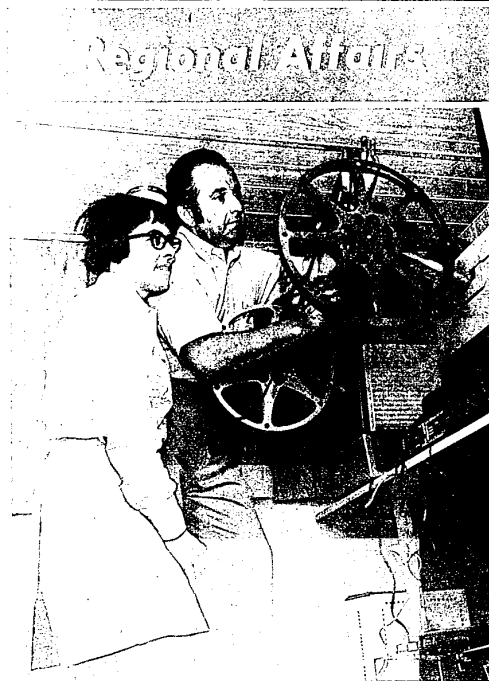




PHOTOGRAPHER-CAMPER Dan Ianuzzi and his wife are enroute across the country showing films to families staying at campground sites.

Westland Family Shows Films Enroute To West

A Westland couple will have spent five months living the dream of millions of outdoor enthusiasts by the time they arrive in southern California in November.

Dan Ianuzzi, 40, his wife, Elaine, and daughter, Leona, have been on a goodwill tour of 64 campgrounds located in 24 states.

The family lived at 2271 Windsor Parkway before starting out for the west coast.

Along the way, Dan and Elaine will provide free movie entertainment evenings at camp grounds. The subject matter of the films ranges from baseball and auto racing to travel and adventure. Included in the repertoire of eight films is a 30 minute cartoon for children's entertainment.

By use of providing public entertainment to campers and travelers throughout the country, was strictly Dan's, who by profession is a

motion picture photographer. "If you've ever been in a campground at night, you know there is nothing to do," he said. "We'll be able to provide some entertainment and make an evening in a campground just that much more enjoyable for the traveler," he added.

HE SUCCESSFULLY presented his idea of traveling the country and showing films at campsites to Dodge Truck Operations. The truck producer supplied the Ianuzzis with a camper special pickup along with a camper coach which will serve as their home, transportation and projection room. Inside the vehicle, the couple will set up two 16mm projectors along with a slide projector and sound equipment.

The films will be projected through the camper's dinette window to a screen situated some 35 feet from the vehicle. Dan also intends to shoot

enough footage along the way to make an additional eight films. In fact, he already has scripts written for two of the planned productions.

Dan and Elaine hope that this trip will launch them into a new family enterprise. They want to travel and make films of the United States and Canada with the hope that similar ventures will eventually take them to Europe.

PRESENTLY, THE travelers are making the American high-ways and byways their home. Plans for the immediate future call for setting up a house-hold in southern California.

Perhaps the most delighted member of the family is daughter Leona. She enjoys traveling the country and meeting hundreds of new friends will be exciting. She'll also miss two months of school which should make a 12-year old very unhappy.

GC, Westland Holdouts From Council Of Govts.

By DENNIS PAJOT

Thirteen of 16 eligible political units in Observantland are members of the Southeastern Michigan Council of Governments (SEMCOG), and have taken an active role in the infancy of this regional super-committee.

Warren City and Westland, of the six Observantland communities, are the only ones which have not joined as a member. Canton in Oakland County and Plymouth in Wayne County are the best representatives.

Interdistrict Community College, an agency comprised of all eight Bedford Township as part of Farmington, is a member and, therefore, serves areas Garden City and northern Westland residents some voice in the developing regional concepts.

That portion of Westland belonging to the Livonia school system is also represented by that "very active" unit's delegates to SEMCOG.

In the view of Robert Farley, assistant director of SEMCOG, this means western Wayne County suburbs and Farmington have joined with a majority of the densely populated political units in the six-county area.

OF 345 ELIGIBLE units in Wayne, Oakland, Macomb, Westland, Monroe and St. Clair counties, 110 have become members since formal organization in 1, 1968. These 110, although less than a third, represent about 65 per cent of the population in the area.

School district representation is slightly higher, at 70 per cent of the total school enrollment, according to Farley. Active participation -- on the

other hand -- is less than desirable, he admits. "Some are with us in spirit, some in body. As a rule we do suffer from a lack of attendance."

"We're a fourth or fifth generation organization to most of these (units)," he says. "We have limitations. They have a jurisdiction over which they were elected to serve, a livelihood to maintain and civic affairs. We recognize this and have to work like hell to overcome the problem," said Farley.

He said that non-membership and non-participation by some units is due to the area's far-flung reaches -- to Port Huron, the Ohio line and Ann Arbor.

FARLEY HATED Observantland member units "an exceptionally fine group" in participation.

Several current or former delegates had served on the Committee of 100 which piloted SEMCOG, and others served on its original executive committee. One -- former Livonia School Supt. Benton Yates -- currently directs SEMCOG's education division as a full-time job.

The following is a wrap-up by communities of the member political bodies and their current delegates in the SEMCOG executive assembly (alternate delegate listed second):

PLYMOUTH CITY COUNCIL: James J. Hahra, former mayor now city councilman, and Richard Blodgett, city manager.

PLYMOUTH TOWNSHIP BOARD: Supervisor Jack McEwen and Gene Overhol, trustee.

PLYMOUTH SCHOOL DISTRICT: Supt. James H. Rossman and John W. Moelle, school board vice president,

CANTON TOWNSHIP BOARD: Supervisor Phillip Dangleley and John W. Flodin, trustee.

SCHOOLCRAFT COLLEGE: Mrs. John (Jane) Moelle, board president, and Paul Malm, trustee.

FARMINGTON CITY COUNCIL: Mayor Wilbur Brotherton and John Duan, city manager.

FARMINGTON TOWNSHIP BOARD: Supervisor Curtis Hall and Floyd Cairns, clerk. FARMINGTON SCHOOL BOARD: Richard Peters, former board president, now trustee, and Gary Lichman, trustee.

GERARD V. Harrison, retired School superintendent, was also active as a member of Committee of 100.

LIVONIA SCHOOL DISTRICT: R. H. Upton and William Kraft, board trustee.

LIVONIA CITY COUNCIL: (Membership to begin Dec. 1, 1970, probably delegating Mayor Harvey Moelle.)

REDFORD TOWNSHIP BOARD: Supervisor Aldrick Bellare and Horace Engler, director of public services.

SCHOOL DISTRICT: Secretary Orlin C. Lewis and James Hantzen, trustee.

NON-MEMBERS include the Claremontville school board, Redford Union school board, Garden City Council, Garden City School board, and the Village of Quakertown and Woodcreek Fairs in Farmington Township.

To date SEMCOG is a non-authoritative committee of governing units, rather than a "true" political subdivision.

\$20,000 College Grant Asked For Major 'Cultural Series'

By DENNIS PAJOT

Will the trustees of Schoolcraft Community College subsidize the extra-curricular cultural programs with tax funds next year?

True in next month for the answer. A request for \$20,000 for this purpose has been made by the Culture and Public Affairs Committee, from the president-elect Stuart Bloom, who is a history instructor and Faculty Forum president.

Trustees decided during the October meeting that sometime would be needed to study the

expanded programs he suggested.

THE CAMPUS STUDENT Senate has already committed itself to a \$10,000 appropriation of student fees for the purposes outlined by Bloom.

A \$30,000 total program is needed to provide "effective, well rounded cultural series," he said.

He indicated that the funds would be used to:

- Secure eight guest speakers of the caliber of former vice president Hubert Humphrey, consumer champion Ralph Nader, Sen. George McGovern

and journalist James J. Kilpatrick Jr.--whose fees range from \$15,000 to \$25,000 (total: \$15,000).

- Popular musical artists such as the Fifth Dimension and Peter, Paul and Mary. (Total: \$7,000)

- Expanded film and poet presentations. (Total: \$4,000).

- Individual department speakers. (Total: \$4,000).

THE ENTIRE community will benefit, because admission is open to anyone for such programs, said Bloom.

He was requesting a commitment for the 1970-71 school year.

budget, due to speaker arrangements often requiring as much as a year's advance notice.

"To the present, we have been funding the program at a bare minimum--far less than surrounding community colleges."

"With a new cultural affairs building about to be constructed, it is imperative that we present the type of program capable of attracting community interest and support," said Bloom.

BOARD members didn't disagree; some, in fact, came up with ideas to strengthen the program--including possible charging of admission fees to cover higher costs--but none would press for a decision without "further study."

Although it is technically possible to set a date for reconsideration, the board tabled the matter until its November meeting.

Ruth Davenport Dies; Active In GOP

FARMINGTON

Mrs. James L. Davenport (Ruth Mae) of 28801 Lorick, Farmington, died suddenly Oct. 25 in Redford General Hospital at the age of 48.

She had long been associated with the Republican Women's Organization of Farmington and the Oakland County Republican Party. Most recently she had been a member of the staff of 19th District Congressman Jack McEwen.

A memorial service for Mrs. Davenport will be conducted at 8 p.m. this evening (Wednesday) in North Farmington Baptist Church, the Rev. William J. Holmes officiating. Private family services were held in the Heeneey - Sundquist Funeral Home, with burial following in Arcadia Park Cemetery.

Mrs. Davenport's political interests were far-reaching. She had been a precinct delegate for the Republican Party and a member of the Oakland County GOP Committee on Organization.

During her collegiate years at Wayne State University, she was interested in music and



MRS. JAMES L. DAVENPORT

after moving to Farmington became a member of Sweet Adelines, Inc., serving as chapter president and repeat of the group's region. She was also international vice president on the board of directors.

Mrs. Davenport is survived by her husband; her mother, Mrs. Mae Wright of Farmington; and two sons, Dennis P. and James L. Jr. (both at home).

GOP Sets Hearing On Suburban Crime

A Michigan Republican Task Force on Crime will come to Observantland Nov. 12 to study suburban and juvenile problems.

The session will be held from 1-5 p.m. in the Livonia Police Department building on Farmington Road south of Five Mile.

"We're trying to determine immediate local needs," said Mrs. Mary Dumas, a Livonia Republican and civic activist who is a member of the task force.

"This will be the third of four scheduled hearings," she said. "We've had hearings in Holt and Marquette, and we'll have one in Detroit after this."

CHAIRMAN OF the task force is Appeals Judge John Fitzgerald, a scholarly, low-key former state senator from Grand Ledge.

"Judge Fitzgerald says that the same concerns are being expressed all over the state," Mrs. Dumas reported. "There are juvenile crime, drug problems and dissent on the campus."

"We won't be getting into dissent, though," she said. "Our youth task force will go into that."

"We hope to be able to present proposals to the Legislature in January," she added.

THE HEARING will be open to the public. Mrs. Dumas said, but most of the time will be taken up by scheduled speakers.

Among them: Sgt. Kenneth Christenson of the State Police crime laboratory in Plymouth; R.E. Klous, a drug expert with

the Wayne County Board of Health; Orin Clark, head of a volunteers probation program for Royal Oak's municipal court, one of the first of its kind in the state; Ken Kirkwood, of Livonia District Court's probation department.

Others: William Flood, director of juvenile services in Oakland County juvenile court; Detective Ed Pilate, head of Dearborn Heights' police intelligence division; and Don Roach, president of the Michigan Pharmaceutical Assn.

Mrs. Dumas said invited guests would include municipal, police and school officials from the Observer Newspapers' circulation area plus other places in western Wayne and Oakland counties.

Dimes Style Show Chairman Named

Mrs. Edward D. Benbow, a contract compliance representative with the Michigan Civil Rights Commission, has been named general chairman for the 1970 Fashion Extravaganza committee of the Wayne County National Foundation-March of Dimes.

As general chairman, Mrs. Benbow will coordinate the activities of the group which was established 16 years ago by the late Dr. Violet T. Lewis, to assist the March of Dimes in their fund raising campaign and volunteer services.

Since that time, the annual fashion show has raised over \$140,000 for research and patient services programs, which are aimed at preventing birth defects.

19th Dems Set Draft Discussion

"An Alternative to the Present Draft System" will be the topic of discussion at the regular meeting of the 19th Congressional District Democratic Organization scheduled for 8 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 5.

The meeting will be held in the cafeteria of East Junior High School, Middle Belt Road between 10 and 11 Mile Roads, Farmington.

The meeting is open to the general public, according to 19th District Democratic Chairman Aldo Vagnozzi.

Speakers for the meeting are Dr. Rhodes Murphy, professor of Asian geography at the University of Michigan, and Rev. Ronald Tipton, draft counselor at U-M.

The speakers and program will be introduced by Mrs. Geraldine McNabb, 19th District executive board member and alternate to add a student and an alumnus to the Michigan Democratic State Central Committee.

VAGNOZZI ISSUED a special invitation to high school and college students in the area to attend the meeting and participate in the question and answer period.

"The whole question of revising the present draft system is now before the Congress and is being considered by the President," Vagnozzi said. "There are many inequities in the present system and the speakers will make a case for repealing it entirely and substituting a volunteer army."



KATHY JACKSON, Madonna College student elected to the board of trustees, posed recently with balloons and toys to promote the Catholic girls' school's recent festival.

(Observer photo)

Student Will Be Madonna Trustee

In a move that has rare precedents, the Madonna College board voted at its October meeting to add a student and an alumnus to its membership with both voice and vote.

The board stipulated that the student representative be the president of the campus Student Congress for a given academic year. The alumnus will nominate their own representative to be approved by the board.

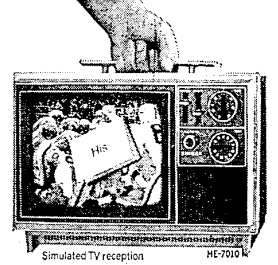
Madonna junior Kathleen Jackson, administrator of the Civil Import Administration, U.S. Dept. of Interior, Washington, D.C.; Dr. Richard White, associate professor of higher education, University of Toledo; Plymouth attorney Earl J. Demel, member emeritus; and the two student and alumnus representatives.

fall with the campus Lumen Award for outstanding service to the college.

The alumnus representative will be chosen in the coming weeks.

The action of the Madonna Board of Trustees raises the total membership to 11. Of these, six are lay persons, namely Mrs. Ira Kaufman, wife of Probate Judge Ira Kaufman and school teacher; Jacob Simpson, administrator of the Civil Import Administration, U.S. Dept. of Interior, Washington, D.C.; Dr. Richard White, associate professor of higher education, University of Toledo; Plymouth attorney Earl J. Demel, member emeritus; and the two student and alumnus representatives.

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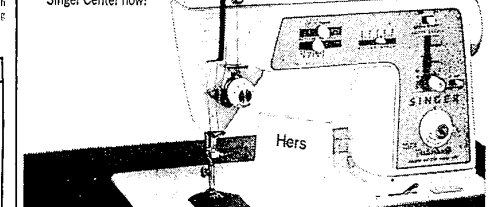


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