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"Have you moved yet?" is the question I get a couple of times a day from people who call our newsroom for some quite different matter.

When one goes through these life passages in full view of a reading public, I guess one must expect a certain impatience and the need to give progress reports.



By MARGARET MILLER

So, to update our situation, I mention that no, we haven't moved yet, yes, everything seems in order to state safely that we will do so, and the big closing transaction and relocation dates are coming up in the next few weeks.

The man of our house has carted tons (so his back tells him and he tells me) of stuff to the home of our daughter. We've all cleared out and thrown away more tons that we figure might make a new drama "We Don't Want to Take It With Us."

And my most recent big role in all this activity was to spend a day last weekend doing what everyone does when moving. I held a front lawn sale.

I've edited many articles telling how important organization is in a venture of this sort. I've also warned the girls about proper preparations when they have in former years sold items on our front lawn.

But there were so many other things to do this time that preparation involved piling the porch with things that would be sold and making some mental notes of things in other parts of the house.

That and some frantic carrying and hauling during the hour before the first customer was expected.

Pricing involved piling a couple of

card tables with 10-cent and 25-cent items and making some fast decisions when someone asked how much.

And, in spite of breaking all the rules, it was a good sale.

The weather cooperated, although the wet grass caused some cold feet in the morning for my daughter and me. Lots of people came. Kids spent dimes and grandmothers spent dollar bills. I had a chance to chat with neighbors I've known for years, seen infrequently and will now be leaving. We discussed the difficulty of leaving fine old trees and the ease of abandoning wide lawns that always need cutting.

A rusty old bicycle went for cheap transportation for a young mother, and a rustier sled was purchased as a Father's Day joke for some unsuspecting dad. One young lady bought a bouquet of pink dried flowers when she didn't even like pink but it was only 25 cents. A set of punch cups, left lonely because the bowl disappeared at some high school function a few years back, were purchased for the convenience of sippers at historical society meetings.

And when at the end of the day we packed up what was left, the volume was considerably less than the mountain that had filled the porch that morning. I was a little closer to believing that some day we might actually get this move completed.



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The Israel Greenbergs mark 50th anniversary

Doris and Israel Greenberg celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary at a family dinner Saturday, May 5, in Bedell's Restaurant, Bloomfield Hills.

The couple were wed in Jerusalem, Israel, then known as Palestine, on May 9, 1929. They are long-time Detroit residents who have lived in Farmington Hills for the past decade.

Mrs. Greenberg is the former Doris Levin, whose father is the late Jacob Levin, founder of Detroit Jewish Home for the Aged and founder of J. Levin Sons Company in Detroit. She was touring the Holy Land with her father when she met her future husband, who was born in Jerusalem.

Mrs. Greenberg taught in Detroit Schools for many years until her retirement in 1948.

From 1929 until his retirement in 1967, Greenberg was a machinery sale representative in the Detroit area.

The anniversary party was hosted by their son and daughter in law, Dr. and Mrs. Daniel Greenberg and their three grandchildren, all Farmington Hills residents.

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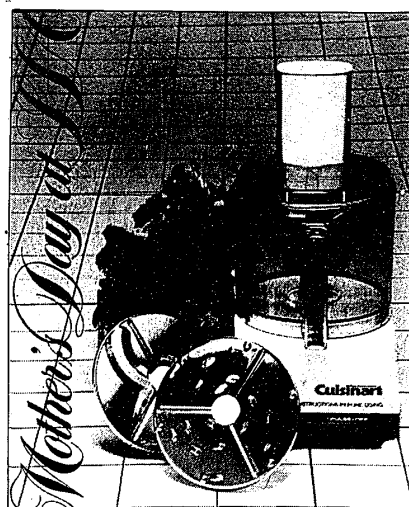
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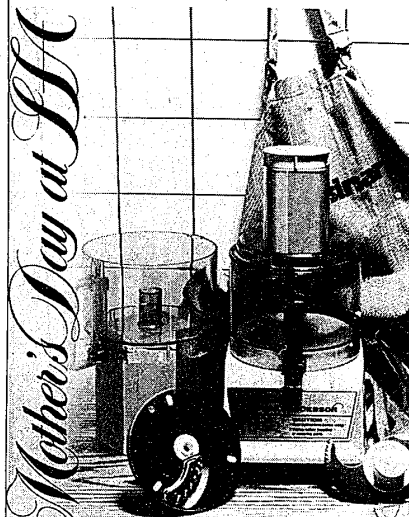


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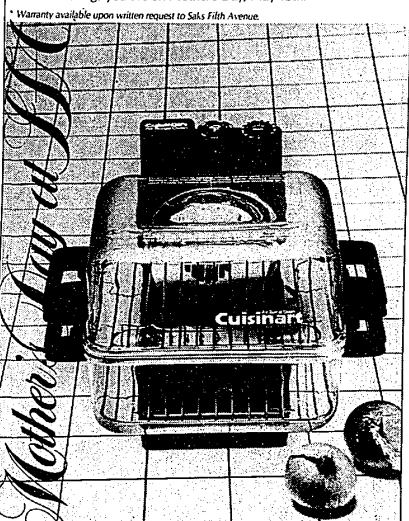
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