retirement memos

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Sights hit their peak in the West

A PEAK experience at Mount Hanier. A deep one at Crater Lake. Gorgeous views in the Columbia River gorge and explosive ones at Mount St. Helens. Dramatic times at the Shakespeare Festival at Ashland. Cre. Heavenly redwoods in northern California.

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Joe and I had fun thinking up shorty descriptions for our varied stops during nearly 3,000 miles of driving around the Pacific northwest late this summer. But they couldn't begin to sum up our enjoyment of one of the neatest experiences retirees can have — exploring new places.

Visiting the northwest corner of our land long had been on our travel wish list. And fulfilling the wish convinced as this section equals — in many ways surpasses — the grandeur we saw a few summers ago in Alaska.

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THE FIRST DAY on the road we went to Mount St. Helens, and Joe commented that day on its own was worth the price of the trip. Pictures we had seen didn't at all convey the desolation caused by that volcanic cruption six years ago. It takes the sight of tall Douglas firs lying like matchsticks on slope after slope to poetray the power of earth's forces.

But then in the next few days we fell in love with Mount Rainfer, and that was worth the price of two trips We drove and liked, seeing that enchanting peak from highway, meandow, meuntainside, glacier. Each time it came into view it seemed more beautiful.

First Presbyterian Church of Farmington.

Panel members will include an attorney who specializes in Social Society law. A doctor who specializes in geriatrics, a real estate agent a financial planner, a social worker from Presbytery of Detroit and an officer of American Association of Retired Persons.

Fee is \$3 if registration is made prior to Oct. 12, or \$4 thereafter.

Checks are to be made payable to the church, at 25165 Farmington Road, Farmington Hills 48018.

AA meets

Alcoholics Anonymous meetings take place from 8-10 p.m. every Tuesday in Bousford Hospital's Administration and Education Center, 20050 Grand River. Inquiries about the fellowship meetings are taken by calling the hospital's Health Development Network, 471-6990.



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During our two weeks we also had fine views of Mount Hood in Oregon and Mount Shasta in California, learned with surpise that much of the morthwest's famous fruit is grown in Irrigated desert, found high waterfalls and colorful sail-surfers and the Impressive Bonneville Dam on the Columbia River.

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WE SAW redwoods shrouded by fog and read signs telling us that's the almost-constant weather in those parts. We drove an Oregon beach road almost as honky-tonk as some parts of Plorida and found some lovely stretches of sand in state parks along the Pacific.

We enjoyed a couple of old Oregon cities. Ashland offered fine drama in a Shakespeare program that runs most of the year. Astordar presented a liberal serving of Lewis and Clark explorations history. We even managed a visit to downtown Scattle with the control of the control o

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Panel tells

how to prepare

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Youth shown in rounded letters

Dear Ms. Green:
I have just discovered your interesting column! How fascinating! I am very curious to see what you have to say about me. I never knew that our handwriting reflected our individual personality. By the way, I am left-handed. What can you tell me about my handwriting? Thanks.

J.K. — West Bloomfield

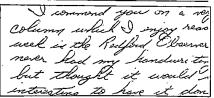
Dear J.K.:
Many are the things I can tell you about your personality from your handwriting. And while you do not mention your age, I am inclined to think you are a rather young woman due, in part, to your rounded letter formations. This style is most often used by voune noonly used by young people.

used by young people.

Outwardly you appear polsed and in control. You are a rather private person who is careful not to reveal much of your inner life. Neither do you make snap decisions. Preference is for taking time to consider how the matter will affect you personally.

Although you are independent in many areas, you remain emotionally dependent on family support, When you wrote to me there was





some lack of fulfillment in your life.
And you were also tired or a bit down. (Some lower loops do not return to the baseline and many lines of writing have a downward slope to

Unpleasantness is distasteful to

you. So you seek to avoid it whenever possible. You are loyal to your friends as well as to the things in which you believe. Acceptance and approval from others has a high priority. And you cannot be to make an impression on those make an impression on those

around you.
PERSISTENCE is noted in your tied t bars. You are not one to give up easily once you get involved. In your work you are methodical, organized and orderly. And you do not like to be rushed as you strive for w

like to be rushed as you strive for perfection.

Currently you are not involved in long-range goals. Your area of most interest is in the affairs of day-to-day-living.

Observant by nature, little escapes your watchful eyes. You are aware of details and probably have retentive memory.

Some creativity is found in this handwriting. You can probably work well with your hands. Art is one possibility. Literary aptitude is also suggested.

Readers may have their hundwriting analyzed by Lorene C. Green, a certified graphologist. Write to her at 3851 Schoolergit. Livonia, 48150, Please we a full sheet of white, untimed paper, writing in the first person singular. Age, handedness and signature are all helpfal. And objective feedback is always welcome.

Horseman supports 4-H career program

When Ken Rucker of Farmington Hills' Pairway Stables paid \$2,000 for the standardbred yearling 'Sha-way Finess', he was doing more than buying a promising race hore than buying a promising race hore the was helping to support the youth who are involved in 4-H's Standard-bred Project. Shaway Finesse was raided by 4-H'er Liss Blackmer, one of 13 young women who are learning the stan-

dardbred business during a year's time.

Four-H members involved in the Four-H members involved in the production project were given weanling standardbred foals to raise for a year. During the year they attend a number of workshops, visit a breeding farm, a commerical racetrack, drive a harness horse and learn about the animals' health and

feeding as well as about horsemen careers.

A portion of the project is to keep detailed records on their horses' growth and development along with expense records.

At the end of the program, mem-bers take their yearlings to an espe-cially arranged show at Adrian Fair-grounds so that judges and prospec-tive buyers can evaluate the horses'

feeding as well as about horsemen condition and training potential as a winning harness horse.

The yearlings are sold at auction. Four-H members receive up to \$1,000 in documented expenses. The remainder of the selling price is divided to the 4-H member and to the breeder who donated the horse for the project.

Displaced homemakers program continues

Through a grant from the Michigan Department of Labor, Office of Women and Work, Jewish Vocational Service and Community Workshop (JVS-CW), a non-sectarian agency, announces the sixth year of a Dis-

placed Homemaker Program for in-dividuals from Wayne and Oakland Counties.

Displace homemakers are women

who, through divorce, separation, widowhood or disability of spouse,

have tost their source of economic support. After spending a substantial number of years in the home caring losses George at Jewish Vocational for family members, displaced homemakers find returning to the properties of the prop

new voices

MR. AND MRS. EDWARD EA-TON JR. of Farmington Hills an-nounce the birth of their son, Bretton Patrick, born Sept. 1 in William Beaumont Hospital. The infant has one brother, Ryan.

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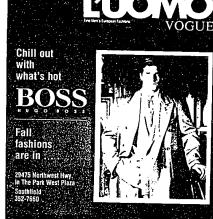
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