

Bort, Ernie and the Cookie Monster sing and dance in "Sesame Street Live" opening Wednesday at Cobo Arena in Detroit.

upcoming

things to do

• 'THE FANTASTICKS'
The Nancy Gurwin production of the musical 'The Fantasticks' runs Truerdays and Sundays in the Coach House at the historic Botsford Inn, 28000 Grand River at Eight Mile Road in Farmington Hills. Dinners is at 7 pm. and the show at 8:30. The show is directed by Edgar A. Guest III, assisted by Nancy Brassert, both of Birmingham. David Wilson, a musical director at Will-Oway, is the musical director at Will-Oway, is the musical director at Will-Oway, is the for dinner and show. For reservations, call 474-4800.

 PORTS-O-CALL BALL Hunters Square Tally Hall in Farmington Hills will be transformed Farmington Hilts will be transformed into a scene of international intrigue for the Ports-O-Call Ball at 8 pm. Saturday. Presented by WTVS-TV, Channel 56, and the Committee for Childran's Television, the event at the food bazaar will combine exult food, dancing and entertainment. Celebranis are being encouraged to dress in costumes appropriate to the international mood. Proceeds from the ball, priced at 330 per person, will go to Channel 56 and the Committee for Childran's Television. For ticket Information, call Channel 56 at 873-7200.

WIN SCHULER'S
 Rick Stahl entertains from 9:30
 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. Friday-Saturday at
 Win Schuler's, 2801 S. Rochester
 Road, Rochester. There is no cover

charge.

COMMUNITY BANDS
The Farmington Community Band will present its third annual Festival of Community Bands 12:16-4 p.m. Sunday at Twelve Oaks Mall Center Court in Novi. Commanity bands featured this year include Birmingham, Plymouth, Farmington, Northville and the Massed Bands. Special guest artist will be Robert ("Fat Bob, the Singing Plember") Taylor, WJR radio personality.

• 'AIDA' SCREENED

The motion picture "Aida," starring Sophia Loren, opens Friday for a
two-week run as the lirst attraction in
a fine arts featule at the Bloomfield
Theatre in Birmingham. The movie
version of Verdi's opera was filmed
when Loren was 19 years old. The

voice of opera star Reneta Tebaldi was superimposed in the film. The original film, made in 1954, had been missing for years and recently was found and re-released.

AT FANNY'S

■ AT FANNY'S Strider, Top 40 dance band, will appear from 9 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. Mondays-Saturdays through Feb. 12 at Fanny's in the Troy Hilton Inn, 1455 Stephenson Highway, Troy. The band features a female lead vocalist backed by four male musicians.

• THURSDAY FILMS

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The movie comedy "Everything
You Always Wanted to Know About
Sex" will be screened at 1, 6 and 87,
m. today on the Winter 1983 Thursday Film Series, in Room J294 on Orchard Ridge Campus of Oakland
Community College in Farmington
Hills, Tickets are \$2 for the general
public and \$1 for OCC students.

• 'HENRY IV'
The Hilberry Theatre is presenting
"Henry IV, Part 1." first play of
Shakespear's triology celebrating
the deeds of Henry V, on the Wayne
State University Campus in Detroit.
The play continues in repertory at the
Hilberry through April 1. For tickets,
contact the box office at 577-2972.

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Charles Savage plays a medley of
'dos tunes, as well as contemporary
popular favorites, from 5:30 p.m. to
midnight week nights and 7 p.m. to
midnight studrays for exclustias and
after-theater fare in the lounge at the
flotel St. Regis, 3071 W. Grand Blud,
Detroit. Savage has performed
froughout the Midwest including the
Grand Hotel on Mackinae Island, Hyatt Regency Dearborn and Pinkey's
Boulevard Club in Detroit.

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WILL-O-WAY SHOW
The musical "A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum" will
\$1.50 p.m. Friagras Sarkons was to the Sarkon Sarko

'Glass Menagerie' captures the mood

William Glbbs III was in town re-cently, Bill — Brother Rice class of '85, Michigan State University class of '72, which makes him a bit younger than Bronco Nerd of Michigan's Kalkaska Mountain Winery — is most recently of Felton-Empire Vineyards. His purpose in being here, in addition to visiting his family, was to announce his decision to make his winery a sig-nificant marketing matter in the De-troit area.

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Its presence has been evident for a couple of years but just barely. Now associated with a new distributor, Bill-has seen our area as a significant na-tional market for his 15,000-case-a-year winery and has decided to concen-trate his attention on us as one of his prime "outstate" markets.

It is a good decision. Michigan is a prime consumer, probably fourth na-tionally, of California wines.

Hiller Wineary FriseL.P is in the low mountains above Santa Cru, surrounded by madrone and redwood. It was originally used, from 1945-64, as the farmous Hallcreat Whery. In its day it was the producer of some of the linest cabernet from California.

The property lay quiet for the next 10 years until the mid-1970s when Bill, winemaker leo McClosty and two others joined together to purchase it and its limited amount of grape. The two had been at Ridge together but decided to strike out on their own to purchase grapes selectively and process them in Felion.

When winemakers are free to purchase their grapes, they can make anything they want to and are not dependent on their own grape production. Leo and Bill have taken advantage of this account of the country of whose.

However, personal preference seems to be aiming them in a Germanic direc-

review

tion, their preferences being gewurtraminer and, most important, white riesling. The latter has been especially effective for them. They have won much national acciaim for their late-harvest desert wines and have done nearly as well with their table wine production.

production.

Their goal is to be known as table wine producers. The late harvest is a quirk of nature they plan to take advantage of when they can.

ADDITIONALLY, two excellent reds have been made recently. A full, complex and warm pinet notif from 1979 is a beautiful thing. Small amounts are in Michigan, to be followed by a 1980 cabernet sauvignon using Hallerest grapes just loaded with good fruit and balanced with strong standards.

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wines.

The first six years of Felton Empire have been interesting ones, and successful as well. The future looks good with Leo in the winery and Bill on the road making white wines in a work that cannot seem to get enough of them.

Newsboy distributes old-fashioned papers

By Ethel Simmons

staff writor

Twenty-one-year-old
Marc Gawroski will be
dressed as a newboy
from the 1890s, distributing copies of the Edison
Courier during Greenfield Village's "Great Escape Weekend" SaturdaySunday at Dearborn's
Heary Ford Museum,
Gawronaki, who-'lives
in Westland, is a senior
mojoring in psychology
at the University of Michigan-Dearborn. He is an
actor by avocation and
his appearance as a
newaboy is his intest role.
Gawronaki was last
seen on stage playing the
lead in "A Connecticut
Yankee in King Arthur's
Court" at the Henry Ford
Museum Theatre. It was
his first role for the museum theater, which

his first role for the museum theater, which how must be auditions for couch the ment was community theater," Gawronski said. He played Freddle Eynsford-Hill in the Garden City Civic Theatre production of "My Fair Lady." Eynsford-Hills is the young Englishman who becomes enamored of Eliza Doolittle and sings "On the Street Where You Live."

"I ALSO DO a lot of work with the Dearborn Civic Theatre," he said. This weekend's "Great Escape" at Greenfield Village is the first of three special weekends, each looking back at a

onlierent, nostralige peri-di la history.
For the 1890s weekend
Gawronski said he will be
"handing around a com-pilation of articles from
the 1890s-1900."
"It's a good reflection
of life in the 1890s," he
said of the free, souvenit
newspaper.

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The tall, well-spoken young man added that the newspaper also includes details of weekend activi-ties in the museum and in the museum theater.



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