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Lasers will light festival

By Kevin Brown
staff writer

With just three weeks to go until the ice festival, organizers say plans are right on track.

"We have just finalized having a laser show two times each night, we're quite enthusiastic about that," said festival organizer Pam Kosteva.

The laser show is one of several melt-proof events scheduled this year, the festival's ninth, to better deal with the semiannual festival melt-down.

This year, the festival has been re-christened the "Plymouth International Ice Sculpture Spectacular."

"We've finished our arrangements for the Japanese and Soviets," Kosteva said. Four Japanese sculptors, including the winning team of the Winter World Championship in Asahikawa, Japan and the ice-carving singles champ of Sapporo, Japan, are scheduled to carve in Plymouth.

Three Soviet carvers are also scheduled to attend. Kosteva said three professional U.S. carvers who participate in Plymouth will be invited to the Moscow International Ice Festival on Feb. 4-11.

"It's quite an honor, and quite a compliment to the Plymouth community," Kosteva said.

"There's a lot of enthusiasm among the carvers because of the opportunity of working with the Japanese and Soviets," she said.

Meanwhile, Kosteva reported that two of the 11 men participating in the Old Man Winter Look-Alike (beard growing) Contest "have fallen by the wayside and surrendered to the perils of the razor."

Also scheduled for this year's festival, Jan. 16-21, is a hockey game between a group of Detroit Red Wings old timers and a Plymouth team at the cultural center.

Some new ideas for the ice-carving portion of the festival include a contest in which local TV and radio personalities will try their hand at ice carving, with likely humorous results.

Also this year, a free trip to the Caribbean will be raffled.

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Father, six kids die in blaze

By Diane Gale
staff writer

A Canton man died along with his six children on Saturday when he tried to rescue them from a fire that engulfed their Proctor Road home.

The blaze, called the worst in Canton's history, was sparked when the family's Christmas tree fell, according to authorities.

Dead were Martin Dellorco, 38, Bonnie, 12, Sara, 9, Katie, 8, Megan, 5, Michael, 5 and Robert, 4. Six year old Adam was rescued and Dellorco's wife Debbie, 36, escaped.

The couple's teenage children, Jimmy, 16 and Kelly, 14, were not home at the time of the fire in the ranch-style home in a well kept subdivision near Cherry Hill and Sheldon.

Debbie Dellorco called E-911 in a frantic state yelling and crying: "My babies are burning." Public Safety Director John Santomauro played a tape recording of her call for the media.

Debbie Dellorco words were barely audible. She said: "Hello, EMS I need the fire department. Please help me. Babies burning."

The dispatcher thought she said her babies weren't breathing. A squad car was sent to the scene and two minutes later fire equipment arrived. Firefighters tried to enter the house, but were driven back. The fire was under control by midnight.

Neighbors said they saw Debbie Dellorco using some type of tool to break windows in a desperate attempt to rescue her children.

The fire was "extremely fast and intense," said Canton Fire Marshal Art Winkel. "Imagine putting a burning Christmas tree in your living room."

There was no indication of foul play, he said.

NEIGHBORS DESCRIBED the family as close knit and loving.

"The mother was so good with all the kids," said Natalie Fisher, 14, a neighbor.

"She always had time for each one of them," Fisher said.

Sue Grasela, 13, who lives near the Dellorco's said she tried to console Adam after he was rescued.

"He said a spark from the fire place flew out and hit the Christmas tree," Grasela said.

"The kids were really loving and caring," she said.

The family's dog also died in the fire. The Dellorco's next door neighbor, Pat Sullivan, said she heard an explosion or a crash.



BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

Neighbors watch as the house is boarded up.

"We went outside and the mother was saying I want my babies out," Sullivan said.

Sullivan's daughter, Sheryl Sullivan, went to Debbie Dellorco's aid and tried to break away pieces of broken window.

"The mother was screaming and running around and the neighbors were trying to push out the windows," Sheryl Sullivan said. "The smoke was so thick you couldn't even see. The father went inside and of course never came out."

"They were really nice people," she said.

HER SISTER Debbie said she was amazed that the house burned so quickly.

"I've never seen anything burn so fast," she said. "We heard the crash and smoke was everywhere."

The family was always together, Debbie Sullivan said. She remembers seeing them recently in the backyard — the mother was pushing one of the children on the swing, the father was there and the other children were playing.

Canton police chaplains met with family members.

"The mother was extremely frustrated because of her inability to get back into the house," said Rev. Tom Keilman. "Every attention was for the family and for those she didn't see leave."

The chaplains also fielded the steady stream of calls from people wanting to aid the family.

"We've had the phones ringing off the hook from people trying to make donations," Keilman said. "It's a real tragedy. The emotions are increased this time of year when everyone is focused on gifts, family and giving. This really hits home."

Rev. Wayne Byrum said: "It's tragic to see something like this, but it's refreshing to see the outpouring from the community who is reaching out to people they don't even know."

Checks should be made out to the Canton Township-Dellorco Fund. Cash and checks should be dropped off at the Canton public safety department on Canton Center south of Proctor.



BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

Amoco work

Workmen were busy this week laying pipe at the site of the former Amoco gas station at Main and Ann Arbor Trail as part of a clean-up plan. Gas and fuel oil have been seeping into the ground since the 1920s. The site will be landscaped after the pipe is installed.

A Christmas tale from the city's past

If the holiday rush and spending frenzy has sapped your Christmas spirit, consider this story of a Plymouth Christmas past.

The Plymouth Historical Museum in the early 1950s collected long-time resident Charles Bennett's remembrance of one special Christmas, around 1880. Bennett lived in a house just west of the Masonic Temple on Penniman downtown.

His story:

"IT WAS on Christmas Day and the sun had not yet arisen when my father came to my upstairs bedroom and awakened me by a gentle shake and a whisper in my ear asking if I would like to see Santa Claus . . . at that moment downstairs in our living room quite busy filling the several stockings that had been hung on the edge of the old fireplace only a few hours earlier.

"I was too excited to utter a word. I only jumped from my bed and, clutching my daddy by the hand, made a rush for the stairway and my first glimpse of that wonderful little fat man who lived at the North Pole . . . You can imagine my excitement as I descended that narrow stairway.

"I WAS shaking like a jellyfish when I finally reached the very tiny crack of the door through which daddy allowed me to peek.

"My father must have aroused me a bit too late, for old Santa had already filled all the stockings on the floor. As I gazed and shivered at that crack he reached into that bulging toy sack of his and drew forth the most beautiful sled I had ever beheld and placed it under my stocking.

"This last act of Santa Claus broke the magic spell. Later, it was found that it had also broken Santa's left arm.

"AS SANTA placed that sled beneath my stocking I let out a yell of joy that, my dad said later, would have brought the fire engine to our house had Plymouth had one.

"Did Santa Claus move when he heard that yell? He did, and fast.

"He grabbed that sack of his so fast that he overturned a fire shovel at the end of the fireplace. That long-handled shovel caught between his legs as he made a wild lunge for the kitchen door and in the moment I shall never forget, down he went.

"(But) no thud as I expected because of the pillows with which he was stuffed, though I did not know this when he went down.

"In falling, his head struck the frame of the kitchen door and he failed to arise, as his head struck

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To all this
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'Freezer' wife killer appeals conviction

By Diane Gale
staff writer

Leonard Tyburski is appealing his second-degree murder conviction in the worldwide publicized death of his wife whose corpse was stored 3 1/2 years in the Canton family's freezer.

The nine-count appeal filed last month charged that it was inappropriate to allow jurors to see the freezer where Dorothy Tyburski's body was hidden.

The dark murder secret started to unravel when the couple's 20-year-old daughter, Kelly, questioned her father's story that her mother had taken the freezer key with her when she abruptly walked out on the family.

Nightmares about the freezer prompted her to open it Jan. 2, 1989. Her mother's body was found inside.

Immediately the infamous freezer became the focal point of the bizarre murder case that attracted attention around the world.

LEONARD TYBURSKI testified in June 1989 that he beat his wife's head against a basement beam and put her body into the freezer in September 1985 after an argument about an affair she had with their daughter's 18-year-old boyfriend.

Allowing jurors to see the freezer was highly prejudicial, the appeal said.

Wrapped meat is still stored in the bloody freezer. The freezer is

plugged in at the Canton police property room where it will remain until "all appeals have been exhausted," said Pat Nemecek, Canton police information officer.

"Inside the freezer is basically a crime scene," Nemecek said.

Tyburski's appeal also charged that Recorder's Court Judge Richard Hathaway was wrong to question jurors as a group, instead of individually, about whether they were biased in the case.

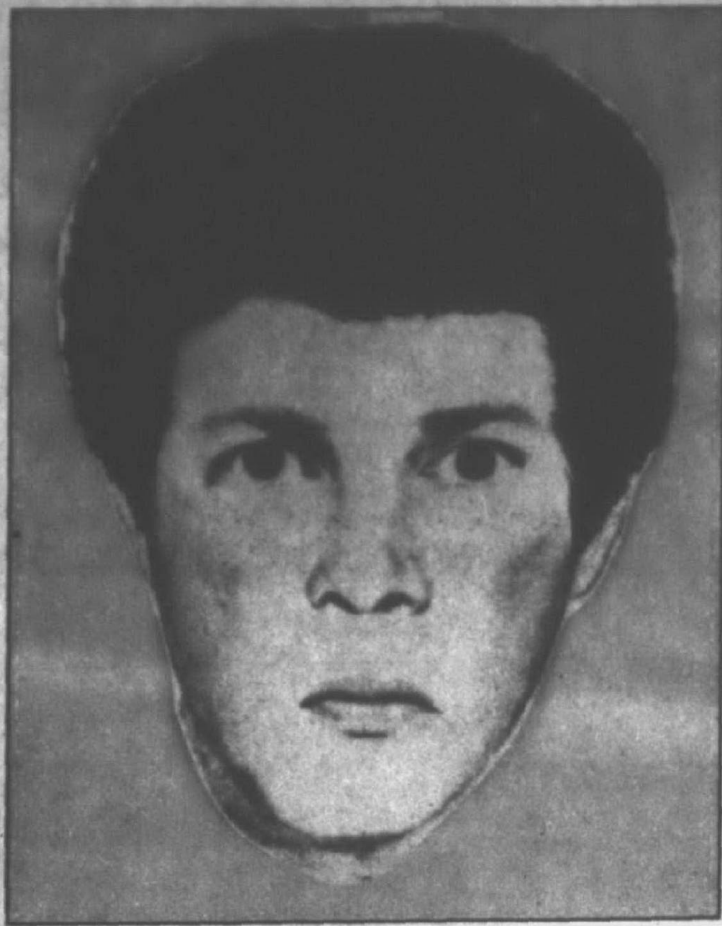
The appeal also said there was evidence that Tyburski was provoked into beating his wife, that testimony from a crime scene technician who said Dorothy Tyburski's body was pushed into the freezer was inappropriate and that the prosecuting

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attorney's courtroom tactics were off base.

TYBURSKI'S TRIAL attorney, Carole Stanyar, argued that Tyburski, 46, acted in self-defense, because

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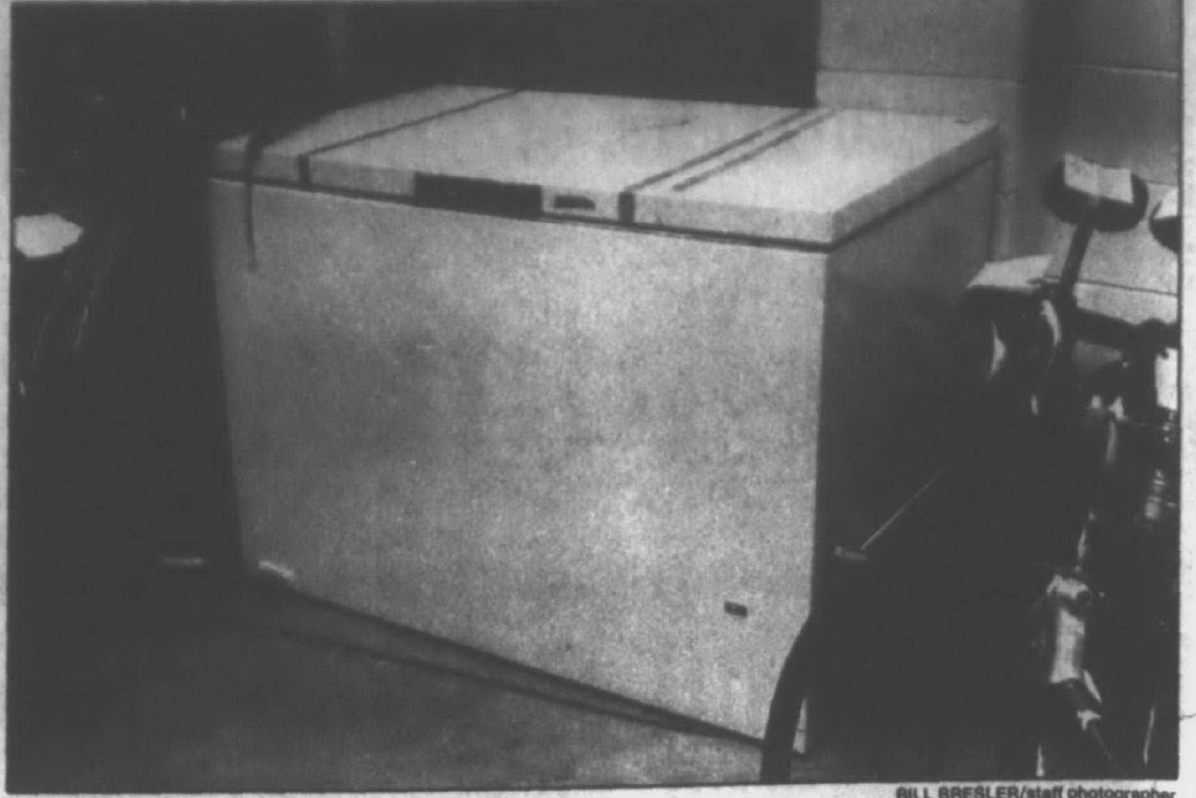


Man sought

Plymouth Township police released this drawing of a man believed responsible for seven house break-ins since early November, in an area bordered by Joy, Lilley, Hines Drive and Eckles. The man is described as around 21 and about 6 feet. Police urge residents to keep doors and windows locked, even when home, as some houses were occupied during the break-ins. Residents are also urged to keep outside lights on after dark, keep garages closed, and to call 9-1-1 "if you see anything or anyone suspicious in your neighborhood," said Sgt. Robert Antal. Also, residents should let neighbors know when they're away from home, and to let police know when they go on vacation. Should you suspect someone has broken into your home, go to a safe room with a phone or to a neighbor's and call 9-1-1, police said.

Wife killer appeals

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his wife, 37, at the time of her death, had attacked him with a knife.
Stanyar said Tyburski became enraged and rammed his wife's head 11 times against a basement beam out of passion when she taunted and emasculated him with names like "wimp" and "punk" and made claims that she had an affair with their daughter's 18-year-old boyfriend.
Tyburski was dean to students at Mackenzie High School when his wife's body was found.
He is in Southern Michigan State Prison at Jackson serving a 20-40 year sentence, which began July 1989. With good behavior Tyburski would be eligible for parole in 16.8 years.
Tyburski's appeal attorney, F. Randall Karfonta, has failed to return repeated Observer calls.



This chest freezer, stored in a Canton family's basement, was the grave where Dorothy Tyburski lay dead for more than three years. It is stored in the Canton police department property room.

Free baseball clinics set

It's never too early to think about spring and baseball.
To help youngsters polish their skills, the Westland Federation Baseball Club will sponsor a series of free clinics for players between 10 and 14.
The clinics are scheduled for 7-10

p.m. Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 29-30, at Bailey Recreation Center, on Ford between Wayne Road and Newburgh, and 3-6 p.m. Friday and Saturday, Jan. 11-12, at Marshall Junior High School, on Bayview, just south of Cherry Hill and east of Wayne Road.
A club spokesman said players

may attend any or all four days of the clinics. Players are asked to bring gloves and gym shoes. Registration will be held 15 minutes before each session.

Interested people may contact Al Fernandez at 287-4055 or Joe Vondracek at 522-4962.

Lasers will light ice festival

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Festival organizers agreed to scale down the festival this year, so that it runs on just one weekend.
The festival, which attracts

400,000 people annually to downtown Plymouth, will feature more than 200 carved ice sculptures.
Three competitions will be featured: one for professional individual carvers, one for individual student

carvers and one for a national team title.
The \$192,000 needed to put on the festival is raised by the Plymouth International Ice Sculpture Spectacular board.

A Christmas tale from Plymouth's past

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with such force as to render him unconscious for three or four minutes.
"MY FATHER was the first to reach Santa, though my dear mother who had been roused by the noise was a close second...
"Yours truly was by long odds the most surprised and frightened

of the group, for as I stood there with tears in my eyes — because Santa Claus had been injured — what were my frightened eyes seeing but my own daddy pulling the white whiskers right off of dear old Santa's face while mom was pulling all the hair off his head.
"Then came buttons off his red coat and pillows fell to the floor. I

can tell you that a small boy who saw this sacrilege stood flabbergasted.
"Then I drew closer and took a long look, and there lay my uncle John Bennett with a small gash over his right eye and a broken left arm. Uncle John, who owned and made horseshoes in the blacksmith shop next door."

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Take stock of late gift ideas

By Janice Brunson
staff writer

The hour is late. Christmas Eve is here and you are without gift!

A frightening scenario, yet one that is apt to visit even the most efficient among us this holiday season, those of us who are caught short on gift giving.

We have yet to purchase a remembrance for our significant other or the necessary token item due dear old Aunt Matilda.

What to do? Where to go? One enterprising young man offers a creative solution for the intimate memento meant for wife or lover.

"I'd try to skate by with something homemade. You know, something that's real goey, like a poem. I'd emphasize it's the thought that counts, not the cost.

"I'd also include a coupon for one day of doing something, like the dishes or something comparable."

An equally enterprising female provides spontaneous ideas for the less personal gift, the necessary obligation.

"I'd go through my closet, not for clothes but for... you know, anything not used.

"Or I'd bake something. Or I'd check to see if I had any unopened bottles of wine."

FOR THE less enterprising, here are some additional last-minute gift ideas.

It's Christmas Eve but not yet 6 p.m. Try Westland Center, the area's largest mall with three department stores, some 90 shops and a half dozen eateries. While most establishments in the center close at 5 p.m., Kohls remains open this evening until 6 p.m.

Center spokeswoman Debbie Milhouse suggests a simple alternative to the hassle of shopping.

"A Westland Center gift certificate. We have an information booth in the courtyard where you can buy it. It's good for all the stores and restaurants in the center."

Other unusual last-minute possibilities:

- Grow your own frog or raise a butterfly. Purchase a polliwog or caterpillar from Science & Things in Livonia's Wonderland Mall, or consider a chemistry set, telescope or microscope suitable for any age.
- For the sportsman, Welchman

Lynn Clark, owner of Metro Tri-County Soccer Supply in Garden City, sells soccer paraphernalia with an English touch, scarves, sweat shirts, badges and the like.

• Try yummy Word-of-Mouth chili, a tangy homemade version prepared by butcher Jack Trabue who owns Porterhouse Meats in Plymouth. Jack also makes unusual peppery sausages.

• How about a gadget called Final Word that blasts out rude comments, or a smaller version in a key chain called Blaming Sound? Both sold at Gags & Games in Livonia.

Most shops, however, close early on Christmas Eve, normally by 6 p.m. It's later, much later, that, short a gift, genuine anxiety sets in. Time for scouting out 24-hour shopping possibilities.

THANK HEAVENS for Meijer's, "open 24 hours a day, 364 days a year," said spokeswoman Linda Steillman of the Canton Meijer's.

What! 364 days a year? Unfortunately for the befuddled gift-giver, Meijer's closes 7 p.m. Christmas Eve and does not again open for business until 6 a.m. the day after Christmas.

"It's the only day of the year we close," Steillman said.

Other 24-hour possibilities: 7 Eleven or area drug stores.

But wait! Christmas, according to Canton 7 Eleven owner Robert Crocker, "is one exception to our 24-hour rule. We close 10 p.m. Dec. 24 and don't open again until 6 a.m. Dec. 26."

Before 10 p.m. this evening, you can purchase small toys like water guns, magazines or paperback books for use as gifts. Crocker also recommends a strange possibility — batteries. Perhaps best of all, wrapping paper and bows are available.

Crocker, however, accurately summarizes holiday shopping at 7 Eleven. "We really don't have a big gift assortment."

Let's move on to the drug store scene — Arbor, Sav-Mor and Perry — an array of locations offering an array of gift choices, including cologne and cosmetics, toys, small appliances, dishes, computers, jewelry and trinkets.

But Arbor and Sav-Mor offer little solace for shopping tonight. Arbor stores close at 7 p.m., Sav-Mor at 8 p.m. Christmas Day, however,



JIM JAGOFELD/staff photographer

Dec. 24 is the night of the last-minute Santa and Gerald Bowling of Perry Drugs has stocked his shelves in anticipation. Drug stores are among the favored haunts of those seeking just one more (or just one last) gift. Our advice? Candy may be dandy, liquor could be quicker, but perfumed soap may be your last best hope.

both chains open at 10 a.m. and close mid-afternoon.

"Ice tea makers. Our hot seller this season," said manager Calvin Goodwin of the Arbor store in Redford Township. Also hot holiday items are popcorn poppers, watches, hair dryers, cassette tapes and holiday candy.

THE SINGLE HOLIDAY EXCEPTION, the chain slated to be open 24 hours today and tomorrow, Dec. 24 and 25, is Perry Drugs. Based on previous experience, Perry's six locations in Livonia will be packed with shoppers intent on last minute purchases, according to Jerry Bowling, manager of store 26 on Six Mile Road.

"If Christmas never comes again, it's too soon," Bowling said of what he laughingly describes as the "hell" of business during the

holidays. "We're so busy."

Traditionally, holiday business is brisk until about 8 p.m. this evening, "people needing one last item for Aunt Sally or Uncle Bill." Then business drops off significantly until late tomorrow morning on Christmas day.

"You get people in for the half-off items, ornaments and candy. Or people who need milk, bread or chips for the party. And there are those who need medication. Our pharmacy is open. Everything is open."

Business for film and flash bulbs are also brisk on Christmas day. "You'd be surprised how much of that stuff we sell."

Finally, holiday 1990 becomes the past. Briefly, shopping returns to normal, until the flurry of exchanges and returns begin some 48 hours from now.

UAW coordinator to fill county seat

By Wayne Peal
staff writer

Canton resident Shirley Poling is the new 11th district Wayne County Commissioner, filling the balance of Milton Mack's term.

But a number of Democratic and Republican challengers are lining up for the seat in time for next year's election. A February primary is expected, with the final election race tentatively set six weeks after that.

MACK, NOW A COUNTY probate judge, resigned from the seat this month. Poling will fill the balance of his current term, ending this year. Next year's election would cover the two-year term Mack won in November.

Despite the relatively brief term, Poling said she'd work hard to become a full time commissioner for the district, which includes Canton, Romulus and other southwestern Wayne communities.

"We are a unique district," Poling said. "Over the next 12 days I'll be striving to read all kinds of documents to bring myself up to speed."

Poling is an employee of General Motors Hydra-matic, Ypsilanti, and a regional UAW coordinator.

Among other area commissioners, both Kay Beard, D-Inkster, and Kevin Kelley, D-Redford, voted in favor of Poling. Susan Heintz, R-Northville

Township, abstained from voting on the appointment.

Heintz had considered nominating GOP candidate Victor Gustafson, but was barred from doing so under a county charter provision that mandated Mack be replaced by someone from his own party.

At least two other Democrats remain interested in the seat.

Assistant county executive Bryan Amann withdrew his name from consideration for the commission appointment, but said he would run for the seat next year.

"The commission has made its choice, but the people will make theirs," said Amann.

Robert Beeny, a Wayne city councilman, also said he would run for the seat.

"I kind of knew the appointment would go to someone else, but I'm interested in running," Beeny said.

On the Republican side, Canton planning commissioner Gustafson said he was definitely running again.

"I'm looking forward to running," said Gustafson, who narrowly lost to Mack last fall.

At the same time, former Canton supervisor James Poole said he was considering whether to throw his trademark cowboy hat in the ring.

"I'm thinking about it," Poole said. "My blood pressure's down, so are my golf scores, but I do have 12 years in government work."

Plymouth woman wins grant

Two students at Schoolcraft College have received scholarships from ARC/Business Ventures Corp. in Livonia.

Association for Retarded Citizens/Business Ventures Corp. is a job training and placement program for adults with developmental disabilities. The firm is a non-profit company funded by contract with the State of Michigan.

THE PURPOSE of the program is to place disabled people into community-based jobs, a practice known as Supported Employment. Established in 1986, ARC/BVC serves the western Wayne suburbs.

The scholarship awards of \$250 each was presented on Dec. 20 to Deborah Sullivan of Canton and to Katherine Kavanagh of Plymouth.

The scholarships were started to promote the special education field. Schoolcraft College was chosen be-

cause of its outstanding special education/child care program, said Charles J. Snyder, executive director of ARC/Business Ventures.

Snyder said significant help at Schoolcraft has been provided by Sandra Florek, director of institutional advancement, and Dottie Witten, special education teacher and program director.

SUPPORTED EMPLOYMENT provides thorough on-the-job training, job coaching and long-term follow-up services.

The job coach comes into the business to train the disabled employee. The job coach does the initial training and then gradually withdraws as the employee is able to perform the job independently.

Employers hiring the disabled find that their job attendance is better, employee turnover is lower, tax credits are available, and cash reimbursements paid, said Snyder.

East meets West

Superintendent visits Asian schools

By A. Giralt Bedford
staff writer

John Hoben, Plymouth-Canton school superintendent, recently met with a group of alert, inquisitive and polite students who did not even complain about sharing a classroom with some other 60 students.

Parents, rest easy. The Plymouth-Canton schools are not that overcrowded. Hoben talked to some students on the other side of the Pacific Ocean.

He just came back from a two-week trip to Asia where he had a chance to take a look at those countries' educational systems.

IN CHINA, Hoben visited an exclusive boarding school and was impressed with the size of the classrooms: 60 students.

He said classes go from 7.30 a.m. to 11.30 a.m., stop for a two-hour break and continue from 1.30 to 5 p.m. Teachers are requested to come back from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. for enrichment and corrections.

He visited with seventh grade students and teachers, learning that part of their curriculum consists of geometry and physics. "A lot of courses we look at as being high school courses," he said.

Hoben was also impressed by the quality of the students' English and their good manners.

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sionary school, which he said reminded him of our schools with some 25 students per classroom and with a similar curriculum.

Hong Kong's area is 46 square miles, 10 miles less than Plymouth-Canton school district. The big difference is that 6.5 million people live there, he said.

In 1997, Hong Kong will go under Chinese rule. The tiny colony is expected to keep its capitalist system for at least 50 years, said Hoben, adding that some residents were concerned but at the same time hopeful that the new government will work out.

He said the contrast between China and Hong Kong is drastic. In China, most of the people are farmers who work in the rice fields without mechanical equipment. On the other hand, in Hong Kong, "There are more BMWs, Rolls Royces and Mercedes per capita than in any place in the world," he said.

Going into China, he said he felt as

if a curtain were being pulled behind him, isolating him from the rest of the world. He said farmers in China are totally unaware of what goes on outside their country.

"It took all day to go 100 miles," he said. The reason was delays by red tape.

FOR HOBEN, this trip was a type of homecoming since he lived in China for a year after World War II. At that time he was in the Marine Corps. He said the country has improved in the last 40 years, but added, "Compared to us, they still have a long way to go."

Chances are these experiences with foreign education systems will not be his last ones. Hoben has been nominated as one of 40 Michigan educators to visit Eastern Europe and its ministers of education during a "People to People International" trip, sponsored by the State Department. In a month, he'll know for sure if he is to be a member of the delegation, he said.

Officials scheduled to vote on hiring of cable TV consultant

By A. Giralt Bedford
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Larry Monroe of Municon will probably be hired as a consultant to negotiate the renewal of franchises for cable television. He was recommended by the Canton Cable Committee.

The committee made the recommendation at a meeting last week. Trustees are expected to vote on it during the Jan. 8 meeting and most of them said they will vote in favor.

Canton Township Supervisor Tom Yack said he was impressed with the

work done by the cable committee and by the consultant its members chose.

Yack said unless something unexpected comes up, he will vote in favor of hiring Monroe. "Based on what I heard, I suspect they (the board of trustees) will probably go on the recommendation to hire a consultant, and probably that particular consultant," he said.

MONROE, MUNICON'S CEO, said he's proud of his company's track record. "We've never been challenged by a cable company. Nei-

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The agreement with Omnicom Cable expires Feb. 14, 1995. Monroe said the renewal process should take no longer than six months, but he could not guarantee it.

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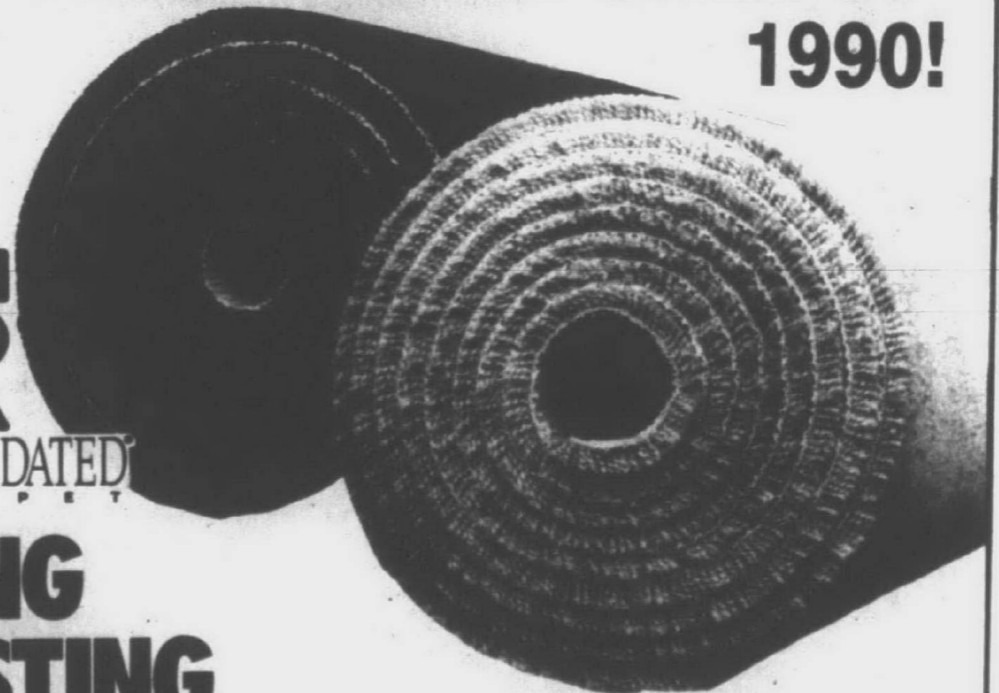
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State board to promote cross-district school choice plan

By Tim Richard
staff writer

The State Board of Education will promote "schools of choice" between public school districts as well as within them.

The eight-member board said it will ask the Michigan Legislature to provide incentive funds for pilot programs. The board itself vowed last week to give technical assistance to districts wishing to develop choice programs.

Last Wednesday's vote was unanimous although lame-duck Democrat Rollie Hoppood of Taylor clearly

had reservations. "The Legislature should make equity happen before it makes choice happen," said Hoppood.

Noting that some of the state's 569 school districts spend as little as \$2,500 per pupil while others spend \$8,000-plus, Hoppood fears students will abandon poor districts and flock to rich ones.

"I don't see them (legislators) making any strides on equity," said Barbara Roberts Mason, a Lansing Democrat. "At the same time, I see students who could benefit from choice."

UNDER "SCHOOLS of choice,"

parents may choose to enroll their children in any school.

The idea is favored by businesspeople, in particular, as a method of breaking the monopoly of the neighborhood public school and forcing schools to compete in the marketplace for students.

In Michigan, the idea is promoted by Metropolitan Affairs Corp. (MAC), a research and education think tank which shares staff with the Southeast Michigan Council of Governments.

"We are happy to hear that step being taken," said John Amberger, executive director of SEMCOG and

president of MAC. "We've not advocated inter-district or inter-county or any particular plan. But it's absolutely moving in the right direction."

The state House of Representatives in February rejected, 61-36, a voluntary intra-district schools of choice plan. Politically, at this point, the prospect of an inter-district choice bill appear even dimmer. And with state revenues falling, the prospects of finding money for pilot programs is dimmer yet.

HOPGOOD, AN American Federation of Teachers staff member, lost an amendment that would put funding equity ahead of schools of choice.

"Rollie, you are the father of this goal. I applaud your passion," said Barbara Dumouchelle, a Republican from Grosse Ile. "But this (choice) may be the opportunity for students to seek the equity that politics have denied them. They would be voting with their feet," she said.

Hoppood had another fear: "Are schools of choice going to be ways to recruit good football teams?"

"They could," said Donald L. Bemis, superintendent of public instruction.

The board's resolution said state-funded pilot programs are needed to work out problems of program plan-

ning, the role of parents, pupil transportation, minority balance, counseling, building decision-making, and co-curricular activities, including athletics.

Other goals set by the State Board are:

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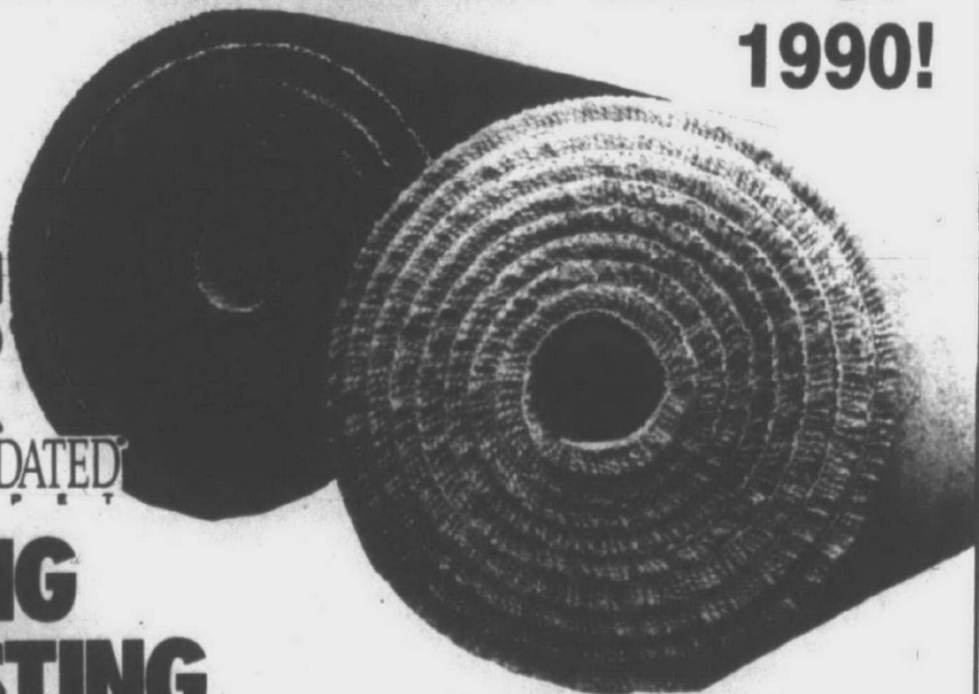
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State board to promote cross-district school choice plan

By Tim Richard
staff writer

The State Board of Education will promote "schools of choice" between public school districts as well as within them.

The eight-member board said it will ask the Michigan Legislature to provide incentive funds for pilot programs. The board itself vowed last week to give technical assistance to districts wishing to develop choice programs.

Last Wednesday's vote was unanimous although lame-duck Democrat Rollie Hoppood of Taylor clearly

had reservations. "The Legislature should make equity happen before it makes choice happen," said Hoppood.

Noting that some of the state's 560 school districts spend as little as \$2,500 per pupil while others spend \$8,000-plus, Hoppood fears students will abandon poor districts and flock to rich ones.

"I don't see them (legislators) making any strides on equity," said Barbara Roberts Mason, a Lansing Democrat. "At the same time, I see students who could benefit from choice."

UNDER "SCHOOLS of choice,"

parents may choose to enroll their children in any school.

The idea is favored by businesspeople, in particular, as a method of breaking the monopoly of the neighborhood public school and forcing schools to compete in the marketplace for students.

In Michigan, the idea is promoted by Metropolitan Affairs Corp. (MAC), a research and education think tank which shares staff with the Southeast Michigan Council of Governments.

"We are happy to hear that step being taken," said John Amberger, executive director of SEMCOG and

president of MAC. "We've not advocated inter-district or inter-county or any particular plan. But it's absolutely moving in the right direction."

The state House of Representatives in February rejected, 61-36, a voluntary intra-district schools of choice plan. Politically, at this point, the prospect of an inter-district choice bill appear even dimmer. And with state revenues falling, the prospects of finding money for pilot programs is dimmer yet.

HOPGOOD, AN American Federation of Teachers staff member, lost an amendment that would put funding equity ahead of schools of choice.

"Rollie, you are the father of this goal. I applaud your passion," said Barbara Demouchelle, a Republican from Grosse Ile. "But this (choice) may be the opportunity for students to seek the equity that politics have denied them. They would be voting with their feet," she said.

Hoppood had another fear: "Are schools of choice going to be ways to recruit good football teams?"

"They could," said Donald L. Bemis, superintendent of public instruction.

The board's resolution said state-funded pilot programs are needed to work out problems of program plan-

ning, the role of parents, pupil transportation, minority balance, counseling, building decision-making, and co-curricular activities, including athletics.

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parsley.

Anooshabour — Armenian Christmas pudding of whole grain wheat, bleached raisins, dried apricots and rosewater — is a special addition, prepared only for events such as Christmas.

HIGHLIGHT OF the holidays for Margareta and Ata Berker of Birmingham, is tonight, Christmas Eve.

This is the moment of greatest celebration in Sweden, according to Margareta, who is Swedish by birth. Based on tradition, Swedes do not work on Christmas Eve, and this is the evening of the traditional feast, the smorgasbord.

"The smorgasbord is very well known in the United States," Margareta said, adding she always features Herring Salad because its red color is particularly suited to a Christmas buffet.

Smorgasbord also offers ham, jellied pig's feet, rice porridge, and lut-fisk that has been dried and boiled.

The traditional Christmas Eve feast includes a practice called "dipping in the kettle," Margareta said. Each guest dips his or her bread in a communal dish of broth from the ham. Originally observed only by the poor, dipping is now considered traditional by all.

Following the meal, Tomte or the Christmas gnome, better known in the West as Santa Claus, makes an appearance.

"**THEY COOK LIKE** they're going to feed an army," observed Jim Plakas, of Christmas holiday meals in traditional Greek style. Plakas, Garden City's mayor, is describing wife Betty's preparations for the couple's holiday meal.

"We all go to Mass. We're scattered around so we go to various churches. Then all of our people gather for Christmas Eve dinner about 9 p.m." This year, the meal will be hosted at the Plakas residence, with some 15 relatives in attendance, including an assortment of nieces and nephews.

"It's more than just family. Everyone real close is invited to break bread. It's more than just a drink. It's to break bread. It's so important to us. It's a must to be here, good friends and family," Plakas said.

The meal tonight consists of the Greek specialty, lemon egg soup, and Greek-style spaghetti, which is less spicy than the more familiar Italian variety.

Tomorrow, Christmas Day, is reserved for the traditional American feast of turkey, dressing and cranberries. It is on this day that individual customs and ethnic traditions give way to a united Christmas celebration that, practiced in the United States, is uniquely American.

See recipes, Page 2B.



GUY WARREN/staff photographer

In a celebration of holiday festivity laced with cultural heritage, Mona Farhat of Livonia proudly displays tonight's feast. To prepare the food, Farhat draws upon Palestinian traditions carried to the United States years before by her parents. A Christian, she and her family al-

ways celebrate Christmas Eve with a meal of Sweet Knaffi (held by Farhat) and (clockwise from left) lamb and rice stuffing, meat pies, stuffed leg of lamb and hummus or chickpea dip.

Mushroom dishes delicious at Morels



With a name like Morels, a Michigan Bistro, it's not surprising that this new restaurant in Birmingham Farms is banking heavily on a good spring crop of the elusive, finicky morel mushroom. Morel mushrooms are noted not just for their wonderful, unique flavor — but also for their mysterious growth pattern which, so far, has defied all attempts at being grown in other than their natural woody environment.

Spring '87 was the last really good year for our mushroom hunting, and Spring '90 was probably the worst. But proprietor Matthew Prentice has managed to stockpile enough of the delicacy to keep four entrees with morels on his menu — and Chef Tim Cikra doesn't seem stingy in their use.

The mushroom salad, for instance, features a combination of morels, oyster mushrooms and shiitake mushrooms sauteed and served over a variety of greens and topped with a delicious warm walnut vinaigrette. This salad alone is worth a visit. As with all the salads, it can be ordered to accompany an entree (\$4.95) or as an entree (\$8.95).

Morels also flavor a fettuccini primavera, a turkey entree and a strudel appetizer, among other things. Personally, we prefer the salad where the morel taste is more prominent than the primavera where the taste is overpowered, but no entree with morels is a loss.

PRENTICE AND his staff incorporate many Michigan products into their entrees — that is the other half of their theme, after all. Often that means fresh fish, such as lake perch, salmon and rainbow trout. And cherries, such as the sundried cherries incorporated into their deliciously sweet scones prepared by pastry chef Andy McGrath. Or apples incorporated into salads, entrees and the popular dessert of apple pie with apple caramel ice cream.

Everything we tried was delicious, and all meals are reasonably priced at \$9.95 to \$12.95 for dinners, excluding salads which are a la carte. The lake perch was fresh, lightly breaded, cooked perfectly and flavored with a tasty walnut, apple-cider cream sauce. This was a special, but even ordinary entrees on the main menu have interesting treatments, such as the grilled turkey marinated in applejack and herbs or the grilled chicken served with black beans and plum chutney.

Salads, breads and appetizers are

all unique and worthy of special note. The lamb sausage with polenta in a cream sauce with herbs is wonderful — and far different from most appetizers you encounter. Equally different are the "fancy mashed potatoes" flavored with a whitefish caviar.

Among the delicious salads is a grilled duck salad with apples, walnuts and Dijon mustard dressing. There is also a warm potato salad with goat cheese. Because the bread basket is spectacular, you could easily make a pleasant meal of salad and bread. We especially enjoyed the herbed brioche and the potato bread. Then again, the cherry scones were great too.

Though located in an office building, the restaurant has one of the classier, more comfortable dining rooms around. Diners overlook a lovely atrium where many of the herbs used by the restaurant are grown. Beautiful blond wood tables are sparsely placed, allowing for a little privacy and proving that "bistro" doesn't have to be synonymous with noise and too much "closeness."

Details: Morels, a Michigan Bistro, 30100 Telegraph, Birmingham, 642-1094.

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Value: A very good deal, prices are good for the meals offered.

Rating: ★★★★★

RATING GUIDE

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After attending services tonight at "our beautiful church" (St. John's Armenian Church in Southfield), the family will feast on traditional fare of lamb, eggplant and wheat, laboriously transformed into keufte or pilav spiced with zingy cayenne pepper, cumin, allspice and flat leaf

parsley. Anoushabour — Armenian Christmas pudding of whole grain wheat, bleached raisins, dried apricots and rosewater — is a special addition, prepared only for events such as Christmas.

HIGHLIGHT OF the holidays for Margareta and Ata Berker of Birmingham, is tonight, Christmas Eve.

This is the moment of greatest celebration in Sweden, according to Margareta, who is Swedish by birth. Based on tradition, Swedes do not work on Christmas Eve, and this is the evening of the traditional feast, the smorgasbord.

"The smorgasbord is very well known in the United States," Margareta said, adding she always features Herring Salad because its red color is particularly suited to a Christmas buffet.

Smorgasbord also offers ham, jellyed pig's feet, rice porridge, and lut-fisk that has been dried and boiled.

The traditional Christmas Eve feast includes a practice called "dipping in the kettle," Margareta said. Each guest dips his or her bread in a communal dish of broth from the ham. Originally observed only by the poor, dipping is now considered traditional by all.

Following the meal, Tomte or the Christmas gnome, better known in the West as Santa Claus, makes an appearance.

"**THEY COOK LIKE** they're going to feed an army," observed Jim Plakas, of Christmas holiday meals in traditional Greek style. Plakas, Garden City's mayor, is describing wife Betty's preparations for the couple's holiday meal.

"We all go to Mass. We're scattered around so we go to various churches. Then all of our people gather for Christmas Eve dinner about 9 p.m." This year, the meal will be hosted at the Plakas residence, with some 15 relatives in attendance, including an assortment of nieces and nephews.

"It's more than just family. Everyone real close is invited to break bread. It's more than just a drink. It's to break bread. It's so important to us. It's a must to be here, good friends and family," Plakas said.

The meal tonight consists of the Greek specialty, lemon egg soup, and Greek-style spaghetti, which is less spicy than the more familiar Italian variety.

Tomorrow, Christmas Day, is reserved for the traditional American feast of turkey, dressing and cranberries. It is on this day that individual customs and ethnic traditions give way to a united Christmas celebration that, practiced in the United States, is uniquely American.

See recipes, Page 2B.



GUY WARREN/staff photographer

In a celebration of holiday festivity laced with cultural heritage, Mona Farhat of Livonia proudly displays tonight's feast. To prepare the food, Farhat draws upon Palestinian traditions carried to the United States years before by her parents. A Christian, she and her family al-

ways celebrate Christmas Eve with a meal of Sweet Knaffi (held by Farhat) and (clockwise from left) lamb and rice stuffing, meat pies, stuffed leg of lamb and hummus or chickpea dip.

Mushroom dishes delicious at Morels



With a name like Morels, a Michigan Bistro, it's not surprising that this new restaurant in Birmingham Farms is banking heavily on a good spring crop of the elusive, finicky morel mushroom. Morel mushrooms are noted not just for their wonderful, unique flavor — but also for their mysterious growth pattern which, so far, has defied all attempts at being grown in other than their natural woody environment.

Spring '87 was the last really good year for our mushroom hunting, and Spring '90 was probably the worst. But proprietor Matthew Prentice has managed to stockpile enough of the delicacy to keep four entrees with morels on his menu — and Chef Tim Cikra doesn't seem stingy in their use.

The mushroom salad, for instance, features a combination of morels, oyster mushrooms and shiitake mushrooms sauteed and served over a variety of greens and topped with a delicious warm walnut vinaigrette. This salad alone is worth a visit. As with all the salads, it can be ordered to accompany an entree (\$4.95) or as an entree (\$8.95).

Morels also flavor a fettucini primavera, a turkey entree and a strudel appetizer, among other things. Personally, we prefer the salad where the morel taste is more prominent than the primavera where the taste is overpowered, but no entree with morels is a loss.

PRENTICE AND his staff incorporate many Michigan products into their entrees — that is the other half of their theme, after all. Often that means fresh fish, such as lake perch, salmon and rainbow trout. And cherries, such as the sundried cherries incorporated into their deliciously sweet scones prepared by pastry chef Andy McGrath. Or apples incorporated into salads, entrees and the popular dessert of apple pie with apple caramel ice cream.

Everything we tried was delicious, and all meals are reasonably priced at \$9.95 to \$12.95 for dinners, excluding salads which are a la carte. The lake perch was fresh, lightly breaded, cooked perfectly and flavored with a tasty walnut, apple-cider cream sauce. This was a special, but even ordinary entrees on the main menu have interesting treatments, such as the grilled turkey marinated in applejack and herbs or the grilled chicken served with black beans and plum chutney.

Salads, breads and appetizers are

all unique and worthy of special note. The lamb sausage with polenta in a cream sauce with herbs is wonderful — and far different from most appetizers you encounter. Equally different are the "fancy mashed potatoes" flavored with a whitefish caviar.

Among the delicious salads is a grilled duck salad with apples, walnuts and Dijon mustard dressing. There is also a warm potato salad with goat cheese. Because the bread basket is spectacular, you could easily make a pleasant meal of salad and bread. We especially enjoyed the herbed broches and the potato bread. Then again, the cherry scones were great too.

Though located in an office building, the restaurant has one of the classier, more comfortable dining rooms around. Diners overlook a lovely atrium where many of the herbs used by the restaurant are grown. Beautiful blond wood tables are sparsely placed, allowing for a little privacy and proving that "bistro" doesn't have to be synonymous with noise and too much "closeness."

Details: Morels, a Michigan Bistro, 30100 Telegraph, Birmingham, 642-1094.

Hours: Lunch: 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.; dinner 5-11 p.m. Monday-Thursday; 5 p.m. to midnight Friday-

Saturday. Closed Sundays. Reservations accepted for lunch and dinner.

Prices: Lunch \$6.95-\$10.95; Dinner \$9.95-\$12.95, a la carte salads \$3.95-\$6.95 with entree. All major credit cards.

Value: A very good deal, prices are good for the meals offered. Rating: ★★★★★

RATING GUIDE

- ★ Average (lots of places with similar quality)
- ★★ Good
- ★★★ Very good
- ★★★★ Excellent
- ★★★★★ Consistently superb — a rare honor.



STEPHEN CANTRELL/staff photographer

Chef Tim Cikra and meal featuring grilled fillet of salmon served with a plum wine creme fraiche.

Treasured gift has a special bottle

A HOLIDAY ROAST GOOSE

1 goose
Salt
4 cups water
6 peppercorns
¼ pound butter (1 stick)
½ onion, sliced
2 tablespoons flour

Remove the wings, neck and feet from the goose. Cover with cold water and soak for 15 minutes. Drain and pat dry. Rub with salt inside and out. Place the bird in a roaster on a

rack, if desired. Add water, onions and peppercorns. Roast in a moderate (325-degree) oven. After the water has boiled down, baste the bird with the butter that has been melted and slightly browned. Allow about 25 minutes per pound for the bird to cook. Place the bird on a heated platter. Place the roaster on top burner of the stove, stir in flour and 2 cups of water and boil for 3 minutes or until smooth and slightly thickened.

Symphony league compiles cookbook

"Company's Coming," a menu cookbook, features a collection of more than 100 recipes by Prelude members of the Plymouth Symphony League.

The 46-page softcover cookbook sells for \$5 and may be ordered by sending in a check to: The Plymouth Symphony, 11876 Beacon Hill Drive, Plymouth 48170.

Following is one of the menus from "Company's Coming."

HASH BROWN BRUNCH

by Mary Thomas

MENU

Fruit Salad
Morning Glory Muffins
Hash Brown Brunch
Bisque Tortoni

FRUIT SALAD

Fresh fruit or canned fruit cocktail (chunky) with fresh fruit added. Can add a little champagne. Spoon into sauce dishes.

MORNING GLORY MUFFINS

4 cups flour
2 ½ cups sugar
4 teaspoons baking soda
4 teaspoons cinnamon
1 teaspoon salt
4 cups grated carrot
1 cup raisins
1 cup chopped pecans (or walnuts)
2 apples, peeled and chopped
1 cup coconut
2 cups oil
2 teaspoons vanilla
2 eggs

Sift dry ingredients together. Stir

in carrots, raisins, pecans, coconut, apples. Beat eggs with oil and vanilla. Stir into flour mixture until combined. Spoon into muffin pans that have been greased or lined with paper cups. Fill ¾ full. Bake at 350 degrees for 35 minutes. (About 30 muffins)

HASH BROWN BRUNCH

24 ounces shredded frozen hash browns
½ cup chopped onion
½ cup chopped green pepper
5 tablespoons butter, melted
15 eggs
1 cup milk
1 cup chopped ham (can use 1 pound sausage that has been browned)
One 4-ounce can mushrooms
Salt and pepper
8 ounces shredded Swiss cheese

Mix potatoes, onions, peppers and butter in a 9-by-13-inch pan. Press into bottom and up the sides a little. Whip eggs and milk together in bowl. Add ham, cheese, mushrooms, salt and pepper. Pour over potatoes. Bake at 325 degrees 50-60 minutes or until knife comes out clean.

BISQUE TORTONI

½ cup finely crushed macaroni crumbs
2 tablespoons diced candied cherries
¼ cup chopped salted almonds
1 pint vanilla ice cream
1 tablespoon sherry (optional)

Combine crumbs, cherries, almonds and sherry. Slightly soften ice cream and add cherry mixture. Spoon into dishes and freeze. (Serves 4)

Ethnic heritages are celebrated

See story on ethnic Christmas customs, Page 1B.

TRADITIONAL ARABIC KIBBEH

1 cup bulgur
2 cups chopped onion
1 pound ground lamb or beef, or ½ pound each
½ cup ice water
2 teaspoons salt
½ teaspoon pepper
1 teaspoon ground cinnamon

Rinse bulgur in cold water, pour into a wire strainer and drain. Put half the onion in a blender and whirl until liquified. Add half the meat and water, whirl until you have a smooth paste; repeat with remaining onion, meat and water.

Combine the mixture with seasonings and bulgur; knead until well blended. Chill at least 30 minutes before using in either of the following ways.

KIBBEH PATTIES

Divide chilled kibbeh into 8 patties. Dip hands in cold water and shape each portion into a patty about ¾-inch thick. Cook in 2 tablespoons each butter and salad oil over medium heat, turning to brown, about 12-15 minutes. Serve with Yogurt Sauce.

BAKED KIBBEH

1 recipe chilled kibbeh
1 tablespoon butter or oil
1 pound ground lamb or beef, or ½ pound each
1 large onion, finely chopped
¼ cup pine nuts or slivered almonds
1 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon ground cumin
½ teaspoon ground cinnamon
¼ teaspoon pepper
½ cup parsley, finely chopped

Heat oil, crumble ground meat and fry with onion until meat loses its pink color. Add nuts and cook 2 minutes. Remove from heat and stir in remaining ingredients. Grease a shallow 2-½ quart baking dish. Spread half the chilled kibbeh evenly over the bottom, pressing with wet hands. Spread the cooked meat over it, then top with a smooth layer of the remaining kibbeh. Score top of loaf in diamonds. Bake uncovered in 350-degree oven for 1 hour. Remove, drain excess fat. Let stand 5 minutes, cut and serve with Yogurt Sauce.

Blend 1 cup unflavored yogurt with ½ teaspoon salt and 1 small clove garlic, minced.

GREEK SPINACH PIE

from Dorothy Plakas

One 10-ounce package frozen, chopped spinach
¼ cup chopped onion
3 tablespoons butter
3 tablespoons flour
¼ teaspoon dried tarragon, crushed
¼ teaspoon black pepper
1 cup milk
2 eggs, beaten
½ cup cottage cheese
1 cup crumbled feta cheese
10 sheets of Phyllo dough
¼ cup melted butter

Cook spinach, drain and press out all liquid. In saucepan, cook onion in 3 tablespoons butter. Stir in flour, tarragon and pepper. Add milk all at once and stir well, cooking until mixture is thick and bubbly. In a separate pan, mix ¼ of the hot mixture with eggs. Return to saucepan on the stove. Fold in cheese and spinach. Set aside.

Butter Phyllo dough and layer in 8-by-9-inch glass baking dish. Alternate layers of dough with spinach mixture. When finished layering, pour remaining excess butter over the top. Bake in oven at 375 degrees for about 30-40 minutes, or until golden brown.

ANOOSHABOUR

Armenian Christmas Pudding

from Emma Minasian

1 cup skinless whole grain wheat
1 ½ cups bleached raisins
1 ½ cups dry apricots
3 quarts water
2 cups sugar

Divide chilled kibbeh into 8 patties. Dip hands in cold water and shape each portion into a patty about ¾-inch thick.

2 tablespoons rose water (obtained from drugstore or Eastern food markets)

Wash wheat and place in saucepan with 3 quarts water. Bring to boil, cover and set aside overnight. The next day, bring to a boil and simmer for 1 ½ hours, until wheat is soft. Wash raisins and apricots and cut apricots into quarters. Add fruit and sugar to wheat. Simmer 30 more minutes. Remove from fire and add rose water. Pour into a deep dish. While warm, garnish with walnuts and blanched almonds. Serve cold. 20 servings.

SILLSALLAD

Swedish Herring Salad

from Margareta Berker

2-4 fillets of salt herring or 1 can soaked fillets of salt herring
2-3 cold cooked potatoes
2 pickled beets
1 large apple
1 pickled cucumber
1-2 tablespoons liquid from pickled beets
White pepper
¼ cup whipping cream

1 hard-boiled egg
Finely chopped parsley

Soak the fillets in lots of cold water for 8-8 hours, or follow the directions on the package. Cut the herring, potatoes, beets, apple and cucumber into small cubes. Mix it all and combine with liquid from pickled beets and a little pepper.

Whip the cream and fold into the salad. Transfer to a serving bowl and garnish with strips of finely chopped egg white, egg yolk and parsley. Or pack the salad in a bowl and then unmold and garnish. Can also be used as an hors d'oeuvre, served with rye bread. This is good without the herring. Many Swedes prefer it without.

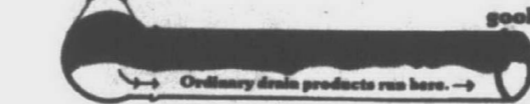
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Having put in days of sheer "trudgery" around town, I am grateful that Christmas is but one day away. At last, with all the weeks and months of preparation over, the yearly celebration can now begin.

As families and friends gather together, the air is filled with the scents and sounds of Christmas, and it is with a sigh of relief that the time has finally come to sit back and watch as this magical season begins to unfold and presents us with the gift of Christmas spirit.

As quickly as it comes, however, it's over, and time to pick up the mountain of wrappings and undo everything that has taken weeks to do. This week's Winner Dinner was selected with the thought in mind that you, your family and any visiting relatives or friends might be ready for a good, simple meal after all the richness of the holiday food. Featuring Italian Meat Balls and Spaghetti Sauce and homemade Dill Bread, this meal is real comfort food and will surely hit the spot on a cold winter evening.

Sandy Futterknecht of Bloomfield Hills, this week's Winner Dinner Winner, is a busy wife and mother of two children. Originally from Elkhart, Ind., which is where I grew up as well, she and her family have lived in the Detroit area off and on for 15 years.

AN ACTIVE volunteer at Detroit Country Day School, she and her husband chaired last year's successful fund-raising auction. This year, she is an eighth grade representative of the Mothers' Council and recently helped organize the Teacher Appreciation Day at the lower junior school.

Apart from her involvement at her children's school and as a sustainer in the Junior League, Futterknecht enjoys playing tennis and golf and is looking forward to an upcoming skiing trip with her family in Aspen, Colo.

Thank you, Sandy Futterknecht, for sharing your time-tested recipes with us and congratulations on being this week's Winner Dinner Winner.

Wishing you and all of your families the happiest of holidays, may the

family-tested winner dinner

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Sandy Futterknecht of Bloomfield Hills makes an easy meal of Spaghetti and Italian Meat Balls, Dill Bread, Tossed Salad and Fresh Fruit.

joy and spirit of the season feed your hearts and souls with yet another Winner Dinner.

Submit your recipes, to be considered for publication in this column or elsewhere, to: Winner Dinner, P.O. Box 3503, Birmingham 48012. All submissions become the property of the publisher. Each week's winner receives

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Observer & Eccentric Winner Dinner

Recipes

A family favorite for two generations, this recipe for Italian meatballs and spaghetti sauce is delicious and easy to make. Double the recipe and you will have enough for two meals.

- ITALIAN MEATBALLS**
 1/4 pound ground beef
 3 slices very dry brown toast or 1/2 cup dry bread crumbs, combined with 1/4 cup milk
 2 tablespoons parsley, chopped finely
 1 clove garlic, chopped finely
 1 egg
 2 tablespoons grated Parmesan cheese
 1 teaspoon salt
 1/4 teaspoon black pepper

Combine all ingredients and work together until thoroughly blended. Form 12 balls and fry them slowly in a small amount of oil until brown. Do not turn the meatballs until they are absolutely browned.

Add several tablespoons of water to the skillet and with a spoon scrape the drippings and add them to the sauce. Simmer the meatballs slowly in the sauce for about 20 minutes.

- ITALIAN TOMATO SAUCE FOR THE SPAGHETTI**
 2 cans tomato paste, 6-ounce size

- 1 can Italian tomatoes, 20-ounce size
 2 tablespoons butter or oil
 1/4 cup onion, chopped finely
 1 clove garlic, chopped finely
 1/4 cup celery, chopped finely
 1 1/2 teaspoon salt
 1 teaspoon granulated sugar
 1/4 teaspoon nutmeg
 1/2 teaspoon oregano
 1/4 teaspoon pepper
 1/4 cup parsley, chopped finely
 1/4 cup grated Parmesan cheese
 1/4-1/2 teaspoon baking soda
 1 cup fresh mushrooms, sliced
 Italian meatballs

Saute onion, garlic and celery

slowly in butter or oil for about 5 minutes.

Put the tomatoes through a food strainer and discard the seeds, or simply crush the tomatoes with hands until they are broken apart into pieces. Add the tomatoes and tomato paste to the onion, garlic and celery mixture.

Add all the other ingredients, except for the baking soda and mushrooms, and simmer in a covered saucepan for about 1 hour, if you are adding the baking soda. Cook at least 4 hours on low if the soda is omitted.

Stir often to prevent scorching. Then add the meatballs that have been browned on all sides and simmer, covered, for about 30 minutes longer, or until the meatballs are tender. Mushrooms may be added during the last 15 minutes of cooking.

Baking soda should be added 10 minutes before the sauce is done. Baking soda helps neutralize the acidity in the tomatoes, making the sauce more palatable. Add the soda, a very little at a time, and cook the sauce several minutes longer. Taste and add more soda if needed.

If the sauce should become too thick, a little water or stock (beef broth) may be added as needed. If the sauce is too thin, cook the sauce uncovered for about 15 minutes. This recipe serves 4-6 people.

Serve the spaghetti and meatballs with a tossed green salad with your choice of dressing. Select your choice of fresh fruit for a light and refreshing dessert.

DILL BREAD

This recipe makes 2 loaves of bread. Here are some tips that will help you make this delicious bread:

- Have ingredients at room temperature.
- Add sugar first.
- Knead for 15 minutes.
- Put on a warm stove top so the dough can rise.

Shopping List

- 1/4 pound ground beef
- 3 slices very dry brown toast or bread crumbs
- Milk
- Parsley
- Garlic
- 3 eggs
- Parmesan cheese
- Salt
- Pepper
- 2 cans tomato paste, 6-ounce size
- 1 can Italian tomatoes, 20-ounce size
- Butter
- Oil
- 1 onion
- Celery
- Sugar
- Nutmeg
- Oregano
- Baking soda
- Fresh mushrooms
- 2 packages yeast
- 1 pint small-curd cottage cheese
- Dill weed
- Spaghetti
- Salad greens
- Salad dressing
- Your choice of fresh fruit

• Cover the bowl with a towel.

- 2 packages yeast
- 2 cups small-curd cottage cheese
- 4 tablespoons butter
- 4 tablespoons sugar
- 2 tablespoons minced onion
- 4 teaspoons dill seed
- 2 teaspoons salt
- 1/2 teaspoon baking soda
- 2 eggs
- 4-5 cups flour

Dissolve the yeast in 1/2 cup warm water. Stir in the remaining ingredients plus 4-5 cups flour.

Knead and cover and let rise for 1 hour. Punch the dough down and cover again. Let the dough rise for 45 minutes in greased 9-by-5-inch loaf pans.

Bake at 350 degrees for 25-30 minutes until golden brown. Remove from pans immediately and butter and salt the tops.

Carrot-Potato Boats lower in both calories and fat

AP — You don't have to settle for second-rate flavor when you trim fat from recipes. These glamorous potato boats are 100 calories and 5 grams of fat leaner than regular twice-baked potatoes, and they taste even better than the high-fat version.

CREAMY CARROT-POTATO BOATS
 4 small baking potatoes (3-4 ounces each)

One 8-ounce can sliced or diced carrots, drained
 1/2 of an 8-ounce container reduced-calorie soft-style cream cheese
 1-2 tablespoons skim milk
 1/2 teaspoon pepper
 2 tablespoons chopped green onions

Bake potatoes in a 375-degree oven about 45 minutes or until ten-

der. Cool slightly.

Cut potatoes in half lengthwise. Gently scoop out each potato half, leaving a thin shell. In a small mixer bowl combine potato pulp, carrots, cream cheese, 1 tablespoon milk and pepper. Beat until smooth, adding more milk, if necessary, to make light. Stir in green onions.

Spoon potato mixture into potato

shells. Place on a baking sheet. Bake in a 375-degree oven for 15-18 minutes or until heated through. Makes 8 servings.

Nutrition information per serving: 135 cal., 4 g pro., 28 g carb., 1 g fat (7 percent of calories from fat), 0 mg chol., 97 mg sodium. U.S. RDA: 79 percent vit. A, 24 percent vit. C.

In a small mixer bowl combine potato pulp, carrots, cream cheese, 1 tablespoon milk and pepper. Beat until smooth, adding more milk, if necessary, to make light.

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It is around the superb bottle created by Galle in 1900 that the spirit of "PJ" revolves. For the last two decades, a decorated box with a bottle of Fleur de Champagne and a pair of hand-painted champagne flutes has been a treasured holiday gift.

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WINE SELECTIONS OF THE WEEK

Perrier-Jouet Grand Brut (\$25) is a versatile champagne that enhances appetizers and lighter first courses. Its exceptionally fine balance makes it especially appealing.

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Bollinger is unusual in the sense that all vintage wines are totally barrel fermented in lots and kept separate until the blend is made. Barrel fermentation adds to the richness and character of the wine. It also requires a full-time cooper to repair old and build new barrels.

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Most houses base their reputation on the style and consistency of the non-vintage champagne. Special Cuvee is Bollinger's non-vintage brut and accounts for 60 percent of total sales. Vintage champagnes have been a tremendous success at Bollinger, the most impressive being its Grande Annee, Grande Annee Rose, and RD (recently disgorged) vintage champagnes.

Champagne has many styles. When planning holiday celebrations, remember that one style is not better than another. All champagnes have an appropriate place before, after or during a meal.

LIGHT, DELICATE wines are best as aperitifs. Fuller wines with a greater percentage of pinot noir and roses harmonize best with food. Sec and demi-sec champagnes have their place at the table as the dessert course or following it.



focus on wine

Eleanor and Ray Heald



Christian Bizot, president of Champagne Bollinger, at wine-tasting at the Whitney in Detroit.

Choir puts together 'Cranbrook Cuisine'

Recipes ranging from basic everyday fare to elegant, special-occasion dishes are included in "Cranbrook Cuisine," a cookbook compiled by the Parish Choir of Christ Church Cranbrook in Bloomfield Hills.

Featured are favorite recipes submitted by members and friends of Christ Church. Music director Charles Raines contributed two recipes for chicken dishes.

The spiral-bound, 167-page, soft-cover cookbook is available for \$8 at several Detroit area outlets, including Borders Books in Southfield and Novi, Birmingham Bookstore, Metro News Center at Bloomfield Plaza, Cranbrook Art Museum, Cranbrook Institute of Science and the Book Table at Christ Church Cranbrook. The book is one of the principle fund-raisers for the choir's 1991 tour of England.

To purchase the book directly by mail, send a check for \$9.50 (includes postage) payable to MACCC (Music at Christ Church Cranbrook) to: MACCC, Christ Church Cranbrook, 470 Church Road, P.O. Box 801, Bloomfield Hills, MI 48303-0801.

Here are some appetizer recipes and dessert recipes from "Cranbrook Cuisine."

SALMON BALL

16-ounce can red salmon
8 ounces cream cheese
1 tablespoon lemon juice
1 teaspoon grated onion
1 teaspoon horseradish
¼ teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon Worcestershire sauce
½ cup walnuts, chopped
3 tablespoon parsley

Drain salmon; remove skin and bones. Break into small pieces in bowl. Add softened cream cheese, lemon juice, onion, horseradish, salt, and Worcestershire. Mix well. Roll into ball in waxed pa-

per and chill in refrigerator 1-2 hours. Remove waxed paper. Roll in nuts and parsley. Serve with crackers.

Or if you can't make balls, put it in a waxed-paper-lined margarine tub for a mold.

Anne Stoneback

CHUTNEY "SHERRY" PATE

8 ounces cream cheese
1 cup sharp Cheddar cheese, grated
¼ teaspoon curry powder
¼ teaspoon garlic powder
¼ teaspoon salt
1 cup chutney, chopped
¼ cup green onions, minced (or more)

Mix the first 5 ingredients and place on serving dish. Pat into shape, about 1 ½-inch thick. Chill. At serving time, spread chutney over cheese mixture, then sprinkle green onions on top. Serve with any crisp cracker.

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Betty Williams

KAHLUA MOUSSE

1 cup sugar
1 cup water
12 ounces semi-sweet chocolate
4 eggs
Dash of salt
½ cup Kahlua
½ cup cognac
3 cups whipped cream

Combine sugar and water in a saucepan; heat slowly until sugar is melted (approximately 5 minutes). Place chips in blender with eggs and salt on slowest speed; add sugar in a steady slow stream. Blend until smooth. Add Kahlua and cognac. Fold in whipped cream. Put in individual dishes, molds, or casserole dish. Chill for several hours. Serve with a dollop of whipped cream.

Mrs. Jeffrey Loud Kern

clarification

The recipe for Thumbprint Cookies that ran along with the article on "Candy Man" Bill Hayes (Dec. 17, Taste), should have read: ½ cup soft shortening or ¼ cup each shortening and butter, for the first ingredient.

cooking calendar

CHEF SERIES

The Three Chefs Series Cooking Classes, with three notable Detroit-area chefs, returns in January and February. How to prepare three distinct gourmet meals will be taught by Milos Chihelka, chef-patron of the Golden Mushroom in Southfield; Brian Polcyn, chef de cuisine of the Pike Street Restaurant in Pontiac, and Ed Janos, chef de cuisine of Too Chez in Novi.

The series includes three classes, one class with each chef at his respective restaurant. The first group runs Jan. 5, 12 and 26, and the second group runs Feb. 2, 9 and 16. All classes begin at 10 a.m. Saturdays. Class fee is \$150. For more information contact Ed Janos at 348-5555.

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If you have osteoarthritis, you may be equally frustrated in self held efforts. In most instances, arthritis of the knee and hip is the result of an inherent weakness of the cartilage. Special exercises only make the arthritis worse by putting more wear on the cartilage, and no diet now known can stimulate joint repair.
Of other major arthritic conditions, only gout is possible under your control, since changes in eating habits can influence the frequency of attacks. However, drug therapy usually is effective, and the need to go to dietary measures is limited to a few individuals.
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Baileys Dessert Heaven awards contest prizes

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Burnash created Baileys Chocolate Soup, and Loren made Bailey Corns, featuring edible acorns, in the contest where 17 chefs vied with original recipes for desserts using Baileys Original Irish Cream Liqueur as one of the ingredients.

Executive Chef Brian Polcyn was awarded second prize for his dessert, Double Baileys Bavarian Cream. Third-prize winner was Chef Paul Cousins of Cousins Heritage Inn in Dexter, with Baileys Black-Tie Affair.

Seven local media personalities served on the judging panel, each tasting all 17 of the dessert entries. Among the judges was Ethel Simmons, food editor for the Observer & Eccentric. The event was a benefit for Meals on Wheels.

Each of the top four desserts will be offered on menus of winning restaurants for the next six months so patrons will have an opportunity to sample the Baileys creations.

BAILEY CORNS

Peter Loren
Opus One Restaurant
Detroit

6 ounces white chocolate
2 ounces milk
3 ounces Baileys Original Irish Cream Liqueur
1/4 ounce plain gelatin
1/4 teaspoon vanilla extract or vanilla seeds
1 cup whipping cream
2 egg whites

Pinch of salt
12 ounces semi-sweet chocolate
2 ounces vegetable oil
1/2 cup egg whites
1 cup granulated sugar
1/4 cup cocoa

Combine Baileys Original Irish Cream Liqueur with milk, stir. Add 1/2 of this mixture to white chocolate and melt together. Add other half of original mixture to gelatin and warm over a water bath until dissolved. Then combine both mixtures together. Stir in vanilla. Cool to room temperature. Whip cream until stiff and fold into cooled mixture. Whip egg whites with a pinch of salt and fold in. Pipe this mousse-like mixture into foil cups fashioned like acorn bottoms. Freeze. Unwrap frozen acorn bottoms. Skewer base end and dip into a melted mixture of 12 ounces chocolate and 2 ounces oil. Allow to set. Remove to a tray to fully dry.

To make acorn tops, warm egg whites with sugar until fully dissolved. Whip until stiff and fold in sifted cocoa. Pipe into a disk shape approximately the same diameter as the acorns. Bake 60 minutes at 250 degrees. Cool. Glue tops to bottoms with melted chocolate. Stems of meringue may be added to finished acorns.

BAILEYS CHOCOLATE SOUP

4 egg yolks
4 cups half and half (light cream)
6 ounces semi-sweet chocolate (couverture)
1/2 cup Baileys Original Irish Cream Liqueur
4 tablespoons hazelnut liqueur
4 tablespoons coffee liqueur

With a fine whisk, whip egg yolks by hand until smooth. Combine Baileys Original Irish Cream Liqueur, chocolate and other liqueurs in saucepan and bring to a boil. Pour a small amount of the Baileys/chocolate mixture into the whipped yolks and whip briefly to temper the yolks. Return the yolk mixture into the hot Baileys/chocolate mixture and cook for approximately 30-45 seconds. Serve immediately hot, or cool in refrigerator and serve cold. Garnish with Pumpkin Ice Cream Truffle.

ICE CREAM TRUFFLES

2 cups heavy cream
2 cups milk
8 ounces sugar
1 vanilla bean (split)
8 ounces egg yolks
5 ounces pumpkin puree
2 teaspoons cinnamon
1 teaspoon nutmeg
1 teaspoon ginger
1 ounce spiced rum

Combine the cream, milk, sugar and vanilla bean in saucepan and bring to a boil. Pour a small amount of hot mixture into bowl with egg yolks and whisk briefly to temper yolks. Return yolks to saucepan with hot cream mixture and cook, stirring constantly until mixture coats the back of a wooden spoon. Pour mixture immediately through a strainer into a bowl sitting in an ice bath. Stir occasionally until cool. When the ice cream base has cooled, whisk in the pumpkin puree, spices and rum. Place into an ice cream machine and churn. Once ice cream is frozen, form into truffle, roll in sugared and chopped hazelnuts, and freeze until time of service.



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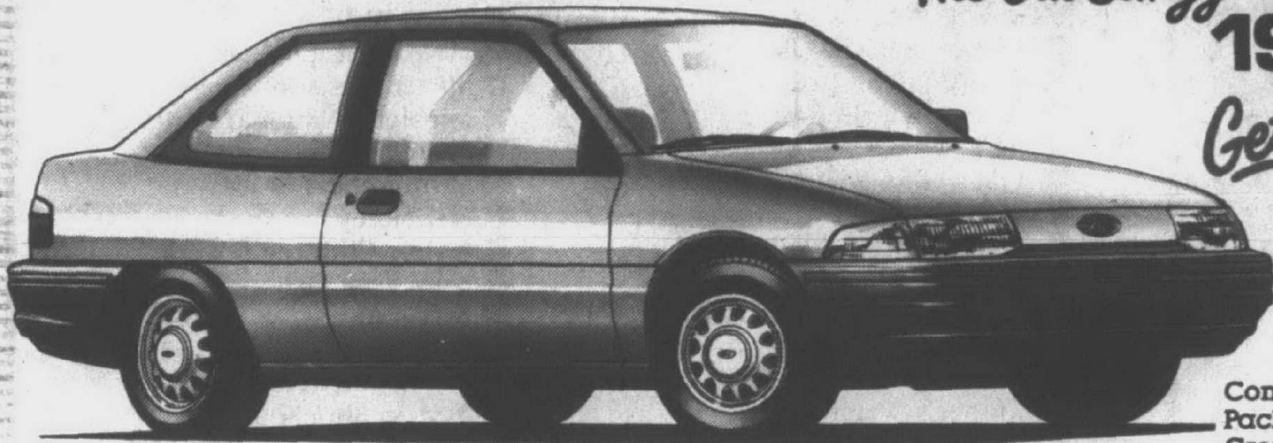
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Salem attack way too much for Harrison

By C.J. Rissak
staff writer

For a game pitting two pre-season favorites for the Western Lakes Activities Association final, it certainly lacked drama. But it's still early in the basketball school year. Among the first lessons delivered by coaches is that December's champions don't matter much.

Win in March, they preach. For Plymouth Salem coach Bob Brodie, making sure such instruction is absorbed is a concern. Indeed, it may be his only concern at this stage of the season.

For Farmington Harrison coach Mike Teachman, winning in March

can't be too high on his list of priorities. The Hawks have too much work to do on the present to worry about the future.

At least they got an idea of where they stand at present and how far they have to travel, going on the road Thursday to battle Salem, the team that has quickly ascended to head-of-the-class. The Rocks obligingly conducted a 32-minute lesson on team basketball — at Harrison's expense.

IF FINAL scores were graded, the Hawks would be sweating this class: Salem 83, Harrison 60.

Teachman seemed unperturbed by the outcome, even though by the opening minutes of the second half the game was over. "They're a sweet team," he said of Salem. "They were more efficient with their trips than we were. They just play so hard... I hope we learn from this."

What Thursday's game featured was one still-learning team going against an experienced, tested squad that knows how to win. Salem showed its superiority with scoring runs in the second, third and fourth quarters that were unmatched by Harrison.

The Rocks led 25-23 with 5:07 left in the first half when Cliff Lee and K.C. Kirkpatrick ignited a 10-0 run, scoring four points apiece. Lee netted nine points in the period and Kirkpatrick had eight, allowing Salem to extend its 18-16 lead after one quarter to 45-32 at the half.

The scene was similar in the third quarter. The Rocks put together a 9-2 streak to push its 51-40 lead to 60-42, a Jake Baker three-pointer providing the icing. In a 1:45 span of the fourth quarter, Salem scored 12 consecutive points to go up by 23, 77-55, with 3:53 left in the game.

LEE CONTRIBUTED four points



photos by BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

Salem's Cliff Lee proved difficult to stop inside, as Harrison defender Blazo Sarceвич discovers. Lee came off the bench to score 17 points.



Despite the defense applied by Salem's Jake Baker, Blazo Sarceвич scores for Harrison.

in that run as well. He played perhaps his best game of the season, coming off the bench to notch 17 points.

"Cliff had a real good game," acknowledged Brodie. "He had been sick and only practiced the two days before the game. I was just going to test him, but he came out like gangbusters. He went to the glass and rebounded real well, and he didn't dink around with the ball. When he does that, he's tough."

But don't think it was all Lee. Five Rocks reached double-figures in scoring, and Chris Tebben had nine.

Joining Lee in doubles was Baker with 16, John Hoffmeyer with 13, Kirkpatrick with 12 and Mike Mulder with 10. Harrison had four in doubles: Andy Smith with 17, Paul Gilvydis with 14, Roy Granger with 11 and Blazo Sarceвич with 10.

Balance, according to Teachman, is what makes Salem so dangerous. It also made the Harrison coach dubious about his team's chances for a win before the game started.

"They use all their weapons," he said. "We were going to have to play the best game we've played all year, and they were going to have to play below par for us to win."

THE ROCKS' arsenal begins with Baker, according to Teachman. "I think it all rubs off from their stud. He's not hungry to score points."

Brodie could only agree. "No, it's not the Jake Baker show. He leads us in assists. He creates a lot of things for our other players by just being out there."

The question, however, lingers: just how good are the Rocks? Most importantly, how much better can they get?

"Hopefully, a lot," replied Brodie. "I know we're looking good right

now, but I've seen us look better. We haven't put both ends (offensive and defensive) of a game together against a quality team."

Against Harrison, it was at the offensive end that Salem sparkled. "I wasn't real happy with the defense," said Brodie. "We've been holding teams under 50 points. I wasn't real happy with our defensive rotation inside."

He was happy with the win, though — it lifted Salem to 6-0 going into the Christmas break. Harrison slipped to 3-2. Both are idle until Jan. 4.

Raiders blast St. Clair

In the first half, the scoring was high; in the second half, it was astronomical.

Oakland Community College romped past outmanned St. Clair County Community College 145-73 Wednesday with an astounding 90-point second half. The win kept the Raiders' record perfect at 11-0, and made them 2-0 in the Eastern Conference. St. Clair is 0-2 in the conference.

OCC led 55-38 at the half, then erupted. The Raiders outscored the Skippers 90-35 over the last 20 minutes.



Seven players reached double figures in scoring, led by Devin Bell, who collected 36 points and 18 rebounds. James Escoc added 20 points and 12 boards. Others in double figures in scoring: Khari Maxwell (17), Rashe Reviere (16),

DaShawn Stewart (13), and Roger Shelton and Jerry Prieskorn (11 each).

Guards Ed Whitaker and Starlin Stevens shared the quarterbacking; they had nine points and 12 assists apiece.

St. Clair was led by Ken Laming (17 points) and Chad Kelley (11).

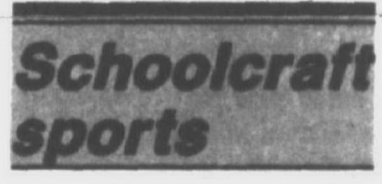
The Raiders have moved up to third in the National Junior College Athletic Association Division II rankings, after six games. College of DuPage, in Glen Ellyn, Ill., is first, with College of Morris (Randolph, N.J.) second.

Balance carries Ocelots

After dressing only nine players and losing one during the game, Schoolcraft College finally came away with a 93-87 win Wednesday at Southwestern Community College.

Schoolcraft, down 45-44 at half-time, improved to 6-5 overall. Southwestern dropped to 5-8.

Schoolcraft forward Randy Watters led five players in double figures with 22 points and seven rebounds. Barry Quayle added 21 points and eight rebounds, Kwesi McGill had 20 points and eight rebounds, Lynell Collins chipped in



18 points and six rebounds, while Mitch Fyke netted 10 points.

McGill scored 16 of his 20 points in the second half.

Sophomore center Brian Oldiedfeld led Southwestern with 29 points.

"We only dressed nine kids because of injuries and then (Mitch) Fike went out for the game with a pulled stomach muscle," Schoolcraft coach Dave Bogataj said. "The game went back and forth in the beginning and then we put on a spurt with about nine minutes left that increased the lead to seven and we hit our free throws and held on from there."

"Randy and Barry kept us in the game in the first half and Lynell Collins and Kwesi McGill got out on the break well. It was a nice win for us."

Canton's start buries Falcons

Plymouth Canton proved to be far too much for host Farmington to handle Thursday.

The Chiefs took command from the start and dumped the Falcons 92-38 in a Western Lakes Activities Association basketball encounter.

Canton got the ball rolling early, outscoring Farmington 24-6 in the opening quarter and building a 56-11 halftime lead.

"This is the best we've played all season," Canton coach Dave Van Wagoner said. "It should be good for our confidence level."

Canton (3-2, 1-0) got 18 points and six assists from senior guard Karl Wukie.

"I'm real pleased with the way Karl played tonight," Van Wagoner said. "He's developing into a real nice player."

Senior forward Brent Holmes added 15 points for the Chiefs, while senior forward Kevin Holmes chipped in 12.

Canton went to the free throw line 45 times and connected on 29.

Matt Fitzpatrick scored 10 points to lead Farmington (1-4, 0-1).

"This is our biggest game of the season," Van Wagoner said. "Our goal is to win the league and tonight's game was the first step."



FRANKLIN 74, N. FARMINGTON 57: Franklin junior guard Keith Roberts collected 27 points, six rebounds, six assists and four steals to carry the Patriots past North Farmington 74-57 Thursday at North.

Roberts connected on four three-pointers in the game.

Senior center Steve McCool added 15 points and five rebounds and junior forward Russ Keberly added 14 points and eight rebounds.

Franklin, which led 31-24 at half-time, improved to 2-1, 1-0 in the Western Lakes Activities Association. North Farmington dropped to 1-3, 0-1 overall.

North Farmington was led by Bill Chwalk with 17 points.

"The kids played hard and smart," Franklin coach Rod Hanna said. "The intensity on defense was there and it was a good team effort. Keberly played his best game ever."



SHARON LAMIEUX/staff photographer

Canton's Mike Stafford drives past Farmington's John Wilson en route to the basket.

Clarkston slips by Shamrocks

Dugan Fife's layup in the final seconds enabled Clarkston to edge Redford Catholic Central 63-62 in a non-league basketball game Thursday at CC.

Fife led all scorers with 25 points.

Clarkston improved to 3-0 overall, while CC went to 2-1.

CC, which led 34-32 at the half, saw its final chance at victory thwarted when a pass was intercepted with two seconds left in the game.

Clarkston led 51-49 after three quarters.

CC was led by junior forward Bob Kummer with 20 points. Senior guard Steve Whitlow added 17 points.

DEARBORN 70, RU 48: Dearborn used a 37-20 second half advantage to roll to an easy Northwest Suburban League victory at Redford Union Thursday.

RU trailed 33-28 at the half.

Dearborn was led by senior forward Mohammed Abdrabboh with 20 points. He also had 12 rebounds and six assists. Junior center Steve Harworth had 14 points and nine rebounds and guard Jeff Moulton added 10 points.

Senior forward Chris Mulka led RU with 16 points and 10 rebounds. Junior guard Bill Malecki chipped in 12 points and senior center Chris Locke had 10 points and five re-

bounds in a reserve role.

"Both teams were pressing and Dearborn successfully made us commit turnovers," RU coach Tip Smathers said. "We had to go out and gamble in the fourth quarter and they handled it very well. They were a very good team."

Dearborn improved its record to 5-0, 1-0 in the NSL, while RU dropped to 2-4 overall, 0-1 in the NSL.

NORTHVILLE 54, STEVENSON 50: Northville outscored host Livonia Stevenson 15-9 in the fourth quarter to collect the win Thursday.

Senior guard Bill Kelly scored 14 points for Northville, which improved to 3-2, 1-0 in the WLAA.

Stevenson got 14 points from senior guard Phil Woods and senior forward Dan Gibbons added 11 points. The Spartans are 1-3 overall, 0-1 in the WLAA.

Northville, which led 30-26 at half-time, had an advantage at the free throw line. They shot 24-for-39 at the charity stripe, while Stevenson was 17-for-28.

THURSTON 65, MELVINDALE 39: Redford Thurston jumped on host Melvindale with an 18-8 first quarter and cruised to the

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O&E area can boast nation's best

THE GEOGRAPHICAL area in which the Observer and Eccentric Newspapers are distributed contains the greatest concentration of outstanding bowlers in the U.S. — and perhaps the entire world.

I could get into a big argument with a statement like that, but the facts and figures are there to back me up. There are about 50 bowling centers in the Observerland area, which blankets much of southern Oakland and western Wayne counties. Our "Classic" leagues are loaded with talented bowlers, capable of competing with the highest level of professional bowlers. Some of those bowlers have competed in the professional tour and others could go pro with adequate financial backing.

Many of the fine amateur bowlers in the local leagues are consistently delivering big scores. The youth programs are producing future "superstars," such as the kids now bowling in the Sunday Youth Classic (SYC), the Western Wayne Youth Travel League and the Ward's Youth Travel Classic.

At last week's Michigan Junior Masters Association tournament in Bridgeport, Paul Saunmy, a 17-year-old southpaw from the SYC, bowled his first 300 game. The perfect game was part of a string of 23 consecutive strikes.

LIVONIA'S Eric Tutley has progressed to collegiate bowling as a member of the University of Houston's team, which has been breaking all kinds of records, thanks to Eric, who has been leading the way.

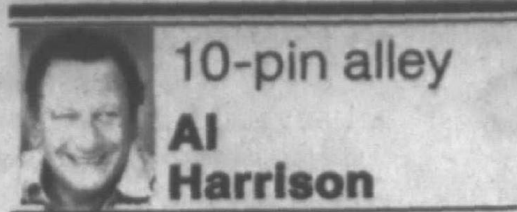
The Cougars recently scored a four-man team score of 3,035 for three games — the second highest ever and only seven pins shy of the all-time record. Eric contributed with 289-253-246, good for a 787 series. Their second game total set city and state records for a four-man team.

I receive weekly reports from the Schaefer Beer All-Star Travelling Classic and the H & L Distributors' Tuesday All-Star Classic leagues. To print the outstanding scores would take more space than this page, so unfortunately, many great games are not recognized.

The Ansara's Big Boy team of the Schaefer Beer League recently cracked the nation's high series and set a new all-time Michigan record with a 3,331 series at Redford Bowl. The team consists of: Dick Beattie, Nunzio Marino (Livonia), Tony Stipeck (Redford), Paul Grauzer (Westland) and Ken Wytal.

THE MICHIGAN Majors Bowling Association closed out its season with the first Tournament of Champions, with Troy Stus of Garden City taking top honors. Stus has since taken the giant step by joining the pro bowlers tour.

In the Mid-States Masters tournament earlier this



10-pin alley
Al Harrison

month, Ed Dudek of Livonia was the top qualifier with 1,130 for five games. Rumors have it that Ed Grace of Farmington Hills is about to test his abilities in the pro tour soon.

Several of the mixed leagues have bragging rights when it comes to bowling ability, as proven by the Greenfield Mixed leagues (Friday nights at the Country Lanes in Farmington) with 44 couples. Ten men average over 200 and 20 of the ladies average 160 or better. This league is over 40-years old and keeps getting stronger.

There are many senior citizen leagues that also deserve plaudits, and the scores reported every week are amazing. Anyone who wants to see some great bowling should check out the senior action at Mayflower Lanes in Redford Township.

Our communities can truly boast about our great bowlers, ranging from 10-year-old Charlie Thompson, who has bowled several high 200 games and a 600 series at Drakesterne Lanes in Farmington Hills, to 78-year-old Jary "the Mechanic" Woelke of Redford, the "king of senior bowlers." Woelke won last year's Old Timers tournament with a record setting 723 series. There is also Redford's Jon Reed and his back-to-back 300 games.

THE NAMES are plentiful. I wish I could mention all the fine bowlers from our own hometowns and there are plenty more that do not get reported in this column. We apologize if we sometimes miss a few.

If you have any doubts about the area's bowlers, then take a look at the following scores.

Super Bowl (Canton Township) will host the MPVA "Wheeler's" league starting Jan. 19. This is open to all wheelchair bowlers. Able-bodied family members can also bowl. This is every-other Saturday over a 20-week period.

The GDBA announced the closing dates for the regular team and mixed team entries have been extended to Jan. 5.

BOWLING HONOR ROLL

Bel Aire Lanes (Farmington): Senior House League (Tuesday) — Hank Lundy, 290/728; Mori Friedman, 248/684; Reggie Deluca, 247/674; Mark McKenzie, 258; Fred Polesman, 255/711; Glenn Litlow, 268/743; Paul Koenig, 247/660; Terry Fazio, 246/685; Willie Smith, 289/714; Keith Ewert, 656.

Our Lady of Sorrows — Ron McKenzie, 289/708.
YABA Security Mixers — Dave Chafen, 246/693.
Drakesterne Lanes (Farmington Hills) Tuesday Mixed League — Mark Rosen, 257/722; Wayne Lindsey, 279/698; Claine Robinson, 255/681; Jerry Gales, 282; Steve Rowley, 583.
Wilson Early Birds — Fred Ramirez, 280/782; Ron Feltus, 277.
Monday GASP Youth League — Jason Johnson, 278/762; Jason Schwartz, 280.
Country Lanes (Farmington Hills) Farmington Mixed League — Bill "O", 278/744; Gloria Mertz, 227/586; Mary Franz, 234/587.
Jewish War Veterans — Mark Goodman, 256; Carl Berlin, 233; Jay Shear, 252.
Ladies Classic — Sherry Petika, 287/686; Joan Schmid, 243; Sharon Deak, 222/609; Trina Schaefer, 231/623; Debbie Van Meter, 220; Carol Rowland, 231.
Country Lanes — Keith Braasch, 257/711; Dennis Meyer, 267/600; Mark Houser, 284; Jerry Heath, 245.
Ever-Seven League — Ron Mathison, 268/733; Sam Soderas, 696; Kevin Hakkinen, 278/683; Stan Malberger, 268/625.
Monday Men's League — Jack Traylor, Jr., 788; Dave Richardson, 788.
Greenfield Mixed League — Bob Petryk, 279/685; Chuck O'Rourke, 278; Sandy O'Rourke, 202; Al Friskom, 258/622; Ron Turner, 250/699; Tom Gow, 243/678; Ryan Wilson, 243/691; Jim Anderson, 233/620; Steve Maheshki, 237/641; Tony Van Meter, 235/658; Mike Lynch, 233; Van Gooding, 206; Kathy O'Brien, 215; Jack Gostvik, 230; Billy Franzen, 224; John West, 200.
Redford Lanes (Redford Township) West Side Lutheran League — Craig Timan, 612; Tony Karowich, 603; Mark Rutz, 251.
Lola Valley Bowling (Redford Township) I.H.M. League — Gary Hand, 269/723.
Westland Bowl (Westland) Ford Mens League — Tony Bennett, 300/750; Chuck O'Rourke, 287/717.
Ten Parish League — Jerry Thauver, 300/698.
T.G.I.F. League — Mark Ulrich, 290/738.
K of C Men's League — Bob Komander, 287.
Bowling Belles — Angela Wilks, 531.
Westland Ladies League — Gloria Mertz, 236/636; Tina Barber, 624.
Oak Lanes (Westland) Sunday Classic — Joe Morgan, 234; Larry Tonzak, 246; Mike Sabocan, 243/671.
Wednesday Night Men's League — Frank Wells, 238/644; Steve O'Connell, 217; Sharon Gunn, 249/650; C. Koc, 256/638.
Friday Night Ladies — Deborah Ryan, 213; Kathy Toth, 231; Diana P. anowski, 223; Carol Bidwell, 206.
Kings & Queens Mixed — Vicki Wilson, 205.
Old Couples Mixed — Jim Kralowicki, 247; Jim McCusker, 245.
Tuesday Bowlersettes — Diane Collins, 218.
Tuesday Night Rollers Mixed — Carol Ferguson, 209; Diana Sherock, 200.
Tuesday Night Men's League — Kenneth DeLorey, 233; Jim Hardy, 235; John Dapora, 236; Scott Hawkins, 235.
Tuesday Mens — Ed Coulter, 233.
Wednesday Morning Glories — Pat Stewart, 203.
Wednesday Girls Mixed — Ray Raber, 210; Joe Kretunski, 211.
Super Bowl (Canton Twp.) Tuesday Junior House — Steve Pencola, 300/754.
Woodland Lanes (Livonia) Afternoon Outings — Meg Sadler, 247.
Morning Stars — Pat Rogendorf, 221; Shelly Sokolowski, 213; Anne Lamott, 217; Sharon Duka, 212; Rose Crehan, 203.
Sparemakers — Violet Toth, 201 (her first 200 game ever).
Friday Kings & Queens — Gary Leach, 749.
Saturday Kings & Queens — Mary Gaden, 709.
Mens Trio League — Dan Entman, 269/729; Dave Wojcik, 256/714; Mark Payne, 255/729; Pat Chartrand, 247/694; Bob Nowick, 686; Tom Mathison, 236/701.
Catholic Central Fathers & Sons — Chad Brooks, 211 (104 average).
West Chicago a.m. — Dave Melin, 268/706; Tom Whiting, 257/706.
Bucks and Dots — Al Young, 275.
Lyndon Meadows — Lou Nelson, 254.
Jack & Jill — Karen Jodczak, 218.
Woodward Youth League — Lisa Belleperche, 202; Matt Hat, 211/581; Jamie Sewek, 652.
Senior House League — Art Kapelanaky, 697.

WEEK OF DEC. 24-29

BOYS BASKETBALL
Thursday-Friday, Dec. 27-28
N. Farmington at Troy Journey, TBA.
Friday, Dec. 28
S.C.S. Lake Shore at Redford CC, 7:30 p.m.
Friday-Saturday, Dec. 28-29
Bishop Borgess at Woodhaven Tour., TBA.

MEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL
Thursday-Friday, Dec. 28-29
Schoolcraft at Battle Ck. Tourney, TBA.

PREP HOCKEY
Saturday, Dec. 29
CC Alumni Game (Redford Arena), 8 p.m.

WEEK OF DEC. 31-JAN. 5

BOYS BASKETBALL
Friday, Jan. 4
Bishop Borgess at Redford CC, 7:30 p.m.
Oak, Catholic at St. Agatha, 7:30 p.m.
Luth. Westland at St. Field Christian, 7:30 p.m.
Woodhaven at Liv. Churchil, 7:30 p.m.

Garden City at Red. Thurston, 7:30 p.m.
South Lyon at W.L. Western, 7:30 p.m.
A.A. Pioneer at Ply. Canton, 7:30 p.m.
Ypsilanti at Ply. Salem, 7:30 p.m.
Barn. Seaham at Farmington, 7:30 p.m.
Oak Park at Farm. Harrison, 7:30 p.m.

MEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL
Saturday, Jan. 5
Oakland CC at Delta CC, 7:30 p.m.
Schoolcraft at Alpena CC, 8 p.m.

WOMEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL
Saturday, Jan. 5
Schoolcraft at Alpena CC, 8 p.m.

PREP HOCKEY
Wednesday, Jan. 2
Liv. Churchil vs. Millford High at Livonia's Edgar Arena, 8 p.m.
Friday, Jan. 4
Liv. Churchil vs. Howell High, Liv. Franklin vs. Millford Lakeland at Livonia's Edgar Arena, 4 and 6 p.m.
Saturday, Jan. 5
Redford CC vs. Windsor Assumption at Redford Ice Arena, 8 p.m.

Thurston, Wayne are easy winners

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Tri-River League win Thursday. The Eagles, 5-1 overall and 4-1 in the Tri-River, took a commanding 41-16 halftime advantage. Melvindale dropped to 3-3, 2-3 overall. Danny Pertulla led the Eagles with 14 points and Justin McEwen added 10 points. Steve Ross topped Melvindale with nine points.

WAYNE 68, LINCOLN PARK 31: Junior forward Rick Barnes scored 15 points and junior forward Greg Hartman added 14 as host Wayne Memorial beat Lincoln Park Thursday.

Wayne improved to 4-2, 3-0 in the Wolverine A League, while Lincoln Park dropped to 0-5 overall, 0-3 in the WAL.

Bill Howatt scored 11 points for Lincoln Park.

Wayne took an 18-7 first quarter lead and never looked back. They led 29-12 at the half and 45-17 after three quarters.

L. EAST 97, L. WESTLAND 54: Host Lutheran Westland's miser-

basketball

able 28 percent shooting helped Harper Woods Lutheran East stay unbeaten Thursday.

Lutheran Westland was 0-for-13 in the third quarter from the field.

East went to 6-0 overall; Lutheran Westland is 1-5.

East senior forward Erich Franzo led all scorers with 31 points.

Lutheran Westland got 20 points from senior guard Chris Habitz. He was eight-for-eight from the free throw line.

"Lutheran East's pressure defense was the key," Lutheran Westland coach Scott Weimer said. "We expected a game like this, but it's hard to tell if we've improved over the season. In the second half we shot a little better, but our inability to shoot hurt us."

DIVINE CHILD 68, CLARENCEVILLE 50: Dearborn Divine Child used a 17-4 first-quarter run to hold off host Livonia Clarenceville Thursday.

recreation standings

PLYMOUTH WOMEN'S BASKETBALL STANDINGS
(Through Monday, Dec. 17)

1. Once Was	3-0
2. Birch Construction	2-0
3. Minnesota Title Agency	1-1
4. Laird Auto Glass	0-2
5. Team 1	0-3

PLYMOUTH MEN'S BASKETBALL STANDINGS
(Through Monday, Dec. 17)

Division A

1. Artic Window	3-0
2. Sweets and More	2-1
3. Johnathon B. Pub.	2-0
4. Paddy's Pub	0-2
5. Dick Scott Dodge	0-1
5. Denny's	0-1
7. Pogo's Sports Bar	0-2

Division B

1. Team 9	2-0
2. Team 10	1-1
3. Duracell	1-0

4. Freudenberg — NOK 1-1
5. Hendrick Wholesale 0-1
6. Pat & Mike Electric 1-1
7. Killer Pink Flamingos 0-0

PLYMOUTH COED VOLLEYBALL STANDINGS
(Through Monday, Dec. 17)

American Division

1. Pogo's Sports Bar	28
1. Creative Health Products	28
3. Freight Train	18
4. Inventive Incentives	7
5. Michigan Bell	5
5. We Dig	5
7. Outsiders	4
8. St. Mike Spikers	3

National Division

1. Annihilators	16 1/2
2. Plymouth Reed & Cane	13 1/2
3. Underdogs	12
4. Woodmasters Furniture Service	12
5. Team 12	7
5. Team 16	7
7. Sun Technicom	2
8. P/C Slammers	0

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● MEN'S RACQUETBALL

A men's racquetball league will begin play Wednesday, Jan. 9, at Rose Shores of Canton. Court times are 7:30 and 8 p.m. The fee for the 16-week season is \$100 and includes all court time and prizes.

Players can register in person or by mail at Canton Parks and Recreation Services, 1150 S. Canton Center Rd., 48188. Call 397-5110 for information.

● HOLIDAY HOURS

The City of Plymouth Parks and Recreation Office will be closed until Wednesday, Jan. 2. The Plymouth Cultural Center will remain open during this time. However, the building will close at 2:30 p.m. on Christmas Eve, Christmas Day and New Year's Day.

● OPEN SKATING

The Plymouth Cultural Center will have open skating through Sunday, Jan. 6, with the exception of Christmas and New Year's Day and Saturdays, Dec. 29 and Jan. 5.

The fee is \$1.75 for adults and \$1 for children. The skate rental fee is \$1. For daily times and other information call the Plymouth Parks and Recreation Department at 455-6620.

● SKI LESSONS

The Plymouth Parks and Recreation Department, in cooperation with Riverview Highlands, is offering a learn-to-ski program. The cost is \$46 for the four-lesson, two-week program.

There will be three sessions: the weeks of Jan. 7 and 14, Jan. 21/28 and Feb. 4/11. For information call the rec department at 455-6620.

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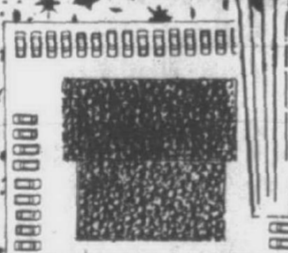
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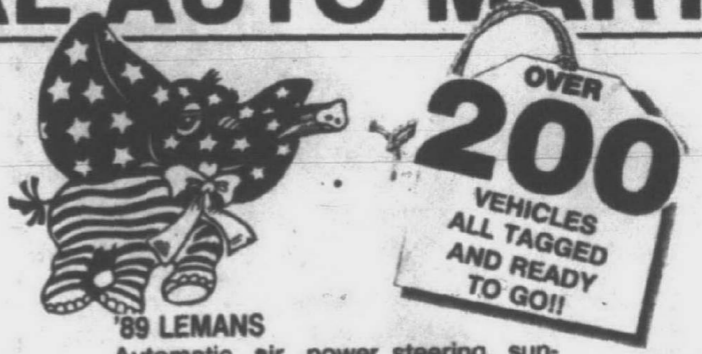


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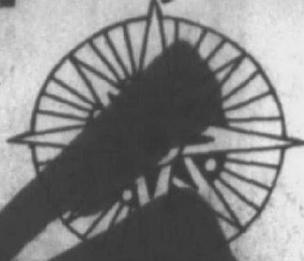
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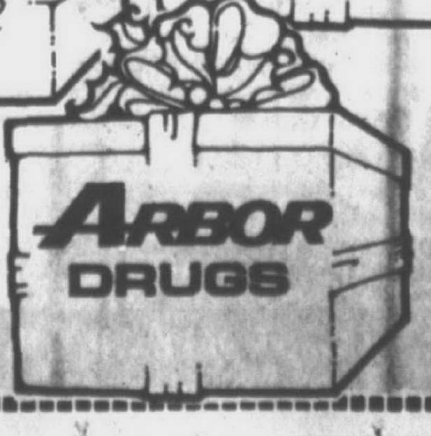
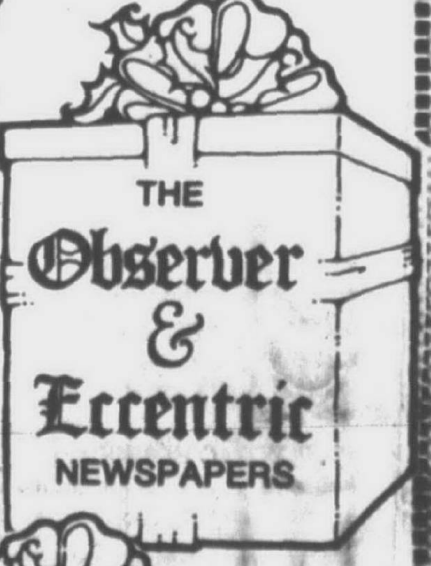
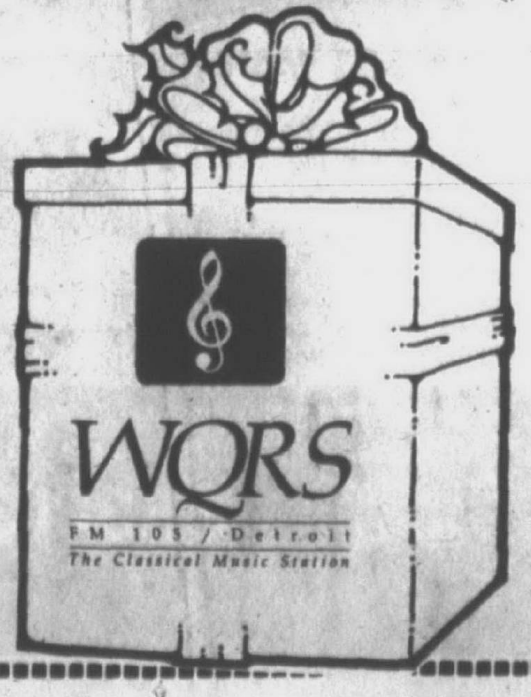
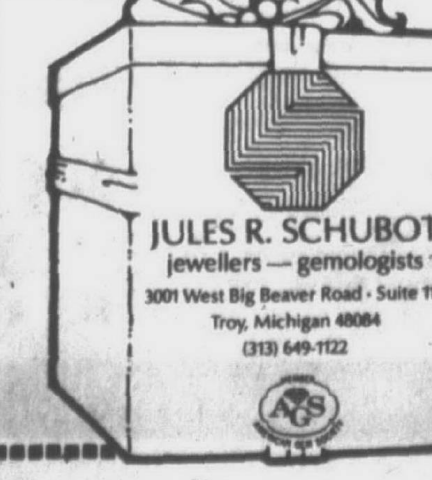


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COVER STORY

His Name is Alive

Warren Defever's band, His Name is Alive, masters the stage in a recent show at the Majestic Theater after a stunning studio debut, "Livonia" on AD records. You'll find Larry O'Connor's review of the concert on page three.

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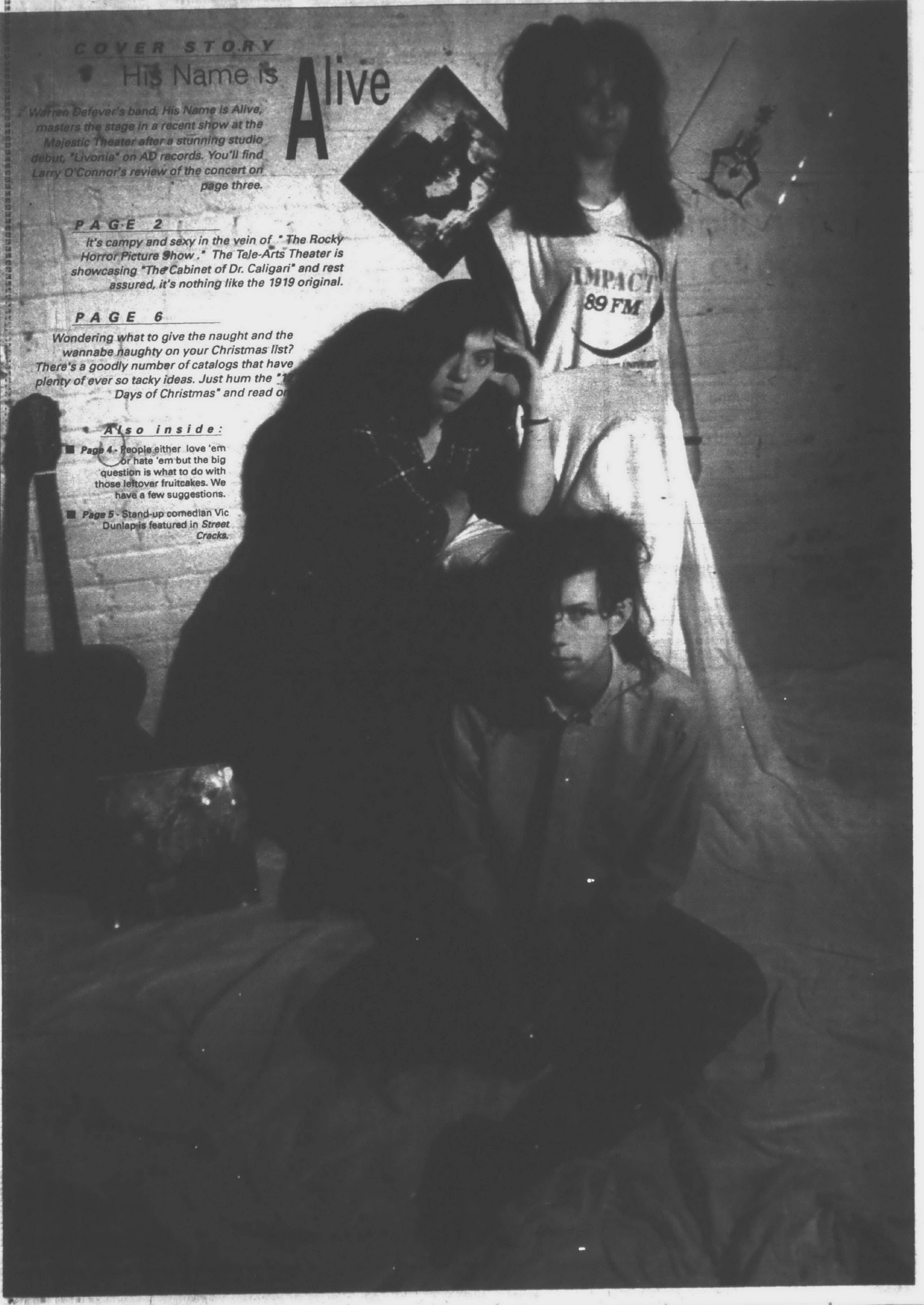
It's campy and sexy in the vein of "The Rocky Horror Picture Show." The Tele-Arts Theater is showcasing "The Cabinet of Dr. Caligari" and rest assured, it's nothing like the 1919 original.

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Wondering what to give the naught and the wannabe naughty on your Christmas list? There's a goodly number of catalogs that have plenty of ever so tacky ideas. Just hum the "12 Days of Christmas" and read on.

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MOVING PICTURES



Sean Connery and Michelle Pfeiffer become entangled in a web of international espionage which tests the limits of glasnost in "The Russia House."

Last of holiday releases are good to not so good

The pre-Christmas rush to attract holiday dollars at the box office peaks this week with the Christmas Day debut of Francis Ford Coppola's much-heralded and over-promoted "Godfather III." Despite Mr. Coppola's hesitancy to finish films, "Godfather III" made it to the 1990 awards sweepstakes by a slender margin. Earlier, exhibitors opened this mini-season with "Almost an Angel," "Bonfire of the Vanities," "Green Card," "Kindergarten Cop" and "The Russia House" (B+, R, 120 minutes).

The latter mixes '50s Cold War angst with Hollywood romanticism in a stylish rendition of John Le Carré's novel starring Sean Connery as the boozey Barley Blair, a British publisher who makes a lot of sense, drunk or sober, when it comes to talking about the mess we've made of our 20th century world.

Such talk by Blair at a Russian writers' conference sets off a chain of events that are sometimes difficult to follow. The film's structure has interesting convolutions as it continually bends back on itself to reveal new information while, at the same time, overlapping sequences.

The latter may very well be the way of the world of espionage. Nonetheless it is sometimes difficult to follow, particularly with the extensive performance in accented English — British and Russian-style.

The film's excellent photography by Ian Baker ("Roxanne" and "A Cry in the Dark") is a mixed blessing since there's a bit too much "local color" footage in Russia, Portugal, England and Canada. This isn't supposed to be a travelogue.

DESPITE SUCH complaints, the film is as literate amplification of the nagging question lurking in every glasnostic statement: Can democracy triumph over the better interests of the military and munitions manufacturers? The answer in "The Russia House" is no. That's probably realistic given the problems boiling just under the surface of our current celebration on ending 40 years of Cold War conflict.

Boozy Blair (Connery) is unwillingly plunged into just such a maelstrom by comments he makes which touch the soul of a mysterious Russian, Dante (Klaus Maria Brandauer), who uses his friend, Katya (Michelle Pfeiffer), as a conduit to the west.

Tom Stoppard wrote the very literate scenario from a le Carré novel while Connery, Brandauer and Pfeiffer deliver their lines with superb professionalism. If the premise of "The Russia House" is correct and glasnost and Gorbachov are bad for the military and the munitions merchants, then the Red Army and the KGB will soon reassert Stalinist tendencies in Russian society and "The Russia House" cynicism will prove prophetic.

No such luck in "The Godfather, Part III" (C+, R, 161 minutes) which is a disappointing film mostly because the tradition has become a formula. There's the requisite family party, a street fair, English subtitles, the obligatory trip to Sicily and a young upstart looking to assume the mantle of power from an aging Godfather.

ON ITS OWN, the film doesn't have much to say and as part of the trilogy founders dismally with uneven scripting and acting. It's impossible to find any enjoyment without renting Parts I and II prior to seeing Part III.

In and of itself that would not be a major flaw except that it serves to remind the audience just how much Robert Duvall is missed and that the Corleone saga was best left completed in 1974.



the movies

Dan Greenberg

Grading the movies

A+	Top marks - sure to please
A	Close behind - excellent
A-	Still in running for top honors
B+	Pretty good stuff, not perfect
B	Good
B-	Good but notable deficiencies
C+	Just a cut above average
C	Mediocre
C-	Not so hot and slipping fast
D+	The very best of the poor stuff
D	Poor
D-	It doesn't get much worse
F	Truly awful
Z	Reserved for the colossally bad
*	No advanced screening

As in the past, this "Godfather" is beautifully photographed and richly detailed. Sofia Coppola as Mary Corleone, Michael's daughter, is not without talent. However, she is not ready for this role. Her valley-girl snarl and mannerisms along with a somewhat distant approach make her character unsympathetic.

Despite her parent's agony, her accidental death at the end of the film is somehow satisfying for the audience. Unfortunately, this is not what writer/director/producer/father, Francis Ford Coppola intended. On the other hand, Al Pacino, Andy Garcia and Talia Shire give magnificent performances.

Pacino's Michael Corleone, in failing health at 60, has developed a conscience and harbors bitter regrets about his violent life. Coppola, though, overstates his case with religious and operatic symbolism and occasionally boring pontification.

GARCIA IS Vincent Mancini, Sonny's illegitimate son, in a stunningly brash and boisterous performance. Shire returning as Michael's sister, Connie, is both a moralist and a feminist. Connie actually orders a hit and Michael's lieutenants carry it out.

The plot suggest a Mafia-related Vatican conspiracy was behind the death of Pope John Paul I and that the bad guys were the ones wearing the robes. It's an interesting twist but one that's lost unless the audience is already aware of these conspiracy theories. Certainly, "The Godfather, Part III" is worth seeing. Just don't judge it by the standards its predecessors set. (Reviewed by Susan Finckham)

Like "Godfather III," "Bonfire of the Vanities" (C+, R, 120 minutes) is a major production with everything in its favor yet the payoff is not all that satisfying.

Both films raise the question, "Do megabucks make good movies?" Certainly, in "Godfather" and "Bonfire" all that money pays off in slick looking productions which capture and hold the eye with excellent performance, fine music, superior looking scenes — and so on down the line of film techniques.

But it still doesn't make a good movie. "Bonfire of the Vanities" probably will grab and hold audience

attention but when it's all over, there's certain to be some wonder as to whether or not the two hours of over-yupified exaggerations were worth it.

Based on Tom Wolfe's novel and directed by Brian DePalma, the episodic structure of "Bonfire" revolves around a drunken reporter, Peter Fallow (Bruce Willis).

With a good deal of voice-over narration and commentary, Fallow tells the story of one Sherman McCoy (Tom Hanks), a terrifically successful broker who lives in a \$6 million Park Avenue condo with his unbelievably pretentious wife Judy (Kim Cattrall). They have a little daughter, Campbell (Kristen Durst) who has more screen time than character.

SHERMAN MCCOY also has a mistress, Maria Ruskin (Melanie Griffith), who is married to an older gentleman, Arthur Ruskin (Alan King). One night after Sherman meets Maria at the airport, he gets lost in the Bronx on the way back to Manhattan. As they struggle out of the Bronx, Maria runs down a young black man, Henry Lamb (Patrick Maione), while driving Sherman's car.

In the ensuing turmoil, the film supposedly dissects the politics of justice and the antics of media, religion, government and the money classes as each manipulates the system for their own benefit.

The results, however, turn out to be a jumbled caricature which continually shifts from one sub-plot to another. There's Fallow's search for love, truth and the "great story," told via voice-over.

That might have been an effective technique, if used consistently, but just as viewers settle in with that, the film reverts to standard narrative mode, telling of Sherman McCoy's downfall and a variety of sub-plots: Maria's husband and other lovers, Sherman's wife and other Park Avenue yuppies and Sherman's search for himself. The last involves reconciliation with his father (Donald Moffat).

THERE'S ALSO Rev. Bacon (John Hancock) and District Attorney Abe Weiss (uncredited) who use and abuse the media. The last come off poorly as a shabby crowd of jackals.

The exaggerated characterizations and distorted camera angles are strangely unrealistic, particularly for a film purporting to treat with contemporary society and issues. Maybe it's all summed up in Judge White's (Morgan Freeman's) concluding monologue which reeks with the cloying sincerity popular in '50s style high school pageants.

Despite its attractive veneer, it's a shame so much has been expended for such little gain.

On a much lighter note, "Kindergarten Cop" (B-, PG-13, 105 minutes) gives us a sappy and contrived plot but the kids are cute and Arnold Schwarzenegger is macho even though the art for this film suggests that Mr. Muscles has changed his venue.

But he's still a cop and goes undercover with his partner, Phoebe O'Hara (Pamela Reed), to ferret out the wife of a murderer and drug dealer, Cullen Crisp (Richard Tyson). Crisp's wife, Joyce (Penelope Ann Miller), supposedly has escaped with \$3 million in drug money. Joyce has a six-year-old child.

THE PLOT MAY get more complicated but it doesn't get much better. What is worthwhile is Schwarzenegger's interaction with a classroom of six-year-olds.

Ready or not, kindergarten teacher is his cover while searching for

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ALTERNATIVE VIEWING

'Caligari:' Movie mayhem

By John Monaghan
special writer

"The Cabinet of Dr. Caligari," one of the most famous of German silent films, tells the story of an evil "magician" and his homicidal sleepwalking slave. Some film theorists insist that it anticipated Hitler's rise to power.

Analysis of a new "Dr. Caligari," playing for the next two weekends at the downtown Tele-Arts Theatre, may not be so heady. Although full of symbolism and surrealism, the new Caligari is basically a free-wheeling 80-minute sex joke about mental health... Which isn't all that bad.

At its most stylized and free-form, Stephen Sayadian's "Dr. Caligari" is a midnight movie in the "Rocky Horror" vein, full of wild images and characters. It even does its own gender-bending with the title character.

This Caligari, you see, is the granddaughter of the infamous doctor. Her asylum, sporting a "better

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living through chemistry" sign at the entrance, houses the victims of sinister experiments.

"JUICE ME. I'm a shiver boy. I'm a hunk of electrified corpuscles," babbles psycho-cannibal Gus Pratt, begging for another jolt of electroshock therapy. After getting it, he coos, "It's like a thousand points of light."

The movie's full of crazy lines, some offensive, some funny, and almost all quotable. Caligari has the best ones. When another doctor informs her that she is defying the laws of reality, she counters, "This is the only reality. And I write the laws."

As Caligari, Argentinian actress Madeline Reynal is both seductive

and horrifying. Sporting a short, skin-tight nurse's uniform and a Cleopatra haircut, she poses more than she acts. Like all the actors, she plays her part with dead-pan seriousness.

Laura Albert plays a housewife brought to Caligari's asylum for treatment.

"My wife and I had a normal sex life in accordance with church values," her husband confesses. "Now, I wake up at 4:15, she's buck naked and squawking for Sinatra!"

LIKE THE 1919 original, this "Dr. Caligari" is not for all tastes.

The woman has creepy dreams and hallucinations, which include sex with a life-sized kiewpie doll and a huge, throbbing flesh monster oozing at her through an open door.

But this kind of comedy isn't supposed to be pretty. For the ever-discriminating and not easily shocked, "Dr. Caligari" administers a gleefully grotesque shot of the truly bizarre.

SCREEN SCENE

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"To the Limit" (USA - 1990), through April 1991. The latest Omnimax spectacular intercuts amazing athletic feats with an analysis of how muscles and blood meet the challenge. Not intended for people with claustrophobia, the movie becomes a first-person "Fantastic Voyage" into the human body.

MAPLE THEATRE, 4135 W. Maple, Bloomfield. Call 855-9090 for show times. (\$5.50 general, \$3.50 twilight)

The Maple returns to showing primarily mainstream movies during the holidays. The only alternative title:

"C'est La Vie" (France - 1989). The effects of separation and divorce are felt by all members of a

family during a summer vacation in 1958 France. Director Diane Kurys based the story on her own early life.

MICHIGAN THEATRE, 16301 E. Liberty, Ann Arbor, 669-8397. (\$4.50; \$3.50 students/seniors)

"The Icicle Thief" (Italy - 1989), through Jan. 17 (call for showtimes). Comic filmmaker Maurizio Nichetti (sometimes described as "the Italian Woody Allen") created this surreal comedy in homage to "The Bicycle Thief." Nichetti plays a filmmaker horrified by the mutilation of his masterpiece on television, where commercials break into the action at the worst possible moments. Soon the black-and-white film world and real world of color meld, causing epic mayhem. Lots of fun.

"Akira" (Japan - 1989). 9:10 p.m. Dec. 29; 8:10 p.m. Dec. 30. This brilliantly realized animated feature is set in Neo-Tokyo circa 2019, years after atomic holocaust. In it, a mo-

torcycle gang gets mixed up with a secret government project.

REDFORD THEATRE, 17860 Lasher, Detroit 537-2560. (\$2.50)

"Follow the Fleet" (USA - 1936). 8 p.m. Dec. 29-30 (organ overture at 7:30 p.m.) Sailors Fred Astaire and Randolph Scott romance Ginger Rogers and Harriet Hilliard in this musical favorite. Full of great Irving Berlin numbers, including "Let's Face the Music and Dance" and "Let Yourself Go."

TELE-ARTS THEATRE, 1540 Woodward, Detroit 963-8690. (\$4; \$3 students/seniors)

"Dr. Caligari" (USA - 1990), through Jan. 8 (call for showtimes). A midnight movie remake of the German silent classic finds the infamous doctor's granddaughter conducting bizarre experiments on hapless patients. Colorful, campy entertainment should please "Rocky Horror" fans.

— John Monaghan

VIDEO VIEWING

By Dan Greenberg
special writer

"It's a long, long way from May to December," but Media Home Entertainment released "May Wine" (1990, R, 90 minutes) Dec. 19. Despite a "name cast" and some pretty decent production values, it's a long, long way from "May Wine" to the polished, sophisticated comedy of sexual manners that Carol Wiseman thought she was directing.

The story opens in southern California but spends most of its screen time in Paris with a good deal of nice scenery. But the travelogue thing is overdone and far too predictable these days.

So is this story of a bored, pampered wife, Lorraine (Joanna Cassidy), who also runs some kind of a women's clothing operation — an L.A. boutique, no doubt. She takes her daughter, Cammie (Lara Flynn Boyle), to Paris with a buying trip as her cover, but she's really looking for sexual thrills. So's Cammie.

Both leave male companions behind — Lorraine her husband, Tom (Paul Freeman), and Cammie a sullen, semi-live-in boyfriend.

IN WHAT IS no doubt intended as a comedy of sexual manners for liberated feminists, the girls both forget to pack their birth control devices and, quite predictably, wind up visiting the same gynecologist, Dr. Charmant (Guy Marchand). The level that much of this film operates on is indicated by the rather adolescent pun involved in the good doctor's name.

Also quite predictably, both wom-

Daughter Cammie is a lot more sophisticated about the whole thing than dear Mama.

en wind up having an affair with that same doctor. Comic potential abounds and there are plenty of mistaken identity situations, but too often the rendition is sappy, particularly Cassidy's fluttery delivery, no doubt pretending to be overwhelmed and innocent when Dr. Charmant turns up the charm. "Who, for little ol' me?"

"Yes, lady, you know the score, why pretend otherwise?" It doesn't wash.

Daughter Cammie is a lot more sophisticated about the whole thing than dear Mama. Besides Boyle's performance, Marchand is effective as the double-dealing gynecologist, although "May Wine" could have used more of the very dry and excellent bouquet exhibited in one exchange between him and the hotel concierge (Andre Penvern). Like the wine of the title, the film has its moments.

"May Wine" has considerably more promise than it deserves. After all, this is the age of liberation and women ought to have the same freedom men do to commit adultery, behave immorally and debase themselves in front of their families. Right? Isn't that what equality is all about?

Of course not, but that seems to be "May Wine's" faulty premise. If the film were better done that might

have been overlooked, but not so in this case.

After 10 months and a \$10 million box office take, Kenneth Branagh's "Henry V" is now available on video cassette. This "Henry" received Oscar nominations for best actor and director and won best costume design in 1989. It's a visual treat and just right for the Shakespeare and drama buffs on your last-minute shopping list.

FOR THE children, try "The Ewok Adventure," available from MGM/UA Home Video since Dec. 19. The furry creatures who debuted in "Return of the Jedi" reprise on home video in this adventure of Mace and his sister, Cindel, who make friends with a magical Ewok and set out to find their missing parents.

Four children's classics are available from Playhouse Video. "Repert," a 1988 BBC production is all about a popular British comic strip character, Rupert the Bear, who has been running in British newspapers since 1920. This tape runs 57 minutes.

"Repert and the Runaway Dragon," (BBC, 1990, 36 minutes), "Winnie-the-Pooh" (BBC, 1989, 57 minutes) and "My Family and Other Animals" (BBC, 1989, 230 minutes) round out this release.

The last is based on the childhood experiences of Gerald Durrell, a naturalist, and his famous novelist brother, Lawrence Durrell. It's a charming adventure to be enjoyed by the entire family.

Merry Christmas to all and happy viewing in the new year.



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MONTH YEAR

STREET BEATS

His Name is Alive triumph on stage

By Larry O'Connor
staff writer

"Livonia" by His Name is Alive is a brooding masterpiece, bordering on apocalyptic. An undertone of redemption through its heavenly vocals only adds to its brilliance.

But is His Name is Alive real or are they Memorex?

Many have pondered this since the release of the stunning "Livonia" on the British independent label 4AD.

After all, the LP in all its tape-spliced glory and nuances — ghostly moans, soil hitting caskets, dun-

geon echoes and angetic whispers — wouldn't seem to translate the restrained boundaries of a live show.

Added to the intrigue on this night at the Majestic Theatre is the anonymity surrounding the band itself. His Name is Alive is faceless, the sum total of many diverse musical talents coordinated by Warren Defever of Livonia.

After inside Out's rousing set, the cloud of mystery only expands.

A woman dressed head to toe in black goes around lighting candles (making us wonder if this instead is a séance to bring back Houdini). Defever strategically places a sol-

emn figure of a dead tree and of a creature on the stage.

AT 12:50 A.M., the house lights go off. A shadowy figure emerges against a white backdrop and begins some Cocteau Twins-inspired guitar strumming.

An eeriness creeps into these proceedings, only enhanced by the burning wax that sings our nostrils. Another figure appears.

From the darkness comes a voice — so soothing, almost celestial. It's become clear Karin Oliver will take us by the hand and lead through the ominous tunnel of this musical journey. Fears are al-

laid, trepidations annulled — at least for the moment.

After the opening strains of "Reincarnation," the duo is joined on stage by the rest of the band.

From the onset, it's quite apparent this is not the usual "Hey-dude-let's-rock'n'roll-play-12-songs-do-an-obligatory-encore" type of show.

Another thing is apparent. This is not an exact duplication of "Livonia." Some numbers bridge naturally, others veer off into their own fields. The presentation, itself, is far more electric and pulsating than the LP.

Defever and his guitar playing cohort, Jynn Auge, delve into the realm of psychedelia at times. Other guitar fare comes across as atmospheric, almost pristine in its haunting introspection.

ON THIS night, "Fossil" is unrelenting. Defever and his band mates feed off one another's amplifier feedback. The crescendo is complete with Defever breaking off into a mesmerizing guitar solo.

Melissa's acoustic guitar tempers the mood. "Charmer," a new tune in the His Name is Alive arsenal provides a well-needed respite.

The rhythm section is in sync. Damian Lang provides the thunder and an overall feeling the demons are approaching only a few steps behind. Auge and Defever, switching out on bass, judiciously interject the proper thud of intensity.

Then there is Oliver, our appointed guide on this trip. She becomes totally enraptured in the music, contorting herself wildly to the psychosis-induced beat between vocal lines.

She seldom interacts with the audience, only to apologize for an aborted gig at Saint Andrew's Hall and to mention that T-shirts will be on sale afterwards in the lobby.

Also, as with the rest of band, Oliver's face is barely visible against the shadows and the surreal images flashed on the backdrop by the projectionist.

With the all-black garb and rigid dance steps, one would hazard to guess Dieter from "Sprockets" is her choreographer. Her ethereal voice, though, is her saving grace.

If people arrived expecting to better know His Name is Alive, they left disappointed. A few ticks after 2 a.m., the band exited the stage. No encore, a smattering of awkward applause.

Instead as the house lights came on, there was a quiet uneasiness. His Name is Alive had done their job.



SCOTT MICK

Karin Oliver may not have interacted with the audience, but her ethereal voice, her saving grace, was there to entertain the audience.

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Getta Grip & Friends will perform Wednesday, Dec. 26, at the Blind Pig, 208 S. First, Ann Arbor. For information, call 996-8555.

● **SEE DICK RUN**
See Dick Run will perform Thursday, Dec. 27, at Club 3-D, 1815 N. Manor, north of 13 Mile Road, Royal Oak. For information, call 589-3344.

● **JAMES GLASS**
James Glass will perform Thursday, Dec. 27, at Jameson's, 1812 N. Main, Royal Oak. For information, call 547-6470.

● **TRINIDAD TRIPOLI**
Trinidad Tripoli Steel Band will perform Thursday, Dec. 27, at the Blind Pig, 208 S. First, Ann Arbor. For information, call 996-8555. The band also performs Friday, Dec. 28, at Club Heidelberg, 215 N. Main, Ann Arbor. For information, call 994-3582.

● **HAPPY ACCIDENTS**
Happy Accidents will perform with guests, The Dilrods, Friday, Dec. 28, at Finney's Pub, 3965 Woodward, Detroit. For information, call 831-8070.

● **THE DREAM**
The Dream will perform Friday, Dec. 28, at Jameson's, 1812 N. Main, Royal Oak. For information, call 547-6470.

● **PHINEAS GAGE**
Phineas Gage will perform Friday, Dec. 28, at Lili's 21, 2930 Jacob, Hamtramck. For information, call 875-6555.

● **SCOTT MORGAN**
Scott Morgan will perform Friday, Dec. 28, at the Blind Pig, 208 S. First, Ann Arbor. For information, call 996-8555.

● **ORANGE ROUGHIES**
Orange Roughies will perform Friday, Dec. 28, at Paycheck's, 2932 Caniff, off Jos Campau, Hamtramck. Missionary Stew opens. For information, call 872-8934.

● **BLUESMATIC**
Bluesmatics will perform Friday, Dec. 28, at Auburn Lanes/Village Pub, 27 South Squirrel, Auburn Heights. For information, call 852-1710.

● **TRACY LEE & THE LEONARDS**
Tracy Lee & the Leonards will perform Saturday, Dec. 29, at the Blind Pig, 208 S. First, Ann Arbor. For information, call 996-8555.

● **THE GENERALS**
The Generals will perform with guests, Amoeba Men, Saturday, Dec. 29, at Finney's Pub, 3965 Woodward, Detroit. For information, call 831-8070.

● **BOB (HARVEY)**
Bob (harvey) will perform Saturday, Dec. 29, at the Majestic Theatre, 4120 Woodward, Detroit. The Sun Messengers



Missionary Stew will open for Orange Roughies Friday, Dec. 28, at Paycheck's Lounge, 2932 Caniff, Hamtramck. For information, call 872-8934.

will open. Tickets are \$10. Doors open 9 p.m. For information, call 833-9700.

● **ELVIS HITLER**
Elvis Hitler will perform Saturday, Dec. 29, at Club Exit, 29461 John R, near 12 Mile, Madison Heights. For information, call 589-3344.

● **PASSENGERS**
Passengers will perform Saturday, Dec. 29, at Jameson's, 1812 N. Main, Royal Oak. For information, call 547-6470.

● **JEANNE AND THE DREAMS**
Jeanne and the Dreams will perform Saturday, Dec. 29, at Club Heidelberg, 215 N. Main, Ann Arbor. For information, call 994-3582.

● **HARMONICA SHAH**
Harmonica Shah will perform Saturday, Dec. 29, at Moby Dicks, 5452 Schaefer, Dearborn. For information, call 581-3650.

● **HANNIBALS**
The Hannibals will open for See Dick Run Saturday, Dec. 29, at Lili's 21, 2930 Jacob, off Jos Campau, Hamtramck. For information, call 875-6555.

● **THE KNAVES**
The Knaves will perform Sunday, Dec. 30, at Lili's 21, 2930 Jacob, off Jos Campau, Hamtramck. The Covingtons will open. Cover is \$2. For information, call 875-6555.

● **FRANK ALLISON & THE ODD SOX**
Frank Allison & the Odd Sox will perform New Year's Eve Monday, Dec. 31, at Club Heidelberg, 215 N. Main, Ann Arbor. For information, call 994-3582.

● **GEORGE BEDARD AND THE KINGPINS**
George Bedard and the Kingpins will perform Monday, Dec. 31, at the Blind Pig, 208 S. First, Ann Arbor. For information, call 996-8555.

● **NINE INCH NAILS**
Nine Inch Nails will perform Monday, Dec. 31, at the Latin Quarter, 3067 E. Grand Blvd., Detroit. Tickets are \$20 in advance. For information, call 99-MUSIC.

CUTTING EDGE

Here are the top 10 albums receiving air play on "The Cutting Edge," which is heard 8 p.m. to 3 a.m. on CIMX-FM 88.7.

1. "Ritual de lo Habitual," Jane's Addiction
2. "Gala," Lush
3. "Brick by Brick," Iggy Pop
4. "Mixed Up," The Cure
5. "Heart-Shaped World," Chris Isaak
6. "Ghost of a Dog," Edie Brickell & New Bohemians
7. "Cake," Trash Can Sinistras
8. "Bona Drag," Morrissey
9. "Hell's Ditch," The Pogues
10. "One Simple Word," The Conells

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LOCAL

Here are the top 10 songs on "Detroit Music Scene," which is heard 4-5 p.m. Sundays (repeated 5:30-6:30 p.m. Tuesdays) on WDTR-FM 90.9.

1. "Drain," The Gear
2. "I'm Free," Knaves
3. "Precious Marigold," Wrath of Christian
4. "Roomful of Train," Hannibals
5. "The Spider on My Arm," Ragnar Kvaran
6. "Ask Me Another Day," Inside Out
7. "On Christmas," Dog Latin
8. "Whipping Boy," Blue Numbus
9. "The Passion," Walkin' Stick
10. "Railroad Bill," Andy Breckman

MUSIC NOTES

In these times of corporate mergers, it only seems natural some local bands do the same. Bits and pieces of other groups have pooled efforts recently. The results are a bit intriguing.

The hard-rocking Trancheons with Karen Monster joining forces with Vertical Pillow alumnus Paula Boufford and Monic Reynolds and former Plasma Bat member Raquel Salasay is the best known of these conglomerates.

Another one to develop is Thunder

Harp Choir, featuring former members of Robb Roy (Graham Strachan, Mike Martin and Jay Kuhn) and Jugglers and Thieves (Chrissey McCall). The group performed an eclectic, not to mention enjoyable, folk-rock set in the recent WLLZ-FM's "Meals for Wheels" benefit at Key West in Detroit.

Also, Vicious Prunes is a new outfit that includes Scott Campbell, Robert Gillespie (Mitch Ryder), Rich Cole (Romantics) and Glynna Scanlon (Mister X and the Idiots).

For now, the group is a studio outfit. Though Campbell added playing live gigs is not being ruled out.

From Chaos Network's Sue Summers comes word that power-chord gonzo outfit Culture Bandits has been selected one of 16 semifinalists in the annual Snickers New Music Search '90.

The trio of Ken Haas, Terry Bradley and Jason Bowes was selected from hundreds of tapes sent by radio stations across the country. Winners will be featured on a compilation al-

bum that is distributed to 300 radio stations nationwide.

Also, a vote from a recent broadcast was taken to determine the top five acts of the finalist pool. The band bringing in the most tallies receives a recording contract with EMI Records.

Those merry hipsters at WOUX-AM, campus station of Oakland University, sponsored the band.

Culture Bandits are expected to

REVIEWS

FROM CAN TO CAN'T — The Hannibals

All the elements are there for comparisons: jangly guitars, guys from a college town and, well, do we have to spell it out for you? R.E.M.

More often than not, though, comparisons are lazy. They supply an easy-to-affix label for those lost for descriptive words.

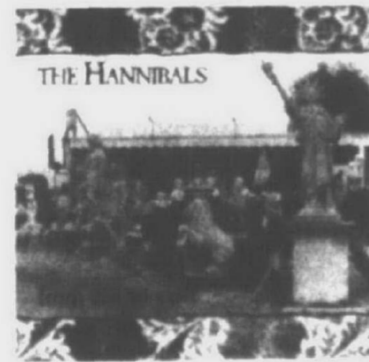
"From Can to Can't," the East Lansing-based outfit's latest release, will bring to mind the Athens, Ga., rockers just in terms of the guitar-based sound, which is a pleasant blend of acoustic folk and electric strumming, bountiful without being busy.

Aside from that, the Hannibals chart their own course with a canny knack for putting forth some unrelenting hooks and lyrics that are quite visual in scope.

And, besides, you can hear what Chris Johnston is singing.

With no political axes to grind, Chris Geherin's songs take the boundless feel of pencil sketches done in an open field. "Hammer of Rain," for example, aches and patches the throat as Johnston yearns for some precipitation.

"Sway Like a Reed" possesses a similar heartland feel, but the Hannibals' songs are by no means anthemic in the John Cougar Mellen-camp sense of the word.



However, there is a tendency to rely a little heavy on the Jerry Hoda Book of Songwriting with constant references to clouds, rain, wind and sun. All that is missing is the temperature.

It's rock'n'roll you want? Well, rock'n'roll it is in "Wandering Eye" and "Roomful of Train." "Roomful of Train," in particular, is a scorcher with a buzz saw of guitar activity capped off by some bouyant harmonies.

Which brings us to Johnston's vocals. He's not exactly Pavarotti, but his distinctive throaty moan provides an edge to many of these songs. He knows when to carry a note to the proper point of execution.

In fact, execution is something the Hannibals do well in all aspects of this release.

— Larry O'Connor

SOUTHGOING ZAK — Southgoing Zak

Let's go out on a limb here. Southgoing Zak's debut six-song cassette is one of the best local releases of the year.

No kidding. This Zak is an Ann Arbor-based group and was named after a Dr. Seuss character, the Southgoing Zak. Southgoing Zak changed the spelling so Dr. Seuss wouldn't get mad. They probably needn't have bothered — Dr. Seuss doesn't seem like he'd be a big meanie about the matter. But I digress.

On to the music. Imagine the Pogues fronted by Elvis Costello. Or the English Beat with less of a reggae sound. Somewhere in between there is what Southgoing Zak sounds like.

The lyrics of the three song writers in the group — Per Boland (guitar, backing vocals), John Marshall (backing vocals, guitar, harmonica) and Mike Heasler (bass, guitar) are consistently strong and of equal quality, so the words seem to come from a single source, instead of from three different writers. Of course, when someone with as a strong voice as singer Dan Bellus handles the words, they could be about anything and still sound good. Bellus' deep, passionate voice is the sort that could make a song like "Row, Row, Row Your Boat" sound like a great tune.

The band recorded the cassette at



Southgoing ZAK

a place called White Rose Studios. The production values on "Southgoing Zak" are excellent. From the clear vocals to the shimmering harmonica sounds, this tape sounds more professional than most of the professional tapes that cross my desk.

The Zak's, to their credit, aren't afraid to be experimental with the sounds on their tape. Instruments like a harmonica and a jew's-harp add a bit of an Irish folk quality to their songs. Lead guitarist Boland puts his instrument through the paces as he tests out different sounds. His tests usually pay off with interesting results.

"Storm," "Still Life," "President's Day" and "Old Hempville Road" are all tunes along a similar line — danceable, energetic and a little Irish sounding. "From a Hill" is a bit swirly. It sounds like an old, sort of melancholy folksy song that you once know. It's almost nostalgic.

But enough of this slobbering praise. Buy the tape for yourself and make up your own gushing prose.

— Jill Hamilton

HOLD ME UP — Goo Goo Dolls

Well, with the Replacements releasing "All Shook Down," essentially a Paul Westerberg solo project, the world is looking for a replacement for the Replacements.

Enter the Goo Goo Dolls.

This trio of musicians — George, Johnny and Robby — sound more like the Replacements than the current version of the Replacements sound themselves. The Goo Goo Dolls have got that garagey, rough-hewn Minneapolis sound down pat. Plus, one of these three first-name-only guys (I don't know which — they all take turns singing) has a gravely Paul Westerberg-esque voice. A fun game idea: Play the Goo Goo Dolls "Just the Way You Are" or "There You Are" for a friend and have them try to guess the band.

The one major difference between the two bands is that the Goo Goo Dolls don't have the recurring penchant for writing ballads that Westerberg does. Save for "Two Days in February" and the 22-second long ditty "23 Seconds," the Goo Goo Dolls eschew anything that hints of mellowness.

The rest of the album is pure raggedy rock'n'roll. "So Out of Line" starts at a frantic pace and doesn't let up. Same with raucous tunes like "Hey" and "Out of the Red."

For "Hold Me Up," the Goo Goo Dolls selected an odd pair of songs to



cover. One is a Goo Goo Dolls version of Prince's "Never Take the Place of Your Man." The singing chores on this number are handled by special guest vocalist "the incredible Lance Diamond."

The Dolls turn the songs into a rocker, a bit like the Hindu Love God's version of "Raspberry Beret." The other cover is a version of the Plimsoules "Million Miles Away." You may remember the original song from the movie "Valley Girl."

The rest of the album proceeds at a manic pace, highlighting some wild drumming, killer guitar licks and general wildness — good stuff. Hopefully, these Goo Goo Dolls will be more successful at being the Replacements than the Replacements were.

— Jill Hamilton

STREET SENSE

Decision is a step toward change

Dear Barbara Schiff, Hi. I've written you before. You may be able to recognize my handwriting, but this letter is of a different nature.

I have such trouble dealing with people. I need some sort of help or advice. I hate being a loner and it's sort of just the way I am. I'm unsure around people I'd like to be friends with. When I talk, most times it's like I say something dumb or worse, so one's even listening. Sometimes I get to feeling that I do all the "giving." Or maybe I'm caring too much about what others think of me.

All I know is, I'm really lonely. I'm 20 and I just want to go out with friends and have some fun! (A boyfriend wouldn't hurt either!) I know I'm not a geek even though I feel like one. And I don't think a "Dale Carnegie course" or "How to Be Popular" book will really help.

I've got to get a life. What can I do? What am I doing wrong? Please help!

L.M.A.

Dear L.M.A., I believe I know who you are. In

your first letter, you said you tell other people off when you are angry at them. In your second letter, you wrote to thank me for publishing your first letter and also said you learned from my response. I hear in this letter your sincerity in wanting to learn more.

You are strong to take responsibility for your own behavior. You do not blame others for your isolation and thus take the important step toward change.

There is no answer short enough for a letter that could give you the insight you need. Therefore, I recommend that you find a qualified therapist or support group that can help you sort through your concerns.

As you say that you do not have friends to ask, possibly you have a family doctor who could recommend a counselor. If you have a church affiliation, they may be able to refer you to a support group. Community centers and junior colleges have courses leading to increased self-awareness and understanding.

Here are three agencies - Michigan Psychiatric Society (552-8666 between 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. week-

days), Michigan Psychological Association (45-2508, and the Michigan Association of Social Workers (517-487-1548) - that may be able to help.

There is some advice I can give you now. You are defeating yourself and your quest for self-knowledge when you say "I don't think a Dale Carnegie . . . help." There are people who have started with a Dale Carnegie course, gained confidence and then gone further and dispersed into other learning experiences.

In fact, this may be the best way to start. You are not going to be an interesting person to be with by not having many interests and many activities which you enthusiastically follow. If you want other people to find you interesting, then be an interesting person.

If I am right and you are the young woman who gets angry at others and tells them off, then we can better understand your loneliness. Standing up to others in the absence of enthusiastic involvement in life's many offerings will make you a pompous bore and so avoided by others.



Barbara Schiff

I hope this has helped.

Barbara

If you have a question or a comment for Barbara Schiff, a trained therapist and experienced counselor, send it to Street Sense at 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150.

STREET SEEN Denise Susan Lucas

Our intrepid Street Scene reporter is always looking for the unusual and welcomes comments and suggestions from readers and entrepreneurs. Send those to this column in care of this newspaper, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150, or call 591-2300, Ext. 331.



Twinkle, twinkle

Add a festive glow to your home this holiday season with tinware candle holders by Jeremie. Strikingly simplistic with a warmth and personality imparted by the craftspeople, the tinware house, church and school will add to the sparkle of the season with the twinkling of a votive candle. Priced at \$36 each. Available at The Apple Wreath, 32626 W. Seven Mile Road, Livonia. Call 474-6090.



Holiday cheer

An assortment of flavorful offerings for holiday giving include custom-made gift baskets available at Hudson's. This one contains smoked salmon, mixed nuts, wild rice soup, pasta, tea, preserves, a liqueur cake and Frango chocolate. Frango chocolates are new to the Detroit area. Previously, they were only available at Marshall Fields. Perfect for holiday entertaining.



Studded with sequins

The glamour and sophistication of New Year's Eve unleashes our desire for opulence, glitter and glitz. Accessories from Janet Varner will add just the right amount of holiday sparkle to any outfit. The black sequined pouch bag and matching belt with engaged gold buckle are designed by Jill Stuart of New York. Priced at \$185 for the bag, \$65 for the belt. At Janet Varner, 321 Main, Rochester.

Gingerbread tradition

Amid the hustle and bustle of the holidays, who has time to bake and decorate traditional gingerbread houses? Local talent Janet Sauerbrey of Gingerbread Story in Southfield does it all for you. Gingerbread houses and gingerbread accessories of all sizes to spice up your life are available at Kilwin's Chocolates in Tel-Twelve Mall, M.J. Hunter and Gingerbread Story (354-1267). Little gingerbread ornaments are at Michiganiana, Jacobson's and Village Barn of Franklin. Items priced \$6-\$60.

Tapping the fruitcake potential?

By Sharon Dergay staff writer

Welcome to a fruitcake USERS manual - your gateway to creative fun, profit and a vacant space in the fridge.

Yes, it's incomprehensible but some people . . . well a lot of people really . . . OK, most people with their taste buds still intact, have a hate-freeze-trash relationship with fruitcake.

Or they actually like the stuff, but only eat one piece before stashing it behind the lettuce crisper for another year, when they take it out to terrorize friends and families and then stash it back behind the pickle jars.

Before you know it, it's Dec. 24, 1990, and they're looking at a 1982-model bundt-style fruitcake and wondering why life's bowl of cherries is trapped in booze-soaked batter.

It's because they think of fruitcake as food.

But YOU know it as a vast source of untapped potential. Take, for example, its laugh value.

"It has become a joke," said Lois Thieleke, an Oakland County Cooperative home economist who doesn't "have the nerve" to give fruitcake anymore (although she claims to occasionally buy small fruitcakes and hide pieces under cookies served to unsuspecting guests).

SHE'D NEVER suggest this to people who telephone her hotline number, but Thieleke confides that old fruitcake makes a nice traveling trophy.

"We've had a birthday cake in the freezer for about 15 years. A group of us drag it out whenever it's someone's birthday. It goes from house to house. It's done in purple and lavender frosting. We put candles in the holes, sing happy birthday and it goes back into the freezer."

She said fruitcake could become a traveling Yuletide tradition.

"The joy of using a fruitcake would be to see how long it lasts before it disintegrates - probably in the year 2025."

But why wait that long?

Pat Cornett, a culinary historian from Birmingham, said bad fruitcake makes the ideal gift for "your worst enemy." Cornett makes a "good" fruitcake without

The Delectable? Durable Fruit Cake



the heavy ingredients that turn the traditional versions into lethal weapons.

"I think fruitcake is still respectable because you can use different ingredients," Cornett said. "I think the real culinary challenge would be to try to change Jell-O. Jell-O is . . . Oh God! . . . it's anti-gourmet."

If you're into the creative visualization stuff, you might satisfy some spiritual cravings by rolling pieces of cake into balls, drying them and threading them into colorful worry beads.

A SPOKESWOMAN for New Horizon Bookshop in Livonia, said the fruit in the cake - usually cherry, pineapple, citron, orange peel, dates and raisins, may have curative benefits or mythical claims associated with their use, but "that would totally change when you're talking about candied fruit."

So, what's a dedicated New Age believer supposed to do with fruitcake? Meditate them into oblivion? Channel the spirit of Betty Crocker?

There's always pyramid power, an exacting hobby that requires scale-models of the Egyptian pyramids.

You probably can't build one out of fruitcake, but you can put a fruitcake inside one for experimentation and self-development.

"There are several different reasons why people experiment," said Harry Ruby, another New Horizon Bookshop spokesman. "It's for self-proof of what can be done. When a person sits in a pyramid over a period of time, you'll notice the person is different in some ways."

Imagine what you can do with fruitcake. The mind boggles.

YOU COULD play mad scientist with chemicals and make some very nice lapel pins (for Igor), earrings, refrigerator magnets, hot pads, ceiling tiles and suction-cupped toys for car windows.

Environmental Technology Inc., a California-based company, manufactures a casting resin and a varnishing epoxy that can preserve forever whole fruitcake, bits of fruitcake, the fruits, the nuts and the cake.

Castin' Craft and Envirotex are both available from many local craft stores, but Kerry Fink, customer service representative for ETI, says he's never cast anything as porous as fruitcake.

"You've got to make sure the fruitcake is baked very hard and dry and sealed with white glue, or the resin will soak in," he said.

Add fruitcake paperweight and fruitcake napkin holder to your Christmas 1991 giving list. Or, consider making a fruitcake sample collection with those tiny pieces you've collected through the years labeled and glued in a viewing box.

"I haven't done it before but if you pour Envirotex over that baby you can make a fruitcake wreath. Put a few holly leaves around it. Yeah, I can see a fruitcake wreath hanging on your door," Fink said.

YOU MIGHT even create a family heirloom in the process. Or start a new tradition - hosting a fruitcake shellacking party or telling fruitcake stories to loved ones on Christmas Eve.

Birmingham storyteller Marilyn O'Connor Miller uses puppets and masks but has never used fruitcake as a prop.

"Oral tradition (and she doesn't mean eating) is a wonderful thing. And it's different from people to people and family to family. But when you start something, make sure you can perpetuate it," she said.

MUSIC NOTES

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release their debut album, "I Knew," in February on Chaos Records.

And speaking of contests . . . Romeo Rock, a locally based outfit and two-time semifinalist in the Yamaha Music National Search, will be featured as a part of the televised competition 2 a.m. Tuesday, Jan. 1, on WXYZ-TV Channel 7.

National Academy of Recording Arts and Sciences (NARAS) is sponsoring a Detroit A&R showcase of talent.

Bands can send tapes to: Detroit A&R Showcase, P.O. Box 227, East Detroit 48021. Tapes must include four original songs along with name, address and telephone number of each person. Deadline for entries is Friday, Dec. 28. Tapes submitted cannot be returned.

Finalists will be notified by Friday, Jan. 4, as to who will perform their material live in front of a panel judges. The finals take place Sunday through Wednesday, Jan. 7-10, at Key West, 24230 W. Six Mile, west of Telegraph, Detroit.

Seven acts will be selected to showcase their material at 7 p.m. Monday, Feb. 11, at C.J. Barrymore's, 21750 Hall Road, Mt. Clemens.

Steven Ross Jahn, a country and western artist by way of Ypsilanti, has released a single nationally "Santa Bring My Daddy Home." The song was written with a child's viewpoint in mind, partly relating to the Midwest situation that has torn many families apart. To order the single, write to: Steven Ross Jahn, 5229 W. Michigan Ave., No. 104, Ypsilanti 48197. - Larry O'Connor

GRADING THE MOVIES

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Joyce's child. Fighting off those little devils in the classroom is a clever contrast to the usual Schwarzenegger role of fighting thugs in the streets which is where "Kindergarten Cop" begins.

"How much trouble can 6-year-olds be?" Schwarzenegger asks. Have a few laughs as he learns the truth about what goes on behind closed kindergarten doors.

Paul Hogan should stick to "Crocodile Dundee" because his rough outback charm doesn't make it as an ethereal romantic. But that's essentially the role he's written and produced for himself in "Almost an An-

gel" (C, PG, 95 minutes).

The overly long and slow opening (15 minutes) establishes Terry Dean (Hogan) as a nice guy despite the fact that he robs banks. He's paroled and goes back to robbing banks. He's killed (sort of) while saving a kid from an oncoming auto. God, or one of his representatives who looks and sounds an awful lot like Charleton Heston, gives him a second chance as a probationary angel.

Well, you've probably heard that story before and this one has occasional moments of charm but not enough to save it from the dust bin of also-rans.

Dean gets religion and winds up in a small town where he befriends a

otter, dying cripple, Steve Garner (Elias Koteas), who, with his sister, Rose (Linda Kozlowski), run a recreation center for latch-key kids who need a place to play until they don't need their latch keys - or something like that.

It's pretty thin although Hogan and Koteas have their moments and "Almost an Angel" might have worked much better as a buddy film than it does as one about ghosts returning to help humanity.

STILL PLAYING:

"Avalon" (A+, PG, 126 minutes).

Excellent film chronicles an immigrant family's successes and failures in America.

"Edward Scissorhands" (C, PG-13, 100 minutes).

Unusual young man with scissors instead of hands shakes up the suburbs after moving in with the Avon lady and her family.

"Havana" (R, R, 135 minutes). Robert Redford is high-stakes poker player in Havana just before Cuba became Castro's.

"Home Alone" (B, PG, 100 minutes). Engaging comedy about a young boy (Macaulay Culkin) left at home by accident.

"Look Who's Talking Too" (F, PG-13, 75 minutes).

Stupid sequel has nothing to offer.

"The Rookie" (D, R, 115 minutes). Travel beyond belief in this super-nacho cop film with rookie (Charlie Sheen) working with veteran (Clint Eastwood).

STREET CRACKS

Vic Dunlop finds there's life after 'Make Me Laugh'

By Bob Sadler
special writer

Before the comedy explosion in the country, there were few television shows featuring stand-up comedians on a regular basis — the ultimate, of course, being "The Tonight Show." That was the age before David Letterman, Arsenio Hall, HBO, Showtime and others were shows that performers in the clubs aspired to perform.

And then there was "Make Me Laugh" — a show that was truly ahead of its time.

Remember? A game show where contestants could win fabulous cash and prizes if they could only keep from cracking a smile and laughing aloud. That premise brought out the best in a strong cast of comedians, whose job it was to keep the booty out of the contestants' hands.

Among the resident comics on the show, which ran in first-run syndication for three seasons — 1979-1981 — were standouts like Gallagher, Howie Mandel, Bruce Baum, Bill Kirchenbauer and Vic Dunlop.

Dunlop has kept busy in the years since "Make Me Laugh." He still

spends about 30 weeks of the year on the national club circuit, which was only in its infancy at the time of the show's run.

"We (the stable of comics on 'Make Me Laugh') actually helped create that circuit," Dunlop said in a recent interview from his home in Los Angeles.

The big, boisterous Dunlop has also made appearances in five feature films, including "Meatballs 2."

"THE FILM STUNK, but I was great in it," Dunlop said with a chuckle.

His current television credits include a "Showtime Comedy All-Stars" special with Detroit's own Tim Allen, Arts & Entertainment's "An Evening at the Improv," and regular appearances on the now-defunct game show "Win, Lose or Draw."

A significant portion of Dunlop's time these days is devoted to his video production company, appropriately titled VDTV.

"I'm contagious," Dunlop said. Headquartered in Burbank, Dunlop and a staff of about eight writers and technical people work on various projects, including a new line of video comedy greeting cards.

"For a good gag greeting card today, you're likely to pay \$3-4," Dunlop explained. "For a few more bucks, you can get them a gift."

These "cards" are three-five-minute videotapes and feature Dunlop in various vignettes. He's dressed as a nurse for the "Get Well" card and

Cupid in the "Love" card. At this time, there are about a dozen video cards, and Dunlop handles his own distribution, making deals with outlets in the town he plays in and selling them after performances.

EVENTUALLY, IF the idea takes off, he would like to cut a distribution deal with Hallmark or another major greeting card company, while maintaining control over the creation and production of future video cards.

While Dunlop claims to have grown up as a person (he has been married for seven years and has inherited two children from the marriage), he still can be a crazy man on stage.

And he promises originality and zainness for his holiday appearance in Detroit, which includes special New Year's Eve shows.

"I'm going to moon the old and bring in the new."

Vic Dunlop appears Wednesday, Dec. 26, through Monday, Dec. 31, at Mark Ridley's Comedy Castle, 269 E. Fourth St., Royal Oak. For reservations and information, call 542-9900.



Vic Dunlop started out his career making people laugh so that the money stayed in the bank on "Make Me Laugh." Now, he's doing it with his own production company, VDTV.

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COMEDY CLUBS

Here are listings of some comedy clubs in our area. To let us know who is appearing at your club, send the information to: *Comedy Listings, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150.*

● MAINSTREET

Judy Tenuta will perform Friday-Saturday, Dec. 28-29, at MainStreet Comedy Showcase, 314 E. Liberty, Ann Arbor. Show times are 8:30 and 11 p.m. Friday and 7, 9 and 11 p.m.

Saturday. Also, Heywood Banks will perform New Year's Eve Monday, Dec. 31. For information, call 996-9080.

● BEA'S COMEDY KITCHEN

Downtown Tony Brown will perform along with Skeeter Murray, Marv Welch and Danny Gray Friday-Saturday, Dec. 28-29, at Bea's Comedy Kitchen, 541 Larned, Detroit. Show times are 8:30 and 11 p.m. All four comedians will perform New Year's Eve Monday, Dec. 24. Show time is 9:30 p.m. Cost is \$35 a couple. For information, call 961-2581.

● COMEDY CASTLE

Vic Dunlop will perform Tuesday-

Saturday, Dec. 26-29, at the Comedy Castle, 269 E. Fourth, Royal Oak. Show time is 7 p.m. Tuesday-Thursday and 8:30 and 11 p.m. Friday and Saturday. Dunlop will also headline a special New Year's Eve show Monday, Dec. 31. For reservations, call 542-9900.

● JOEY'S LIVONIA

Leo Dufour will perform Wednesday-Saturday, Dec. 26-29, at Joey's Comedy Club, Plymouth Road between Wayne and Levan roads, Livonia. Show times are 8:30 p.m. Wednesday, 9 p.m. Thursday and Friday and 8:30 and 10:30 p.m. Saturday. Dufour will headline a special show New Year's Eve Monday, Dec. 31. For information, call 261-0555.

● JOEY'S ALLEN PARK

Hobson will perform Wednesday-Saturday, Dec. 26-29, at Joey's Comedy Club and Sports Emporium, 15246 Southfield Road, Allen Park. Show times are 8:30 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday and 8 and 10:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday. Hobson will headline a special show New Year's Eve Monday, Dec. 31. For information, call 382-7041.

● JOEY'S AT THE ROXY

Jef Brannan will perform Wednesday-Saturday, Dec. 26-29, at Joey's Comedy Club at the Roxy, 11175 Haggerty Road, Belleville. For in-

formation, call 699-1829. Brannan will headline a special show New Year's Eve Monday, Dec. 31.

● MISS KITTYY'S

Ken Evans will perform along with Nick Paredes Thursday-Saturday, Dec. 27-29, at Miss Kitty's Comedy Club, Long Branch Restaurant, 595 N. Lapeer Road, Oxford. Show times are 8 and 10:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday. Evans will also headline a special New Year's Eve show. For information, call 628-6500.

● LOONEY BIN

Jill Washburn will perform along

with Kirk Noland and Ken Brown Friday-Monday, Dec. 28-31, at the Wolverine and Looney Bin Restaurant and Comedy Club, 1655 Glen-gary, Walled Lake. Show times are 9 p.m. Friday and 8 and 10:30 p.m. Saturday. Wednesday and Thursday shows are free. For more information, call 669-9374.

● DUFFY'S

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TACKY gifts for CHRISTMAS

By Sue Mason
staff writer

Ah, Mr. Santa, we'd like to introduce ourselves. We're time management consultants, here to solve all of your problems.

Mrs. Claus brought it to our attention that the elves have been objecting to 24-hour work days, the reindeer want cable TV in the stables so they can watch "Ernest Saves Christmas" and there's a lack of ideas on what to give people who are naughty, not nice.

Well, we realize you're about ready to pack the sleigh so for this session we'd like to focus on the naughty not nice problem.

Let's face it, Mr. Claus, with the ecology movement, lumps of coal are definitely out. People perceive you as a good person, but by giving out coal... well, you could be misconstrued as an environmental abuser. Besides, that stuff weighs down a sleigh and you know how temperamental Dancer and Prancer get about an overloaded sleigh.

What we recommend is that you get yourself an American Express gold card. We've taken the liberty to fill one out; all we need is a signature here, here and here and... Now don't have fits. Just keep in mind that this can also help resolve the problem with the elves. Now we don't want those little dudes taking a hike the most important day of the year, do we? Besides, this is the 1990s. Everyone has some kind of plastic in their pocket.

AS WE SEE it, Mr. Santa, what you save in coal costs will more than pay for the charge card and catalog orders. Yes, we're suggesting you say "charge it" and order tacky Christmas gifts for those who are naughty not nice... or nice and want to be naughty.

Look, it's easy. You can start early and even have the U.S. Postal Service or UPS do the dirty deed and deliver it. No overloaded sleigh. No 24-hour work days in the shop. It's the greatest idea since sliced bread.

Now, as your consultants, we've taken this opportunity to come up with a few suggestions. We call them "The 12 Tacky Gifts of Christmas." Just hum the tune and we'll fill in the blanks.

"On the first day of Christmas, my true love gave to me..."

This first one comes from Harriet Carter, you know, "distinctive gifts since 1958." This catalog is loaded with tacky ideas, but we feel this one's for the chauvinist on your list — a singing pig — and "that's no hogwash!"

Yes, Harriet has done it again. This plush (her words) piggy comes

dressed in a stylish knit holiday stocking cap and matching scarf. Just add two — count 'em two — AA batteries and listen to this swine give an oinkingly fine rendition of "Jingle Bells."

MAKES YOU want to go out and torch the sleigh, huh?

"On the second day of Christmas my true love gave to me..."

This one comes from Archie McPhee, Outfitters of Popular Culture. It's great for the slob on your list, you know, the person who makes Schulz' Pigpen look immaculate. It's a The Bug Gun.

For a mere \$3.25, you can arm Mr. Slob with a 5/8-inch bug flinger to catapult ("just like the ones used from 360 B.C. to 400 A.D.") soft rubber bugs and reptiles at family and friends.

Archie claims it's educational — demonstrating how a catapult works, we guess — and fun. It also can be healthy. If the yo-yo runs out of the fake bugs, he can start lobbing the real thing. One thing may lead to another and before you know, we may have clean environment. Knowwhatwemean, Mr. Claus?

"On the third day of Christmas, my true love gave to me..."

Potpourri has it all over Sports Illustrated. Mr. Claus. Forget about that useless football telephone. Potpourri has something better for the couch potato jock — an actual, rubber-soled, canvas high top ("like the one you wear") that's been converted to a telephone. The only thing missing is the foot odor.

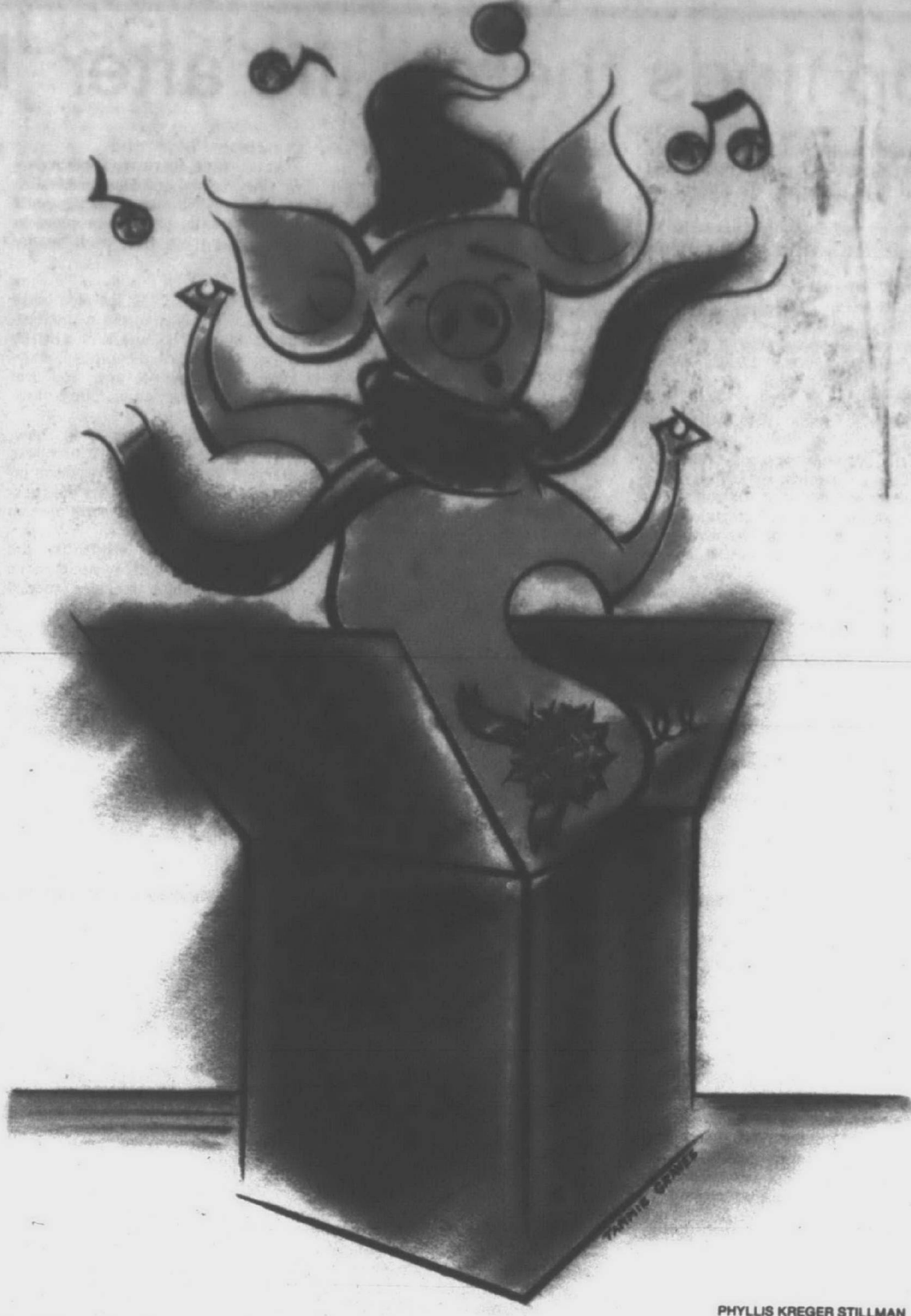
HEY, THEY spared no expense for this classy phone. Everything you'd get from Ma Belle — "high quality components, last number redial, mute, pulse/tone..." We won't bore you with the details, just the price — \$54.95.

"On the fourth day of Christmas, my true love gave to me..."

Mr. Claus, we decided this was perfect for all the pseudo-Rambos on your list. Those rough, tough He-men can show their true colors in a pair of Stars and Stripes boxer shorts with matching socks from Frederick's of Hollywood.

As the ad goes, "It's easy to feel good about being an American even if you're imported" as these are. (No, Mrs. Claus, Sly Stallone doesn't come with them.) The price is right — \$12.90 for the boxers, which come in small, medium, large and extra-large to fit all size Rambos, and the socks (one size fits all) at \$11. Great stocking stuffers, don't you think?

"On the fifth day of Christmas, my true love gave to me..."



The Opera Lite Singers — David Pulice (from left), Penny Kindraka, Betsy Bronson and Ernie Gilbert — sing Christmas carols for guests.

Santa — you don't mind if we call you Santa? — imagine this for the kid that deafens the world with his boom box, a dancing Coca-Cola can from Funny Side Up. Hey, forget about those dancing potted plants and Christmas trees. Give 'em the "Real Thing," the "carbonated party animal!"

ADD TWO AA batteries (not included) and this life-size (and you thought cans came in ounces) Coke can "rocks and rolls to music, clapping or other noise." And to fit in with the Walkman generation, it has its own shades and headphones. Everything about it is tacky, even the price — \$24.98.

"On the sixth day of Christmas, my true love gave to me..."

Listen, Santa, you know there are people out there who expect you to provide gifts for their pets. It's usually the ones with the yip-yip dogs or fuzzleball cats who are attracted to black pants. Here's a multiple choice suggestion.

For dogs, there's cruisewear (\$19.95 for small and \$24.95 for large dogs) — a swimsuit with matching shades and sailor hat — from Pedigrees, The Pet Catalog. Bonzo can look boffo for all the bo-

fettes on the beach. Or how about a four-legged hooded sweatshirt (\$17.98) from Harriet Carter for the canine jogger? Harriet says it's "perfect for walks, car trips, after bath." Sorry, Santa, coordinating sweatbands and tote bag not included.

For cats, forget those toy mice filled with catnip, their owners can get 'em buzzed with the VCR. The Plover & Hearth is peddling "For Cats' Eyes Only," video catnip "made to entertain felines." ("Take it off, baby, take it off.")

WERE TALKING 25 minutes of creatures cats love to watch — squirrels, birds and chipmunks. Get this, Mr. S. P&H says "cats have been known to become so engrossed that they sit for the duration and actually bat at the TV screen." Just think how many happy kitties you can create in this world for only \$14.95 a pop.

"On the seventh day of Christmas, my true love gave to me..."

Now, Santa, we realize this might be on the expensive side at \$365, but just think of the confusion that can be created giving it to someone who thinks they're hot stuff. They can fan

the flames or douse the fire in an honest-to-goodness New York fireman's coat from the J. Peterman Co.

Designed by "with it" fashion designers, it comes in a choice of colors — black or yellow — with a brown corduroy collar and contrasting reflective stripes. It comes with forged aluminum quick release closures, a removable thermal liner and heavy leather reinforcements on the shoulders, cuffs and 16 other stress points.

All you need is the Dalmatian.

"On the eighth day of Christmas, my true love gave to me..."

Yes, this is another pricey idea, but Santa, remember there's yuppies on your list. And, yes, we're back to man's best friend... sort of. This is for the person who wants a dog, but none of the bother. Hey, with this pooch you can forget the Gravy Train, poop patrol and getting dragged along the sidewalk.

FIDO HERE is a Doberman Pinscher made of "handcast resin, handpainted with care, catching the subtle blends of brown and black," or so says Expressions from Potpourri. We're not sure it'll fit in a stocking at 30 inches tall, but think

of the smiles on the face of that big kid who asked for a puppy for Christmas. Cost? Just \$136.

"On the ninth day of Christmas, my true love gave to me..."

They say diamonds are a girl's best friend, Santa, and we admit, at \$699 for these rings, they had better be. Sharper Image has a pair of rings that not only add a definite sparkle to the ring finger, they also come to life.

The 14K nautical ring has a gold dolphin that circles (as in moves around) a diamond encrusted island. Flipper comes with diamonds in his tail and front flippers and four-point bright rubies for eyes.

Not your cup of tea? How about the moon and star ring? It captures the night sky with a diamond-embellished crescent moon circling a likewise decorated sun. Astronomy never had it so good, huh, S-Man.

"On the 10th day of Christmas, my true love gave to me..."

HEY, SANTA, here's one for all those upscale fishing types who "love" to fish but can't stand touching those slimy, disgusting things. Cheap, too. It kind of offsets the cost of some of the aforementioned gifts.

The Miles Kimball Company is marketing a Fish Grabber, a real catch at \$3.49 each. It's a new angle on angling that defies explanation. MKC uses words like nonpuncturing nodules, molded plastic gripper, catch and release. Guess you could say go fish on this one.

"On the 11th day of Christmas, my true love gave to me..."

Santa, this one is perfect for the time freak. You know, Mr. Punctual and the White Rabbit who's always late for a very important date. This will not only make them late(r), but probably drive them crazy in the process.

Bits & Pieces, The Great International Puzzle Collection, has a jigsaw puzzle grandfather clock — on sale no less — at \$39.95. Yep, S-Man, the recipient has to put together the 1,000-piece clock face, assemble the clock (comes with a quartz movement, hands and the like) and supply the batteries before they can tell what time it is.

IMAGINE THE consternation if they lose a piece. This is better than Chinese water torture, don't you think?

"On the 12th day of Christmas, my true love gave to me..."

And now the grand finale — it's party time! This is so supplied it makes Valley girls talk normally. The Great Living Catalog offers Party Shot — a confetti system that adds "zest to any fun fest" at \$70 each.

Here's how it works. You empty a bag of gourmet confetti into the Party Shot tube, attach a CO2 cylinder, aim and pull the cord. "Brightly colored bits of confetti shoot out in a spectacular display."

Wow, Santa, indoor fireworks. What makes this a great gift is the after-use expenses. Gourmet confetti refills cost \$12 for six and additional CO2 cylinders (set of six) cost \$20.

OK, Santa, that's the plan. What do you think... Listen, you don't have to talk that way. Innocent children might hear you... Yeah, and we hope the elves do go on strike... (Sharon Dargay contributed to this story)

Tavern reflects the spirit of a Christmas Past

By Phyllis Kregger Stillman
special writer

On Christmas Eve, after all the shopping is done and all the gifts are wrapped, one might find oneself in a state of exhaustion, pondering Christmases of old, when things were simpler and times quieter.

Greenfield Village is deservedly well known as a place where you can catch glimpses of that past and spend a few hours in another era. During most of the year, that does indeed mean quieter, more genteel times.

In December, though, when the Eagle Tavern in the village celebrates an 1850s holiday, gentility is not the mood of the evening. Rowdy good humor, spiced with lots of noise and exuberance more aptly describes the spirit.

After passing through gates normally closed to the public, guests wind their way through the back streets of the village to the dimly lit tavern — all light within the tavern comes from candles.

Interpreters, dressed in 1850s costumes, act as the staff and gently begin to ease guests into their role for the evening — stagecoach passengers, weary from a long, dusty day of travel, pausing for the night at the Eagle Tavern.

The entire tavern is decorated simply with greens and big red bows. In the dining room, candles light the tables for eight, creating a lovely setting. The glow of the candlelight softens the starkness of the old-fashioned room, reflecting off of wine in goblets and conjuring up images of a bygone life.

GUESTS ARE a noisy lot as they get to know the other people at their tables. They seem to be in high spirits after spending the day cooped up traveling in the stagecoach on rutted roads.

The lively mood is heightened even further by old-fashioned spirits (like cherry shrub, mulled cider and a Stone Wall made with rum and cider), available in the bar throughout the evening. The bar is the coziest room in the tavern, warmed by a working fireplace and boasting a wall full of steins and mugs.

The main focus of the evening is a hearty, old-fashioned dinner, enlivened by entertainment. A quartet of singers moves from table to table, singing Christmas carols, some with a soaring soprano decant. The carols are mostly sung a cappella, but occasionally accompanied by an auto harp.

A dinner bell (actually a triangle) calls the assemblage to order, so that all may be welcomed and

cautioned against raucous behavior. Guests better pay attention to the bell. If someone is too rowdy and won't quiet down, he may have the bell rung right next to his ear!

A special feast is announced, including oysters brought all the way from Detroit. Salt is on the table in salt cellars, but guests must ask for pepper. Since it currently sells for \$50 a pound, the supply is well guarded.

DINNER STARTS with cheese and crackers, pickled green tomatoes and cranberry relish. The first course is the fried oysters, followed by a savory chicken pie. The main dish is prime rib of beef au jus, served with green beans and redskin potatoes. Dessert is an English trifle, accompanied by dried fruit and nuts.

During the meal, staff members, including Calvin Wood, the proprietor, check on guests from time to time. Mr. Wood informs us that we are in for a comfortable night at the tavern; he only sleeps three or four to a bed. He also eases fears about cleanliness. The sheets are shaken out every week and washed once a month, "whether they need it or not."

Mr. Wood also points out that, even with pepper selling at \$50 a pound, it is sprinkled on the mattresses once a month to help ward

off "critters."

Guests at the tavern often get into the act. Joel Solomon of Lincoln Park alluded to the fact that on his last stay at the tavern, he had been besieged by bedbugs. Mr. Wood admits that that does happen, most often when the bedbugs are imported by passengers from Toledo!

Solomon and his wife Claudia are members of the museum and have spent several evenings at the Eagle Tavern. They've enjoyed their experiences there, including lunches and special summer programs.

"IT IS VERY reasonably priced for what you get," Joel said.

—Lisa Mancini of South Lyon, at the tavern for the first time, enjoyed the evening and especially liked the ambience.

"This was a festive way to bring in the holidays," she said. "The atmosphere is reminiscent of older times with the candlelight. It's not like the hub-bub you get in a restaurant."

Some people travel a long way to visit the tavern. Wes Schleman came from Lexington, about 80 miles north of Detroit. He, too, enjoyed the festivities.

"It was very nice, well worth the trip," he said. Barbara Larson and Ron Wol-

niewicz came from Toledo. (They traveled alone — no bedbugs.) They spent the day in the village before coming to the tavern for the evening. This was their second visit to the 1850s Holiday and in their estimation, it was better than ever.

"We're planning on coming every year," Larson said.

The 1850s Holiday at the Eagle Tavern is a popular annual event,

running from the beginning of December through the end of the month. The evening is open to the public, but space should be reserved early. (Most people buy their tickets during the summer.)

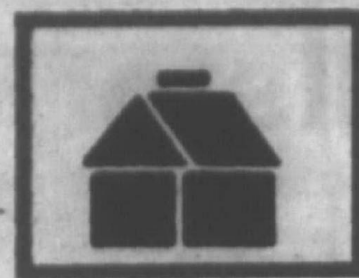
Cost per person this year was \$33; drinks at the bar are extra. Call 271-1620 for ticket information and to get your name for the 1991 holiday celebration.



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Masonic Temple: architectural wonder

By Joan Boram
special writer

SPAIN HAS the Rock of Gibraltar, Detroit has the Masonic Temple.

Since it first opened in 1926, the largest Masonic temple in the world, designed by Detroit architect George D. Mason, has presided over the area bounded by Cass, Second and Temple (formerly Bagg Street) avenues.

Gil Rice, affable general manager of the Masonic Temple, strides the corridors of the majestic 1,033-room building, navigating its 14 floors and 16 acres of floor space without so much as a road map.

"Wait here," he says, as he plunges into a dark room. "I'll get the lights." And he goes straight to a light switch that he just knows is there.

A tour of just a few of the building's lodge rooms is a lavish architectural feast. Each room is finished in its own particular style: Ionic, Doric, Corinthian, English Gothic, Romanesque and other, exotic, hybrids.

There are golden-crowned columns, vaulted stone ceilings, elaborate wood carvings, stained glass windows, tapestries and splendid coffered ceilings, their fantastic designs applied in gold and rich jewel tones.

And when you think you've seen everything, there's the Egyptian room, where even the carpet has a



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The main auditorium, managed by the Nederlander Corp. and known as the Masonic Temple Theatre, has benefited from a \$5 million renovation designed to brighten its ambience.

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Historic temple gleams after face lift

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pyrus motif and the ceiling is tinged with hieroglyphics. Even the telephone booths have Gothic doors and leaded glass.

"I DON'T know if George D. Mason was a 'Mason' or not," Rice said. "But in any event, it would have been necessary for a huge committee to work with the architect and the artist, master sculptor Corrado Parducci, to advise them as to the rituals and use of each room.

"The building has been in continual use since the day it opened," Rice said. "But while use by the Masonic orders has remained constant (there are 13,000 members affiliated with the building), public use has changed over the years.

"We like to say that the Masonic Temple was Detroit's first Renaissance Center. Not only do we have one of the largest legitimate theaters in the country, we have ballrooms, banquet rooms and smaller, more intimate, theaters.

"The building has been home to the Detroit Symphony, the touring company of the Metropolitan Opera and the Ford Sunday Evening Hour radio program. Before Cobo Hall was built, new car models were introduced in the Fountain Ballroom.

"And why not? The Masonic Temple was designed to accommodate 10,000 people at the same time. There isn't much that we can't handle."

BUT BUILDINGS, like the rest of us, require increasing maintenance as they get older, and a program of sprucing up Detroit's Masonic Temple has been under way for about a year.

Forty-eight tons of granite steps have been taken out and re-built. Spotlights built into the facade are functioning for the first time in decades.

There are 64 distinct roof areas; 12 of them are being replaced. Others, tile and copper, are in pristine condition.

Three coats of paint have been

removed from the brass doors and fixtures.

"In the '30s, they had eight men who polished the brass," Rice said. "When they couldn't get the help to polish it, they just painted over it."

He shakes his head in disbelief. "Now, though, we can seal it, and it doesn't need to be polished."

The main auditorium, managed by the Nederlander Corp. and known as the Masonic Temple Theatre, has benefited from a \$5-million renovation designed to brighten the hall's ambience.

"It's one of the most-balanced acoustical auditoriums in the world," Rice said. "The London Symphony Orchestra comes here to record. And the Detroit Concert Band, under Leonard B. Smith, always recorded here."

THE THEATER, previously uncarpeted, glows with 4,000 square feet of new carpeting. "There are about 12 carpet designs that are standard to all theatres," Rice said. "The predominant color in this carpet is burgundy, like the main

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Assess setbacks to ease them next year

With the Christmas hubbub, you may have been too busy to read this until a few days after it arrives. When you finally do, the rush will be over.

It will then be a time for reflection of what went right or wrong. Are you overly tired? What do you wish you'd have done that you didn't? What did you do that you wish you hadn't?

Right now, while it's fresh in your mind, is the time to assess your successes and failures to assure things go better next year.

Did you overeat? Losing five pounds in advance would allow you

to feel good about yourself during the holidays and not have to pay for your overindulgence later.

Were you so busy at the office you didn't do justice to your loved ones? Did you rush out at the last minute to shop, only to find merchandise woefully picked over?

No one else in your office likes an end-of-the-year crunch either. Schedule a meeting to plan to avoid it next time.

Were you all alone, when you could have accepted invitations, or invited others over, but didn't? Were you overloaded with company again, allowing others to take advantage of

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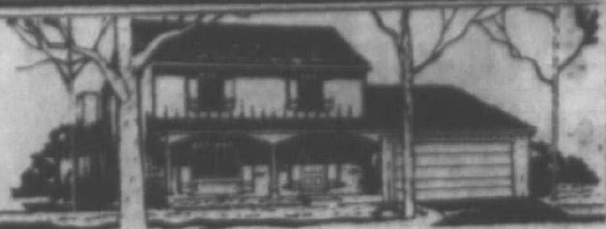
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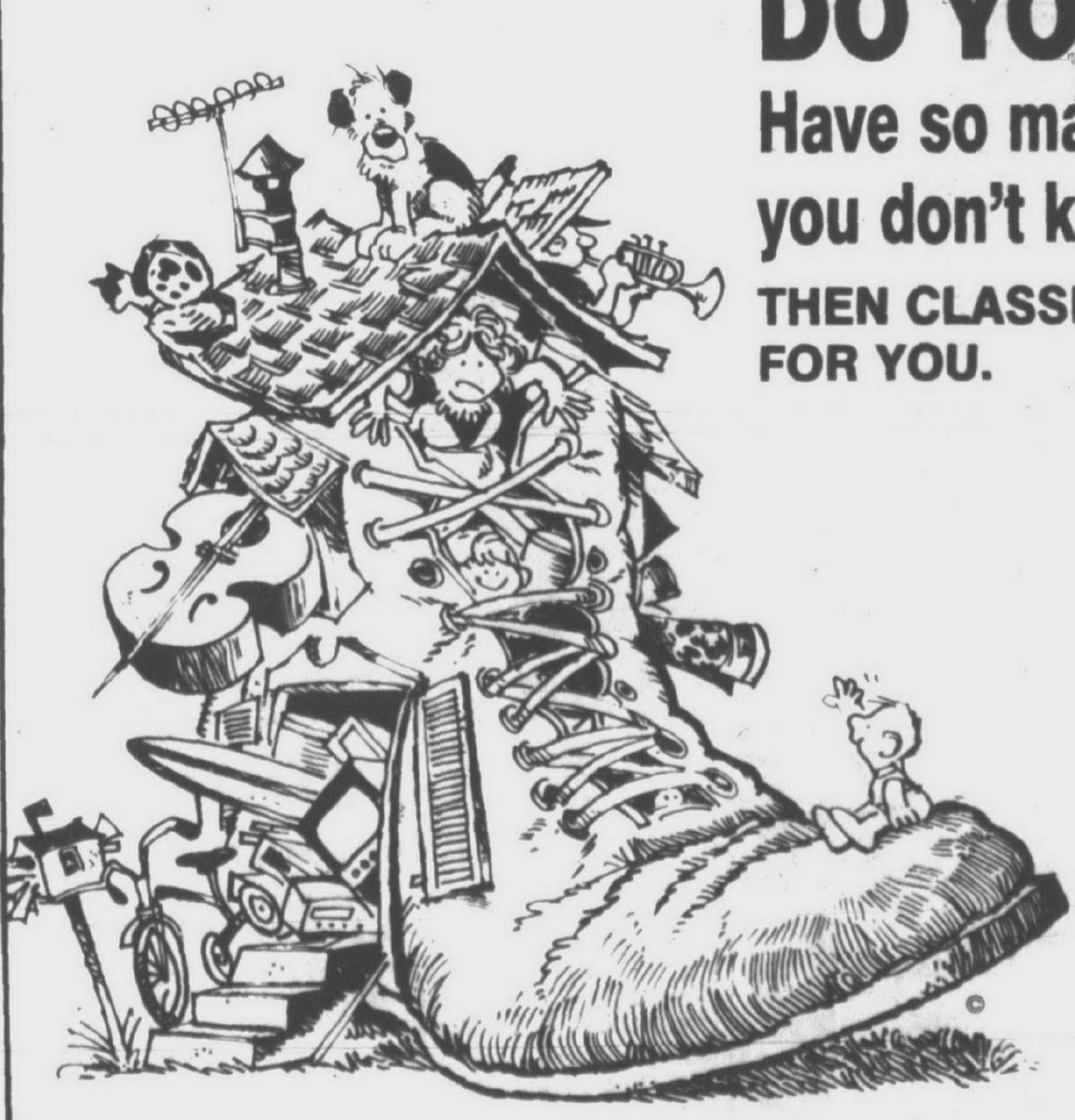
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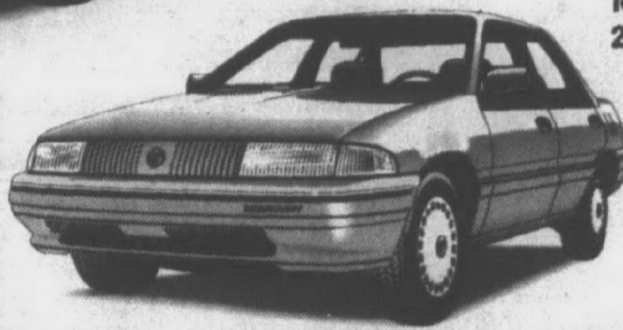
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\$199 A MONTH FOR 24 MONTHS

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1991 MERCURY TOPAZ GS



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Cash Down Payment	\$2,260.02
Refundable Security Deposit	\$200.00
Option Package 363A Savings	\$1,000.00
Total Cash Due at Lease Inception Includes First Month's Lease Payment*	\$2,659.02
Total Amount of Payments	\$4,776.00
24 Monthly Lease Payments at*	\$199.00

Cash Down Payment	\$1,280.78
Refundable Security Deposit	\$200.00
Option Package 573B Savings	\$650.00
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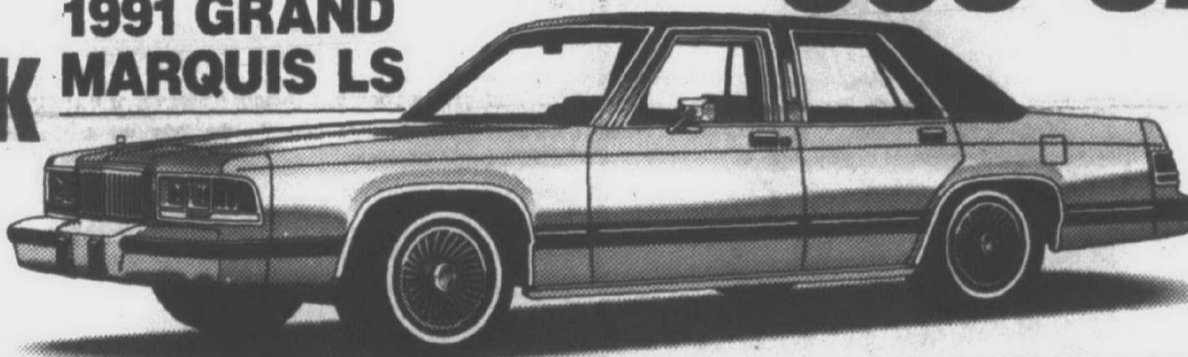
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ALL WITH AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION AND AIR CONDITIONING

OR GET \$1,000 CASH BACK WHEN YOU BUY*

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1991 GRAND MARQUIS LS



Cash Down Payment	\$5,128.97
Refundable Security Deposit	\$300.00
Option Package 172A Savings	\$650.00
Total Cash Due at Lease Inception Includes First Month's Lease Payment*	\$5,727.97
Total Amount of Payments	\$7,176.00
24 Monthly Lease Payments at*	\$299.00

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1991 SABLE GS



Cash Down Payment	\$3,150.10
Refundable Security Deposit	\$300.00
Option Package 451A Savings	\$700.00
Total Cash Due at Lease Inception Includes First Month's Lease Payment*	\$3,749.10
Total Amount of Payments	\$7,176.00
24 Monthly Lease Payments at*	\$299.00

PLUS \$600 CASH BACK

1991 COUGAR LS



Cash Down Payment	\$3,271.39
Refundable Security Deposit	\$300.00
Option Package 262A Savings	\$850.00
Total Cash Due at Lease Inception Includes First Month's Lease Payment*	\$3,870.39
Total Amount of Payments	\$7,176.00
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1991 LINCOLN TOWN CAR PLUS \$1,300 CASH BACK

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Cash Down Payment	\$6,803.59
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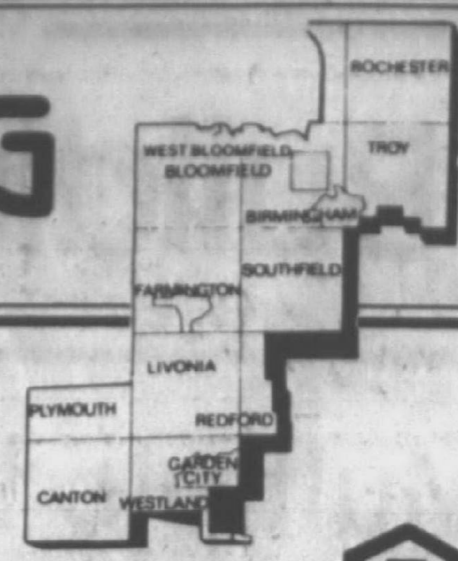


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ACCOUNTANT: Farmington CP A firm, seeks quality person with 3 plus yrs. experience to become part of our team. Call 471-0521

A DYE MAKER: Minimum 8 yrs experience, on medium, progressive and line dyes. Blue Cross Blue Shield, Profit Sharing, Excellent working conditions. Bloomfield Metal Works, Wixom, 960-0430

ALARM INSTALLER: Southfield company needs experienced and semi-experienced installer. Call Mon. thru Fri. 8am-4pm 358-2555

AMERICAN MAIDS: is hiring housekeepers. \$5.50/hour to start. Own car required. 855-1849

APARTMENT & HALLWAY cleaning people for Farmington Hills apartment complex. Call Rich Mon-Fri, 8:30-4:30 at 478-5200

ASSISTANT OFFICE MANAGER: For Bloomfield Hills Credit Union. Must have experience in teller work, lending & bookkeeping. Send resume & salary needs to: Credit Union, 300 East Long Lake, Suite 140, Bloomfield Hills, MI 48304

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AMBIENT PEOPLE WANTED: to learn my business for other offices. Financial services in home equities, mortgages, insurance & investments. Start part time, no experience necessary. Call between 1-6pm 462-1211

ART MANAGER: For Livonia Mail location. Contact Peter for details. 973-8940

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ATTENTION HOMEOWNERS: Needed for cleaning hallways & laundry rooms in apartment complexes. Day work. \$5.10 to \$5.30 per hour, paid holidays & vacations. Call Mon. thru Fri. from 8am to 3:30pm, 427-4343

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AUTO DEALERSHIP: New import auto dealership to open April 1, 1991, NW suburb, now accepting applications for all positions. Resumes will be in strict confidence. Reply to: NEW DEALERSHIP P.O. Box 3325 Farmington Hills, MI 48333-3325

CARING PEOPLE needed to work with developmentally disabled adults in a family style environment. Afternoons and midnights. \$5 to start. Call: 786-2164

AUTO MECHANIC - Immediate position - Light duty brakes, tune-up, front-end. A self-motivated person. 934-4477 or 350-2529

CARPET SHAMPOOER: Local company has several permanent full time positions for men & women. Start immediately. Starting pay is \$225/week. Co. training if accepted. Excellent advancement opportunity. Applicant must have sincere desire to work. Be neat in appearance. Call for an interview. 454-2493

CASHIER - NEEDED for new gasoline/food shop location in Rochester Hills/Troy area. Seeking dependable, self-reliant individuals to staff 7 day, 24 hr. station. Starting wage \$4.50/hr. plus benefits. Apply at: 5015 Livonia at Long Lake, Ask for Carol, 585-7955

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* CASHIERS * Farmington Hills Co. has immediate full or part-time opening. Good start pay plus bonuses. Blue Cross available. Vacation Pay. Perfect hours for student. Call: 855-3840

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COMMERCIAL CLEANING company is looking for career minded personnel. Janitors, assistant supervisors and supervisors are the positions to be filled. Job site is at 94/Ann Arbor-Saline Rd. area. Please call 517-485-6118 or send resume to: MCMCS, P.O. Box 456, Coleman, MI 48818-0456

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Must be 18 years or older. Heavy lifting required. Good pay. **GROCERY BAGGERS** also needed part time. Must be 16 years or older. Apply at: **SHOPPING CENTER MARKET** 425 NO. CENTER ST. NORTHVILLE

STOCK CLERKS PRODUCE CLERKS DELI COUNTER CLERKS CLERK CASHIERS

SHOPPING CENTER MARKET has immediate part-time openings for stock clerks, produce clerks, deli counter clerks & clerk cashiers. Must be 18 years or older. Heavy lifting required. Excellent pay. \$6.00 per hour to start. Premium time (time & a half) for Sunday work. Very flexible scheduling available. These are year 'round positions...not summer jobs! Apply in person at: **SHOPPING CENTER MARKET** 6433 ORCHARD LAKE RD. (at 15 Mile Road - West Bloomfield)

EDUCATIONAL REPRESENTATIVE

Local technical school with national accreditation and reputation seeks a representative for this area. Representative will call on local high schools presenting career seminars to Juniors and Seniors. Follow-up will include in-home interviewing of prospective applicants. Job includes some evening and Saturday work. Sales experience helpful. Public speaking ability and ethics a must. Excellent compensation and benefit package. Call Jim Amross Wednesday, December 26, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

MOTECH EDUCATION CENTER
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ANSWER TELEPHONES - Full time in our Westland office. 8am-5pm. Mon-Fri. \$3.85/hr. to start. Mature person preferred. Apply at: 907 Manufacturers Dr., E. of Cherry Hill, E. of Newburgh or call 725-4072

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CLEANING PERSON - to clean vacant apartments & hallways. Westland area. Call 425-0930

COMPUTER OPERATOR Growing Livonia Industrial Distributor, seeks Computer Operator for day shift. Entry level position. Some computer operation experience required. Assist in daily operations and problem solving. Experience with PICK operating systems helpful but not required. Starting wages \$6 to \$7.50 per hr. Hours 8am to 5pm, Mon thru Fri, and some weekends. Offered by: 360-4225

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CONSTRUCTION CLEANING CO. in Livonia, seeks reliable, hard working men for cleaning commercial buildings. Starting pay \$13.50/hr. Full time. P.O. Box 2514, Southfield, MI 48037

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 Full or Part Time. High volume location. Call 800-CITY TAX (1-800-248-9229)

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 Clean-ups for clearing contractors. Full time. Must have truck or van. Call for the right person. 455-6788

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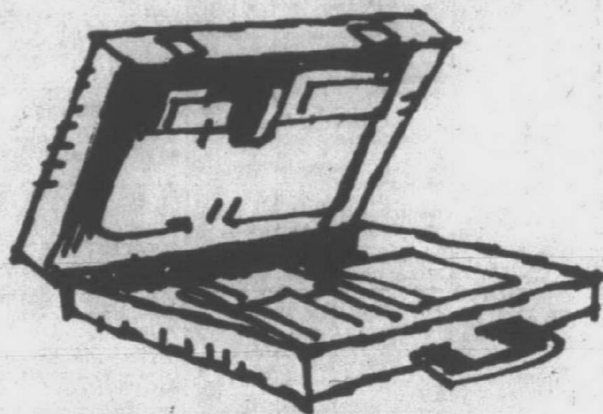
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MANAGER - NEEDED for food concession operation at drive-in movie theater. Open 12 months. Full time employment. Food service experience. Plymouth/ Livonia/ Farmington Hills area. Good wages, vacation, benefits & more. P.O. Box 427, Troy, MI 48063

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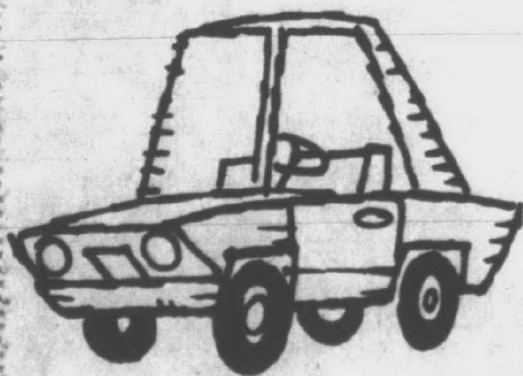
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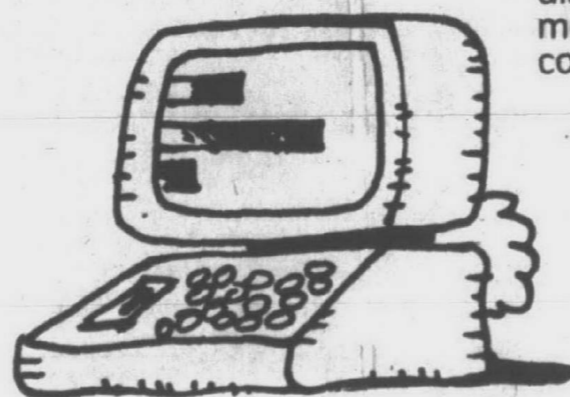
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3. Avoid abbreviations. Don't make a potential customer work too hard! Although you may be tempted to cut down on the cost of your ad by using abbreviations, surveys indicate that many people don't understand such abbreviations as EIK (eat-in kitchen) or WSW (white side wall) tires and won't take the time to figure them out. A confused reader is a disinterested reader. Get the most for your money and use complete words.



4. Include phone number and specify hours. Be sure to let potential customers know when and where to call. Surveys show that even if a person is very interested in your item or service, he or she will not call back after the first attempt. Stay near the phone during the hours you indicate you will be available. Don't risk missing a sale!



5. Run on consecutive days. Your ad will not get results if people don't see it! Therefore, it is important to set up a consistent and consecutive ad schedule with your telephone salesperson or outside sales representative.

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730 Sporting Goods

POOL TABLES All state, antique, ultra modern... 269-7255

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ALWAYS BUYING Promotional model cars, unbrut kits, and auto sales literature... 453-2365

738 Household Pets

AFGHAN, black, male, 1 1/2 years old to a good home... 778-1020

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There is a difference, 1 look and you'll see the finest Sharpei puppies, chocolate & cream duns, bred by the world renowned A-Cappella Kennels... 954-6224

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CHRISTMAS COOKER Spaniel puppy, AKC, female, light buff, 12 weeks old, partially housebroken... 524-3945

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CHRISTMAS COOKER Spaniel puppy, AKC, male, health guaranteed... 524-3945

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DACHSHUND PUPPIES - FEMALE, Mini, AKC, 9 mos., all shots, \$150 firm... 399-3588

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DOGHOUSE PUPPIES - 2 R. & 4 R. Mini, AKC, well cared for, \$300 & \$200 respectively... 721-6705

806 Boats & Motors

SEA Nymph 1985 - "The Flaming Machine" 50 HP, 2 depth lockers, plus extras... 729-1758

806 Vehicle & Boat Storage

AAA STORAGE Boats, Trailers, Trucks Outdoor, well-lighted, secured... 538-7771

823 Vans

GM 1986 window van, all options, excellent condition... 435-2307

824 Jeeps & Other 4-Wheel Drives

BLAZER 1987 5 liter V6, 4 speed manual, red w/black top, running-board, 41,000 miles... 451-0010

824 Jeeps & Other 4-Wheel Drives

CHEVY BLAZER 1988 full size, 91,000 miles, fully equipped... 363-7945

825 Sports & Imported Cars

AUDI 1986 5000S - automatic, loaded, sunroof, all power options... 788-1339

825 Sports & Imported Cars

HONDA 1988 Civic-Dark red, air, automatic, great condition... 540-2809

856 Buick

REGAL 1982, loaded, excellent condition, no rust, new tires... 611-6798

856 Cadillac

COUPE DEVILLE 1981, (Class), 96,000 miles, excellent condition... 471-5435

856 Buick

SEVILLE 1984 - 61,000 mi., sharp car, \$7,500 or best... 458-5813

North Brothers Ford advertisement with Santa's Choice Used Cars logo and contact info.

Christmas Sale!! Used Cars advertisement listing various models like 1990 T-BIRD SUPER COUPE, 1988 TEMPO 4 DOOR, etc.

740 Pet Services advertisement listing ARAS K9 training, 744 Horses, Livestock Equipment, etc.

820 Autos Wanted advertisement listing ABSOLUTELY HIGHEST DOLLAR PAID FOR QUALITY AUTOMOBILES.

821 Junk Cars Wanted advertisement listing ALL AUTOS & TRUCKS, Junk, wrecked, running Top Dollar.

822 Trucks For Sale advertisement listing CHEVROLET 1981 pickup with lift gate, auto trans, \$1900 or best offer.

823 Vans advertisement listing AEROSTAR 1988 XL - Excellent condition, clean, loaded, all the extras.

824 Jeeps & Other 4-Wheel Drives advertisement listing RANGER 1989 XL - 5 speed, cassette, air, power windows, roll bar.

ERHARD BMW advertisement featuring SPECIAL LEASE PROGRAM, \$259 Per Month, NEW! 1991 BMW 318i 4 DOOR, Fully Equipped With: Air Conditioning, Driver's Airbag, Power Windows, etc.

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856 Buick advertisement listing REGAL 1982, loaded, excellent condition, no rust, new tires.

HELP YOUR CAR QUIT SMOKING advertisement featuring Lou LaRiche CHEVROLET GEO, \$51.95* tune up, Mr. Goodwrench.

PUBLIC NOTICE advertisement for GM vehicles, DO YOU OWN A 1985-1987 GM VEHICLE?..... YES, If Yes, then you qualify! \$300 OFF, Holiday FARMINGTON HILLS, 30250 GRAND RIVER/BEHIND TARGET, 474-0500.

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SPECIAL OF THE WEEK

\$600 REBATE



NEW 1991 TEMPO L **26 MPG**

4 Door Sedan, power steering, power brakes, tinted glass, AM/FM stereo, automatic, air, body side molding, dual electric remote control mirrors, aluminum. Stock #6334.

WAS \$9829 **IS \$8242***

\$500 REBATE

NEW 1991 ESCORT PONY



Power brakes, tinted glass, reclining bucket seats, console, cargo area cover. Rear window defroster, remote control mirrors, side window demister & interval wipers. Stock #5948.

41 MPG

WAS \$8501 **IS \$7171***

\$500 REBATE

NEW 1991 ESCORT LX 2 DOOR HATCHBACK



2 Door hatchback, power steering, power brakes, tinted glass, body side molding, air conditioning, AM/FM stereo cassette, light group, convenience group. Rear window defroster, clear coat paint, console, reclining bucket seats & cargo area cover. Stock #5950.

36 MPG

WAS \$10,707 **IS \$8501***

\$500 REBATE

NEW 1991 ESCORT HATCHBACK LX 4 DOOR



Power steering, power brakes, tinted glass, automatic, air, rear window defroster, clear coat paint, body side molding, console, AM/FM stereo, cargo area cover, reclining bucket seats, child safety locks. Stock #5952.

33 MPG

WAS \$10,636 **IS \$9191***

\$500 REBATE

NEW 1991 ESCORT LX 4 DOOR WAGON



4 Door wagon, power steering, power brakes, tinted glass, automatic, air, rear window defroster, light group, convenience group, clear coat paint, console, body side moldings, cargo area cover, reclining bucket seats, child safety locks. Stock #5915.

33 MPG

WAS \$11,866 **IS \$9520***

\$500 REBATE

NEW 1991 ESCORT GT



2 Door hatchback, power steering, power brakes, tinted glass, air, premium sound system, luxury convenience group, rear window defroster, AM/FM stereo, air conditioning, speed control, telescopic, fog lamps, sunroof, wheels, console, body side moldings, rear spoiler, light group sports performance. Stock #5951.

31 MPG

WAS \$13,227 **IS \$10,554***

\$600 REBATE

NEW 1991 TEMPO GL



4 Door Sedan, power steering, power brakes, tinted glass, automatic, air, power door locks, air steering, polyurethane wheels, rear window defroster, light group, AM/FM stereo cassette, front & rear floor mats, dual electric controlled mirrors, center arm rest, console, body side moldings. Stock #5955.

26 MPG

WAS \$12,734 **IS \$9494***

NEW 1991 RANGERS 4x2

\$1,000 REBATE



Custom trim overdrive transmission, tinted glass, power brakes, fold away mirrors, instrumentation, spoiler, rear anti-lock brakes, dome light, interval wipers, scuff plates. Stock #6257T.

29 MPG

WAS \$8729 **IS \$6911***

NEW 1991 RANGER 4x2 STYLESIDE PICKUP

\$1,000 REBATE



XLT trim, power steering, power brakes, tinted glass, automatic transmission, air, cast aluminum wheels, deluxe two-tone paint, sliding rear window, AM/FM stereo cassette, tachometer, cargo box light, rear anti-lock brakes, dome light, spoiler, front chrome bumper, light group, instrumentation, interval wipers. Stock #6056T.

23 MPG

WAS \$14,468 **IS \$10,277***

NEW 1991 RANGER 4x2 SUPER CAB

\$1,000 REBATE



XLT trim, rear jump seat, power steering & brakes, tinted glass, AM/FM stereo cassette, sliding rear windows, chrome front bumper, chrome rear step bumper, automatic transmission, air conditioning, cast aluminum wheels, tachometer, rear anti-lock brakes, cargo box light & spoiler, dome light & instrumentation. Stock #5934T.

23 MPG

WAS \$15,740 **IS \$11,565***

NEW 1991 RANGER 4x4 SUPER CAB STX

\$1,000 REBATE



STX trim, rear jump seat, automatic transmission, air conditioning, speed control, tilt steering wheel, sport bucket seats, floor console, AM/FM stereo cassette, cast aluminum wheels, power steering & brakes, rear anti-lock brakes, automatic, locking hubs, leather wrap steering wheel, cargo box light & spoiler, dome light & instrumentation, light group, intermittent wipers. Stock #6260T.

20 MPG

WAS \$18,624 **IS \$13,811***

\$700 REBATE

NEW 1990 FESTIVA L 2 DOOR



Rear window defroster, power brakes, BSM, cassette, gauges, courtesy lamps, reclining bucket seats, side window demister, stabilizing bar, rack & pinion steering. Stock #7514.

42 MPG

WAS \$6,861 **IS \$5,544***

\$600 REBATE

NEW 1991 MUSTANG LX 2 DOOR HATCHBACK



Power steering, power brakes, tinted glass, overdrive transmission, air conditioning, BSM, console light group, instrumentation, power door lock group, power windows, rear window defroster, cast aluminum wheels, custom equipment group, AM/FM stereo cassette, speed control, power equipment group, dual electric remote control mirrors. Stock #6078.

30 MPG

WAS \$13,559 **IS \$10,481***

\$600 REBATE

NEW 1991 PROBE GL 2 DOOR HATCHBACK



Power steering, power brakes, tinted glass, air conditioning, power door locks, speed control, rear window defroster, air conditioning, convenience group, BSM, sunroof, performance transmission/clutch, telescopic, AM/FM stereo & cargo area cover. Stock #6290.

31 MPG

WAS \$13,912 **IS \$11,343***

\$600 REBATE

NEW 1991 THUNDERBIRD



Power steering & brakes, tinted glass, automatic overdrive transmission, air conditioning, AM/FM stereo premium cassette, premium sound, power driver seat, power door locks, power windows, power antenna, cast aluminum wheels, luxury group, rear window defroster, BSM, console courtesy lights, instrumentation, reclining bucket seats, eight clock, intermittent wipers. Stock #6042.

27 MPG

WAS \$17,881 **IS \$14,024***

\$600 REBATE

NEW 1991 AEROSTAR EXTENDED XL WAGON



Power steering & brakes, tinted glass, convenience group, rear cooling, AM/FM stereo instrumentation, anti-lock brakes, intermittent wipers, rear window defroster, XL trim, power convenience group, rear window defroster, automatic transmission, air conditioning, speed control & 18 wheel, privacy glass, dual cigarette chairs, 7 passenger. Stock #9211T.

23 MPG

WAS \$18,615 **IS \$14,864***

50 EXPLORERS IN STOCK

NEW 1991 EXPLORER 4 DOOR 4x4



Power steering, power brakes, tinted glass, automatic transmission, air conditioning, AM/FM stereo cassette, cast aluminum wheels, rear anti-lock brakes, rear window wipers/washer/defroster/intermittent wipers, dome light, instrumentation, scuff plates, front & rear stabilizer. Stock #5452T.

20 MPG

WAS \$19,469 **IS \$17,066***

SPECIAL OF THE WEEK

\$600 REBATE



NEW 1991 TAURUS L 4 DOOR SEDAN **29 MPG**

Power steering and brakes, tinted glass, automatic transmission, air conditioning, AM/FM stereo, rear window defroster, speed control, power door locks, body side molding and courtesy lights, instrumentation, intermittent wipers, exterior accent group, dual electric remote mirrors, child safety locks. Stock #6266.

WAS \$15,878 **IS \$11,942***

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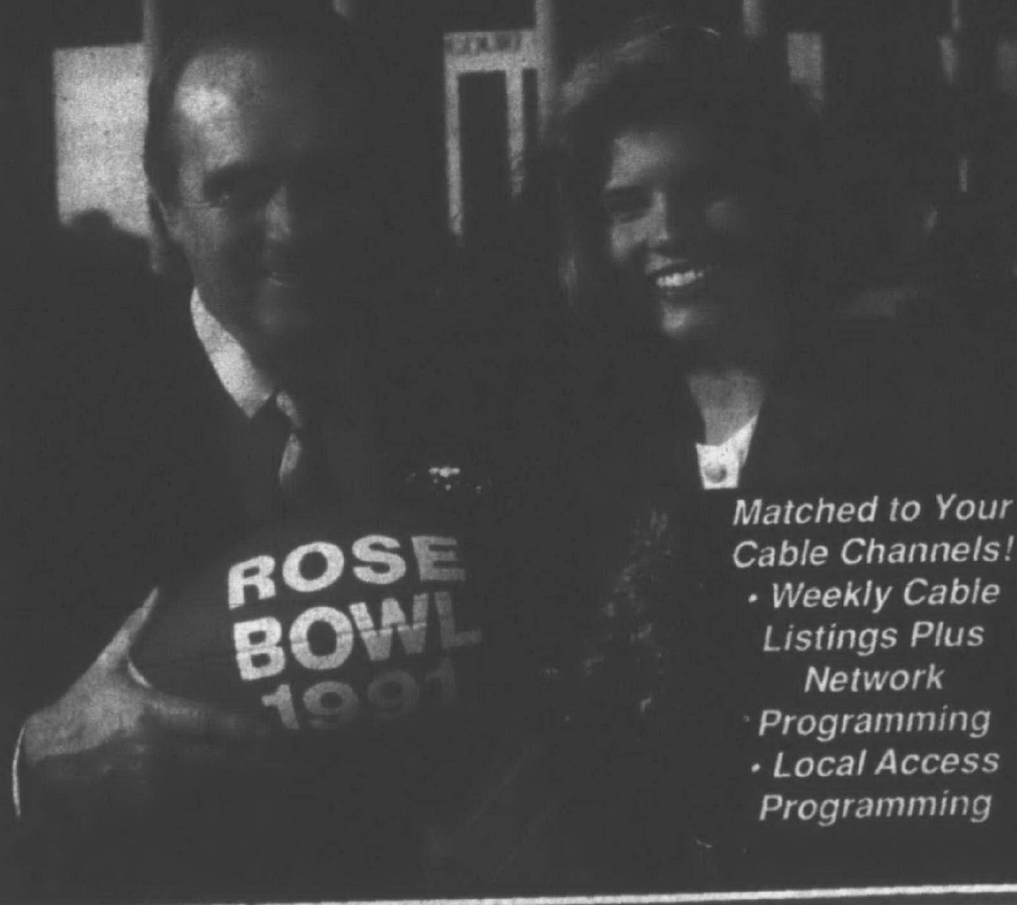
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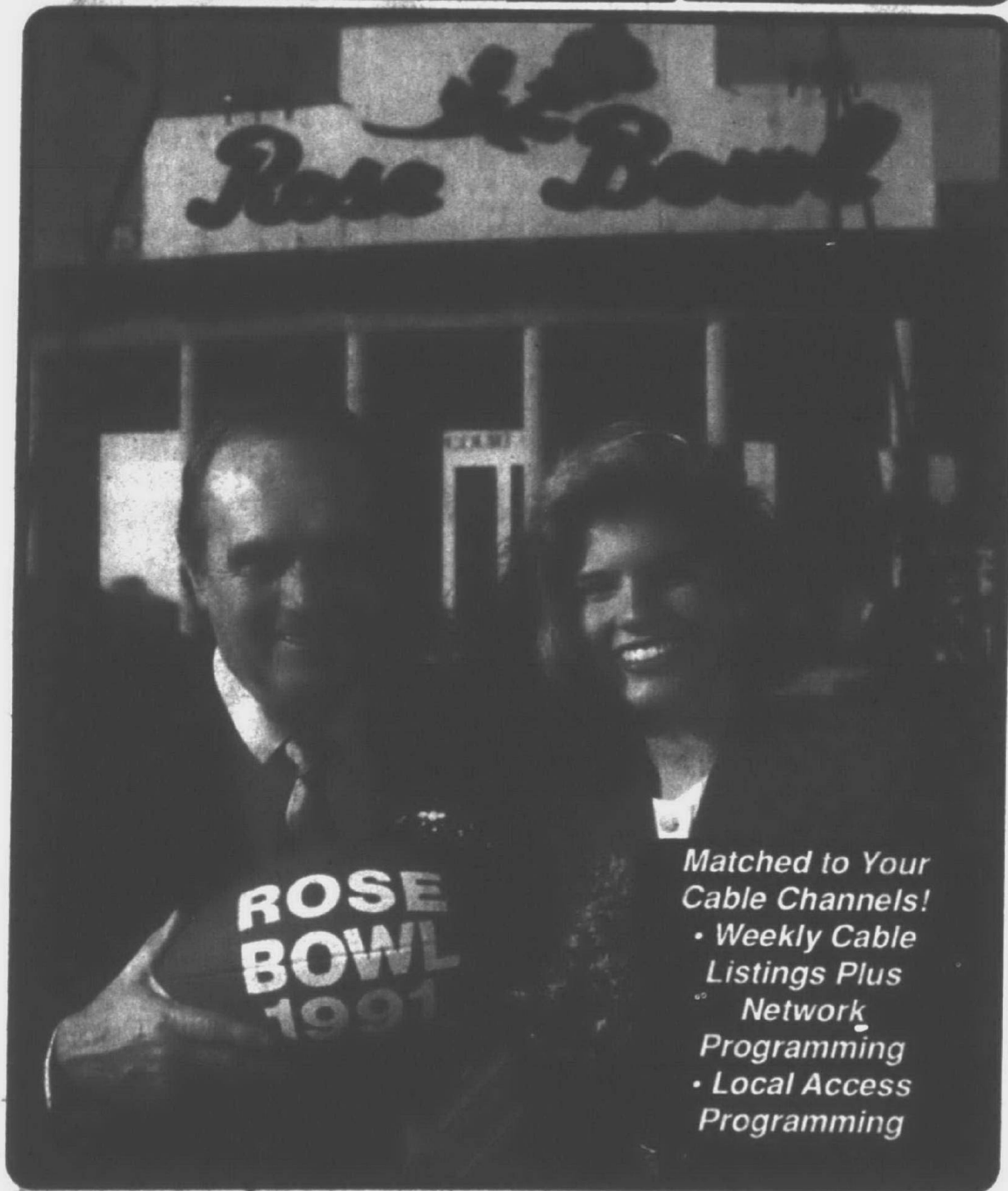
THURSDAY PRIME TIME DECEMBER 27										
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MTV	Dial MTV		Comedy Hour	Hot Seat	MTV Prime With Martha Quinn					
CNN	CNN Headline News				CNN Headline News					
VH-1	(5:00) History of Music Videos		Great Debates: Kennedy vs. Nixon	VH-1 Primetime Music			SCTV Street Beef	Candid Camera		
LIFE	Supermarket Sweep	E.R. Enter Romance	E.N.G. The newsroom covers a rape story.	L.A. Law. A fan sues the Chicago Bears.		MOVIE: Memories of Murder. An amnesiac discovers she is the target of a vengeful killer.				
PASS	(5:45) Northville	Wait Badorak	Madison Square Garden Boxing. From Las Vegas (T)		College Bowl Update	Digger Phelps	CCHA Digest	Ski Magazine		
AMC	(5:30) MOVIE: Don't Bother to Knock (Drama) 1952 M. Monroe, R. Widmark	This Is Your Life. Dorothy Lamour	MOVIE: Big Broadcast (Musical Comedy) 1932. A radio crooner becomes the idol of thousands of teenagers. B. Crosby, K. Smith		MOVIE: Follow the Fleet (Musical Comedy) 1936. After a song-and-dance man joins the Navy, he and his pal encounter trouble as they try to help two sisters. F. Astaire, G. Rogers					
MAX	(5:30) MOVIE: Made in Heaven (Romantic Comedy) 1987. Two souls in love in heaven are given only 30 years to meet on earth. T. Hutton	MOVIE: White Line Fever (Drama) 1975. Truckers fight corruption in the trucking industry. J. Vincent, K. Lenz (PG)		MOVIE: Sister, Sister (Suspense) 1987. A traveler discovers mystery in a shabby Louisiana guest house. E. Stoltz, J. Leigh (R)		Wild Zone (Thriller) E. Albert (R)				
TMC	(5:45) MOVIE: Valmont (Romance) 1989. A wicked marquis arranges a dangerous, amorous game to get revenge on the lover who's leaving her. C. Firth, A. Benning (R)	MOVIE: Kinjits: Forbidden Subjects (Action Suspense) 1989. A tough cop wages a war against a pimp who kidnaps teenage girls and turns them into prostitutes. C. Bronson, J. Fernandez (R)		MOVIE: Gross Anatomy (Comedy Drama) 1989 M. Modine, D. Zuniga (PG13)						
HBO	(5:00) MOVIE: Mesquite Coast (Drama, ESP) 1986 H. Ford, H. Mirren (PG)	MOVIE: Starman (Science Fiction, ESP) 1984. A powerful alien comes to earth, falls in love and finds himself pursued by menacing government agents. J. Bridges, K. Allen (PG)		MOVIE: Batman (Adventure Drama, ESP) 1989. Tortured by the memory of his parents' murder by thugs, a millionaire genius devises a mysterious, powerful alter ego to fight crime. J. Nicholson						
WGN	Charles in Charge	Abbott and Costello	I Dream of Jeannie	Night Court	MOVIE: Brinks Job (Suspense Comedy) 1978. An unlikely gang of thieves make off with \$2.7 million. P. Falk, P. Boyle (PG)			News		
TBS	(8:55) Beverly Hillsbillies	(8:35) Andy Griffith. Ellie Saves a Female	(8:05) Happy Days	(8:35) Jeffersons	(9:05) MOVIE: From Here to Eternity (Drama) 1953. A group of soldiers faces frustrations and romantic escapades in Hawaii on the eve of Pearl Harbor. B. Lancaster, M. Cliff				(8:35) Exodus (Drama) 1960	
FAM	Our House. Kris' teacher writes a letter that could damage her future. (R)		MOVIE: Santa Fe Trail (Western (Colorized)) 1940. The fight for Kansas prior to the Civil War initiates the military careers of Jeb Stuart and George Custer. E. Flynn, O. Haviland			To Be Announced	700 Club With Pat Robertson			
ESPN	Thoroughbred SportsLook	SportsCenter	NFL Moments	Liberty Bowl. Air Force vs. Ohio State at Memphis, Tenn. (L)						
NICK	You Can't Do That on Television	Make the Grade	Inspector Gadget	Looney Tunes	Mr. Ed Ed falls in love.	Bewitched. The Girl Reporter	Green Acres	Doona Reed Uncle Jeff Needs You	Best of Saturday Night Live	America 2Night
USA	Cartoon Express	MacGyver. Mac battles deep-sea drugrunners.		Murder, She Wrote. Jessica helps a friend.		MOVIE: Whistle Blower (Mystery) 1986. A father investigates the mysterious events behind his son's death. M. Caine, J. Fox (PG)				
CNN	World Today	Moneyline	Crossfire	PrimeNews		Larry King Live!	CNN Evening News			
A&E	Avengers. Enemy agents turn a dentist's chair into a torture device.	World of Survival	Gallant Breed	World in Action	MOVIE: New Land (Drama) 1972. A Scandinavian family moves to the Minnesota territory in the 1850s. L. Ullmann, M. Sydow (PG)					
FNN	Personal Portfolio	Lifestyles On the Move	American Entrepreneur	Power Profiles	Money Talk	Focus	Business Tonight	Insiders	American Entrepreneur	Power Profiles
TNN	(5:00) VideoPM	American Music Shop		On Stage	Nashville Now. Porter Wagoner and Helen Cornelius		Crook and Chase			
TNT	Gilligan's Island	Bugs Bunny and Pals		MOVIE: Awful Truth (Comedy) 1937. A bickering couple decides to divorce but finds they can't keep away from each other. I. Dunne, C. Grant			MOVIE: Rancho Notorious (Western) 1952 M. Dietrich, A. Kennedy			
TLC	Elegant Appetite	America's Backyard	Pizza Gourmet	Captain's Log	Colonial Williamsburg	From the Smithsonian	Metropolitan Museum of Art 20th-Century Art	Elegant Appetite	Sports Camp	
BET	Video LP	Soft Notes	Our Voices	Live From LA	Screen Scene	Ramsay Lewis	Video Soul			
CSPAN	(4:00) House Reps	Viewer Call-In		Event of the Day						
DISC	Beyond 2000	Rendezvous	World Monitor	Mystery Writ	Terra X	Beyond 2000 Solar Energy. Deep-Sea Diving	Adventurers	Adventures in Diving		
SHOW	MOVIE: Erik the Viking (Comedy) 1989. A mild-mannered Viking is sent on a quest to end the gloom that is enveloping the Earth. T. Robbins, T. Jones (PG13)			MOVIE: Ghostbusters II (Comedy) 1989. After evil spirits threaten New York, the Ghostbusters prepare for battle and discover a river of slime underneath the city. B. Murray, D. Aykroyd (PG)			MOVIE: Mississippi Burning (Drama) 1988 G. Hackman, W. Darboe (R)			
DISN	MOVIE: Mary Poppins (Musical Fantasy) 1964. Two rowdy children find their lives changed after a magical nanny begins to take care of them. J. Andrews, D. Dyke			MOVIE: Tom Thumb (Fantasy) 1958. A 5 and-one-half-inch boy saves the village treasury (Animated)			(95) MOVIE: Seven Faces of Dr. Lao (Comedy) 1964 T. Randall			

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WFUM	3-2-1 Contact	Nightly Business Report	MacNeil/Lehrer NewsHour		Michigan Outdoors	Great Lakes Outdoors	High School Challenge	This Old House	Mystery! A man bumps into an old friend.		
WJBK	News	CBS News	Hard Copy	Current Affair	MOVIE: Aliens (Science Fiction) 1986. After 57 years asleep and adrift in space, Ripley reluctantly finds herself confronted again with terrifying, murderous extraterrestrials. S. Weaver, M. Biehn (R)						
WDIV	Newsbeat	NBC Nightly News	Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy!	Cosby Show The Last Barbecue	Different World	Cheers Rebecca Redux	Grand The Well	L.A. Law. A family's house is destroyed (R)		
WXYZ	News	ABC News	Entertainment Tonight	Ice Capades 50th Anniversary Special. Film clips of the Ice Capades' most memorable performances are shown.							Primetime Live
CBET	News	Raccoons on Ice	E.R.	Magic Season of Robertson Davies. Dramatic excerpts of some of Davies' works are presented.		Kids in the Hall		National and the Journal			
WKBD	Growing Pains	Family Ties O'Brother	Who's the Boss?	Who's the Boss?	Simpsons. Tree House of Horrors	Babes. Everything But Love	Beverly Hills, 90210. Brenda gets caught shoplifting. (R)		News		
WTVS	MacNeil/Lehrer NewsHour	Nightly Business Report	Michigan Outdoors	This Old House	Frugal Gourmet	Neighborhood Redeemed. Revitalization of Ravendale		Mystery! A man bumps into an old friend.			
WGPR	New Dance	Skating Center	Straight Gate Church		In Search of the Lord's Way		Success-N-Life		Hour of Deliverance		
WXON	Gimme a Break!	227 The Bet	21 Jump Street. A fugitive costs Booker his badge.		MOVIE: Morgan Stewart's Coming Home (Comedy) 1987. A young man is expected to campaign for his senator father. L. Redgrave, J. Cryer (PG13)			Highway to Heaven. Mark undermines Jonathan's efforts.			
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8	Holiday Hoopla	Expressions Talk Show	Music in Park	Sports-Boys Basketball Harrison vs. Salem			Sports Scan	Bellevue Museum			
15	Youthview	Navy News	Challenge of Life	Metro Update	Elizabeth Clare Prophet	Dare the Atlantic					
	11 PM	11:30	12 AM	12:30	1 AM	1:30	2 AM	2:30			
MTV	Comedy Hour	Big Picture	Music Videos		Music Videos						
CNNHEAD	(9:00) CNN Headline News	CNN Headline News		CNN Headline News							
TWC	(9:00) Weather Watch	Tomorrow's Outlook									
VH-1	Encyclopedia of Music Videos	VH-1 Allnighter	New Visions	VH-1 Allnighter							
LIFE	T. Ullman	Molly Dodd	Spenser: For Hire		Self-Improvement Guide						
PASS	Sportswriters on TV		Off Air								
AMC	MOVIE: Mr. Blandings Builds His Dream House. C. Grant				Movie: Big Broadcast. B. Crosby, K. Smith			Follow the			
WFUM	Streamside	For Veterans	Nova								
MAX	(10:30) Wild Zone. E. Albert	Movie: Senior Week. M. Gerard			(40) Goodbye, Emmanuelle. S. Kristel						
TMC	(10:00) Gross Anatomy	Movie: Homeboy. M. Rourke, C. Walken									
HBO	Inside the NFL	Kids in Hall		Movie: Into the Fire. A. Hindle		(55) Hell High					
WJBK	News	Night Court	Cheers	Arsenio Hall		Taxi	News	Fugitive			
WDIV	News	Tonight Show	Instant Recall		(05) Letterman	(05) Bob	(35) M				
WXYZ	News	Nightline	Challengers	Kojak	Ent. Tonight		Into the Night				
CBET	News	Night at the Races	Laugh		Off Air						
WKBD	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	Preview	Hunter		Movie: Chinatown. Kid A. Sheng, S. Yu					
WTVS	Sherlock Holmes '90s	Michigan		This Old House	Outdoorsman	Neighborhood Redeemed					
WGPR	Video Request	Withit	Movie								
WXON	Mama's Family	Love Connect	People's Court	Judge	My Talk Show	Movie: Young Joe, the Forgotten Kennedy					
WGN	Night Court	Ghost Story	Movie: Belle le Grand. J. Carroll, V. Ralston		Hogan's Heroes						
TBS	(10:35) Exodus. P. Newman, E. Saint										
FAM	Scarecrow and Mrs. King	Bonanza		Paid Programming						700 Club With Pat Robertson	
ESPN	(Cont)	SportsCenter	Expedition Earth		Mud and Monster		Thoroughbred	SportsCenter			
NICK	Hitchcock	Patty Duke Show	My Three Sons	Dobie Gillis	Room/Daddy	Mr. Ed	Bewitched	Donna Reed			
USA	Miami Vice	Equalizer	Hitchcock		Hollywood		Movie: Big Bad Mama II				
CNN	Moneyline	Sports Tonight	NewsNight		ShowBiz Today	NewsNight Update		Sports Nite			
A&E	(9:00) New Land. L. Ullmann	World in Action	Challenge	Movie: New Land. L. Ullmann, M. Sydow							
FNN	Lifestyles	Focus	Bus Tonight	Insiders	Entrepreneur	Power Profiles	Money Talk	Focus			
TNN	Music Shop	On Stage	Nashville Now		Crook and Chase		Country Standard Time				
TNT	(10:00) Rancho Notorious	Movie: Kismet. R. Colman, M. Dietrich									
TLC	Williamsburg	Smithsonian	Metropolitan Museum of Art		GED	Pizza Gourmet	Painting	Do It Yourself			
BET	Screen Scene	Ramsay Lewis	Midnight Love		Live From LA	Our Voices	Video Soul				
CSPAN	(8:00) Event of the Day	House Floor Debate or Public Policy Address									
DISC	A Homeland Special. Moscow	Carriers	Firepower		World Monitor	World Alive	America Coast to Coast				
SHOW	(10:00) Mississippi Burning	(15) Howe Mandel		(20) Lady Godiva Rides. M. Jordan, F. Shane							
DISN	(10:05) Seven Faces of Lao	Aretha Franklin. Queen of Soul		Movie: Tom Thumb							

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**Monday - Sunday
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HOROSCOPES

December 23 through December 29

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)
It seems the more you love someone the more you argue. Understand this is just one of those times, and listen to what others are saying.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)
Handling difficult problems at work is second nature for you, but you aren't always so lucky at home. Try taking on new domestic chores.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)
If you are a parent, your children are going to have an exhausting effect on you. Lovers will find things a little more active this week.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)
A Gemini may be important in resolving a conflict in your life. But if they ask you to do something crazy, use your best instincts.

ARIES (March 21-April 19)
A well-meaning friend can't wait to give you some romantic advice. It may be a little outdated. Smile, then forget what they told you.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)
Get out of that stubborn mood, Taurus. You are just as sophisticated as the next person, so don't let insecurities interfere with weekend fun.

By C.C. Clark

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)
A restless Gemini can get things done faster than anyone. Just use that energy in a positive way. The rewards from your work will be great.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)
Exercise may pull you out of this melancholy mood. Take a walk or simply clean house. You'll be surprised at the change in your attitude.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)
Money isn't your favorite thing to talk about now. There's no need to tell family members how wonderful you are; they already know!

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)
It seems some order may come into your life after all. Things have been crazy, but they should smooth out. Take advantage of this restful period.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)
This is a time of great opportunity for Libras, and you can make the most of it by dealing with important details in an efficient manner.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)
Personal problems may get you down. Answers to your problems come from within. Self-improvement classes may do you good.

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End Listing Mon, December 31 6:00 am

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SPORTS SHOWS

Channel	Station	City
2	MTV	Music
3	CNNII	
3	TWC	Weather Channel
5	VH-1	Video Hits 1
6	LIFE	Lifetime
7	PASS	Troy
7	AMC	Classics
10	WFUM	Film
10	MAX	Premium
10	TMC	Premium
10	HBO	Premium
10	WJBK	Detroit
10	WDIV	Detroit
10	WXYZ	Detroit
10	CBET	Windsor
10	WKBD	Detroit
10	WTVS	Detroit
10	WGPR	Detroit
10	WXON	Detroit
10	WGN	Chicago
10	TBS	Atlanta
10	FAM	Family
10	ESPN	Sports
10	NICK	Nickelodeon
10	USA	New York
10	CNN	News
10	A&E	New York
10	FNN	Financial
10	TNN	Nashville
10	TNT	Atlanta
10	TLC	Learning Ch.
10	BET	BET Ntwk
10	CSPAN	Government
10	DISC	Discovery
10	SHOW	Premium
10	DISN	Premium

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Christmas Programs and Stars

(Words in parentheses not in puzzle.)

Bob Hope	Garfield (Christmas)	(Richard) Mulligan
Charlie Brown	Homecoming	Rose Bowl
Cotton (Bowl)	(James) Stewart	(Roses) Parade
Disney	Loretta (Lynn)	Rudolph
Dolly (Parton)	Mickey's (Christmas Carol)	Silent (Night)
Dreamer of Oz	Olivia (Newton-John)	(The) Scrooge
Frosty Snowman	Orange Jamboree	(The) Grinch

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STAR NOTES

Judith Light's move from soaps paid off

By Candace Havens

Who's the Boss? star Judith Light has experienced tremendous success over the last few years as the bright — but not always with it — Angela Bauer. In a show that was actually written for cast-mate Tony Danza, Light has risen above it all to become one of the top comedic actresses on sitcoms today.

Light's acting career began on the popular ABC soap *One Life to Live*, where she starred as housewife/prostitute Karen Woleck. She hadn't wanted to work on soaps, but her agent prodded her into auditioning for an understudy part anyway.

As it turned out, the executives of the show weren't looking for an understudy for the role of Karen Woleck; they were looking for someone new to play the role, and Light was the one. During her five-year stint on the show, Light won two Emmys, two Soapies and was elected into the Soap Opera Hall of Fame.

Light left the show with her husband, Robert Desiderio, who was also her co-star, and headed for Los Angeles. It seemed perhaps she had made the wrong move, but she soon won a part opposite Tony Geary in the television movie *Intimate Agony*. She later won the role of Angela.

Light and Desiderio live in a large home in the Hollywood Hills, where she enjoys reading, cooking, gardening, studying Italian and playing classical piano.



Joan Van Ark and Stephen Dorff star in *Always Remember I Love You*, Sunday on CBS.

TIME OUT

Basketball preamble to bowl games

By Steve Paschal

Sports fans anxious for next week's deluge of college football bowl games can divert their attention to the basketball court Saturday afternoon when two of the nation's traditional college powerhouses square off on CBS.

The Kentucky Wildcats and Louisville Cardinals collide in the first half of a mixed-bag doubleheader that follows with NFL East rivals Philadelphia and Phoenix squaring off.

Kentucky is struggling to regain national prominence after the NCAA placed the Wildcats on probation for recruiting violations under former coach Eddie Sutton. New coach Rick Pitino has his hands full trying to rebuild the program, and he could surprise the experts who pick Kentucky to finish no higher than fifth in the tough Southeast Conference. The Wildcats have two of the country's top freshmen in center Gimel Martinez and forward Jamal Mashburn.

Louisville, led by senior guard Bradford Smith, should make it to the NCAA Tournament, although the Cardinals will be hard-pressed to defend last year's Metro Conference championship in the face of strong opposition from Southern Mississippi and Memphis State. Much of Louisville's success may depend on Coach Denny Crum's ability to replace center Felton Spencer, who jumped to the NBA, and academic casualty Jerome Harmon.



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Lou Gossett Jr. (left) and LeVar Burton reprise their roles in *Roots: The Gift*, Monday on ABC.

Cable Comments

By LARK L. SAMOUELIAN
Executive Director,
SW Oakland Cable Comm.



This week we share with you some of the happenings which are inspired throughout

the holiday season. Companies and organizations extend themselves to help the less fortunate. WXYZ-TV Channel 7, Elias Brothers Big Boy Restaurants and the Hunger Action Coalition sponsor together "Operation Can-Do." They collect food to help feed individuals, senior citizens and an entirely new segment of hungry people who have lost their incomes because of auto industry plant closings and lay-offs.

Many schools in the Detroit Metropolitan area adopt such a project as a class or school mission. They collect canned goods by competing between classes and by holding contests and fun events to encourage participation.

Donors may bring cans of food to collection containers at 100 Big Boy Restaurants

Cable Systems which are involved with the Southeast Michigan Cable Association are sponsoring donations to the United Way. Bob McCann of Metrovision explained that they participate in a special project each year. This year they are offering free installation of cable TV with a \$10 donation to United Way.

Omnicom Cable and the Plymouth Rotary co-sponsor the "Baskets Filled With Love" Food Drive for the Salvation Army. Russ Hoisinton of the Rotary says, "This program guarantees food for the less fortunate in our community and exemplifies our motto: 'Service Above Self.'" Omnicom has been part of this program since 1984.

Community Access Channels do their part as well. Many producers are creating cheerful and

thoughtful shows to warm every home. Special thoughts are extended to those who are home-bound as well as loving messages to our family members and friends who are in the service overseas who receive letters, audio tapes and video greetings. Think creatively at home and set up your own meaningful backdrop for your message. Remember, those receiving it will be interested not only in seeing you but also for mememtos from home. Sounds of home on your audio tape or within your video are important to remember. Don't concentrate on creating a static environment. Sounds as well as visuals will delight your loved one much more if they are spontaneous and bring laughter into their hearts.

The Michigan Detroit Chapter

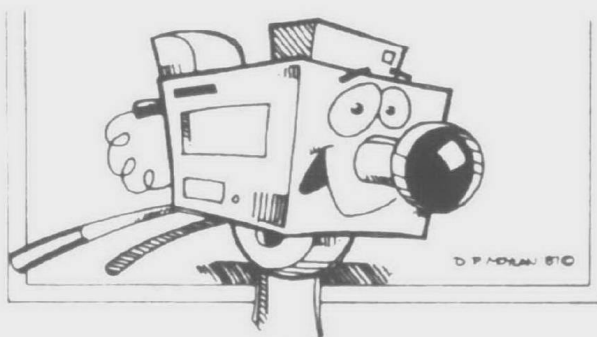
of the National Academy of Television Arts and Sciences held a special screening this month to benefit the Wellness House in Detroit. Harvey Ovshinsky's documentary about living with AIDS, "Tony and Friends: A Celebration of Life," was presented at a special screening. The NATAS chapter is a non-profit association dedicated to the advancement of television.

Check your local channels to determine what programming will help you be aware of opportunities to serve someone in need. The following are programs which may inform and delight you as you watch or participate through Community Access Cable Television throughout the holiday season.

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Bob Newhart marshals Tournament of Roses Parade

Bowl game features Iowa, Washington

By Amy Schmidt

Bob Newhart says his clan is a little nervous about this year's Tournament of Roses. "They're not used to being in the spotlight," said Newhart about his family. There was a quiver in Bob's voice as well, when he explained he had been chosen the 1991 grand marshal of the Pasadena, Calif., event.

All three networks will cover the 102nd parade. ABC will carry the Rose Bowl, the Pacific 10 vs. Big Ten college football championship.

"It's a saluting comedy. It's not so much saluting me," said Newhart modestly of his role, explaining that "Fun 'n' Games" is this year's parade theme.

What does a grand marshal do? "You have your pictures taken with the Rose Queen," said Newhart. "Then there's various teas and dinners for the bands coming in from all over the country—it's quite an operation really—then you greet the two football teams, which will be Iowa and Washington.

"You meet the people who build the floats and the sponsors of the floats," continued Newhart. "Then you have dinner at the Wrigley Mansion in Pasadena New Year's Eve, and then you get up very early in the morning, because there are well over a million people lining the four-mile drive, and then you get in the horse-drawn vehicle and ride from Wrigley Mansion to the Rose Bowl, and there's a lunch. Then there's a game, and you go down and do the coin toss, and then you go up into the booth and watch the Rose Bowl, and then that's about it."

Sound exhausting? "It's one very long day," said Newhart. For Pasadenans, however, the gala affair, which only culminates Jan. 1, has begun long before. City-wide festivities begin as early as September and float building months prior to that. This year's parade will feature 60 floats, 22 musical units and 275 equestrians. The Queen of the 1991 Tournament of Roses is 17-year-old Cara Payton Rullman from San Marino High School. Cara was chosen from a

field of over 600 applicants.

Riding at the front of the parade with one of America's favorite funneymen is Newhart's wife of 27 years, Ginnie, his daughters Jennifer and Courtney, and sons Rob and Tim. "Let's see, Rob is 27, Tim is 24, Jennifer is 19, and Courtney just turned 13," said Newhart pausing at each name, trying to think of his kids' ages. "They keep having birthdays, and it keeps changing," he protested.

"Newhart" having ended, Bob began and recently finished a 20-city stand-up comedy tour. He and his road manager drive from town to town doing the shows. "It's not exactly an entourage. It's just the two of us," laughed Newhart. "And it isn't all that glamorous."

One has to wonder whether or not Bob Newhart can go out in public without being mobbed by autograph seekers. Surprisingly, he can. Rarely is he even encountered. "They look at you, and they're not sure. Every so often you'll get that look about, 'Where the hell do I know you from?'"

CBS is currently working on another comedy for Newhart in 1991.

1991 Tournament of Roses Grand Marshal Bob Newhart and Rose Queen Cara Payton Rullman kick off the 102nd Rose Parade and 77th Rose Bowl. This year's matchup features Washington vs. Iowa. ABC, CBS and NBC will air the parade. The game can be seen on ABC.

CIABILLIE NEWS

Disney Channel debuts series

By Christy Bergslien

Freeze Frame debuts on The Disney Channel on Friday, Dec. 28. Lindsey Scott's (Shannen Doherty) father (Charles Hall) wants his daughter to become a doctor. But Lindsey aspires to be an investigative reporter. While covering a story for her high school TV station, Lindsey and her sidekick cameraman uncover a scandal involving a gubernatorial candidate.

Jane Seymour stars in the USA Network premiere of *Matters of the Heart*. Seymour plays a world-famous pianist having a passionate affair with a college music student. When she learns she has terminal cancer, the liaison is cut short. Chris Gartin co-stars in the drama, airing Wednesday, Dec. 26.

Katharine Hepburn and Laurence Olivier star in the 1975 film that won the two a pair of Emmys. Hepburn plays an aging actress being sued by a gigolo and defended by her former lover in *Love Among the Ruins*, broadcasting Dec. 28 on Lifetime.

Hansel and Gretel, performed by the English National Opera, premieres on The Arts & Entertainment Network Christmas night. This updated rendition of the fairy tale is set in post-WWII England.

John Huston narrates the moving documentary *It's Entertainment: The Legend of Marilyn Monroe*, making its cable debut on The Arts & Entertainment Network Sunday, Dec. 23.



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Table of TV programming for Monday Morning, December 24. Columns include time slots from 6 AM to 11:30 AM and various channel numbers (e.g., WFUM, WJRK, WDIV, WXYZ, CBET, WKBD, WTYS, WGPR, WXON, MTV, CNNII, TWC, VH-1, LIFE, AMC, MAX, TMC, HBO, WGN, TBS, FAM, ESPN, NICK, USA, CNN, A&E, FNN, TNT, TLC, BET, CSPAN, DISC, SHOW, DISN).

MONDAY

AFTERNOON

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Table of TV programming for Monday Afternoon, December 24. Columns include time slots from 12 PM to 5:30 PM and various channel numbers (e.g., WFUM, WJRK, WDIV, WXYZ, CBET, WKBD, WTYS, WGPR, WXON, MTV, CNNII, TWC, VH-1, LIFE, PASS, AMC, MAX, TMC, HBO, WGN, TBS, FAM, ESPN, NICK, USA, CNN, A&E, FNN, TNT, TLC, BET, CSPAN, DISC, SHOW, DISN).

LOCAL ACCESS - Monday Afternoon

Table for Local Access Monday Afternoon, showing channels 8 and 15. Both channels are marked as 'CLOSED DUE TO CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY' for the time slots 12 PM to 5:30 PM.

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Table with columns for time slots (6 PM to 10:30) and rows for various TV channels (MTV, CNN, VH-1, LIFE, PASS, AMC, MAX, TMC, HBO, WGN, TBS, FAM, ESPN, NICK, USA, CNN, A&E, FNN, TNN, TNT, TLC, BET, CSPAN, DISC, SHOW, DISN) listing their respective programs.

MONDAY PRIME TIME DECEMBER 24

Table with columns for time slots (6 PM to 10:30) and rows for various TV channels (WFUM, WJBK, WDIV, WXYZ, CBET, WKBD, WTWS, WGPR, WXON) listing their respective programs.

8:00-11:00 PM: CLOSED DUE TO CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY

11:00 PM-2:30 AM: CLOSED DUE TO CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY

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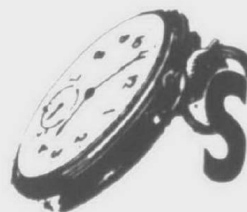
	6 AM	6:30	7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30
WFUM (22)		(45) AM Weather	Mr. Rogers Reading Rainbow	Sesame Street			Christmas at King's	St. Olaf Christmas			Time Station Spc.	
WJBC (21)	Morning Bus	CBS News	CBS This Morning				Live With Regis & Kathie Lee	To Be Announced			Santa Claus Is Coming to Town F. Astaire	
WDIV (4)	Love Boat		Today				Movie: <i>Love Bug</i> D. Jones, M. Lee (G)				Santa Barbara	
WXYZ (7)	(15) News	(45) News	Good Morning America				Motown Merry Christmas	Walt Disney World Very Merry Christmas Parade				
CBET (7)							Christmas Eve Special	Walt Disney World's Very Merry Christmas Parade				
WKBD (25)	What's Happening!	Video Power	G.I. Joe	DuckTales	Gummy Bears	Dennis the Menace	Happy Days	Laverne & Shirley	Bewitched	Webster	Silver Spoons	Jeffersons
WTYS (25)	Program Cont.	Beachcomber	(15) AM Weather	Animals	Profiles of Nature	Lilies!	Christmas at King's	St. Olaf Christmas			Time Station Spc.	
WGPR (25)	SportsView Today	Morning Stretch	Movie		James Robison	Morning Magazine	Morris Cerullo	Larry Lea	Insight	Kenneth Copeland	700 Club With Pat Robertson	
WXON (20)	Health Advantage	Wake, Rattle and Roll	Flintstones	Muppet Babies	Police Academy	Mano Bros.	Movie: <i>Magic of Lassie</i> J. Stewart, A. Faye (G)				All in the Family	All in the Family
MTV (2)	(5:00) Music Videos	Awake on the Wild Side					Daisy Fuentes					
CNNII (3)	CNN Headline News						CNN Headline News					
TWC (3)	Morning Report						Morning Report					
VH-1 (5)	(5:00) Paid Programming	VH-1 Power Breakfast					Good Morning VH-1				New Visions Christmas	
LIFE (6)	Self Improvement Guide	It Figures	Everyday Workout	Jane Wallace			What Every Baby Knows	Born Famous	Attitudes	Frugal Gourmet	Spenser For Hire	
AMC (7)	(5:30) <i>It's a Wonderful Life</i> J. Stewart						Movie: <i>A Tree Grows in Brooklyn</i> D. McGuire, J. Blondell				Movie: <i>Meet John Doe</i> G. Cooper, B. Stanwyck	
MAX (12)	Movie Cont.	Movie: <i>Naked Gun: From the Files of Police Squad</i> L. Nielsen (PG13)					Movie: <i>Man and Boy</i> B. Cosby, G. Spell (G)				Movie: <i>Dream a Little Dream</i> J. Roberts, C. Feldman (PG13)	
TMC (15)	(5:45) <i>King of Kings</i> J. Hunter, S. McKenna						Movie: <i>Downhill Racer</i> R. Redford, G. Hackman (PG)				(15) <i>Sing</i> L. Bracco, P. Dobson (PG13)	
HBO (21)	Magic Circus: Cirque du Soleil	Trolls	Wizard of Oz		Movie: <i>Christmas Wife</i> J. Roberts, J. Harris (PG)		Movie: <i>National Lampoon's Christmas Vacation</i> C. Chase, B. D'Angelo				(15) <i>Toy</i> R. Pryor, J. Gleason (PG)	
WGN (10)	Facts of Life	Faith 20	Success-N-Life		Protestant Church Service		Bozo Grand March Show	Bozo Grand March Show			Joan Rivers	
TBS (21)	CNN News	Flintstones	(05) Tom and Jerry's Christmas Special	(05) Brady Bunch	(35) Bewitched	(05) Conscience	(50) T & J	(05) <i>Greatest Story Ever Told</i> M. Sydow, C. Heston				
FAM (25)	Today With Marilyn	James Robison	Flintstone Kids	Popeye	Dinosaucers	Littles	Big Valley	700 Club With Pat Robertson			Sheila Walsh	Healthy Kids
ESPN (11)	Bodies in Motion	Golf National Long Drive Competition (T)	24 Hours of Aspen (T)	SportsCenter	Top Gun Competit	American Wilderness	Corporate Sports Battle National Finals (T)	Cheer for the Holidays				
NICK (10)	Lassie	Kids World	Mr. Wizard's World	Don't Just Sit There	Inspector Gadget	Heathcliff	Lassie	Maya the Bee	Eureeka's Castle	Elephant	Fred Penner	
USA (15)	Movie Cont.	Santa and the Three Bears	Mr. Magoo's Christmas Carol	Tree Train	A Chipmunk Christmas	Movie: <i>It Happened One Christmas</i> M. Thomas, C. Leachman						
CNN (15)	Program Cont.	Business Morning	DayBreak	Business Day	DayBreak	DayWatch	World Day	DayWatch				
A&E (17)	Rising Damp	A & E Preview	Silas Marner (Pt. 2 of 2) B. Kingsley	World of Survival	Gallant Breed	Around the World in 80 Days	Fugitive	Avengers				
FNN (15)	Christmas Holiday Schedule						Christmas Holiday Schedule					
TNN (19)	(3:00) Off Air						VideoMorning					
TNT (21)	Fun Zone						Fraggle Rock	Muppets	Daktari		Daktari	
TLC (21)	K.I.D.S.	Powerhouse	Moving Right Along	Moving Right Along	Math TV	Another Page	Distant Lives	Personal Achievement	Cooking	Play Bridge	BTR	
BET (2)	(4:00) Paid Programming	Paid Programming						Paid Programming		Our Voices	Live From LA	
CSPAN (11)	House Floor Debate or Public Policy Address			American Profile				Congressional Hearing or Public Policy Conference				
DISC (15)	(3:00) Off Air						St. Elsewhere	Tastes of the World	Pasquale	Dr. Edell	Your Health!	
SHOW (15)	A Broadway Christmas	(55) Tailor	(20) Pecos Bill	(45) Paul Bunyan	(10) Rabbit	(35) Billy Goats' Pigs	Santa Bear	Movie: <i>Yearling</i> G. Peck, J. Wyman			(45) <i>Gross Anatomy</i>	
DISN (19)	Mousercise	You and Me, Kid	Mickey!	Care Bears	Donald Duck Presents	Welcome to Pooh Corner	Tree	Dumbo's Circus	Bluebees	Mirthworm	Mickey Christmas	Family Circus

TUESDAY AFTERNOON DECEMBER 25
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	12 PM	12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30
WFUM (22)	Long Ago & Far Away		Bernstein in East Berlin		St. Olaf Christmas		Christmas at King's		Time Station Spc.			
WJBC (21)	News	Movie: <i>Homecoming: A Christmas Story</i> P. Neal, R. Thomas	Mr. Krueger	Movie: <i>Scrooge</i> A. Finney, A. Guinness (G)		Images of the 90's						
WDIV (4)	Instant Recall	Generations	Days of Our Lives	Another World		NBA Basketball: Pistons at Bulls (L)						
WXYZ (7)	Blue-Gray All-Star Classic				Eagle Aloha Bowl							
CBET (7)	Middy	Country Practice	Coronation Street	Take the High Road	It's Christmas	Talkabout	Umbrella Christmas	Video Hits	Ya Gotta Have Heart			
WKBD (25)	Honey Mooners	I Love Lucy	Andy Griffith	Beverly Hills	Facts of Life	Alvin	Peter Pan	Chip n Dale	Tale Spin	Tiny Toons Adventures	Head of the Class	Beaver
WTYS (25)	Long Ago & Far Away		Bernstein in East Berlin		St. Olaf Christmas		Christmas at King's		Time Station Spc.			
WGPR (25)	Success-N-Life	Movie			Heathcliff	Kids Enjoy Yourself	Real Ghostbusters	Mighty Mouse	Soulbeat	News		
WXON (20)	Good Times	A Team	Odd Couple	Green Acres	Jetsons	Woody Woodpecker	Ninja Turtle	Merrie Melodies	Tom and Jerry	ALF	Hogan Family	
MTV (2)	Hot Seat	Andrew Daddo					Yo! MTV Raps	Totally Pauly	Club MTV			
CNNII (3)	CNN Headline News						CNN Headline News					
TWC (3)	Weather & You						Weather & You					
VH-1 (5)	In Your Face Christmas	VH-1 Afternoon Jam					VH-1 Afternoon Jam	History of Music Videos				
LIFE (6)	Program Cont.	Day by Day	Kenny Rogers: Christmas in America	Best Christmas Pageant Ever L. Swift	Attitudes	Movie: <i>It Nearly Wasn't Christmas</i> C. Durning, T. Lange						
AMC (7)	(10:30) <i>Meet John Doe</i> G. Cooper	This Is Your Life	Movie: <i>Gilded Lily</i> C. Colbert, R. Milland	Movie: <i>Two Tickets to Broadway</i> T. Martin, J. Leigh	Movie: <i>How to Marry a Millionaire</i> L. Bacall							
MAX (12)	Movie: <i>Jesus</i> B. Deacon, Y. Shiloh (G)	Movie: <i>Millennium</i> K. Kristofferson, C. Ladd (PG13)	Movie: <i>Plain Clothes</i> A. Howard, G. Wendt (PG)									
TMC (15)	Movie: <i>Rockin' in the Rockies</i> M. Howard, L. Fine	Movie: <i>F.L.S.T.</i> S. Stallone, R. Steiger (PG)	Movie: <i>Revenge of the Pink Panther</i> P. Sellers, H. Lorn (PG)									
HBO (21)	(11:15) <i>Toy</i> R. Pryor, J. Gleason (PG)	Movie: <i>Nobody's Perfect</i> C. Lowe, G. O'Grady (PG13)	Movie: <i>Twins</i> A. Schwarzenegger, D. DeVito (PG)	Movie: <i>Scrooged</i> B. Murray, K. Allen (PG13)								
WGN (10)	Geraldo	News	Andy Griffith	Dick Van Dyke	Honey Mooners	Cookin' with the Kids	Space Kidettes	DuckTales	Chip n Dale	Mask		
TBS (21)	(10:05) <i>Greatest Story Ever Told</i> M. Sydow, C. Heston	Movie: <i>Ben Hur</i> C. Heston, J. Hawks						(05) Laverne	(35) Good Times			
FAM (25)	Movie: <i>Black Beauty</i> M. Lester, W. Sizak (G)	Movie: <i>Rascals & Robbers: Secret Adventures of Tom & Huck</i> P. Dredon, A. Hill (G)	Batman	C.O.P.S.	Popeye	Popeye						
ESPN (11)	Program Cont.	McCain Elias World Cup of Figure Skating	Great American Events	Siang	Merrill Lynch Senior Shootout From Tucson	Expedition: Earth						
NICK (10)	David Gnome	Little Koala	Old Sultan	Little Red Riding Hood	Puss N Boots	Flipper	Looney Tunes	Heathcliff	Yogi	Outta Here	Hey Dude	
USA (15)	Movie: <i>A Smoky Mountain Christmas</i> D. Parton, L. Majors	Movie: <i>Miracle on 34th Street</i> S. Gabot, J. Alexander	Mr. Magoo's Christmas Carol	Tree Train	A Chipmunk Christmas							
CNN (15)	NewsHour	Sonya Live in L.A.	NewsDay	International Hour	NewsDay	EarlyPrime	ShowBiz Today					
A&E (17)	Movie: <i>Long Memory</i> J. Mills, J. McCallum	Around the World in 80 Days	Movie: <i>West of Zanzibar</i> A. Steel, D. Martin	Fugitive								
FNN (15)	Christmas Holiday Schedule						Christmas Holiday Schedule					
TNN (19)	American Magazine	Top Card	Remodeling	Conversation With Dinah	Country Standard Time	American Magazine	Top Card	Remodeling	Cook and Chase	VideoPM		
TNT (21)	Movie: <i>A Christmas Carol</i> R. Owen, G. Lockhart	Movie: <i>It's a Wonderful Life</i> J. Stewart, D. Reed	(15) <i>Journey for Margaret</i> R. Young, L. Day									
TLC (21)	Wilson Cooks	Acrylics	World in Motion	Quarks	Italianissimo	What I've Learned	All About TV	Personal Achievement	Quilt in a Day	GED		
BET (2)	Screen Scene	Family Figures	Video Vibrations		Video Soul					Rap City		
CSPAN (11)	U.S. House of Representatives				U.S. House of Representatives							
DISC (15)	Do It for Yourself	Square Foot Gardening	Rendezvous	Antiques Roadshow	Tastes of the World	Pasquale	Do It for Yourself	Square Foot Gardening	Dr. Edell	Your Health!	Nature of Things	Wildlife Chronicles
SHOW (15)	(11:45) <i>Gross Anatomy</i> M. Modine, D. Zuniga (PG13)	(35) <i>Broadway</i>	(05) <i>Dominick and Eugene</i> T. Hulce, J. Curts (PG13)	Velveten Rabbit	Movie: <i>Ernest Saves Christmas</i> J. Varney, D. Seale (PG)							
DISN (19)	Strongest Man in Town	Movie: <i>Christmas Girl</i> J. Denver, G. James	Anny & Andy	Care Bears Suite	Nutcracker	(35) Casper	Frosty Land	Small One				

LOCAL ACCESS - Tuesday Afternoon

	12 PM	12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30
8	MERRY CHRISTMAS FROM OMNICOM											
15	MERRY CHRISTMAS FROM OMNICOM											



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MERRY CHRISTMAS FROM OMNICOM (repeated twice)

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WEDNESDAY

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AFTERNOON

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LOCAL ACCESS - Wednesday Afternoon

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THURSDAY

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THURSDAY

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Table of TV programming for Thursday Afternoon, December 27. Columns include time slots from 12 PM to 5:30 PM and various channel listings with program titles and descriptions.

LOCAL ACCESS - Thursday Afternoon

Table of Local Access programming for Thursday Afternoon, December 27, listing channels 8 and 15 with their respective programs.

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THURSDAY PRIME TIME DECEMBER 27

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FRIDAY

MORNING

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Grid of TV programs for Friday Morning (6 AM to 11:30 AM) across various channels including WFUM, WJBC, WDIV, WXYZ, CBET, WKBD, WTYS, WGRB, WXON, MTV, CNNH, TWC, VH-1, LIFE, AMC, MAX, TMC, HBO, WGN, TBS, FAM, ESPN, NICK, USA, CNN, A&E, FNN, TNN, TNT, TLC, BET, CSPAN, DISC, SHOW, and DISN.

FRIDAY

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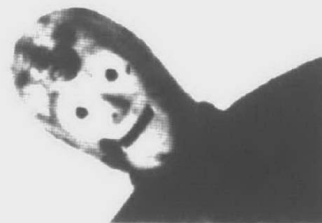
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LOCAL ACCESS - Friday Afternoon

Grid of Local Access programs for Friday Afternoon (12 PM to 5:30 PM) on channels 5 and 15.

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	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	
MTV	Dial MTV		Hot Seat		MTV Street Party						
CNN	CNN Headline News						CNN Headline News				
VH-1	(5:00) History of Music Videos		Flitz	VH-1 to One Robert Gray	VH-1 a Go-Go						
LIFE	Supermarket Sweep	E.R.	E.N.G. Morgan makes a dangerous find		L.A. Law Kuzak is smitten by Van Owen	MOVIE: My Two Loves M. Hartley, L. Redgrave					
PASS	(5:00) College Hockey Great Lakes Invitational (L)			Ron Mason	College Hockey Great Lakes Invitational: Maine vs. Michigan State (L)						
AMC	(5:00) MOVIE: Vigil in the Night (Drama) 1940 C. Lombard, A. Shirley	This Is Your Life Host: Ralph Edwards	MOVIE: Razor's Edge (Drama/Romance) 1946 A well-to-do man searches for truth and the meaning of life T. Power G. Tierney			MOVIE: Sun Also Rises (Romantic Drama) 1957 T. Power, A. Gardner					
MAX	MOVIE: Nickelodeon (Comedy) 1976 An incompetent lawyer turns to screenwriting and directing after he meets a manic film producer who is battling the big companies R. D. Neal, B. Reynolds (PG)			MOVIE: Puppetmaster (Horror) 1989 A master puppeteer learns the secret of life and death P. LeMat, W. Hickey (R)			MOVIE: Witchtrap (Horror) 1989 A man seeks to rid his inn of his murdered uncle's ghost J. Quinn, K. Bailey (R)				
TMC	(5:35) MOVIE: Parents (Black Comedy) 1988 R. Quaid, M. Hurt (R)	MOVIE: A Connecticut Yankee in King Arthur's Court (Musical Comedy) 1949 A handyman from Connecticut finds himself transported to the 6th-century court of King Arthur B. Crosby			MOVIE: Bill & Ted's Excellent Adventure (Comedy) 1989 Two teenagers travel backward in time to learn history in the making (PG)			An Innocent Man (Drama) 1989 (R)			
HBO	(1:15) MOVIE: National Lampoon's Christmas Vacation (Comedy) 1989 Christmas becomes a catastrophe for the ill-fated Griswold family C. Chase, B. D. Angelo (PG13)			MOVIE: Pink Cadillac (Adventure Comedy) 1989 A wily bounty hunter's excursion to Nevada to find the wife of a dangerous criminal leads to a series of comic misadventures on the road C. Eastwood			(05) MOVIE: Dirty Harry (Drama) 1971 C. Eastwood, H. Guardino (R)				
WGN	Charles in Charge	Abbott and Costello	I Dream of Jeannie	Night Court	MOVIE: Pirates (Adventure Comedy) 1986 A Caribbean pirate leads an attack on a treasure-laden galleon W. Matthau, D. Thomas (PG13)			News			
TBS	(05) Beverly Hillsbillies	(1:35) Andy Griffith Andy Forecloses	(05) Happy Days Nose For News	(1:35) Jeffersons	(05) NBA Basketball Boston Celtics at Atlanta Hawks (L)			(20) MOVIE: African Queen (Romantic Adventure) 1951 H. Bogart			
FAM	Rin Tin Tin, K-9 Cop Heartburn	New Zorro The Marked Man	Big Brother Jake	Maniac Mansion	Beauty and the Beast A boy follows Catherine into the Tunnel World		Beauty and the Beast An outcast enters the tunnels		700 Club With Pat Robertson		
ESPN	SportsLook Year End Special		SportsCenter All American Bowl North Carolina State vs. Southern Mississippi at Birmingham, Ala (L)								
NICK	You Can't Do That on Television	Make the Grade	Inspector Gadget	Looney Tunes	Mr. Ed Be Kind to Humans	Bewitched Witch or Wife	Green Acres Lisa's Jam Session	Donna Reed Jeff throws a frat party	Best of Saturday Night Live	America 2Night	
USA	Cartoon Express		MacGyver Mac must find a Stradivarius		Murder, She Wrote A newcomer is a prime suspect		Hitchcock Presents	Ray Bradbury Theatre	Hitchhiker Hit and Run	Swamp Thing	
CNN	World Today		Moneyline	Crossfire	PrimeNews		Larry King Live!	CNN Evening News			
A&E	Avengers A timber industrialist plans to take over the world		World of Survival	Gallant Breed	MOVIE: Hammett (Mystery) 1982 Dashiell Hammett stops writing long enough to find a missing girl F. Forrest, P. Boyle (PG)			Inside Track With Graham Nash Guest: Dave Stewart			
FNN	Mutual Advantage	Lifestyles	American Entrepreneur	Power Profiles	Money Talk	Focus	Business Tonight	Insiders	American Entrepreneur	Power Profiles	
TNN	(5:00) VideoPM				Texas Connection	On Stage	Nashville Now Clint Black and Doug Stone		Crook and Chase		
TNT	Gilligan's Island	Bugs Bunny and Pals		MOVIE: Rose Marie (Musical Romance) 1936 A woman falls in love with a Mountie while they both search for her missing brother J. MacDonald, N. Eddy			(15) MOVIE: Naughty Marietta (Musical Comedy) 1935 J. MacDonald				
TLC	Elegant Appetite	Martin Yan	World in Motion		Italianissimo	What I've Learned	Distasteful Azul Poetry of Nicaragua	Elegant Appetite	From House to Home		
BET	Video LP	Soft Notes	News	Personal Diary	Screen Scene	Black Ent.	Video Soul				
CSPAN	(4:00) House Reps	Viewer Call-In		Event of the Day							
DISC	Beyond 2000 Solar Energy, Deep Sea Diving	Rendezvous	World Monitor	Wild Things A man helps save the cranes	Carriers	Firepower	World Monitor: A Year in Review				
SHOW	MOVIE: Deceivers (Drama) 1988 An Englishman in India goes underground among the natives in order to locate a terrorist cult P. Brosnan, S. Jaffrey (PG13)			MOVIE: Who Framed Roger Rabbit (Adventure Comedy) 1988 After a respected comedian becomes a murder suspect, a private detective is hired to find the real culprit B. Hoskins, C. Lloyd (PG)			MOVIE: Look Who's Talking (Comedy) 1989 J. Travolta, K. Alley (PG13)				
DISN	MOVIE: Fuzzbucket (Fantasy Adventure) 1986 J. Vernon, P. Fondacaro	Freeze Frame			MOVIE: Man Without a Country (Drama) 1973 A man curses his country and is exiled to sea for almost 60 years C. Robertson, B. Bridges			Achievers Jack Dempsey is profiled			

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	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	
WFUM	Off the Record	Nightly Business Report	MacNeil/Lehrer NewsHour		Washington Week in Review	Wall Street Week	Great Performances New Jersey's Paper Mill Playhouse introduces the first televised stage production of an American musical classic				
WJBK	News	CBS News	Hard Copy	Current Affairs	True Detectives		Kennedy Center Honors Dizzy Gillespie, Katharine Hepburn, Rise Stevens, Jule Styne and Billy Wilder are honored				
WDIV	Newsbeat	NBC Nightly News	Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy!	Quantum Leap A man tries to stop a marriage (R)		Night Court	Wings	Midnight Caller Jack and his father team up (R)		
WXYZ	News	ABC News	Entertainment Tonight	Full House Happy New Year	Family Matters Flashpants	Perfect Strangers	Going Places 20/20				
CBET	News	World Alive Orinoco Indians	Sketches of our Town	Street Legal Olivia's brothers are in trouble		Haunting Harmony A choirboy befriends a ghost		National and the Journal			
WKBD	Growing Pains	Family Ties O Brother	Who's the Boss? A Jack Story	Who's the Boss?	COPS Number 2	COPS Number 4	Against the Law MacHeath helps a mother (R)		News		
WTYS	MacNeil/Lehrer NewsHour		Nightly Business Report	Money World	Washington Week in Review	Wall Street Week	Off the Record	Go To War	Fourth Annual Report of the Secretaries of Defense		
WGPR	Contempo		Zion Evangelist	Keys to the Kingdom		Great Faith Temple	Success-N-Life		Soulbeat	Detroit Comedy	
WXON	Gimme a Break!	227 House Number	21 Jump Street Violence erupts during a prolonged power outage		Blockbuster Bowl Florida State vs. Penn State at Miami (L)						
S	Sports Scan	Fall Fest 90	Chamber Report Carlton	Our Lady Good Christmas Program	Auto Talk	Downriver Polka	Micro Today				
15	Chicken Sunday	Oakwood Health Magazine	The Wednesday Report	Life Matters	Astrologic	Rockin' Suburbanites Music Videos					
	11 PM	11:30	12 AM	12:30	1 AM	1:30	2 AM	2:30			
MTV	MTV Street Party (Cont.)		Dial MTV	Music Videos							
CNNHEAD	(9:00) CNN Headline News		CNN Headline News		CNN Headline News						
TWC	(9:00) This Weekend		This Weekend			Pacific Weekend Outlook					
VH-1	Stand-Up!	SCTV	VH-1 a Go-Go		Stand-Up!		SCTV				
LIFE	T. Ullman	Molly Dodd	Dr. Ruth	Day by Day	Self-Improvement Guide						
PASS	German League Soccer		Off Air								
AMC	(10:00) Sun Also Rises T. Power				Movie Blood and Sand T. Power, R. Hayworth						
WFUM	(9:00) Great Performances		Nature		Off Air						
MAX	(05) Love, Lust and Ecstasy		(20) Perfect Timing S. Markle, N. Cser		(50) Grandmother's House E. Foster						
TMC	(10:30) An Innocent Man T. Selleck		Movie Underlow S. Brady, J. Russell			Movie Cyborg J. Damme					
HBO	(10:05) Dirty Harry		Kids in Hall	1st & Ten	Movie Parents R. Quaid		(25) Inside the NFL				
WJBK	News	Night Court	Cheers	Arsenio Hall	Taxi	News	Fugitive				
WDIV	News	Tonight Show	Instant Recall	(05) Letterman	(05) TBA	(35) M					
WXYZ	News	Nightline	Challengers	Kojak	Ent. Tonight	Into the Night					
CBET	News	Good Rockin' Tonight	Movie Take the Money and Run			(55) Off Air					
WKBD	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	Preview	Hunter	Movie Duel of the Iron Fist T. Pong						
WTYS	TBA	Movie Best of Everything J. Crawford, H. Lange				Movie Kennel Murder Case (45) Painted					
WGPR	Jennifer	Withit	Home Buyers Showcase								
WXON	Mama's Family	Love Connect	People's Court	Pd Prg	My Talk Show	Movie Pirates W. Matthau, D. Thomas					
WGN	Night Court	Eisched	Movie Peacemaker J. Mitchell, R. Bowe			Hogan's Heroes (35) Some					
TBS	(10:20) African Queen H. Bogart		(35) Kluge J. Fonda, D. Sutherland								
FAM	Bordertown	Bordertown	Bonanza	Paid Programming			700 Club With Pat Robertson				
ESPN	SportsCenter		Lupica	Bodybuilding	NASCAR Rvw	Ski World	SportsCenter				
NICK	Hitchcock	Patty Duke Show	My Three Sons	Dobie Gillis	Room, Daddy	Mr. Ed	Bewitched	Donna Reed			
USA	Miami Vice	Movie Jekylls J. Baker, L. Ramsey			Movie Lust for Freedom						
CNN	Moneyline	Sports Tonight	NewsNight	ShowBiz Today	NewsNight Update	Sports Nite					
A&E	Garry Marshall at the Improv	Movie Hammett F. Forrest, P. Boyle			Inside Track With Graham Nash						
FNN	Lifestyles	Focus	Bus Tonight	Insiders	Entrepreneur	Power Profiles	Money Talk	Focus			
TNN	Texas Conn	On Stage	Nashville Now	Crook and Chase			Country Standard Time				
TNT	(10:15) Naughty Marietta J. MacDonald		Movie Bitter Sweet J. MacDonald, N. Eddy			Girl of the West					
TLC	Wilson Cooks	Gardening	Stan Glass	Acrylic Art	GED	Martin Yan	Achievement	Achievement			
BET	News	Personal Diary	Midnight Love	Screen Scene			Video Soul				
CSPAN	(8:00) Event of the Day		House Floor Debate or Public Policy Address								
DISC	Monkeys, Apes	Wildlife	Discovery Showcase	World Monitor			Driving Adv	TDC-TV			
SHOW	(Cont.)		(35) Coast to Coast	(40) Cocktail T. Cruise, B. Brown			Taste for Fear				
DISN	Movie Man Hunt W. Pidgeon, G. Sanders		Movie Wonderful World of the Brothers Grimm L. Harvey								

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	6 AM	6:30	7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30
WFUM (21)	1990 Summer Music Games				1990 Michigan Invitational							
WJIK (2)	Ebony/Jet Showcase	Munsters Today	Krypton Factor	Bill & Ted	Muppet Babies	Garfield and Friends	Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles	WWF Superstars of Wrestling				
WDIV (4)	Open Doors	KidBits	Chipmunks	Little Rascals	Camp Candy	Graveyard High	Captain Planet and the Planeteers	Kid n' Play	NBA Inside Stuff	Saved by the Bell	America's Top Ten	
WXYZ (7)	InSport	Basketball	A Likely Story	Capt. Planet	Winnie Pooh	Wizard of Oz	Slimy & the Real Ghostbusters	Beeteejuice	New Kids on the Block	Bugs Bunny & Tweety Show		
CBET (7)					Ed Allen	Tree	Street Carnts	Wonderstruck	Sesame Street			
WKBD (29)	Newsline in Review			For My People	Zazoo U	Bobby's World	Tom and Jerry Kids	Tomatoes	Piggsgurg Pigs	Fox Fun House	Charles in Charge	New Lassie
WTYS (29)	Program Cont.	Beachcomber	Sesame Street	Sesame Street	Tracks Ahead	To Be Announced	Victory Garden	Motorweek 91	This Old House	New Yankee Workshop		
WGPR (29)	Southeast	Peppermint Place	Movie	Movie	Movie	Movie	Wrestling: George Cannon	SportsView Today	Video Request			
WXON (29)	Living in the Lakes	Madonna Magazine	Perceptions	Metro Art Review	Fight Back!	Transbox	Paid Programming	Addams Family	Movie: Kid From Left Field	G. Coleman		
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MTV (2)	(4:00) Music Videos		Music Videos		Best of Pauly			Yo! MTV Raps		Music Videos		
CNNII (2)	CNN Headline News											
TWC (2)	This Weekend											
VH-1 (2)	(5:00) Paid Programming		VH-1 Weekend Jam		What's New on VH-1		VH-1's Saturday Morning Oldies			My Generation		This is VH-1 Country
LIFE (2)	Self-Improvement Guide											
PASS (2)					Arts & Craft		What Every Baby Knows		Day by Day		Attitudes	
AMC (2)	(5:30) Sun Also Rises T. Power, A. Gardner				Movie: Blood and Sand T. Power, R. Hayworth				(15) Windsor Night at the Races		(15) Jackson Action at Northville Downs	
MAX (2)	(5:20) Lovellness G. Bradford (R)		Movie: Return of Swamp Thing L. Jourdan, H. Locklear (PG13)		Movie: Licence to Kill T. Dalton, C. Lowell (PG13)				Movie: Bear J. Wallace T. Karjo (PG)			
TMC (2)	Movie: A Connecticut Yankee in King Arthur's Court B. Crosby, R. Fleming				Movie: Here Comes Mr. Jordan R. Montgomery, C. Rains				(40) Chances Are R. Downey, Jr. C. Shepherd (PG)		To Hell and Back	
HBO (2)	(05) Clara's Heart W. Goldberg, N. Harris (PG13)				Movie: Ghostbusters II B. Murray, D. Aykroyd (PG)				Inside the NFL		Movie: Adventures of Baron Munchausen (PG)	
WGN (2)	Movie Cont.	Archie's Place	Larry Jones	World Tomorrow	U.S. Farm Report	People to People	Charlando	Heart of Chicago	Business Rpt	Good Fishing	NWA Pro Wrestling	
TBS (2)	Hogan's Heroes	Between the Lines	(05) Gunsmoke	(05) Bonanza	(05) NWA Wrestling Hour	(05) National Geographic Explorer						
FAM (2)	Paid Programming		America's Backroads		American Baby	Gerbert	Healthcliff	Popeye	Lone Ranger	New Zorro	Bonanza	
ESPN (2)	(4:00) All American Bowl		SportsCenter	Mark Sosin	Ultimate	Fly Fishing the World	Grt Outdoors	J. Houston	Fishin' Hole	Crooked Creek	Clay Target	NFL GameDay
NICK (2)	Lassie	Spartakus	Eureka's Castle	Kids Court	Healthcliff	Healthcliff	Inspector Gadget	Inspector Gadget	Count Duckula	Count Duckula	Think Fast	Double Dare
USA (2)	Paid Programming											
CNN (2)	DayBreak	Correspond	DayBreak	Sports Close-Up	DayBreak	Big Story	(10) Healthweek	Moneyweek	(10) ShwBiz	Style	(10) Science	Fball Review
A&E (2)	Movie Cont.	Heroes Made	All Creatures Great and Small	Journey to Adventure	World of Survival	All Creatures Great and Small						
FNN (2)	Europe Bus	BUSINESS Supplement	Power Profiles	Business Supplement	Business Supplement	Mutual Advantage	Personal Portfolio	High Tech	IRS Tax Beat	American Entrepreneur	Corp. America	Lifestyles
TNN (2)	(3:00) Off Air											
TNT (2)	Movie: Sundown Trail T. Keene, M. Shilling		National Velvet	Travels of Jamie McPheeters	Hondo	How the West Was Won			Movie: Ambush R. Taylor J. Hodiak			
TLC (2)	Movie: They Made Me a Criminal J. Garfield, C. Rains		(45) VT Maple	Personal Achievement	Personal Achievement	Paid Programming	Quilt in a Day	Sewing With Nancy	In Italiano	Survival Spanish		
BET (2)	(4:00) Paid Programming		Paid Programming		Video LP	Jackson 5	Video Soul		Rap City			
CSPAN (2)	House Floor Debate or Public Policy Address				Viewer Call-In				House Floor Debate or Public Policy Conference			
DISC (2)	(3:00) Off Air											
SHOW (2)	Movie: Dad J. Lemmon, T. Danson (PG)				Movie: Payment Deferred C. Laughton, R. Millard				Movie: Anatomy of a Murder J. Stewart, B. Gazzara			
DISN (2)	Mousecase	You and Me, Kid	Welcome to Pooh Corner	Dumbo's Circus	Mickey!	Mother Goose	Fraggle Rock	Donald Duck Presents	Dot and the Sprugglers	Aliens Next Door	Mouse Club	

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WFUM (21)	Herbal Harvest	Victory Garden	Frugal Gourmet	This Old House	Woodwright Shop	Hometime	Motorweek 91	Computer Chronicles	Collectors	Michigan Outdoors	Great Lakes Outdoors	High School Challenge	
WJIK (2)	Pad Programming	This is the NFL	College Basketball: Kentucky at Louisville (L)					NFL Today	NFL Football: Eagles at Cardinals (L)				
WDIV (4)	NFL Live	NFL Football: Chiefs at Bears (L)						NFL Live Postgame	Great Moments in College Bowl History		Magnum P.I.		
WXYZ (7)	Little Rascals	Peach Bowl											
CBET (7)	Anything Grows	Secrets of St. Joseph	Canadian Gardener	Fish 'N' Canada	Driver's Seat	Challenge	To Be Announced						
WKBD (29)	Movie: Alcatraz Express R. Stack, B. Gordon				Movie: Horse Soldiers J. Wayne, W. Holden			Star Search		Lifestyles of the Rich & Famous			
WTYS (29)	Michigan Outdoors	Great Lakes Outdoors	Woodwright Shop	Cats & Dogs	World Adventure and Travel Series	Collectors	Hometime	Frugal Gourmet	Wilson Cooks	Health Matters	Jukebox		
WGPR (29)	New Dance	Movie											
WXON (29)	Movie: Hostage Heart L. Swift, V. Morrow				Movie: Tomb of Ligeia V. Price, E. Shepperd			Movie: Troll M. Murnighan, S. Hack (PG13)		A Team			
MTV (2)	(11:00) Music Videos						Music Videos			Top 20 Video Countdown			
CNNII (2)	CNN Headline News												
TWC (2)	This Weekend												
VH-1 (2)	New Visions	Stand Up Spotlight	Fix	VH-1 Weekend Jam			Weekend Music Showcase			Race for the Moon			
LIFE (2)	Frugal Gourmet	E.R.	Supermarket Sweep	Tracey Ullman	Moonlighting	E.N.G.		Spenser: For Hire		L.A. Law			
PASS (2)	Big Wheel: Power	Great Lakes Boater	Rinkside	FRANK the West	Sharp Sports Interview	Ed Randall	Senior League Baseball: Troops at Pelicans (L)						
AMC (2)	(11:30) Delightful Rogue R. LaRoy		Movie: Against All Flags E. Flynn, M. O'Hara			Movie: Black Swan T. Power, M. O'Hara		Movie: Spanish Main P. Henred, M. O'Hara					
MAX (2)	Movie Cont. (4:45) Last Picture Show T. Bottoms, J. Bridges (R)				Movie: Jason and the Argonauts T. Armstrong, N. Kovack			(45) Say Anything... J. Cusack, I. Sique (PG13)					
TMC (2)	(11:30) To Hell and Back A. Murphy, M. Thompson			Movie: Red Scorpion D. Lundgren, M. Walsh (R)			Movie: Ghost Breakers B. Hope, P. Goddard		Movie: Ghostbusters II B. Murray (PG)				
HBO (2)	(11:00) Adventures of Baron Munchausen (PG)		(15) Earth to Kids	(45) HBO Family Playhouse		Movie: Deep R. Shaw, J. Bisset (PG)		Movie: Clara's Heart W. Goldberg, N. Harris (PG13)					
WGN (2)	Soul Train		Movie: Stagecoach Express D. Barry		Movie: Desperadoes G. Ford, R. Scott		Movie: Islander D. Weaver, B. Peters			21 Jump Street			
TBS (2)	(05) Battleground V. Johnson, J. Hodiak						(35) Cabaret L. Minnelli, J. Grey (PG)			(05) Andy Griffith		(35) Happy Days	
FAM (2)	Virginian		Arliman		Wagon Train		Big Valley		Gunsmoke		Bonanza		
ESPN (2)	College Basketball: Georgetown vs. Houston (L)				Amer. Racing	ESPN's SpeedWeek	World Team Lumberjack Championship		America's Widemess		24 Hours of Aspen (R)		
NICK (2)	Dennis the Menace	Dennis the Menace	Lassie	Lassie	Cinderella	Peter Pan		Can't on TV		Out of Control	Mr. Wizard's World	Dennis the Menace	
USA (2)	Movie: Attack of the Killer Tomatoes D. Miller				Movie: Return of the Killer Tomatoes J. Asin, S. Lundquist (PG)			Double Trouble		Dog House	Miami Vice		
CNN (2)	NewsDay	Evans and Novak	NewsDay	NewsDay Saturday	(10) Healthweek	Style	On the Menu: Your Money (10) Close-Up		Future Watch		EarlyPrime	NewsDay Saturday	
A&E (2)	Carols From Prague		David L. Wolper Presents		To Be Hamlet (P.1 of 2) L. Olivier		Movie: Hammett F. Forrest, P. Boyle (PG)			Fugitive			
FNN (2)	Lifestyles	Lifestyles	Lifestyles	Lifestyles	SCORE Card								
TNN (2)	Country Kitchen	Side by Side	Gang Our Way	Remodeling	Country Kitchen	Gospel Jubilee	Tommy Hunter		Conversation With Dinah		Gospel Jubilee	This Year in Country Music	
TNT (2)	(11:00) Ambush R. Taylor		Movie: Moonfleet S. Granger, G. Sanders				Movie: China Seas C. Gable, J. Harlow						
TLC (2)	Wilson Cooks	Fashion Pit	Pad Programming	Pad Programming	Personal Achievement	Personal Achievement	Paid Programming		Stain Glass	America's Backyard	Do It Yourself	Gardening	
BET (2)	Teen Summit		Family Figures		Pad Programming		Budweiser Sports Report		Sports Profile		Rap City		
CSPAN (2)	House Floor Debate or Public Policy Conference						House Floor Debate or Public Policy Conference						
DISC (2)	Movie: Above the Last World J. Deano				A World Away			Discovery Showcase		Rush		Motor Cars	Wild About Wheels
SHOW (2)	Movie Cont.		Movie: Bill & Ted's Excellent Adventure K. Reeves, A. Winter		R.S. Garry	Movie: Tunes A. Schwarzenegger, D. DeVito (PG)		Movie: Dad J. Lemmon, T. Danson (PG)					
DISN (2)	Raffi in Concert With the Rose and Shine Band		Course: Kevin Zoro		Movie: Wes Willie Whole S. Temple, V. McLaglen			Strongest Man in Town		Rudolph's Shiny New Year			

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SUNDAY MORNING DECEMBER 30

Table of TV programming for Sunday Morning, December 30. Columns include time slots from 6 AM to 11:30 AM and various channels like WFUN, WJBK, WDIV, etc.

SUNDAY AFTERNOON DECEMBER 30

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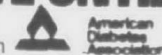
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SATURDAY LATE NIGHT DECEMBER 29

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NIGHT OWL LISTINGS

FROM 2:30 am to 6:00 am

MONDAY December 24

- 2:30 MOVIE: Badlands of Montana (Western Adventure 1957) A marshal faces a former friend in a shoot-out in the Old West. Rex Reason, Margie Dean. SportsCenter, Sports LateNight, Wheels in Sport. The proliferation of corporate sponsorship in racing is explored. MOVIE: Lady for a Day (Drama 1933) An apple seller poses as a socialite to impress her daughter. May Robson, Warren William. St. Olaf Christmas. More than 400 voices join for traditional Christmas carols. SportsLook. MOVIE: Aerobi-Cide (Suspense 1988) A serial killer is on the loose at a health club. Marcia Karr, David James Campbell. R. MOVIE: The Treasure of the Sierra Madre (Drama (Colorized) 1948) Three men search for gold in the mountains of Mexico. Humphrey Bogart, Walter Huston. MOVIE: The Dream Team (Comedy 1989) Four mental patients search for their therapist. Michael Keaton, Christopher Lloyd. PG13. MOVIE: Noah's Ark (Drama 1929) The tragedy of WWI is made parallel with the story of Noah. Dolores Costello, George O'Brien. MOVIE: It's a Wonderful Life (Drama 1946) A guardian angel visits a man who's contemplating suicide. James Stewart, Donna Reed. MOVIE: The Rachel Papers (Romantic Drama 1989) An oversexed computer genius methodically plans his next conquest. Dexter Fletcher, James Spader. R. MOVIE: A Christmas to Remember (Drama 1978) An elderly farm couple's grandson comes to live with them. Jason Robards, Eva Marie Saint. MOVIE: The Storm Rider (Western Romance 1957) A Cattle Association agent leads ranchers on a fence-cutting mission. Scott Brady, Mala Powers. MOVIE: A Midsummer Night's Sex Comedy (Comedy 1982) Three couples exchange playful flirtations during a weekend outing. Woody Allen, Mia Farrow. MOVIE: Jesus (Historical Drama 1979) The physical and spiritual aspects of Jesus Christ are portrayed. Brian Deacon, Yossel Shiloah. G. MOVIE: The Inspector General (Musical Comedy 1949) An assistant elixir salesman is mistaken for an inspector general. Danny Kaye, Walter Slezak. MOVIE: Pumpkinhead (Horror 1988) A lonely man vows to avenge his little boy's death. Lance Henriksen, John DiAquino. R. MOVIE: It's a Wonderful Life (Drama 1946) A guardian angel visits a man who's contemplating suicide. James Stewart, Donna Reed. Carols of Christmas. MOVIE: King of Kings (Historical Drama 1961) The life and teachings of Jesus Christ are narrated by Orson Welles. Jeffrey Hunter, Siobhan McKenna. TUESDAY December 25 2:30 SportsCenter, Sports LateNight

- A Ceremony of Carols Benjamin Britten creates a masterwork of Christmas music. Golf Digest. MOVIE: The Iron Triangle (Drama 1989) An American and a Vietnamese soldier learn from each other in 1969. Beau Bridges, Haing S. Ngor. R. MOVIE: The Thief of Bagdad (Adventure Fantasy 1940) A thief meets a genie in ancient Baghdad. Sabu, June Duprez. MOVIE: Music in Manhattan (Comedy Musical 1944) Two people pose as man and wife. Dennis Day, Anne Shirley. IX International Tchaikovsky Competition Some of the most dramatic moments of competition are presented. SportsLook. Top Rank Boxing From Las Vegas. (R) MOVIE: Black Gunn (Drama 1972) When his brother is killed, a black club owner takes on the syndicate. Jim Brown, Martin Landau. R. MOVIE: The Man Who Wasn't There (Comedy 1983) A mid office clerk inadvertently discovers an invisibility potion. Steve Guttenberg, Lisa Langlois. R. MOVIE: Look Who's Talking (Comedy 1989) A woman finds a husband for herself and a father for her baby. John Travolta, Kirstie Alley. PG13. MOVIE: The Migrants (Drama 1974) This film depicts the plight of one family of American farm workers. Chris Leachman, Ron Howard. MOVIE: Come Back, Charleston Blue (Comedy 1972) Two Harlem detectives track down a drug operation. Jonelle Allen, Godfrey Cambridge. PG. MOVIE: West of Zanzibar (Drama 1955) A game warden catches an ivory-poaching gang with the aid of natives. Anthony Steel, Orlando Martins. MOVIE: Fireman Save My Child (Comedy 1932) A town's fire chief juggles firefighting and his love of baseball. Joe E. Brown, Guy Auber. A Disney Channel Christmas Host Jimmy Cricket presents a potpourri of Disney animated classics. MOVIE: Animal Behavior (Romantic Comedy 1989) A cellist falls in love with a female psychiatrist professor. Herb Allen, Amanda Assante. PG. Paul Badura Skoda Plays Chopin Pianist Paul Badura Skoda plays Chopin's Sonata in B Minor, Opus 58. MOVIE: Under the Boardwalk (Romantic Adventure 1942) A shy farm boy finds excitement and romance in the world of surfing. Keith Jaggan, Danielle Lee Zelnick. R. The Godfather Family A Look Inside Francis Ford Coppola looks at footage from the Godfather films. MOVIE: Farewell to the King (Drama 1989) An Army deserter becomes king of Bornen headhunters in World War II. Nick Nolte, Nigel Havers. PG13. WEDNESDAY December 26 2:30 SportsCenter, Sports LateNight MOVIE: Bedknobs and Broomsticks (Fantasy 1971) A prim witch, a phony magician and three children try to save Britain. Angela Lansbury, David Tomlinson. G. MOVIE: Cage (Action 1989) Two

- buddies fight for their lives in the world of cage-boxing. Lou Ferrigno, Reb Brown. R. SportsLook. Malcolm Jamal Warner at the Improv Guests Bob Worley, Monica Piper, Ronn Lucas. MOVIE: Two Girls and a Sailor (Comedy 1944) Two sisters fall in love with the same soldier. Van Johnson, June Allyson. MOVIE: Captains Courageous (Drama 1937) A boy learns about life and the sea while sailing on a fishing boat. Spencer Tracy, Melvyn Douglas. MOVIE: They Live (Science Fiction 1988) Aliens take over the Earth through hypnosis in the mass media. Roddy Piper, Meg Foster. R. MOVIE: Niagara (Mystery 1953) A disturbed war veteran is marked for murder on his honeymoon. Marilyn Monroe, Joseph Cotten. MOVIE: Red Scorpion (Action 1989) A band of bushmen teaches a Soviet assassin a new way of life. Dolph Lundgren, M. Emmet Walsh. R. MOVIE: Vengeance Vow (Western Adventure 1955) Escaped convict sets out to kill Lone Ranger and Tonto. Clayton Moore, Jay Silverheels. MOVIE: Outcasts of the Trail (Western 1949) Two cowboys find themselves unwelcome in a town. Monte Hale. MOVIE: My Favorite Brunette (Mystery Comedy 1947) A beautiful brunette convinces a baby photographer to become a sleuth. Bob Hope, Dorothy Lamour. MOVIE: Friends, Lovers and Lunatics (Comedy 1989) A man becomes obsessed with his estranged wife's activities. Daniel Stern, Sheila McCarthy. R. MOVIE: The Fury (Suspense Mystery 1978) A secret government agency uses parapsychology as a deadly weapon. Kirk Douglas, Andrew Stevens. R. MOVIE: Gregory's Girl (Comedy 1981) A wimpy teenager falls in love with a girl on the soccer team. Gordon John Smith, Dee Hepburn. PG. Showtime Coast to Coast: All-Star Edition Herbie Hancock is the host for this edition featuring Bonnie Raitt. MOVIE: Son of God's Country (Western 1948) A U.S. marshal poses as a crook. Monte Hale, Pamela Blake. MOVIE: The Left Hand of God (Western 1955) A pilot disguises himself as a priest to escape a Chinese warlord. Humphrey Bogart, Gene Tierney. Mel Gibson's Unauthorized Video Diary The making of Lethal Weapon 2 is examined from Gibson's viewpoint. THURSDAY December 27 2:30 MOVIE: Follow the Fleet (Musical Comedy 1935) A song and dance man joins the Navy and encounters girl trouble. Fred Astaire, Ginger Rogers. SportsCenter, Sports LateNight. MOVIE: The Hanoi Hilton (Drama 1987) American POWs in Vietnam struggle to survive. Michael Moriarty, Paul LeMat. R. Mystery! A man gets into the literary world when he meets an old friend. SportsLook. MOVIE: Seven Faces of Dr. Lao



NIGHT OWL LISTINGS

FROM 2:30 am to 6:00 am

- (Comedy 1964) An elderly Chinese man defeats evil in a Western town. Tony Randall, Arthur O'Connell. MOVIE: The Wild Bunch (Western 1969) Bank robbers escape to Mexico where a general double-crosses them. William Holden, Ernest Borgnine. R. MOVIE: College Dormitory (Adult) A girl finds flesh to be the main subject at a French girls' school. MOVIE: Gross Anatomy (Comedy Drama 1989) A student's attitude in medical school quickly brands him a rebel. Matthew Modine, Daphne Zuniga. PG13. MOVIE: Buying Time (Adventure Drama 1989) Three teenagers involvement in petty crime escalates into murder. Dean Stockwell, Jeff Schultz. R. MOVIE: Camera (Science Fiction 1965) Camera, a two-hundred foot fire-breathing monster, threatens a city. Eiji Funakoshi, Harumi Kiritochi. MOVIE: No Man's Woman (Drama 1955) A ruthless woman's treachery leads to her murder. Marie Windsor, Patricia Knowles. MOVIE: Both Sides of the Law (Drama 1954) A London policewoman searches for three killers. Peggy Cummins, Terence Morgan. MOVIE: Mr. Blandings Builds His Dream House (Comedy 1948) A glib couple from Manhattan decides to build a country home. Gary Grant, Myrna Loy. MOVIE: Last Rites (Drama ESP 1988) A priest is torn between his sacred vows and his passion for a woman. Tom Berenger, Daphne Zuniga. R. MOVIE: Pilgrim Lady (Drama 1947) A prim female teacher writes a racy novel under a pen name. Lynne Roberts, Warren Douglas. MOVIE: Starlight Hotel (Drama 1987) A girl runs away and joins up with a fugitive. Marshall Napier, Greer Robson. PG. FRIDAY December 28 2:30 SportsCenter, Sports LateNight MOVIE: The Girl of the Golden West (Western Musical 1938) Two men are in love with the same woman in Old Monterey. Nelson Eddy, Jeanette MacDonald. MOVIE: Obsession: A Taste for Fear (Suspense Dubbed 1989) A fashion photographer hires a surly detective to catch a murderer. Virginia Hey, Gerald Darron. R. MOVIE: Some Like It Hot (Comedy 1959) Two musicians hide from gangsters by dressing as women. Tony Curtis, Marilyn Monroe. MOVIE: The Painted Desert (Western 1931) Two men start a 30-year feud when they find a baby in the desert. William Boyd, Clark Gable. MOVIE: The Razor's Edge (Drama Romance 1946) A man searches for the meaning of life after World War I. Tyrone Power, Gene Tierney. MOVIE: Twilight in the Sierras (Western 1950) A cowboy sings and chases crooks in the high Sierra Mountains. Roy Rogers, Dale Evans. SportsLook Year End Special. MOVIE: Amsterdamed (Horror 1988) A mad killer stalks young women in Amsterdam. Huub Stapel, Monique Van De Ven. R. MOVIE: Robot Monster (Science

- Fiction 1953) A violent alien invader is determined to rid the Earth of humans. George Nader, Claudia Barrett. MOVIE: A Game of Death (Drama 1946) A hunter living on an island makes shipwreck victims his prey. John Loder, Audrey Long. MOVIE: I Will Fight No More Forever (Historical Drama 1975) The Nez Perce tribe fled to Canada in 1877 - a 1,600 mile trek. James Whitmore, Ned Romero. MOVIE: Playing for Time (Docudrama 1980) Female prisoners at Auschwitz are ordered to form a bizarre orchestra. Vanessa Redgrave, Jane Alexander. MOVIE: All American Bowl North Carolina State vs Southern Mississippi at Birmingham. Ala. (R) MOVIE: Squeeze Play (Comedy 1980) The women challenge the men to a softball competition. Jim Harris, Jim Metzler. R. MOVIE: A Star Is Born (Drama 1937) A woman becomes a star as her husband's acting career flounders. Fredric March, Janet Gaynor. MOVIE: Bill & Ted's Excellent Adventure (Comedy 1989) Two teenagers travel backward in time to learn history in the making. Keanu Reeves, Alex Winter. PG. MOVIE: Erotic Adventures of the Three Musketeers (Fantasy 1970) The Musketeers engage in erotic swashbuckling. Peter Gough, Ingrid Steeger. R. Teenage Mothers: A Global Crisis. MOVIE: Fuzzbucket (Fantasy Adventure 1986) An invisible creature from another world helps a boy. John Vernon, Phil Fondacaro. MOVIE: Lovelines (Musical Comedy 1984) Lead singers from two bands defy a school rivalry and fall in love. Greg Bradford, Mary Beth Evans. R. MOVIE: The Sun Also Rises (Romantic Drama 1957) American expatriates live a life of extremes in Paris. Tyrone Power, Ava Gardner. SATURDAY December 29 2:30 MOVIE: Paradise Motel (Comedy 1984) Teen boys plan to use the family business, a motel, to win popularity. Gary Hershberger, Robert Krantz. SportsLateNight. MOVIE: A High Wind in Jamaica (Drama 1965) A ship carrying five children to England is attacked by pirates. Anthony Quinn, Lia Kedrova. NWA Pro Wrestling. Sea World Holiday Bowl Brigham Young vs. Texas A&M at San Diego (R) MOVIE: Lust for Freedom (Action 1987) Visitors to a small, isolated town are brutally enslaved and tortured. Melanie Coll, Judi Trevor. R. MOVIE: The Defiant Ones (Drama 1958) A white man and a black man escape from jail while shackled together. Tony Curtis, Sidney Poitier. MOVIE: Cleo/Léo (Comedy 1989) A male chauvinist is turned into a woman. Jane Hamilton, Scott Baker. R. MOVIE: Woman of the Year (Comedy Colorized 1942) A gossip columnist and a sportswriter make a fiery married couple. Katharine Hepburn, Spencer Tracy. MOVIE: The Iron Triangle (Drama 1989) An American and a Vietnamese

- soldier learn from each other in 1969. Beau Bridges, Haing S. Ngor. R. MOVIE: Knights of the Round Table (Drama 1953) King Arthur and his knights seek romance and adventure. Robert Taylor, Ava Gardner. MOVIE: The Phantom Cowboy (Western 1941) A cowboy plays a phantom to restore a ranch to the owner's niece. Don Barry, Lynn Merrick. MOVIE: La Nuit de Varennes (Historical Comedy (Subtitled) 1982) A madcap group of travelers spends a night in French history. Marcello Mastroianni, Harvey Keitel. R. MOVIE: Mad Love (Horror 1935) A surgeon replaces a pianist's hands with those of a dead murderer. Peter Lorre, Frances Drake. MOVIE: Blackbeard the Pirate (Adventure 1952) A girl with a fortune in jewels becomes Blackbeard's captive. Robert Newton, Linda Darnell. MOVIE: Roger & Me (Documentary 1989) A filmmaker tries to speak with the chairman of General Motors. Michael Moore, Roger Smith. R. MOVIE: Mr. Muggs Steps Out (Comedy 1943) East Side Kids are once again in trouble. Leo Gorcey, Huntz Hall. MOVIE: Under Mexicali Stars (Western 1950) A cowboy treasury agent battles a counterfeiting ring. Rex Allen, Dorothy Patrick. SportsLateNight. The Prom Rebecca's date for her senior prom is a nerd. MOVIE: The Rachel Papers (Romantic Drama 1989) An oversexed computer genius methodically plans his next conquest. Dexter Fletcher, James Spader. R. MOVIE: Flipper (Adventure 1963) A fisherman's son cares for a wounded dolphin that becomes his pet. Chuck Connors, Luke Halpin. G. Bayliner's Water Sports World. SUNDAY December 30 2:30 MOVIE: So This Is New York (Comedy 1948) A man from a small town inherits \$40,000 and goes to New York City. Henry Morgan, Rudy Vallee. SportsLateNight. MOVIE: Batman (Adventure Drama ESP 1989) A brilliant, tortured millionaire disguises himself to fight crime. Jack Nicholson, Michael Keaton. PG13. MOVIE: My Left Foot (Biographical Drama 1989) Irishman Christy Brown fights cerebral palsy and becomes a writer. Daniel Day-Lewis, Brenda Fricker. R. MOVIE: Cat Ballou (Western Comedy 1965) A cattle rustler, a schoolmarm and a drunk team up to rob a train. Jane Fonda, Lee Marvin. Masterpiece Theatre A journalist gets the scoop on a story and becomes a reluctant hero. MOVIE: The Robe (Historical Drama 1953) A cynical Roman discovers the power of faith through Christ's robe. Richard Burton, Jean Simmons. Amazing Games. MOVIE: Cheetah (Adventure 1988) Two American teens and an African friend raise an orphaned cheetah. Keith Coogan, Lucy Deakins. MOVIE: Woman in the Dark (Mystery 1951) A young immigrant is the fall guy in a jewel theft. Penny Edwards. NWA Main Event Wrestling. MOVIE: Ice Cold in Alex (Drama



NIGHT OWL LISTINGS

FROM 2:30 a.m. to 6:00 a.m.

1960) A British ambulance driver meets a German soldier in the desert. *John Mills, Sylvia Syms*

4:05 **MOVIE: Scott of the Antarctic** (Biographical Adventure, 1948) Robert Scott explores the frigid wastes of Antarctica in 1912. *John Mills, Derek Bond*

4:05 **MOVIE: Animal Behavior** (Romantic Comedy, 1989) A cellist falls in love with a female psychiatry professor. *Karen Allen, Armand Assante* PG

4:15 **MOVIE: Last of the Pagans** (Romantic

Adventure, 1935) A South Pacific couple becomes separated shortly after marriage. *Ray Mala, Lotus Long*

4:30 **Amazing Games**

4:35 **MOVIE: Pet Sematary** (Horror, 1989) A doctor learns the strange powers of an Indian burial ground. *Dale Midkiff, Fred Gwynne* R

5:00 **MOVIE: Blackmail** (Mystery, 1947) A detective discovers a tycoon's girlfriend is a blackmailer. *William Marshall, Adele Mara*

5:00 **Sports LateNight**

5:20 **MOVIE: National Lampoon's Christmas Vacation** (Comedy, 1989) Christmas becomes a catastrophe for the ill-fated Griswold family. *Chevy Chase, Beverly D'Angelo* PG13

5:30 **MOVIE: Great Balls of Fire!** (Musical Biography, 1989) Jerry Lee Lewis' frenzied performances cause controversy in the 50s. *Dennis Quaid, Winona Ryder* PG13

5:35 **Tale of Peter Rabbit, Tale of Mr. Jeremy Fisher** Meryl Streep narrates Beatrix Potter's tales. (Animated)



Donald Duck, Pluto and Mickey Mouse are among the Disney characters who will be marching and singing to holiday songs at the Walt Disney World Very Merry Christmas Parade, Christmas Day on ABC. Alan Thicke and Joan Lunden once again host the parade from the Florida theme park.

TRIVIA, ETC.

Who starred as private eye 'Tony Rome'?

By Steven Alan McGaw

Questions:

1. James Agee called this work "the best private eye movie ever made."
2. Name the actor who played Harvey Cheyne in the 1937 version of *Captains Courageous*.
3. Identify the 1943 movie about a trio of sailors on leave in San Francisco.
4. This actor played the title role in *The Amazing Dr. Clitterhouse*.
5. Remember the private eye flick *Tony Rome*? a.) Who played the title role? b.) Where was the movie set?
6. Name the recent film which features this exchange: Q: "Have you ever had angry sex?" A: "Is there any other kind?"
7. Composer Hoagy Carmichael played a pianist named Cricket in what film?
8. Columnist Hedda Hopper's real name was

Answers:

1. *The Maltese Falcon*
2. Freddie Bartholomew
3. *The Fleet's In*
4. Edward G. Robinson
5. a.) Frank Sinatra b.) Miami
6. *War of the Roses*
7. *To Have and Have Not*
8. Edda Hopper



Billy Crystal and Anne Ramsey star in CBS' *Throw Momma From the Train*, Thursday.



Eddie Bracken is Cap'n Andy on *Great Performances'* "Show Boat" encore, Friday on PBS.



Gene Hackman goes to Vietnam to find his son, missing in action, in *Uncommon Valor*, Saturday on ABC.

BITS AND PIECES

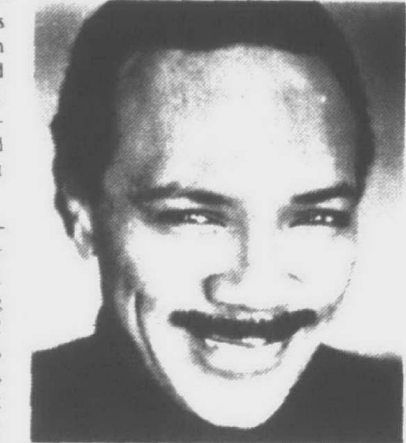
Quincy Jones joins Hall of Fame during NAACP Image Awards

Record producer Quincy Jones received the Hall of Fame Award from the NAACP at the organization's 23rd annual Image Awards ceremony Dec. 1 in Los Angeles. Jones boasts a much-lauded career in music, film and television and as the head of Qwest Records.

It's hard to imagine this time of year without the Irving Berlin favorite, "White Christmas." Surprisingly, Bing Crosby nearly didn't sing it in the 1942 classic, *Holiday Inn*. The Christmas gem was nearly cut because Crosby was loath to commercialize the most jubilant of Christian holy days. Only after a long debate with producer Jack Kapp was Crosby convinced of the song's harmlessness. Bing's version of the song has sold 30 million records.

Peter Falk, who has won four of his five Emmy Awards for playing *Columbo*, has the added distinction of having played the character at least once in every decade since the '60s.

Dorothy Lyman (*All My Children, Mama's Family*) has joined the cast of NBC's daytime drama *Generations*. She will make her first appearance on Monday, Dec. 31. Unfortunately, *Generations* will have its last network broadcast on Jan. 25, 1991.

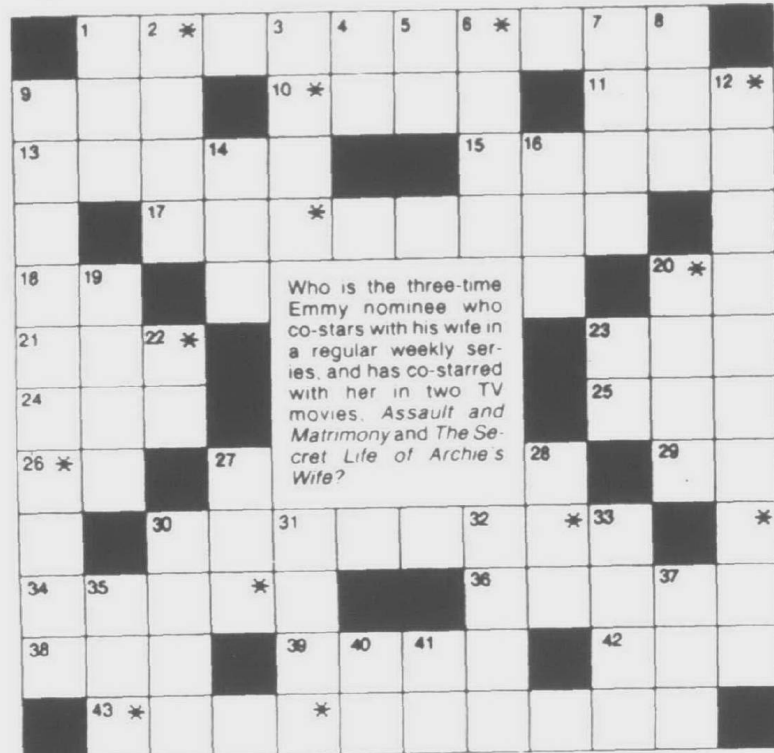


Quincy Jones

Rod Stewart is being sued by a fan for \$10,000 in damages. Patricia Boughton of Utica, Mich., was struck on the hand when Stewart kicked a soccer ball off the stage during his Clarkston, Mich., concert. She claims she suffered a ruptured tendon in her middle finger and a possible break.

Production has begun in England on *Robin Hood*, a motion picture starring Patrick Bergin (*Love Crimes*) and Uma Thurman (*Dangerous Liaisons*), which will make its U.S. premiere as a three-hour television event in 1991 on Fox *Night at the Movies*.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE



The answer to the Crossword Quiz is found within the answers in the puzzle. To find the answer, unscramble the letters noted with asterisks within the puzzle.

ACROSS

- 1. Series for Dana Delany and Robert Picardo (2)
- 9. Funny Leno
- 10. Popular emcee
- 11. Ben ____, Best Picture Oscar winner of 1959
- 13. ____, the Yum Yum Tree, 1963 Lemmon film
- 15. Liberace's forte
- 17. Actress Lisa
- 18. Working ____, Out
- 20. Shriner's monogram
- 21. Feel terrible
- 23. One of a funny three
- 24. Genetic matter
- 25. Go astray
- 26. Movie-making co.
- 29. ____, Dorado, 1967 John Wayne flick
- 30. L. A. Law actress (2)
- 34. Eccentric slang
- 36. Decorate
- 38. Affirmative vote
- 39. Marquee light gas
- 42. Item for Washington
- 43. Carol's portrayer on Growing Pains (2)

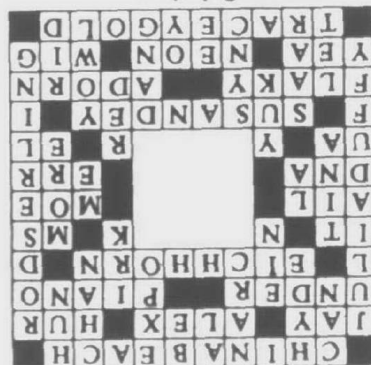
DOWN

- 1. Home for Sesame Street's Oscar
- 2. Jekyll's other half
- 3. Druggie's nemesis
- 4. Nickname for Hitchcock, perhaps
- 5. Common verb
- 6. Montreal athlete
- 7. Detective Charlie
- 8. Savage
- 9. Stephanie of Newhart (2)
- 12. Narrator of The Twilight Zone (2)

14. ____, zwei, drei

- 16. Annoy
- 19. Yothers of Family Ties
- 20. Greedy one's desire
- 22. ____, Law
- 23. *Give ____, liberty or *
- 27. Laugh loudly slang
- 28. Skelton or Buttons
- 30. German river valley
- 31. Out of ____,
- 32. Phooey!
- 33. Mournful cry
- 35. ____, It Be, 1970 Beatles' film
- 37. Free
- 40. Estrada's insignie
- 41. Exclamation

Solution
Michael Tucker



SOAP TALK

Richard S. Woods happy with return as Bo Buchanan

By Candace Havens

Dear Candace: I am absolutely in love with the gentleman who plays Bo Buchanan on *One Life to Live*. I bet if you looked up sexy in the dictionary, his name would be part of the definition. I was ecstatic when he returned to the show. I'd like to know more about him, especially where he is from. —Thanks, Bo's biggest fan

Dear Reader: Robert S. Woods plays the role of Bo Buchanan, the handsome younger son of the rich and powerful Buchanan clan. Woods created the part of Bo in 1979. After six successful years in the role, he took a hiatus from the show to go to the West Coast to pursue film and television opportunities. As often happens, he returned to *One Life to Live* in January, 1988, when things didn't turn out as he expected.

Woods has always had an interest in acting, but before his career began, he served 15 months as a Green Beret in Vietnam, seeing action with the Army's Fifth Special Forces Group.

After returning from the war, he majored in broadcasting at California State College at Long Beach, and following graduation he studied at the Film Actors Workshop in Los Angeles, the James Best Theater Centre and the Director Lab.

He's done a variety of roles on television including the recurring parts of Dr. David Spencer in *The Waltons* and Lt. Bob King in *Project UFO*, as well as roles in *Family*, *City of Angels* and *Newhart*. Woods has some feature film credits including *The China Syndrome* and *Big Wednesday*. He has also starred with Dorothy Lamour in the theater production of *Barefoot in the Park*.

His made-for-television movies include *Just a Little Inconvenience*, *The Night They Took Miss Beautiful*, *Police Story*, *Fantasies* and *Chase*.

Most of his family comes from Texas as does his television family. His older brother and his four older sisters are all native Texans, as was his mother, but his dad was from Georgia. Before his birth, the family moved to California, where he was raised.

I want to hear from you! If you have a favorite soap scenario you would like to sound off about, or a question about the soaps, write to Candace Havens, Soap Talk, P.O. Box 17748, Fort Worth, TX 76102-0748.

LET'S TALK

Reader wanting to catch up on old western series stars

By Polly Vonetes

Q: I am writing to you again concerning John Smith, who co-starred with Robert Fuller in the 1960s TV western *Laramie*, John Russell of *The Lawman* series and Tony Young, who starred in the short-lived series *Gunslinger*. I'll be waiting for your reply in the TV section of the *Beauregard Daily News*. —Thanks, S.W. Pool, Deridder, La.

A: Mr. Pool, you really are persistent! I had received your earlier letters, and I was really trying to find the information you requested. I finally have some news for you concerning John Smith. After *Laramie* ended, Smith starred with George Montgomery in the western *Cimarron City*. His only work as an actor in recent years has been doing voice-overs. He lives by himself in the Crenshaw area of Los Angeles in the same house in which he grew up. His only marriage was to actress Luana Patten in 1960. The marriage lasted four years. John Russell was hardly seen on the screen after *The Lawman* series left the air in 1962, although he did return for a few episodes of *Alias Smith and Jones* during the early '70s. He also served as the "commander" on the Saturday morning live-action children's series *Jason of Star Command* from 1979-81. He still makes his home in California. I am sorry I have not been able to catch up with Tony Young, as yet. I'll keep looking, so let's not give up.

Q: Many years ago Bobby Morse starred in a TV series with a young blonde, who starred as his wife. They portrayed a young married couple. Televised early in his career, it ran, I believe, for one season. It was a delightful show and I watched it faithfully. I have followed his career and think he is very talented, but I never saw or heard of her after that. Can you tell me her name and is she still acting? —Helen Shannon, Sedona, Ariz.

A: Your favorite show was called *That's Life*. The series starred Robert Morse as Robert Dickson and E. J. Peaker as Gloria Quigley (Dickson). It aired on ABC from September, 1968 until May, 1969. After the series ended, E. J. (short for Edra Jeanne) appeared frequently on *Love, American Style* and in the film *Hello, Dolly!* Little has



John Smith

been heard of her since that time.

Q: I'm curious about Jennifer Jones' daughter. She seems to be shrouded in mystery. If you have anything about her, please let me know. I recently heard of her death. How old was she? When was she born? It may be a hard question — I know you'll do your best. —Tom Arnold, Three Rivers, Mich.

A: Tom, I appreciate your confidence in me, and I really tried to find the information you requested. Jennifer Jones' daughter, Mary Jennifer Selznick, was born in 1954. She fell to her death from the roof of a 22-story building in Los Angeles, an apparent suicide, at the age of 21. Sorry, this is all the information I have on her.

Q: My husband is retired and enjoys TV. He would like to see the movie with Wallace Beery and Jackie Cooper in *The Champ*. I believe it was filmed in the late '20s. If available, I would like to purchase the tape. Do you have an address for Jackie Cooper? —Madelaine Leane, Salem, Ohio

A: Wallace Beery won an Oscar for his role in *The Champ* filmed in 1931. The video is available. Ask for it at your local video store. Jackie Cooper's address is 9621 Royaltown, Beverly Hills, CA 90210.

Send your questions about the world of entertainment to: Polly Vonetes, Let's Talk, P.O. Box 17748, Fort Worth, Texas 76102-0748. Because of the volume of mail, only questions of general interest can be answered.

FAMILY FAIRE

Holiday moments adorn TV schedules

By Anne Wheeler

This week is filled with many magical holiday moments the whole family can enjoy.

Christmas is near and rumors are flying that Santa may be closing shop and declaring bankruptcy. It seems Max Crandall, a mean and evil toy maker, is planning to corner the toy market with his high-tech and unsafe toys.

Does Christmas happen this year? Does Max Crandall live through his encounter with the Ghost from Christmas Past? You'll have to watch *A Very Retail Christmas* on NBC, Monday, Dec. 24, to find out.

Families can gather around on Christmas Day as Disney characters march and sing favorite holiday tunes at the eighth annual *Walt Disney World Very Merry Christmas Parade* on ABC.

President and Mrs. George Bush will offer their holiday wishes, and other special guests will include the Teen-Age Mutant Ninja Turtles, Christa Larson, star of *Minnie 'n' Me*, and Sylvia Anne Washburn of Toledo, Ohio, "Outstanding Teacher" of 1990.

The holiday glitter continues on ABC on Thursday, Dec. 27, when Peter Scolaro hosts the *Ice Capades 50th Anniversary Special*.

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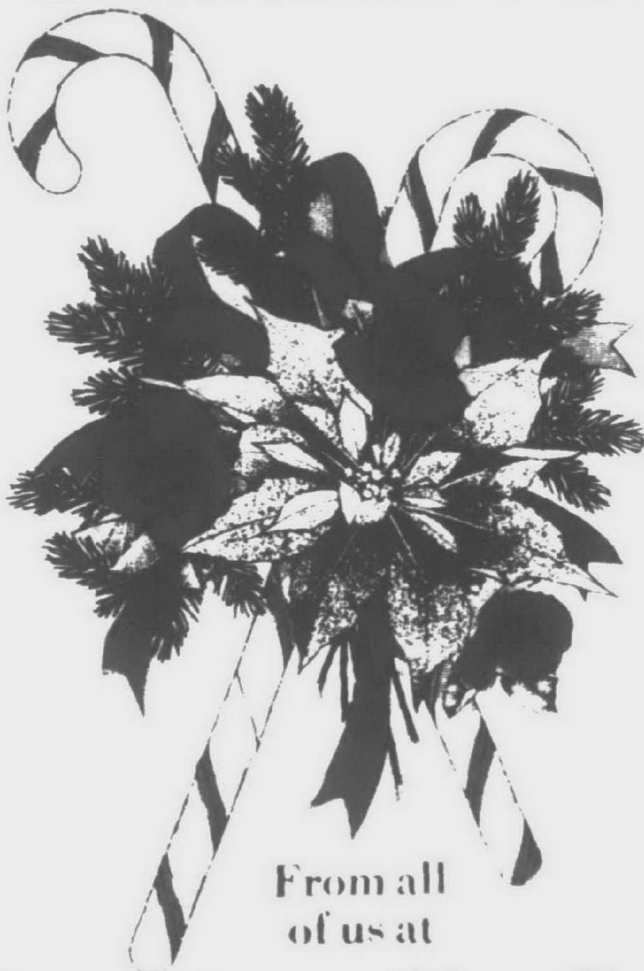
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