# Viewers spellbound as O.J. verdict read

Time figuratively stopped as thousands of Oakland county rea-idents watched the return of the verdict in the O.J. Simpson trial

received was the county jail in Pontlac to the Old Woodward Grill in Birningham, people from all walks of life were glued to the television set as Judge Lance Ito asked for the verdict to be read in "the trial of the century."

the verilict to be read in "the trial of the century."

Like their counterparts around the country, Oakland residents seemed compelled to watch the conclusion in a double-murder trial that had taken on all the trappings of a soap opera.

People in their homes watched in their living rooms. Those working gathered around any available television or radio. Others extended their lunch hours so they could be part of what turned out to be a happening.

In Troy, for example, a near-capacity crowd gathered at the Spectradium Sportsvideo Bar & Grill as three large-screen television sets — usually reserved for aports — focused on the courtroom in Los Angeles.

"Quiet as heck," server Ellizabeth Gauthir said about the 450 or so people, "Everyons was waiting to hear what they (jurors) were

going to do."

As the verdict was announced, "it went crasy," Gauthler said.
Patron Ferry Rouse, was convinced the verdict was wrong."
'Justice want's served," he said.
"I think this shows the justice system for what it is. If you have money, you can get off. Justice wasn't served."

A similar scenario was played out at the Hemlin Pub in Rochester Hills where a pecked luncheon crowd was appilbound — that is, until the verdict was announced.
"Yes," shouted Dino Carlesimo, "You can't be convicted on circumstantial evidence. I feel bad for the family... but there was just to much doubt."

"I think he's guilty as bell," said Art Debrahan. "But if you've got money...."

After the initial reaction subslided, people were more philosophical. "I don't think race was a

After the initial reaction subsided, people were more philosophical. "I don't think race was a real issue," said William Mitchell III., a prominent Southfield lawer. "The conduct of the LA. police department was an important issue right from the beginning."

There was sloppy detective work from the very beginning, he said. Mark Fuhrman raised further doubt.

thor doubt.
Mitchell was referring to the former detective who defense law-yers said was racist enough to plant evidence against Simpson.







DISCOVER GREAT SAVINGS & Selections Specially Priced

# BUY NOW, NO PAYMENT AND OW FINANCE CHARGE UNTIL MARCH, 1996 ON SELECTED MERCHANDISE

#### THE MAN'S SHOP

299.99 DESIGNER FALL SUITS

259.99 & 399.99 DESIGNER CAMEL'S HAIR & CASHMERE SPORTCOATS

25% TO 50% OFF FAMOUS MAKER & OUR OWN TIES Ong. 19.99 to 55 © 9.99 to 19.99

25% OFF\* CALVIN KLEIN UNDERWEAR Rep. 7.50 to 35 00 5.63 to 28.50

30% OFF\*
ALL OUR OWN UNDERWEAR & HOSTERY
Briefs, T.-bhitts and briefs in white and colors; dress, casual
and artheric wakes Reg. 4.50 to 16.50 3.15 to 11.55

25% OFF FAMOUS DESIGNER
MEN'S SPORTSWEAR COLLECTIONS
Sportshites, knit shirte, sweaters, dacks, sportfackers and
outerwear. Orig. 49.00 to 225.00 35.99 to 168.99

99.99 TWO-PLY CASHMERE SWEATERS Exclusively outs. 70% cashmere-30% wool in a variety of styles and colors. Specially priced.

39.99 MERINO WOOL SWEATERS
Exchangely ours. Many tyles and colors Specially priced.

29.99 CLASSIC LAMBSWOOL SWEATERS

V-necks, cardigan vests. Specially priced TWO FOR 30.00° COTTON KNIT SHIRTS Long sleeved in three styles turtleneck, mock turtleneck and Henley, each in seventeen colors. Reg. 19.99

25% OFF ALL MEN'S OUTERWEAR & LEATHER Bomber tackets and parkets in leather, shearling, down Bomber Jackes and parks in leather, begaing, down and microfiber. Orig. 100.00 to 550.00 69.99 to 399.99 (Designer collections not included.)

25% OFF ALL MEN'S TOPCOATS Cashiners wood, lambswood and wood blends. Orig. 275.00 to 550.00 199.99 to 399.99

129.99 TO 199.99 Men's RAINWEAR Bill Blass \* Lordon Fog\* \* Towne\* from London Fog Microfilers and cotton blends. Specially priced.

25% OFF ALL MEN'S GLOVES Dress and casual styles with cashmer, Thinsulate; pile and fleece listings, Orig. 20.00 to 55.00 14.99 to 39.99 (Coach & Isomer gloves not included.)

25% OFF\* TIMBERLAND BOOTS A great selection, Reg. 20.00 to 130.00 67.50 to 97.50 99.99 JOHNSTON & MURPHY SHOES

# SHOES FOR HER

OUR FIRST FALL SHOE SALE!

25% TO 30% OFF FAMOUS NAME SHOES, OVER 50,000 PAIRS!! Ambile · Evan-Picone · Nickels · Jones New York Van Eli · Einc Angiolini · Bandolino · Pappagallo Caresta · Unia · Lit Claiborne · Eticane Aigner Nine West · Eschusively Ours Drey and casual styles. Ong. 54.00 to 125.00 39.99 to 84.99

54.99 TO 79.99 CAREER PUMPS
Ento Angiolini \* Van Eli \* Jones New York \* Nickels
Evan-Picone \* Nine West \* Li Claiborne \* Bandolino
Luw, mid and high heels. Specially priced.

25% OFF BOOTS, EXCLUSIVELY OURS Tailored, dress and rugged casual styles in assorted leathers and suedes. Orig. 54.00 to 67.00 39.99 to 49.99

#### INTIMATE APPAREL

15.99° ALL BALL & OLGA° BRAS

14.99 ALL WARNER'S, VANITY FAIR & MAIDENFORM BRAS Reg. 18.50 to 25.50 PLUS, 25% OFF COORDINATING PANTIES

30% OFF\*
ALL PLAYTEX\* BRAS & CONTROL BRIEFS

BUY THREE PAIRS OF PANTIES, YOUR NEXT PAIR IS FREE! All Ball\* • All Olga\* • Selected Maidenform' Selected Vanity Fair\* Reg. 6:00 to 10:00 each.

BUY ONE, ANY SECOND IS 50% OFF<sup>†</sup>
ALL OUR OWN COTTON KNIT SLEEPWEAR
& LOUNGEWEAR Misses • Women
Nightshitts, pajamas, loungers. Reg. 24,99 to 34,99 each.

# JEWELRY

40% TO 50% OFF\*

• ALL 14-Kt. Jewelry

• ALL DIAMOND, Precious & SEMI-PRECIOUS JEWELRY

• ALL CULTURED PEARL JEWELRY

25% OFF\* ALL STERLING SILVER EARRINGS Reg. 19,99 to 49,99 14,99 to 37,49

16g. 19,99 to 49,99 to 37,49
25% TO 33% OFF\* CUBIC ZIRCONIA
Tennis Bracelets, Reg. 29,99 & 39,99 19,99 & 29,99
Earrings, Reg. 14,99 & 29,99 9,99 & 19,99

## CHILDREN

25% OFF ALL OUTERWEAR Rothschild • OakKosh B'Gosh • Young Gallery Jonathan Stone • Pacific Trail • Starter • Tidykins Ortg. 27.00 to 188.00 19.99 to 139.99

Crig. 2.5% OFF FALL DRESSES & JUMPERS Rare Editions \* Bonnie Jean \* Sweet Soda \* Jarz Kids Maya & Me \* Exclusively Ours Orig. 24.00 to 34.00 17.99 to 39.99

25% OFF ALL SWEATERS Knitwaves • Barrel • Exclusively Ours Orig. 16.00 to 40.00 11.99 to 29.99

## COATS FOR HER

25% TO 40% OFF EVERY COAT\* Misses • Petites • Women Orig. 108.00 to 895.00 79.99 to 669.99

25% OFF EVERY LUXURY FIBER & FUR-TRIMMED COAT 25% OFF EVERY SHORT WOOL COAT & PANTCOAT

25% OFF EVERY LONG & SHORT OUTERWEAR JACKET & COAT

NOW THROUGH MONDAY ONLY
ADDITIONAL 50.00 OFF
ALREADY REDUCED WOOL COATS
FROM JNY BY JONES NEW YORK
Mines - Petites Ora, 2880 Currently 193-99 Now 149.59
Women's Org. 2930 Cutterfully 193-99 Now 169.59

ADDITIONAL 50.00 OFF\*
ALL ALRADY REDUCED LEATHER JACKETS
& FAUX SHEARLINGS
From Winlit \* Blucline \* LNR \* Marvin Richards
One 240.00 to 175.00 Currently 179.99 to 279.99
Now 129.99 to 229.99

ADDITIONAL 50.00 OFF
ALL LONDON FOG
RAINWEAR & OUTERWEAR
Misses Petits Reg. 119.99 to 279.99 to 229.99

\*\*Designer collections not included.

#### ACCESSORIES & HANDBAGS

39.99 & 49.99 FALL WRAPS
Fleece and fringed Cashmink" ruanas. Specially priced.

14.99 TO 29.99 WINTER ACCESSORIES Polarites" hars, mittens and gloves plus a fleece oversized 24 x 90 in. wrap. Specially priced.

12.99 & 19.99 CASHMINK MUFFLERS Fringed mufflers or oversized plaid wraps. Specially priced.

25% OFF ALL HANES HOSIERY Plus, buy twelve pairs, get two more free! 25% OFF\* FAMOUS MAKER BOOT SOCKS Many styles. Reg. 4.50 to 8.00 3.38 to 6.00

Sany upon together than DAGS
Reaction by Kenneth Cole \* Ettenne Aigner
LJ, Simone \* Perlina \* Frenchy \* Servis \* more
A relection of leather camera and flap bug, slings and
totes, Orig. 45.00 to 155.00 29.99 to 99.99

59.99 LEATHER HANDBAGS
Exclusively ours. Triple flaps, holos, top-rips and camera burs with handy multi-compartments. Specially priced. 49.99 LEATHER BACKPACKS & HANDBAG ORGANIZERS

Multi-compattment backpacks and Wonder Classics plus our own organizers with handy features. Specially priced.

#### SPORTSWEAR

25% TO 50% OFF FAMOUS NAME CAREER SPORTSWEAR Misses \* Petites \* Women Jackets, skirt, pants, blouses and knit tops. Ong. 48.00 to 220.00 23.99 to 164.99

30% TO 40% OFF DESIGNER SPORTSWEAR Career and causal jackets, slams, punts, bloomer and lines. Orig. 2000 to 36000 13.99 to 215.99

25% OFF WOOL CREPE SEPARATES ADW OFF WOOL CREPE SEPARATES

Misses \* Petites \* Women

Selected styles, exclusively ours, Jackers, skirts, pants, vests, jumpers. Orig. 59.99 to 129.99 44.99 to 94.99

59.99 TO 139.99 CAREER FASHIONS EXCLUSIVELY OURS, SPECIALLY PRICED Misses \* Petites \* Women

Flannel, gabardine and 

99.99 Two-PLY CASHMERE SWEATERS Exclusively ours. Turtlenecks and crewnecks in twenty colors. Specially priced.

39.99 MERINO WOOL SWEATERS

Misses \* Petites \* Women Exclusively ours. Turtlenecks, muck turtlenecks and crewnecks, some ribbed and patterned. Specially priced. Women's 49.99

25% TO 50% OFF CASUAL SPORTSWEAR Misses \* Petites \* Women A great selection of famous maker knit tops, sweaters, bloues, pants, skirts, dresses and jumpers. Ong. 30.00 to 98.00 14.99 to 72.99

25% OFF FAMOUS NAME KNIT DRESSING Misses \* Petites \* Women Vests, punts, tunics, legangs, skirts and diesses. Orig. 14.00 to 98.00 24.99 to 72.99

## DRESSES & SUITS

25% TO 50% OFF CAREER DRESSES Misses • Petites • Women Cautdresses, two-pieces, mack two-pieces, jacket/dresses, pantsuits, silks. Orig. 79.99 to 280.00 39.99 to 209.99

119,99 TO 199,99 WOOL CREPE DRESSES

Misses • Petites • Women Coardresses, wedges, chemises, jacketdresses and mock two-piece styles with embellished details. Specially priced.

69.99 TO 179.99 DAY-TO-DINNER STYLES Misses • Petites • Women Sheaths, bare looks, fit and flares, two-piece. Specially priced.

25% TO 50% OFF DESIGNER SUITS Misses • Petites Career and day-to-dinner styles in cropes, and textured fabrics. Orig. 280,00 to 400,00 139,99 to 299,99

25% TO 50% OFF CAREER SUITS FROM THE SUITMAKER AMERICA LOVES & FAMOUS MAKERS Miace + Petites - Women Orig. 135.00 to 300.00 66.99 to 224.99

BUY NOW, NO PAYMENT AND OF FINANCE CHARGE UNTIL MARCH, 1998 Ladies & Men's Coats, Outerwear and Rainwear \* Men's Suits, Sportcoats & Dress Slacks \* Fine Jewelry Defend Billing for this merchandise is available on your Lord & Taylor account for purchases of 199,99 or more for Fine Jewelry). See your Sales Associate for details. Offer may end at any time. (After deferral period, APR 21.6%, 50 cent minimum finance charge may apply.) Serry, not available through relephone order.

"Your reduction off tickered prices will be taken at the register. First or second item must be of equal or lease value, Allesfacts tood number of pain in all Lord & Taylor stores. Selected collections not every style and title in every store, pains and original prices are original prices only and must or may not have resulted in such a Adventure in merchanding may be available as safe prices in approximate all events. No adharmments to prior safe purchases. Safe ends Tuesday, October 10th, gular and original prices are original prices only and must or may no have resulted in such as a contract of the such as a contract or such as