

business people

LARRY P. CRAKE was elected to the board of directors of First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Oakland replacing the late Judge Clark J. Adams. Crake is the co-owner of the 300 Eowl Lunge Inc. and other businesses in the Oakland County area. He serves as a director of the Oakland County Chamber of Commerce.

RUD OTTO of Birmingham was appointed vice president, account supervisor for R. J. Baker Advertising in Troy. Otto was president of Behr Otto Abbs & Austin of Detroit, was a vice president at Gray & Kilgore and Starr Advertising and began with D.P. Brother Co.

LEC JARVIS of Birmingham was named manager of Agnew-West Co., Ltd., for the Agnew Machine Co. He will direct the operations of this joint-venture company between Agnew Machine Co. and Tab-West Ltd. of Eschlagen, West Germany. Jarvis's 30 years experience in administrative engineering includes project engineer with the F. Joseph Lamb Co. and vice

president of engineering with Siarto Machine Co.

Core Industries Inc. of Bloomfield Hills appointed two corporate officers. **RICHARD T. WALSH**, of Bloomfield Hills, was promoted to vice president. He has served as secretary-treasurer since 1973; and **LAWRENCE J. MURPHY**, of West Bloomfield, is secretary-treasurer. He is a senior partner of Bassey, Selesko, Couzens and Murphy P.C., attorneys.

R. THOMAS YASTE was promoted to associate at Straub, Van Dine, Associates/Architects of Troy. In addition to his new responsibilities, he will continue his duties as director of marketing. Yaste joined the company in April after having served as the campus architect and facilities planner for the University of Michigan-Dearden.

ROBERT R. JOHNSON joined Energy Conversion Devices Inc. of Troy as senior vice president, information systems and engineering. He was vice president, advanced technology since

1980 and vice-president-engineering between 1969-1980 at Burroughs Corp.

MARY WEBSTER was appointed manager of production and media controls at Gray & Kilgore in Troy. She is responsible for media estimating, scheduling and control activities within the agency. Ms. Webster joined the company in 1949 in traffic production.

Continental Cablevision of Michigan, Inc. named **RICHARD SMITH** chief technician for Southfield's cable system now being installed. He previously worked for Multi-Channel TV Cable in Ohio as lead technician.

HENRY M. WELLS of Bloomfield Hills was appointed director of personnel by Paygo Beverages Inc. He was with Ford Motor Co. on the personnel and organization staff at the company's headquarters.

DAVID B. HERMELIN was elected to the board of directors of First Citizens Bank in Troy. He is a partner in the insurance firm of Hermelin, Col-

burn, Colburn, Blumberg & Steinberg in Troy.

GARY FRANKLIN was promoted to manager of the Bob Evans Farms Restaurant in Southfield. Franklin started with the company in 1978. Prior to his new position, he was an assistant manager at the Flint restaurant.

Businesses wishing to submit items for the Eccentric Business Section should send them to Ron Garbinski, 1225 Bowers, Birmingham 48012. Names appearing in the Business People section are those who live in the Eccentric circulation area or whose businesses are located in Troy, West Bloomfield, Birmingham, Bloomfield Hills, Bloomfield Township, Southfield, Rochester, Avon Township, Lathrup Village, Southfield Township, Farmington, Farmington Hills, Franklin, Beverly Hills, Orchard Lake and Bingham Farms.

Realtor board taps officers for 1982



Robert Frick

Robert Frick was elected president of the Birmingham Bloomfield Board of Realtors for 1982 at the group's annual election last month.

He is an associate broker at the Birmingham office of Weir, Manual, Snyder and Ranke. The Bloomfield Township resident has been a member of the board for 11 years having served as its vice president, treasurer and chairman of the multi-list and membership committees.

Elected vice president was Kenneth Kernan of the Schweitzer Real Estate Birmingham office.

The new secretary is Sharon Nair of the West Bloomfield RE AX office. She also was elected Woman of the Year by the State of Michigan Chapter of the Women's Council of Realtors.

Winona Stout, president and principal broker of Baldwin Associates in Birmingham, will serve as the 1982 board treasurer.

marketplace

THE WESTERN Wayne Oakland County Board of Realtors will host a free home-buying seminar at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 21, at the Livonia City Hall auditorium, 33000 Civic Center Drive south of Five Mile near Farmington Road. Registration is limited to the first 350 making reservations through the board office at 478-1700.

HUNDREDS OF custom car builders from Michigan and seven other states will compete for top honors this weekend in the Autorama custom car show at Cobo Hall. The 30th annual show opens at 5 p.m. Friday and runs until 11 p.m. Hours Saturday and Sunday are 11 a.m. to 11 p.m.

TWO LOCAL residents, Garry Derry, a former music teacher, and Peter Alexander, a former hospital administrator, have formed a volunteer support group for job hunters who are managers, professionals or executives. The group uses methods outlined in the Richard Bolles' book, "What Color Is Your Parachute?" For information, call 574-1531.

FIRST FEDERAL Savings & Loan of Oakland and Surety Federal Savings & Loan of Southfield have entered an agreement to consolidate assets pending approval by federal regulatory agencies. With the addition of the seven Surety offices in Wayne and Oakland County, First Federal will have 37 offices in lower Michigan. The agreement will add \$150 million to First Federal's assets now totaling more than \$750 million.

THE 66th ANNUAL Detroit Auto Show kicks off Saturday, Jan. 16, and continues through Jan. 24 at Cobo Hall. More than 250 new domestic and imported vehicles will be on display. Hours are noon to 10:30 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays and 2-10:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. Adult admission is \$4.

THE WRAP OFF, 5102 Rochester Road, has opened in the Kings Row Shopping Center. The facility offers body wraps Monday through Saturday.

THE SEVENTH ANNUAL Masonry Awards Banquet, honoring Michigan architects for excellence in masonry design, is Saturday, Jan. 16, at the Sheraton Hotel in Southfield. It's offered by the Masonry Institute of Michigan in cooperation with the Michigan Society of Architects. Starting time is 6:30 p.m. with cocktails. For reservations, at \$65 per couple, contact 478-6455.

ANNA KENEDI Design Associates has moved from Woodward Avenue in Birmingham to 29860 Telegraph in Southfield.

PARTICIPATING Earl Keim Realty offices will auction off 50-75 houses from some 20 suburban areas Sunday, Jan. 17, at The Main Event restaurant in the Pontiac Silverdome. Time is 2-5 p.m. Minimum bids are required on the homes.

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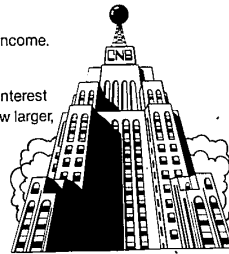
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