

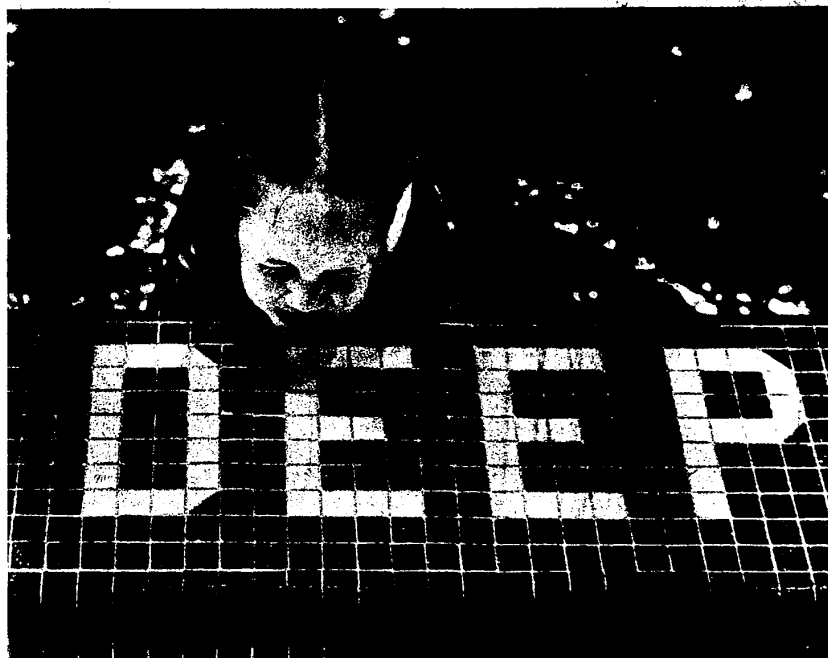
O&E lensmen snap up MPPA awards

Observer & Eccentric photographers drew the focus of attention with a broad range of subjects at the recent 1977 Michigan Press Photographers Association competition held at the Michigan Inn, Southfield.

Lensmen who took honors are Charlie Kidd, Gary Friedman and Art Emanuel. Kidd ranked high with a 3d place in the feature category. Friedman won two honorable mentions, one in sports and the other in pictorial. Emanuel received an honorable mention in the general news category.

Emanuel recently retired as MPPA president for 1977.

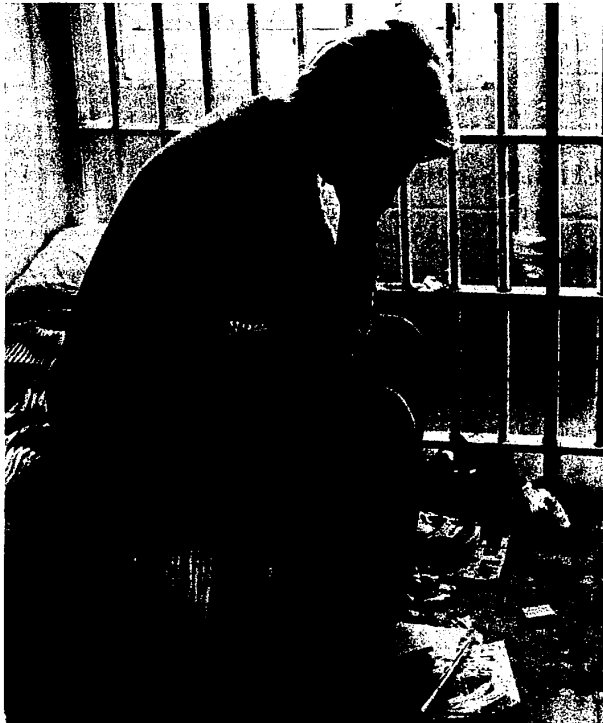
Other O&E photographers who entered work in the judging are Bob Woodring, Maurie Walker, Gary Caskey and Douglas Bauman.



FEAR OF THE DEEP by Charles Kidd 1st place—Features



LOVE ME TENDER by Gary Friedman Honorable mention—Sports



WHAT NOW? by Art Emanuel Honorable mention—General news



BIRD AT LAKE TANDER by Gary Friedman Honorable mention—Pictorial