

LWV workshop is on election law

The leaders of the state Democratic and Republican parties will discuss whether political parties are necessary during a League of Women Voters of Michigan workshop on election law.

The all-day program will begin at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday, Sept. 21 at the Hospitality Inn, Lansing. Marjorie Wengrad, Michigan Democratic Party chairperson and his Re-

publican counterpart, William McLaughlin, will participate in a 1 p.m. panel discussion on political parties and primary elections. Representatives of minor parties also have been invited.

Bernard Apol, State elections director, will outline the present election system and possible changes at the morning session. Questions speakers have been asked

to discuss also include the merits of Michigan's open primary elections and closed primaries in other states, minor party roles and rules and party involvement in elections administration.

The workshop, open to the public, is designed to provide background information for the current League study of Michigan nomination and election processes. League

members also will review methods of selection of party convention delegates, training requirements for election officials and the presidential preferential primary.

Reservations for the workshop can be made with any local League or by mail to the State League Office, 202 Mill Street, Lansing, 48933. Cost is \$10 per person, including lunch.

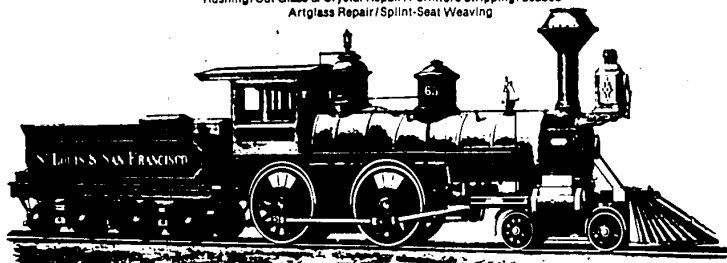
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Transcribing for the blind is a volunteer occupation that holds a lot of satisfaction for Lillian Cogsdill (left) of Farmington Hills, and Marge Griep of Livonia. Mrs. Cogsdill is working at a thermoform heat duplicator, used to make copies of Braille materials. Mrs. Griep is operating a Braille writer. (Staff photo by Harry Maubue)

Divorce adjustment course set

An Adjustment to Divorce course will be offered during the month of October under the auspices of the Michigan Psychological Association on Marriage, Divorce and the Family, Inc.

The lecture series, designed to help people who are involved in the process of marital dissolution, will deal with social and psychological aspects of divorce, child rearing, remarriage and related problems.

The classes at 7:30 p.m. Tuesdays will begin Oct. 5 and continue through Oct. 26 in the Big Beaver Methodist Church, 2153 Rochester Road, Troy.

A. Thomas Cappas, consulting psychologist, will be the instructor. A Diplomate in Clinical Psychology, he is in private practice as a clinical psychologist and a marriage counselor.

To register, contact the Michigan Inter-Professional Association, 1601 Ford Building, Detroit.

A fee of \$15 per person will be charged. Scholarships are available upon need.

Conference will explore nutrition

Michigan nutrition priorities will be explored by some 600 persons Sept. 21 at Michigan State University's Center for Continuing Education in a day-long conference sponsored by the Michigan Office of Nutrition.

"We hope that concerned citizens as well as health professionals, dietitians and anyone involved in nutrition will attend," said Laura Hies, chairman of the advisory commission and director of the office of nutrition.

The program will include three speakers: Gov. William Milliken on Michigan's involvement in nutrition; Ron Pollack, director of the Food Research and Action Center, New York, on federal government's response to food programs; and Peg McConnell, Community Nutrition Institute in Washington, on the dietitian's involvement in nutritional change.

Conference participants also will attend their choice of two workshops. Topics include: nutrition education in schools; infant and child nutrition; nutrition counseling; local responses to nutritional needs; alternate care facilities; current factors in food delivery; consumer nutrition education; adult nutrition programs; nutrition manpower; state response to nutritional needs; ethnic lifestyles and alternative food delivery systems.

There is no fee for attending the conference. However, a \$4 fee will be charged to those wishing to attend the conference luncheon. Complimentary tickets are available for low income consumers wishing to attend.

For advance reservations, write to Exploring Michigan's Nutrition Priorities Conference, the Kellogg Center for Continuing Education, Michigan State University, East Lansing, Mich. 48824.

If child care is needed, that may be indicated on the reservation form.

Crafts and cider at Clarkston

The second annual Clarkston Craft and Cider Festival will be held Sept. 24-26 at Washington and Main Streets in historic downtown Clarkston. Friday and Saturday hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Sunday's are 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Participating craftsmen include a wood carver, a blacksmith, jewelry makers, and potters. Items such as leaded glass terrariums, hand-painted tinware, furniture, and fabric crafts will also be featured. Several craftsmen will offer demonstrations.

Cider, donuts, and apples will be available in addition to an old-fashioned popcorn wagon.

The three-day event is sponsored by the Clarkston Community Historical Society.

PIME dinner benefits missions

Victims of poverty, sickness and illiteracy in the PIME Missionary areas within Burma, India, Bangladesh, Ecuador, Brazil, Africa and the Philippines will benefit from the annual fiesta and spaghetti dinner sponsored by the PIME Missionary Auxiliaries from noon to 7 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 18, at the order's headquarters at 9800 Oakland, Detroit.

Games, booths, a live South American band and a visit by Ricky the Clown will be featured, along with the Italian dinner. Prices for the dinner are \$5 for adults and \$1.25 for children under 12.

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