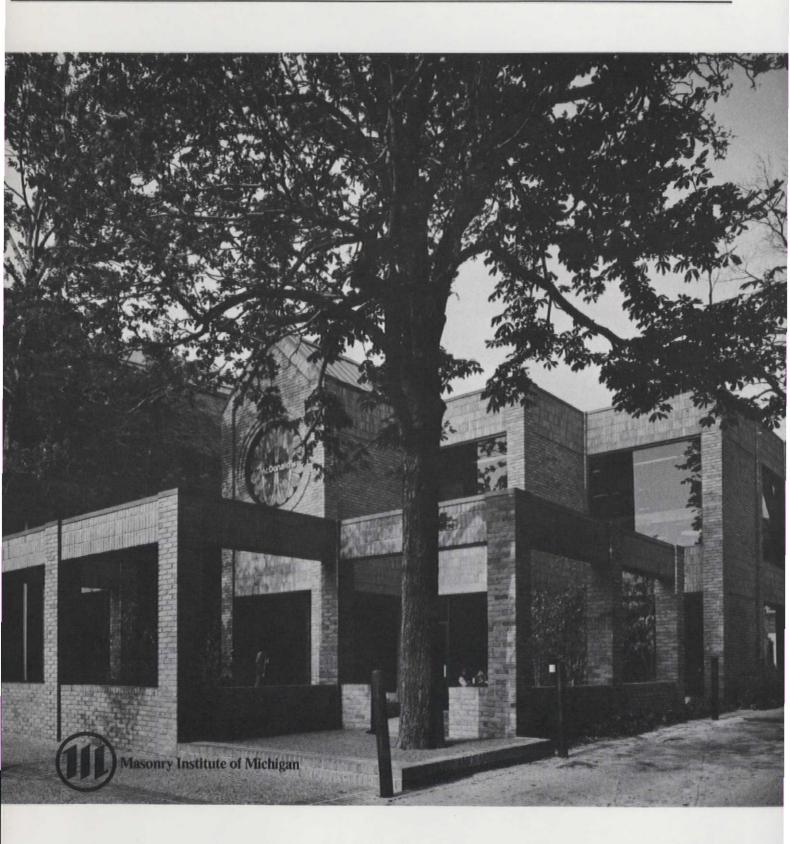


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1978 M AWARDS

HOBBS + BLACK ASSOCIATES HONORED FOR McDONALD'S RESTAURANT MASONRY DESIGN

The two-story McDonald's Restaurant in down-town Ann Arbor has earned for Hobbs + Black Associates, Inc., Ann Arbor, a 1978 "M Award" for excellence of masonry design. The restaurant, located at 337 Maynard within a block of the University of Michigan's central campus, was designed in brick to complement the many historically - and architecturally - significant buildings that surround it. "The owner's commitment to respond to the historical needs of the area is evidenced by the extensive use of brick for interior and exterior walls, for courtyard walls, and as a paving element," said Richard Black, AIA, the project architect.

The exterior loadbearing walls are 4-inch brick, a 2-inch grouted cavity, and 4-inch brick. Steel columns used to support the center of the building are also clad in brick. Soldier coursing is used to enhance the courtyard wall, the stained glass second floor window and the roof peak above it, and other window areas (which utilize bronze tinted glass in bronze aluminum frames). The building was completed in 1976.

In all, four architects and their projects were honored in this fourth annual "M Awards" program, sponsored by the Masonry Institute of Michigan in cooperation with the Michigan Society of Architects. They were selected by a jury of Minneapolis architects, co-chaired by David J. Bennett, AlA, and Edward Frennette, AlA.

The entry box for the 1979 program will open soon. Watch your mail for the official rules and entry form.

JURY COMMENTS

"....a sensitive integration of geometry, scale and material....creates a transition from street to building which is an invitation to enter and explore....a quantum leap in the improvement of the architectural design of fast-food restaurants and their integration into surrounding neighborhoods."



MSA . . . NEWS BEAT

YOUR NEWS COUNTS IF IT'S IN THE BULLETIN

Those readers who wish to contribute newsworthy items for the July Issue of the MSA BULLETIN should forward them to Don Topolsky, Editor, Beaubien House, 553 East Jefferson, Detroit, Michigan 48226, or call 313/965-4100. July deadline is June II.

MSA WELCOMES NEW MEMBERS

New AlA/MSA members from the Detroit Chapter are: Lawrence R. Ancypa, Kenneth F. Evangelista, Robert E. Guenther, Michael L. McGunn, Mark A. McPherson, John E. Rectenwald, Gerald J. Sienkiewicz, Robert A. Valentine, David G. Von Oeyen, and Anthony V. Savoni (Associate). From other Chapter areas new members include: Jerry Lee Bernath (AlA-Mid-Michigan); Masaru D. Tatebe (AlA) and David L. Roth (AlA-Grand Valley); Daniel A. Nobbe (Associate) and David F. Dombroski (AlA-Huron Valley); Robert L. Holdeman (AlA-Northern Michigan); and Roger D. Meintz (AlA-Western Michigan).

SITES OF AIA NATIONAL CONVENTIONS

1980 - Cincinnati 1981 - Minneapolis 1982 - New York City 1983 - New Orleans 1984 - Phoenix

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UPPER PENINSULA BECOMES NINTH MSA CHAPTER; CHARTER NIGHT PARTY SLATED FOR JUNE 21

Gene Terrill, MSA President, has announced that the National AIA Board has officially sanctioned the Upper Peninsula Chapter as the ninth MSA/AIA chapter in Michigan. The UP area was formerly part of the Northern Michigan Chapter. The new Chapter is planning a "Charter Night Party" June 21 in Marquette for members, MSA Board of Directors, National AIA officers, and special guests. Part of the evening will be devoted to a presentation on "Historic Buildings in the Marquette Area".

"Charter" officers for the Upper Peninsula Chapter are: Robert C. Stow, President; James Jensen, Vice President; John Weting, Secretary; and Lincoln A. Poley, Treasurer.

The UP Chapter's immediate objectives, Stow explained, include increasing the awareness of architects and architecture in the UP, and the establishing of a voice for architects in the UP. The first major program the Chapter has undertaken is the Celebration of Architecture Competition. Plans call for an exhibit of Competition finalists during Charter Night Party.

"Charter" members include: Norman G. Arntzen, James Blomquist, Dean Dishnow, Fritz Dreger, James Jensen, John Roger Johansen, Howard G. McKie, Lincoln A. Poley, Jr., Allan Seefeldt, Robert C. Stow, D. B. Tousignant, Paul Ulmari and John Weting. Associate Members include: Robert Adams, Paul Bilgen, Lloyd F. Bloom, Kirk Delzer, Donald G. Klimmed, Richard W. Mitchell and Barry Polzin.

For additional information about the Charter Night Party call Bob Stow, 906/228-7720.

MESSAGE FROM YOUR POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE FOR DESIGN PROFESSIONALS IN MICHIGAN (PAC/DPM)

An excellent opportunity exists for Michigan design professionals to establish rapport with elected officials. It can be done through the Political Action Committee for Design Professionals in Michigan (PAC/DPM).

PAC/DPM is an organization that will make political contributions to selected candidates, both incumbents and other hopefuls. Assistance will be based on the candidate's worthiness to serve the people, including design professionals. Our judgement will be keyed to the help incumbents gave us in the past, their general political philosophies as they affect the concerns of design professionals, and in accordance with our opinion of their political effectiveness as elected officials.

THROUGH PAC/DPM, politicians will know the design profession is a UNITED GROUP, UNAFRAID TO STAND UP AND BE COUNTED PUBLICLY. Voting membership is \$100 or more. Non-voting membership is any contribution less than \$100. All contributions are tax deductible.

MAIL YOU PERSONAL check to PAC/DPM TODAY payable to PAC/DPM; send to 553 E. Jefferson, Detroit, Michigan 48226. For more information call 313/965-4100.

DETROIT CHAPTER HONORS NEW REGISTRANTS

Presentation of Registration Certificates to all new architects in the Detroit Chapter area will be made June 15 during presentation/reception ceremonies at the Beaubien House and Mariner's Church. Family members of the registrants, as well as interested Chapter members, employers, and others, are invited to the event. Certificates of new membership in the Detroit Chapter will also be presented at the reception. Chapter members should call 965-4100 for reservations.

ANNOUNCE ART & PHOTO COMPETITION WINNERS

Winners of the 1979 Detroit Chapter Art and Photo Competition are: Grand Prize/Best-in-Show Award went to Kenneth Divito for his Artwork; First Place Awards were awarded to -David Zin (Photography), Morris Jackson (Artwork), Stephen S. Page (Sculpture), and Susan Ratigan (Artwork); Second Place Awards went to Jeff Boes (Artwork), Edee Joppich (Artwork), Sanford Rossen (Photography), Harold Van Dine, FAIA (Artwork), Katherine Dziurman (Sculpture), and J. Stuart Pettitt (Photography).



SCHOOLS APPOINT INTERN DEVELOPMENT COORDINATORS

Special Coordinators have been assigned to work with the MSA Intern Development Program (IDP) at the University of Detroit and Lawrence Institute of Technology, according to Detroit Chapter IDP Chairman, Joe Fleshner.

Bruno Leon, FAIA, School of Architecture
Dean for the University of Detroit, has appointed
Stan Fleischaker to serve as special IDP Coordinator for the school. Karl H. Greimel, School
of Architecture Dean for Lawrence Institute of
Technology, announced the appointment of Kenneth
Livingston to serve as special IDP Coordinator
for LIT.

"These special IDP Coordinators," Fleshner explained, "will be at the schools on a day-to-day basis allowing them to be of tremendous help to students with IDP matters. The Coordinators will be liaisons between the schools and the IDP Committee. They will promote IDP awareness on the campuses, provide information about the IDP Program, and answer questions."

Fleshner stated that IDP is interested in getting to students in school to show them that there is another way to approach registration - and that way is the IDP way. Anyone interested in finding out more about IDP in Michigan should contact MSA IDP Chairman, Art Nelson, 517/753-3401.

PROGRESS REPORT:

ARCHITECTS IN INDUSTRY, GOVERNMENT & EDUCATION

by R. F. Fearon, Chairman

MSA President Gene Terrill has asked that I establish a new committee at the state level for the MSA that deals specifically with the concerns of architects employed in industry, education and government.

To date, I have contacted AI Durkee and asked him to provide me with some Insight into the concerns of the architects employed in government. AI is well underway in taking steps to define their concerns - and from his efforts I am sure we will be able to develop a viable program.

Karl Greimel, Dean of the College of Architecture at LIT, has also been contacted. Karl has agreed to give this matter some thought - and to discuss it with members of his staff. I also have a call into Bob Metcalf, Dean of the School of Architecture at U of M.

As regards architects employed within industry - as you know, I have been active at both the local and national level serving as Chairman of the local chapter's committee on Architects in Industry and as Chairman of the same national committee. There are several ideas that I have from that Involvement that I will be able to offer as potential programs.

While this is only a small beginning, I sincerely hope it is a step in the right direction for what could become a significant role within the profession for architects employed in other than traditional roles.

DETROIT ARCHITECTURAL GOLF LEAGUE SCHEDULE

If you would like to join the Detroit Architectural Golf League - there are several membership plans available. Call Ernie Hickson for information, 237-9225.

1979 SCHEDULE: June 18 - Warwick Hills, July 17 - Grosse Ile, August 28 - Great Oaks, September 17 - Bay Pointe, and October 2 -Pine Lake.

CSI/DETROIT

12TH ANNUAL GOLF OUTING

WHEN: TUESDAY, AUGUST 14, 1979
WHERE: BEAUTIFUL ROCHESTER GOLF CLUB
TEE OFF TIMES UNTIL 1 P.M.

DAY INCLUDES: 18 HOLES OF CHAMPIONSHIP GOLF, 1/2 ELECTRIC CART, LOCKER ROOM, SHOWERS AND DINNER. FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:

Neil Casacell, 843-7200 Alan Herskovitz, 342-3403 Kurt Weber, 398-1715 Buz Thorpe, 893-8272

MARK YOUR CALENDAR NOW

LEGISLATIVE UPDATE

James H. Karoub Associates Legislative Consultants/Government Affairs May 9, 1979

We attended the hearing this morning on House Bill 4114 (Licensure) before the House Committee on State Affairs. Plans are for the Committee to hold another hearing in two weeks. Meanwhile, the substitute bill is being prepare We again asked for, and again received, assurance that our amendments will be included in the substitute. Rep. Gary Owen has made it clear that he wants his bill passed by the Housbefore summer recess.

DETROIT CHAPTER PLANS "CELEBRATION '79"; BEAUX ARTS BALL, SPECIAL EVENTS IN SEPTEMBER

The Detroit Chapter will be staging "Celebration '79" September 8-22 with special events and displays throughout the period - highlighter by a Beaux Arts Costume Ball September 15 in the Fort Street Manufacturers Bank Building, designed by McKim, Mead and White. The purpose of the program is to make the public more aware of good architecture through a series of planne activities.

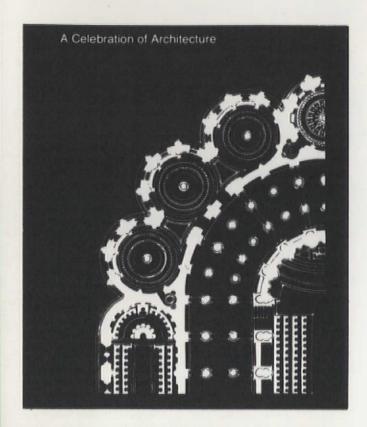
The ten-member Celebration '79 Committee has been meeting since March to develop an array of significant activities. The cooperation of the architectural community and other DC committees has been enormous. Many activities are still in planning stage and will be announced in the MSA BULLETIN, MSA Calendar, and through special mailings.

As part of the Celebration '79 LIT will sponsor a Tuesday Noon Lecture and a Thursday Evening Lecture. U of D, Cranbrook, Center for Creative Studies, and LIT have all pledged full cooperation during the Celebration. The DC Exhibits Committee plans to display past DC Honor Award buildings in three prominent locations. The display will be changed each week during September. The second annual Architects House Tour will be a Celebration high point, as will an Architects Sunday Tour, and an Architects Office Open House. Of course, the real celebration comes with the gala Beaux Arts Costume Ball September 15.

There will be more. Your special thoughts on how to "Celebrate Architecture" are invited. Contact Bob Greager, Chairman - Celebration '79 Committee, c/o Rossen/Neumann Associates, 19675 W. Ten Mile, Southfield, MI 48705, telephone 352-2520.

"TRIBAL" DANCES AT MID-SUMMER CONFERENCE

The Beach Party is just one event out of many being staged for the 36th Annual Mid-Summer Conference August 2-4 at the Grand Hotel on Mackinac Island. The Beach Party will boast of live music, a bonfire and real American Indians for authentic tribal dances around the fire. Other activities include "Kite Night", and the Saturday Night Disco Party with plenty of prize: and fun for everyone. Detailed plans for the annual family fun and games' event will be in the July issue of the BULLETIN along with registration forms and details of the events.



HIGH SCHOOL DESIGN COMPETITION HAS WINNERS

Winners have been selected in the 13th annual High School Architectural Design Competition sponsored by MSA, Detroit Chapter AIA, Detroit Edison and Lawrence Institute of Technology. This year's problem was to design a Sports House. A total of 84 entries from 20 area high schools were received. Entries were also received from chapter areas all over the state. Winners are chosen in two categories: architectural design and lighting design.

In architectural design the winners are:
First Place \$1000 scholarship award winner is
Robert Mehall, Harrison High School; Second
Place \$500 scholarship - Clifford Gully, Harrison High School; Third Place \$250 scholarship Marco Capicchioni, Harrison High School. Honorable Mention went to: Gordon Dziedziak, Thurston; Steven Linder, Southfield-Lathrup; Rick
Rudofski, Harrison; Robert Ricketts, Bloomfield-Lahser; Lee McAllister, SWOVEC; Scott Williams,
General Area Skill Center; and Greg Skarritt,
SWOVEC.

Lighting design winners receive merchandise awards (First and Second Place) and include: First Place - Clifford Gully, Harrison High School; Second Place - Kenneth J. Dollhope, Wayne Memorial High School. Honorable Mentions go to: Keith Straub, SEOVEC; Joseph Stevens, General Area Skill Center; Lee McAllister, SWO-VEC; Gordon Dziedziak, Thurston; Bob Abrahamsson, Cousino, and David Friedel, Cousino.

MSA Design Competition Chairman Tom Wikle announced the following statewide winners: Chairman's Award - David Hansinger, Mt. Clemens; and Honorable Mention - Robert Mehall, Harrison High School. Other Competition Committee members include Ernie Hickson, Detroit Edison, and Karl Greimel, School of Architecture Dean, Lawrence Institute of Technology.

WAL SELECTS NEW OFFICERS AND CHAIRPERSONS

Newly elected officers of the Women's Architectural League are: Kathy Lesniak, President; Florence Binder, Vice President; Pat Winebrenner, Recording Secretary; Tonie D'Alessandro, Corresponding Secretary; Liz Johnson, Treasurer; Pat Bentley, Historian; Aliteen Pfaendtner, Parliamentarian; and Jan Mayotte, Advisor. Committee Chairpersons for 1979-80 include: Marle Noth and Florence Binder, Program; Sandy Guthard, Projects and Scholarships; Jan Mayotte and Linda Tuomaala, Ways and Means; Allene Galyon, Membership; Pam LaGrassa, Hospitality; Judy DiLaura and Bette Pesavento, Telephone; Marilyn Groth, Public Relations/Cookbooks; and Mitzi Phillips, WAL Trip.

THIRD THURSDAY IN APRIL HAS HIGH ATTENDANCE

Four members being inducted into the AIA College of Fellows were honored during the April 19 Third Thursday at the Beaubien House. The four new fellows are Almon Durkee, John W. Jickling, Kenneth S. Neumann and Harold Van Dine. All four men were on hand to greet a crowd of well-wishers numbering over 50. Among those in attendance were Gino Rossetti, Jim Smith, Jim Phaendtner, Eberle Smith, Sandy Rossen, Robert Greager, Bruce Smith, Linn Smith, Mr. and Mrs. William Kessler, Gene DiLaura, Tom Wheat, Howard Sims, Bruno Leon, Virginia Pinnell, Lilian J. Braun, Harold Van Dine, Ken Neumann, Mr. and Mrs. Almon Durkee, and Mr. and Mrs. John Jickling.

"GRADERS" NEEDED FOR NCARB DESIGN EXAMS

At least ten Michigan registrants are needed to be "graders" for the NCARB Architectural Design Exams. Those who volunteer for the job will go to Lincolnshire, Illinois July 20, 21 and 22 (all expenses paid) to grade exams for the Midwestern Region. Graders will stay at the Lincolnshire Marriot Resort. Anyone interested in joining this effort should contact one of the following Board of Registration Members: Robert Metcalf (313/764-1300-Ann Arbor), Elizabeth Porter (517/323-2231-Lansing), Harold Varner (313/871-4550-Detroit), Bob Wold (616-361-1004-Grand Rapids).

DETROIT CHAPTER REVIEWS EXISTING BYLAWS

by Keith M. Sipperley, Chairman Bylaws Committee

Members of the Bylaws Committee have formed two-person teams to more effectively review the existing Bylaws. You are encouraged to contact any member with your comments and input. Your assistance would be most helpful when offered in writing and as early as possible. The members and their assignments are:

Daniel Redstone and Roger Boe: Organization, General Powers, Dues, Assessments, Financial Affairs, Property, Rights and Priviledges.

John Jickling and Stu Pettitt: Membership, Honorary Members, Associates, Honors, Administrative and Executive. Karl Greimel and Stephen Page: Meetings, Nominations and Elections. Sigmund Blum and Dennis King: Board of Directors, Officers. Frank Dyszewski and Bob Wine: Committees, Commissions, General Provisions, Affiliations. Sanford Rossen and Charles Fleckenstein: Architectural Practice, Code of Ethics, Amendments, Interpretations.

Due to a printer's error - the May issue

of the BULLETIN carried an Incorrect section headline which read: "Detroit Chapter News." It should have read: "Chapter Happenings."

ARCHITECTS BOOKSTORE BOOK REVIEWS

FATHER'S DAY SPECIALS AT ARCHITECTS BOOKSTORE

It's that special time of year again with Father's Day coming up June 17. So for your convenience, and Father's, we have picked out a selection of books that would be perfect for him on that special day. The books reviewed in this section are available at the Architects Bookstore located in the Beaubien House, 553 E. Jefferson, in downtown Detroit - just across from Ren Cen. HOURS are 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays. Or phone in your "book" questions - 313/965-4100.

. HOUSING THE FAMILY (17.50).

The problem in housing the family is one of housing all their activities and the equipment which those activities demand. This book, edited from material originally commissioned for the authoritative series of Design Bulletins, deals with all aspects of the design problem, from the placing of houses, garages and play areas on a site to the detailed layout of each room in the house. (264 p)

. THE GLASS HOUSE by John Hix (22.50).

The glasshouse - or greenhouse, in American usage - evolved in the seventeenth century to protect gardeners' exotic plants from the rigors of the northern winter. This book traces the development of man's skill in creating and controlling an artificial climate from the period

of Hans Sloane and Carl Linnaeus to the present and beyond. The period of greatest advance in this field was the nineteenth century, and Hix discusses the ingenious constructions made initially for private individuals and botanical societies, and toward the mid-century, with mass production of components, the fashioning of modular constructions such as the Crystal Palace and many vast and cheaply built International Exhibition halls in Europe and America. (208 p)

INTERIORS 3RD BOOK OF OFFICES by John Pile (24.95).

This definitive, practical sourcebook documents, in both pictures and text, the most recent and relevant developments in current office planning and design in America today. Any questions you may have about office landscaping and open planning are answered, and all types of office spaces - from reception areas through the general offices to the private office and the executive floor - are fully illustrated. (208 g

. VANS by Terry Cook (9.95).

A few years ago it was a disgrace to have the lowly van parked in the suburban driveway. Now it's a status symbol. Here is a book that is truly entertaining and educational. It is written by a "vanner" who provides lucid testimonials to the fun and values in "vanning". Many interesting color photographs highlight a down-to-earth text. (164 p)

OBITUARY

WARD G. SWARTS

Ward G. Swarts, AIA Emeritus, graduate of the University of Michigan School of Architecture, died at his home in Reston, Virginia on March 29. Following many years of private practice in Ypsilanti, Michigan, he became Director of Architecture and Engineering for Colonial Williamsburg, Williamsburg, Virginia. Since his retirement he has resided in Virginia He is survived by his wife, LaRea, a son, Stephen W. of Jackson, Michigan, a daughter, Mrs. E.C. Roberts of Herndon, Virginia, and four grandchildren.

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SITUATION WANTED

STUDENT - in first year pre-architectural program at U of M. Some drafting experience. Interested in working in architect's office during summer months. Call Jayne Dutcher, 313/294-034

MISC.

ONE FIVE-DRAWER HAMILTON BLUEPRINT FILE - and one four-drawer legal size file for sale. Contact Henry J. Abrams, 313/547-7900, 800 Livernols, Ferndale, MI 48220.

GRAPEVINE

Robert C. Stow has become an Associate with Graheck, Bell, Kline & Brown of Traverse City; tectural Models, has rejoined the Model Shop of Minoru Yamasaki & Associates, Inc..... Farrand-Vroom & Associates, Inc. Architects will occupy new offices at 1945 Pauline Boulevard, Suite 18, Ann Arbor, MI 48103, 313/769-4074.... ... Hoyem-Basso Associates, Inc., Architects, Engineers and Land Surveyors announce appointments of <u>Jack K. Monteith</u> to Senior Vice President and <u>Director of Architecture</u>, and of <u>Ken-</u> neth E. Pawlowski to Vice President and Director of Operations......Albert Kahn Associates, Inc. stockholders have re-elected Robert L. Eck,
Thomas C. Halliday and Edgar E. Parks to threeyear terms on the firm's Board of Directors; incumbent Board members are: <u>Daniel Shahan</u>, Charles J. Allen, Paul G. Fleck, C. Dino Gavras, John C. Haro and Jay Pettitt......Gerald J. Yurk of Tomblinson, Harburn, Yurk & Associates, Inc. recently presented the firm's first scholarship to Sheila Dunn of Flint at Lawrence Institute of Technology.....On April 29 the Detroit Free Press carried an interesting article and photograph in the Detroit Magazine about the MSA Architects Bookstore; the article was enti-"Reading Room With A View"......Greg Houghtaling has been appointed to serve on the Mid-Michigan Chapter's Board as Director and Chairman of the Professional Practice Committee.David K. Pyle has opened an architectural office at 428 W. South St., Kalamazoo, MI 49007, 616/342-6777......O. S. DeLancey has been promoted to Manager of Specifications and Codes for Hoad Engineers, Inc.....Samborn, Steketee, Otis and Evans, Inc. announce new firm members Richard L. Canfield, Director of Design, and James R. Saule, Chief Project Architect..... Ed Nieman is the Mid-Michigan Chapter contact person for AIA Associate Programs..Donald E. Morgridge is the 1979-80 President of the Gaylord/Otsego County Chamber of Commerce; he has also been appointed to the

Construction Advisory Committee for Alpena Community College......Two new Vice Presidents at Smith, Hinchman & Grylls Associates, Inc. are Henry J. Guthard and John E. Rodger..... New phone number for Tower & Pinkster Associates of Kalamazoo is 616/343-6133......Dean A. Johns Architect, Inc., AIA announces the open-ing of new offices at 400 Town Center Drive, Dearborn, MI 48126, 313/271-0770..... New phone number for Evie Asken is 616/323-9601.. Derwin Bass's Student Affairs Committee of the Western Michigan Chapter has participated in Career Days at Hackett and Christian High Schools with plans to visit Gull Lake High School...... Mike McKelvey gave a presentation on R/UDAT its preparation, operation and conclusions - for the Western Michigan Chapter recently..... The Crystal Falls Rotary Club featured a program by William Kessler and Associates who have been retained by the Iron County Board of Commissioners for renovation of the County Courthouse.... Franklin architect <u>Betty Lee Francis</u> gave a talk before the Rochester-Avon Historical Society on "Hey Rochester! Who are You?"......Minoru Yamasaki received an honorary degree from Eastern Michigan University during recent graduation ceremonies.....The AIA Committee on Architecture for Health is publishing a newsletter of same name; for more information call Don Topolsky at MSA, 313/965-4100......Gino Rossetti was the recipient of the Community Leadership Award presented by Keep Detroit Beautiful, Inc...... The Flint Area Chapter Architectural Scholarship Award of \$500 was given to Gordon Carrier a student at U of M; this brings Flint Chapter's total amount given out in scholarships to \$13,870.... Ten architects of the Northern Michigan Chapter recently donated their time and talents to a study of the feasibility of restoring the City Opera House; architects for the complete and final study is the firm of William Kessler and Associates......Western Michigan's Student Chapter at Andrews University recently staged a one-day convention in honor of "A Celebration of Architecture".

CALENDAR

JUNE		(cont.)	ficates at Mariner's Church (7 p.m.), and reception at Beaubien House (8 p.m.).
1	CSI, Detroit Chapter, "President's Ball", Detroit Boat Club.	17	Detroit Historical Society presents a "Stroll Through Corktown" guided tour.
1-2	Jordan College seminar on "Solar Energy", Cedar Springs, MI.	17-20	CSI's National Convention, Cincinnati, Ohio.
2	Western Michigan Chapter/Bronson Park Art Fair.	21	Detroit Chapter Board Meeting, 2 p.m., Beaubien House.
3-7	1979 ANNUAL AIA CONVENTION, Kansas City, Missouri - "THE CELEBRATION OF ARCHITECTURE."	21	Third Thursday - Beaubien House Open House, 5 p.m. Refreshments.
		21	Upper Peninsula Chapter CHARTER NIGHT
13	Flint Area Chapter meeting, 12 noon, University Club.		PARTY, 6:30 p.m., Old City Hall, Marquette.
15	Detroit Chapter AIA program for New Registrants; presentation of certi-	22	MSA Board of Directors meeting with Northern Michigan Chapter AIA, Home- stead, Cedar, Michigan.

	JULY		OCTOB	ER
	8	Detroit Historical Society presents "Stroll Through Detroit's Cultural	16-18	Producers' Council Build-Expo, Mc- Cormick Place, Chicago.
	AUGUS	Center" guided tour.	16-19	National Fire Protection Assoc.: Life Safety Code Seminar, Indian- apolis, Indiana.
	2-4	MSA MID-SUMMER CONFERENCE, Grand Hotel, Mackinac Island.	17	Michigan Board of Registration for Architects meets in regular session
	14	CSI, Detroit Chapter, "Annual Golf Outing", Rochester Golf Club.		(open to public), 10 a.m., 808 South- land Ave., Lansing, Hearing Room.
	15	Michigan Board of Registration for Architects meets in regular session (open to public), 10 a.m., 808 South-	17-19	MSA 64th ANNUAL CONVENTION, Long's Banquet & Convention Center, Lansing, Michigan.
		land Ave., Lansing, Sml. Conf. Room.	18	Third Thursday: Detroit Chapter AIA Open House at Beaubien House for
	16	Third Thursday: Detroit Chapter AIA Open House at Beaubien House for MSA members & guests. 5 p.m.	NOVEM	MSA members & guests. 5 p.m.
	22-24	U.S. National Conference on Earth- quake Engineering-1979, Stanford University, Stanford, California.	9-10	Interior Architecture Committee's first Conference on Interiors Prac- tice, Pacific Design Center, Los Angeles
	SEPTE	MBER	13	Western Michigan Chapter meeting, election of officers, Schensul's,
	5-7	Technical Conference on Fire Protection/Safety in Universities and Research Centers, Swiss Federal Institute of Technology, Zurich, Switzerland.	15	Kalamazoo. Third Thursday: Detroit Chapter AIA Open House at Beaubien House for MSA members & guests. 5 p.m.
	8-22 9-15	Detroit Chapter "Celebration '79". Architect's Week in Detroit.	15-16	COFPAES: The Government Official and Architect/Engineer Contracting Course, Hilton Head, Chicago.
	11	Western Michigan Chapter Design Awards Banquet, Schensul's, Kalamazoo.	21	Michigan Board of Registration for Architects meets in regular session (open to public), 10 a.m., 808 South- land Ave., Lansing, Hearing Room.
	11-14	National Fire Protection Assoc.: Life Safety Code Seminar, Denver, Colorado.	DECEM	BER
			7	Detroit Chapter AIA "Honor Awards Banque
	15	Detroit Chapter "Beaux Arts Ball," Fort Street Manufacturers National Bank Building.	11	Western Michigan Chapter Spouses' Nite Dinner Theater/Christmas Get Together.
	20	Third Thursday: Detroit Chapter AIA Open House at Beaubien House for MSA members & guests. 5 p.m.	11	CSI, Detroit Chapter, Annual Holiday Banquet, University Club/Detroit.
	20	Mid-Michigan Chapter Honor Awards Program.	20	Third Thursday: Detroit Chapter AIA Holiday Open House at Beaubien House for MSA members & guests. 5 p.m.

ARCHITECTS BOOKSTORE BOOK REVIEWS

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. VICTORIAN AND EDWARDIAN THEATRES: AN ARCHITECTURAL AND SOCIAL SURVEY by Victor Glasstone (17.50).

Theatre design, a fascinating and highly specialized architectural form, reached a high point in Great Britain in the late nineteenth and early twentieth centuries. In this richly illustrated volume, Victor Glasstone displays the theatres, opera houses, and music halls of the age and shows how the lavish Victorian-Edwardian style of theatre architecture evolved, flourished, and finally declined. (136 pages)

. STARTING AND MANAGING YOUR OWN ENGINEERING PRACTICE by John Kuecken (12.95).

This is the first all-inclusive handbook written specifically for the engineering professional who wants to establish a successful private practice. Drawing on his years of practical experience, John Kuecken gives you a nononsense approach that will help you anticipate potential problems, minimize your risks and maximize your chances for success. (175 pages)

. MANAGEMENT: TASKS, RESPONSIBILITIES, PRACTICES by Peter F. Drucker (18.95.

Peter Drucker is well-known for his writing about business and management. This book is a study of management as an organized body of knowledge. It not only deals with the techniques of effective management but looks at management from the outside and studies its tasks and requirements. The emphasis is on the accomplishments and results that are needed, including all areas of concern that managers will have to deal with. (839 pages)

. PIONEER CHURCHES by Harold Kalman (27.50).

Fashioned from logs with crude tools or built to exacting architectural standards, the pioneer churches of North America offer a unique perspective on the history of the continent's expansion. With each new wave of settlement, the men and women who pushed forward the frontiers of civilization expressed their now vanished lifestyles, their cultures, their crafts, their anxieties, motivations, and ideals in buildings that served as a focus for community and a centre for devotion. Examples of these churches are preserved in this striking and authoritative volume. (192 pages)

. FOR PEDESTRIANS ONLY: PLANNING, DESIGN, AND MANAGEMENT OF TRAFFIC-FREE ZONES by Roberto Brambilla and Glanni Longo (24.95).

Creating appealing urban spaces that invite people to stroll, shop, or sit is a concept at least as old as the hanging gardens of Babylon. But structuring city centers that also eliminate all the noise, pollution, and turmoil of today's traffic is a relatively recent concern. This appraisal of traffic-free zoning in 20 European and North American cities provides, for the first time, a comprehensive study of that complex process. By summarizing and analyzing what has been achieved, the book offers architects, professionals in urban planning and design, municipal authorities, and community leaders a resource to guide future efforts to make cities more habitable for people. (208 pages)

. RUNNING AN OFFICE FOR FUN AND PROFIT by Rosslyn F. Foote (15.00).

This is a basic how-to book for that 75 percent of the profession that has been pretty much overlooked: the small practitioner. The author states, "I believe that the most important goal in professional life should be to enjoy what you're doing. The only way you can do so is to plan the financial side of your practice and get yourself organized." This book plainly shows ways to get yourself organized. (II6 pages)

OBITUARY

NORMAN J. LEVEY

Norman J. Levey, the architect who designed two of downtown Detroit's premier restaurants - the London Chop House and the Caucus Club - is dead at 71. Levey lived and worked in Detroit for more than 30 years. He owned Norman J. Levey Associates. In 1932 Levey graduated from the University of Michigan Architectural School. He was a member of MSA, AIA, a Detroit Science Center Trustee, and a director of the Jewish Vocation Service. He was a Detroit Housing Commissioner in 1973 and 1974 and was Vice-President of the Shiffman Foundation from 1948 to 1977. Surviving are two sons, Richard and Jim, and a brother.

STEWART S. KISSINGER (E)

Stewart S. Kissinger (E), a registered architect since 1942, died at age 72. He was a graduate of the University of Michigan and had previously worked for Albert Kahn Associates, Inc. as job captain on many large industrial projects. For 16 years he was an associate with Eberle M. Smith Associates, Inc. where, as Vice-President, he had been in charge of coordination of numerous large projects. Most recently he was with the firm of Kissinger & Holzauer, Inc. Surviving are his wife, Frances, his children - Stewart Jr., Robert, Stephen, Mrs. Mary Frances DeMaagd and David, eight grandchildren, and brothers Harold, Eugene and Wilmer.

CLASSIFIED

SITUATIONS WANTED

ARTIST, UNIVERSITY OF WINDSOR GRADUATE In Fine Arts (with honors), seeks a career in an art-related field. Contact Jacqueline Scanlon, 511 Ellen Ave., Royal Oak, MI 48073, 313/585-8519.

PROFESSIONAL ARCHITECTURAL AND ENGINEERING Administrative Assistant/Executive Secretary is seeking employment with related firm in Macomb or Oakland County. Is years experience in coordination of financial and business operations of architectural firm including public relations, contract negotiations, bidding procedures, specifications, contract administration, accounts receivable/payable, payroll, purchasing, lease negotiations, etc. Typing speed 80 wpm, shorthand speed 120 wpm. Honor graduate. Detailed resume and references available upon request. Contact: Joan S. Lineman, 36430 Tulane, Sterling Heights, MI 48077, 313/939-4725.

1977 U OF D ARCHITECTURE GRADUATE is seeking to secure a lasting position with a progressive architectural firm involving working drawings, presentation, design and similar related tasks. Intention is to become registered architect. Contact Douglas B. Hamborsky, 5931 Chatsworth, Detroit, MI 48224, 313/881-2134.

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SOON AVAILABLE - Prestige office space in Plymouth; general office area, copier, secretary available. Call 313/459-0940 or 313/477-5827.

FOR SALE - SEVERAL HUNDRED BOARD FEET OF BARN Wood, approximately 100 years old. Contact: Paul Katroscik, 876 W. Drayton, Ferndale, MI, 313/545-6932.

GRAPEVINE

Note to Willis Andrews: we are pleased to report the Celebration Banner from the Kansas City Convention has been signed by I.M. Pei, the 1979 Gold Medal recipient, and is duly ensconced at the Beaubien House..... Derwin Bass has resigned as Director of the Western Michigan Chapter; Bass has transferred to the Saginaw Valley Chapter and is now employed with Alden B. Dow Associates, Inc.....Thurston R. Jahr is announcing his retirement as President of Jahr Associates, Inc. Jahr has received local and national recognition for designs of schools, churches, libraries, general commercial and industrial buildings...... Among the 16 members of the Governor's Commission on Art in State Buildings are: Balthazar Korab, Louis G. Redstone, and Chairperson
Adrian N. Langius......Thomas C. Halliday has
been re-elected to a three-year term on the Board of Directors for Albert Kahn Associates, Inc.....Louis G. Redstone was one of ten Detroit area artists, all winners of national and international competition, who exhibited artwork together at the Garret Gallery in Farm-Ington.....Louis G. Redstone has been elected to the College of Fellows of the Engineering Society of Detroit......Gino Rossetti was speaker for the May meeting of the Grand Valley Chapter; his talk was "Rebirth of Detroit" Zack Gerganoff has been appointed Ypsilanti Township Community Development Coordinator.... Richard Slocum replaces Derwin Bass (who resigned) as Director of the Western Michigan Chapter.....Earl Frazier has been appointed to the Kalamazoo Historical District Commission. A new architectural office has opened in the name of Nicholas J. White, AIA, 314 East Lake St., Petoskey, MI 49770, 616/347-6870.....Craig Karin, a Junior at Michigan State University, has been selected as the recipient of the John Grissim and Associates Scholarship in Landscape Architecture for 1979-1980......

Giffels Associates, Inc. has received a Certificate of Appreciation for Patriotic Civilian Service from the Department of the Army; the firm was commended for the design of an Armored Vehicle Rebuild Facility for the Jordanian Armed Forces......Gretchen Minnhaar was presented with an Alumni Achievement Award from Lawrence Institute of Technology during LIT's 47th annual commencement ceremonies....... From May 23 to June 14 Minnhaar's paintings were featured in a special exhibit at the Beaubien House - an exhibit well received by everyone lucky enough to view it......Detroit Mayor Coleman Young's new \$620,000 offices were unveiled recently during a special preview hosted by the designers, Rossetti Associates...... Northern Michigan Chapter recently sponsored a slide presentation given by Balthazar Korab at Northwestern Michigan College - the topic was "Architecture Without Architects" featuring indigenous and folk architecture from Yemen, Italy, Europe and the U.S.....Kent Johnson, Vice President of TMP Associates, served as Chairman of the Detroit Chapter New Registrant's Reception in Mariner's Church......Maury Allen, Vice President of TMP Associates, is acting as Chairman of Art in Public Places, a sub-committee of the AIA National Committee, Architecture for Art and Recreation.....John Castellana has accepted a position on the AIA National Design Education Sub-Committee which is responsible for examining methods to enhance communications between architectural schools and the professions.
.....Tom Lucas, President of TMP Associates, and Marty McElroy, Marketing Director, recently spoke at a market planning workshop for the Society for Marketing Professional Services in New York City.......Gilbert/Commonwealth has appointed Joseph G. Zigarovich as Manager of appointed <u>Joseph G. Zigarovich</u> as Manager of the Purchasing and Expediting Departments in the Jackson office.....The following are scholarship winners under the AIA Foundation

Scholarship Program for 1979-80: University of Detroit - George Peter Dodds, \$900; Robert P. Holmes, \$1200; and Bruce Allen Kopytek, \$1800.

Lawrence Institute of Technology - Bonnie Scott, \$1800. University of Michigan - Douglas D. Heinrichs, \$1600......Michele Zelenko of Flushing High School is a statewide Honorable Mention winner in the 13th annual High School Design Competition.....Edward D. Francis, Vice President of William Kessler and Associates, Inc., gave a presentation at the AIA Convention in Kansas City on "Design Excellence in Public Architecture"; Francis used the award-winning

Livingston County Courthouse conservation effort as a case study......T. Rogvoy Associates, Inc. announce the following new Associates in the firm: David W. Bolla, Donald Sheldon and Richard L. Widerstedt.....Louis G. Redstone has donated some of his watercolors for the 1979 Michigan Cancer Foundation greeting card collection.....Balley Ryan was given a Distinguished Service Award by the Kentucky Society of Architects......Gerald J. Yurk of Tomblinson, Harburn, Yurk and Associates, Inc. presented his firm's first scholarship to Shella Dunn of Flint; Shella will be attending LIT.

CALENDAR

JULY			Western Michigan Chapter Design Awards Banquet, Schensul's,
8	Detroit Historical Society presents "Stroll Through Detroit's Cultural Center" guided tour,	11-14	Kalamazoo. National Fire Protection Assoc.:
10	Western Michigan Chapter Theatre Dinner Party, Barn Theatre, Augus- ta, 7 p.m.	13	Life Safety Code Seminar, Denver, Colorado. Detroit Chapter Celebration 79 -
29	Flint Area Chapter Family Picnic at Flushing Park Pavilion #1 - Eating, softball, games, etc.	13	LIT Lecture: Herman Spiegel, Eve. Walking tour of fascinating Chicago with Chicago Chapter AIA.
AUGU		15	Detroit Chapter "Beaux Arts Ball," Fort Street Manufacturers National Bank Building.
2-4	MSA MID-SUMMER CONFERENCE, Grand Hotel, Mackinac Island.	16	Detroit Chapter Celebration 79 - Architects Sunday Tour.
14	CSI, Detroit Chapter, "Annual Golf Outing", Rochester Golf Club.	20	Detroit Chapter Celebration 79 - Third Thursday Open House at
15	Michigan Board of Registration for Architects meets in regular session (open to public), 10 a.m., 808 Southland Ave., Lansing, Sml. Conf. Room.	20	Beaubien House, 5 p.m. Third Thursday: Detroit Chapter AIA Open House at Beaubien House for
16	Third Thursday: Detroit Chapter AIA Open House at Beaublen House for MSA members & guests. 5 p.m.	20	MSA members & guests. 5 p.m. Mid-Michigan Chapter Honor Awards Program.
22-24	U.S. National Conference on Earth- quake Engineering-1979, Stanford University, Stanford, California.	23	Detroit Chapter Celebration 79 - Second Annual Architects House Tour - Grosse Pointe
SEPT	EMBER	0 C T 0	BER
5-7	Technical Conference on Fire Protection/Safety in Universities and Research Centers, Swiss Federal Institute of Technology, Zurich, Switzerland. Grand Valley Chapter all-day Continuing Education Seminar, Grand Rapids, (Location/Topics to be announced).	16-18	Producers' Council Build-Expo, Mc- Cormick Place, Chicago.
		16-19	National Fire Protection Assoc.: Life Safety Code Seminar, Indian-
8		17	apolis, Indiana. Michigan Board of Registration for Architects meets in regular session
8-22	Detroit Chapter "Celebration '79".		(open to public), 10 a.m., 808 South- land Ave., Lansing, Hearing Room.
9	Detroit Chapter Celebration 79 - Architects' Offices Open House.	17-19	MSA 64th ANNUAL CONVENTION, Long's Banquet & Convention Center, Lansing, Michigan.
9=15 11	Architect's Week In Detroit. Detroit Chapter Celebration 79 - LIT Lecture: Aleksis Lahti, noon.	18	Third Thursday: Detroit Chapter AIA Open House at Beaubien House for MSA members & guests. 5 p.m.

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IT'S KITE TIME

You can test your dexterity and the Mackinac winds by "Celebrating Architecture" with us at the Mid-Summer Conference. The Conference Committee will feature, among many other activities, Kite Making and Kite Flying. The Committee will furnish approximately 150 regular stick kite kits that can be assembled, preferably by the younger attendees with their less mechanical minded parents. For the more ambitious, more assertive and more creative we request that you conceive your own design and fabricate your own kite from any size, any shape, any color. The Committee will furnish the necessary paper, twine, adhesives, color markers and bamboo sticks.

(The Kite activity is sponsored by Professional Underwriters, Robert Coleman.)

COFPAES: The Government Official

and Architect/Engineer Contracting Course, Hilton Head, Chicago.

NOVE	MBER	21	Michigan Board of Registration for Architects meets in regular session (open to public), 10 a.m., 808 South- land Ave., Lansing, Hearing Room.
7-9	AIA Architects in Government Committee, Tallahassee Hilton, Tallahassee, FLA.		
9-10	Interior Architecture Committee's first Conference on Interiors Prac- tice, Pacific Design Center, Los Angeles.	DECEM	BER
		7	Detroit Chapter AIA "Honor Awards Banqu
13	Western Michigan Chapter meeting, election of officers, Schensul's, Kalamazoo.	11	Western Michigan Chapter Spouses' Nite Dinner Theater/Christmas Get Together.
15	Third Thursday: Detroit Chapter AIA Open House at Beaubien House for	11	CSI, Detroit Chapter, Annual Holiday Banquet, University Club/Detroit.
	MSA members & guests. 5 p.m.	20	Third Thursday: Detroit Chapter AIA

Hollday Open House at Beaublen House

for MSA members & guests. 5 p.m.