



Richard Headlee (left) presents his corporate contribution of the bronze sculpture "Signing of the Constitution" to Charles H. Price II, U.S. ambassador to the United Kingdom. At right is American sculptor Dennis Smith.

Gift to embassy

Bronze sculpture donated for London display

Farmington Hills-based Alexander Hamilton Life Insurance Co. has contributed a sizable bronze casting titled "Signing of the Constitution" to the U.S. Embassy in London for permanent display.

Charles H. Price II, U.S. ambassador to the United Kingdom, received the gift in London during formal ceremonies with the participation of Richard Headlee, chair-

man of the board of Alexander Hamilton Life.

Contributed under the Art in Embassies Program of the U.S. Department of State, the bronze casting is one of only two copies made from the original. The second is scheduled for similar donation to the U.S. Embassy in Moscow next spring.

THE ORIGINAL of the bronze

casting of six signers of the U.S. Constitution, including Alexander Hamilton, was created by noted American sculptor Dennis Smith for display in the home office lobby of Alexander Hamilton Life Insurance Co.

Alexander Hamilton Life commissioned Smith to commemorate the "Signing of the Constitution" on occasion of the current 200th anniversary of the U.S. Constitution.

Smith, born in 1942, has major commissions throughout the United States. He and his family reside in Highland, Utah.

Alexander Hamilton Life is a subsidiary of Household International Corp. Together with Alexander Hamilton Life's recently increasing operations in the United Kingdom, assets by year end 1988 will exceed \$3 billion.

New state rep wins accolades

State representative-elect Jan Dolan, a Farmington Hills city councilwoman, has been honored by the Farmington and Farmington city councils and the Beverly Hills Village Council.

A Republican, Dolan will replace Wilbur Brotherton, R-Farmington, as state representative in the 69th state House district Jan. 1. Brotherton is retiring after 16 years as a lawmaker.

The 69th district includes Farmington Hills, Farmington, Southfield Township and the villages of Franklin, Beverly Hills and Bingham Farms.

The Farmington Hills City Council said Dolan, a councilwoman since 1976, "has served the Farmington Hills community with dedication, enthusiasm, and a commitment to those high ideals and standards, which are an integral part of her character."

Council members in Farmington said Dolan "has boundless energy and insight into the problems of local governments, which will serve our communities as she carries out her duties in the state Legislature."

She also "has exhibited a spirit of cooperation, which has aided the communities in providing jointly funded services in the most effective and efficient way," they added.

Beverly Hills Village Council members wished Dolan "great success in her role serving the 69th legislative district."

The proclamations were presented at a ceremonial swearing-in attended by 150 family members, friends and supporters Dec. 20 at the Farmington/Farmington Hills Community Center. District Judge Margaret Schaeffer of Farmington administered the oath.

Family service needs volunteers

Oakland Family Services is seeking volunteers to participate in an innovative new treatment program being developed for families whose children are being chronically neglected.

The Family Empowerment Program, funded by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, is a pilot project aimed at breaking the generational cycle of neglect seen in a significant percentage of families in this area.

Many parents are trying unsuccessfully to care for their own children, lacking the knowledge, support and personal experience of having been nurtured and protected by caring parents during their own childhoods, which would make it possible for them to truly parent.

Volunteers will be trained and professionally supervised to develop close personal relationships with a parent, providing a consistent, caring role model, support and source of information and encouragement throughout the course of this two-year program.

They will work closely with other volunteers, and in cooperation with the agency's treatment team, which will be providing group therapy, parent education, environmental counseling, parent/child interaction skills training, educational and/or career counseling, substance abuse treatment and a myriad of additional services as needed.

Volunteer opportunities within the program will be many and varied, from serving as a parent aide to one parent for the course of the program, to working as a children's group leader to provide nurturing care for the children while the parents attend sessions at the agency, to providing transportation or helping a parent learn the skills necessary to repair or maintain their home, to tutoring parents and/or children.

If you care about people, have some time to give, and know how difficult being a parent can be under the best of circumstances, the Family Empowerment Program needs you. For further information, call Nancy McHugh at 856-7766.

Lung group plans cigarette send-off to help kick habit

Smokers will get the chance to honor their New Year's resolution to kick the habit once and for all. The 10th annual Great New Year's Cigarette Send-Off will be offered, Sunday, Jan. 8, by the American Lung Association of Southeast Michigan (ALASEM).

The program will begin at 1 p.m. at the Boisford Inn, 28000 Grand River, at Eight Mile, Farmington Hills.

This three-hour stop smoking clinic is the nation's most effective one-session quit program as it combines

three methods of helping smokers kick the habit.

HYPNOSIS, BEHAVIOR modification and medical education unite to prepare smokers for the many problems that arise on the road to becoming "smoke-free." Some problems that are addressed are: withdrawal symptoms, the urge to smoke and the desire to over-eat.

For about the same price as three cartons of cigarettes (\$30), participants can take part in this proven-effective program and also go home

with a follow-up packet, which includes reinforcement materials and a cassette tape for self-hypnosis.

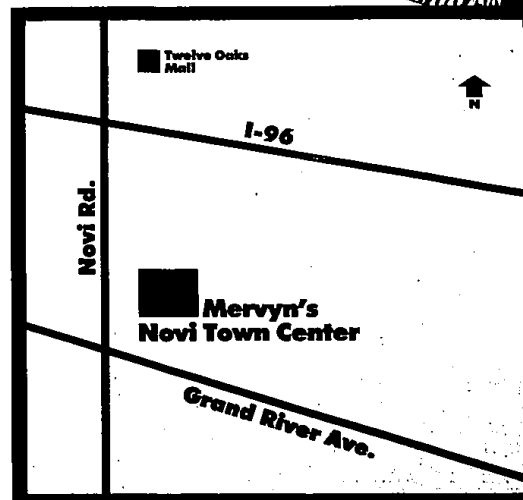
Tickets will be available at the door at Ticket Master outlets, or through mail order by sending a check to ALASEM (no later than Dec. 30, 1988) W. 10 Mile, Southfield 48075.

Smokers serious about making their resolution hold throughout the new year and for the rest of their lives are encouraged to register early.

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