

Getting Around By ETHEL SIMMONS

The good life gets easier all the time. First, the new Bijou restau-rant in Southfield opened with a French menu but English descrip-tion and even a number to order

by.

Now the Brown Bear, one in the
New Trio at Franklin Place Res-taurant, also in Southfield, has a

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CONQUISTADOR LOUNGE

— Don Evans, vocalist, pianist and recording artist, Friday and Saturday evenings through February.

no-menu policy. Your waitress tells you what the specialties are that week (duck, lamb, roast sir-loin, ribs and seafood casserole, for example) and you make your selec-tion. At one of the recent pre-opening nights, I was served appetizers of mushroom caps, sausage, crab-

The Gales, Irish vocal and instrumental group, Sundays from 8 p.m. to midnight. At Holiday Inn, 1-75 and Rochester Road.

THE RAVEN GALLERY—
Return engagement of vocalist
Claudia Schmidt, also one-man
band Ken Bloom, both through
Sunday, Jan. 19. Showtime Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and
Sunday at 930 and 1030 pm; Friday and Saturday at 930 and 1130
p.m. At 29101 Greenfield, Southfield.

meat, and feta cheese and bacon. Soup was manhattan chowder or mushroom-barley. Salad was giant-sized, mixed by your waitress at the table. Des-serts included ice creams, with a high butterfat content, making them extra rich. them extra rich

THE BROWN BEAR, as well as Buddy's Barbeque and The Great Oyster, are all places to go and meet the crowd. They're lively, maybe even noisy, but should prove to be terrific gathering spots.

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The Great Oyster is a cocktail lounge with seafood snacks. Buddy's Barbeque, which inspired The Trio, features the ribs that made the owner family the Meyersons famous.

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Originally, a Buddy's Barbeque was located at Twelfth and Clairmount in Detroit and was immortalized for its "Detroit barbeque ribe" in the rhythm and blues hit "House of Blue Lights."

All three Trio restaurants fan out from a central lobby. The scale is grand, like being in a big modern

hotel. Stairs climb to the individ-ual rooms but central focus is on ribs turning on a rack behind a pic-ture window.

BUDDY'S BARBEQUE is being touted as an informal family place, dhe Brown Bear as a spot for dining out graciously withut a lot of fuss.

Incidentally, before you sit down to, your table at the Brown Bear you can sample wines from a special display just outside the restaurant. Then, you can decide what you want to order, maybe tempted by something new to your tastebuds.



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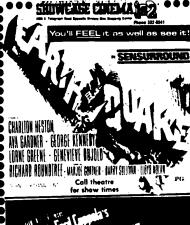
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