

Go-Go Girls Should Be Gone-Gone!

EDITOR:
Who's kidding who in regards to these topless go-go clubs, with these male or female dancers? These clubs are allowed to exist because authorities can't see anything wrong going on.

How many men 18 and over are enticed into the go-go clubs? And why do the girl dancers have to topless, with very little on the bottom, if there is no willful intent to do an harm in any way?

So the go-go girls aren't allowed to patronize with the patrons. Big deal. What do you think happens to the minds of the males after they come from such places? Sure, you can tell the men not to go if it bothers them that much. That's a laugh. If the temptation wasn't put there in the first place, there would be no worse.

The question still stands, "Why do the girls have to show their bare bosoms and almost bare bottoms?" If they were such great artistic dancers, there would be no need for the bareness to captivate an audience. And the same goes for the male dancers.

You can say what you want, but we'd call it suggestive dancing. The authorities know what laws are being broken but few care. What is the matter with our society? Has it decayed so much that we have to run around so scantily dressed, even on the streets?

Someone once suggested that we legalize prostitution. What

READERS' FORUM

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for? What man will pay the price when it is already given so freely? What you want to sell, you advertise. Is there a man who can dance and could treat a girl as a dancer and treat her like a virgin?

Remember now, she is supposed to be just an artistic dancer and not leading you on in any way whatsoever. She is not advertising her body. She is a good girl and this is just a job to get. She is not going to give the wrong ideas about her, she'll rape.

Come on now, who's kidding who? Let's clean up our society before all the decay it sits us up.

G. PEURA
Farmington

Real Estate Not A Profession

EDITOR:
I agree with the spirit of your editorial, "About Time For

If you are looking for a higher standard from a realtor organization, I think you will be disappointed. An industry is made up of individuals. They are the people who actually work for the public. Membership on a board of no significance to ethical performance.

TERRENCE R. ABRAHAM
Livonia

Stop Picking On Teachers

EDITOR:
This is in reply to the letter of Charles W. Chandler of Livonia.

It really amazes me when people write in criticizing increased taxes and almost always equate them with teacher salaries. Why should teachers be the only to say "I'll sacrifice—I'll not take a pay raise for two years until the deficit is paid off."

Why do taxpayers vote in support of school structures, the latest in school equipment and facilities and the best of sports programs? Are not the teachers who man these facilities to be paid commensurate with their responsibilities—the education of our children?

It seems to me that when we entrust our most precious possessions—our children—to a teacher, we ought to pay for those services. After all, we pay doctors, lawyers, accountants,

etc., for their knowledge and training—not necessarily for each hour of their time.

With rising food costs, the housewives may grumble, but they pay the prices and then just take more economical dishes and use cheaper cuts of meat, shop the specials, etc. Well, teachers and their families have the same problems. Other families have. They, too, have rising costs and children to raise. Why should everyone get pay raises but them? I'm sure that people working for the automotive industry would not refuse a pay raise because profits that year were nil.

I get sick to death of hearing about teachers having long vacations. Don't other professions and industrial people have nice vacations, too? By the same token, would parents want their children to go to school all year around? Why would that do to the economy as far as summer vacations go?

That would practically put the summer resorts out of business. As far as all the teachers who take fabulous vacations go, did anyone notice that these teachers are usually the single ones who have no family responsibilities or else are working perhaps on some type of grant?

I do not believe teachers should not have a pay raise because a deficit has to be paid. When was the last time you said to your boss, "No, you can't afford to give me a raise. I won't take it."

MRS. BARBARA POPP
Plymouth

Superintendent Salutes Poger

EDITOR:
I would like to take this opportunity prior to leaving my position as superintendent of schools in Garden City to extend a sincere word of gratitude for the service you have extended to the Garden City School District throughout my tenure.

Your concise, articulate and fair way of evaluating educational problems has done much to assist the Board of Education and officers of Garden City schools in developing an outstanding school system. This quality journalism is a credit to you and to the newspaper you serve. Please accept my sincere appreciation and gratitude, and may I extend my best wishes as you continue in your professional career.

DON R. SHADER
Superintendent
Garden City
(Executive Editor's Note: Mr. Shader's letter was addressed, and is a personal tribute, to Leonard Poger, editor of both the Garden City Observer and Westland Observer.)

Eddie Edgar Given Tribute

EDITOR:
As I leave the position of superintendent of schools in Garden City and assume the duties of deputy superintendent for the State of Michigan, I want to say how much I have enjoyed the opportunity to know you both professionally and personally.

That friendship, which has developed over a short period of years, has meant much to me both as an administrator and as a person. I thank you so very much for the insight and assistance that you have given me, as well as for the opportunity of being a good friend of Eddie Edgar.

May we continue to keep in touch with one another. Even though I will no longer be in your community, I will look forward to continuing this relationship for many years to come.

May I add a particularly warm word of gratitude for serving as master of ceremonies at the recent dinner given in my honor. It was a definite honor. I have a man of your stature take part in this farewell gathering. Your comments were most entertaining for all in attendance as well as most thoughtful and appreciated by my family and me.

Please accept my very best wishes—and may I extend to you a sincere "thank you."

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Superintendent
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(Executive Editor's Note: Although this was a personal letter from Mr. Shader to W.V. Edgar, it so typifies the esteem in which our colleague Eddie is held that we feel it should be shared.)



TWO TOP WINNERS in the General Motors suggestion plan are Norman R. Lee (left) of Farmington and James E. Blackburn Sr. of Dearborn. Each won \$10,000 in suggestions on improving the company's production. Lee is employed at Fisher Body in Livonia and Blackburn is employed at Chevrolet in Livonia.

Local Employees Win \$30,000

Four local General Motors employees and nearly 181,000 were awarded \$30,000 for suggestions made under the company's 1972 suggestion plan on ways of improving their jobs and better methods of building quality products.

Norman D. Lee of Farmington, a Fisher Body employee, and James E. Blackburn Sr. of Dearborn, a Chevrolet employee, each won top awards of \$10,000 for their suggestions. The plan took effect in 1972.

Andrew C. Toth of Westland and Melvin Blodgett, who has since moved to Clearwater, Fla., shared a top award. Both are employed at Fisher Body.

A total of 79 GM employees in the United States and Canada won \$10,000 awards. The company awarded nearly \$14 million to its employees for suggestions. More than 615,000 suggestions were submitted by hourly and salaried

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Area Deaths And Funerals

LLOYD S. GUILLEN - Services for Mr. Guillen, 81, a 40-year resident of Farmington, were held in Traver Funeral Home with burial in Oakwood Cemetery. Survivors are his wife, Emma; two sons, George E. Guillen, president of Wayne State University and a member of First Congregational Church, Mr. Guillen died Feb. 24 in Merion Park Hospital, Dunwoody, Fla. after a week's illness.

JOSEPH J. KLOS - Services for Mr. Klos, 78, of 11762 Hillside, Livonia, were held in St. Mary's Parish, 11762 Hillside, Farmington. He was a member of the Holy Name Society of the Holy Name Parish of Roseville. Mr. Klos died Feb. 18 in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Emma S. Klos, 11762 Hillside, Livonia. He was a member of the Holy Name Society of the Holy Name Parish of Roseville. Survivors are his wife, Viola; three daughters, Bethel Adams of Farmington, Bethel Adams of Clearwater, Fla., and Jean Anderson of California; a son, Robert Guillen of Ansonia; a sister, Mrs. Irene Guillen of Livonia; 11 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

JANE E. MEADOW - Services for Mrs. Meadow, 89, of 2123 Farmington, Farmington, were held in Traver Funeral Home. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church, Farmington, and a member of the Oakwood Cemetery. Mrs. Meadow died Feb. 27 in Beverly Hills, Calif. after a long illness. Survivors are her husband, Mr. Meadow; a son, James; a daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Meadow; and two grandchildren.

LESTER C. COUPE - Services for Mr. Coupe, 61, of 1150 Summit, Farmington, were held in Schaefer Funeral Home with burial in Rose Hill Cemetery. Mr. Coupe was a member of the First United Methodist Church, Farmington, and a member of the Oakwood Cemetery. Mr. Coupe died Feb. 28 in St. Joseph Hospital, Ann Arbor. He was a member of the Detroit 20 years ago. He was a member of the Methodist Church, Plymouth, and a member of the Oakwood Cemetery. Survivors are his wife, Thelma; two daughters, Bette of Plymouth and Geraldine of Farmington; and two grandchildren.

THOMAS C. BATES - Services for Mr. Bates, 70, of 28495 Joy Road, Westland, were held in Rose Hill Cemetery. Mr. Bates died Feb. 22 in St. Mary's Hospital, Farmington. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church, Farmington, and a member of the Oakwood Cemetery. Survivors are his wife, Thelma; two daughters, Bette of Plymouth and Geraldine of Farmington; and two grandchildren.

WILSON C. WESTERVELT JR. - Services for Mr. Westervelt, 68, of 33489 Myra, Livonia, were held in Rose Hill Cemetery. Mr. Westervelt was a member of the First United Methodist Church, Farmington, and a member of the Oakwood Cemetery. Mr. Westervelt died Feb. 22 in St. Mary's Hospital, Farmington. He was a member of the Detroit 20 years ago. He was a member of the Methodist Church, Plymouth, and a member of the Oakwood Cemetery. Survivors are his wife, Thelma; two daughters, Bette of Plymouth and Geraldine of Farmington; and two grandchildren.

ZULMA BROWN - Services for Mrs. Brown, 78, of 18550 Franklin, Dearborn, were held in St. John Baptist Catholic Church. Mrs. Brown died Feb. 22 in St. John Baptist Catholic Church. She was a member of the Detroit 20 years ago. She was a member of the Methodist Church, Plymouth, and a member of the Oakwood Cemetery. Survivors are her husband, Mr. Brown; a son, Joseph; a daughter, Mrs. Rose; and two grandchildren.

WALTER J. BOLTON - Services for Mr. Bolton, 72, of 8808 Trivett Drive, Farmington, were held in Traver Funeral Home. Mr. Bolton was a member of the First United Methodist Church, Farmington, and a member of the Oakwood Cemetery. Mr. Bolton died Feb. 22 in St. Mary's Hospital, Farmington. He was a member of the Detroit 20 years ago. He was a member of the Methodist Church, Plymouth, and a member of the Oakwood Cemetery. Survivors are his wife, Thelma; two daughters, Bette of Plymouth and Geraldine of Farmington; and two grandchildren.

ANDREW SCHIRM - Services for Mr. Schirm, 76, of 33678 Orangeblaw, Livonia, were held in Traver Funeral Home with Rev. Wilfred Knapp officiating.

CHARLES D. DEWITT - Services for Mr. Dewitt, 78, of 11762 Hillside, Livonia, were held in St. Mary's Parish, 11762 Hillside, Farmington. He was a member of the Holy Name Society of the Holy Name Parish of Roseville. Mr. Dewitt died Feb. 18 in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Emma S. Dewitt, 11762 Hillside, Livonia. He was a member of the Holy Name Society of the Holy Name Parish of Roseville. Survivors are his wife, Viola; three daughters, Bethel Adams of Farmington, Bethel Adams of Clearwater, Fla., and Jean Anderson of California; a son, Robert Guillen of Ansonia; a sister, Mrs. Irene Guillen of Livonia; 11 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

ISABEL W. CARLSON - Services for Mrs. Carlson, 78, of 11762 Hillside, Livonia, were held in St. Mary's Parish, 11762 Hillside, Farmington. She was a member of the Holy Name Society of the Holy Name Parish of Roseville. Mrs. Carlson died Feb. 18 in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Emma S. Carlson, 11762 Hillside, Livonia. She was a member of the Holy Name Society of the Holy Name Parish of Roseville. Survivors are her husband, Irvin; a son, Gerald; a daughter, Mrs. Rose; and two grandchildren.

WESLEY A. PRIEST - Services for Mr. Priest, 41, of 36522 Angleton, Livonia, were held in First United Methodist Church, Farmington. He was a member of the Holy Name Society of the Holy Name Parish of Roseville. Mr. Priest died Feb. 27 in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Emma S. Priest, 11762 Hillside, Livonia. He was a member of the Holy Name Society of the Holy Name Parish of Roseville. Survivors are his wife, Viola; three daughters, Bethel Adams of Farmington, Bethel Adams of Clearwater, Fla., and Jean Anderson of California; a son, Robert Guillen of Ansonia; a sister, Mrs. Irene Guillen of Livonia; 11 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

HELEN (PETERHANS) BULLOCK - Services for Mrs. Bullock, 76, of 3118 Blair, Royal Oak, were held in Schaefer Funeral Home, Plymouth, with burial in Rose Hill Cemetery. Mrs. Bullock was a member of the Holy Name Society of the Holy Name Parish of Roseville. Mrs. Bullock died Feb. 22 in St. Mary's Hospital, Farmington. She was a member of the Holy Name Society of the Holy Name Parish of Roseville. Survivors are her husband, Peter; a son, Gerald; a daughter, Mrs. Rose; and two grandchildren.

BETTY FRENCH - Livonia friends have learned of the death of Mrs. Betty French, 35, former resident of Cattle Branch subdivision near Dearborn. Mrs. French died three months before her death. She was a member of the Holy Name Society of the Holy Name Parish of Roseville. Mrs. French was a member of the Holy Name Society of the Holy Name Parish of Roseville. Survivors are her husband, Peter; a son, Gerald; a daughter, Mrs. Rose; and two grandchildren.

LESTER M. HADEN - Services for Mr. Haden, 67, who lived in Farmington for 20 years before moving to Dearborn, were held in St. John Baptist Catholic Church, Dearborn. Mr. Haden was a member of the Holy Name Society of the Holy Name Parish of Roseville. Mr. Haden died Feb. 27 in St. Mary's Hospital, Farmington. He was a member of the Holy Name Society of the Holy Name Parish of Roseville. Survivors are his wife, Thelma; two daughters, Bette of Plymouth and Geraldine of Farmington; and two grandchildren.

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Judicial Reform Not That Easy

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