park my elephants on the front lawn,



UNCLE APOLLO

and nobody can do anything about it. I've been trying for years to get a permit for this but nobody wants to take responsibility, so they give me the runaround. I'll tell you, when I get the motorcycle thunderdome set up, I'll show them the real runaround. Those bikes go flying around that dome like there's no tomorrow. Actually, when I think about it, if they screw up, there might not be.

Anyway, I can also take them for a walk. My elephants, that is. As long as I keep them on a leash, take only one at a

time, and carry this humongous pooper scooper. But still, that's better than nothing. At least they get a walk. I'll tell you, you don't want to live with a half dozen elephants that are feeling cooped up, believe me.

Also, I can put up striped tents whenever I want to. Usually, you can't get this. But since my patron circus saint is Saint Barnum, and he always wore striped jackets, I got a special permit.

Anyway, another good thing about the circus designation is that you can hold milking contests on your property. This is good, because you may have noticed that after a long time of silence about it, I've started talking about my former running mate, Arlotta Moofellow, again. See, I'm finally getting over her abandoning me for Engler back when, and I'm trying to make it up to her. So this milking contest deal is probably just the thing I need to make it up to her.

Street Talk

By Amanda Tarantowski

Do you use the Chelsea District Library and would you support a 1.75 mill levy to run an expanded library?



"I personally don't use it, but I think that the public will take advantage of it."

Karen Helman
Lyndon Township

"I use the library, and I can't say that they need to expand, but if they did, I'd like to see them take advantage of an already existing building, like the old high school."

Sue Rogers
Lima Township

"My kids aren't old enough, so I really don't use it."

Robin Staelgraeve
Sharon Township

"Yes, we support the library, and I believe that we would support the expansion."

Mike York
Lima Township

"I've been using the library since I was little, and now that I work there, I really think the town could benefit from new materials."

Molly Harris
Sylvan Township

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Bridge marathon looks for players

The Women's Hospital Bridge marathon is looking for bridge players for the 1999-2000 season.

This is a group that is assigned different opponents throughout a nine-month schedule. Bridge is played in the various homes at the convenience of the teams.

This is an excellent way to meet people and to sharpen up bridge skills. Prizes are awarded at the end of the season for the highest cumulative score. The winners for 1998-99 were Helen Lancaster and Marlene Rademacher.

Please call Daphne Hodder before Aug. 15, if anyone is interested in joining this group. The cost is \$20 a year, and is contributed to the Chelsea Community Hospital.

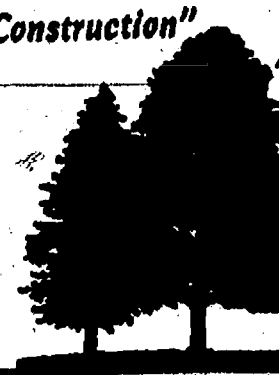
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We are commanded to give 3 things in the Scriptures:

1) Money (At 4:32-35; 1 Cor 16:1-2; 2 Cor 9)

2) Material things (Ph 4:18-19)

3) Ourselves (Rom 12:1-2; Gal 2:20)

The Bible always tells us that we should look out for the well being of other people and so often we don't. Let us try and make a small difference this week, and give more than we take.

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Art test put detour in future trooper's career

By Jillian Duchnowski

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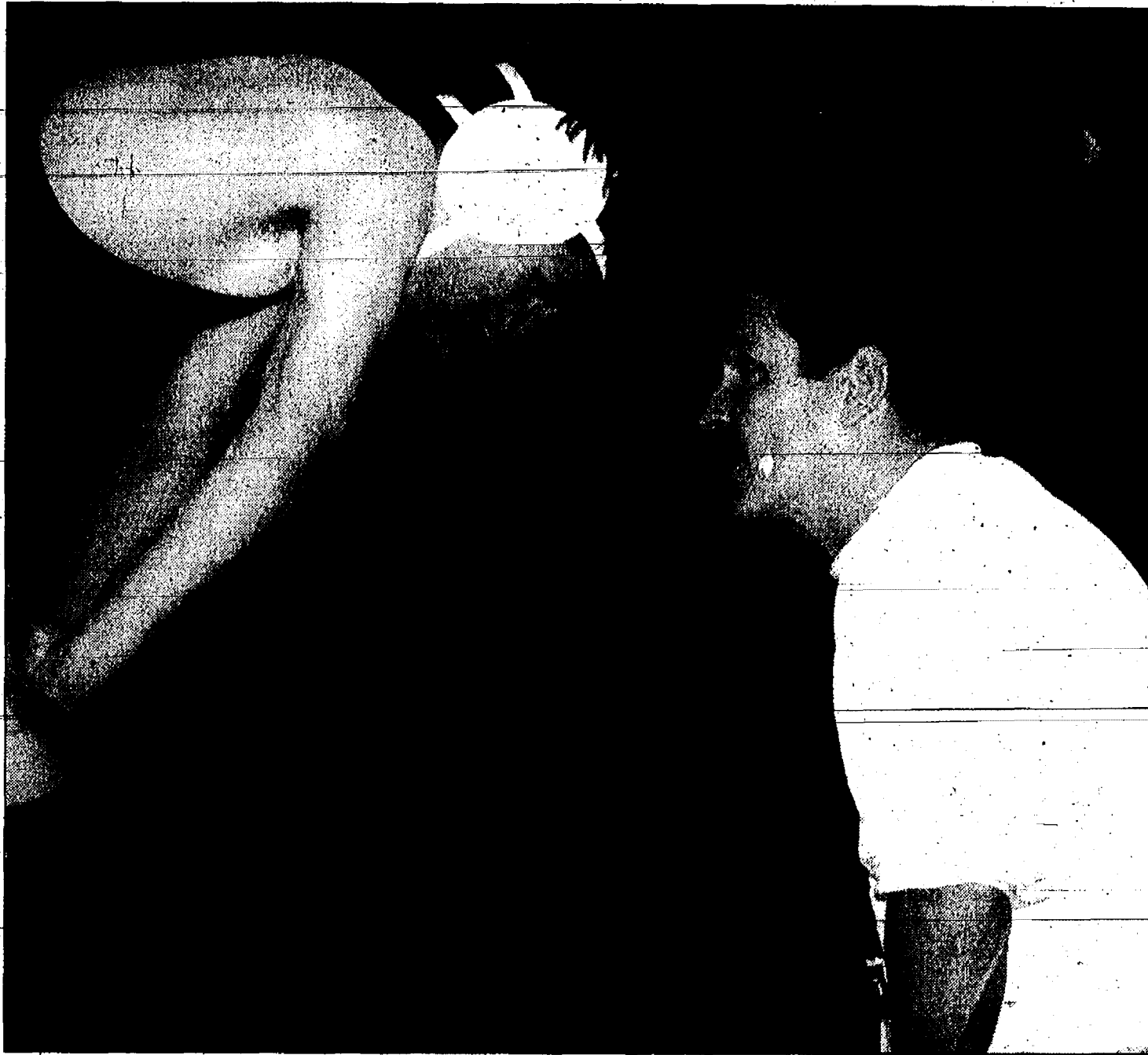
When he was young, Kerry Kargel spent hours molding clay into miniature figurines. As one of 12 children, he said most family members encouraged him to be creative and solve problems, but his older brother thought he dedicated too much time to his clay play.

Kargel, an art teacher of 19 years at Chelsea High, specializes in jewelry and sculpture. He focuses his career on teaching students to appreciate art as well as to create it.

"He said, 'What are you going to do, spend the rest of your life playing with clay?' " Kargel recalled. "I thought it was kind of funny that, in a sense, I did."

Kargel, an art teacher of 19 years at Chelsea High, specializes in jewelry and sculpture. He focuses his career on teaching students to appreciate art as well as to create it.

However, this wasn't always so. Kargel originally wanted to be a state police trooper and started college as a physical education and science major. Then, his science professor noticed the detail he put into lab drawings and encouraged



Kerry Kargel showed an interest in art early in his life. The CHS art teacher has also fashioned an extremely successful winter career as a wrestling coach as his teams are always among the top in the area.

him to take an art class. After the first one, Kargel said he was hooked.

"I always knew colors and

could put them together," but I never knew why," he said.

Today, Kargel is teaching students why, using the same cre-

ative and problem-solving techniques he enjoyed as a child.

"It's exciting to teach art because it's creating," he said.

"In art, you create a wonderful masterpiece and you have to solve the problem."

Sometimes that problem is expressing a thought or choosing the right colors for a beautiful picture, but sometimes

That maturity level is wrapped around Kargel's only classroom rule: treat other students like you want to be treated. Kargel makes a point not to allow students to talk about others behind their backs.

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Kargel adds extra challenges to push students' abilities. In one project, students used old athletic shoes to create animal sculptures. In others, they incorporate computers to work with animation.

Kargel also challenges students through participation in area art shows and an annual educational symposium. Though some teachers avoid student competition, Kargel said he encourages it.

"I believe in competition for the kids," he said. "And they do very well."

"Whatever the assignment or challenge, Kargel said he enjoys watching students develop and seeing the sense of accomplishment they feel when a project is completed well.

He also enjoys teaching high school students, who are more mature than their younger counterparts.

"You can talk to them as an adult; you can relate," he said.

"You can share different views about art on an adult level."

Instead, he encourages face-to-face conflict resolution. Overall, he said behavior problems are minimal.

"I really don't have a lot of trouble with my students," he said. "They want to be here; they want to explore."

For Kargel, that exploration continues outside the classroom. He displays and sells wildlife miniatures, painted in fine detail, at the annual Chelsea Summer Festival, which this year will be held July 30-31.

In his free time, Kargel watches birds with his older son, Chris, and restores vintage cars from the '70s with his younger son, Andy. He also coaches wrestling and assists with annual prom building efforts.

These activities, as well as most others, entail an artistic element not always apparent at first glance, Kargel said.

"No matter where you turn, you'll see something aesthetic," he said. "Sometimes you take it for granted."

Gratuitous 'Criminal Genius' trivializes serious themes

Review by Steven Daut

Special Writer

The Purple Rose Theatre Company's summer production of "Criminal Genius" by Canadian playwright George F. Walker is billed as a comedy. To be sure, there are some funny moments and a lot of cleverly constructed dialogue, but the themes and action don't complement the light tone that the production attempts to create.

It's hard to find anything genuinely funny in an ad hoc group of desperate people attempting to correct a blunder, only to be blown away onstage in a flurry of flying bullets and blood.

But if the violence seems gratuitous, so does the language, which is akin to a cheap comic overusing the "F" word in an attempt to cover up his lack of material.

"Criminal Genius" fails to provide a light, comedic experience, the production also fails the test of black humor or social satire because of the clear attempt to keep it light. Ultimately what the production does manage to do is to trivialize desperation, violence, and a parent's lifelong verbal and physical abuse of his son.

It seems to me that there are four basic problems with the production. First, there is not enough substance in the script to provide a full evening's production. It is really a short, one-

act play, stretched into a long one-act through repetition of action and vacant silences.

Second, it appears that director Randall Godwin attempted to knock off the raw edges to create a kinder, gentler production, which resulted in a hybrid that doesn't work very well.

Third, there is a wealth of material in the relationship between father and son, which somehow got lost in the production as it focused on the strong, screaming women.

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Fourth, the transition of Amanda and Shirley, which provides the turning point of the play, is not well set up, and is too abrupt to be convincing.

The second half to the play suffers from this loss of credibility.

"Criminal Genius" follows the actions of a father-and-son team of crooks for hire who are given the assignment of destroying a business and burning it to the ground. Unfortunately, they attempt to utilize their obviously defective brainpower and change the plan to include kidnapping one of the workers without burning down the building. This action incurs the wrath of their boss, Shirley, and adds the complication of having to deal with the kidnapping victim.

As it turns out, the kidnapped

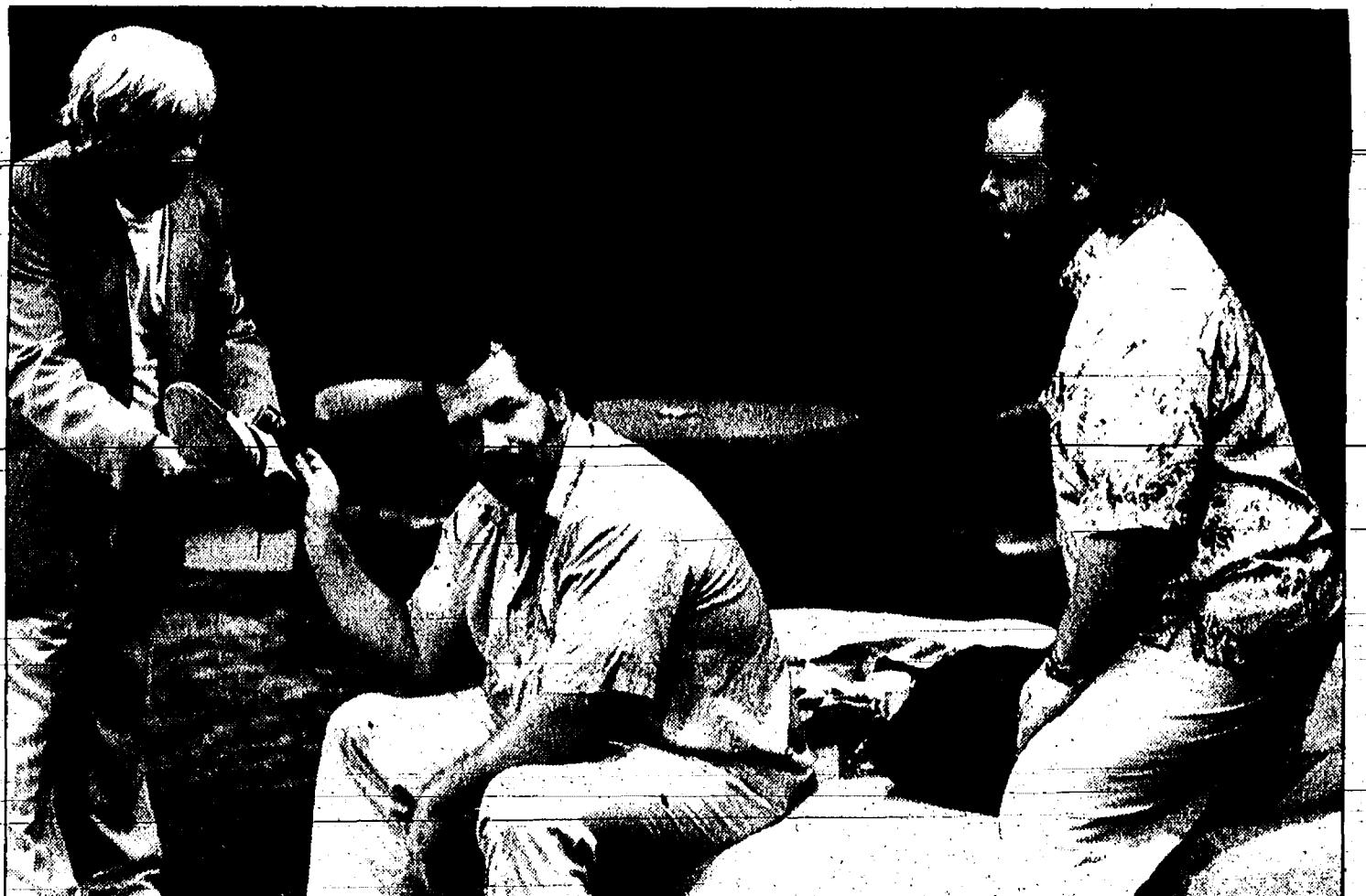
Amanda is not much of a victim after all and has soon unconvincedly turned the formerly demanding Shirley into a quivering bowl of compliance. Ultimately the pyromaniac tendencies of the group win out and more than one building gets burned down. The events culminate in a Bonnie and Bonnie style bloodbath that leaves everyone dead.

Ryan Carlson turns in a stellar performance as Stevie, the not-too-bright son who has learned to cope with lifelong oppression and abuse by his father. He manages to create a highly sympathetic character with an intriguing mix of fear, self-awareness, and rationalization for the actions of his father.

Leo McNamara is strong as the old drunk Phillie, a man caught in the swirl of events, and hobbled by a lifelong refusal to accept responsibility for his own life.

The father, Rolly, is played by Jim Porterfield. Shirley, the original team boss, is played by Sandra Birch, and the kidnap victim, Amanda, is played by Suzi Regan. On opening night, Birch and Regan each received recognition for their appearance in 500 productions at the PRTC.

Scenic designer Vincent Mountain created a flawlessly rendered sleazy motel room, down to the mismatched vinyl chairs, the fuzzy fabric ice buck-



The Purple Rose Theatre Company production of "Criminal Genius" features Leo McNamara, Jim Porterfield and Ryan Carlson. The play is continued to run until late August. When the run is complete, the theater is scheduled to undergo renovations.

et and the tacky lamps. I fully expect that on closer inspection, the bed would found to be outfitted with Magic Fingers. Dana White's sound design and Reid G. Johnson's lighting design were both strong contributing elements of the production.

This play will be the last PRTC production in the present configuration of the theater. A major renovation and expansion will begin this year, which will prevent production during this coming fall season.

Tickets can be obtained by

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Five longtime employees retire from Chelsea schools

By Eric Bowen

Staff Writer

Chelsea School District lost 113 years of combined experience this year as five employees with more than 20 years in the district retired in 1999.

Joe Beard, a 28-year veteran teacher and coach at Beach Middle School, says he retired to spend more time with his family. He and his wife, Janet, also plan to develop their hobby of creating stained glass.

"I'm looking forward to doing a lot of things," Beard says. "Teaching takes a lot of time away from home. Now I can spend a lot more time and put my kids first and work second."

Beard says his decision to quit teaching was a difficult one and was largely the result of back problems he had difficulty overcoming. The same back pain caused him to quit coaching the

year before, but he had thought he would be able to continue teaching.

Beard says he enjoyed working with children. He taught sixth-grade block classes, reading and math during his tenure, and led 28 groups of sixth-graders to camp in addition to his football coaching duties.

Beard says working in Chelsea has been rewarding because the district residents value education. He says the schools are a centerpiece in the village, and overlap with community life.

But what Beard most enjoyed about his career was to see students he taught return to say hello. He says some of his students even became teachers in the district and gave him credit for moving their careers forward.

"I enjoyed working with the kids at the middle-school age,"

Beard says. "The things that I remember most are the kids that come back and want to visit through their high school years."

"I've had students come back and be teachers. They told me they had so much fun in my class and it inspired them. That meant a lot."

Elementary school teacher Helen Prohaska retired this year after spending 22 years with Chelsea School District teaching, mostly second- and third-graders. She says she wants to do some volunteer work at Mott Children's Hospital and may come back to help out with other teachers' classes.

In her time with the district, Prohaska has seen a lot of changes in the schools.

She says math has moved from repetitive drills to a more explanatory format. And read-

ing has fluctuated between small- and large-group instruction.

Though the curriculum may have changed, Prohaska says her core teachings have remained constant. She says her aim has always been to teach kids how to get along with each other, while adding to their knowledge in other areas.

"I always tried to emphasize that we were all together like a family," Prohaska says. "You didn't have to be best friends with everybody, but you had to be nice to them — respect each other."

Jan Sweet was secretary for the counselors office for 21 years before retiring at the end of first semester. In addition to her duties as a clerical secretary, Sweet was the first person someone would see upon entering the counseling office.

Sweet says her job required a lot of interaction with the public. She says her conversations with students, parents and teachers were what kept her interested for her long tenure.

"I felt it was a good job for dealing with the public," Sweet says. "You need skills for office work, but you need a person who can get along with other people. I never got bored."

Sweet says the greatest change over the course of her career were the advances in technology. When she started, the district was just beginning to replace the manual typewriters with electric ones.

Sweet also has seen changes in the number of administrators in the district as the district has gotten more businesslike.

The toughest time in her career was dealing with the death of then-Superintendent

Joe Piasecki. She says the counseling office had a lot of people coming in for counseling, and she organized the flow of students and staff.

But Sweet's role as secretary gained her the respect of the students and teachers. She says she is a recognizable figure around Chelsea.

"I really felt I loved the students," Sweet says. "You're like a teacher when you see students at the mall or something else, and they say 'Hi, Mrs. Sweet.'"

"I feel like (I'm) doing some good even though I was the go-between; I wasn't just the secretary."

Also retiring this year are Raymond Maistre and Shirley Elkins. Maistre was a custodian at Beach Middle School for 20 years. Elkins drove a district school bus for 21 years. Neither could be reached for comment.

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Former CHS wrestler completes outstanding college career

By Frank Dimich

Special Writer

The start of Ryan Ludwig's wrestling career was probably the best indicator of his future accomplishments.

No, he didn't come right in and dominate as a freshman at Chelsea.

Yes, he had talent and showed promise, but what really impressed Chelsea assistant coach Mike Young and tipped him off to Ludwig's potential was his work ethic.

"His greatest asset was his work ethic," Young says. "He did whatever we told him to do."

He displayed it right from the beginning when he worked to become a 103-pounder his freshman year after coming in at about 110.

"He made 103 and maintained it," Young said. "Not a whole lot of freshmen can do that."

From there, he kept right on working and, sure enough, his potential was realized as he went on to win the state championship at 142 as a senior.

Ludwig wasn't finished. He went on to the University of Findlay in Ohio and became a three-time NAIA All-American, and was the national runner-up this season as a senior.



Ryan Ludwig, a former state champion at Chelsea, finished a stellar college wrestling career at Findlay College this winter.

Originally, he was going to play basketball. He was all set to do so during his freshman year at Chelsea, having made the team. Then he changed his mind.

"I decided I wanted to wrestle," Ludwig recalls. "I just thought that it would be better for me."

Turns out those instincts were correct as his career at Findlay would indicate. He was second all-time at Findlay

in career wins with 108 (108-39 career record). Many of those wins came against NCAA Division I opponents because Findlay wrestles some Big Ten schools, and most of the schools in the Mid-American Conference during the course of a season.

He was ranked as high as No. 3 in the NAIA with a 30-5 record as a 157-pound senior. He also placed fifth in the NAIA tournament his sopho-

more year and sixth his junior year.

"His attitude was 'I could never do enough on the mat or off the mat,'" Findlay coach Shawn Nelson says. "It was real evident his senior year. The last two months we worked every day."

True to his form as a hard worker, he comes back to Chelsea, specifically over the Christmas break, to work out with the team. There he is reunited with Young, the coach he says has helped him develop the most.

"He really helped me develop my skills," Ludwig says. "He stayed after all the time and helped me work on things."

Those things would be the techniques Ludwig has developed. Most of his tougher wins came by scoring points and using his endurance through three periods.

"You get a couple of techniques you know you're going to score on every time," Ludwig says. "That together with athletic ability can make a heck of a difference."

But as Young stresses, it was his work ethic that made the biggest difference. That was most apparent after the summer of 1994, before Ludwig's senior season at Chelsea.

"He did a lot of lifting and when he came back it showed," Young says. "He was tough, physical and was able to win a lot of tournaments."

Indeed, tournaments Ludwig had finished third or lower in previous years, he was now winning, a streak that contin-

ued right through the state tournament.

At first, Ludwig wasn't too interested in wrestling in college, but after winning the state championship he began to realize he might be able to do it. When he was at the national high school tournament in Pittsburgh, he heard that Findlay was looking for wrestlers, and after he checked it out, he was sold on it.

Making the transition to collegiate wrestling while continuing to improve every year required Ludwig to become even stronger and more physical than he was already.

"It wasn't easy, that's for sure," he says.

But like all his accomplishments in wrestling, he worked toward becoming tougher and more physical.

"I see no point in doing

something if you're not giving everything you've got," Ludwig says. "I want to know when I go out there that I've worked harder than the other guy."

This mentality, Young says, defines Ludwig's career.

"It's really a good story of work ethic," Young says. "You always hope a kid like that does well, because he does everything you're supposed to do."

Ludwig, 22, will graduate in either December or April. He is pursuing majors in criminal justice and psychology.

Although his eligibility is finished, he will continue to help Findlay wrestling as a student assistant, and is interested in the possibility of becoming a college or high school coach.

"I definitely want to stay involved," he says.

Chelsea Aquatics Club swims Milan

Chelsea Aquatic Club hosted a swim and diving meet against Milan on June 25-26. Chelsea lost a very close meet 244-215. Individual results for Chelsea swimmers and divers follow.

Diving Scores

9-10 boys: 1. Jordan Skidmore, 53.3.

9-10 girls: 2. Christine Kelley, 35.95.

11-12 boys: 3. Ryan Kelley, 72.65.

13-14 boys: 1. Andrew Ceo, 114.0.

15-17 boys: 1. Gabe McGuinness, 161.1.

Medley Relay

8-and-under girls (100 yd.): 2. Sarah Wolpoff, Gwen Eder, Emily Sparrow, and Alexa Wade, 2:29.89.

9-10 boys (100 yd.): 1. Warren Dyerly, Mitchell Cook, Nick

Armstrong, and Adam Connell, 1:18.92; 2. Robbie Pagliarini, Allen Kalis, Jordan Skidmore, and Dustin Catalano, 1:24.04.

9-10 girls (100 yd.): 2. Kellyn Pagliarini, Alice Butcher, Christine Kelley, and Jessica Lodewyk, 1:18.27; 3. Julie Adams, Erika Purdy, Nicole Lodewyk, and Krista Wallace, 1:31.95.

11-12 boys (200 yd.): 1. Gregory Daniel, Nathaniel Christman, Christopher Moyle, and Ryan Kelley, 2:56.99.

11-12 girls (200 yd.): 1. Kelsey Benton, Kara Stiles, Elizabeth Skidmore, and Meghan Minnick, 2:20.49.

13-14 girls (200 yd.): 2. Rebecca Armstrong, Lindsay Cook, Katrina Moffett, and Sarah Kaminsky, 2:11.73; 3. Jennifer Williams, Danielle McClelland, Katie Minnick, and Kasey Whitley, 2:33.59.

15-17 boys (200 yd.): NS. Zachary Christman, Greg Cook,

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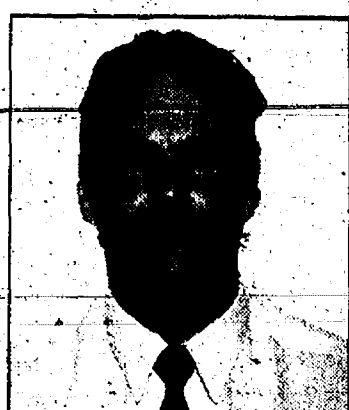
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Soccer Camp Registration

Britannia Soccer Camp runs the week of Aug. 9-13 in Chelsea and registrations will be taken through the Chelsea Recreation Department until Monday, July 26. Camp instructors are from the United Kingdom. The camps are half-day camps. Children who have completed grades kindergarten to second grade will meet from 9 a.m. to noon, while kids who have completed grades 3-7 will meet from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. There will also be an evening family night and a Friday awards ceremony. For more information, call the Recreation Department at 475-1112. Among those who completed last year's camp with coaches D.J. Umpleby and Dave Baker are Kiley, Austin and Tate Peeney.

Girls' soccer team earns postseason recognition

Chelsea Bulldogs girls' soccer team members won various postseason honors after the team finished with an 11-6 overall record.

Named to the All South-Eastern Conference First Team were sophomore midfielder Caitlin Biedron and junior sweeper Carolyn Wine-

land. Earning second team honors were junior forward Kate Huehl and junior defender Amy Sporer. Huehl's 14 goals tied a school single-season record.

Honorable mention went to sophomore goalkeeper Laura Baird and junior forward Kim Tourou. Tourou tied Huehl's goal mark.

Biedron, Baird, Tourou, Wineand and Huehl also made the All District Team, while Biedron and Baird made the All Region Team. They are the third and fourth Chelsea players to receive all-state

honors.

Tourou and Huehl were named the team's offensive players of the year, while sophomore defender Chris Broshard and sophomore midfielder Colleen Garrett were named most improved.

Baird was named Most Valuable Player.

"This team grew up a lot and it truly played to its potential when the tournament rolled around," said coach Chris Orlandi.

"We overcame some significant adversity at the end of our regular season. Next year, appears to be promising as we only graduate one senior (Lara Gourlay) from the team.

There's no reason why we can't accomplish some great things next year. Our schedule will be tougher and we won't surprise anybody, but if the kids work hard in the off-season, I think we can truly do some special things."

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Bobby Rohrkemper, and Mike Offenbacher, 2:01.42.

15-17 girls (200 yd.): 2. Nicole Williams, Chris Broshar, Jennifer Minnick, and Katherine Knox, 2:18.67.

Freestyle

8-and-under boys (25 yd.): 1. Nicholas Dyerly, 16.22; 4. Jonathon Skidmore, 42.88.

8-and-under girls (25 yd.): 2. Emily Sparrow, 23.84; 3. Alexa Wade, 27.66; 5. Emily Schaible, 49.00.

9-10 boys (50 yd.): 1. Adam Connell, 37.58; 2. Jordan Skidmore, 40.41; 3. Allen Kalis, 40.67; NS: Mitchell Cook, 44.98; Robbie Pagliarini, 45.93; Ben Wolpoff, 50.99.

9-10 girls (50 yd.): 2. Jessica Lodewyk, 31.22; 3. Alice Butcher, 34.40; 5. Nicole Lodewyk, 36.54; NS: Christine Kelley, 36.69; Krista Wallace, 46.37; Haley Eder, 55.23; Katie Klink, 1:10.81; Danielle Schulte, 1:22.54.

11-12 boys (50 yd.): 2. Ryan

Kelley, 32.52; 3. Christopher Moyle, 37.06; 6. Nathaniel Christman, 39.94; NS: Gregory Daniel, 49.51.

11-12 girls (50 yd.): 1. Kara Stiles, 28.59; 4. Elizabeth Skidmore, 33.49.

13-14 boys (50 yd.): 4. Zachary Christman, 27.90; 5. Michael Bowdish, 28.50.

13-14 girls (50 yd.): 1. Katrina Moffett, 29.02; 3. Lindsay Cook, 30.39; 4. Katie Minnick, 31.70; NS: Jennifer Williams, 33.00.

15-17 boys (50 yd.): 3. Bobby Rohrkemper, 25.03; 5. Greg Cook, 26.06; 6. Mike Offenbacher, 27.13.

15-17 girls (50 yd.): 2. Jennifer Minnick, 28.61; 3. Katherine Knox, 28.93; 4. Chris Broshar, 29.40.

Back Stroke

8-and-under boys (25 yd.): 2. Nicholas Dyerly, 21.05; 4. Jonathon Skidmore, 50.87.

8-and-under girls (25 yd.): 3. Sarah Wolpoff, 33.46; 4. Gwen Eder, 36.52; 6. Emily Schaible, 43.67.

9-10 boys (50 yd.): 1. Warren Dyerly, 41.05; 2. Nick Arm-

strong, 43.92; 3. Robbie Pagliarini, 47.86; NS: Dustin Catalano, 53.92; Ben Wolpoff, 57.26.

9-10 girls (50 yd.): 2. Kellyn Pagliarini, 37.17; 5. Nicole Lodewyk, 44.91; 6. Julie Adams, 47.66; NS: Erika Purdy, 49.98; Krista Wallace, 57.36; Haley Eder, 59.55; Katie Klink, 1:23.62; Danielle Schulte, 1:31.14.

11-12 boys (50 yd.): 2. Christopher Moyle, 44.85; 3. Nathaniel Christman, 46.34; 6. Gregory Daniel, 56.75.

11-12 girls (50 yd.): 1. Meghan Minnick, 33.97; 2. Kelsey Benton, 37.13.

13-14 boys (50 yd.): 2. Zachary Christman, 33.00; 4. Michael Bowdish, 36.30.

13-14 girls (50 yd.): 2. Rebecca Armstrong, 32.57; 4. Kasey Whitley, 36.02; 6. Danielle McClelland, 39.61; NS: Sarah Kaminsky, 40.34.

15-17 boys (50 yd.): 3. Bobby Rohrkemper, 31.34; 5. Mike Offenbacher, 34.53; 6. Greg Cook, 34.87.

15-17 girls (50 yd.): 4. Nicole Williams, 40.09.

Freestyle Relay

8-and-under girls (100 yd.): 2. Gwen Eder, Sarah Wolpoff, Alexa Wade, and Emily Sparrow, 2:01.54.

9-10 boys (200 yd.): 1. Warren Dyerly, Adam Connell, Allen Kalis, and Nick Armstrong, 2:33.25; 2. Mitchell Cook, Ben Wolpoff, Jordan Skidmore, and Dustin Catalano, 3:06.96.

9-10 girls (200 yd.): 2. Alice Butcher, Christine Kelley, Kellyn Pagliarini, and Jessica Lodewyk, 2:15.84; 4. Julie Adams, Katie Klink, Haley Eder, and Erika Purdy, 3:35.10.

11-12 girls (200 yd.): 1. Elizabeth Skidmore, Kelsey Benton, Meghan Minnick, and Kara Stiles, 2:07.43.

13-14 girls (200 yd.): 2. Rebecca Armstrong, Sarah Kaminsky, Lindsay Cook, and Katrina Moffett, 2:00.73; 3. Jennifer Williams, Katie Minnick, Kasey Whitley, and Danielle McClelland, 2:10.62.

15-17 girls (200 yd.): 2. Katherine Knox, Nicole Williams, Jennifer Minnick, and Chris Broshar, 1:58.29.

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Area couple's great-grandson dies in fall

The great-grandson of a Chelsea couple was killed in a fall on June 26 near Taos, N.M.

Michael Wendt, 15, great grandson of Laureta and Lorraine Boyer of Chelsea, had gone hiking by himself when the accident occurred. He was pronounced dead at the scene. The boy liked to hike and climb on rocks and liked to go off by himself.

Wendt had completed eighth grade at Taos Middle School. He was familiar with Chelsea as he had vacationed in the area. He was planning a trip here this summer.



Tournament Champions

Chelsea Bulldogs travel baseball team for 12 year olds won the Stockbridge tournament last weekend. In front from left are Brian Dunn, Spencer Daniels, Terry Arnold, Nick Harwood and Derek Jolly. In the second row are Lucas Daniels, J.R. Engelbert, Brian Seyferth, Alex Guenther, Danny Kellman, Aaron Parisho and Justin Esch. In back are assistant coach John Engelbert, head coach Joe Jolly and assistant coach Randy Guenther.

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Area man begins racing drag boats

If you haven't seen him out on Half Moon Lake, you've probably heard him.

International speedster Dan Lawrence, of Chelsea, took home first place honors in a recent drag boat competition in Guelph, Ontario.

Lawrence was the only racer to qualify in his division, and he brought home the first-place trophy and over \$100 in prizes.

He made four qualifying runs in the quarter-mile track, his best time coming in at 12.704 seconds. The fastest boat of the day in the top division, a top-fuel hydroplane, came in at 199 mph, with a quarter-mile time of just over 5 seconds.

The race was sponsored by the American Drag Boat Association, under the newly created National Drag Boat Association, and may become an annual event.

For Lawrence, 55, the competition at Guelph was his first race as a professional drag boat racer.

"Well, I've always liked to go fast," he said. "I had a hydroplane as a kid, and I raced motorcycles and cars back then. I just wanted a go-fast boat and I thought it would be fun to see what it does on the official clock."

But Lawrence said that after one drag boat race, he's hooked.

He will race again at the Thunder on the Grand competition in Grand Rapids Aug. 14 and 15.

Lawrence's boat, named "Legally Obnoxious," is a 1970 Steven's drag boat. It is powered by a Chevrolet 454 cubic-inch 600 horse-power engine built by McEldowney Racing Engines. The boat weighs 3,000 pounds.

The body is a polished African mahogany wood.

"It's kind of an antique," Lawrence said. "You don't see many wood boats anymore. It was the only wood boat at this race. It's a classic."

Lawrence, who lives on Half Moon Lake near Hell, said that



International speedster Dan Lawrence, of Chelsea, took home first place honors in a recent drag boat competition in Guelph, Ontario.

his friends and neighbors have begun calling his dragster "The Boat from Hell."

He said that his recent victory was a great win for him and his crew, chief mechanic Chad Sweet, pit boss Rebecca Sweet and chief sponsor Jan Lawrence.

Lawrence said that drag boat racing is a growing sport, and has been reaching a larger audience since the four major drag boat associations, the American DBA, the Southern DBA, the St. Louis DBA and the Central States DBA merged into one group last year, known as the National DBA. Now, the best racers from all across the country meet to determine who's fastest at the competitions.

Lawrence said he expects that as more people get exposed to the sport, and see it on TV, it will become more of a mainstream entertainment.

Lawrence's boat reached a high of near 80 mph at the race in Ontario, but the question remains: How fast will it go?

"I don't know," Lawrence said. "There's no speedometer in it. But when I took the shutoff for a ride, I told him it goes 55."

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Answer: Fungus infection can occur in the toenails, fingernails or both. This condition is quite common.

It has been estimated that 9 percent of the population experiences this disorder by age 70. Though this may seem like a trivial condition to someone who has never had this type of infection, it isn't.

Twenty-five percent of sufferers report that fungal nail infections interfere with their



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professional and/or social life because of embarrassment or physical discomfort.

Fungal infection of the nails, particularly the toenails, rarely occurs alone. Many individuals know that they have athlete's foot when they have red, itching, peeling skin on their toes without realizing that the fungus causing this annoying condition is also responsible for their thickened, discolored brittle nails.

There are several types of fungus that can produce fungal nail infections, a condition we doctors call onychomycosis. The treatment for the condition depends upon the specific cause.

First, it is important to determine whether the "ugly" nails are a consequence of onychomycosis or some other condition that can cause an unusual-looking nail. Some of these other causes include permanent scarring, injury to the nail growth area and bacterial infection.

Your doctor will have to rule these out before he or she can make a firm diagnosis of fungal infection.

The doctor can often determine that the nail disorder is due to fungal infection by the appearance of the nails

and by any association with athlete's foot. More often, however, he or she will need to scrape away a portion of the damaged nail to study the scrapings under the microscope and also to have a culture for fungus performed in the laboratory. These tests will then help guide the selection of treatment for your condition.

When only a single nail is involved, use of a topical antifungal preparation (prescription or non-prescription ones work) can be used. It may take six to 18 months of once- or twice-daily treatment, and it is often ineffective.

Removal of an infected nail is still an effective treatment for onychomycosis. When surgical removal of the damaged portion of the nail — and typically that is the entire nail —

is combined with a topical anti-fungal preparation it can be effective at preventing recurrence of the condition as the new nail grows in. Surgical removal, however, is reserved for very unusual circumstances today.

Your doctor is much more likely to advise the use of one of the newer oral medications that you've asked about. These medications — which are effective in treating onychomycosis — include Itraconazole, Terbinafine and Fluconazole. They've all been advertised to the general public at one time or another, so I can't be sure which one caught your attention.

Because of the nature of this type of infection, treatment must be continued for as long as six months, but typically three months does the

job satisfactorily. Treatment clears up the infection 60 to 90 percent of the time.

Be aware that these effective medicines are relatively expensive and also have a small risk of causing liver, blood and skin disorders. Also, after a successful cure, it's not uncommon for the person to be re-infected within a few months.

You should talk to your family doctor or a dermatologist about your "ugly" nail infection to determine the best treatment for you.

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

Walking shown to cut heart attack risk for older men

by the American Heart Association

Elderly men who walked about two miles a day had half the risk of heart attack of males who walked a quarter mile, according to a study in circulation: Journal of the American Heart Association.

The study of 2,678 men, whose ages ranged from 71 to 80, also found that the risk of a first heart attack dropped 15 percent for every additional half mile a day walked. The men, all of whom were enrolled in the Honolulu Heart Program (HHP) and were participants in a larger study of men of Japanese ancestry living on Oahu, walked from less than a quarter mile a day to eight miles daily.

Dr. Robert D. Abbott, professor of biostatistics at the University of Virginia School of Medicine, and one of the study's authors, says the research suggests, "Encouraging the elderly to walk and to become active could have important health benefits. This is especially important because walking can be easily incorporated into a person's lifestyle and daily routine."

In an accompanying editorial, Dr. Peter G. Snell, assis-

tant professor of internal medicine at the University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center in Dallas, and Dr. Jeré H. Mitchell, chief of the cardiopulmonary division at the same institution, say that walking helps prevent heart disease by reducing the risk of atherosclerosis — the buildup of fatty deposits that can clog heart arteries — and of blood clots and irregular heartbeat, both of which can trigger a heart attack.

The study's findings may extend to younger men as well as women, according to Snell and Mitchell. They point to similar studies such as the Nurses' Health Study and the Harvard Alumni Study, both of which found that walking can reduce a person's risk of heart disease.

Snell and Mitchell remind older people to consult with a physician before beginning an exercise program. However, they add, "From a public health standpoint, the finding that exercise that is neither strenuous nor prolonged can benefit an individual at any age is encouraging. As personal computers invade our lives and society becomes in-

creasingly successful at reducing our need to move, opportunities for everyone to become more physically active should be given a high priority."

Researchers ranked distance walked by the men in the study into three ranges: less than one-quarter mile a day; one-quarter to 1.5 miles a day; and more than 1.5 miles a day.

The risk of heart attack in the two- to four-year study for those who walked less than a quarter mile a day was 5 percent compared to 2.5 percent of those who walked more than 1.5 miles a day. Men who had walked one-quarter to 1.5 miles per day had a 4.5 percent risk of developing heart disease compared to 2.5 percent for those who walked more.

A total of 109 of the men experienced a heart attack. Forty-one of them were among the 805 men who walked less

than a quarter mile, 48 were among the 1,067 who walked a quarter to 1.5 miles, and 20 were among the 806 who walked more than a mile and a half.

All the men were physically capable of walking at least one hour at slight, moderate or heavy activity on a regular daily basis.

The study used data from medical records of 2,678 men ages 71 to 93 enrolled in the HHP, which has monitored more than 8,000 men of Japanese ancestry living in Oahu. Interviews conducted during examinations between 1991 and 1993 were used as a baseline. The men walked daily anywhere from a quarter mile or less to as many as eight miles a day. Researchers kept track of each man's health status for two to four years after the exams.

Even after accounting for differences in other measures of physical function and car-

diovascular risk factors, walking continued to be associated with a reduced risk of heart attack. But the researchers did not determine how many years the men had been walking, nor at what intensity they walked. However, based on the responses given during the interviews, Abbott says it seems likely that walking was "an activity they've been involved

in most of their lives."

Whether walking or regular, physical activity in general could reduce an individual's risk of heart disease if begun later in life is not known, Abbott says. "However, research suggests that we should become active as early in life as possible. The earlier we start, the easier it is to continue those habits later on."

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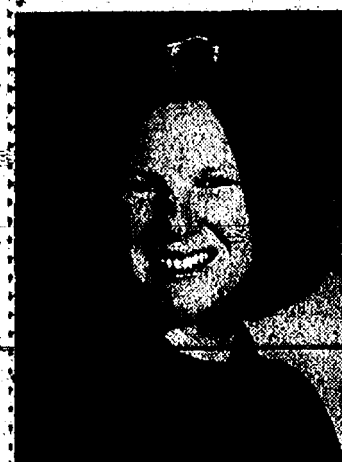
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TAKE NOTICE that the Village Council of the Village of Chelsea has, by resolution, presented a petition to the Board of Commissioners for Washtenaw County to alter the boundaries of the Village of Chelsea and to add to the Village of Chelsea the following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

Tax Identification #06-13-300-017 (PARCEL 9)
Commencing at the Southwest corner of Section 13, T2S, R3E, Sylvan Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan; thence N 00 degrees 58'45" E 93.10 feet along the West line of said Section; thence N 87 degrees 50'55" E 416.13 feet; thence N 27 degrees 47' W 165.58 feet; thence N 05 degrees 07'32" W 150.20 feet; thence N 08 degrees 58'59" E 287.32 feet; thence N 17 degrees 50'55" E 349.58 feet; thence N 89 degrees 58'05" E 900.33 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING; thence N 01 degrees 17'50" E 931.11 feet to a point on the East and West 1/4 line of said Section; thence N 89 degrees 58'45" E 93.10 feet along said East and West 1/4 line to the Center of said Section 13; thence S 00 degrees 19'00" W 831.26 feet along the North and South 1/4 line of said Section and the centerline of Old Manchester Road; thence S 87 degrees 57'30" W 360.00 feet; thence S 00 degrees 19'00" W 225.16 feet; thence S 87 degrees 57'30" W 111.08 feet; thence S 00 degrees 19'00" W 5.60 feet; thence S 87 degrees 57'30" W 902.40 feet to a point on the West line of the East 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 of said Section; thence N 00 degrees 38'10" E 69.08 feet along said West line to the Point of Beginning. Being a part of the East 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 13, T2S, R3E, Sylvan Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan and containing 28.51 acres of land, more or less. Being subject to easements and restrictions of record, if any. Also being subject to the rights of the public over the Western 33 feet of Old Manchester Road. Also being subject to and together with an 88 foot wide strip of land for the future road connection purposes having a centerline described as follows: Commencing at the West 1/4 corner of said Section 13; thence S 00 degrees 58'45" E 93.10 feet to the Point of Beginning; thence N 89 degrees 58'45" E 93.10 feet to a point on the West line of the East 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 of said Section; thence N 00 degrees 38'10" E 69.08 feet along said West line to the Point of Beginning.

Said real estate lies generally west of Old Manchester Road, north of I-94 and south of Old U.S. 12. Said Petition shall be presented to the Board of Commissioners for consideration at its meeting to be held on the 4th day of August, 1999 at Washtenaw County Administration Building, 200 N. Main Street, Ann Arbor, Michigan, beginning at 6:45 p.m. or as soon thereafter as the Petition may be heard, and all persons having an interest in said matter shall be heard. Requests to address the Board of Commissioners may be made to the office of the Washtenaw County Clerk, Peggy M. Haines, Clark, Washtenaw County Courthouse, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48107.

True copies of the petition and resolution are on file at the offices of the Chelsea Village Clerk, 305 S. Main Street, Suite 100, Chelsea, Michigan, and the Washtenaw County Clerk, Washtenaw County Courthouse, Ann Arbor, Michigan, and may be inspected between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. on regular business days.

Frances E. Zatorski, Village Clerk
Dated: May 25, 1999

Chelsea School District Public Notice-Request for Bids

Chelsea School District will receive bids for the construction of a 2 story Press Box building at the Chelsea High School Stadium. Bids are due at 2:00 p.m. 7/15/99 at the Operations Department. For project specifications and additional information contact:
Ron Livengood, Chelsea School District, Operations Dept., 14138 Old US-12, Chelsea, MI 48118 734-433-2276

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage ("Mortgage") made by CHELSEA LAND-DEVELOPMENT COMPANY, a Michigan Corporation, by Rene Papo, its President, of 208 S. Fifth Ave., Ann Arbor, MI, 48103, MI, 48118 ("Mortgage") to Warren Hamill, of 670 Dornoch Drive, Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, MI 48103 ("Mortgagee") which Mortgage was dated the 24th day of November, 1997, and recorded in the Register of Deeds for the County of Washtenaw and the State of Michigan, on December 9, 1997, in Sub-Register pages 736, 737, 738 on 00° 24' 32" East 924.72 feet to a point on the Southerly line of Cavanaugh Lake Road; thence along said Southerly line, South 70° 04' 32" East 593.75 feet; thence North 19° 54' 38" West 501.60 feet; thence South 70° 04' 22" West 200.00 feet; thence South 19° 54' 38" East 60.09 feet; thence South 70° 04' 22" West 244.63 feet to a point on the North and South 1/4 line of said Section 11; thence along said 1/4 line North 00° 38' 10" East 928.08 feet to the Center of said Section 11, thence along the East and West 1/4 line of said Section 11, North 88° 48' 33" East 1388.24 feet to the Point of Beginning. Being part of the West 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4 of said Section 11.

During the six months immediately following the sale, the property may be redeemed.

Attest: Warren Hamill, Mortgagee
670 Dornoch Drive
Ann Arbor, Michigan 48103
(734) 789-1196

July 1, 8, 15, 22

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

PROJECT: Dexter Community Schools 1998 Bond Issue
LAN HARDWARE & COPIERS BID PACKAGE #11

OWNER: DEXTER COMMUNITY SCHOOLS
7714 Ann Arbor Street
Dexter, MI 48130

CONSTRUCTION MANAGER: GRANGER CONSTRUCTION CO.
CORPORATE OFFICE:
6267 Aurelius Road/P.O. Box 22187
Lansing, Michigan 48909
(517) 393-1670 Phone
(517) 393-1382 Fax

JOB SITE ADDRESS: 2148 N. Parker Rd.
Dexter, MI 48130
(734) 424-9623 Job Phone
(734) 424-9626

TECHNOLOGY CONSULTANT: DATASERV, INC.
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Farmington Hills, Michigan 48331
(248) 489-8000 Phone
(248) 489-8403 Fax

INVITATION IS MADE BY THE CONSTRUCTION MANAGER TO HAVE QUALIFIED BIDDERS SUBMIT BID PROPOSALS FOR THE FOLLOWING CONTRACT CATEGORIES:

CATEGORY	DESCRIPTION
17-2	LAN Hardware Copiers

NO PRE-BID MEETING WILL BE HELD FOR THIS BID PACKAGE.

BID PROPOSALS ARE REQUESTED AND WILL BE RECEIVED AS A "SINGLE LUMP SUM PROPOSAL" PRIOR TO 2:00 P.M., LOCAL TIME, ON MONDAY, JULY 26, 1999.

SEPARATE SEALED BID PROPOSALS FOR THE ABOVE BID CATEGORIES MUST BE RECEIVED ON OR BEFORE THE BID OPENING DATE AND TIME. BIDS ARE TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE OWNER AT:

DEXTER COMMUNITY SCHOOLS
Copeland Administration Building
7714 Ann Arbor Street
Dexter, MI 48130

BID SECURITY IN THE FORM OF BONDS IS 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.

Please direct all questions to:
Granger Construction Company
2148 N. Parker Rd.
Dexter, MI 48130
Attn: Bill Sharp
phone: (734) 424-9623
fax: (734) 424-9626

Messages

100-Notices (Legal)

REQUEST FOR BID: Washtenaw County invites bids for Children's Well-being Prevention Services for Children and Families. A pre-bid conference for firms interested in submitting proposals will be held at 9:00 AM on Friday, July 23, 1999 in Room 107 of the Washtenaw County Human Services Building, 555 Towne, Ypsilanti, MI. Bid packets will be available at the pre-bid conference. Detailed specifications may be obtained at Washtenaw County, 48103. The deadline for bid submission is 2:00 PM on Monday, July 26, 1999. For more information, please call (734) 994-2388.

STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF Washtenaw CLAIMS NOTICE

Independent Probate Court of the County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, in and for the County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, do hereby give notice to all persons having claims against the estate of HELEN I. PECK, Social Security No. 385-04-2483, TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Your interest in the estate may be barred or satisfied by the following: The decedent, who was last known address was 820 North Main Street, Chelsea, Michigan 48118 died June 1, 1999. An instrument dated June 10, 1995 has been admitted as the will of the decedent. Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to the independent personal representative and the Washtenaw County Probate Court, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48107, within 4 months of the date of publication of this notice. Notice is further given that the estate will be thereafter assigned and distributed to the persons entitled to it.

Sula Darlene Jeffers (Attorney) P-40843 150 E. Main Street Manchester, MI 48150 (734) 428-8198

ST. JUDENOVENA. May the soul of Heart of Jesus be adored, glorified, loved and preserved throughout the World, now and forever. I, St. Jude, worker of miracles, pray for St. Jude of the household, pray for us. Say this prayer nine times a day. By the eighth day your prayers will be answered. It has never been known to fail. Publication must be promised. Thank you St. Jude for granting my petition. D.G.

103-Paralels

FAMILIES NEEDED: Exchange students from Germany, Japan, France, Russia, England, Brazil, students of all ages. Call for information 1-800-765-4963.

104-Lost & Found

DOMESTIC SHORTHAIR CAT black and white kitten found July 1st. Looking for owner of well cared for kitten. Very affectionate, not shy at all. Call 734-429-7972.

REWARD (LARGE) for information leading to recovery of 1985 Kawasaki All black dirt bike. Stolen on Locust Rd. near 28th. Friday, June 25th. All information confidential. Call: 734-995-1567

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9 Sandwich fill
12 Copies
13 One side of the Urals
14 Idolater's emotion
15 Pudd'n-head Wilson's creator
17 Section of L.A.
18 Jimmy Carter's hometown
19 Rings
21 Treasure St.
22 State of India
24 Fiery saint?
27 Circle section
28 Welles role
31 - long way
32 Across Thurman
33 Uncivilized
34 Quail's successor
36 CSA soldier
37 Terrier type
38 Massage
40 Lambda follower
41 Mountain air?
42 Ballroom favorites
47 Com-motion

DOWN

2 Standard
3 "Lilac time" locale
4 Hodge-podge
5 "... saw Elba"
6 Japanese honorific
7 Droop
8 Take a break
9 DOWN
1 Florence
2 Night-ingle's trademark
3 October stone
4 "Ship of Fools" ship
5 Fruit
6 A big fish story?
7 Dos
8 Passos trilogy
9 CLXVII sextupled
10 Locale for ants?
11 Symbol of quality
12 Truant
13 G.I.-style
14 Disorder
15 Stick with a kick
16 Erntwhille
17 Night-ingle's trademark
18 Ready to tumble
19 Sign of healing
20 Future phalorope
21 Card game
22 Sale price, e.g.
23 Emanation
24 Aye canceler
25 Ram's ma'am
26 Away from WSW
27 - squash
28 Macaroni type
29 Jongg lead-in
30 Tibetan herd
31 Music halls
32 Highlander
33 Unadorned
34 Belligerent deity
35 Revue segment
36 Yale
37 Zilch

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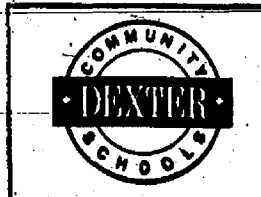
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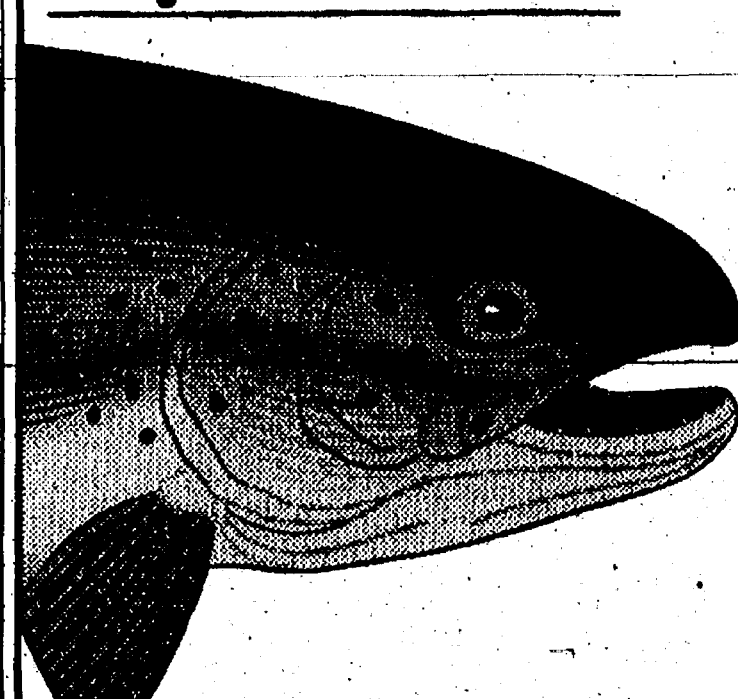
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MOVIE REVIEWS

"Notting Hill"

Movie Review

By C.J. Nodus

"Notting Hill" combines the formidable talents of Julia Roberts and Hugh Grant to create one of the best romantic comedies of the year and possibly of the decade.

Roberts plays Anna Scott, the world's most famous movie star. Grant is William Thacker, a travel bookstore owner whose entire existence is in a bit of a rut. When fate brings them together, the results are magical.

This is the type of film that Roberts and Grant should be making. She demonstrates all of the charm and brilliance she exhibited in "My Best Friends Wedding."

By adding the tremendous warmth and lovability of Grant and the comedic wackiness of newcomer Rhys Ifans, "Notting Hill" is a delight.

This capacity to entertain extends through a fine supporting cast, which manages to create such a wonderful ensemble as to hope for some sort of continuing story.

Hollywood loves romantic comedies and is endlessly pumping out usually what ends up being pure drivel. What sets "Notting Hill" apart from the rest is the chemistry between Grant and Roberts.

Roberts' portrayal of Anna Scott is not simply the diva that falls for the lowly mortal. It is a well-developed multi-dimensional portrayal of a real person and the human kindness that she craves.

Grant is perfect as the bumbling book shop owner who, in typical stiff upper-lip style, manages to seemingly doom the potential relationship with Anna. Then, in typical Hollywood cliffhanger style, he manages to have everything work out for the best.

With Grant's charm and Roberts' tremendous smile, it's hard to imagine anyone stealing their focus. Welsh actor Ifans manages to do it in a number of scenes. This is also true of newcomer Emma Chambers, who plays William's sister and is great with zany hair and marvelous facial expressions.

The other intangible that gives the film added dimension is its great location shots around London and the real Notting Hill district. The added ambience of real buildings, real locations and real people add to the charm of the film.

Without a doubt, "Notting Hill" is a great date film, but it also works on other levels as a comedy and shouldn't be dismissed merely because of the romantic nature of the film.

Rated: PG

Grade: A

"The Thirteenth Floor"

Movie Review

By C.J. Nodus

Despite the potential for technical wizardry and the novel idea of solving a cyber-mystery, "The Thirteenth Floor" is merely a pale imitation of themes from "Matrix" and "eXistenZ."

Part of the dilemma is in the focus. Is the movie a mystery or an exercise in technowizardry?

The attempt at combining the two disciplines only serves to dilute each one to the point that neither is sharp enough in relation to what has come before.

Starring Craig Bierko as Douglas Hall and Armin Mueller-Stahl as Hannon Fuller, Hall and Fuller are visionaries in virtual reality who have created a living, breathing simulation of 1937 Los Angeles.

The mystery ensues when Fuller is found murdered and a daughter (played by Gretchen Mol) that no one knew about appears to put her father's affairs in order. Hall is pulled into the eye of the mystery as Fuller's death reveals a dangerous double-life that veers between the parallel world.

The murder investigation is headed by a hard-driving detective (played by Dennis Haysbert), who always seems to be in the right place at the right time, yet never solves anything.

There's an attempt at a great deal of cyber visuals that try to be cutting edge but really end

up dissolving into just another series of smoke and mirrors.

The most impressive part of the film is the seemingly total re-creation of 1937 Los Angeles with its costumes, cars, hairdos and architecture. From the opulence of the Ambassador Hotel to the magnificence of the early L.A. oil fields, the visuals are amazing.

Unfortunately, the setting involving the current L.A. and the convoluted plot are enough to detract from the total package.

With the emphasis on technology, the acting is almost incidental until the plot twist turns to Hall and Fuller's "daughter," revealing their twisted relationship.

She is really from the past and the persona of Hall's that she originally falls in love with is also from the past and simply manipulating the future.

The optimistic ending serves only as a minor balm as the film ends with everything working out after all.

While not the worst attempt at techno-thrills, "The Thirteenth Floor" ultimately falls flat from its own ambivalence.

Rated: R

Grade: C

"The General's Daughter"

Movie Review

By C.J. Nodus

The producers of "The General's Daughter" want us to think the film is a gritty, character-driven noir-type film that harkens back to the thrillers of the 1940s. Only half of this happened to be the case, but this half works well.

The movie has its moments of gritty reality, but they almost seem to be dropped in, often for effect, as opposed to flowing out of the script.

The red herrings are far too many, a trait directly attributable to the private eyes of the 1940s.

Fortunately, the cast, especially John Travolta and Madeleine Stowe, are tight and gripping and only occasionally long-winded.

Travolta plays an army investigator who, while wrapping up a case of arms dealing, becomes embroiled in an apparent rape and murder case.

Complication one is that the other investigator, played by Stowe, is a former lover.

Complication two is that the victim, Capt. Elisabeth Campbell, played by Leslie Stefanson, is the daughter of a three-star general, played by James Cromwell.

The drama includes superb performances from James Woods as Campbell's superior officer, Timothy Hutton as the provost marshal, and Clarence Williams III as Col. Fowler, the general's faithful aide and trusted friend.

What makes this such an excellent character-driven movie is the interaction between Paul Brenner (Travolta) and Sarah Sunhill (Stowe).

The original novel gives much greater detail as to the extent of their previous involvement. For the sake of the film, this is distilled to just the right elements.

What really makes Brenner work as a character is the layers of personality brought out by the combination of the writing and Travolta's acting.

There are certainly liberal amounts of a gritty private eye, but this is tempered by enough humor to hearken back to characters like Nick and Nora Charles of "Thin Man" fame.

While there are twists and turns, the ending is a bit too pat and possibly too politically correct.

Fans of novelist Nelson DeMille may find the movie a bit too formulaic, but fans of the actors will savor every moment. Either way, it is a good story told by a stellar cast.

Rated: R

Grade: B

"Tarzan"

Movie Review

By C.J. Nodus

It is a distinct pleasure to see Disney again producing pure G-rated animated films. Its latest effort, "Tarzan," is pure delight.

Not only is it faithful to Edgar Rice Burroughs' original character, but it has wonderful voice work and a tremendous soundtrack. As a package, it is certainly one of the

best Disney films of the last few years and possibly one of the best of all time.

Leading the vocal talent are Tony Goldwyn as Tarzan, Minnie Driver as Jane Porter, Glenn Close as Kala (Tarzan's gorilla mother), Rosie O'Donnell as Terk (Tarzan's best pal gorilla), Nigel Hawthorne as Prof. Porter, Lance Hendriksen as Kerchak (the gorilla patriarch), and Wayne Knight as Tantor the Elephant.

This is as star-studded of a group for an animated film as there has been in ages. Combine this with a stellar and complex score with songs by Phil Collins, and "Tarzan" is outstanding.

Taking a different tack from previous incarnations (47 previous "Tarzan" film versions were made), the movie centers around his existence in two worlds.

It keys on his attempts to initially fit in with his animal family and then reintegrate into the world of humans upon meeting Jane and Prof. Porter.

The humor between Terk and Tantor only serves to make a strong case for the brotherhood of man and, more importantly, the brotherhood of all living creatures.

In the true Disney fashion that once was the animation standard and seems to be regaining its top position, the scenery and action in the jungle are often breathtaking and at times equal to any live action film.

The fact that this is an animated film should not keep adults from enjoying its message, its humor and its many talents.

This is what kids' movies should be made of, without gratuitous language, questionable situations and undesirable characters.

Hopefully, Hollywood will get the message and bring back films that we can be proud to take our kids to, or better yet, that don't have to be previewed for questionable content.

Rated: G

Grade: A

"Austin Powers: The Spy Who Shagged Me"

Movie Review

By C.J. Nodus

In one of the more successful sequels in years, Mike Myers reprises his role as Austin

Powers and is even more far out than in the original.

What makes "The Spy Who Shagged Me" so successful is the complete tongue-in-cheek manner it's made in. Some pundit describe puns as the lowest form of humor. In this spoof form, they are as funny as they are stupid.

The take-off of spy films in general and James Bond in particular makes for remarkably wonderful parody humor.

Just the names of the supporting characters, including Felicity Shagwell, Fat B*st*rd, Robin Swallows (maiden name Spitz) and Ivana Humpalot follow the time honored tradition of Miss Moneybags and Pussy Galore, only carried to an extreme.

The spoof aspect combined with the throwback to the psychedelic 1960s created a gold-plated opportunity for Mike Myers and New Line Cinema.

Myers, of course, is the other absolutely necessary component in the equation. He is as spectacular as the intrepid Powers ("The man who put the 'grrr' in swinger") and equally fantastic as Dr. Evil and surprisingly as Fat B*st*rd.

Supporting cast members Robert Wagner, Heather Graham, Michael York and Mindy Sterling are equally wonderful.

The two pleasant surprises of the supporting staff are Rob Lowe as Young Number Two and Verne Troyer as Mini-Me.

Part of the plot, like it matters there is one at all, revolves around using a time machine to go back to 1960 and steal Powers' mojo. Lowe does the perfect impression of Wagner and is excellent as Young Number Two.

One of the other plot devices is the cloning of Dr. Evil, but only to one-eighth scale, so there is the creation of Mini-Me. Troyer is remarkable in the part.

The double-entendres at times are as bad as they can get, and one scene where Powers mistakes a stool sample for coffee is unnecessarily crude. However, for the most part, the Powers mystique is well done and certainly well preserved in "The Spy Who Shagged Me."

The producers certainly had "Austin Powers 3" in mind with the ending. As long as Myers and the puns are a constant, it can't fail either.

Rated: PG

Grade: B

County commissioner attends future government symposium

County Commissioner Joseph Yekulis of Chelsea, attended a three-day symposium on "The Future of Local Government in Michigan," June 23-25 at the Dow Employee Development Center in Midland.

Yekulis was chosen from a field of more than 400 applicants, of which 100 were selected to attend. Yekulis was selected not only for his representation of Washtenaw County, but also because of his status as a director on the 15-member Michigan Association of Counties Board of Directors.

Prior to the start of the symposium, attendees were required to review several working papers drafted by renowned governmental experts from throughout the nation. These papers were then the focus of structured, two-hour group discussions over a two-day period conducted by professional facilitators from throughout Michigan.

Topics included were: "A Bird's Eye View of Michigan Local Government at the End of the Twentieth Century," by the Citizens Research Council of Michigan.

"Structuring Local Government Units and Relationships," by Carl W. Stenberg, University of Baltimore.

"Financing Local Government Services," by John Peterson, Government Finance Group, Washington, D.C.

"Using the Hidden Assets of America's Communities and

Regions to Ensure Sustainable Communities," by Scott Bernstein, president of the Center for Neighborhood Technology, Chicago, Ill.

"Involving Community and Providing Leadership," by Sylvester Murray, Cleveland State University.

"Using Technology to Meet Citizen Needs: Implications for Local Government," by Jerry Mechling, Harvard University.

During the session on community and leadership, Yekulis gave the "Northwest Washtenaw Story." Yekulis described the efforts of the Chelsea Area Planning Team during the past four years, the involvement of the Washtenaw County Planning Commission toward assisting local communities in developing regional master plans, and the Chelsea Area Community Planning and Visioning session which took place Saturday, May 22.

The symposium was sponsored by the Michigan Municipal League, with the support of the Michigan Association of Counties, and the Michigan Townships Association.

Dr. Joe Ohren of Eastern Michigan University was the symposium program coordinator. Other Washtenaw County attendees included Mayor Ingrid Sheldon of Ann Arbor; Aaron Machnik, Scio Township trustee; and George D. Goodman, executive director of the Michigan Municipal League, and former mayor of Ypsilanti.

Chelsea School District Public Notice-Request for Bids

Chelsea School District will receive bids for the construction of a 2 story Press Box building at the Chelsea High School Stadium. Bids are due at 2PM 7/19/99 at the Operations Department. For project specifications and additional information contact: Ron Livengood, Chelsea School District, Operations Dept., 14138 Old US-12, Chelsea, MI 48118 734-433-2276



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WEBSTER TOWNSHIP ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS 5665 WEBSTER CHURCH RD. DEXTER, MI. 48130

The Webster Township Zoning Board of Appeals will meet on Monday, July 19, 1999 at 8:00 p.m. at the Township Hall, 5665 Webster Church Road, Dexter, MI 48130 to hear the following appeals:

- 1.) Alex DeParry, Ann Arbor Builders for a 23' variance from Center Line of Joy Rd. on Lot #22, amended plat of lots 388-412 Loch Alpine Sub, 4898 Aberdeen Dr.
- 2.) Michael Argiro, for a 22' variance from Center Line of Joy Rd. and a 5' variance on Aberdeen Dr. lot line on Lot #21, amended plat of lots 388-412 Loch Alpine Sub, 4899 Aberdeen Dr.

Ordinance requires 110' from center line of Joy Road. Application may be viewed at the Township Office, Monday-Friday, 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Anyone wishing to express their opinions are invited to attend this meeting.

WEBSTER TOWNSHIP BOARD OF APPEALS

Richard Kleinschmidt, Chairman



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DEXTER TOWNSHIP NOTICE TO RESIDENTS

DEXTER TOWNSHIP IS SEEKING APPLICANTS TO SERVE ON THE DEXTER TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION. 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 of interest along with a resume to: ROBERT L. TETENS, SUPERVISOR, 6880 DEXTER PINCKNEY RD., DEXTER, MI 48130

VILLAGE OF CHELSEA

Village Residents are reminded of several of the General and Zoning Ordinances which are of record in the Village. Please read these brief summaries of these Ordinances and if you have any questions regarding them, you may contact the Village Administration (475-1771) for clarification.

DOG OWNERS It shall be unlawful for any person owning, possessing, or harboring any dog to permit the same to go or stray beyond the premises of such person, or to run at large within the limits of the Village of Chelsea. Dogs on a leash, or accompanied by their owners, or custodian having reasonable control over such dogs, shall not be deemed to be running at large. It shall be unlawful to allow any dog to discharge its feces on property other than that of its owner unless the owner immediately removes such feces. Ordinance No. 56 (effective 11/4/1956 amended by Ordinance No. 58A effective 2/3/1982).

DEBRIS IN STREET It shall be unlawful for any person to place within any street, road or public right-of-way maintained by the Village of Chelsea, any grass clippings, trash debris, items of personal property, brush, machinery, building materials or any structure, except the placement on the lawn extension, approved trash and garbage receptacles, brush and leaves for pick up and disposal by the Village public work crews, contractors, and agents. (effective December 13, 1985 Ordinance No. 98)

OUTSIDE STORAGE Section 5.02 of the Village Zoning Ordinance (No. 79) prohibits the outside location or storage of any abandoned discarded, unused, unusable, or inoperative vehicles, appliances, furniture, equipment or materials in any residential, agricultural or commercial district. The owner or tenants of the property must store or place all such materials in a completely enclosed permanent structure.

FENCES Section 5.04 of the Village Zoning Ordinance (No. 79) requires any person desiring to build or causing to be built a fence upon property within the Village limits must first apply to the Zoning Administrator to do so.

STATE OF MICHIGAN NOTICE OF ACTION AND ARREST

This is an advertisement required by Rule C (4) of the Rules of Practice in Admiralty and Maritime Cases.

UNITED STATES v. UNDETERMINED QUANTITIES OF AN ARTICLE OF DEVICE, LABELED IN PART: (BOX) "UREA NITROGEN (BUN) REAGENT SET FOR THE QUANTITATIVE DETERMINATION OF UREA NITROGEN IN SERUM CATALOG: BUN-300-01, FOR IN VITRO DIAGNOSTIC USE"; (REAGENTS) "HORIZON BUN REAGENT 20 ml, FOR IN VITRO DIAGNOSTIC USE"; (STANDARD) "HORIZON BUN STD (20 mg/dl) 10 ml, FOR IN VITRO DIAGNOSTIC USE"; (INSERT) "HORIZON BLOOD UREA NITROGEN REAGENT SET (BUN-UV RATE) AND ALL OTHER ARTICLES OF DEVICE (INCLUDING COMPONENTS, IN PROCESS MATERIALS, AND FINISHED DEVICES) WHICH ARE LOCATED ON THE PREMISES OF HORIZON DIAGNOSTICS, INC., 3860 PLAZA DRIVE #4, ANN ARBOR, MICHIGAN Civil No. 99-72859

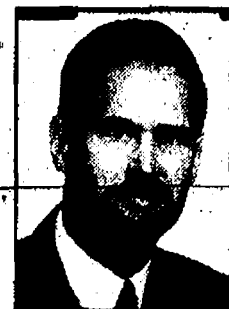
In the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Michigan, Southern Division, notice is hereby given that on or about June 10, 1999, pursuant to a Complaint for Forfeiture filed in this Court by the United States Attorney on June 10, 1999, a Summons, Warrant of Arrest and Notice in Rem was executed against UNDETERMINED QUANTITIES OF AN ARTICLE OF DEVICE, LABELED IN PART: (BOX) "UREA NITROGEN (BUN) REAGENT SET FOR THE QUANTITATIVE DETERMINATION OF UREA NITROGEN IN SERUM CATALOG: BUN-300-01, FOR IN VITRO DIAGNOSTIC USE"; (REAGENTS) "HORIZON BUN REAGENT 20 ml, FOR IN VITRO DIAGNOSTIC USE"; (STANDARD) "HORIZON BUN STD (20 mg/dl) 10 ml, FOR IN VITRO DIAGNOSTIC USE"; (INSERT) "HORIZON BLOOD UREA NITROGEN REAGENT SET (BUN-UV RATE) AND ALL OTHER ARTICLES OF DEVICE (INCLUDING COMPONENTS, IN PROCESS MATERIALS, AND FINISHED DEVICES) WHICH ARE LOCATED ON THE PREMISES OF HORIZON DIAGNOSTICS, INC., 3860 PLAZA DRIVE #4, ANN ARBOR, MICHIGAN property sought to be forfeited by the United States as forfeited under 21 U.S.C. § 8301, et seq., specifically 21 U.S.C. § 833 (a) (1). Any person claiming an interest in said property must file a claim in this Court within ten (10) days after notice of this publication, and must file an answer within twenty (20) days after the filing of such claim.

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HOUSES OF WORSHIP

CHELSEA Assembly of God First Assembly of God 14900 Old US-12, Chelsea (734) 475-2815 Rev. James Massey, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. Wednesday: Noon fellowship dinner, followed by prayer & bible study.	3320 Notten Rd., Grass Lake (734) 475-2370 Rev. Carolyn & Rev. Daniel Harris Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m.	New Life Christian Center Call for Location (734) 475-1147 Erik Hansen, Pastor Sunday: Worship, 11 a.m.
Chelsea Christian Fellowship 337 Wilkinson St. (734) 475-8305 John Dambacher, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Worship Service, 10 a.m.; Evening Service 6 p.m.	Sharon United Methodist Corner M-52 & Pleasant Lake Rd. (734) 428-8430 Rev. Carter Garrigues-Cortelyou Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m. (July and August only)	St. Vladimir Orthodox 8900 Jackson Road (734) 761-7311 Rev. Father Paul Karas Sunday and Holy Days: Divine Liturgy, English and Slavonic, 10 a.m.
Baptist Faith Baptist Faith-In-Action Bldg. Main St., Chelsea (734) 475-7841 Jack Story, Pastor Sunday: Worship, 10:30 a.m., 6 p.m.	Waterloo Village United Methodist Church Washington St., Waterloo Kathy Kirsch, Minister Sunday: Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship service, 11 a.m. Country Breakfast second Sunday each month. All you can eat. Free-will donation to Building Fund.	Presbyterian Unadilla Presbyterian 20175 Williamsville Rd., Unadilla Joh Qiu, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.
New Life Baptist Call for meeting place. (734) 844-8017 David W. Pearson, Pastor Sunday: Worship, 10:15 a.m.	Chelsea Retirement Chapel 805 W. Middle St., Chelsea (734) 475-8633 Rev. J. Gordon Schleicher Sunday: Worship service, 9:30 a.m.	First Presbyterian Church On the Square in Stockbridge M-52 and M-106 1-888-784-8128 Sunday: Worship, 10 a.m. (For July and August) Wednesday: Worship, 6:45 p.m.
North Sharon Baptist Church 17999 Washburne Rd., Grass Lake (734) 428-7222 Bobby D. Toler, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Service, 7 p.m. Wednesday: Bible Study, 7 p.m.	Mormon Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints Gary Spooner, President 1330 Freer Rd., Chelsea (734) 475-1778 Sunday: Sacrament, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday school, 10:50 a.m.; Priest- hood and Relief Society, 11:45 a.m.	Quaker Michigan Friends Center 7748 Clark Lake Road, Chelsea Isabel Bliss (734) 475-9976 Sunday: Unprogrammed meeting at 10 a.m.; first Sunday of each month; all other Sundays, 5:00 p.m.
Catholic St. Mary Catholic Church 14200 Old US-12, Chelsea (734) 475-7561 Rev. Dr. William J. Turner, Pastor Sunday Masses: Saturday, 4:30 p.m. Sunday, 8 and 10 a.m. Weekday Mass: 9 a.m. Confessions: Saturday, 12-1 p.m.	Non-Denominational Baha'i Faith 705 S. Main St., Chelsea (734) 475-2718 Monday: Devotional meeting, 7 p.m.	United Church of Christ Bethel Evangelical 10425 Bethel Church Rd. (734) 428-8000 The Rev. Richard Hardy First Congregational-Chelsea 121 E. Middle St. (734) 475-1844 Rev. David Cleaver-Bartholomew Sunday: Informal worship, 8 a.m.; Church school, 9 a.m.; Traditional worship, 10 a.m.
Church of Christ Church of Christ 13861 E. Old US 12, Chelsea (734) 475-9458 Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.; Evening Worship, 6 p.m. Wednesday: Bible study, 7 p.m.	Immanuel Bible 145 E. Summit St., Chelsea (734) 475-8936 Ronald W. Clark, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 10:45; Evening small groups, 6 p.m. Wednesday: Prayer Service, 7 p.m.	St. John's (Roger's Corners) 12376 Waters Rd., Chelsea (517) 456-7661 Rev. Nancy M. Doty, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School and Worship, 9:30 a.m.
Church of the Nazarene Church of the Nazarene 805 W. Middle St., Chelsea (734) 475-2528 Jeff Crowder, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m. Wednesday: Small groups, 7 p.m. in homes.	Episcopal St. Barnabas 20500 Old US-12, Chelsea (734) 475-8818 Rev. Dr. Jerrold Beaumont Sunday: Christian Education, 10 a.m.; Services, 10 a.m. Wednesday: Services, 6:30 p.m.	St. John's 270 Bohne Rd., Grass Lake Kris Abbey, Pastor Sunday: Worship and Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Communion first Sunday each month.
Free Methodist Chelsea Free Methodist 7665 Werkner Rd. (734) 475-1391 Meeri Bradley, Senior Pastor Larry Lyons, Associate Pastor Mikel Henderson, Pastor of Youth Ministries Sunday: Traditional worship, 8:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 9:50 a.m.; Contemporary worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m. Wednesday: Mid-week services.	Mt. Hope Bible Church 12884 Trist Rd., Grass Lake (517) 522-8182 Joseph O'Neill, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship, 6 p.m. Wednesday: Prayer Fellowship, 7 p.m.	St. Paul 14600 Old US-12 (734) 475-2545 Rev. Dr. Lynn Spitz-Nagel, Pastor Sunday: Summer Hours Worship Service, 9:30 a.m.; Communion Service, every second Sunday, 8:15 a.m. Wednesday: Choir Rehearsals, 8:00 p.m.
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St. Jacob Evangelical 12501 Riethmiller, Grass Lake 617-522-4187 Rev. Paul Huebner, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School and Bible Class, 9 a.m.; Worship, 10:15 a.m.	Methodist Dexter United Methodist 7643 Huron River, Dexter (734) 426-8480 Rev. William Donahue, Sr. Pastor Rev. Fred Finzer, Associate Pastor Sunday: Worship, 8:30 and 11 a.m.	The Webster United Church of Christ 5484 Webster Church Rd., Dexter (734) 426-5115 LaVerne M. Gill, Pastor Sunday: Holy Communion, 8:30 a.m.; Church School, 9:15 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m.
Zion Lutheran 3050 S. Fletcher Rd., Chelsea (734) 475-8064 David Hendricks, Pastor Sunday: Informal Outside Wor- ship, 8 a.m.; Traditional Worship, 9:15 a.m.	Presbyterian Covenant Presbyterian 5171 Jackson Rd., Dexter (734) 761-1999 Rev. Mark Vanderput Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Refreshments 10:20 a.m.; Worship, 10:45	Church Secretaries: We need information about your next week's activities by Friday. Thank you.
Manchester United Methodist Church 501 Ann Arbor Road, Manchester (734) 428-8485 Rev. Dave Mulder	North Lake United 14111 North Territorial Rd. (734) 475-7569 Rev. Wayne Hawley, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Fellowship, 11:30 a.m. Tuesday: Bible Study, 7:15 p.m.; Choir, 8 p.m.	
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Politics and religion are incompatible by nature



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REAL ANSWERS

Is it possible the Christian Right has fallen prey to the lust for power?

That's what syndicated columnist Cal Thomas and pastor Ed Dobson claim in their new book, "Blinded by Might." In clamoring for political position and transformation through legislation, many so-called Christian groups have neglected the one thing that can truly change America: the good news of Jesus Christ.

In a book that is easy to read but difficult to accept, Thomas and Dobson assert that after 20 years and millions of donated dollars, groups like the Moral Majority and the Christian Coalition have failed to convert the culture through political power.

They prove that trickle down morality — change that occurs from the top down — does not and can not work to stem the tide of America's slide into depravity. Rather, it is bubble-up morality — change that begins with the individual at the heart level and spreads outward to family, friends, and co-workers — that is the only way to positive and lasting results.

The book has generated considerable controversy among Christian circles. And rightly so. For two decades millions of believers have bought into the idea (literally) of spiritual reformation through political activism. Now two of their chief spokesmen are calling for a change of course.

Leading Christians out of political obscurity and into the fray was Moral Majority's Jerry Falwell, for whom Thomas and Dobson both worked in the early eighties. Others followed, like CBN Television and Christian Coalition founder Pat Robertson. Now there is a new crop of big names

calling for Christians to get active. Focus on the Family's James Dobson, Family Research Council's Gary Bauer, and Coral Ridge Ministries' Dr. James Kennedy.

The authors believe that these respected leaders and others have, in effect, led sincere Christians astray and away from their true purpose. Using secular and sensational fund-raising methods, these men and the organizations they represent have urged boycotts, marches, petition drives and grass roots lobbying efforts, all of which have had some impact on culture in terms of reduced rates of divorce and abortion. But America continues her slide into moral oblivion.

Do Christians in America have a role in civil government? The authors say yes, but as faithful citizens of a democratic society and not as the church. Christians can and should vote, help elect people of integrity to office, and even run for office themselves if they believe they should. In fact, one positive result of the past twenty years is that Christians are more aware and more active in their governing bodies, reversing decades of non-involvement that created a void for corruption and immorality to fill.

But it is not the church's responsibility to tell the government what to do. Politics is

all about compromise. Yet Christianity cannot be compromised. Politics and Christianity therefore are by nature incompatible. The church's job is to present the teachings of Jesus Christ and to pray for all those in authority (1-Tim. 2:1-2). The government's job is to provide for the order and defense of society.

Another misconception is that God is for Republicans and against Democrats. God is neither a Republican nor a Democrat. He is God.

In the final section of the book is a group of interviews with both Christians and political leaders. Interestingly, two of the interviews are with liberal Democrats, former U.S. senator and 1972 presidential nominee George McGovern (D-South Dakota), and U.S. Rep. Tony Hall (D-Ohio). Both have often been the target of conservative Christians but openly confess faith in Christ in the interview.

For Christians who have been even somewhat caught up in these movements, "Blinded by Might" requires a major paradigm shift, one that Jesus himself may just be calling for. It was not political change that Jesus preached, but a "kingdom not of this world." It was not governments he came to save, but people. He knew that changed people will produce changed nations.

Can the Christian Right save America? Thomas and Dobson state the obvious: only God can save America. He'll do it from the inside out and the bottom up. One person at a time.

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DEATHS

BEULAH V. KLEIS

Age 81, died Saturday evening, July 10, 1999, at Chelsea Community Hospital following a short illness. She was born June 4, 1918, in Detroit, the daughter of Elray George and Florence (Schmidt) Schuman. Mrs. Kleis had been a resident of Chelsea since 1948 and was a member of the Chelsea Lioness Club and was formerly employed as a cook at the Chelsea Retirement Community.

Beulah was married in Dearborn on April 15, 1935, to Albert H. Kleis, and he preceded her in death in 1986. Surviving is one son, George of Redding Calif.; a daughter-in-law, Suzannah Kleis of Ann Arbor; two grandchildren, Nina and Alan Kleis; two sisters, Ruth Ferris of Indianapolis, Ind., and Dorothy Lapham of Carlton Center, Mich. She was preceded in death by two sons, Gerald W. and Keith A. Kleis.

A memorial funeral mass was held Wednesday, July 14, at 10:30 a.m. at St. Mary Catholic Church, with the Rev. Dr. William J. Turner and Deacon Richard Shaneyfelt officiating. Expressions of sympathy may be made to the Chelsea Lioness Club. Arrangements by the Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home, Chelsea.

MICHAEL DUANE WENDT

Age 15, died on June 26, 1999. He was born June 1, 1984, and had completed eighth grade at Taos Middle School and was to start ninth grade at Taos High School. He is survived by his mother and stepfather, Patricia and Kevin

Wengren of Taos and his father and stepmother, Duane and Deana Wendt of Lubbock, Texas. He is also survived by his sister, Danielle Wendt, of Taos; grandparents, Dick and Beverly Wright of El Paso Texas; Lawrence and Ellen Wengren of Dixon, Calif.; Betty June Jella of Amarillo, Texas; and great-grandparents, Laurel and Willis Burley of Minn., Laurita and Laurance Boyer of Chelsea, Mich., Celia Wengren of Florida, and Mildred Rehm of Amery, Wisconsin.

A memorial service was held on June 30, 1999, at Rivera Chapel. Burial was held July 1 at the Llano Cemetery in Amarillo. Memorial contributions may be made to Wild Life Hospital, P.O. Box 246, Espanola, N.M., 87532 or Taos Pueblo Glass Blowing program, c/o Taos Pueblo Governor's Office, P.O. Box 1846, Taos, N.M. 87571.

JACK A. TAYLOR

Age 78, died as the result of a motorcycle accident on July 10, 1999. Jack, son of the late Alonzo and Sarah (Williams) Taylor, was born on Jan. 3, 1920. He graduated from Trenary High School in 1938. While in high school, Jack competed and won a gold medal for debate, at the UP State Fair in 1937. Jack was a World War II veteran and served in the Pacific Theater in the Army Air Corp from 1941-1945.

Jack married Priscilla Paulsen, and she preceded him in death on Jan. 25, 1992. Together they raised their six children in Chelsea, where Jack worked for the Chrysler Proving Grounds. He retired in 1975 and returned to Trenary for

his retirement. While at the Proving Grounds, Jack was elected president of the UAW Local 1284 and served in that position from, for many years in the 1950s and 1960s. When he retired, he was general foreman of the Program Development Department 872.

During his retirement, Jack served on the Trenary School Board as president in the late '70s. On June 25, 1994, he married Allie May Martin, and she also preceded him in death. Jack was licensed to operate and navigate passenger carrying vessels and as a private pilot. He owned and operated the Wreck Trek in Munising, offering charters for scuba diving and fishing. Jack was past commander of the Auxiliary Coast Guard of Munising.

Also preceding Jack in death were his brother, George Taylor; sisters Jeanette Brant and Eleanor Storm; grandson Patrick Taylor; and son-in-law, Jack Wirth. Surviving Jack are his sister Grace Rice; six children, Patricia Wirth, of Trenary, Jacquilyn (David) Otis of Marquette, Alonzo (Donna) Taylor of Stockbridge, Robert (Jan) Taylor, Sarah (Tom) Steele, Rebecca (Dan) Allen, all of Chelsea; 15 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

Services for Jack were held at the Trenary United Methodist Church at 1 p.m. on Tuesday, July 13. Burial will take place at the family cemetery located at the Paulsen Family Tree Farm, in Trenary.

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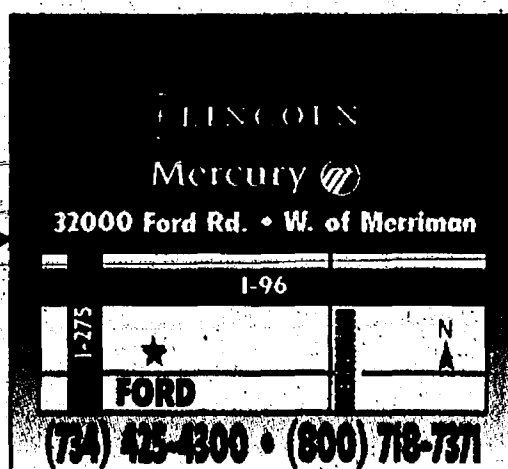


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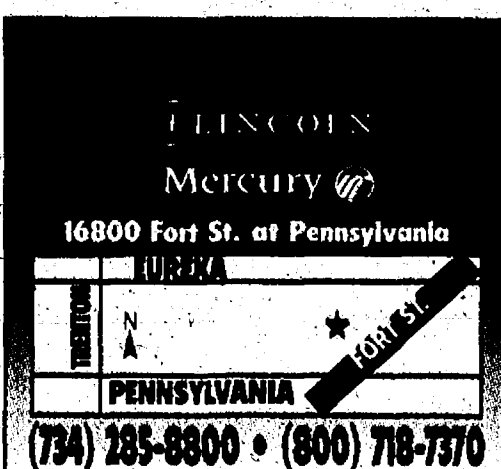
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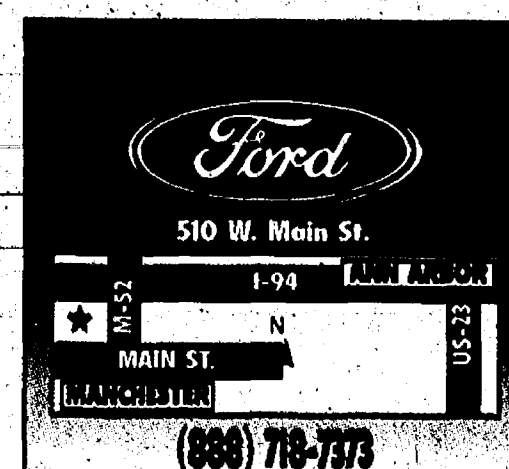
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