

briefly speaking

AUDITIONS

American Youth Symphony Orchestra is holding auditions for students to age 22 who have played six months or more. The auditions will be held at Churchill High School of Livonia on five days for strings, selected wind, brass and percussion positions: 7 p.m. Sept. 7; 10 a.m. Sept. 9; 7 p.m. Sept. 14; and 8 a.m. Sept. 16. For information, call 453-1707.

MORE AUDITIONS

The Plymouth Symphony Orchestra will have auditions beginning Monday, Sept. 11 for a number of positions, including concertmaster, principal second violin, assistant principal cello, tuba and various string sectional players. Auditions will be in the Choir Room of the Phase III Building of the Plymouth-Canton High School complex. To schedule an audition time and/or for further information, call Walter Hulsker, 925-8143 or the Plymouth Symphony office, 451-3112.

• Livonia Youth Philharmonic of Michigan, a musical organization for interested instrumentalists from all of southeastern Michigan, is looking for new members. LYPM offers an entry and advanced level string orchestra under New Zealand conductor Andrew Sewell, a concert band with director Glenn Andersen, and a top-level philharmonic under the direction of Attila Farkas. The audition schedule is as follows: 9 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 12 at Eastern Michigan University; 2-5 p.m. Sept. 13-14 at Faith Lutheran Church, 10000 Five Mile Road, Livonia. For an appointment or more information, call 453-8887.

HOMEARAMA OPENS

The seventh annual showcase of new idea homes by members of the Builders Association of Southeastern Michigan, featuring 10 homes in Hills of Oakland subdivision, opens today and continues through Tuesday, Oct. 24. The subdivision is on Adams Road, north of Dutton in Oakland Township, north of Rochester. Admission is \$5. For more information, call 737-4477.

WILDFOWL CARVING COMPETITION

Hundreds of hand-carved and hand-painted duck decoys, game birds, birds of prey, shorebirds, song birds and freshwater fish will be on display at the North American Wildfowl Carving Championship to be the weekend of Sept. 15-17 at the Holiday Inn on Six Mile Road at I-275 in Livonia. Admission to the judging area is \$4 and is good the entire weekend.

PHOTORAMA

More than 4,000 photographers from across the country will meet in the Dearborn Civic Center Saturday-Sunday, Sept. 16 and 17 for the fall photo trade show, Photorama USA. The public is invited from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday and 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday. Admission is \$4. For more information, call 894-2242.

CITY OF HOPE BAZAAR

Handmade jewelry, silver jewelry, handbags, makeup, fabric art sweat shirts, stationery and many other items will be on sale starting at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 12 at the designer bazaar sponsored by the City Hope's Sophie and Harry Hoffman chapter. For more information, call 453-2250.

Orchestra comes home in style

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his contemporaries. Nielsen is equally at home on the Broadway stage, the opera house and night clubs. She has performed in top Broadway musicals and with symphony orchestras across the United States, and was warmly received by Detroit audiences when she sang the songs of Gershwin on the DSO's Weekend Pops Series last season.

FOR DECADES, the members of The Sultans have tapped dance everywhere from Broadway to Detroit's Paradise Valley, sharing the stage with Bill "Bojangles" Robinson, Fats Waller, Dixie Gillespie and many other great artists of the jazz and vaudeville circuit.

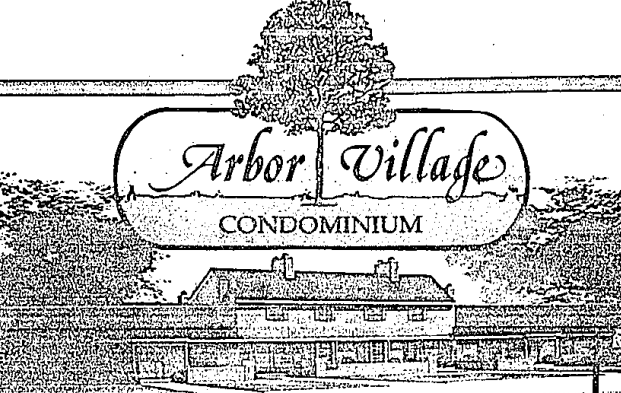
Co-founder Lloyd Storey started out in the chorus of the Apollo Theater in the 1930s after his family moved from De-

troit to New York. He formed The Sultans in the late 1930s with Fletcher "Bones" Hollingsworth, and they were later joined by Sherman Bush and Frank Colvard.

Continuing the grand tradition of the vaudeville era, Storey and Colvard join in the tribute to Paradise Theatre along with Annal Henry, a 6-year-old student of Storey.

HINES STARTED dancing at age 3 under the tutelage of tap master Henry LeTang, and at age 5 toured with the "Hines Kids," making club appearances around the country. He virtually grew up backstage at the Apollo Theater in Harlem and continued touring until the 1960s, when the focus of his career shifted to singing jazz/rock and writing popular songs.

He also began work in the theater and soon landed roles in Broadway hits such as "Sophisticated Ladies," "Comin' Uptown" and "Eubie," each of which earned him Tony Award nominations.



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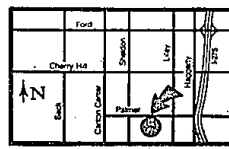
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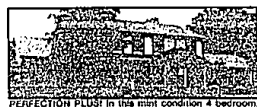
Est. in Canton, Mich. 1929



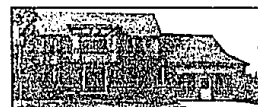
FARMINGTON HILLS FINEST 4 bedroom colonial, completely rebuilt, desirable neighborhood with sports court, French doors to deck and dining room. Excellent neighborhood. \$209,900. 477-1111.



SYLVAN LAKE PRIVILEGES Sharp three bedroom ranch, desirable neighborhood with sports court, Lake, finished basement, fenced backyard. Close to shopping, entertainment. \$59,900. 644-4700.



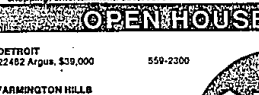
PERFECTION PLUS in mint condition 2 1/2 bath colonial. Outstanding custom decor thru-out, dream kitchen has pickled oak cabinets and floor, beautiful with granite, finished basement with large wet bar, 3 car garage, numerous amenities! \$244,900. 851-1900. (MEA)



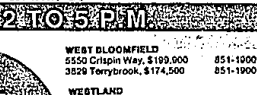
EXPERIENCE THE FEELING New and Exciting homes in Country Ridge at Farmington Hills. Quality construction by Kimron of Novi. 3 unique plans. See Model for details. Starting at \$217,500. 681-5700. (LWL)



LOVELY HOME, BIG LOT Enjoy the beautiful park-like setting, lovely one acre, full bath 6 room home. Well maintained three bedroom ranch has two full baths, three car garage, basement and shed. \$159,900. 477-1111.



FARMINGTON HILLS 24259 Farmington Rd., \$195,000 477-1111
 29742 Fox Club, \$239,900 477-1111



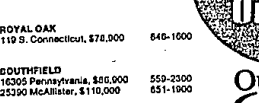
WEST BLOOMFIELD 5550 Crispin Way, \$199,900 851-1900
 3529 Terrybrook, \$174,900 851-1900



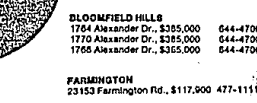
ACCENT ON VALUE Well maintained ranch, master bedroom with space to spare and grace to match with lav. Formal dining room, extra spacious yard. Play it safe, bring your deposit. \$84,900. 859-2300.



LUXURIOUS HOME on magnificent lot complete with swimming pool, tennis court, 6th bedroom, island kitchen, master suite has a leather bath. Finished basement, lovely deck. \$299,900. 477-1111.



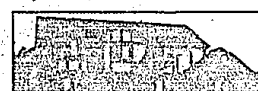
DETROIT 22462 Argus, \$39,000 559-2300



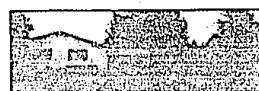
WESTLAND 30335 Grandview, \$55,900 326-2000



PRIME NORTHVILLE ACRES surround the charming! Formal dining area in living room! New roof, hot water heater. Great location - must see to appreciate! 34' x 24' Barn - Horses allowed! \$149,900. 245-6430.



FOUR BEDROOM WITH DEN ON PREMIUM LOT Gorgeous four bedroom with first floor den and gathering room, formal dining room, island kitchen. Loaded with extras. \$229,000. 477-1111.



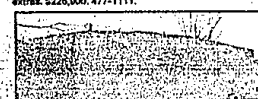
RANCHING CUSTOM RANCH in desirable sub. Approximately 1/2 acre lot, 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths. Lovely open floor plan. Move-in condition. \$169,900 851-1900 (HAT)



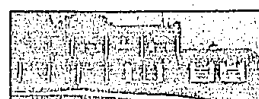
COZY RANCH 3 bedroom ranch featuring 10 City Nature Preserve. Full basement partially finished. Large open kitchen and hardwood floors through most of home. Landscaped lot with above ground pool. Well maintained. New furnace. \$104,500. 851-1900. (ELL)



BACK ON MARKET - OWNERS ARE PACKED Beautiful 3 bedroom on large lot. New furnace and air conditioner. Nine months new - Family room with natural fireplace, head-to-toe, walk-in closet. Breakfast nook. \$100,500. 559-2300.



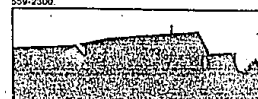
PRIME FARMINGTON HILLS AREA CONDO Larger two bedroom unit in Woodcreek Village, 2 baths, 1491 square foot for best buy price. Durable, clubhouse. Heat and air included in maintenance fee. \$84,500. 477-1111.



4 BEDROOM COLONIAL Immaculate Colonial with 4th floor library or 6th bedroom. Beautiful cut-to-edge setting, circular drive, central air and deck. Move-in condition. Immaculate occupancy. \$194,000. 851-1900.



BRAMBLING RANCH, Approximately 1600 sq. ft. Cape Cod set on .323 acres, 5 bedrooms, 2 baths, den, game room, remodeled kitchen, 1st floor laundry, all new USA. Great windows. Attached garage, large patio. \$89,000. 851-2300.



SPACIOUS COLONIAL with great floor plan, sharp and clean. Freshly painted inside and out. Immaculately well kept. Great family neighborhood with address. Now schools, 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths. Must sell \$120,900. 648-6430.