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**BETTER COMMUNICATIONS:
A WORTHY GOAL FOR 1979**

Last month's MSA Bulletin carried the announcement of an important meeting to be held January 10 in Lansing. The subject is better communications, and the sponsors include the Mid-Michigan Chapter, AIA; the Michigan Chapter, CSI; and organizations representing Lansing-area mason contractors and suppliers.

We at the Masonry Institute hope that not only this meeting will be successful, but that it will serve as the forerunner for many such seminars around the state. As the organization that hears the complaints from both sides when problems occur on a masonry project, we've become acutely sensitive to the need for improved communications between architects and specifiers and mason contractors and suppliers. All too often, we're called in to look at a problem that could have been prevented by good, two-way dialogue -- with each side approaching the other with an attitude of respect for the other's field of expertise.

If your Chapter agrees that much could be gained from such a meeting in your area, we'll be happy to serve as the coordinator. Just give us the date and join us in developing an agenda. Let's put better communications high on our priority list for 1979.

**STILL TIME TO RESERVE
FOR MASONRY AWARDS BANQUET**

We're expecting a big turnout for the fourth annual Masonry Awards Banquet January 20 at The Dearborn Inn...and we hope you'll be included in that number. Join us for the presentation of Honor Awards for Excellence in Masonry Design, and hear Yale's Herman D. J. Spiegel discuss the "incredible" masonry of Antonio Gaudi. You have until January 12 to return the R.S.V.P. card that was included with your invitation. Or you can just call the Masonry Institute at (313) 553-2080. See you January 20.

Sincerely,

MASONRY INSTITUTE OF
MICHIGAN, INC.

John A. Heslip
Executive Director

WE GET LETTERS

November 18, 1978

Dear Ann Stacy:

I was moved by the Detroit Chapter's meeting last night. It saddened me very much to see such low attendance. It is not any one person's fault. It is ours collectively. Low attendance leaves decision making to the very few. This time, those very few happen to be very young, inexperienced, and over-worked, though they are energetic and very enthusiastic.

Equity of the AIA is not measured by accrual accounting or on cash basis, nor by the balance in the bank book. To this the Board should add the cultural values of the Institute, and the high aspirations of the 500 plus members the Chapter boasts of, as was very eloquently pointed out by one of the members.

I have two suggestions to present and you can publish them in the BULLETIN, if you please:

FIRST. Send an appeal to every member urging him/her to attend and warn them of the grave consequences to their Institute, such as the one complaint of above, if they continue to fail to attend the meetings.

SECOND. I remember not long ago, the MSA wanted to restore an old house on Mackinac Island. They passed the hat, so to speak, and made a collection. They promised every contributor's name to be recorded as an acknowledgment, not only of his contribution, but also of his enthusiastic interest in the Profession, and the cultural value of the Art and Historic Preservation. We should do the same thing to the Beaubien House. We can design a mural to cover a full wall of the front lobby on which we inscribe the names of all the contributors. It must be an honor to have anyone's name inscribed on the wall of the HOUSE

OF THE ARCHITECTS. It will make an attractive inducement.

How did they get the money to restore Music Hall? We can do the same for the Beaubien House. We have many friends, and there are many foundations and organizations who would be willing to share in a cultural project for their city.

Let us show our community we are not hermits in our ivory towers, but - like them - we work and share their concern and lead them in the renovation of their and our city.

Fuad S. Hassan, AIA (E)

The Detroit Chapter AIA

Ladies and Gentlemen:

This is to formally thank you for your contribution of funds to our student chapter activities at Lawrence Institute of Technology. We deeply appreciate your demonstration of faith in our work.

Already you have helped two students, SC/AIA President Gary Karp and fifth-year candidate Pat Ankney, to attend this year's ASC/AIA Forum 1978 held in Sun Valley, Idaho from Nov. 21 through the 27th.

You have also made possible the initiation of plans for physical improvements in "The Cellar", our on-campus office/lounge, including display space and the development of a magazine library for general student use. Our treasurer will make a report to you toward the end of our program year. Again, our most sincere thanks.

Gary Karp, President SC/AIA
Lloyd LeZotte, Vice President SC/AIA

MSA . . . NEWS BEAT

NEW LEADERS AT THE HELMS

SOCIETY & CHAPTERS SELECT OFFICERS FOR 1979

With 1979 comes the installation of new officers for Michigan Society of Architects and the Society's eight chapters around the state. (AT THE TIME OF PUBLICATION, ELECTION RESULTS WERE NOT AVAILABLE FOR THE FOLLOWING CHAPTERS: Flint Area Chapter and Mid-Michigan Chapter. Results for these Chapters will be in the February BULLETIN.)

MICHIGAN SOCIETY OF ARCHITECTS

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Asken; Treasurer, John Jickling; Directors, Michael Callahan, Gretchen Minnhaar, Thomas Schmidt, Denis Schmiedeke, Harold Van Dine, Bob Fearon and Ted Kurz; Regional Director AIA, Paul Bowers.

DETROIT CHAPTER

President, Virginia Pinnell; Vice President/President Elect, Carl Pirscher; Secretary, Bob D'Alessandro; Treasurer, James Pfaendtner; Chapter Directors, Lou Goldstein, Ted Kurz, Sanford Rossen and Dennis King; Chapter Representatives to MSA Board of Directors, Ted Kurz, Harold Van Dine, Jim Kinville, John Jickling, and Robert Fearon.

GRAND VALLEY CHAPTER

President, Willis Andrews; Vice President/President Elect, James Shane; Secretary, Robert Reid; Treasurer, James Van Hekken; Chapter Directors, Carl Zillmer and Donald Fritz; and MSA Director, Gretchen Minnhaar.

HURON VALLEY CHAPTER

President, Richard Fry; Vice President/President Elect, Richard Reinhold; Secretary, Tom Martone; Treasurer, William Farrand; Past President, Mike McKelvey; Chapter Directors, David Milling, John Wacksmuth, and J.D. Phillips; and MSA Director, Denis Schmiedeke.

NORTHERN MICHIGAN CHAPTER

President, Ken Skay; Vice President/President Elect, George Moutsatson; Secretary, Gary Olson; Treasurer, Bob Sommerville; Chapter Director, Timothy Holt; and MSA Director, Michael Callahan.

SAGINAW VALLEY CHAPTER

President, Joseph M. Sobczak; Vice President, Peter B. Frantz; Secretary, John T. Dye; Treasurer, Robert W. Hammerschmidt; and MSA Director, Thomas H. Schmidt.

WESTERN MICHIGAN CHAPTER

President, Jerry Klingele; Vice President, David K. Pyle; Secretary, Norm Hamann; Treasurer, Earl Fraizer; Chapter Directors, Derwin H. Bass and Bill Hamill, Jr.; and MSA Director, Evie Asken.

MSA VOTES NEW FIRM DUES STRUCTURE FOR 1979

In order to make firm dues equitable for all firms MSA has voted to adopt a Mandatory Supplemental Dues System as opposed to a voluntary process. The new firm dues schedule will be effective for 1979 dues and will exactly parallel the present National AIA Supplemental Dues Schedule. The difference lies only in the actual dues amounts specified.

MSA will levy only \$50.00 for each registered architect in the firm and will REBATE \$25.00 for each registered architect in the firm who is a member of MSA. The total re-

venue yield to MSA from these dues is designed and projected to be comparable to that presently obtained by the voluntary firm membership procedure.

The subject of firm membership in MSA has been under scrutiny for well over two years. The change was prompted because the number and cost of services rendered by MSA which directly benefit firms has grown significantly. Under the "old" dues system only 60 per cent of the state's firms were funding programs and services which were benefiting all firms. The "new" dues structure will make firm dues more equitable for all firms in the state.

MSA members are invited to send any comments IN WRITING to Evie Asken, MSA Secretary, 1615 W. Center Street, Kalamazoo, Michigan, 49002.

"DESIGN FOR THE HANDICAPPED" FEATURED IN CONTINUING EDUCATION WORKSHOP SERIES

After a short break for the holidays - the very successful Continuing Education Workshop series gets underway once again with its next program scheduled for January 20 on "Design for the Handicapped" at Lawrence Institute of Technology, 9-12 noon. The series is sponsored by the Detroit Chapter AIA, the Producers Council of Michigan and LIT. Cost is \$6 per session.

Other programs include: Application of Energy Standards in Buildings, February 17; Interior Design and Space Planning, March 17; and Design for Glass Holding Members, Sealants and Glazing Systems, April 21. Register in advance by writing to J.P. Shoup, 21411 Civic Center Dr., Mark Plaza, Suite 307, Southfield, Michigan 48076, or phone 313/353-0966.

ETHICS CHAIRMAN EXPLAINS CODE OF ETHICS

One of our members has asked for an interpretation of the Code of Ethics with regard to the following question: "Does stock ownership in a building products company, or serving on the board of directors of such a company, constitute unethical or illegal practice or a conflict of interest?"

With regard to the AIA Code of Ethics the answer appears to be that it IS NOT unethical to be a stockholder in a building products company or serve in an advisory or management capacity. I have discussed this question with Tom Bennet's office at AIA headquarters in Washington. In my opinion there are several provisos:

(1) Serving on a board must not imply endorsement of a building product or system. Rule 205 covering this question seems to be otherwise permissive. (2) New Rule 406b cautions that references to AIA membership shall not be used to imply a professional relationship or otherwise mislead the public. (3) New Rule 407 states that a member shall not have a significant financial interest that might compromise his professional judgement. The question as to what is "significant" is not defined.

Taken together the rules in the current Code of Ethics appear to allow a member to own stock in and participate in the management of building products company providing that in his professional practice his judgement is not compromised. The Michigan Registration Act does not cover conflicts of interest or ethics except that the Board has the power to revoke the certificate of any registrant found guilty (by the Board) of gross negligence, incompetency or misconduct.

John Jickling, Chairman
MSA Ethics Committee

ARCHITECTS-IN-TRAINING SHOULD JOIN MSA/IDP

Intern architects who have a professional degree in architecture from an accredited school or have been qualified to take the State Board of Registration's Qualifying Examination should consider enrolling in MSA's "INTERN DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM". There's no better way to complete the training period...than IDP.

WHAT IS "IDP"? - IDP is a structured program of EXPERIENCE. The program was developed by the National Council of Architecture Registration Boards (NCARB) and the AIA. The program includes a range of experiences that will help in qualifying for the professional examination.

HOW TO ENROLL

Write to NCARB, 1735 New York Avenue, N.W., Suite 700, Washington, D.C. 20006, telephone 202/659-3996 and request enrollment forms. For additional information contact the local AIA chairman listed below or contact the MSA Office, 553 E. Jefferson, Detroit, MI 48226, 313/965-4100. A \$10.00 application fee to NCARB is required for furnishing complete information, application forms and instructions.

WHAT IS REQUIRED?

The Intern should have a sponsor who is a responsible person in the firm where the Intern is employed. Note that the Intern does not have to be employed by an architectural firm to qualify for the IDP Program. The Intern will also require an advisor who is an AIA member (outside of Intern employer's office) appointed by local chapter. The advisor will provide career advice during internship training period.

MSA/IDP COMMITTEE REPRESENTATIVES

Detroit Chapter: Joe Fleshner, 313/643-0200
Flint Chapter: Auldin Nelson, 517/753-3401
Grand Valley Chapter: Jim Van Hekken,
616/363-9007
Huron Valley Chapter: Dick Reinholdt
313/668-6700
Mid-Michigan (to be announced)
Northern Michigan Chapter: Jim Offenhauer
616-946-7116
Saginaw Valley Chapter: Art Nelson
517/799-5211
Western Michigan Chapter: Richard Cole
616/345-2145

MID-MICH. HAS "BETTER COMMUNICATIONS" SEMINAR

Improving the lines of communication between architects and specifiers on the one hand and the masonry industry on the other is the goal of an afternoon seminar to be held Wednesday, January 10, at the Hospitality Inn, 1-496 at Jolly Road, Lansing. The topic of the program is "Better Communications". For reservations contact Mike Parisian, Standard Block and Supply, 4724 Aurelius Road, Lansing, Michigan 48910.



THIRD THURSDAYS IN SECOND SUCCESSFUL YEAR

"Third Thursday" gatherings were started about a year ago to provide an opportunity for members to stop at the Beaubien House for a little refreshment and conversation with whomever happens to wander in. All MSA members are most welcome. If you are traveling in from around the state we will be pleased to arrange hotel reservations if you need them, or suggest a good spot for dinner in Detroit. The March 15 Third Thursday will host an exhibition of paintings by Gretchen Minnhaar of Grand Rapids. If you plan to attend a Third Thursday please call 313/965-4100. Following are the Third Thursday dates for the year.

January 18	July 19
February 15	August 16
March 15	September 20
April 19	October 18
May 17	November 15
June 21	December 20

ARCHITECTS IN MICHIGAN PUT ON RECORD

A card index file of architects working in Michigan from 1820-1930 has been compiled by the Historic Sites Office. The information was taken from office files of structures or districts listed on the National Register and State Historic Sites list. The cards were arranged by name of architect (or carpenter, builder, engineer, contractor, delineator), firm name or associates. A duplicate card was prepared for each associate and cross-filed.

The cards also give information about the historic and common name of the building, its location, dates and present condition. In three months, 3,000 entries and 700 names were recorded. Now, new designations are listed entered directly into this architect file. Contact Kathryn B. Eckert, Supervisor, Historic Sites Research Unit, Michigan History Division, 208 North Capitol, Lansing, Michigan 48918.

NEA TO REDUCE U.S. ENERGY CONSUMPTION; GRANT DOLLARS GO FOR ENERGY IMPROVEMENTS

Through the National Energy Act \$800,000 will be available for Technical Assistance Grants and \$7.5 million for Energy Conservation Improvements effective this year. New construction is not included under this program.

Grants must be matched dollar-for-dollar with local funds, but schools and hospitals will be allowed to use in-kind contributions, such as building materials on hand and salaries of personnel, to make up all or part of their required matching funds. The program has two phases: (1) mini energy audits and (2) Technical Assistance and Project Grants.

The first phase involves grants being given to each state for mini energy audits to assess the need for energy conservation measures. A facility must complete this audit before it can become eligible for technical assistance.

TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE GRANTS. These grants will fund a detailed engineering analysis of an eligible building to determine its energy conservation potential. A qualified architect or engineer would make a thorough study of the building's operating systems, energy use patterns, and historical fuel consumption.

PROJECT GRANTS. These grants will fund physical modifications of a building, including insulation, heat recovery measures, storm windows, lighting retrofits, boiler conversions or modifications, control systems, and other energy conservation measures.

If you have questions about the grants contact the Energy Administration, Michigan Department of Commerce, 517/373-7543.

CSI HOSTS TWO-DAY SEMINAR IN DETROIT

The Detroit Chapter CSI (Construction Specifications Institute) will host a seminar on "Using CSI Division I in Construction Contract Documents" January 12 and 13 at the Hotel Pontchartrain, Detroit.

Using CSI Division I master guide specifications, this seminar offers an opportunity for practicing specification writers, design professionals, contractors, and others concerned with preparation, interpretation, or enforcement of project manual and bidding requirement documentation, to improve their knowledge of the CSI concept and the function and organization of CSI Division I - General

Requirements. The seminar will be presented by Ben F. Greenwood and Robert E. Vansant, both former CSI Presidents. For additional information call CSI, 313/588-6200.

LIT OFFERS "STRUCTURAL MASONRY DESIGN" COURSE

Thanks in large part to the efforts of the Masonry Institute of Michigan, a course in structural masonry design is now being offered by the School of Architecture at Lawrence Institute of Technology (LIT). LIT is one of a few colleges in the nation offering such a class.

The four-credit course is designed for senior-level students. It is also open to practicing architects, structural engineers and construction industry professionals interested in learning the latest theories in masonry design. In addition to structural design, the course covers properties of masonry materials. For additional information call 313/356-0200.

DESIGN MAGAZINE PLANS LIGHTING SEMINAR

Abe Feder, America's best-known and most respected lighting authority, will conduct a special two-day Lighting Seminar Workshop in New York on February 22 and 23, at the Fashion Institute of Technology Auditorium. Cost of the program is \$295.00 and advance registration is suggested.

This program, under the sponsorship of Interior Design Magazine, has been developed to give architects and interior designers the answers to the many lighting problems they face in both contract and residential work. For further information call Virginia Evans, 212/593-2100.

SLIDES OF ARCHITECTURAL OFFICES NEEDED

MSA Headquarters is currently collecting slides of architectural offices - including interior and exterior views. If your firm has't submitted slides yet - do it today. MSA will be glad to pay for duplicates. The pictures will be used for "Table Top Shows" at Career Days, CSI/PC/AIA Conventions, Board Meetings and other Society functions. Please mail slides by February 1, 1979 to Don Topolsky, Beaubien House, 553 E. Jefferson, Detroit, MI. 48226.

OPPORTUNITY IS KNOCKING . . .

YOUR CHANCE TO MOVE AHEAD IN ARCHITECTURE BY JOINING A DETROIT CHAPTER COMMITTEE TODAY

The Detroit Chapter seeks broader participation on all its committees and cordially invites members who are not involved to become active. So that you can make an informed choice, a brief description of each committee is listed below. Please indicate your preference by checking the blank, filling out the form, and returning it to Detroit Chapter/AIA, 553 East Jefferson, Detroit, Michigan 48226. Your fellow members look forward to your active participation.

DETROIT CHAPTER COMMITTEE APPLICATION

Name Phone

Firm Name

Address City/State

Name of Committee you want to join.

AIA Prof. Affl. Assoc. Date

PLEASE RETURN BY JANUARY 15, 1979 to Beaubien
House, 553 E. Jefferson, Detroit, MI 48226.

ARCHITECTS SUNDAY functions as a catalyst
for community awareness of architecture and
architects through the execution of public
tours in buildings and spaces of significant
design.

EXHIBITS. With our own display system the
opportunity to have exhibits is ever present..
...join the group and help promote our
profession.

PUBLIC EDUCATION promotes architecture to
the public by providing speakers when requested
and coordinating the High School Design
Competition.

CELEBRATION 79 will plan a series of events
for the "Celebration of Architecture", cul-
minated by a Ball, Beaux Arts variety. Be in
on the planning of these festivities.

URBAN DESIGN. The changing picture of
Metro Detroit needs the influence and concern
of our profession.

HISTORIC RESOURCES. Federal programs have
made the work of this committee more vital to
our members. This year's emphasis will be on
securing restoration grants.

HOUSE TOUR. The 1978 House Tour was highly
successful....we can make money and promote the
Chapter too. Make the 79 Tour even better thru
more participation.

PUBLIC RELATIONS will promote our Chapter
activities and accomplishments thru the media.
Responsible for keeping architecture and archi-
tects in the public eye.

BYLAWS will review our bylaws and recom-
mend revisions necessary to operate more
efficiently.

MEMBERSHIP. Responsible for new member
recruitment.

STUDENT AFFAIRS helps architectural stu-
dents become familiar with AIA. Responds to
requests for career oriented talks on college
campuses by practicing architects.

PUBLICATIONS & GRAPHICS will develop gra-
phics for promotion of committee and Chapter
activities. Will review Detroit Chapter cov-
erage in MSA Bulletin.

CHAPTER MEETINGS. Plans and coordinates
regular meetings and programs, including the
annual meeting and election, and other social
and business meetings during the year.

CONTINUING EDUCATION/IDP plans, markets
and implements Continuing Education Programs.
Establishes and coordinates the AIA Intern
Development Program.

ARCHITECTS IN INDUSTRY shares information
and experiences between architectural personnel
working in industry and those in private prac-
tice. Communicates with AIA National Committee
and develops programs for Chapter members.

HONOR AWARDS BANQUET plans and manages the
awards presentations and recognition ceremonies.
Will develop a format that will maximize pub-
lic recognition of design achievement.

NEW REGISTRANTS RECEPTION plans and coor-
dinates the annual presentation of certificates
to newly registered architects in the Detroit
Chapter area.

YOU CAN HELP DESIGN

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT SEMINARS

FOR 1979 MSA CONVENTION

REQUEST FOR MEMBER INPUT. Quite a few
MSA members attended the "Professional Devel-
opment Seminars" presented over a three day
period at the 1978 MSA Convention in Kalama-
zoo. We believe that the successful turnout
could be even greater if the MSA membership is
allowed to determine its needs and interests.

If you will help complete this survey you
will help us determine the Professional Devel-
opment Seminars to be offered at the 1979 con-
vention. The information will also be util-
ized by Staff in planning programs through
the year.

TAKE A FEW MINUTES TO CHECK OFF THE SUB-
JECTS OF GREATEST INTEREST TO YOU. CUT IT
OUT AND SEND IT TO:

Don Topolsky, Editor
553 East Jefferson
Detroit, Michigan 48226

MANY THANKS!

INSTRUCTIONS:

(1) Each of the topics listed for your consideration is a potential subject for a Professional Development Seminar at the 1979 MSA Convention in Lansing. Each can also be a MSA Continuing Education Program available to all MSA members through chapters.

(2) Each Professional Development Seminar will last about two hours. So, it is important that the selections truly reflect your needs.

1979 MSA CONVENTION SEMINARS

NOTE: SELECT SIX IN ORDER OF CURRENT INTEREST.

☐ BARRIER FREE DESIGN
☐ BUILDING CODES & STANDARDS
☐ COMMERCIAL BUILDINGS
☐ COMMUNICATIONS
☐ COMPETITIVE BIDDING
☐ CONSTRUCTION COST ESTIMATING
☐ DESIGN/BUILD
☐ EARTH COVERED STRUCTURES
☐ EDUCATION FACILITIES
☐ ENERGY AUDITS AND RETROFIT
☐ ENERGY DESIGN
☐ FACILITIES FOR THE ARTS
☐ FEASIBILITY STUDIES
☐ FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT
☐ FIRE AND LIFE SAFETY
☐ HEALTH FACILITIES
☐ HOUSING
☐ INDUSTRIAL FACILITIES
☐ INTERIOR DESIGN
☐ INTERNATIONAL PRACTICE
☐ JUSTICE FACILITIES
☐ LAND DEVELOPMENT

WRITE-IN PREFERENCES

(3) Please identify the SIX programs of greatest interest to you. Use numbers to identify your priorities - "1" for your top choice, "2" for the next, and so on through your top six convention program choices. If you wish, write in one--repeat, one--personal choice which is not listed.

(4) When you have indicated your six top program preferences, and have added your write-in preference, if any, simply cut it out and mail to address given above.

☐ LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE
☐ LIFE CYCLE COST
☐ MARKETING
☐ MATERIALS RESEARCH & SELECTION
☐ PASSIVE SOLAR DESIGN
☐ PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT
☐ PLANNING
☐ POST CONSTRUCTION EVALUATION
☐ PRESERVATION
☐ PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY
☐ PROFESSIONAL TAXES
☐ PROGRAMMING
☐ PROJECT FINANCING
☐ PROJECT MANAGEMENT
☐ PROJECT SCHEDULING
☐ PUBLIC RELATIONS
☐ SEISMIC DESIGN
☐ SITE ANALYSIS AND SELECTION
☐ SOLAR COLLECTOR APPLICATIONS
☐ URBAN DESIGN
☐ WATER INFILTRATION

ATTENDING THE MSA CONVENTION IN LANSING

OCTOBER 17-19, 1979: NOTE: CHECK ONE ONLY.

☐ YES...I DO PLAN TO ATTEND THE CONVENTION.

☐ NOPE...I HAVE NO PLANS TO ATTEND.

☐ MAYBE...IF TIME PERMITS, I MIGHT BE THERE.

AGAIN, MANY THANKS FOR YOUR HELP

(Please mail in survey by January 31, 1979)

ARCHITECTS BOOKSTORE BOOK REVIEWS

. EXECUTIVE'S GUIDE TO OFFICE LEASING
by Bernard Schulak, AIA (17.50).

The author Bernard Schulak is a MSA member with a firm in Bloomfield Hills, Bernard Schulak & Associates. Reading his book may well insure your economic survival. This workbook flags danger areas; details step by step solutions to problems most often encountered; and focuses on how to analyze, negotiate, and write an office lease including: rent adjustment, space options, work letter, building rules, and a complete detailed air-condition and janitorial specification.

. THE NEW DOWNTOWNS: REBUILDING BUSINESS DISTRICTS by Louis G. Redstone, FAIA (26.50).

Michigan architect Louis G. Redstone, an MSA Gold Medal winner (1978), has put together an exceptional book with excellent illustrations. If you are concerned with rescuing and revitalizing the deteriorating central city, you'll find this not only an inspiring book, but more important, a practical blueprint for action. The heart of the book is an extensive section devoted to significant case studies.

. INTERIOR SPACES DESIGNED BY ARCHITECTS
by Barclay F. Gordon (32.50).

Today, more and more architects are involved in interior design. Here, in this one volume, are some of the best, most recent examples of interior architectural design as presented in photographs, drawings, specifications and descriptions as shown in Architectural Record. All together, they constitute a visual and analytical definition of Interiors (1968-1973) and present fresh, striking imaginative ideas for both new and renovative construction.

. PLANNING JERUSALEM by Arleh Sharon (27.50).

This book offers the Townplanning Scheme for the future of the Old City of Jerusalem and its environs. It allows the reader to consider Jerusalem of the future. The purpose of the Townplanning Scheme is to preserve and honor the past, the events, cultures, and even personalities that have created the Old City and whose influence prevails to the present. Illustrated with 71 full-color maps; 175 black and white photographs. Beautifully done.

ARCHITECTS BOOKSTORE HAS BOOKS JUST FOR YOU

Books mentioned in the Book Review section are available in the Architects Bookstore located in the Beau-bien House, 553 East Jefferson, in downtown Detroit. Come in and look over our stock. If we don't have what you want - we can order it for you. Bookstore hours are 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday thru Friday or phone 313/965-4100.

. ARABIA FELIX: A LAND OF BUILDERS by Paolo M. Costa and Ennio Vicario (30.00).

This book is about Yemen, the country ancient Romans called "Arabia Felix" - Happy Arabia. Yemen is a city of ancient mosques, dams, fortifications and ancient inscriptions. It is a city kept alive through an uninter-rupted tradition. Archaeologist Costa and photographer Vicario, a team combining his-torical understanding and technical expertise, have collaborated on this splendid book that takes the reader on a unique journey into the past.

OBITUARIES

URBAN WOODHOUSE, RETIRED ARCHITECT

Urban U. Woodhouse, 71, retired President of the Dearborn architectural firm Benjamin, Woodhouse & Guenther, died November 23 in Clearwater, Fla., where he had lived during the winter months for several years.

Woodhouse retired from the firm five years ago. He was a member of AIA, the Engineering Society of Detroit and the Michigan Association of Professions. Surviving are his wife, Cecelia; three daughters, Mrs. Cecile W. Di-

Placido, Mrs. Jane W. Hooper and Mrs. Allison W. Burleigh, and nine grandchildren.

CHARLES VOGEL, RETIRED ARCHITECT

Charles J. Vogel, 88, retired from the firm of Vogel and Fortney of Detroit, died November 22 in Detroit. Vogel practiced architecture all of his adult life - and started working his way up as an office boy with Albert Kahn Associates, Inc. He is survived by a son, William of Detroit, and a daughter, Barbara Toaz of Grand Ledge.

CLASSIFIED

HELP WANTED

HOUSING PROJECT MANAGER

The Flint Neighborhood Improvement and Preservation Project Inc., a non-profit housing corporation, is seeking a Project Manager for a historic district preservation project and also for related housing rehabilitation/main-tenance programs. Candidates must have good project management skills, familiarity with historic properties, and strong orientation toward relationships with diverse neighborhood groups. Bachelor Degree in Urban Planning, Business Administration, or a closely related field required. Three years of experience in applicable housing programs and citizen participation also needed. Salary: \$17,750. Send resume to: Executive Director/Flint NIPP Inc., 1206 South Saginaw Street, Flint, MI 48502.

SENIOR INTERN ARCHITECT

Senior Intern Architect coordinator of projects, from design concepts thru completion documents.

Architect's Office Downtown Detroit. Equal Opportunity Employer. Contact: Roger Margerum, Inc., Architects (313/964-4141), 232 W. Grand River (at Washington Blvd.).

ARCHITECTURAL DRAFTSMAN

Architectural Draftsman: Position open for experienced draftsman, able to work alone, with small firm doing primarily commercial work. Salary commensurate with qualifications. Send resume to Laitala-Freeman-Smith-Fowler, Architects, Inc., 3850 Capital City Boulevard, Lansing, Michigan 48906. Or call (517) 323-3700.

MISC.

FOR LEASE

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GRAPEVINE

Gunnar Birkerts just returned from serving on the AIA National Honor Awards Jury in Washington, D.C. and is off again to lecture at the University of Texas in Austin.....Charles W. Maltby has joined the Kalamazoo firm of Diekema/Hamann, Architects, Inc. as a project architect specializing in educational building design.....University of Michigan Architecture Professor Reginald Malcolmson is among the 20 authors/signers of a new "Statement of the Principles of Contemporary Architecture" who were given special recognition at the International Union of Architects 13th Congress recently in Mexico City.....Grand Haven architect Robert H. Amor presented a lecture recently on "Workshop and Architecture" during the city's "Celebration of Religious Art, Music and Architecture".....Stewart S. Kissinger has been given Member Emeritus status in the AIA.....Harold Radin is at a new address - R-H Associates Architects, 29621 Northwestern Hwy., Suite C, Southfield, MI 48034, 313/661-1071.. J. Scott Hester has joined the firm of Ford & Earl Design Associates, Inc......Fredrick Kuhn has joined the Interior Design Department of Ford & Earl Design Associates.....Mike Micuda has a new address - Micuda Associates, Suite 909, Pontiac State Bank Building, Pontiac, Mich. 48058, 313/332-1455..... An excellent article was written about Tom Winkle and the Detroit Chapter High School Design Contest in the education section of the AIA Journal.....The following "Chapter Achievers" received Certificates of Appreciation at the Detroit Chapter Honor Awards Banquet: Kevin Rafigan for his exhibits...Charles McCrary for Architects Sunday...Al Unger for the

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Architects House Tour...and Phil Nicholas for R/UDAT...Certificates of Appreciation were also presented to the following retiring Detroit Chapter Board members: Keith Sipperley...Dan Redstone...and Hideo Fujii.....Certificates of Appreciation were given to the following retiring MSA Board members: Hideo Fujii.....Carl Pirscher...and Bernard Mayotte.....Mary and Peter Albertson have a new daughter, Laurie, born October 7.

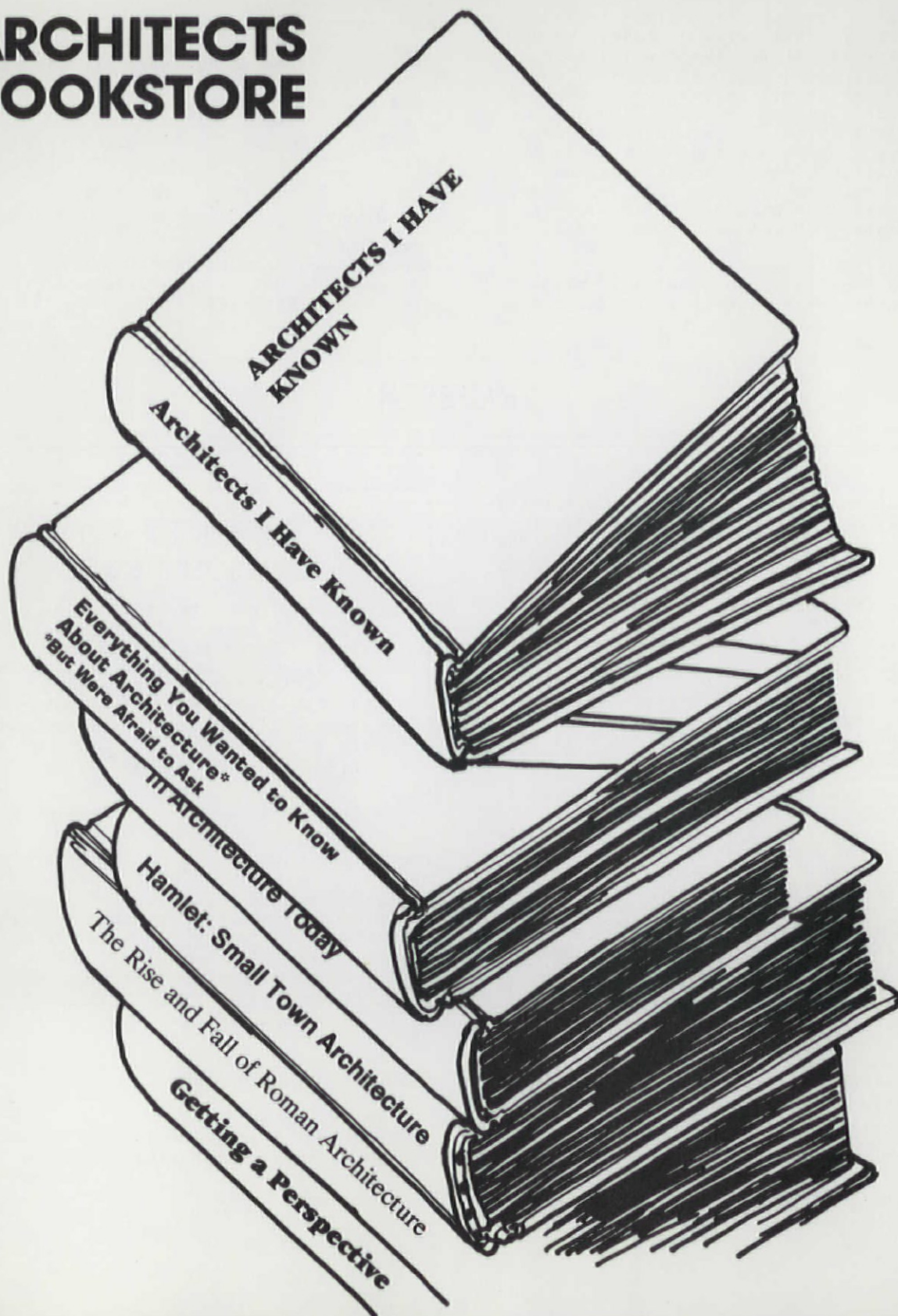
CORRECTION TO GRAPEVINE

Joe Vargo and Roger Mann are architectural consultants. Both were incorrectly referred to in the November "Grapevine" as being in association with Ned Apiglan, Architect/Community Planner/Urban Planner.

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JANUARY

- 8-12 Concrete Technician Certification Pre-Course, Lansing Community College.
- 10 Mid-Michigan Chapter co-sponsors seminar on "Better Communications", Hospitality Inn, 1-496 at Jolly Road, Lansing.
- 11-13 AIA Grassroots/Washington, D.C.
- 16 University of Detroit Drawing Board Lecture: John Johansen, New York architect, on his own work, 6 p.m.
- 16 Concrete Technician Certification Examination, Lansing Community College.
- 17 Michigan Board of Registration for Architects meets in regular session (open to public), 10 a.m., 808 Southland Ave., Lansing, Small Conf. Rm.
- 18 Third Thursday Beaubien House Open House, 5 p.m. Refreshments.
- 19 "Historical View of Art in Architecture" with Michael Farrell, Art Historian, Birmingham/Bloomfield Art Assoc., 1516 S. Cranbrook Rd., Bhm., MI, 8 p.m.
- 20 AIA/PC Continuing Education Workshop, "Design for the Handicapped", LIT, 9-12 noon.
- 20 Masonry Institute Awards Banquet, Dearborn Inn, 6:30 p.m.
- 23 Lawrence Institute of Technology Lecture: Denis Schmiedeke, LIT School of Architecture Assoc. Prof., "Heritage of the Recent Past", 12 noon.
- 23 Women's Architectural League: Detroit Institute of Arts "The Second Empire: Art in France Under Napoleon III".
- 29 University of Detroit Drawing Board Lecture: John Lobell, Coordinator for History and Theory, Pratt Institute, N.Y., "The Philadelphia School", 6 p.m.
- 31 Lawrence Institute of Technology Lecture: Kathy & Michael McCoy, Cranbrook Educational Community Designers, on "Design Projects," 6 p.m.

FEBRUARY

- 13 Detroit Chapter CSI "Annual Building Products Fair", Livonia Roma Hall, 4-9 p.m.
- 13 LIT Lecture: David Osler on "Design From a Small Office", 12 noon.

14-17

"1979 Exhibition of School Architecture" at the Annual Convention of the American Assoc. of School Administrators, New Orleans.

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Third Thursday Beaubien House Open House, 5 p.m. Refreshments.

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"The Creative Artist and The Sponsor" with Glen Michaels, Artist, Birmingham/Bloomfield Art Assoc., 1516 S. Cranbrook Rd., Bhm., MI, 8 p.m.

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AIA/PC Continuing Education Workshop, "Application of Energy Standards in Buildings", LIT, 9-12 noon, \$6.

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Women's Architectural League - Activity to be announced.

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Michigan Board of Registration for Architects meets in regular session (open to public), 10 a.m., 808 Southland Ave., Lansing, Hearing Room.

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University of Detroit Drawing Board Lecture: Alan Colquhoun of Polytechnic, Central London, 6 p.m.

MARCH

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Health Facilities Planning Seminar, Park Place Motor Inn, East State and Park Streets, Traverse City.

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Third Thursday Beaubien House Open House, 5 p.m. Refreshments.

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AIA/PC Continuing Education Workshop, "Interior Design and Space Planning", LIT, 9-12 noon.

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University of Detroit Drawing Board Lecture: Ulrich Frazen, New York architect, 6 p.m.

20

Women's Architectural League: History and Demonstration of Spinning. Home of Betty Dengate, Blm. Hills.

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"The Architect-His Aesthetics and His Craft" with Gino Rossetti, Birmingham/Bloomfield Art Assoc., 1516 S. Cranbrook Rd., Bhm., MI, 8 p.m.

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Detroit Chapter AIA High School Design Competition ENTRIES DUE.

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LIT Lecture: Christopher Wzacny on "Cities & Architecture," 6 p.m.

APRIL

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LIT Lecture: Gunnar Birkerts on "Philosophy of Architecture", 12 noon.

- 19 Third Thursday Beaubien House Open House, 5 p.m. Refreshments.
- 21 AIA/PC Continuing Education Workshop, "Design for Glass Holding Members, Sealants and Glazing Systems", LIT, 9-12 noon.
- 24 Women's Architectural League: Detroit Institute of Arts "Noguchi's Imaginary Landscapes," Election of Officers.
- 25 "Form Follows Function: Why Modern Architecture Hasn't Worked", Peter Blake, Critic/Architect from Boston at Detroit Institute of Arts, 8 p.m.
- 26 "Noguchi's Imaginary Landscapes", Benjamin Forgey, Art/Architecture Critic, Washington Star, at Detroit Institute of Arts, 8 p.m.
- 27 Annual Professional Liability Course/ Detroit.
- 27 "The Grand Rapids Sculpture Project" with Ron Watson, Sculptor, & Connie Oosting, Project Coordinator, Birmingham/Bloomfield Art Assoc., 1516 S. Cranbrook Rd., Bhm., MI, 8 p.m.
- 28 Detroit Chapter AIA High School Design Competition Awards Banquet, LIT, 12 noon.

MAY

- 5 Women's Architectural League: Square Dance - Couple's Night.
- 15 Women's Architectural League: "Spring Luncheon", home of Donna Rossetti, Grosse Pointe Park.
- 16 Michigan Board of Registration for Architects meets in regular session (open to public), 10 a.m., 808 Southland Ave., Lansing, Hearing Room.

- 17 Third Thursday Beaubien House Open House, 5 p.m. Refreshments.

JUNE

- 3-7 1979 ANNUAL AIA CONVENTION, Kansas City, Missouri - "THE CELEBRATION OF ARCHITECTURE."
- 21 Third Thursday Beaubien House Open House, 5 p.m. Refreshments.

AUGUST

- 2,3,4 MSA Mid-Summer Conference, Grand Hotel, Mackinac Island.
- 15 Michigan Board of Registration for Architects meets in regular session (open to public), 10 a.m., 808 Southland Ave., Lansing, Sml. Conf. Rm.
- 16 Third Thursday Beaubien House Open House, 5 p.m. Refreshments.

OCTOBER

- 17 Michigan Board of Registration for Architects meets in regular session (open to public), 10 a.m., 808 Southland Ave., Lansing, Hearing Room.
- 17-19 MSA ANNUAL CONVENTION (64th), Long's of Lansing Banquet and Convention Center, Lansing, Michigan.
- 18 Third Thursday Beaubien House Open House, 5 p.m. Refreshments.

NOVEMBER

- 15 Third Thursday Beaubien House Open House, 5 p.m. Refreshments.
- 21 Michigan Board of Registration for Architects meets in regular session (open to public), 10 a.m., 808 Southland Ave., Lansing, Hearing Room.