

## OBITUARIES

## NATHAN ZARON

Nathan (Nate) Zaron, 84, died Dec. 4 at Garden City Hospital in Garden City. Born in Detroit, Mr. Zaron served in the U.S. Marine Corps, 6th Marine Division, during World War II.

He is survived by wife, Betty; children, Corky Zaron, Ann Zaron and Lisa Berthoume; sisters, Faye Woll, Marcia Klein and Sandra Goose; and grandchildren, Bryna and Brett Podowski, Joshua and Joey Shuttleworth, Larissa and Travis Zaron, and Brittany, Samantha and MacKenzie Berthoume.

Funeral services will be held Dec. 8 at the Hebrew Memorial Chapel in Oak Park with Rabbi David Nelson officiating.

## MARGUERITE M. BENJAMIN

Marguerite M. Benjamin, 82, of Farmington Hills died Dec. 9 at Providence Hospital in Southfield.

She is survived by son, Mark; and granddaughter, Lauren.

Funeral services will be held Dec. 13 at McCabe Funeral Home in Farmington Hills.

## BETTY STEINMAN

Betty Steinman, 89, of Southfield died Dec. 5.

Mrs. Steinman was a member of the City of Hope, Jewish National Fund and Jewish Home for Aged.

She is survived by daughters, Sharyn (Dr. Alan) Cornfield of Farmington Hills and Lisa Epstein of Flint; grandchildren, Alan Epstein, Nancy Epstein, Michael and Ann Marie Epstein, Nori and Dolph Meyerson, David and Kristen Cornfield, Robert and Michelle Cornfield; 12 great-grandchildren; brother, Abe (Mae) Weisman; sister, Shirley Herman.

## LORRAINE KELLER

Lorraine Keller, 75, of West Bloomfield died Dec. 7. She is survived by husband, Eugene; son, William (Susan) of Farmington Hills; grandchild, Chase Keller; brothers, Paul (Florence) Rappaport of Los Angeles, Alvin (Kathleen) Rappaport of La Jolla, Calif.; sister, Fern (Marvin) Rott of Farmington Hills; and sisters and brothers-in-law, Mona Rappaport, Eleanor and Ernest Glaser, Alvin and Enid Keller and Art Keller.

Contributions can be sent to the Lupus Foundation, 26202 Harper Avenue, St. Clair Shores 48081. Arrangements were by the Ira Kaufman Chapel.

## GOLDY NELSON

Goldy Nelson, 84, of Farmington Hills died Dec. 7.

Mrs. Nelson was a member of Hadassah. She is survived by daughter, Denise (Bruce) Wayne of Beverly Hills; son, David (Sylvia) Nelson of Farmington Hills; grandchildren, Nancy Wayne and Christopher Colwell; Karen Klausmeyer, Nicole Hertzberg, David Erik Nelson and Danielle Nelson; great-grandchildren, Bryan and Jason Klausmeyer, Kyle Colwell, Jacob Hertzberg; brothers, Sam (Lola) Taubman, Lester (Shirley) Taubman and Alfred (Judy) Taubman.

Memorial services may be made to the Alzheimer's Association, 17220 W. 12 Mile, Suite 100, Southfield 48078.

## MAX STUART PALMER

Max Stuart Palmer, 83, of Farmington Hills died Dec. 2.

Mr. Palmer was a teacher at Andover High School and was referred to as "Mac Daddy Chillin'" by students and faculty. Prior to teaching at Andover, he was an accountant at the state Auditor General Office. He earned a master's degree in teaching and a degree in accounting. He also was an active member of Congregation Shaarey Zedek and its Chevra Kadisha.

He is survived by wife, Gertrude; daughters, Louisa Marcus and Debora Palmer; granddaughter, Mara Marcus; and sister-in-law, Joyce (Nelson) Palmer.

Contributions can be sent to the Alzheimer's Founda-

tion, 17220 W. 12 Mile, Suite 100, Southfield 48078; or Congregation Shaarey Zedek, 27473 Bell Road, Southfield 48034. Arrangements were made by Ira Kaufman Chapel.

## GLEN TUOMI

Glen Tuomi, 41, died Dec. 8, in Southfield.

He is survived by mother, Violet; brothers, James of Livonia, Michael of Southfield and Martin of Pontiac; and four nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Dec. 11 at Thayer-Rock Funeral Home in Farmington with the Rev. Ellen Korpela officiating.

## DENISE WHINNERY

Denise Whinnery, 36, of Farmington Hills died Dec. 12.

Ms. Whinnery was a 22-year resident of Farmington Hills and a graduate of the University of Michigan. She is survived by mother, Phyllis; sisters, Dulane Whinnery and Vickie Whinnery.

Visitation is from 2-9 p.m. today, Dec. 14, and funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Monday, Dec. 15, at Thayer-Rock Funeral Home in Farmington. Rev. Calvin Ratz will be the officiating pastor.

Memorial contributions can be sent to the Karmanos Cancer Institute.

## POLICE AND FIRE CALLS

Following are some of the police and fire calls from the Farmington and Farmington Hills areas during the past week.

## SEXUAL ASSAULT

## In Farmington Hills:

A woman told police she believes she was raped after a dinner date when she became suddenly ill Dec. 9. She doesn't remember leaving the restaurant after having two martinis and a glass of wine, but woke up in her date's home in Farmington Hills. She continued to feel ill and went to the hospital for treatment when she noticed soreness in her rectal area.

## THEFT

## In Farmington Hills:

A cellular phone and purse containing credit cards were stolen after the passenger side window was broken on a 1993 Chevy Astro parked at Dunkle Middle School on 12 Mile Dec. 10, causing \$90 damage.

## In Farmington Hills:

A cellular phone was stolen after a door window was pried and broken on a 1998 Chevy Blazer parked at the YMCA on Farmington Road Dec. 10, causing \$500 damage.

## MARIJUANA POSSESSION

## In Farmington Hills:

Police arrested a Whitmore Lake man, 20, after finding a plastic bag containing 439 grams of marijuana covered by a red jacket in a 1984 GMC truck during a traffic stop on I-960 Dec. 9. Police stopped the truck for speeding and noticed the driver shove something behind his seat. Police believe the large quantity, approximately one pound, was going to be broken into smaller quantities for sale. The driver's truck was impounded and \$30 cash was confiscated as possible drug forfeiture money.

## ATTEMPTED AUTO THEFT

## In Farmington Hills:

The rear side window was smashed and steering column damaged in an attempt to steal a 1987 Pontiac Bonneville parked at

Cedarbrooke Apartments on Middlebelt between Dec. 10-11. A cellular phone was stolen.

## BREAK-INS

## In Farmington Hills:

A 65-year-old woman who'd given a mini her phone number while shopping was surprised when the same man dropped by her place unannounced at Fairmont Park Apartments Dec. 11. She was equally surprised when her wallet was missing after he left. The man, who said he was 64 and called himself Hank, said he got her address from the phone book and decided to visit. A neighbor buzzed him into the building. She began to feel uneasy and refused when he asked for a cup of coffee. She discovered her wallet containing credit cards was missing.

## GUN WAVED

## In Farmington Hills:

Police are investigating after an employee at Hungry Howie's on Orchard Lake said a man walked in and pointed a .38 caliber gun at him and left Dec. 11. Around 9:30 p.m., the man walked through the door, pointed the gun and waved it in the area before he fled on foot in a southeasterly direction. The suspect is described as a white male 30-35 years in age. He is missing a front tooth. He was wearing a blue baseball cap with "C" on the front, possibly a Chicago Cubs hat, and a gray and black checkered flannel coat. Police found footprints in the snow southbound from Durbank Street.

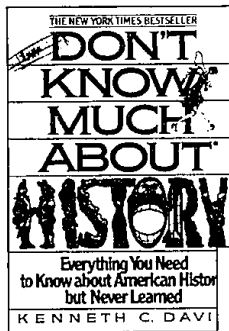
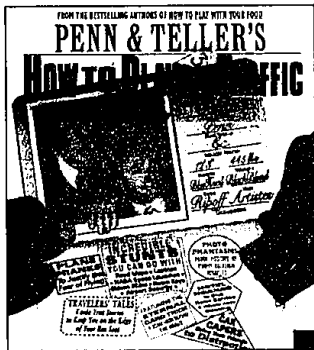
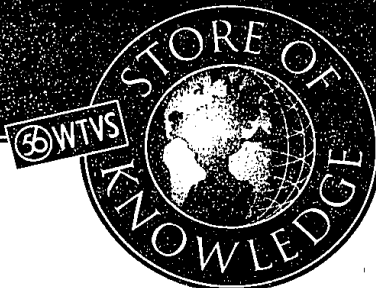
## LARCENY

## In Farmington:

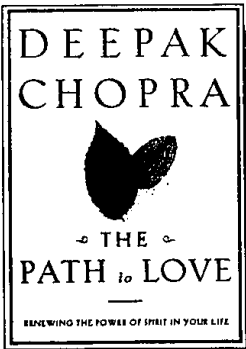
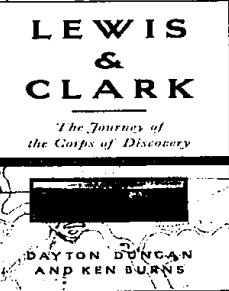
An employee at the Mobil gas station, 33330 Eight Mile, reported that a customer pumped 17 gallons of unleaded gasoline into a red Chevrolet Caprice, about 6:50 p.m. Monday, and then drove off without paying the \$19 bill. The car was seen exiting onto eastbound Eight Mile.

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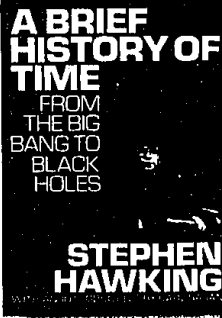


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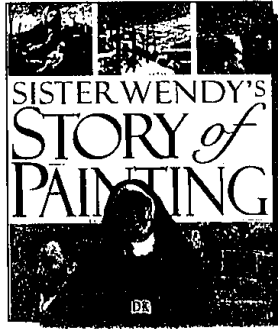
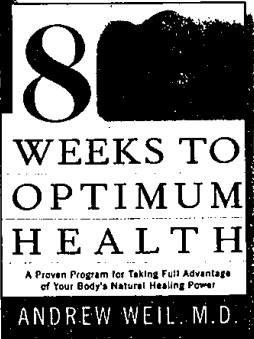
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