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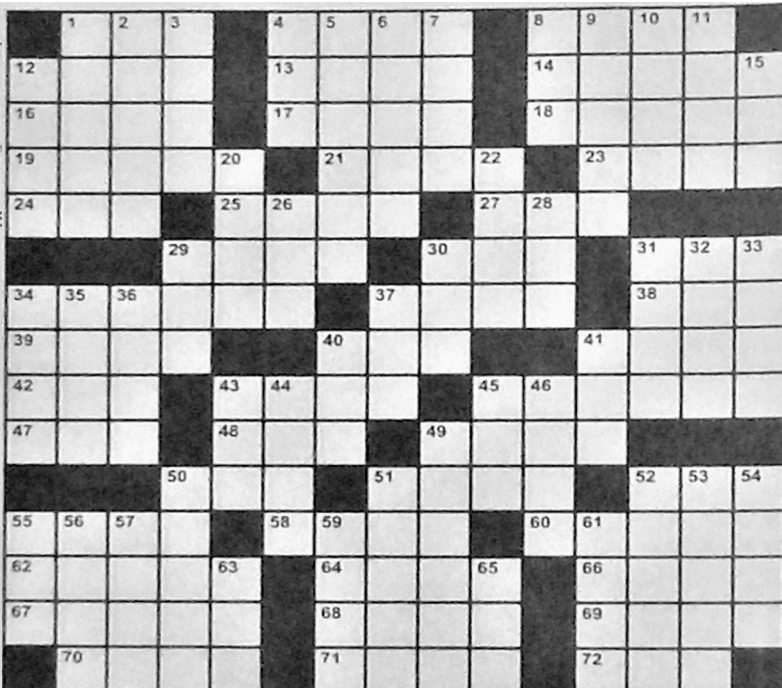
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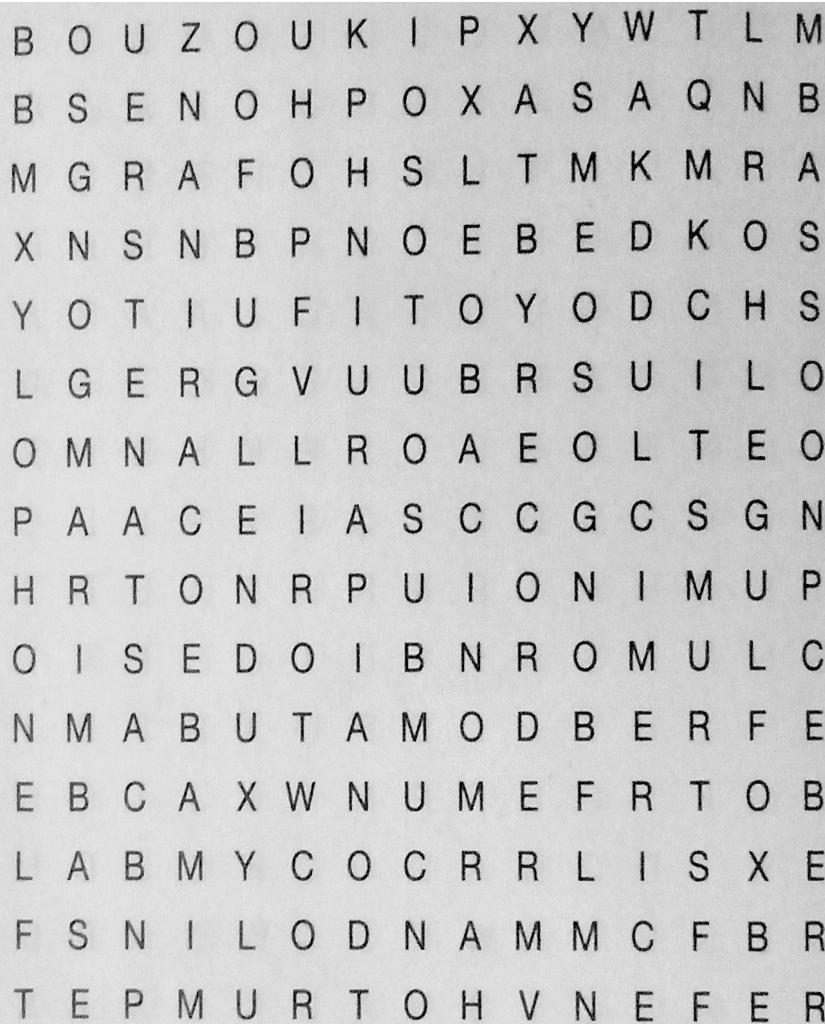
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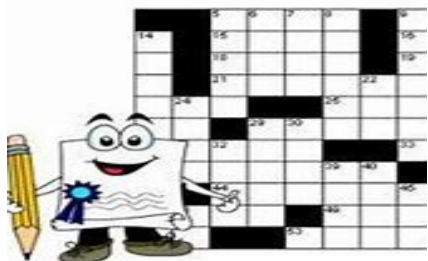
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In this edition we are taking a look at Grand River and Greenfield. Both photo's were taken on the southwest corner of Grand River facing east looking across Greenfield. The Montgomery Ward is long gone. After Montgomery Ward left in 1986 the site was used by Jordan College. When the college closed in 1996 the Tower Center Mall occupied the site. Currently, there are still a few Tower Center tenants located in the back of the building. Their entrance is on Greenfield Road. On the second floor, legendary entertainer Gino Washington has a recording studio. The rest of the property is occupied by retailer Forman Mills. In 1978, the Federals Department Store closed. All the letters fell off of the building except EDS. That's why the new owners called the new store Every Day Savings. ED'S closed in 1980. In 1981, Kingsway opened. They were successful. In the early 1980's, a pedestrian bridge was built between the two stores. Kingsway closed in 1990. Later that year Mammoth opened on the historic Federal's site. Mammoth closed in the year 2000. The building has been empty since. (Photo courtesy of Eric Adams)

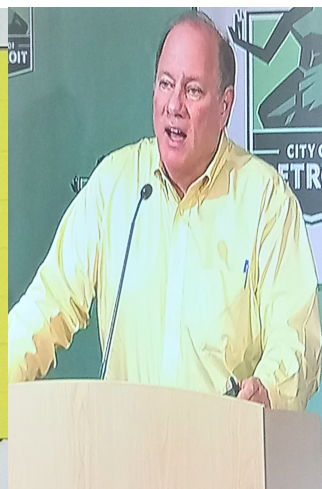
COMMUNITY

New \$30 Million Carpenter & Millwright Training Center will Revive Oakman Blvd.

In the last edition of TMS we profiled the almost dead Grand River & Oakman shopping district. We gave it to the Mayor pretty good. TMS said: "We have to do better!" On July 22nd the Mayor announced the impending construction of a \$30 million Carpenter and Millwright Training Center on Oakman just south of Grand River. This development should encourage new investors to open stores at the shopping center on Grand River. Detroiters will enjoy the benefits of the Training Center for decades. Set to open in the autumn of 2021, the center will employ 1500 apprentices at a starting rate of \$15.00 per hour. This is an opportunity for recent high school graduates, or adults, looking to change careers. All are welcome to apply. It does not matter what your skill level is, they will train you. This is truly a great opportunity. You can learn a viable trade tuition free! Everything is covered. According to the City of Detroit, "skilled trades professionals such as carpenters and millwrights account for more than 500,000 jobs in Michigan." The Detroit City Council recently approved the renovation of 8,000 houses. Newly trained tradesmen will work on those projects. That's good news, but we have a long way to go. We need 80,000 NEW homes to be built in Detroit.



Internal layout of new Training facility



Mayor Duggan announcing the project



Artist rendering of new Carpenter & Millwright Training Center on Oakman Blvd.

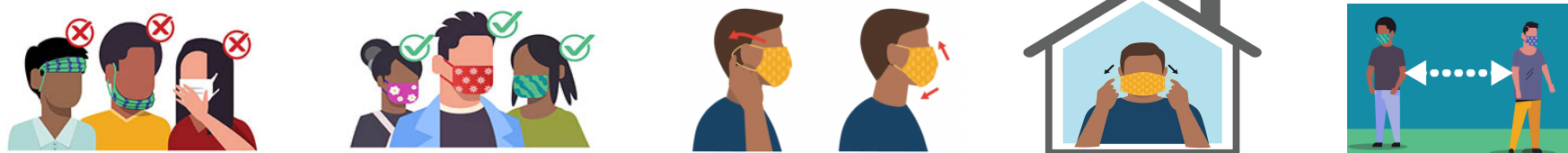
COVER STORY

To Stop COVID-19 You Must Wear Your Mask Correctly
COVER YOUR NOSE!

How to Wear a Face Mask to Prevent COVID-19



The next time you see a person wearing a face mask with their nose exposed please correct them. Do it for their sake, and all of ours. If you make it a point to avoid confrontations give them this article. The incorrect social offender should immediately get the message and, hopefully, correct themselves. According to the Centers for Disease Control, (CDC) to correctly wear your face mask you must: 1. Wash your hands before putting on your face covering. 2. Put it over your nose and mouth and secure it under your chin. 3. Make sure you can breathe easily. The CDC has more suggestions that will keep us safe and healthy. A. Never put your face covering around your neck or on your forehead. B. Do not touch the outside of your face mask. If you do, promptly wash your hands or use hand sanitizer. C. ALWAYS wear a face mask in public or when around people who do not live in your household. D. Children under the age of 2 should not wear a face mask. If we follow those simple directives we should be fine. What if you have a cloth mask? It's best to remove it off of your face by the ear loops only. Fold the outside corners together and place the mask in the washing machine. Try not to touch your eyes, mouth, or nose. If you do, wash your hands immediately. It's best to buy at least 3 cloth masks. Our partner can create a personalized mask that's safe and stylish. See ad on page 2.



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DETROIT

Racial Segregation is the Norm Metropolitan Detroit, WHY?

HATE. That's the answer to the headline above. The majority of Whites in Metro Detroit do not like Black people. History, and our current socio economic condition prove that fact. Let's face it, racial hate has ruined Detroit. Racial hate is not new in Detroit. In 1863, during the Civil War U.S. Troops had to protect a Black man, William Faulkner, from a mob. Faulkner was accused of sexually assaulting 2 white girls. Unable to lynch Faulkner the mob burned and destroyed at least 30 homes of Black people where Greektown stands today. The reporting of The Detroit Free Press, (then a PRO SLAVERY paper) helped to incite Detroit's white populace to violence. Years later, the 2 girls admitted they lied. In 1925 on Garland St., a mob of white people threw rocks at the home of Black physician Dr. Ossian Sweet. In 1942, a mini riot ensued when whites protested a Black family moving into the new Sojourner Truth housing project. In early June of 1943 workers at the (now abandoned) Packard plant walked off their jobs because 3 Black workers got promoted. One worker apparently spoke for the entire agitated rabble when he said: "I would rather see Hitler and Hirohito win than work beside a nigger on the assembly line." If that's not hate, what is? The worst was coming. On June 20, 1943 the last true RACE RIOT in the USA that pitted Blacks vs. Whites began on the streets of Detroit, Michigan.



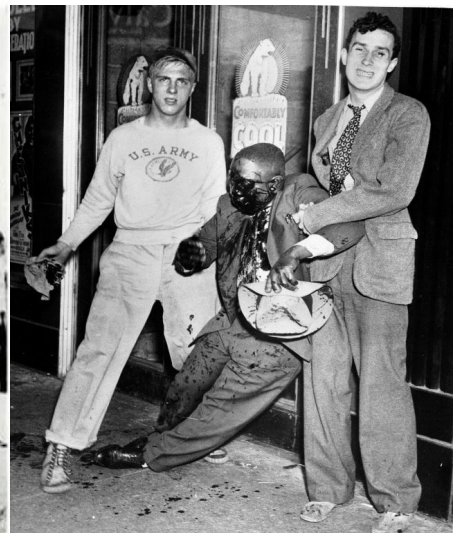
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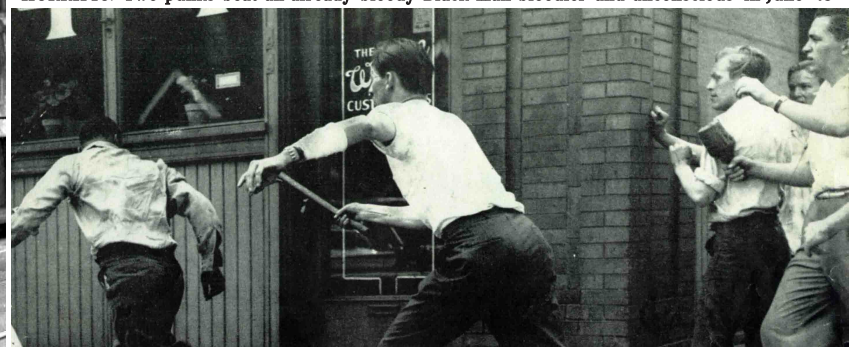
White rioters pulling Black man off a bus in 1943 Detroit



HORRIFIC: Two punks beat an already bloody Black man bloodier and unconscious in June '43



A Black man is pulled from his car. Watches as his car is overturned. His vehicle is set ablaze. Next, the blood thirsty crowd armed with clubs, rocks, and bottles, chases the traumatized driver. (Above)

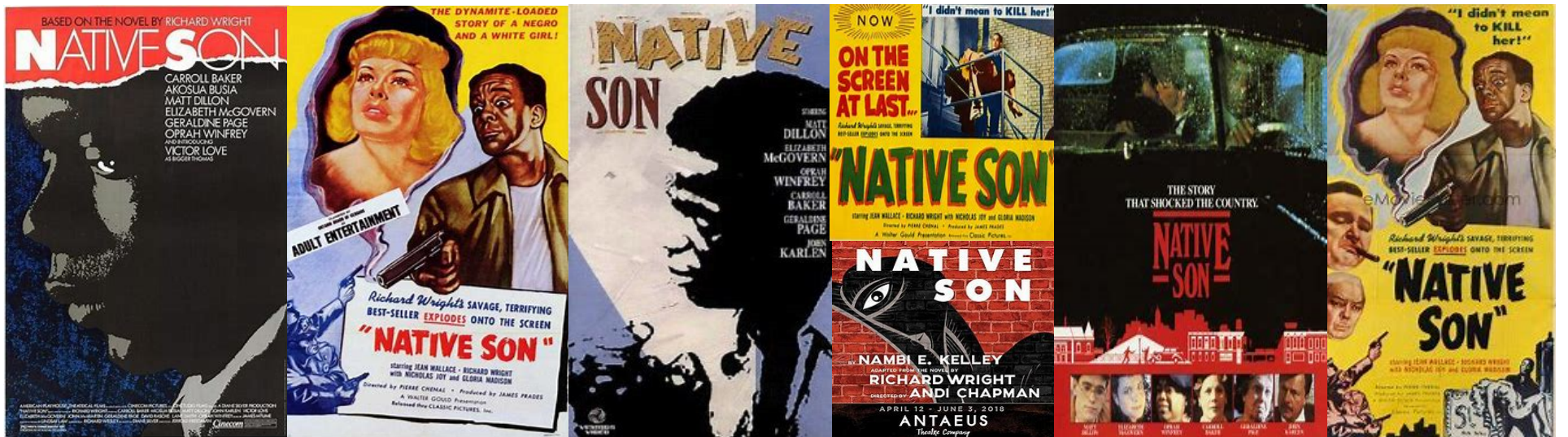


In June of 1943 the city of Detroit was a powder keg ready to blow. On June 20th the inevitable explosion occurred. Whites hated Blacks, and Blacks were sick of being disrespected. Several fights broke out on Belle Isle that day. Later in the day the rumors started. Whites said, Blacks raped and murdered a white woman on Belle Isle. Blacks said, Whites threw a woman and her baby off the Belle Isle bridge. The Detroit Race War raged on until President Franklin D. Roosevelt sent federal troops to quell the fighting on June 22, 1943. Blacks did not stand a chance. At the time Detroit was 90% white, and the Detroit Police Department (DPD) was extremely racist. In the end, 34 people died-25 Blacks and 9 Whites. The Detroit Police killed 17 Blacks. No white people were killed by the DPD. The effects of the 1943 race riot are with us today. There are a few exceptions, but in reality, the racial hate of whites in metro Detroit has never subsided. That's why the Detroit metropolitan area is segregated. The descendants of the 1943 rioters live on. Do Black Detroiters carry angst in their hearts for White people? The Monthly Standard says NO. Detroit is the only city in the USA with a Black population above 80% that has elected a Caucasian Mayor. If Mayor Duggan knew how to sell the city there would be a flood of suburbanites, of all races, returning to the city of Detroit. The first in line should be DPD officers that live in the suburbs. Statistics prove current Detroit residents respect their police force. Unlike the 1920's decade, when the city was about 94% white, 59 officers were killed. Compare that to 21 DPD officers killed in the line of duty in the 2 decades since the year 2000.

MOVIE OF THE MONTH

"Native Son"

Native Son by Richard Wright, written in 1940, is required reading material in most schools. It's a good movie too. Like most films based on novels situations are omitted. We're going to do something different this issue. We're going to display two different versions of the same film. One version was made in 1951. The next version was made in 1986. The 1951 version is closer to the book because it stars author Richard Wright as the murderous protagonist Bigger Thomas. The 1986 version is a sanitized version of the book, but the performances of Oprah Winfrey as Bigger's mother, Mrs. Thomas, and Matt Dillon as communist sympathizer Jan Erlone are superb. Like the book, both films are unapologetic about the crimes of Bigger Thomas. The systematic racism Thomas lives in is quite evident. The young adult lives in a rat infested one room apartment with his mother and younger brother and sister. Bigger kills a young white woman and incinerates her. Next, he kills his girlfriend. Somehow, we feel Bigger's internal pain. Although the book is more descriptive than the films, both movies must be viewed. www.themonthlystandard.news



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WALNM - BIG 3

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Mayor Bowles / Buckley Shooting #1

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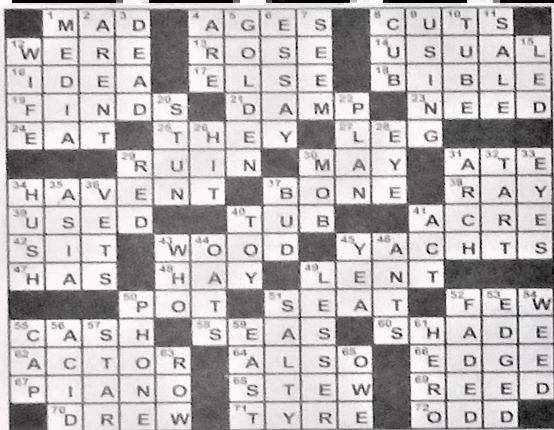
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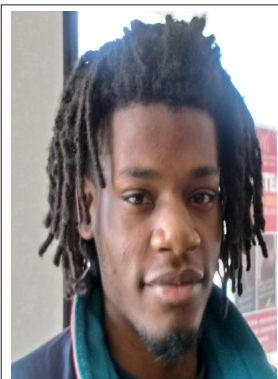
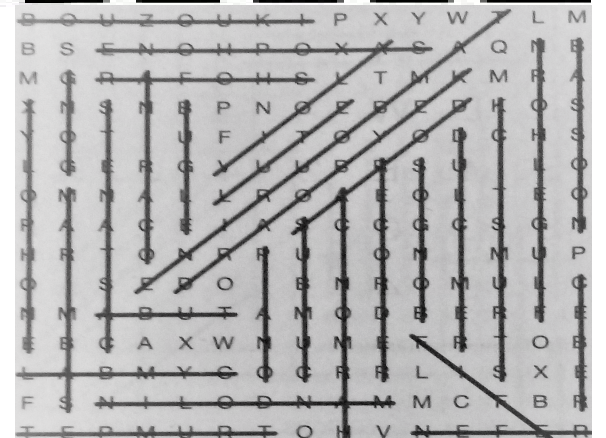
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OUR READERS SPEAK!

TONY BURGETT -Mr. Burgett and his FIVE O'CLOCK FREE PRESS newsletter was so impressed with our "Blackout Day" story he wrote The Monthly Standard. (TMS) The story was designed to alert Black people to flex economic power. Burgett wrote: *Gain only comes thru sacrifice. One day we will rejoice! Strivin' to move forward, AS IF WE HAVE NO CHOICE! White companies profits would decrease greatly if we stopped spendin' money celebratin' on 'dere days! ENOUGH IS ENOUGH!! Mo' 'dan just sum' words, ya know? Like a steam pot 'dat had enough. Bout to Blow!!!! Neva' unda' estimate da power of a paper! Mo matter how small it is! Is it Five O'clock yet?* Thank you Tony B. for your correspondence. We agree with you wholeheartedly. Please stay in touch.

EMIL WALKER -Mr Walker is another TMS reader with something to say. Emil's statement might change the world. He has something to say about **REPARATIONS**. Walker says: "All African Americans should be EXEMPT from paying Federal taxes." The Monthly Standard agrees! His thought is great because it's feasible! The USA doesn't have enough money to satisfy the needs of the descendants of slaves. Which number over 40 million. If you cannot give Black people money, why not save Black people money..FOR LIFE! Doesn't that make sense? We think it does. Contact your Congressperson and Senators. Let's get this done!

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Jason Dixon Lends a Helping Hand to Those in Need



Jason Dixon

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