# obituaries

**NICHOLAS HERDA**

Mr. Herda, 77, of Farmington Hills died April 24 in Madison Heights Community Hospital.

Born in Canada, Mr. Herda was chief engineer for State of Michigan Hospital.

Survivors include his wife, Doris; brothers, George and William; sisters, Eva Flewelling, Mary Kleisinger, Anne Hunt and Constantine; one grandchild.

Services were April 28 at the Heeney-Sundquist Funeral Home, Farmington, and at St. Simon Independent Romanian Orthodox Church with the Rev. Mihail Iancu officiating. Burial was in Evergreen Cemetery, Detroit.

**CHARLES W. HOFF**

Mr. Hoff, 69, of Livonia died April 26 in Mt. Sinai Hospital, Detroit.

Mr. Hoff worked for the Livonia Public Schools.

Survivors include his wife, Eleanor; sons, William and Charles; daughters, Mary Ann Waack and Janet Herman; mother, Lena Hoff; sister, Virginia Deedler; 11 grandchildren.

Services were April 30 at the Heeney-Sundquist Funeral Home, Farmington. Mass was said at St. Gerald Catholic Church with the Rev. Maurice Decker officiating. Burial was in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Southfield.

**PETER YARAS**

Mr. Yaras, 75, of Garden City died April 28 in Oak Hill Nursing Home, Farmington.

Born in Pennsylvania, Mr. Yaras was a union representative for Chrysler Corp.

Survivors include his wife, Jean; a daughter, Carol Rzepecki; brothers, Alec and Cornelius Yaras; two grandchildren.

Services were April 30 at the Heeney-Sundquist Funeral Home, Farmington. Mass was at St. Aiden's Catholic Church with the Rev. Alex Brunette officiating. Burial was in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Southfield.

**CHRISTINE BROCKMANN**

Mrs. Brockmann, 72, of Dunedin, Fla., formerly of Farmington, died April 29.

Mrs. Brockmann was a homemaker and secretary.

Burial was in Oakland Hills Cemetery, Novi. Arrangements were made by Thayer-Rock Funeral Home, Farmington.

**V. GRACE MISKO**

Mrs. Misko, 68, of Farmington Hills died April 29 in St. Mary Hospital, Livonia.

Born in Falls Creek, Pennsylvania, Mrs. Misko was a retired cook and bus driver for the Clarenceville School District.

Survivors include her husband, Theodore; son, Todd; daughters, Regina Frankowiak, Mary DeClercq and Sherry Watkins; brother, William Dunn; seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Services were May 2 at the Thayer-Rock Funeral Home, Farmington, with the Rev. Raymond Burkett officiating. Burial was in Oakland Hills Cemetery, Novi.

**BETTY WAGNER**

Mrs. Wagner, 63, of Farmington Hills died April 30 in Botsford Hospital.

Mrs. Wagner was a homemaker.

Survivors include her daughters, Cynthia Augustin, Norma Osborne and Megan Stark; sons, David and Duane; mother, Alice Evan; sister, Madilline Tabock; nine grandchildren.

Services were May 2 at the Thayer-Rock Funeral Home, Farmington, with the Rev. James Wright of St. Alexander Catholic Church officiating. Burial was in Mt. Hope Cemetery, Livonia.

**MARY VACHON**

Mary L. Vachon of Southfield died May 1 at Providence Hospital, Southfield. She was 74.

Mrs. Vachon was born Feb. 26, 1910, in Ohio. A homemaker, she moved to this area 40 years ago.

She is survived by two daughters, Carol Gallagher and Susan Elsarelli; three sons, Michael, Ronald and Patrick; three sisters, June Wedge, Bernice Carpenter and Doris Groff; and 17 grandchildren.

Funeral services were May 5 at St. Michael's Church of Southfield, the Rev. John Burt officiating. Burial is at Lakeview Cemetery, Clarkston. Funeral arrangements were handled by the Charles R. Step Funeral Home, Redford Township.


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In the state of MICHIGAN, at the close of business on March 21, 1984 published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under title 12, United States Code, Section 161. Charter Number 15049 Comptroller of the Currency 7'th National Bank District

Statement of Resources and Liabilities

| | | Thousands of dollars |
|---|---|---|
| **ASSETS** | | |
| Cash and balances due from depository institutions | | |
| Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin | | 2,928 |
| Interest-bearing balances | | 9,700 |
| Securities | | 3,809 |
| Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs | | 750 |
| Loans and lease financing receivables: | | |
| Loans and leases, net of unearned income | 17,879 | |
| LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses | 131 | |
| LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve | -0- | |
| Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve | | 17,748 |
| Assets held in trading accounts | | -0- |
| Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases) | | 535 |
| Other real estate owned | | -0- |
| Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies | | -0- |
| Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding | | -0- |
| Intangible assets | | -0- |
| Other assets | | 517 |
| Total assets | | 35,987 |
| **LIABILITIES** | | |
| Deposits: | | |
| In domestic offices | | 32,928 |
| Noninterest-bearing | 9,758 | |
| Interest-bearing | 23,170 | |
| In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs | | -0- |
| Noninterest-bearing | -0- | |
| Interest-bearing | -0- | |
| Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs | | -0- |
| Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury | | -0- |
| Other borrowed money | | -0- |
| Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases | | -0- |
| Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding | | -0- |
| Notes and debentures subordinated to deposits | | 250 |
| Other liabilities | | 314 |
| Total liabilities | | 33,492 |
| Limited-life preferred stock | | -0- |
| **EQUITY CAPITAL** | | |
| Perpetual preferred stock | | -0- |
| Common stock | | 522 |
| Surplus | | 445 |
| Undivided profits and capital reserves | | 1,520 |
| Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments | | -0- |
| Total equity capital | | 2,495 |
| Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, and equity capital | | 35,987 |

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

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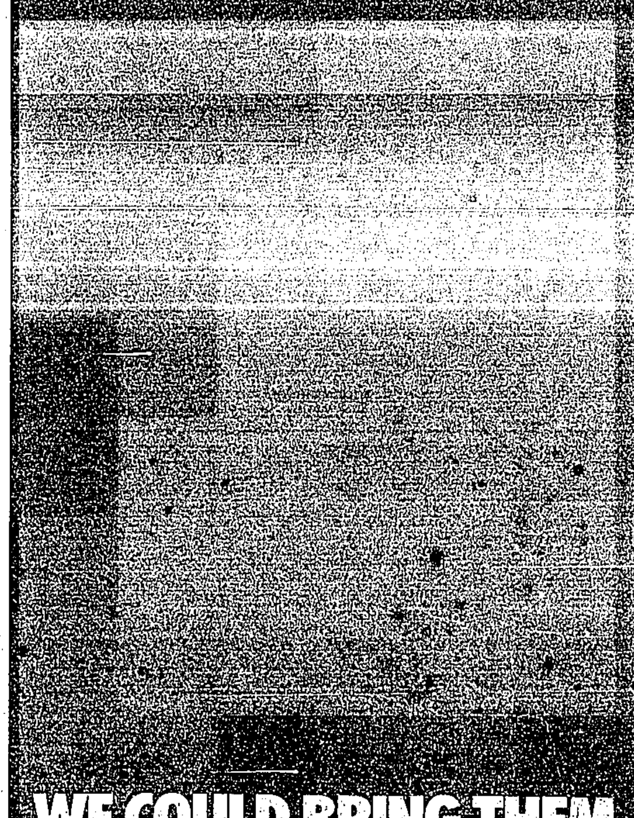

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