

Things to bring to a Thom McAn Opening.

Visit our new family shoe store at Livonia Mall



Marion Young

Young Heads Livonia Mall Merchants

Marion B. Young, 55, an employee of the Kresge Company since 1959, has been elected the first president of the Livonia Mall Merchants Association.

Young, a native of Lajunta, Colorado, was a surveyor briefly after leaving school and before joining the Kresge management-training program in Erie, Pennsylvania.

He served in the United States Army in World War II and became manager of his first store in Allen Park, four years later.

Young managed two other stores before his appointment as manager of the Kresge variety store in the Livonia Mall.

Other officers of the association are First Vice President, Dan Carpenter of Food Fair Markets; Second Vice President, Max Ball of Albert's; Secretary, Robert W. Pons of the Livonia Mall; and Seymour Goldberg of Crowley's.

Elected to the Board of Directors were representatives of Homemaker Shops, Cunningham's, Crowley's, Kresge's, Food Fair Markets, Hughes-Hatcher-Suffrin, Albert's, Sibley Shoes, The Pak Stores and the Livonia Mall.

The Kresge variety store in the Livonia Mall covers an area of nearly 30,000 square feet on one floor. Good lighting, good display, wide aisles and an easy-to-follow customer traffic flow pattern make the store extra convenient for the customer.

The merchandise on display includes all of the smaller items for the home — from tools to decorations — items of clothing, toys and garden supplies. For hungry shoppers, there is an immaculate food counter.

The interior of the store is what might be called "modern functional." Enough lights are used to simulate daylight. The fixtures and other accessories — like all of the merchandise — are of the highest quality.

The store stands behind its goods with an unconditional money-back guarantee. Credit cards, that can also be used in K-Mart and Jupiter stores as well as the Kresge variety stores, are available. The store has 75 full-time employees.

Architect's Experience Aided Design

Owner's architect, Louis G. Redstone, utilizes 35 years of experience in his design of the Livonia and the Macomb Malls. Born in Poland, he pioneered in construction work in Palestine before coming to the United States, in his early 20's. He received his Bachelor of Science Degree in Architecture at University of Michigan. The first of many professional honors was his election to Tau Sigma Delta, honorary fraternity of Allied Arts and Architecture.

His first architectural commissions were in Tel-Aviv, where he helped meet the town planning and housing needs of the country. Returning to the United States in 1937, he established a permanent Detroit office. In 1948 he earned his Master's Degree in City Planning at the Cranbrook Academy of Art.

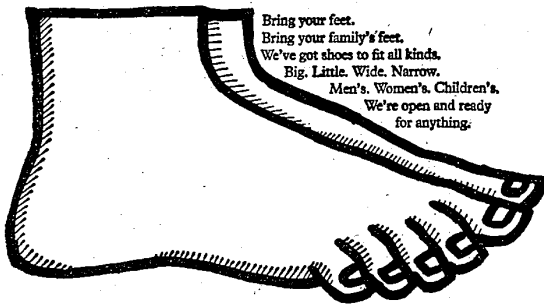
Redstone has served as an official architectural delegate in Europe, South America, the Middle East, Japan, and the Soviet Union. His reports of these missions have been published in professional journals, carried in newspapers and on radio and television.

He received the Design Award of the A. I. A. for the Distribution Center of the Michigan Liquor Control Commission and Wonderland, a regional Shopping Center in Livonia.

He has served as a design and art juror for the Michigan State Board of Architects, University of Michigan, University of Detroit, and his own sketches have been exhibited in four one-man shows.

Sent to Vietnam

Army Pvt. Victor P. Cassar Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor L. Cassar, 36942 Lancaster, Livonia, has been assigned to the U.S. Army Support Command in Vietnam.



Bring your feet.
Bring your family's feet.
We've got shoes to fit all kinds.
Big. Little. Wide. Narrow.
Men's. Women's. Children's.
We're open and ready for anything.

Bring money. But not a lot.
A little goes a long way at Thom McAn. How come? Because we're big. The biggest. We sell in large quantities. So we can buy raw materials in large quantities. And we eliminate the middleman's cut by selling our own shoes in our own stores. We save. You save. We're very reasonable that way.

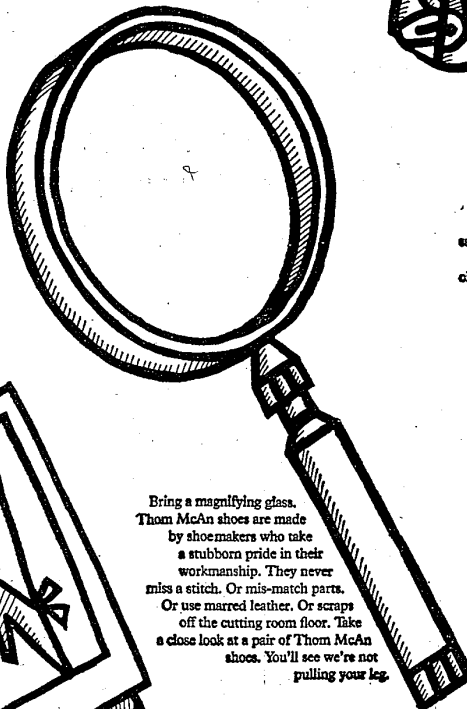


Bring your hand.
You'll need it.
To shake hands with the new manager. To pick up the shoes you see on display.
To point out the pair you like to one of our salesmen. To pick up your change. To carry your old shoes home.

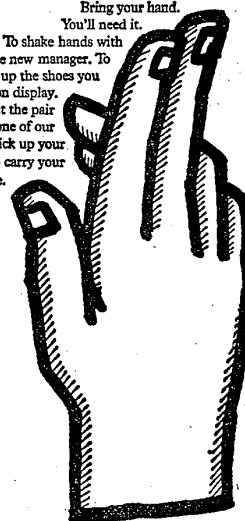
Bring the latest fashion magazines.
Flip the pages.
The styles you see there are probably here.

For men we have: Leisure shoes. Dress shoes. Casuals. Work shoes. Including all the Thom McAn favorites: The Soft-Lined Roma. Bootmaster. Cloud Club. Possum.

For ladies, we have shoes that are scalloped, punched, pleated, rolled, buttoned, bowed. High heels, low heels, mid heels, stacked heels, no heels. Casuals, pumps, slings, open sides, closed sides, no sides. When you come right down to it, Thom McAn is a very fashionable place to shop.

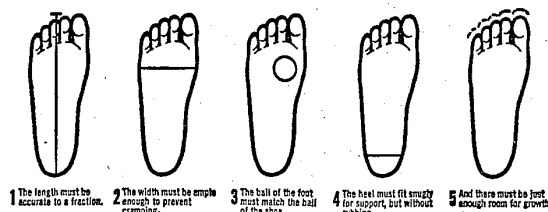


Bring a magnifying glass.
Thom McAn shoes are made by shoemakers who take a stubborn pride in their workmanship. They never miss a stitch. Or mis-match parts. Or use marred leather. Or scraps off the cutting room floor. Take a close look at a pair of Thom McAn shoes. You'll see we're not pulling your leg.



Bring the kids. But let us warn you. We're very fussy when it comes to children. A shoe must fit 5 ways before we'll let your child wear it.

Thom McAn Five Way Fit



You get a Five Way Fit Certificate, signed by our manager, only after your child's shoes have passed this test. It's our way of making sure children's feet grow properly and stay healthy. See our big selection of new styles and colors. Boys' shoes from 4.99. Girls' as low as 3.99.

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