

Improvement of Parking Urged

By Bob Amee.

Improvement of downtown parking was urged by a former mayor and commissioner Monday night as he offered the services of the local Chamber of Commerce board of directors to the Plymouth City Commission.

James McKeon explained that the chamber board wished to act as "liaison between the city and the business community" in efforts to improve what he called "a complicated problem."

Approval was given by the commission to a resolution by Commissioner Robert J. Sincock to refer the matter to City Manager Fred L. Yockey for his

report at a subsequent meeting.

Referring to the situation in the city's downtown district as a "chaotic traffic pattern," McKeon said he believed enough parking spaces existed, but that their distribution was a problem.

He said a 100-year-old city like Plymouth was bound to have parking problems and cited the time when horses and horse drawn vehicles were left on city streets. He commented that this practice probably set the precedent for today's parking of automobiles.

McKeon listed the four areas which should be explored by the

city and chamber board as customer parking, revenue from meters, employe parking and traffic control.

Stating that some city merchants "get upset" when suggestions are made to park cars off city streets, he promised the chamber board would stand with the city to counter complaints from the public.

Thanks for McKeon's offer came from Mayor Beverly McAninch, while Yockey expressed his opinion that "Plymouth is much better off than most cities I'm aware of."

He agreed with McKeon when

he added that Plymouth "has enough parking, but in the wrong locations."

During his address to the commission, the former mayor quipped that "those with the biggest cars walked the farthest to get free parking!"

He called attention to the competition from supermarket parking lots, merchants who attempt to save parking spaces in front of their stores for themselves and the problem faced by merchants in deciding whether their employes or their customers should have parking

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ELECTION RESULTS

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CLERK

Republican
Helen Richardson

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Democrat

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Democrat

Carl Parsell

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Democrat

Brian Schwall

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Calorie Watchers Beware

Calorie watchers had better beware for the 1974 Plymouth Fall Festival is a virtual smorgasbord of culinary delights.

The moveable feast begins on Thursday, September 5, with a German Night sponsored by the Business and Professional Women's Club preceded by the Lion's Club Fried Fish Dinner Friday from noon on, the Kiwanis Club Pancake Breakfast Saturday morning, the Jaycees' Beef Rib Dinner Saturday evening and the grand finale - the Rotary Club Barbecued Chicken Dinner on Sunday.

Knackwurst, bratwurst, potato salad, rolls, and sauerkraut served up by native German cooks will bring the Rhineland to Kellogg Park along with the German Dancers and band. Hot dogs will be available for those who don't like the authentic German fare.

Fish will be the star attraction at Friday's Lion's Club Fish Fry next to the Penn Theatre, but the dinner also includes French

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Open Letters

Editor's Note:

Present contract negotiations are virtually at a standstill with the next bargaining session not scheduled until August 12. The Plymouth Community Crier has sent these letters to the Plymouth Community School Board, and to the Plymouth Education Association. The 45-15 program has been scrapped for the year. It is only likely that if contract negotiations do not begin again until the last week of August, a FULL school year for the community's children will be jeopardized.

The students of the community will not be the only persons to suffer, but will be affected the most. It is in the interest of the students, parents, and the general community that contract negotiations begin at once. It's never too late to start. For the benefit of the community, let's begin today.

To the Board

Teacher contract negotiations remain unresolved with the scheduled opening of schools in the Plymouth School District only a few weeks away.

As members of the Board of Education, you were elected by voters of the school district. In campaigning for your office, you have professed a dedication to seeing that the district's students will receive the best education possible.

In your role of representing the residents of the district, you are looked upon as placing the interests of the students above that of personal motivation and ambition.

As pointed out in a companion letter to the Plymouth Education Association, failure to reach agreement before the start of school will most of all hurt the students.

Every possible avenue to

bring contract talks to a successful conclusion should be explored by the board in an attitude which

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To the PEA

Teacher contract negotiations are still up in the air. As employes of the Plymouth Community Schools, you are members of one of the two parties involved who will have to iron out the issues before a resolution can be reached.

No segment of our American society can be considered more important than the role of the schoolteacher who is entrusted with molding tomorrow's leaders in their formative years.

In the eyes of all citizens, it is the teacher who is looked upon as the person who through their actions and their deeds sets the commendable examples and moods of behavior so vitally necessary in the learning

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TRUSTEE

Republican

Warren E. Attwood

William Ryan

Democrat

Gerald Cheske

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

July 30, 1974

Dear Messrs. Foley and Warshauer:

Although this is just a note, it comes with my heartfelt appreciation for your kind words in your letter as well as your Editorial in the Plymouth Community Crier prior to my journey to the Soviet Union. As this Administration moves ever closer to a lasting peace in the world, the faith and support I have received from just such people as yourself underscores my commitment to this goal. I certainly value your articulate dedication to this mission, and you have my gratitude.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

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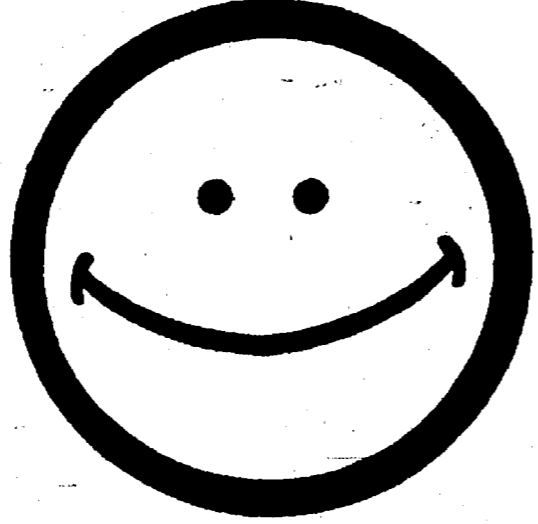
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Local 32 on Strike

A strike is being staged by the Fireman and Oilers at Burroughs. The local, which has a total of 78 people, consists of Plumbers, Electricians, machine repairmen, and maintenance men. Forty-eight of the workers are employed at the Plymouth Plant.

"Some of these men have 25 years seniority, and have never been on strike. Conditions have to be bad for them to be on the street." This was the explanation AFL-CIO local No. 32, when

given by Dick Hollingsworth, business representative for asked why the local was picketing the Burroughs Plymouth Road Plant.

Hollingsworth stated that the other unions were honoring the strike, and that none of the UAW workers employed by the corporation were assisting with any maintenance or repair work. Hollingsworth added that it was not only a strike for economic benefit, but a strike for better working conditions within the plant.

The contract which the union was working under expired on June 28th.

As of last Friday, negotiations between the company and the union were at a standstill. Various offers, and counter offers had been proposed from both sides, but an agreement couldn't be reached.

Mr. Peter Carney, a spokesman for Burroughs Corporation, maintained the strike remains unresolved because of a dispute over economics.



Photo by Bruce Phillips



15th Annual Sidewalk Sale

The flow of anxious bargain hunters began at 8:30 Friday morning, and didn't stop until late Friday evening, only to begin again on Saturday. It was Plymouth's 15th annual sidewalk sale held by the Plymouth Chamber of Commerce. The crowds packed the sidewalks of the downtown area as merchants displayed racks and tables just full of bargains.

It was a beautiful day Friday, and even the cloudy skies didn't discourage the crowds on Saturday morning. A total of 35 merchants participated in the sale along Ann Arbor Trail, Main Street, Penniman, and Forest. The terrific weather, great bargains, and the pleasant attitude of the participating merchants made everyone's walk through the sidewalk sale enjoyable.



Photo's by Bruce Phillips

What's Happening

The NOVI-NORTHVILLE Chapter of PARENTS WITHOUT PARTNERS will present a family night evening of comedy and surprises on Friday, August 9, at the First Presbyterian Church of Northville. Admission is \$1.00 for family members and \$2.00 for guests. Tickets will be available at the door. For additional information call 340-9346.

A BACKYARD POOL PROGRAM is being sponsored by the Livonia Family Y. Beginner and advanced lessons will run each Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday for two weeks. The six-day sessions will be held Aug. 5 - Aug. 16. Fee is \$10. The Y is looking for neighborhood pools. For further information and registration call the Y at 261-2161. Ask for Barb.

Canton Recreation Department DAY CAMP SESSIONS are being held at a cost of \$5.00 per session dated July 29-Aug. 2; Aug. 5-9 and Aug. 12-16. The five day sessions are being held at the Fiegel and Gallimore Schools. For further information contact the Canton Recreation Department.

The Plymouth-Northville chapter of the A.A.R.P. is sponsoring an eight day trip to the NEW ENGLAND STATES from September 16th to the 23rd. The \$300 cost includes transportation, hotels, eleven meals and sightseeing tours. Non-members are welcome. Interested persons are asked to make their reservations soon. For further information call Fanny Bear 453-8262.

Registrations are now available for the POWER SKATING CLINIC offered at the Cultural Center. The first session of the Parks and Recreation sponsored session will be held from August 19 to August 24. Mite through Bantam division ages are eligible. For applications or information contact the Plymouth Department of Parks and Recreation, 525 Farmer Street.

The PLYMOUTH FALL FESTIVAL BOARD meets at 8:00 p.m. at the Board of Education office. The dates for the meetings, held on Wednesdays, are Aug. 7, 14, 21, 28, and the last meeting before the festival will be Sept. 4. For further information contact Doug Hincker, festival president, at 41948 Brentwood.

The Plymouth Jaycees will hold their M-Nite, August 7, at the Mayflower Hotel at 7:30 p.m. John Gregory, past President of the Canton Jaycee's will be the Guest Speaker. Guests are invited. THE JAYCEE'S will hold the August dinner meeting on the 12th, at BG's Supper Club. The meeting will begin at 6:30 p.m., Mayor McAnich will be the guest on that evening.



Susan Keith Exchange Student

Susan Keith, better known as Sam, will not be entering 11th grade at Plymouth Canton High School with her classmates this fall. Instead she left for France on August 4th to participate in the International Cultural Exchange program.

Upon hearing about the program from her counselor, Sam filed a lengthy application, complete with letters of recommendation from her teachers, clergymen, and others. Living with a French family, M. and Mme. Gaury, who live in the vicinity of the Eiffel Tower should provide Susan with a semester full of new and interesting experiences.

Ice Skating Resumes

Ice skating will resume at the Plymouth Cultural Center Ice Arena, 525 Farmer Street starting on Aug. 19.

Summer hours include: Mondays through Fridays, 4 to 6 p.m.; Saturdays and Sundays, 4 to 6 p.m. and 6 to 8 p.m.

Rental of ice time is also available by contacting the Recreation Office, 455-6620.

Plymouth Lions Club meets the first and third Thursday of each month at 6:30 p.m. at the Mayflower Hotel.

Area Birth

A cute little 5 lb. 1 oz. girl, Erica Lynn, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Steve Manfield, Thursday morning, August 1st. She amazed friends and relatives alike by arriving almost one month ahead of schedule! Both mother and daughter are doing fine and are happy to be home.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thelen (formerly Gale Micol of Plymouth) have a new baby girl, Dolcie Faith Thelen. She was born at St. Lawrence Hospital in Lansing and her proud grandparents reside in Plymouth on Dunn Ct.

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Tiger Ballgame (Texas) August 24 - 2:15 p.m. (Deadline by August 9 to the Recreation Office).

Cost for either game is \$3.50 which includes bus transportation and ticket to the game. Buses will leave the Cultural Center at 12:15 p.m. and return immediately after the game. Open to Senior Citizens, children under 14 years and all girls and ladies. Other males over 14 years may use the bus, but must purchase their own ticket. Sorry, no rain refunds if trip is already in progress or if game is canceled after a few innings.

Meetings

Experienced SQUARE DANCERS are invited each Tuesday from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. to the Cultural Center. Swing and swirl with caller, Helen Covietz.

PLYMOUTH GRANGE NO. 389 meets the first and third Thursday of each month at 8 p.m. at the Grange Hall on Union St. in Plymouth. Potluck supper on the first Thursday at 6:30.

PILGRIM WHITE SHRINE NO. 54 meets the first Monday of every month, 7:30 p.m., at the Masonic Temple in Plymouth.

PLYMOUTH ROTARY meets every Friday, 12 noon, at the Mayflower Hotel.

COLONIAL PLYMOUTH KIWANIS CLUB meets each Thursday, 12 noon, Mayflower Hotel.

PLYMOUTH SENIOR CITIZENS CLUB meets every Thursday, 12 noon, at Tonquish Creek Manor in Plymouth.

PLYMOUTH JAYCEES meet the last Monday of every month at B-G's Lounge, 201 Ann Arbor Road, at 7:30 p.m.

The WEST SUBURBAN STAMP CLUB meets the first Friday and third Thursday of each month at the Plymouth Credit Union on Harvey St. in Plymouth.

AARP Plymouth/Northville Chapter meets on the 4th Wednesday of each month except during the months of July and August. During the summer months only special trips, etc., are held. Watch this newspaper for details.

SIXTY PLUS CLUB meets the first Monday of each month at 12 noon at the United Methodist Church. (Sack lunch.)

KIWANIS CLUB OF PLYMOUTH meets each Tuesday, 6:30 p.m., Mayflower Hotel in Plymouth.

HAPPY HOUR CLUB meets every Wednesday (except the fourth) at the Cultural Center from 12-4 p.m. Contact Agnes Rollins, 453-1761.

HI-12 CLUB meets Wednesdays, 7:00 p.m., at the Herc's West Restaurant on Plymouth Road.

ODDFELLOWS meet each Tuesday, 8:00 p.m., 344 Elizabeth, Plymouth.

PARENTS-WITHOUT-PARTNERS, Novi-Northville Chapter No. 731, meets 2nd and 4th Friday of each month at 200 E. Main, in Northville. If you are widowed, separated, unmarried with a child, come and join in the fun. For further info., call Judy Watson, 453-0944.

Art, Film, Theater

PAINT FOR FUN, an informal approach to oil painting, is held 9:30 a.m. - 12 noon, every Friday at the Plymouth Cultural Center.

INFORMAL PAINTING SESSIONS for advanced artists are held every Monday, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Plymouth Cultural Center on Farmer St.

Bible School Opens

"Lord, Teach Us to Pray" is the theme for the 1974 Vacation Bible School being planned by ST. PETER'S EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH. Classes will be conducted from 9:00 a.m. to 11:45 a.m., Monday through Friday, Aug. 5 - Aug. 16. Everyone 4-14 is invited to attend. St. Peter's Ev. Lutheran Church is located on the corner of Penniman and Evergreen in Plymouth. There is no fee or tuition for attending the Vacation Bible School. An

envelope will be sent home with the students for a free will donation to defray costs of materials used.

The Vacation Bible School morning will be divided into two parts: the first consisting of Bible stories and lessons related to the theme, and the last half of the morning will be devoted to handicraft projects for all ages. Refreshments will be served every day.

A closing program will be presented by the students at 7:30 p.m. on Friday, Aug. 16, followed by a social hour when parents and friends may meet the teachers and staff members. Handicraft projects and workbooks will also be on display. For further information call 453-3393 or 453-3047.

Obituaries

Mrs. Louis C. Hutton, 92, of 2400 Portage, Kalamazoo, passed away Aug. 2, in Upjohn Community Nursing Home.

Mrs. Hutton was a lifelong resident of Plymouth, until four years ago, when she moved to Kalamazoo. She was a member of the Plymouth Chapter No. 115 O.E.S., member of Plymouth Grange, member of 60 Plus Club and also a member of the Plymouth Senior Citizens.

She is survived by one son, Henry G. Hutton; a daughter, Mrs. Blanche Chare; three grandchildren, and seven great-grandchildren.

Services were Aug. 8, at Schrader Funeral Home with the Rev. Paul M. Cargo officiating. Interment was at Riverside Cemetery.

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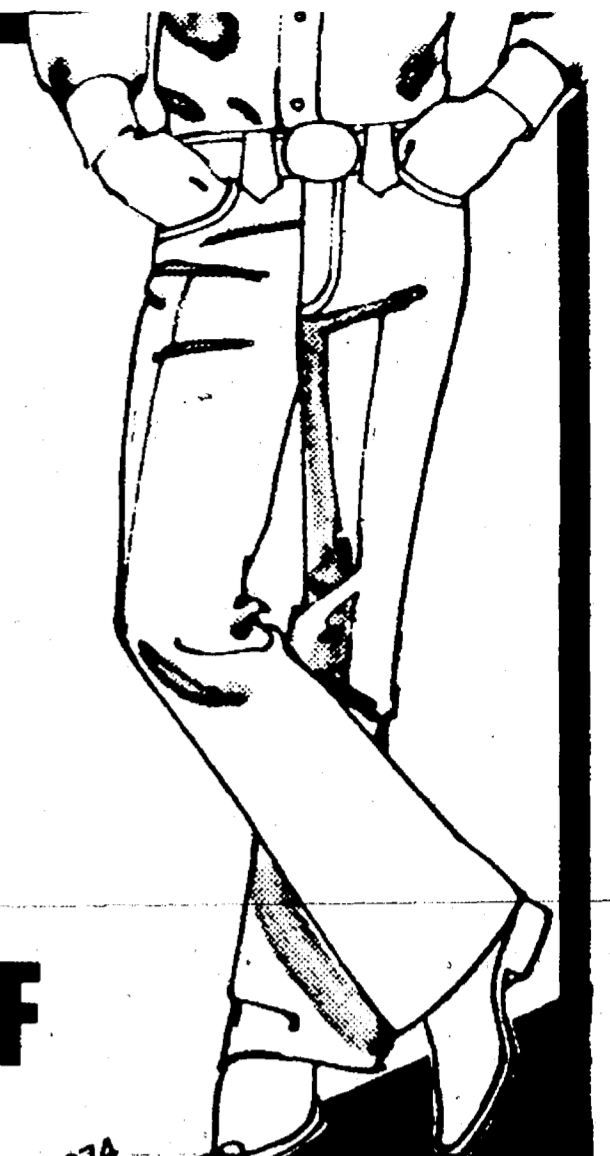
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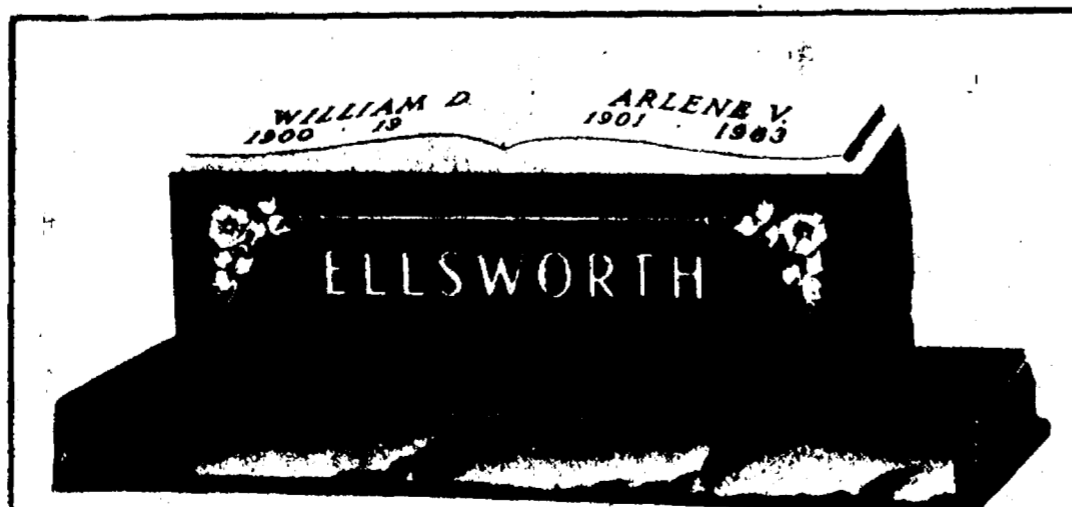
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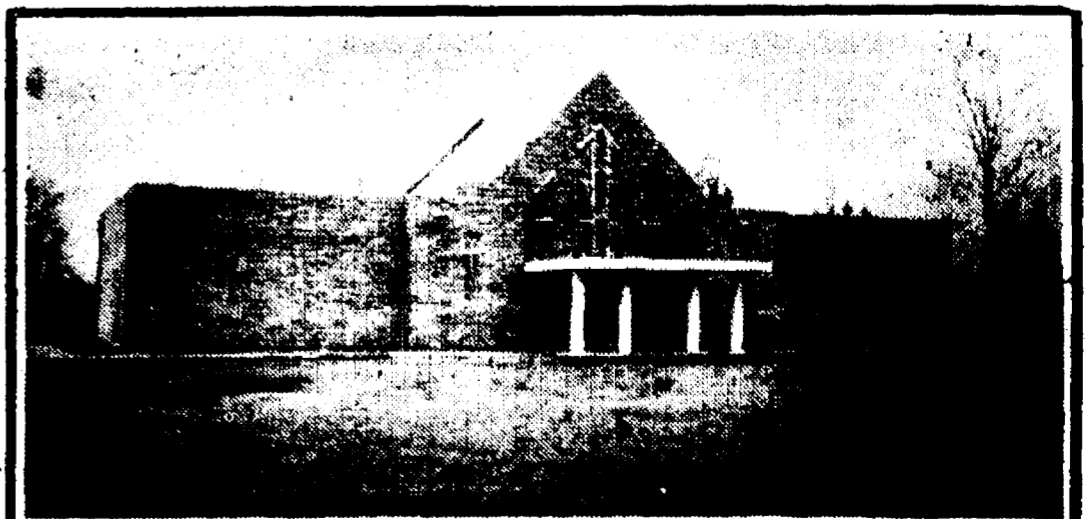
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It's unfortunate that people within a community cannot live together, iron out their differences, and enjoy the friendship of neighbors within their own subdivision. This is most unfortunate for some residents in Windsor Park.

Last week we received a call, asking for a reporter and a photographer to be sent to the playground of Windsor Park. The gentleman calling stated that some youngsters in the subdivision were going to picket a homeowner, because that homeowner expressed his objection to playing ball in the park behind his home. We sent a photographer to the scene, thinking that the young picketers might make a good human interest photo. After seeing the photographs, and reading the letters written by both parties - those for baseball in the park, and those against

baseball in the park - I finally began to realize how disappointing the total situation was.

For a newspaper to take sides in a situation of this type would be Journalistic Suicide, but I do feel a good point can be made.

It's unfortunate that parents, children and neighbors cannot get along. These same people that are arguing over the baseball diamond's placement are probably the same individuals who become upset at demonstrators on college campuses, and the picketers at the Burroughs Plant.

Wouldn't it be easier to talk your differences out amongst yourselves? It sure would make you a better person, and your subdivision a more enjoyable place to live. If we all began on the Community level, maybe the world would be a better place to live.

To the P.E.A.

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process of our youngsters.

Whatever the arena of action, be it a charity fund drive, city clean-up project, help in times of physical disaster or performing as model citizens, school teachers have always been in the forefront of leadership needed to achieve the desired goal.

In their chosen profession, this desired goal is providing the best instruction possible for their students. Superior teaching is good for students, inferior teaching is bad for students. Everything is aimed at helping in every way those youngsters who attend school.

Thus, when a breakdown in contract negotiations occurs, possibly leading to a strike and disruption of studies, it is the students who suffer.

Time being of the essence, each and every member of the Plymouth Education Association should call upon their leaders to resolve contract issues with the board of education at the earliest possible moment.

Each day that passes cannot be recalled. Should those days occur after school is scheduled to open, the everyday life of each community in the district will be disrupted.

Therefore, it is incumbent upon you in your chosen role to "teach" the citizens of these communities that you will place the interests and welfare of the students first and foremost in your attempts to reach a solution agreeable to all.

To the Board

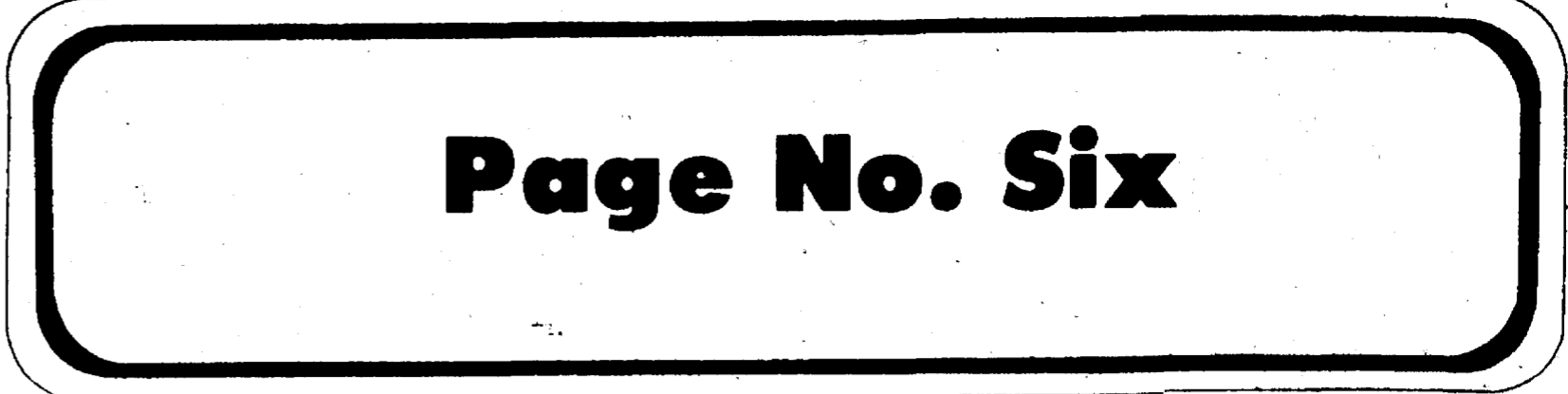
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incorporates "give" as well as "take."

As respected members of the communities in which you live, you head a multi-million dollar corporation whose product is education and whose stockholders are taxpayers of the district.

District residents are well aware that, serving at virtually no salary, board members have no personal monetary considerations at stake in efforts to bring about a reasonable settlement, no reason to stall.

Therefore, with so little time remaining, the board should undertake daily contract talks with the PEA in the best interests of the students, first, and the school district, second.

The old adage has it, "He who hesitates is lost!" However, in this instance, it is not he, but the entire school district - students, teachers, community residents - who will lose!



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The Scene by Ameen

Upset about Watergate? Angry that the President might not be as ethical and moral as yourself? Believe that it is always the other guy who is dishonest?

Better take another look at yourself! According to the results of a survey published recently in newspapers across the nation, only eight per cent of Americans polled admitted to being honest all the way around! The survey went on to list the percentages of citizens who were honest or dishonest in varying degrees.

Now stop and think about your own behavior. For openers, were you exactly truthful in the preparation of this year's state and federal income tax returns? Did you fudge just a little in reporting deductions and expenses? Could you support all of the figures you gave to your tax accountant? Only you can answer all those questions correctly.

How about the last time you were at the grocery store and the clerk gave you back change for a \$20 bill instead of the \$10 bill you gave her? Did you tell her she made a mistake? If you didn't and your 10-year-old son was with you, what is he going to think and how will he act when he's an adult and something similar comes up in his life?

Or, the last time you were at

your neighborhood gasoline station and the teenage attendant let the pump run past the \$5 worth you asked for while he was cleaning your windshield? Did you go along with him when he said, "That's okay. It's my fault. I'll take care of it." And, knowing all of the time that it would come out of his pay when the boss discovered the error, did you keep quiet or did you go ahead and pay the additional dollar or two?

Sure, it was his fault, but strictly in the line of duty, not intentional or premeditated. Like when you talked longer than you intended on that long distance call to friends on the coast. You didn't call the telephone company and tell them you didn't mean to talk that long. No sir, you paid the total bill, begrudgingly perhaps, but you paid it!

So, if you didn't offer to pay the station attendant, were you being honest?

How about the time you bought a dozen glass tumblers for your wife, dropped them coming up the walk to your front door and broke two of them? Did you suffer a twinge of conscience when you returned them, told the store clerk that they must have been broken when you took them and that you would like them replaced?

Honesty is not measured by degrees. It's either one way or the other, no in-between, either black or white!

If "charity begins at home," so does honesty! The examples that parents set for their children in their impressionable years set the pattern for their future behavior toward their fellow man. Would you be dishonest and say you wouldn't want your son or your daughter to become an honest adult?

If the survey mentioned was reasonably accurate in its conclusions, what is our nation in for? A nation is its citizens. If they are dishonest in the main, then so is the nation.

It would seem that America is sadly in need of a moral reawakening in these modern times. If this means a return to strict biblical precepts learned at our mother's knee, then the sooner the better.

Each and every parent wants something better for their children in every way than what they had. Therefore, it behooves them to live their lives in such a way that they will feel no reproach in the manner in which their children will lead their adult lives, whether they are still alive to see it or not.

So, the next time you are prone to cast blame or criticism on another, stop and reflect. Are you any different that you too should not be judged?

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Armstrong Awarded Fellowship Diploma

Mr. John Armstrong, Vice-President, Group Operations for American Community Mutual Insurance Company of Plymouth, Michigan, has been awarded a Fellowship Diploma by the Life Office Management Association Institute for completion of the FLMI Insurance Education Program. To qualify for the Fellowship, a candidate must pass a comprehensive 3-hour examination in each of seven basic subjects and a 6-hour examination in management principles and a specialized field of interest. The new Fellow is entitled to the use of the designation FLMI (Fellow Life Management Institute) following his name.

The Life Office Management

Association, established in 1924, is a non-profit organization which conducts research and educational activities for leading life insurance companies in the United States, Canada and 22 foreign countries.

The FLMI Insurance Education Program offers a broad course of study of life insurance concepts and the management of a life company. Since the inception of the program, more than 604,000 examinations have been written and 6,100 persons have qualified for the Fellowship designation. More than 193,900 men and women have participated in the program since 1932. This year examinations were written in more than 2,800 test centers around the world.

PARKING

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spaces which go with their building.

McKeon suggested that possibly the city needs money to finance consultant fees for preparation of a parking analysis for the downtown district.

Concern was expressed by Commissioner Norbert W. Batterman in citing a previous study which showed that employees got prime parking spaces "15 minutes before the stores opened." He urged that parking spaces for store employees should be marked.

But, Commissioner Joseph J. Bida questioned whether merchants have the right to tell their employees where to park.

Mayor McAninch said that a proposal being considered to raise parking meter rates from five to 10 cents "has stirred up the sediment."

McKeon assured the commission that the chamber board's offer "is not a delaying action" in regard to the proposed increase.

Asking to speak from the audience, Jack Wilcox, prominent property owner in Plymouth, offered the city a half acre of land for parking at no cost to the city. The land is located between Union and Elizabeth streets near the Plymouth Rock in the city's square.

Jaycettes Carnival

The Plymouth Jaycettes are presenting a Children's Carnival of Contests at 10 a.m. on Saturday, August 10th, at Junior High East, located at Lilley and Ann Arbor Road. The Carnival of Contest will be for children going into the first, second or third grades.

Some of the contests will be: big wheel races, hula hoop contest, ball throwing, jump rope, etc. Children are asked to bring their own big wheels and hula hoops; all other materials will be provided. Prizes will be

awarded in each contest to winners in first, second and third grades. Admission is free.

Advance registration must be made before August 9th by calling Jo Ellen Hincker, 453-7245; Toni Jarmol, 453-8377; or Sue Gansler, 455-3003. Unfortunately only the first 100 children will be able to participate in the contests so be sure to call early and register your child. We promise that every child present will have a good time at our Carnival of Contests.

Calorie Watchers Beware

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fried potatoes, cole slaw, roll and butter, and a beverage.

The Masonic Temple is the place to be on Saturday morning when the Kiwanis Club provides hot golden pancakes, sausages, coffee, and milk.

Saturday evening will feature a traditional American favorite, beef, at the Jaycee-sponsored Beef Rib Dinner next to the Penn Theatre. Corn on the cob, potato chips, a roll, coffee or milk, and ice cream will be provided as well.

Sunday is the day for the dean of Fall Festival service-club dinners, the annual Rotary Club Chicken Barbecue.

Each year the barbecue grows in size and the Rotary experiences record sales. Last year alone 15,000 pounds of chicken were bought and ended up as 14,500 dinners.

But the barbecue's beginnings were more modest. The Joy and Wing playground was the scene of the first barbecue in 1956, which drew a crowd of 150, mostly Rotary members and their families.

In 1960 the barbecue expanded into a Fall Festival and moved to new quarters in Kellogg Park. Over the years the festival has expanded along with the barbecue, growing in length from a one to four-day event.

This year the Rotary Club expects another record breaking crowd to sample its crowd-pleasing dinner, which includes corn, a roll, and of course, the chicken.

Warren, Koepke Resign

Two members of the Plymouth Planning Commission, including the group's chairman, have resigned their posts effective in action taken Monday night by the City Commission.

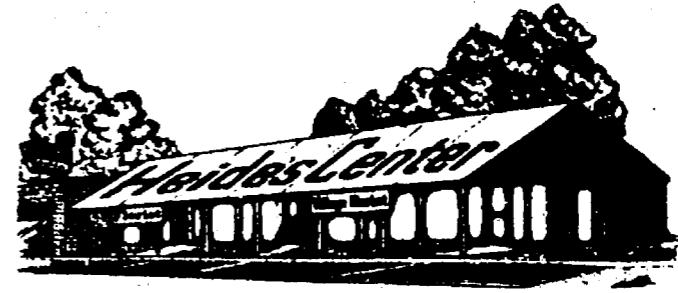
The commission accepted the resignations of Jim Warren, chairman, and Russell Koepke and expressed appreciation for their service to the city.

Mayor Beverly McAninch said Koepke's resignation was prompted by business commitments requiring his presence out of the city, while Warren was moving to Canton Township.

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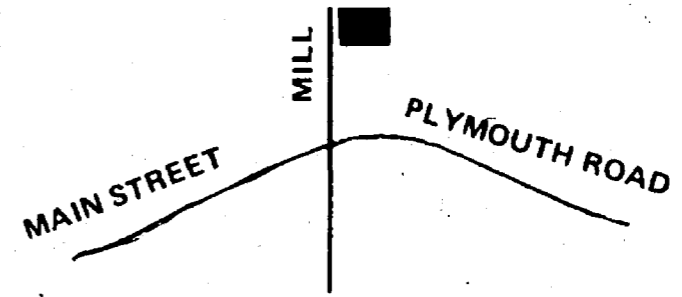
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Costumes and Produce Add Color to Festival

Vintage costumes and fresh produce will add a colorful note to the activities at Plymouth's 1974 Fall Festival, which runs from September 5-8.

A slice of old Americana will be provided by the Costume Competition. Authenticity is demanded in this AAUW-sponsored contest which will highlight the 1850-1890 time period.

The costumes must be authentic or a good reproduction and complete in detail except for footwear. Categories will include: Family - two or more persons appearing together, may include children. Children - persons up to age 14; and Adult - persons age 14 and over.

First, second, and third prizes, will be awarded. The contest will be held on Sunday, September 8. Judging will be held from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. behind the bandstand in Kellogg Park. Winners will be announced at 3:00 p.m.

The products of Michigan's farms and gardens will be featured in the Produce Exhibition and Competition sponsored by the Rotary Club.

Farmers, commercial retailers, and citizens of all ages are eligible to enter the competition.

This year the first four categories will be judged separately. All entries must be Michigan grown. The categories are:

1. A wheelbarrow of mixed garden vegetables attractively displayed.
 2. Five bushels of pumpkins and/or squash arranged in a pile, using any variety of mixtures.
 3. A bushel basket of husked sweet corn.
 4. A small pyramid of home grown muskmelons.
- Other categories will be:
1. Soy Beans - the plant with the most pod.
 2. Indian Corn - an eight eared bundle of husked corn.
 3. Tall Corn - the tallest stalk of any kind of corn, measured from the ground to the tip.
 4. Largest pumpkin or squash.
 5. Old-fashioned bouquet of fresh garden flowers.
 6. Tallest sunflower with largest blossom.

Ribbons for first, second, third place and Honorable Mention will be awarded in each category. Entries must be placed under the Exhibit's tent in Kellogg Park by 1 p.m. on Sunday, September 8. Ribbons will be awarded to winning entries around 3 p.m.

Lottery to Be Held During Fall Festival

September 5-8 are the dates to remember for this year's Fall Festival which will kick off with a drawing from the Michigan State Lottery in Kellogg Park.

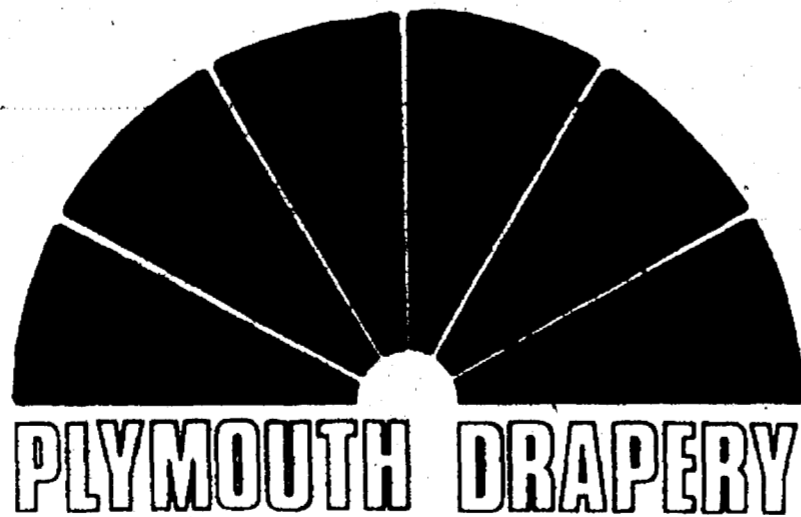
The Lottery, which will be held on September 5th at 9:45 a.m., will feature a Super Drawing in which an estimated \$380,000 will be given away via a series of drawings from past lottery winners.

Prior to the Super Drawing a regular weekly drawing will be held in which prizes at \$25 and \$10,000 will be awarded to ticket holders with the matching winning numbers.

Winners in the weekly drawing will be selected from green 50-cent ticket holders.

Present at the drawing will be State Senator Carl Pursell, Michigan Lottery emcee Jim Culver of Lansing, and a green-clad "Lottery Lady," who will serve as assistant on stage.

Although plans for the Fall Festival are well underway, organizers remind those non-profit organizations interested in obtaining booths to get their applications in soon if this year's festival is to be a success. For further details call Tony Flum at 453-4000.




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August 11th Proclaimed Family Reunion Day

The Nation's most basic social unit will be the object of attention across the United States and Canada on August 11.

Family Reunion recognizes the family as the cornerstone of society. The day will be celebrated with family get-togethers, picnics, outings and patriotic events. The holiday is supported by scores of service and fraternal organizations, veterans, patriotic, youth and religious groups to dramatize the family as the keystone of strength and morality in our nation.

When President Lyndon B. Johnson proclaimed Family Reunion Day in 1968 he said: "I urge all people to support those actions that will strengthen the family, and to celebrate this day with such ceremonies as will re-emphasize our continuing belief that family life is the highest and most enduring product of our civilization."

Family Reunion Day was originated by Kiwanis International and Freedoms Foundation at Valley Forge.

Freedoms Foundation's president, General Harold K. Johnson, USA (Retired), emphasized the importance of

the family, saying "Families are the basic unit of society. They are the wellspring of the nation's values and its moral strength. Our capacity to love our fellow man, our sense of integrity, our regard for the dignity of the other person, and our respect for authority are learned first in the family circle." General Johnson continued: "The emphasis each of us can give to the family on this day is a constructive action. Strong families are our most

valuable asset as we work to improve the quality of life in every community."

"No institution is as old or has made such important contributions to the evolution of society as the family," said Kiwanis International President

Wm. H. Eagles, M.D. in a recent statement. "We can be proud of the fact that Kiwanians have been the leaders in initiating the Family Reunion Day idea and all that it stands for - the

affirmation of the family as the ultimate influence in teaching good citizenship, morality, and personal integrity to our children and to succeeding generations. I therefore urge every Kiwanian to plan a family reunion and every club to encourage participation to demonstrate our belief that the family is the keystone of a strong community and nation."

Some of the activities suggested for families on August 11 include: family dinners, picnics or outings with children,

grandchildren, aunts, uncles and cousins; getting the family up to date on addresses, births,

anniversaries, deaths and other family events; patriotic activities such as familiarizing the

youngest family members with our historic documents and events in national and local

history; the development of family-research projects so that youngsters know more of their

grandparents and great-grandparents; everybody in the family getting together for at

least part of the day; family worship together in the manner of their choice; renewing contact with family members in other parts of the state or country by phone or mail.



Pastor Thompson To Resign

After seven years of being Pastor of First Baptist Church of Plymouth, Pastor Paul S. Thompson announced his resignation to the congregation and has accepted the position of Senior Pastor of the First Baptist Church in Augusta, Kansas, (a suburb of Wichita).


Under Pastor Thompson's leadership the church has grown from attendance of 130 to 400. The church has been relocated from Spring Street to a brand new facility on North Territorial Road and plans are in the process of being made to further expand the present overcrowded structure. During Pastor Thompson's administration they added a full-time Assistant Pastor, Church Secretary and Minister of Music.

Pastor Thompson has served as President of the Ministerial Association; Co-ordinator of the Plymouth Evangelical Fellowship; cooperated with the Fall Festival Program Committee and was a member of the Human Relations Committee for four years.

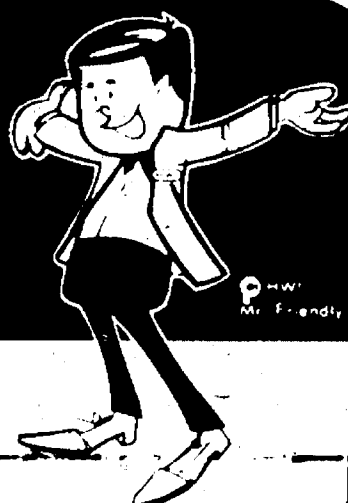
When Pastor Thompson announced his resignation he did so with a reluctant spirit because of the close fellowship that he has had with the congregation. But he said, "God has made it very clear that I accept this new challenge even though I am reluctant to make the move."

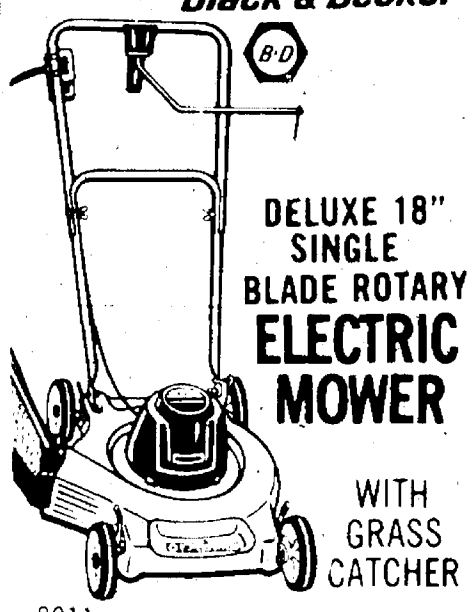
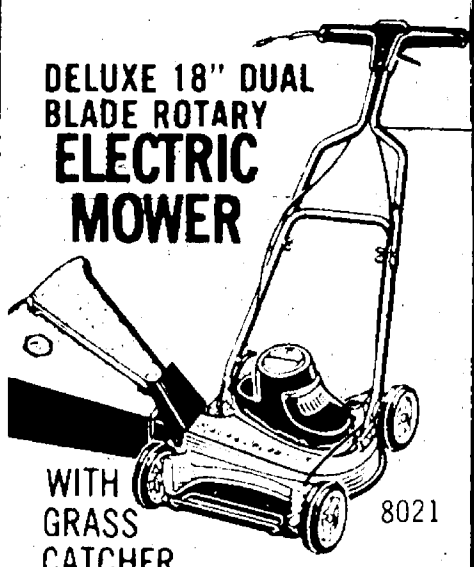
Pastor Thompson's last Sunday will be August 18th.

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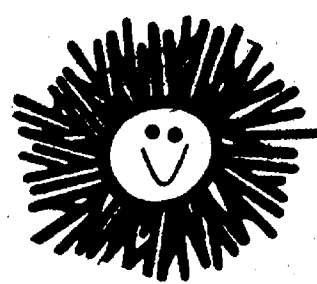
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Dotted swiss daisies or percale poppies are easy to make, but they do require a good clean-up when finished.

Instructions

A. Cut material into desired

shape, or size circles. You may also cut each individual petal out separately.

B. Dip shape into full strength liquid starch; bring out of starch and run through thumb and forefinger to remove all excess starch. (Have damp towel handy as starch is sticky.)

C. Shape fabric around a jar, the bottom of a glass, an orange juice can, a spoon, a small bowl, measuring spoons, forks, or any comparable object and set aside to dry.

While flowers are drying, prepare shadow box to arrange them in. (An old shoe box lid or oatmeal lid will do.) Paint both inside and outside of lid in contrasting colors, or you may have some leftover contact paper somewhere you could use. For a vase or pot, cut in half a milk carton, meat container, vegetable container or plastic bottle. (This gives your arrangements a 3-D effect.) Paint half with poster or tempera paint with liquid detergent added to adhere better. Give painted half to lid. Use pipe cleaners, construction paper, yarn or newspaper for leaves and stems. Buttons, seeds or yarn can be

used for flower centers. In making smaller fabric flowers, mold flowers over bottle caps and remove them while still damp, then pinch into different shapes.

If fabric flowers are not your thing, but flowers without a slight mess are, then you need to think about burlap blossoms. You will need basically the same materials as fabric flowers, but include green styrofoam, florists tape and a quart or pint basket (the kind strawberries come in).

A. Shape pipe cleaners into petals, leaving three-quarters of an inch on each petal bottom.

B. Put white glue on bottom of petal portion of pipe cleaner. Use your leftover fabric scraps and place pipe cleaner, glue side toward fabric, down on fabric. Let dry, trim away extra fabric.

Centers can be made by loosely winding yarn around two fingers with another piece of yarn. Keep this piece long enough to work with later. Clip loops and trim to nice fluffy ball.

C. Bend extra pipe cleaners on petals to right angles.

D. Wind them around a wire

stem (a piece cut from a coat hanger works well) with the yarn ball in center with long pieces next to the wire stem. Florists tape or green cloth tape wound around the pipe cleaners, pieces of yarn and stem, finishes the underside of the flower.

When wrapping down the stem, be sure to include leaves, made the same way, to finish your flower.

When all these burlap blossoms are made, they can be attractively displayed in a quart or pint basket. Fill the bottom of basket with crumpled tissue or newspaper, on top of filler, cut a piece of green styrofoam (or white spray painted green) to fit. Insert flowers into styrofoam to make a lovely arrangement.

Ribbon can be added around top edge of basket for final touch. Burlap and gingham make delightful arrangements.

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First Presbyterian Church, 200 East Main Street, August 9th, at 7:30 p.m. Sponsored by the Novi-Northville Chapter of Parents Without Partners, the show will be open to all PWP members and the general public. Everyone is welcome and tickets may be purchased at the door. Admission is \$1.00 for PWP families and \$2.00 for all other families.

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Plymouth Merchants Connie Mack National League Champions, 1974. Season record — 13 wins, 4 losses. First row, left to right: Scott Dunagan, Mike Howell, Keith Randazzo, Bob Ayotte, Mike Verduce, Brian Stemberger. Second row: Rick Grimes, Ron Lack, Dave Pink, Bill Parson, Tom Close, Chris Martucci, Coach Fred Crissey. A team thank you to the following merchants: Plymouth Community Crier, Trading Post, John Smith's, Famous Men's Wear, Minerva Dunnings, Pick O' the Wick, Wayside Gift Shop, Basket 'n Bows, Plymouth Credit Union and Gino's Pizza.

Merchants Win Tourney Game

by Dennis O'Connor

"The extra inning victory over East Detroit is what really took a lot out of the players," explained Coach Fred Crissey of the Plymouth Merchants.

The Plymouth Merchants were winners of the Connie Mack National League race and traveled to Flint last Thursday and Friday (August 1 and 2) to participate in tournament play.

And it was an eleven inning 4-3 victory over East Detroit that this very young Plymouth crew was able to come up with.

The other two losses came to Allen Park 9-8 (after being down 9-3) and Detroit 8-0.

The Chiefs built up a 3-0 lead going into the seventh stanza of the East Detroit game.

Two runs came in the third when Bob Ayotte and Keith Randazzo crossed the plate.

The other run came when Ayotte knocked in Dave Pink with a RBI single.

But three seventh inning runs, without the benefit of a hit tied

things up for East Detroit.

The winning run came when Randazzo led off with a base on balls. He moved to second on an error and scored when Mike Verduce lined a single to right center.

Bill Parson went the first seven innings pitching brilliant no hit ball, the only no hitter of the tourney.

Tim Seagraves, a pickup player from Brother Rice went the rest of the way allowing just two hits and striking out seven.

A game saving play to the plate came in the eleventh inning as an East Detroit player tried to stretch a triple into an inside the park homer. But he was nailed coming home on Scott Dunagan's relay to catcher Tom

Close.

A real heart breaking loss came to Allen Park following this victory.

Allen Park had built up a 5-0 lead after four and a 9-3 lead after six innings of play.

But the Chiefs' bats came alive in the last inning only to fall one shy of tying the score. In fact, the Chiefs did have the tying run on the base paths when the third out was made.

In that last inning, Plymouth batted around.

With one out, Dunagan was safe on a bunt single. Ayotte walked moving Dunagan to second. After Parson popped up for the second out, Randazzo

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Photo by Bruce Phillips

John Roth learns to swim with the Backyard Community Pool Program sponsored by the Livonia Y. The lessons run for two weeks with six-day sessions and 10 children to a session. John's class is at the home of the Rosses in Northville.

Wildcats Win "E" League

Managers Jim Symonds and Art Gerish led their Wildcats into tournament play last week with two shutout victories over the Badgers and Buckeyes.

The Wildcats finished with a 12-3 mark for the year which was good enough for tops in the "E" League (14 and 15 year old division).

Thursday's win (August 1) was a reversal of a forfeit loss as the Wildcats won a protest and finally the continued game with a 10-0 victory over the Badgers.

It was all Bruce Gerish in this one as he used his arm and bat to win the contest.

Gerish went all the way, giving up three hits, fanning ten and walking six. He also hit a two run blast that put the icing on a 5-0 lead.

Saturday morning's game was a well fought battle between both clubs that resulted in the Wildcats edging the Buckeyes 1-0 for the championship.

Kevin Randazzo sparkled on the mound as he gave up an opening game single to the Buckeyes only to no hit them the rest of the way. Randazzo struck out three and walked five.

John Young hurled for the Buckeyes and also did a super job pitching a two hitter and suffering the loss.

The Wildcats scored the only run of the ball game as Pat McKendry walked with two outs. He proceeded to steal second and come home on Gerish's RBI single.

Some great defensive plays also helped the Wildcats' cause.

Great infield plays were made by Brian Larson and Gary Sieber. In the outfield, Joe Pierce and Ken Britton also made some fine catches.

Catcher Mitch Symonds contributed by gunning down two attempted stealers.

Congratulations to the Wildcats for their first place finish.

Merchants Win

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loaded the bases with a drag bunt single.

Chris Martucci promptly laced a 365 foot shot, one hop against the fence, to clear the bases and go in with a triple.

Verduce closed the gap to 9-7 with a RBI double scoring Martucci. Verduce eventually scored the final run of the stanza on a wild pitch.

The Chiefs just couldn't do anything right in their third and final game of the tournament as they lost to Detroit.

The Chiefs never could recover after an opening inning that found Detroit scoring four runs

on two hits, four errors, and three stolen bases.

Everything went in the worst possible way on the field as they committed six errors in the contest.

It was the only time in school or summer league play that the Chiefs were shutout during the year.

Coach Crissey was very pleased with the way Plymouth performed since they weren't even supposed to win a tourney contest.

The Plymouth Merchants finished the summer campaign with an impressive 13-4 record and will play for the Plymouth-Canton school team next year.

Vettese, Dominate Playoffs

by Dennis O'Connor

The four team double elimination playoffs in the Plymouth Women's Slow - Pitch Softball League has now been cut to two after last week's play.

A & W and Daly are both out of contention.

A & W lost one of their games to Daly and the other to front running Vettese.

In the Vettese loss, A & W could do no right as they were demolished 21-3. Barb Smith led Vettese with two homeruns.

Daly's, the second place finisher in the League, lost both their games to Hartford Realty. Hartford ended up a strong third at the end of the year and are really putting things together in the playoffs.

In the second game with Daly's, Hartford made a close game into an easy victory as they won 9-3 on a five run seventh inning rally.

In the top game of the week Vettese remained undefeated in playoff competition with a 10-6 victory over Hartford.

Vettese's pitcher Phyl Cunningham spotted Hartford five opening inning runs but was tough the rest of the way, allowing just one more run on a

mere two hits.

Ursula Vict's two run single along with Linda Shirk's two run homer were Hartford's big blows of that first inning. The fifth run scored on an error.

Karen Courtney knocked in the last Hartford run in the fifth inning on a RBI single.

Meanwhile, Vettese kept chipping away at the lead scoring two in the third and fourth, four big ones in the fifth, and single tallies in the sixth and seventh.

The big fifth inning was started by Colleen Moore who

was safe at first on an error. She moved to second on Barb Smith's single and scored on Judi Blake's base hit. Smith came home with some aggressive base running as she scored from third on a line out to the shortstop.

Jan Breithaudt's single along with some sloppy Hartford fielding brought home Blake and herself for the final and deciding runs of the inning.

The Playoff Champion was decided last night (August 6) and will be reported on next week.

Westside Roll On

Westside Sporting Goods, winner of the Thompson Memorial Tournament a week ago, returned to Plymouth league play with the result being a 20-5 demolishing of Team 4.

In this Wednesday night affair (July 31), Westside scored four runs in the first, fifth, and sixth innings and added five in the second and three more in the fourth to account for their 20 runs.

A 24 hit attack was paced by

John Varuari and Pete Woodard and five apiece.

Manager Brian Gilles chipped in with four, and A. J. Vaughn contributed three.

Westside also had three homeruns that helped their offensive attack. Dave Broad, Gilles, and Varuari each hit one.

Westside's next game is Monday (August 12), against SMC. Game time is 7:30 p.m. on the Canton High School field.

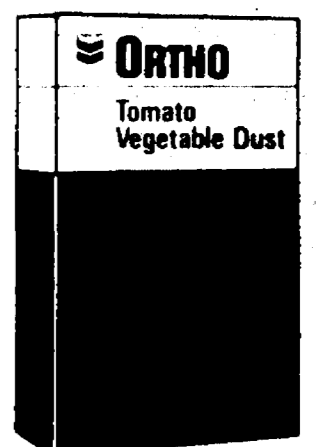
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Schoolcraft Presents Golf Trick Shot Artists



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Paul Bumann, Spalding's "Clown Prince of Golf," poses with his "bag of laughs," the world's largest golf bag. Presented by Schoolcraft College he will appear at the Oasis Golf Center (Five Mile at Haggerty) on August 13 at 8 p.m. Proceeds will be donated to the Schoolcraft Student Loan Fund.

Schoolcraft College will present Paul Bumann at the Oasis Golf Center, August 13 at 8 p.m.

If you like Emmett Kelly or the Harlem Globetrotters, you'll love Paul Bumann. Heralded as Spalding's golf trick shot artist supreme, Mr. Bumann's show is "Golf Comedy with a Purpose."

A veteran PGA head professional and instructor, Mr. Bumann utilizes his fast-paced brand of golf humor to teach many of the game's fundamentals in an entertaining manner. Like every golf professional, Mr. Bumann takes pride in his ability to not only perform well, but instruct as well. His routine is comical, but it's also highly instructional.

For starters, he might warm up with a few driver shots while enticing the audience with both his picture swing and a rapid-fire round of one-liners, many of them aimed directly at the audience.

His muscles flexed, Mr. Bumann then begins his trick shot act which is today considered one of the world's finest, both from an entertainment and technical standpoint. His routine includes everything from hitting a driver while sitting down to belting four teed up golf balls at once — with four drivers! In addition, there are clubs with rubber shafts, super-sized heads and smoking golf balls.

Proceeds from the exhibition will be donated to the Schoolcraft College student loan fund. Tickets for the event are available at the College bookstore, 18600 Haggerty Road, Livonia and the Oasis

Golf Center, Five Mile at Haggerty. Donations are \$1 and tickets are also good for various golf door prizes.

Tickets are also available at the Livonia Mall, Wonderland Shopping Center, Elliotts Saddlery in Plymouth, Northville Sporting Goods and Laphams Clothing also in Northville. Various golf courses throughout the College district have also agreed to sell tickets.

Individuals need not be present to win door prizes and if they do not attend may use their ticket for one complementary round of putt putt golf before October 1, 1974. For further ticket information call 591-6400, extension 222.

OASIS FRIDAY MORNING GOLF LEAGUE

AUG. 2—STANDINGS

TEAM PLAYERS	POINTS
4 Gladstone-Hay	11½
7 Coleman-Stratton	10½
1 Lowing-Jones	10
0 Wright-Klann	8½
8 Burns-Young	7½
10 Schaffer-Linn	7½
6 Moseley-Preiss	7
12 Appicelli-Paul	7
2 Turner-Roth	6½
3 Stager-Korczyk	6
5 Kaiser-Tschiltsh	6
13 Haab-Komos	4
11 Tomilo-Tabaka	2

P. Vensel	18
L. Acord	21
J. Janitz	11
A. Porter	12

FLIGHT III

K. Sterk	25
D. Hinkle	28
D. Mathews	17
J. Moore	16
R. Hanson	24
L. Wilson	12
W. Cowgill	26
J. Herald	20

FLIGHT IV

G. Balogh	21
T. Garry	17
J. Slovak	24
J. Vaughn	11
F. Briggs	30
G. Legel	18
W. Taylor	18
J. Calvin	29

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HILTOP GOLF COURSE

Standings as of July 24, 1974

1ST FLIGHT

Player	Points	W	L
G. Onusko	51	19	
M. Klucka	46	24	
K. Tithof	44	26	
J. Janicki	43	27	
M. Peck	43	27	
S. Brinso	42	28	
J. Gilles	39	31	
D. Onusko	38	32	
J. Ott	33	37	
J. Schinn	12	58	

2ND FLIGHT

N. Quigg	55	15	
F. Ross	50	20	
T. Klucka	45	25	
G. Gondek	43	26	
R. Maycock	41	29	
L. Henning	41	29	
F. Thibeau	41	29	
J. Henning	37	33	
T. Quigg	26	44	
B. Kenworthy	7	63	

BASEBALL LEAGUE E

Standings as of August 2, 1974

Team	Record	Games Behind
Wildcats	10-3	
Spartans	10-4	½
Badgers	9-4	1
Buckeyes	5-9	5½
Hawkeyes	3-10-1	7½
Wolverines	3-10-1	7½

PREVIOUS WEEKS RESULTS

Team Score Team Score

Saturday, July 27, 1974

Spartans 16 Badgers 8

Wolverines 8 Buckeyes 3

Wildcats 14 Hawkeyes 2

Monday, July 29, 1974

Buckeyes 1 Spartans 0

Wildcats 6 Wolverines 5

Badgers 13 Hawkeyes 3

BASEBALL

FINAL STANDINGS

F LEAGUE

Team Record Games Behind

Wolverines 11-4

Hawkeyes 10-5

Buckeyes	9-6	2
Spartans	8-7	3
Badgers	4-11	7
Wildcats	3-12	8

PREVIOUS WEEKS RESULTS

Team Score Team Score

Monday, July 29, 1974

Wolverines 11 Badgers 0

(Forfeit)

Hawkeyes 7 Spartans 1

Buckeyes 12 Wildcats 4

CANTON LEAGUE

MEN'S SLOW-PITCH SOFTBALL

CLASS A

Team Record GB

McMurray Ins. 10-4

Ford Sheldon Pt. 9-5

Smith Realty 9-5

Westside Auto 2-11

CLASS B

Team Record GB

Plym. Const. 12-2

Don Massey 10-4

Perlongo Exvtg. 8-5

Poole Realty 6-7

Tibbits Const. 6-7

Clark Block 4-9

Montroy Texaco 0-13

PICK THOSE ATTACHED ONES FROM PREVIOUS WEEKS

PLAYOFFS

Thursday, July 25, 1974

Trading Post 9 Boiler 4

St. Peter's 14 Ply. Rubber 4

Dale Yee 10 Geo. Smith 7

Monday, July 29, 1974

Boiler 15 Big Bill's 4

Trading Post 3 Bidwell 2

Tuesday, July 30, 1974

Bidwell 14 St. Peter's 4

Geo. Smith 12 Boiler 2

Trading Post 7 Dale Yee 4

Wednesday, July 31, 1974

Geo. Smith 13 Bidwell 2

Dale Yee 13 Geo. Smith 2

Thursday, August 1, 1974

Dale Yee 12 Trading Post 5

Dale Yee 7 Trading Post 1

ADD ON TO FINAL STANDINGS

WOMEN'S SLOW-PITCH

Tuesday, July 30, 1974

Vettese 10 Hartford 6

SOFTBALL

Standings as of August 4, 1974

MEN'S SLO-PITCH

Team Record Games Behind

Westside 8-1

Puckett Pbg. 6-4

VTN Geo-Data 7-5

BG's Lounge 5-6

Adistra 5-6

Bathey 3-6

SMC 4-7

Team 4 3-8

PREVIOUS WEEKS RESULTS

Team Score Team Score

Monday, July 29, 1974

Puckett 16 BG's 4

Bathey 9 VTN 8

Wednesday, July 31, 1974

Westside 20 Team 4 5

Adistra 14 SMC 13

OASIS WEDNESDAY MORNING GOLF LEAGUE

JULY 31—STANDINGS

TEAM PLAYERS	POINTS
20 Allen-Larsh	16
13 Gooding-Haase	14
4 Gollinger-Murzin	13½
7 Boyton-Knight	12½
2 Preece-Williams	12
9 Garrison-Lucas	12
12 Fairchild-Groff	11½
5 Maige-Will	11
18 Bringard-Rymarz	10½
1 Fry-Sabo	9
3 Eskovitz-Sloan	9
8 Adams-Moseley	9
10 Jones-Dove	9
15 B. Gibson-Mickelson	9
16 J. Gibson-Fournier	7½
14 Rynkowski-Jordan	7
19 Schultz-Harding	7
11 Jackson-Melenyle	6½
17 Everett-Nix	6
6 Allie-Fonseca	5

PLYMOUTH ELKS GOLF LEAGUE

(SALEM HILLS GOLF COURSE)

Standings as of July 29, 1974

TEAM POINTS

Salem Hills 47½

Holman Pontiac 43

Atchinson Ford 42

Michael Tool Co. 41

Fisher-Wingard-Fortney 39

Andrews & Owen 36½

Robinson 36½

Plaza Lanes 35½

Conard Heating 35

Mettetal Airport 33½

Poor Joes 28½

Pauls-Y-Nos 27

Team 14 25½

Team 12 19½

SHELDON ROAD PLANT HILLTOP DIVISION GOLF LEAGUE

Results of July 25, 1974

FLIGHT I

Player Points

J. Nolan 31

B. Bryant 11

E. Bartkovicz 26

R. Frysinger 14

N. Ward 27

R. Lee 25

R. Hines 15

J. Towler 15

FLIGHT II

Player Points

G. Gravila 22

R. Myers 30

J. Kokinakee 20

M. Coffin 25

Elks Get Nipped

Elk Highlights

The Plymouth Elks, winner of the Red Division of the Connie Mack American League, participated at the Lincoln Park District in a double elimination tourney held last Saturday, August 3.

And it just wasn't meant to be the Rocks' day as they left Lincoln Park having lost a doubleheader 2-0 and 4-2.

The lack of offensive power on Plymouth's part showed all day as they accounted for only two hits in each of the losses.

In the first game, against Lincoln Park, Tom Willette and Dave Pierce were the only two Rocks to muster hits. Plymouth had its chances though, as they threatened in each of the last three innings.

Lincoln Park scored their runs in the second and third off Plymouth's left handed ace Tom Willette. Their first run came on a walk, wild pitch, and a single, with their second run scoring on a wild pitch.

Willette did a brilliant job as he went all the way hurling a three hitter, striking out five and walking three.

Four quick runs in the opening inning off Rick Gaber, a pickup player from Franklin, was all Wyandotte needed as the Rocks' hitting attack remained asleep.

Doug Tripp and Pierce were the only Rocks to hit safely in this one.

A three run homer plus a double steal scored the four runs for Wyandotte.

Dave Watkins, also a Franklin product, pitched the last five innings for Plymouth, giving up only one hit the rest of the way.

Plymouth tallied it two runs in



Faithful fans of the Plymouth Elks.

the third without the benefit of a hit.

Two walks, two sacrifice bunts, and two errors did the trick as Tim Dillon and Kirk Brannock crossed the plate.

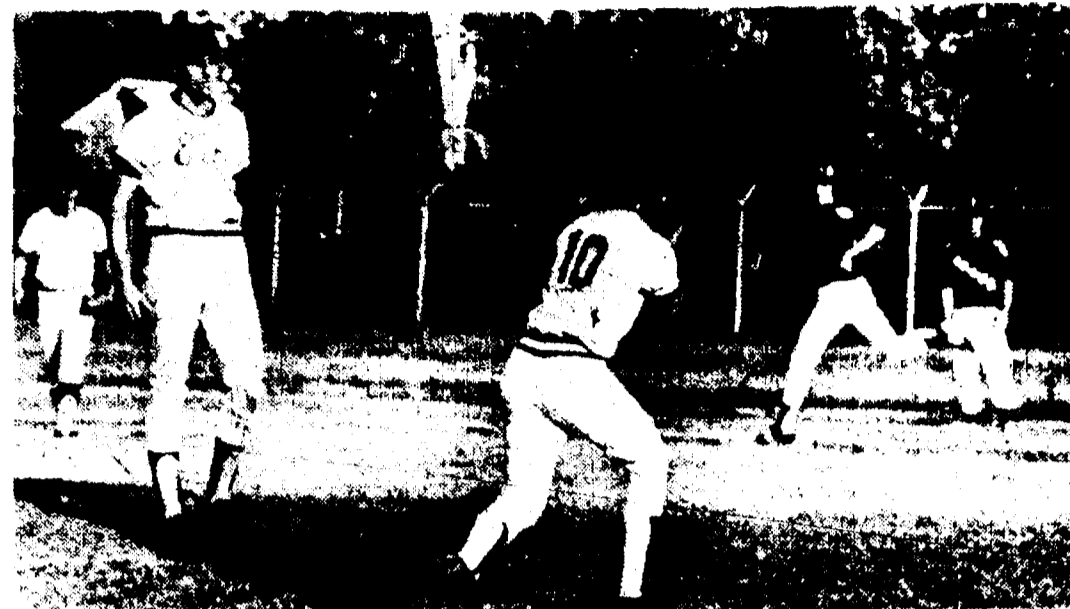
Two 340 foot drives almost cleared the fence as Mark Stephens and Watkins sent hard shots into the left field direction.

Despite the two disappointing losses coach Wayne Sparkman still had a good word for his players.

"We gave 100 per cent effort and hustle all during the tournament, but we just couldn't get the clutch hit at the right time."

Coach Sparkman's crew was by far the youngest of all the district representatives.

So the long summer baseball season ends for the Plymouth Elks with the anticipation of a more rewarding school season in 1975 as they play for Plymouth - Salem High School.



Elks' pitcher Bill DenHouter watches as Tim Dillon (10) catches a pop-up.



Elks' first baseman Howard Inch hustles off the field.

Vettese Out of District

The 1974 Women's Slow-Pitch Softball Districts were hosted by Plymouth last weekend.

Teams from Ann Arbor, Ypsilanti, South Lyon, Walled Lake, and Plymouth represented this district.

Vettese Builders, first place winners of the Plymouth league, got off to a great start as they dumped Ypsilanti 8-6.

But Vettese ran into some tougher times in their second Saturday afternoon (August 3) contest as they were downed by Ann Arbor 7-3. The Plymouth team then came back Sunday (August 4) and just didn't have it that day as they bowed to a revenging Ypsilanti crew 7-4.

In their only District win over Ypsilanti, Vettese was able to get on top early and hold the lead throughout the ball game.

Colleen Moore, Judi Blake, Barb Smith, and Linca Caloia scored opening inning runs.

Ypsilanti then came back with two in the second and one in the fourth to make it 4-3.

But Vettese pulled away again

as Cheryl Szczedrowski and Phyl Cunningham both singled and score in their half of the fourth to make it 6-3.

Cunningham crossed the plate again in the sixth and Barb Smith finished things off with a seventh inning homerun.

Ypsi scored its last three runs in the sixth.

Cunningham went all the way allowing just five hits.

The Ann Arbor contest was a different story as they jumped on Vettese early by tallying all seven of their runs in the first three innings. They were held to just two hits and no runs in the last four stanzas.

But Vettese's offensive power couldn't overcome that lead as they only score two in the first and one in the seventh.

Vettese lost its second tourney game when 2-0 and 4-1 leads fell apart when Ypsilanti came up with a six run sixth inning.

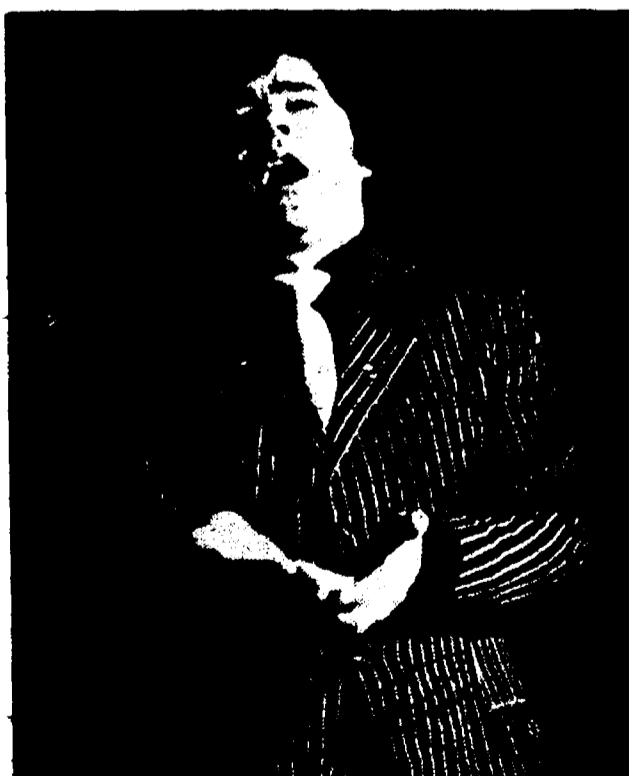
Barb Smith, Judi Blake, and Phyl Cunningham paced Vettese's 13 hit attack with two apiece.

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Ted Lindsay Photo by Bruce Phillips

Former Wings Instruct Clinic

The Plymouth Department of Parks and Recreation is sponsoring a Hockey Coaches Clinic conducted by former Red Wing stars, Ted Lindsay and Marty Pavelich. Stressed will be full utilization of ice time for team practice.

The clinic will be held at the Plymouth Cultural Center on Saturday, September 14. It will begin at 10:00 a.m. and last for approximately three hours.

Lindsay and Pavelich will be the instructors, and the cost will be \$8.00 per person.



Marty Pavelich Photo by Bruce Phillips

Adray All-Star Game

The Detroit Adray All-Stars overcame a 2-0 deficit to top the Livonia Adray Squad 8-3 last Wednesday (July 31) afternoon at Tiger Stadium.

Two of the Livonia Adray All-Stars were Plymouth's own Steve Robb and Chris Martucci.

Both players came into the game at its later stages and played the outfield.

Martucci made a great diving catch on a pop fly that almost dropped in between him and the

shortstop for a "Texas League" single.

In Chris' only time at bat he struck out swinging.

Steve Robb also was to the plate once and grounded to the pitcher.

The big blow of the day for the Livonia crew came off the bat of Gar Frantz of Griffin's Sporting Goods (Livonia).

Gar's blast was a solo homerun that went into the upper deck down the rightfield line.



Photo by Bruce Phillips

Mike Verduce of the Merchants is "off and running" after belting his third hit of the day.

Trading Post Wins Series

Myron Hopper's three run homerun was all Trading Post needed as they avenged two earlier playoff losses to Livonia Dale Yee by beating Yee 3-1 in the Men's Modified one game World Series, held last Friday, August 2.

But the playoff finals told a little different story as the Livonia squad won twice in a row 12-5 and 7-1 to overcome the Trading Post crew the night before.

In the championship game, Dale Yee's Al White put on a one man show as he belted two tremendous homeruns and pitched a three hitter on the mound.

The only Post run came in the sixth when Gary Temple lined a ball over the right centerfield fence for a solo homerun.

Post had previously beaten Michigan Boiler (9-4), Bidwell (3-2) in a hard fought battle, and Yee (7-4), to get to the

finals.

In the Bidwell game, all the scoring was done in the first two innings.

Bidwell, one of the top modified teams all year, scored their runs in the first on T. Hartman's two run double. Dick Soleau and Jack Kopenski crossed the plate.

Tim Finn knocked in Post's first run with a single. Hopper accounted for the second one with a double and Craig Bell smacked a homerun that decided the game.

John Cunningham allowed Bidwell just three hits the whole way.

Congratulations to Trading Post and Dale Yee for great seasons.

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Ms. Massey and Ranson will be conducting the practices that will be held daily from 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

All girls interested in being on the school swim team this coming year are urged to attend these practices.

Saturday, Sept. 7, the Plymouth High School Class of 1949 will hold a dinner dance at the Mayflower Meeting House. For further information call Mrs. Nadine Alford, of 12134 Appletree.

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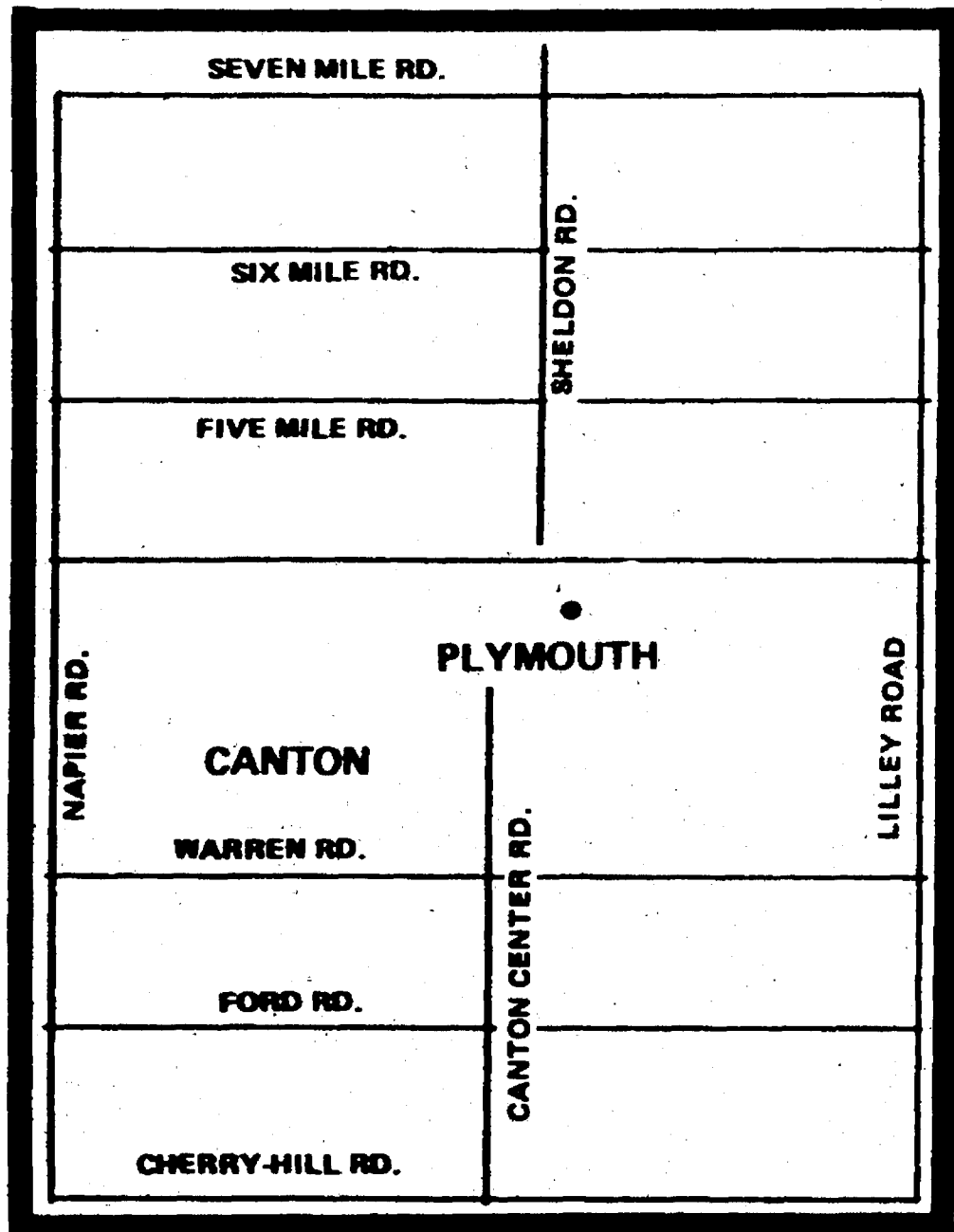
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Safety Committee Recommends Procedures

The District Wide Safety Committee has recommended several procedures for the Plymouth school district in an attempt to eliminate safety hazards for school children.

In an annual report submitted to the Plymouth Community School Board the committee listed their proposals for continued protection of school area children. Also included in the five-phased report were the committee's safety program for the 1973-74 school year, committee goals, traffic hazards facing Plymouth school children, and past committee achievements.

The recommendations made by the committee are listed as follows:

- 1) The continuation of bussing for students who live in hazardous areas.
- 2) The showing of a school bus safety program and the continuation of project Edith (home emergency fire drill procedure) as part of the regular safety program.

3) The issuing of bus identification cards to all students. The cards would show the student's picture and designate on which bus they should ride.

4) The creation of a crossing guard training program in time for the fall semester.

5) A uniform set of rules for safety patrol students in order to prevent students from entering the road to stop traffic for other students.

6) A restriction of motorized vehicles to assigned parking areas on school grounds and the prohibition of parking on playgrounds.

The committee maintained that with the inadequacy of public roads to handle the increase in vehicular traffic and the non-observance of traffic laws by drivers, only bussing or an overpass in hazardous areas would insure safety.

Mrs. Flossie Tonda, chairperson of the safety committee, said the school bus safety film and Project Edith were

proposed to educate children on behavior for a safe bus ride and proper procedure in an emergency fire situation.

Bus identification cards, said Mrs. Tonda, would eliminate overloading on school buses.

According to the committee, the realization of a crossing guard training program would provide for a closer monitoring of guards while on duty and give more adequate training.

And in view of automobile intrusion on school playgrounds during evening recreation games and the confusion created by student parking in teacher's lots, the committee suggested that all motorized vehicles be restricted to assigned parking areas.

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Marv Esch Endorses TV Coverage of Impeachment Proceedings

House leaders have at last given near final approval to a suggestion I endorsed some time ago which would permit gavel-to-gavel coverage by radio and television of impeachment proceedings in the House. I believe that broadcasting of the impeachment debate will provide a vital national service to help our citizens understand the facts in this complex matter.

It is for that reason that I joined in support of a resolution to permit live television coverage of impeachment proceedings without interruption. In addition, I have been greatly disturbed by the confusion, self-serving leaks of information and partisan bickering that

followed testimony of witnesses before the Judiciary Committee in closed session.

I have long supported the opening up of all committee sessions to the public and the news media so that the people's business can be conducted in open session. Of course, there are occasions when executive sessions are needed, but these should be the exception and held only when the need - such as protection of a person's right to privacy - is clearly warranted.

Regardless of one's opinion today about the impeachment investigation as handled by the Judiciary Committee, I think the American people want to know that justice is served and that all

the facts are debated on their merits under close scrutiny of our citizens.

Obviously, the House chamber will not be allowed to take on a circus atmosphere. There will be no roving correspondents or interviews of members on the House floor. The only difference will be that millions can view the impeachment debate instead of a few hundred. The people will be direct observers of history and will have full access to the facts.

It was because of my concern that the people should have access to the facts and debate about the articles of impeachment that I voted two weeks ago to permit live television and radio coverage of the Judiciary Committee's final sessions. Millions of persons watched the debate each day and there is no evidence that television caused the hearings to be conducted in a manner different from any other hearings.

Now that the House leadership has joined in support of broadcast coverage of the House debate on impeachment, it should be a relatively simple matter to have the Rules Committee approve and send to the floor the resolution I have co-sponsored which would permit such coverage. Hopefully, we can expect a final vote on this matter within a few days.

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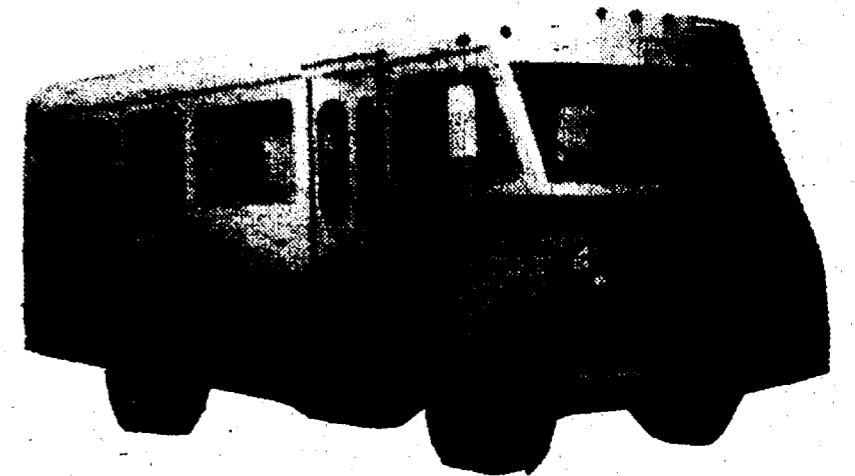
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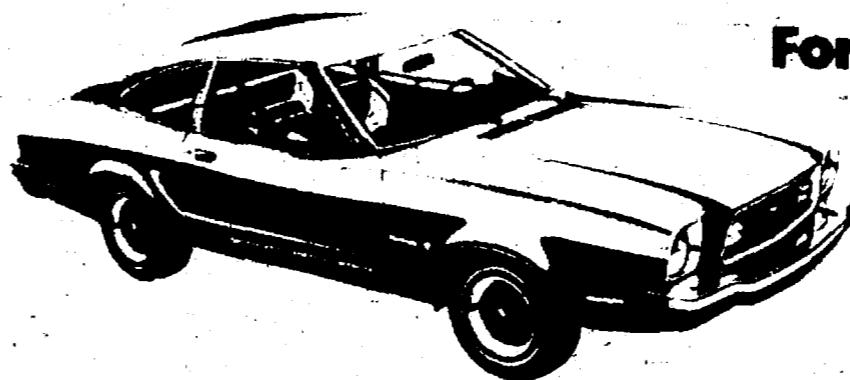


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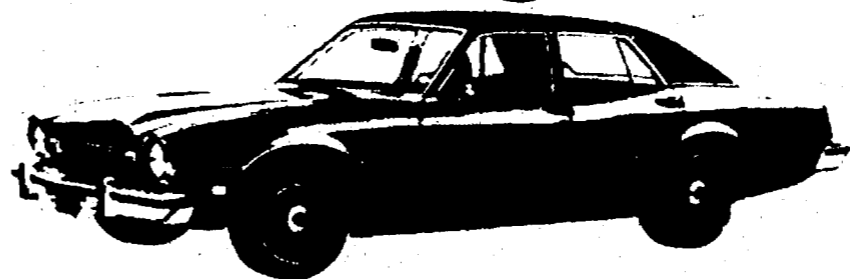
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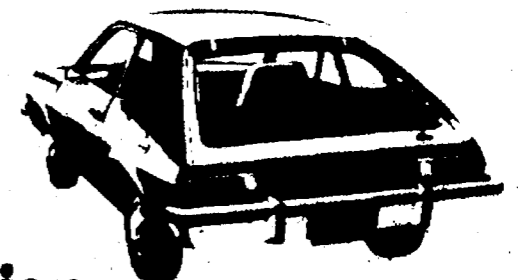
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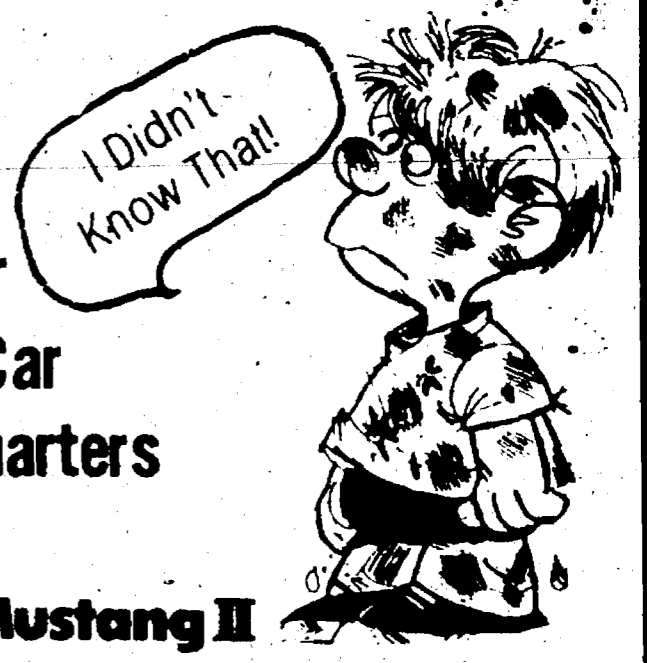
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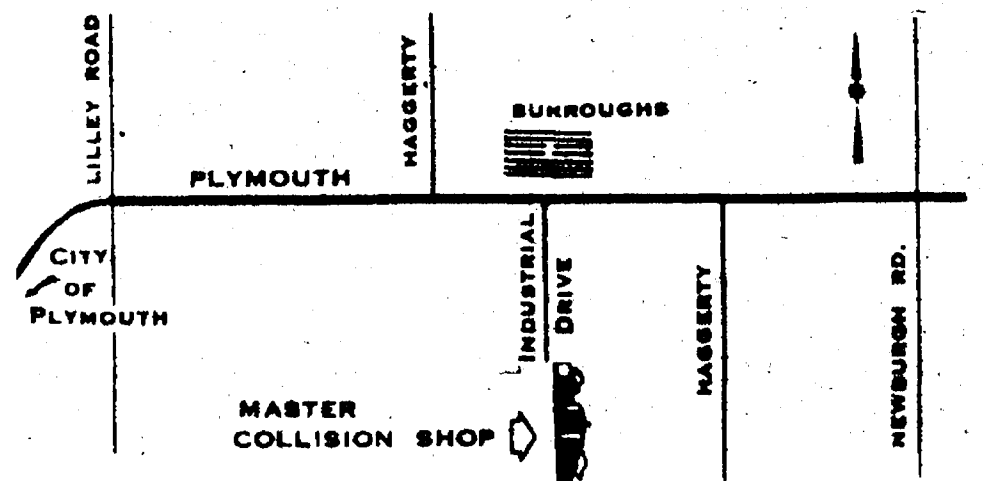
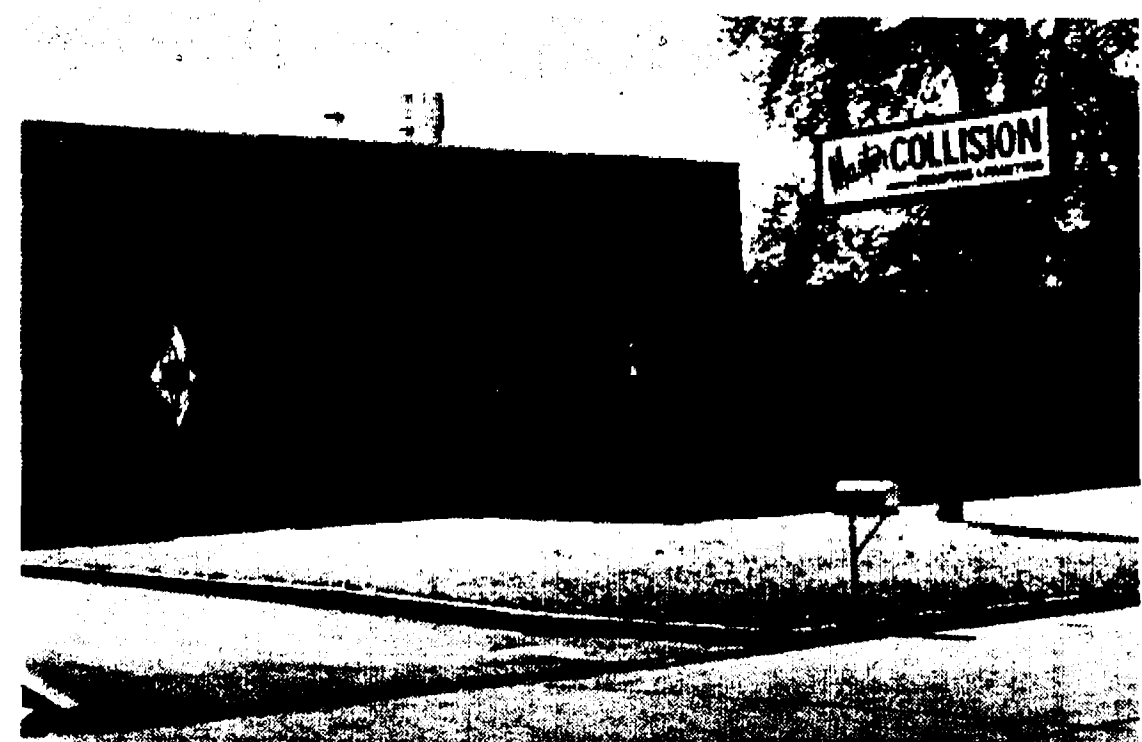


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