

## Accounting Group Wins Award

The Detroit chapter of the American Society of Women Accountants has been given special recognition from the national group for a career film it has been showing in this area.

The film "Why Not Accounting?" has been taken into high schools in the Observer area to help interest more students in careers in accounting.

The chapter will hold its annual dinner meeting for accounting students Tuesday, Nov. 27, at 6:30 p.m. in the Engineering Society of Detroit headquarters, 100 Far-nsworth, Detroit.



Mr. and Mrs. James G. Kruger of Greenview Avenue, Plymouth, announce the birth of a daughter, Kelli Ann, on Oct. 27 in St. Joseph Hospital, Ann Arbor. Mrs. Kruger is the former Helen Zimmerman.

The baby has a brother, Jamie, 4, and a sister, Katie, 3. Her grandparents are Charles A. Kruger of Eggertsville, N.Y., and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schweim of South Lyon.

## New Voices

Mrs. Robert Zimmerman of Northville.

Mr. and Mrs. David R. O'Brien of Amelia Street, Plymouth, announce the birth of a daughter, Tracy Marie, on Nov. 2 in St. Mary Hospital.

Tracy has a sister, Ginger Marie. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Richard O'Brien of Plymouth and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schweim of South Lyon.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Wagner of Livonia announce the birth of a son, John Edward, born Oct. 29.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John J. Wagner of Livonia, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Liebler of Livonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Chippa of Farmington Hills, announce the birth of a son, Aaron Richard, Oct. 16, in Grace Northwest Hospital.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. B. Kudia of Livonia, Mr. and Mrs. R. Lindberg of Farmington, and Mr. and Mrs. M. Chippa of Dearborn Heights.

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# First State Conference For Women Set Dec. 1

Forty thousand invitations have been sent out by the Michigan Women's Commission for the first statewide conference on women to be held Saturday, Dec. 1, beginning at 9:30 a.m. in the Kellogg Center of Michigan State University in East Lansing.

"Every type of women's group has been contacted and many have made their membership lists available to us," said Vicki Neiberg, conference coordinator.

"When we say we want all women there, we mean all women; rich, poor, urban, suburban, mothers, childless, single, married, professional, homemaker. We know when we get them all together they're going to find that no matter what their background, they have a great deal in common and their common problems cross all lines."

"What we have to do is form coalitions and strategies to help each other."

The conference is called "Equality: Challenge of Change," and will offer 18 workshops with 50 women as resources. Carmen Maymi, director of the women's bureau in the U.S. Dept. of Labor, will keynote the conference at 10:15 a.m.

Between 9:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., guests may attend workshops on women's commissions, myths, lobbying, women in politics and government, volunteerism, divorce and child custody, employment picture for women.

## Energy

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would be much harder to keep track of the material.

The Rev. William A. Ritter, pastor of Newburg, had a few comments on the energy crisis and people to wind up the evening.

"I think we have three instinctive reactions to the word that there's a scarcity of fuel and thus many of the important things in our lives," he said.

"First, there's the urge to hoard - to lay in a good supply so we won't run out."

"Then everyone starts thinking of all the reasons he should be the exception if energy must be rationed - his job, his family, his special interests. I talked to a teenager who thinks it's just not fair that the speed limit should be lowered just as he is learning to drive."

"And finally there is the fundamental assumption that living with less fuel is going to be less fun - that cutting back means going without the good things of life."

Of the latter, Rev. Ritter said "I don't think that is going to happen."

Instead, he suggested, we're going to learn to be more self-sufficient and we are going to learn to center interests closer to our own neighborhoods.

"And we are going to have to realize," he added "that protecting the ecosystem is not a matter of sitting in our appliance-filled homes, with two cars in the garage, and worrying about the fate of the caribou."

"Out of this crisis we can learn to conserve by adopting new life styles - and that could be not a terrible thing. I think it can be very exciting."

## League Plans Dinner/Dance

The Plymouth Symphony League's annual Christmas dinner/dance is set for Saturday, Dec. 1, in Meadowbrook Country Club.

The evening begins with cocktails at 7 p.m., followed by dinner at 8:30 p.m. and dancing to music by the Merymen from 9:30 to 1:30 a.m.

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Registration fee is \$5 and can be made the morning of the conference. Advance registration is necessary for the luncheon, and can be made by sending \$5 to Michigan Women's Commission, 230 N. Washington, Lansing, 48933.

The commission was established by the 1968 Legislature as an independent unit of the executive office of the governor to stimulate and encourage study and review of the status of women in Michigan.

The commission was given two specific assignments: to study the critical problems

women face in education, employment, health, family relations, law enforcement and civil and political rights. And to secure appropriate recognition of the abilities of women and their contribution to the state.

Task forces are at work now in the areas of public information, equal rights amendment concerning Michigan law, sex discrimination in state government, employment and health.

Lorraine Beebe is chairwoman of the 14-member commission, appointed by the governor. Her vice chairwoman is Krana Grossman.

Others are Patricia Burnett, Gerald Fiala, Joan Guy, Fran Harris, Ann Irish, Trudy Lindsay, Marie Mylan, Jacqueline Nanni, Dr. L. Eudora Pettigrew, Marion Shertzer, Rosa Torres and Myra Wolfgang.

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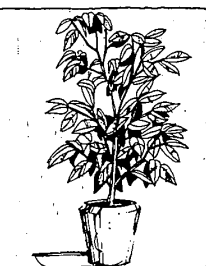
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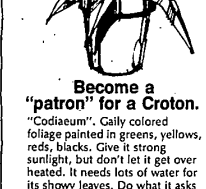
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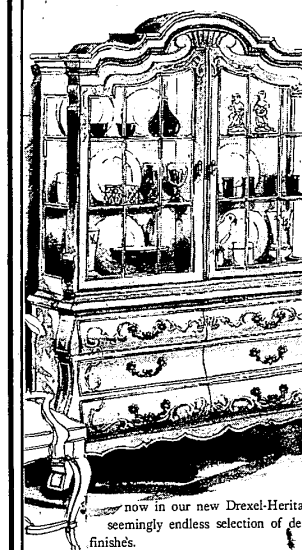
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