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Both Morrison and Saunders-Droyer com-eted a training course to prepare for the

job, Goss said.

Monday afternoon, howover, the new arrangement seemed farcical. In heavy snew, students, escorted by fifth-grade safe-ty patrol members, nade the long walk from Longacre to the corner, only to find no one

there to help them cross.

After a wait of several minutes, Longacre arom and volunteer crossing guard Mary Gossman filled in to make sure the young-

sters safely crossed.

"You can't be late, you just cannot be late,"
said Gossman, exasperated, "You have to be

You can't be late, you just enime to he here on time."
It's her first day," said one parent about Wilkin. "It's not a good start, is it?"
Earlier on Monday, Goss said having Wilkin stationed at the crossing "should make the environment a lot safer for kids moving to and from. We're hoping this will be a consistent effort."
Also looking forward to seeing the same face every day - instead of a revolving door of well-meaning parents - was Longare and the most of the most of the most of the consisting guard here ... all the time," said Gourtney, while waiting for Wilkin to turn up.

But it wasn't until 4:10 p.m. before Wilkin's vehicle pulled up to the corner, just five minutes before the ond of her half-hour patrol.

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Gossman said, "Not when you've got respon-



Filling In: Mary Gossman helps students cross while waiting for the newly hired crossing guard to arrive.

sibilities and take care of kids."

Gossman, a volunteer crossing guard for about two years, said an officer called her Friday and told her "we (parents) didn't need

to be here. But when I didn't see one ..." Hiring a crossing guard "is great," added Gossman, "as long as they're going to be here and be responsible."

## Public may review EPA draft at library

. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Region 5 is considering approval for storage of PCB-contaminated waste from other sources at Dynox Indus-tries, Inc. in Farmington Hills. Under the draft approval, Dynox would be subject to all EPA requirements, including fire

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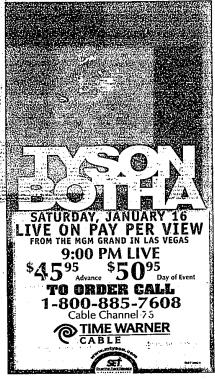
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tim let the Nissan through and took down the license plate number and phoned police.

When police stopped the Nissan on Orchard Cake and 10 Mile, a female pegishere: immediately told officers the gun was infer purse. Police fluid a leaded, 9 millimeter Snith & Western with a live round in the sun with a live round in the chamber. Officers also found four rounds of ammunition in

The driver told police th woman had nothing to do with the incident and the gun belonged to him. She was released but taken to the station so she could find another ride.

Serial numbers on the pisto were also altered. Police also found a white napkin containing 3.5 grams of marijuana in the



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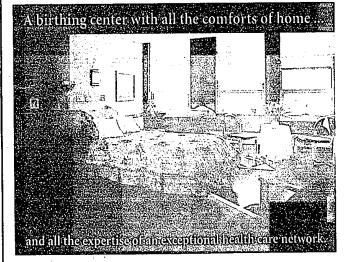
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