Mini News

News For The Employees of Data General

August 8, 1986

Stock Bought At $27.75
New Period Price Is $27

Employees who participated in the Data General Stock Purchase Program, which ended on July 31, purchased stock at $27.75, 85 percent of the average market price on July 31, the last day of the plan.

Data General stock certificates will soon be mailed to participants' homes. Anyone who expects to receive stock but does not by August 15, should first contact Employee Shareholder Services to verify purchase, then contact Morgan Shareholder Services Trust Co. at (212) 587-6447 to find out if the certificate was returned to Morgan as undeliverable.

For the August through January period, the opening day price was $27, 85 percent of the average market price on August 1. Stock will be purchased at $27 or 85 percent of the average market price on January 30, 1987, whichever is lower.

For your information, the average fair market value on July 31, 1986 was $32.56

Nippon•Data General
Has New Vice President

Naohiro Okada has been named vice president of Sales and Marketing Operations for Nipppon•Data General, a Data General subsidiary in Japan. In this position, Naohiro reports to Hisashi Tomino, Data General vice president and president of Nippon•Data General.

Naohiro also has been elected to Nippon•Data General's Board of Directors.

Before joining Nippon•Data General, Naohiro was general manager of the Financial Systems Division and a member of the Board of Directors for NCR Ltd. in Japan. He had been with NCR Ltd. for 28 years, after graduating from Kansei Gakuin University in Japan.

Nippon•Data General manufactures and markets the full range of Data General products for the Japanese domestic market. It also designs and produces DATA GENERAL/One portable personal computers for worldwide distribution.

Data General began its relationship with Nippon in 1971 and acquired controlling interest in the firm in 1978. The subsidiary, 85-percent owned by Data General, is headquartered in Tokyo, with an engineering and manufacturing facility, and research and development center in Gyoda.

Duggan Named Marketing
Director For VPD

Skip Duggan

Skip Duggan has been named director of Product Marketing for the recently-formed Volume Products Division (VPD). Skip reports to Jim Barnes, VPD vice president.

VPD was formed last June to develop, market and manufacture laptop and desktop computers, terminals, printers and other high-volume products. The division will be based in Durham, New Hampshire.

Prior to assuming his new position, Skip had been serving as Product Marketing director for peripheral and intelligent workstation products in the Product Marketing Division. He came to Data General in 1982 after 14 years at IBM.

Skip holds a BS degree in electrical engineering from Christian Brothers College and an MS degree in the same subject from the University of Minnesota.

Skip is the fourth director to be appointed within VPD. Previously announced were: Ed Burke, director of Research and Development; John Caruso, director of Manufacturing, and John Freeman, director of Finance.

Reporting to Skip will be employees in Durham who will interface directly with VPD's Research and Development and Manufacturing areas, and employees in Westboro who will maintain close ties to the centralized Product Marketing Division.

Data General Users Group Conference Is Next Week

Next week, the North American Data General Users Group (NADGUG) will hold its 13th annual conference in Orlando, Florida. Data General computer users from across the country will convene to share information on their various types of computer systems and software applications.

The meeting will take place from Tuesday, August 12 through Thursday, August 14. It will consist of three days of informative sessions and round-table discussions led by Data General customers, independent software and hardware vendors, original equipment manufacturers (OEM) and employees.

A special guest speaker will be Dr. Daniel Burns, a noted futurist who will discuss future directions within the computer industry. Dave Lyons, vice president of Group Marketing, also will make a presentation.

NADGUG is made up of all types of computer users and OEMs - from large corporations using advanced electronic networks of Data General computers to small businesses using DESKTOP GENERATION systems, and from Management Information Systems (MIS) managers to CAD/CAM engineers. For more information on the group or the conference, contact the NADGUG office at extension 4721 in Westboro.

Data General Displays Automated Manufacturing At AMS

Data General recently displayed its "winning formula" with an exhibit booth that included a Data General Team Tyrrell Formula One racing car and a computer-integrated manufacturing (CIM) solutions display at the Advanced Manufacturing Systems Exposition and Conference (AMS).
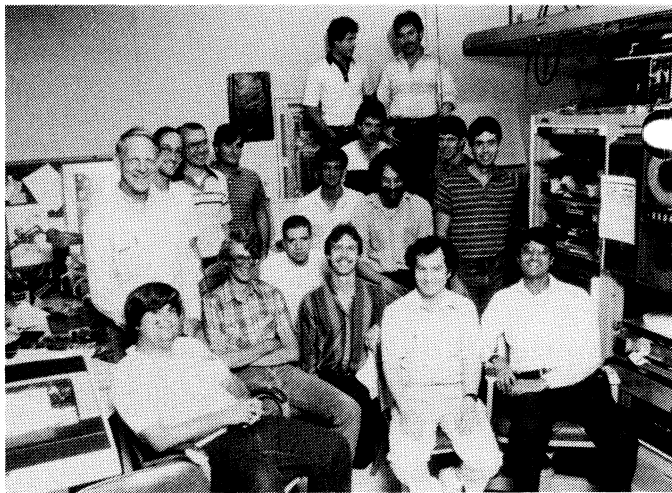
AMS, the most comprehensive international CIM conference, this year was held in Chicago and attracted approximately 200 exhibitors and more than 9000 show attendees.

Data General's crowd-pleasing exhibit kept the booth constantly full with interested attendees. The exhibit consisted of a full range of CIM solution including Data General's TEO technical electronic office system; a working model of an automated guided vehicle system from Ranger Automated Systems, Inc., which is controlled by a Data General computer; the Manfacturing Resource Planning (MRP) II system; bar-code data collection; production simulation; group technology, and computer-aided design/computer-aided manufacturing (CAD/CAM) automation.

As part of the AMS show, Data General hosted a panel of Fortune 500-company representatives that led a discussion of automated manufacturing applications. General Electric, Kaiser Aluminum and EASINET Holdings, Ltd. talked about their CIM applications running on Data General computers.

ECLIPSE MV/7800: A Tale Of Two Cities

ECLIPSE MV/7800 product development team members from Westboro include: (front row, left to right) Chandra Vora, Alan Mandel, Mark Travaglio, John Cole, Charlie Moyer, Marty Ford; (second row) Devon Kehoe, Bill Baxter, Dan Huck, Chuck Waite, Doug Peeke, Mark Hecker, Frank Duben; (third row) Nate Berry, Jim Mumford; (fourth row) Jim Petrie and Pete Dziel. Missing from photo is Don Wiser.

Data General's introduction last week of the ECLIPSE MV/7800 computer represented more than just an addition to the company's growing family of 32-bit computers. It also marked more than just the culmination of a joint development effort between engineers in Westboro and Sunnyvale.

The completion of the ECLIPSE MV/7800 computer brought with it a product which places the processing power of 32-bit computing on just five, very large scale integration (VLSI) semiconductor chips.

The work surrounding the system was carried on in the Systems Development Division's Central Processor Development (CPD) area in Westboro and in the Sunnyvale Division. "For the past few years, upwards of 40 engineers and technicians at both locations worked on a product which should help to open the doors to a countless number of new and existing customers," says Frank Duben, Technology manager within CPD. "The Sunnyvale design was based upon the functional specifications of the chip-set generated by Westboro-based engineers," adds Frank who oversaw Westboro's contributions.

Early Publicity

Employees who have been with the company since 1983 may remember when this development project was the cover story of an Electronics Magazine issue in November of that year. According to Chandra Vora, a CPD project engineer and an author of the article, "the story served notice on the world that Data General would be a key figure in integrating 32-bit technology onto VLSI chips. As a result, the size and cost of computers would be reduced while their reliability would increase." To coincide with the magazine article, Chandra also presented a paper on the development project to the IEEE's International Conference on Computer Design.

"Following the publication of the article and the presentation of the technical paper, we received a number of inquiries on the development project," says Chandra. "However, interested parties were told that due to the complex nature of the project, the finished product might take two years to complete."

According to Frank, team members were committed to seeing that a product attractive to customers would be introduced, despite the project's long development cycle. "About a year ago, we realized that the product had to be improved if customers were to take any interest in it. As a result, we increased its computing power significantly by improving the process technology and the microcode. That's a real achievement."

One of those employees was Project Engineer Alan Mandel. Alan joined the development team in 1983, after completing an assignment on the ECLIPSE S/280 computer. For Alan, serving as project leader for the ECLIPSE MV/7800 computer team allowed him to realize some new responsibilities. "Since I joined Data General, I had always been involved with product design. However, as project leader I was able gain some managerial responsibilities." As a project leader, Alan served as the liaison between CPD and Marketing, Manufacturing, Field Engineering and other groups which have a hand in a product's life cycle. In addition to making architectural decisions, Alan was able to take care many of the "details" so the designers could concentrate on their roles.

The assignment helped Alan experience the best of both worlds. "I love computer design," he says, "and working on this project allowed me to go into the lab and do some productive design work. At the same time, I was able to manage a small group of employees. I will look for that mix of responsibilities in my next assignment."

Team Effort

Despite what Frank and Alan agree was a long development cycle, both felt there really was never any problem in keeping employees motivated. "Working on this product was a group of employees who refused to quit," says Frank. "They wouldn't give up until this product was complete."

Among those working on the project, Alan cites the continuous contributions of Bill Baxter, Mark Travaglio and Charlie Moyer as being key to the product's successful introduction. "Bill contributed to a number of areas," says Alan, "from the microcode to chip design to printed circuit board 'debug.' Mark worked hand-in-hand with Sunnyvale designers in resolving concerns with the VLSI design. Charlie did a great deal of lab 'debug' and wrote a substantial amount of microcode."
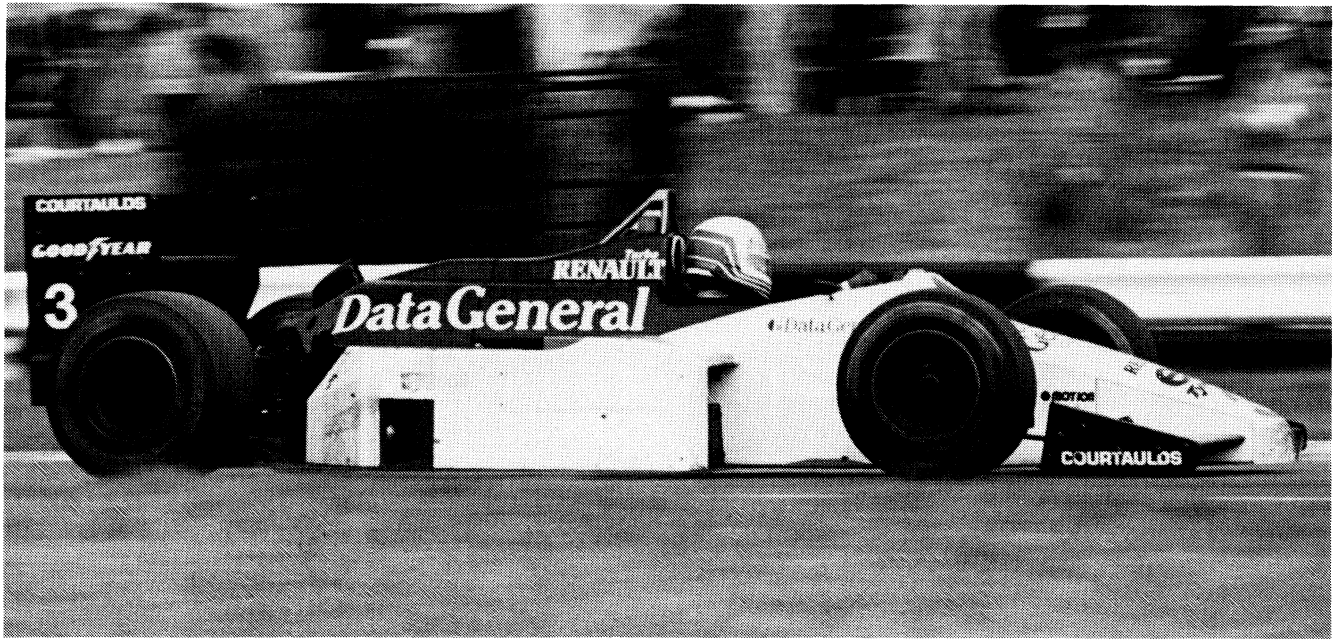
Alan adds that this project "owes its success to the team effort that everyone assigned to it displayed. In addition, the assistance from people already involved with other projects was a big help in bringing this computer to market."

Original developers of the micro MV chip set from Westboro include: (front row, left to right) Don Wiser, Mark Travaglio, Charlie Moyer; (back row) Chandra Vora, Frank Duben, Bill Baxter and Mark Hecker.

Team Tyrrell On The Road In Hungary

The Data General Team Tyrrell racing car and crew prepare for the next race to be held on Sunday, August 10, in Budapest, Hungary. The race will be televised on cable television's ESPN, beginning at 10 a.m. Data General-Europe is the major sponsor for Team Tyrrell, a leading participant on the Formula One Grand Prix racing circuit. The Tyrrell team uses Data General computers to maximize car performance.

First-Day Orders
For New ECLIPSE MV/7800

World Computer Corporation, MacDonald Computer Systems, Advanced Business and Computer Suppliers and Services, Inc. (AB&C) and Automark Systems Corporation are among the first companies to place initial orders for Data General's new ECLIPSE MV/7800 system.

"We are excited about the ECLIPSE MV/7800 computer's expandability. We see this machine as a viable upgrade path for our approximately 100 16-bit users. This machine also makes the more complex software available to that end of our market," says David Selina, vice-president of marketing at World Computer.

World Computer, based in Detroit, is an original equipment manufacturer (OEM) that has been selling Data General hardware since 1973. The company sells complete hardware and software packages to the financial institution industry that performs functions ranging from teller transactions to complex financial statements.

Another OEM purchasing ECLIPSE MV/7800 computers is MacDonald Computer Systems of California. The company markets a parts-distribution system running on Data General hardware to the automotive aftermarket. According to company president, Bruce Adamson, the first installation of the ECLIPSE MV/7800 system will be at a major warehouse in the northeast.

"The importance of the ECLIPSE MV/7800 computer for our market is that it allows our customers the flexibility of expanding from 24 users up to about 100 users without having to change central processing units," comments Bruce.

AB&C, located in Virginia, also has placed a first-day order for the new ECLIPSE MV/7800 system. AB&C has several divisions. Its Direct Response Division processes returns from promotional and fundraising mailings from clients such as the National Foundation for Cancer Research, the American Red Cross and the foundation for the Statue of Liberty. In addition to a fulfillment distribution program for mail orders, premiums and catalogs, it also provides certified forms through another division.

"Initially, we plan to use the ECLIPSE MV/7800 computer for fundraising-oriented purposes in our Direct Response group. We will also be using it to link our system on the East Coast with those in the Mid-West and on the West Coast to create a nationwide distribution network. Later, we plan to add full order entry distribution and management functions for all our divisions running on the ECLIPSE MV/7800 computer," says Michael O'Hara, AB&C president.

Automark Systems Corporation, a Data General OEM, is headquartered in Memphis, Tenn. It sells computer systems to the automotive and heavy-duty parts aftermarket for point-of-sale invoicing and inventory management. Automark has installed approximately 100 systems nationwide. According to company president John Beckham, Automark plans to use the ECLIPSE MV/7800 computer to upgrade its installed base of NOVA and ECLIPSE 16-bit machines and enhance its on-line communications environment.

"We are very excited about the ECLIPSE MV/7800 computer. It fills in the medium-range ECLIPSE MV/product line. We expect 50 to 75 percent greater performance, depending on the applications, and lower monthly maintenance costs with the new system," says Ed Charbonnet, vice-president of Product Development for Automark Systems.

End User And OEMs Among First To Use DG/DBUS

USA Training Academy along with two original equipment manufacturers (OEM), BJ Murray, Inc. and JL Consulting Services, are among the first customers to migrate their application programs from Datapoint's DATABUS language to DG/DBUS, Data General's new software environment.

"The system with DBUS software has lived up to and surpassed our expectations," says Jim McAlpin, vice-president of administration at USA Training Academy. "One accounting job run which took six hours on the Datapoint system now runs in 35 minutes with the DG/DBUS system running on the ECLIPSE MV/10000 computer. Inquiries are now under one second. We are more than happy with our investment," he adds.

USA Training Academy operates private truck driving and secretarial schools on the East Coast. The DG/DBUS system running on the ECLIPSE MV/10000 system is being used to replace the academy's existing Datapoint system. Applications include use for student registration, billing functions and for enrollment and collections purposes at the company's headquarters. The run-time module of DG/DBUS enabled USA Training Academy to avoid a costly rewrite of its existing program.

BJ Murray, a former Datapoint OEM, recently entered into a co-operative marketing relationship with Data General so that its software applications designed specifically for the real estate property management industry would now run on the ECLIPSE MV/Family of systems using DG/DBUS.
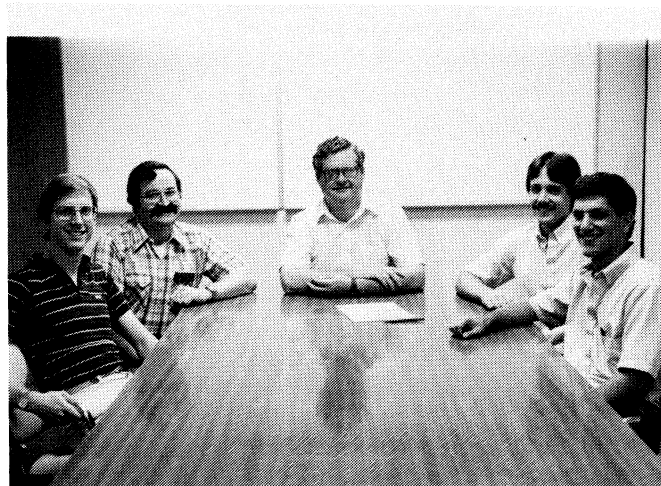
BJ Murray, is a leading installer of turn-key real estate management systems. The company recently sold its property management package written in the DBUS language to Krause Enterprises, a leading New York real estate company. The system will be used to process the 4,000 residential units owned and managed in the New York area and by performing tenant receivables, vendor payables, general ledgers as well as other financial and business functions at the company's Long Island and New York City locations.

Another Data General OEM, JL Consulting Services, has made the transition to Data General's DBUS language. JL Consulting Services is a systems supplier that has installed ECLIPSE MV/series systems. The company will be using the Datapoint emulator with its mortgage banking package that can interface with a laser printer to produce standardized Federal Home Loan forms. The company also markets a medical office management product.

"We have experienced a considerable time savings using the DG/DBUS emulator. For example, a standard series of mortgage qualification calculations that took three-and-a-half minutes, now take half that time or less," says company president John Law.

Software Developers Cited For Technical Achievements

Gerry Clancy (center), director of Systems Software Development, recently presented Director's Awards to several employees within his group for their contributions to key development projects at Data General. Among the recipients are: (left to right) Bob Rentsch, Lu DiGiovanni, Jeff Blakeslee and David Markowitz. Missing from photo are Mark Everett and Lee Dorrier.

Several employees within the Systems Software Development group, part of the Systems Development Division, recently received Director Awards for their contributions to Data General product development. Bob Rentsch, Jeff Blakeslee, Lee Dorrier, Mark Everett, David Markowitz and Lu DiGiovanni were cited for their "clearly superior and exceptional" achievements on key projects.

The Systems Software Development organization, located at both Westboro and RTP, is responsible for the design and development of operating systems, data services and software languages. The group is headed up by Division Director Gerry Clancy.

In presenting the award, Gerry commented, "Individual technological innovation has a unique place in the high technology industry. Through this award, employees are recognized for their technical contributions to software engineering projects at Data General."

Key Contributors

Bob Rentsch was the principal designer of the I/O-controller firmware for the ECLIPSE MV/2000 DC system and the DS/7000 Family of engineering workstations. In this capacity, he served as the technical leader for the system-level integration of these products and has been the common interface between the hardware, software and firmware engineers. Bob received the award for his extraordinary effort in meeting aggressive schedules throughout the entire project and for his significant contribution to the team spirit enjoyed by all involved.

Jeff Blakeslee received recognition for his work in developing the I/O-controller firmware for the ECLIPSE MV/2000 DC computer and the DS/7000 Family of products. Jeff rose to the technical and schedule challenges of the project, making an extra effort to help produce an extremely reliable product in a timely manner.

Lee Dorrier , a software engineer at RTP, also played a major role in the ECLIPSE MV/2000 DC I/O-controller firmware project. Lee was temporarily assigned to the firmware group at Westboro to help implement the magnetic tape emulation code for the 20-megabyte floppy tape. Throughout his extended stay, he worked at writing and debugging a large quantity of complex code and, in this way, contributed to the success of the project.

Mark Everett , an AOS/DVS software engineer, earned the Director's Award for his technical excellence in the design and implementation of the shared-page subsystem. Mark learned the existing system, uncovered design issues, designed a new subsystem, and accomplished all of this in two months - just in time to meet the Alpha-test schedule. In completing the project ahead of time, Mark displayed exceptional technical expertise.

David Markowitz was cited for his outstanding contributions as revision coordinator for the AOS/DVS operating system. He implemented system revisions, tested the system prior to product release, maintained relevant and timely status information for managers, and acted as the primary contact for all product release activity. While working on this project, David also continued to carry out his daily responsibilities within the AOS/DVS development group.

Lu DiGiovanni of the Large Commercial Operating Systems group was responsible for the smooth installation and operation of the AOS/VS operating system running on the ECLIPSE MV/2000 DC. He also assisted Apex Manufacturing employees with their installation of AOS/VS operating system on the hard disk of the ECLIPSE MV/2000 DC computer. Lu's accessibility, professional attitude and technical expertise as a key AOS/VS developer contributed to the timely delivery of hundreds of ECLIPSE MV/2000 DC computer systems to customers.

People

In Field Engineering...

Lynne Raimondo has been promoted to Area Human Resources manager for Area 1 Field Engineering, reporting to Geoff Mann, North American Field Engineering Human Resources manager.

Lynne has been with Data General since May 1985 as a senior Human Resources representative at Wellesley for Regions 1 and 2 of Area 1. Prior to this, she worked as a senior employee representative for NBI Inc. and as a Division Personnel manager for Allstate Insurance. Lynne received a BS in business management from the University of Colorado in 1978.

Training

Course Presents Overview Of Data Management Software

Interested in knowing more about data management concepts, and the similarities and difference among Data General's data management software products?

A new course designed and developed by Educational Services provides an introduction to the three-file management systems available to Data General system users: INFOS II, DG/DBMS and DG/SQL. *Data General Data Management Overview* , (S144), is a new two-day class that will be conducted for employees on Tuesday, August 26, and Wednesday, August 27, at the Education Center, 2400 Computer Drive in Westboro.

To enroll in this class, call Central Registration and Information at 221-1646. Prior approval of your manager is required for enrollment.

RDOS Internals
Class Scheduled

RDOS Internals , (S401), an intensive class for systems programmers, will be conducted by Educational Services August 18 through 22 at the Education Center, 2400 Computer Drive.

To enroll, call Central Registration and Information at 221-1646. Prior approval of your manager is required for enrollment.

Denver Office Relocates

The Denver Field Engineering office has moved. Employees take note of the following new address and telephone number.

Data General Field Engineering
5475 Peoria Street
Building 2, Unit A
Denver, Colorado 80239

Telephone: (303) 375-0630

Travel Tips

Corporate Travel has provided the following information on rate increases to assist employees in planning their business trips, both in the United States and abroad. For more information or to make travel reservations, contact Corporate Travel at extension 232-1000 in Westboro to through CEO, ADM TRAVEL:ISIS.

Parking Increase At Logan

New rates now in effect for parking at Logan International Airport are as follows:

Hours	Rates
0-1	$ 2
1-2	4
2-3	6
3-4	8
4-24	10

Each additional day: 0-6 hours is an additional $5; 6-24 hours costs $10 more.

Educational Services
Employee Training Schedule

The following courses will be conducted by Educational Services at the Education Center, 2400 Computer Drive in Westboro. To enroll in any course listed below, call Central Registration at 221-1646. Supervisor's approval is required prior to registration.

SOFTWARE COURSES

Date	Course Title	Number	Days
8/18	Intro – Assembly Language Prog.	S101	10
8/18	AOS & AOS/VS User	S209	5
8/18	RDOS Internal Structures	S401	5
8/18	Introduction to MS-DOS	S145E	2
8/25	MV Assembly Language Prog.	S105/VS	5
8/25	Introduction to MS-DOS	S145E	2
8/25	AOS/VS System Manager	S219/VS	5
8/25	CEO System Manager	S221	3
8/25	INFOS II Utilization & Design	S306	5
8/26	DG Data Management Overview *	S144E	2
3/27	Introduction to MS-DOS	S145E	2
9/3	Computer Concepts	S100	3
9/3	PRESENT for Programmers	S142	2
9/3	INFOS II Database Design	S406	3

CEO COURSES

Date	Course Title	Number	Days
8/18	Getting Started – PRESENT	OA145	1
8/19	Getting Started – Spreadsheet	OA146	1
8/20	CEO Decision Base Data Tables	OA153	1
8/20	CEOwrite & CEO CONNECTION	OA154	3
8/21	CEO DRAWING BOARD & WORDVIEW	OA151	1.5
8/28	Advanced CEO WP Topics	OA142	1
8/29	CEO List Processing	OA147	.5
9/8	Getting Started – CEO WP	OA141	2
9/10	Intro to CEO Mail & Calendar	OA143	1
9/11	Advanced CEO WP Topics	OA142	1
9/12	CEO List Processing	OA147	.5

TECHNICAL SEMINARS

Date	Course Title	Number	Days
8/18	32-Bit Language Environment *	SM507	5
8/18	System Performance	SM516	3
8/28	CEO Toolkit *	SM519	2
9/8	XODIAC Internal Structures	SM431	5
9/10	Managing an AOS/VS Data Center	SM505	3

* New Course

Avis Rate Increase

Avis Rent-A-Car has increased its special Data General rates for car rentals. The following rates apply for mid-size car rentals:

City	Rate Per Day
Boston	$ 26.50
Atlanta, Austin	$ 28.50
Denver, Houston	$ 28.50
Dallas, San Jose	$ 28.50
Washington DC,	$ 28.50
San Francisco	$ 28.50
Raleigh, Durham	$ 28.50
All other cities	$ 30.50 per day

If you need additional information on rate increases for other car class specifications or services such as one-way drop-off, contact Corporate Travel.

International Custom Fee

Starting last month, all passengers arriving into the United States from abroad are charged a $5 customs fee.

Employee Investment Information
(As of July 31, 1986)
Savings & Investment Program
Guaranteed Fund (Current Return) 11.5%
Balanced Fund (Share Value) $14.46
Equity Fund (Share Value) $11.70
Loan Interest Rate 12.5%

Activities

Great Woods Concert Is A Sell Out

The Great Woods outing scheduled for Sunday, August 17, has been sold out. For those attending the event, the concert will feature the Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra, under the direction of Michael Tilson Thomas. In addition, special guest star Sarah Vaughn will perform an arrangement of Gershwin's greatest songs. Plan to arrive at 7:30 p.m.

All seating for Data General attendees is in the pavilion. If employees wish to picnic or purchase food at the concert, they are urged to arrive early and leave plenty of time before the start of the show. There are no formal picnic areas on the site. However, there are grassed areas along the edge of the property that many people use for pre-show picnics.
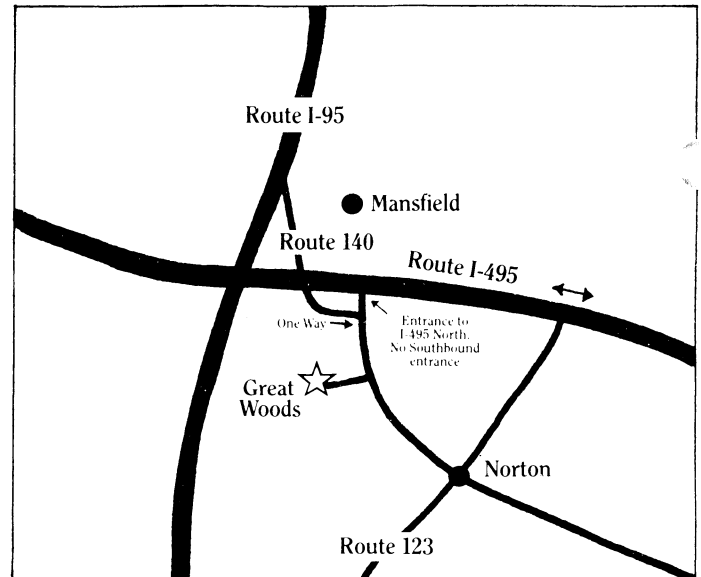
Employees should be aware in advance of the facility's policies, aimed at maintaining a noise-free environment in the pavilion during Pittsburgh Symphony events.

• No pavilion seating is allowed during the performance. All concert go-ers must be in their seats at 8 p.m. or wait until intermission to be seated. During the second half, the same rule applies unless there are planned breaks between musical numbers.

• Food and drink is not allowed in the pavilion during the performance since the noise may disturb other patrons.

Finding Great Woods

The Great Woods Center for the Performing Arts is located on 106 acres at Route 495 and Route 140 in Mansfield, about 35 miles south of Westboro and Boston.

Directions are easy. Take Route 495 south to Exit 11, and onto Route 140. Turn right. Great Woods is less than half a mile down the road on the right. The following map may also be helpful.

Bowling Season Begins Soon

The Data General Candlepin Bowling League is preparing to roll into its 1986-1987 season, which begins next month. Starting September 3, the league will meet on Wednesdays at the Town and Country Lanes in Shrewsbury at 5:30 p.m.

Teams now are forming on a first-come, first-served basis. For interested employees, individual names or teams may be submitted to one of the following employees located in Westboro: Doug Peeke at Mail Stop F213, Judy Glasgow at Mail Stop 1D, or Madeleine Andrews at Mail Stop F134.

Dasher Road Races Planned For September

Data General's fall Dasher Road Races have been ;heduled for Friday, September 12.

The traditional format has been planned: three-mile and 10-kilometer foot races; a 15.5-mile bicycle race, and a biathlon, combining the 15.5-mile bicycle race and the three-mile foot race.

Biathletes take note. Starting with the next race, the biathlon will only be held in the fall.

A reminder to bicyclists: All bike race participants are required to wear helmets.

Watch for registration details in upcoming issues of the *Mini News.*

The Dasher Road Races are sponsored by the Data General Activities Committee solely for Data General employees.

Dasher Road Race Entry Form

(Please print.)

Name: _____

Location: _____ Mail Stop: _____

Extension: _____ Badge #: _____

Race Categories:

(Please check correct information.)

☐ Under 35   ☐ 35 or Over   •

☐ Male   ☐ Female

☐ 15.5-Mile Bicycle Race

☐ 3-Mile Foot Race

☐ 10-Kilometer Foot Race

☐ Biathlon

☐ Race Day Volunteer

T-Shirt Size:
(Please circle correct size.)

S   M   L   XL

I represent that I am in good physical condition and sufficiently trained to participate in the Dasher Road/Bike Race. I am aware of the risks which are inherent to this activity, and I am participating at my own risk. In consideration of Data General Corporation and the Data General Dasher Road Race Committee accepting this application, I hereby assume any and all risks which may be associated with this activity and hereby waive and release all causes of actions and claims for damages of any nature whatsoever which I may have against Data General Corporation, its employees, directors, officers and agents arising out of or connected with my participation in the activity.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Return this race form to DASHER RACE, Mail Stop E111 in Westboro.
Incomplete forms will not be accepted. The Dasher Road Races are sponsored by the Data General Activities Committee solely for Data General employees.

Softball League Standings

The following results are the Data General Softball League standings as of Thursday, July 31.

American League

	Won	Lost	Tied	Pct
ECLIPSE				
Software	10	3	0	.769
Wellesley	10	3	0	.769
Devios	8	4	0	.667
F.E.M.I.S.	7	5	0	.583
Engineering	5	6	1	.458
Data Who	5	8	0	.385
N.T.S.	2	10	1	.192
DASHER				
S.I.E	10	3	0	.769
Feds	9	3	0	.750
Red Ties	7	4	1	.625
Ants	6	7	0	.462
CADavers	3	9	0	.250
M.I.S.Fits	2	9	1	.208
ECLIPSE Engineering	1	11	0	.083
NOVA				
Off-Base	10	2	0	.833
CADgers	9	2	0	.818
Insecurity	7	4	0	.636
Low-Budget	7	4	0	.636
Bat Busters	5	6	0	.455
Slugs	4	8	0	.333
TEMPEST				
Bytes	7	3	0	.700
T-Bones	8	4	0	.667
DS&C Byte Blasters	6	6	0	.500
W.C.I.F.	4	8	0	.333
Short Hops	1	11	0	.083
Moonlighters	1	11	0	.083

National League

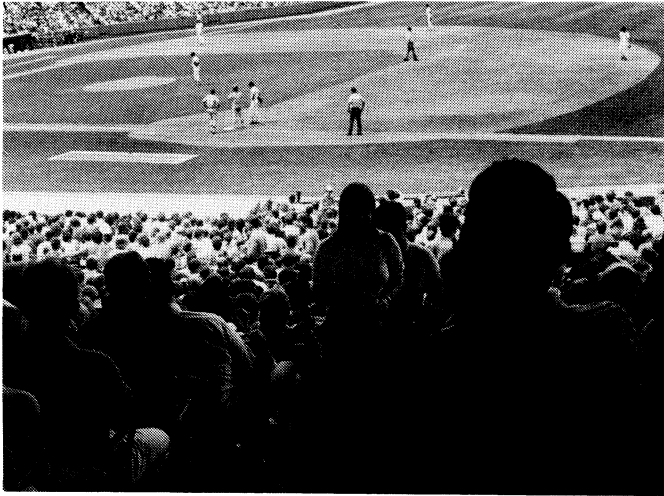|	Won	Lost	Tied	Pct
BOOK				
Building-5	12	1	0	.923
Stockroom-9	9	3	0	.750
Maintenance	7	5	0	.583
Special Systems	6	7	0	.462
Nuked	5	8	0	.385
R.O.D.S.	3	10	0	.231
Renaissance	2	10	0	.167

Rafting Trips Planned For The Fall

For the venturesome few, the Data General Ski Club has planned rafting trips along Maine rapids. A trip down the Kennebec River is planned for the weekend of September 12, and another rafting trip on the Penobscot River is scheduled for the weekend of October 10.

Both trips include: round-trip bus transportation, two-nights' double occupancy, rafting safety orientation, one full day of guided rafting, riverside steak cookout and breakfast.

Double occupancy for the Kennebec trip is $186 per person, with a $50 deposit due as soon as possible. Penobscot is $193 per person based on double occupancy. A $50 deposit for this trip is due immediately. All prices include taxes and gratuities.

Registration forms and informational material may be obtained by writing to: RAFTING, Mail Stop 6-5 in Southboro.

Data General Receives
Royal Treatment At Fenway

The cheers of more than 600 Data General employees and their guests, mingled with the shouts of more than 34,000 other Fenway fans, were not enough to stop the first-place Boston Red Sox from bowing 13-2 to the Kansas City Royals last Saturday. The employees and their quests attended the game as part of Data General's 1986 outing schedule.

Things looked good at the start. The large Data General crowd seated along the first-base line had plenty of time to take trips to the exclusive Data General concession stand to redeem chits for hot dogs, ice cream, popcorn and soda during the first four scoreless innings. Then in the fifth, the men in red and white started running the diamond. By the start of the seventh, the "Townies" were up, 2-0. The group in the grandstand seemed glad that they had signed up for the Data General outing ticket before they sold out.

The Hits Keep On Coming

But the afternoon sun started shining on the Royals in the seventh. After just letting one run in, the Sox' starting pitcher, Tom Seaver, left the game to the cheers of an appreciative crowd. Then, pitchers Bob Stanely and Tim Lollar fell victim to 10 more runs during the inning. The seventh-inning stretch turned into a seventh-inning stun.

The Data General group stayed faithful, however, cheering for the "Beantown Boys" even after two more Kansas City baserunners crossed home in the eighth inning. But, the writing was on the wall - the left-field wall to be exact. As the players headed for the showers, employees and their guests filed out of the park to their autos or to the Data General-sponsored bus with full stomachs, hoarse vocal chords and hopes for better showings in games to come.

MARKETPLACE

CARPOOL

Carpool , Existing carpool needs rider, Brookline/Brighton/Allston/Newton to ɘbo/Sobo, flex, Katz x7093.

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Dog House , 3' x 42", for lg dog, needs paint, you take away, 875-8882 (Framingham).

3 Year Old Dog , free to good country home, protective, spayed & shots, 347-7652 (Sturbridge).

FOR RENT

Condominium , 2 bdrm, AC, w/w carpet, appl, security entrance, $700/mo incl util, 278-5066 (Uxbridge).

Duplex , 3 bdrm, lakefront, $650/mo + util & security, avail 9/1, write P.O. Box 467, Hopedale.

Rooms , S. Yarmouth, walk to beach, 398-9503 (Dennis).

Town House , Mt Washington Valley, Jackson NH, slps 6, furn, appl, near shops/recreation, wk/wknd, 478-3488 (milford).

Apartment , 2 bdrm, pool/tennis, 15 min to Webo, $479/mo + util, 842-4333 (Shrewsbury).

WANTED

Woodworking Equipment , lathe, bandsaw, drill press, jointer, fair price for ꞈod working order, 879-1730 ᴊamingham).

Roommate , to share 2 bdrm condo, $300/mo, 568-0747 (Hudson).

Roommate , to share 3 bdrm cape, 2 1/2 bath, non-smoker, $350/mo + util, 237-6233 (Wellesley).

Housemate , to share 3 bdrm split entry, deck, nonsmoker, 25 min to Webo, $400/mo + 1/2 util, 224-7073 (Concord).

Roommate , to share 4 bdrm house, 2 car garage, conv location, $270 + 1/4 util, 620-0529 (Framingham).

Roommate , to share 3 bdrm house, non-smoker, 20 min to Webo, $250/mo + util, 798-0143 (Worcester).

Roommate , to share lg modern 2 bdrm apt, 2 baths, Rt 9, non-smoker, 5 min to Rt 495, 898-3041 (Westboro.

FOR SALE

Freezer , chest type, 15 cu ft, $175/BO, 473-5289 (Milford).

House , two family, 6 rms down/3 rms up, rental income, $112,000, 345-2020 (Fitchburg).

Tires , 4 steel belted radials, P195/75R14, $85, 562-9840 (Hudson).

Condominium , 2 bdrm, appl, AC, patio, ꓪ unit, near Mass Pike, $92,900 ꓮ9-2311 (Grafton).

Items , kitchen set, maple, round pedestal tbl, 4 chairs, $260; chopping block/microwave stand, $150, 234-9802 (Whitinsville).

Town House , 2 bdrm, loft w/skylights, w/w carpet, near RTs 290/20/Mass Pike, $119,500, 832-7114 (Auburn).

Sofa/Loveseat , green & white, $400, 877-8610 (Framingham).

Firewood , approx 1 cord, cut/split/aged, hardwood, must pick up, $100, 478-7391 (Hopedale).

Items , living rm set, 2 pieces, white w/white & beige pillows, $500; curio cabinet, lighted, $250, 528-6918 (Franklin).

Wood/Coal Stove , Scandia 920, $50, 478-6031 (Hopedale).

Oriental Dining Room Set , Chiniose, cordovan w/burl top, w/2 leaves, 2 arm chairs, 4 side chairs, sideboard, $2200, 879-9934 (Framingham).

Sylvania Color Console , 25", (401) 766-4868 (Woonsocket, RI).

Carpets , 11' x 12', celery green; 12' x 13' med blue, $100/ea, 562-4719 (Hudson).

Condominium , 2 bdrm, AC, wall to wall, $85,500, 568-0747 (Hudson).

Sleep Sofa , queen size, Castro Convertible, red cordory, sm tear in material, $125/BO, 435-3518 (Hopkinton).

Items , AM/FM clock radio, $15; 19" color tv, w/remote, $300; toaster oven/broiler, $50; 3 spd hand-mixer, $10; curling tongs, $7; hair dryer, $9; steam/dry iron, $15; table fans, $12/ea; heavy duty washer, $275; electric kettle, $15; coffeematic II, $15; Toro trimmer + ext cord, $35; BMX 16" boy's bike, $70; Yamaha classical guitar, incl bag, $50; racquetball racquet, never used, $10; elec race car game $25; wall telephone, $20, 393-9728 (Northboro).

AUTOS

'62 Chevrolet Impala , 283 V-8, auto, 99K mi, $2100/BO, 365-4783 (Clinton).

'69 Volkswagen Bug , new tires/brakes/muffler, AM/FM cassette, $500/BO, 562-7927 (Hudson).

'70 Triumph 650 Bonneville (MC) , BO, 347-7652 (Sturbridge).

'76 Plymouth Fury , new parts/tires, $300/BO, 870-0143 (Westboro).

'76 Toyota Celica GT , 5 spd, AM/FM/cassette, w/booster, 94K mi, $1200/BO, 877-7502 (Framingham).

'77 AMC Pacer Wagon , BO, 347-7652 (Sturbridge).

'77 Lincoln Continental Town Car , 72K mi, $1295/BO, 473-5289 (Milford).

'77 Cutlass Supreme , AM/FM, small 8 cyl, $2000/BO, 883-1097 (Blackstone).

'78 Pontiac Grand LeMans , Alpine stereo, recent tires/exhaust, AC, silver, $1800, 839-5041 (Grafton).

'78 Honda CB750K , 4270 mi, w/xtras, $1200/BO, 528-6405 (Franklin).

'79 Ford Granada Ghia , 90K mi, new vinyl roof, PS/PB, AC, $1100/BO, 485-5156 (Marlboro).

'80 Pontiac Firebird , 6 cyl, AC, AM/FM cass, BO, 234-8451 (Whitinsville).

'80 Ford Mustang , PS, AM/FM cass, 56K mi, $2700, 481-2973 (Marlboro).

'80 Volkswagen Jetta , 86K mi, snrf, AM/FM cass, new tires, needs work, $1000, 528-6405 (Franklin).

'80 Datsun 200SX , hatch, 5 spd, AM/FM cass, $1000/BO, 366-9430 (Westboro).

'80 Yamaha XS850 Special , new Metzler tires, 8400 mi, $1600/BO, 366-5634 (Westboro).

'81 Camero , 54K mi, lt blue, 6 cyl, stereo, radials, $3700, 839-9387 (Grafton).

'81 Volkswagen Rabbit , diesel, hatch, $2400, 435-4592 (Hopkinton).

'81 Volkswagen Scirocco , 65K mi, AM/FM cass, new paint, $3900, 366-9430 (Westboro).

'82 Chevrolet Chevette , 4 spd, 2 dr hatch, 49K mi, AM/FM, recent catalytic converter, new battery, snows on rims incl, $2200, 248-5305 (Charlton).

'82 Ford Mustang , 3 dr hatch, AM/FM, 4 spd, 45K mi, $3500/BO, 881-4173 (Ashland).

'83 Cutlas Supreme , 2 dr, T-roof, AM/FM cass, AC, pwr windows/steering/brakes, $7200, 872-8301 (Framingham).

'83 Dodge Aries , loaded, new brakes, silver w/red interior, $3500, 235-7799 (Wellesley).

'83 Nissan Pulsar , 4 dr hatch, AC, 5 spd, AM/FM, silver/maroon interior, $4200, 263-3159 (Acton).
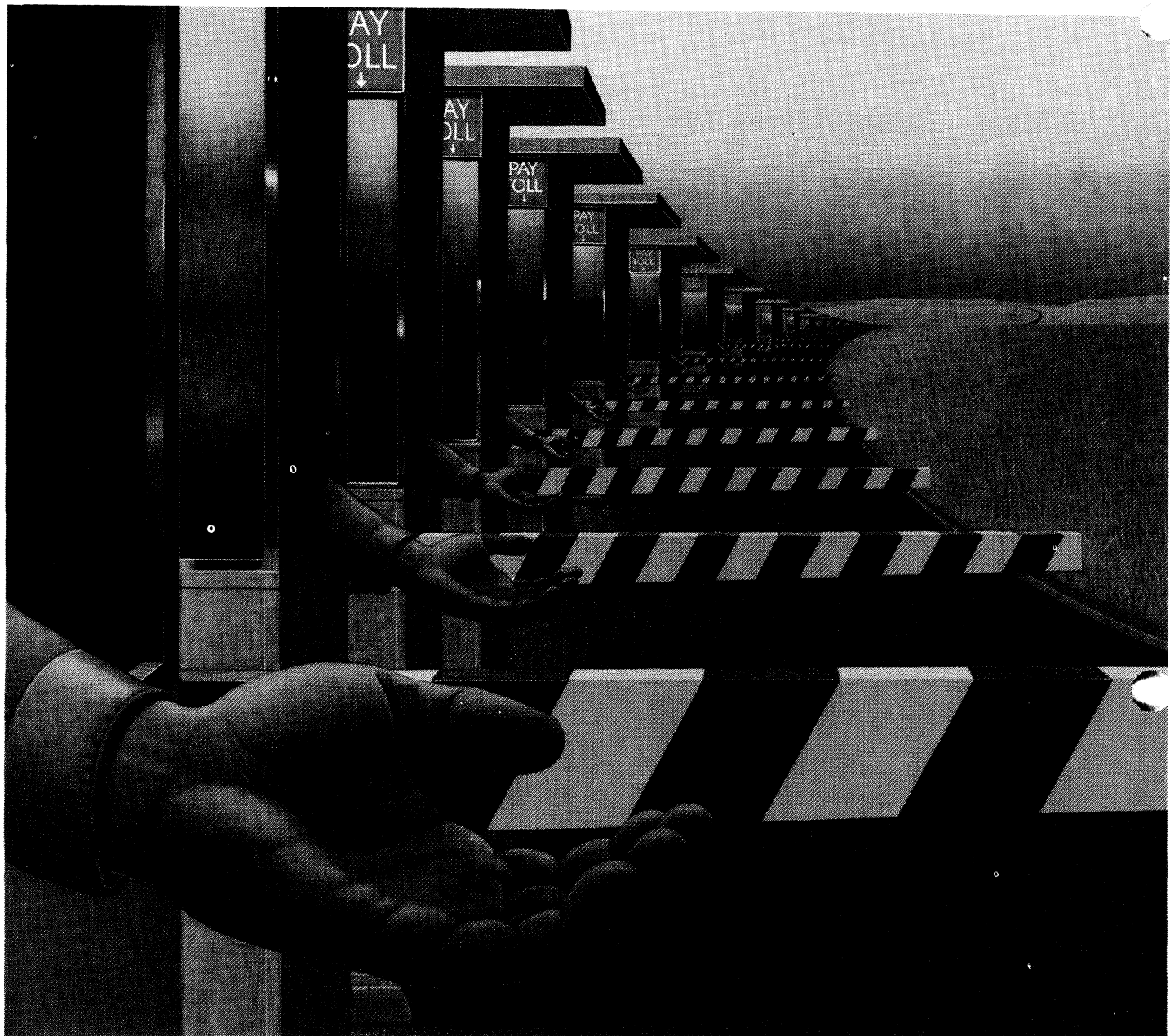
'84 Nissan 300ZX Turbo , frost blue, 27K mi, stored in winter, T-roof, AC, cover, radar, loaded, $13,800 (528-6405).

'85 Ford EXP Sports Coupe , 5 spd, snrf, AM/FM cass, $6600 (South Easton).

'86 Chrysler Laser XE , AC, auto, power pkg, 8K mi, 366-9430 (Westboro).

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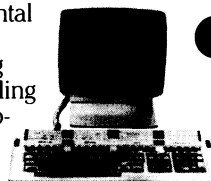
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