



THESE ENTERPRISING YOUNGSTERS pitched in one hot summer afternoon last week and cleaned up a forest on the east side of Saltz Road behind a Canton subdivision that leads to Eriksson School. (Crier photo by Brian Watkins.)

5 seek school seat

BY W. EDWARD WENDOVER

Five persons have thus far applied for the soon-to-be-vacated Plymouth-Canton School Board seat now held by Board President Marcia Borowski.

The board has asked for applications from school district residents who are interested in serving out Mrs. Borowski's term through next June. Applications will be accepted at the school district offices, 454 S. Harvey St., in Plymouth, through Friday.

The five who had applied by press time Tuesday are:

*Rose Rogers, 33, of 39694 Mayville Ave., Plymouth Township. She is a legal secretary for the schools' legal counsel, Draugelis, Ashton and Scully, and has been active in PTO affairs.

*Elaine Kirchgatter, 36, of 48377 Gyde Rd., Canton, is

a former chairman of the school district's Attendance Boundary Committee and is secretary of the Fall Festival Board of Directors. She has been active in Plymouth Community Arts Council, and American Assoc. of University Women.

*Richard Hayes, 31, of 986 Roosevelt, Plymouth. He is a corporate finance analysis manager for Burroughs Corp., and is Financial Vice President of the Smith School PFO.

*Richard A. Smith, 41, of 1948 Brookfield, Canton. An attorney who practices in Livonia, Smith is a former school teacher of seven years.

*Elizabeth Hamann, 30, of 42816 Saxony, Canton. Mrs. Hamann has been active in Canton politics and ran unsuccessfully for the school board in 1976.

The candidates applying for the board seat will be inter-

viewed by the school board Monday and Tuesday evening at the school board offices.

Under the state's new Open Meeting Act, the interviews are open to the public. In previous years when the board accepted applications for vacancies, the interviews were held in secret.

Mrs. Borowski told The Crier she will probably resign officially Friday or Monday. She is moving Aug. 22 or 23 to Georgia where her husband, Oded, has taken a new job.

She said she will not officially participate in the screening of applicants for the board seat but may attend the interviews "as a citizen, if my packing has moved along sufficiently."

The school board must select a replacement for the vacant seat within 20 days or the county intermediate school district must fill the spot.

School district bond levy may be reduced by 2 mills

BY DONNA LOMAS

Plymouth-Canton School District residents can expect to pay almost two mills less in school taxes this December.

The school board approved a resolution to apply for a reimbursement of debt retirement levy Monday. It is the first time the district has been eligible for the reduced mills, said Supt. John M. Hoben.

Section 27 of the newly-signed State Aid Act allows schools to apply for reimbursement of the State Equalized Valuation (SEV) per pupil was less than \$39,000. Plymouth-Canton's is \$32,000. But last year, state aid was only available to those schools that levied less than 26 mills per pupil.

Approximately \$40,000 will be realized in state aid, said Hoben, plus an increase in SEV this year

(from \$461 million last year to \$516 million this year) will produce a 1.95 mill reduction.

Hoben cautioned, however, that the schools are required to eliminate any reserves that had built up in debt funds.

He said the 'contingency' fund existed to cover delinquent taxes and that cash was needed to cover principal and interest payments on the due date. Some

\$691,295 is in the contingency fund.

As a result, the schools may have to levy up to .7 mills next year, to recover the losses from the contingency fund, Hoben said.

Hoben said that while the SEV was \$463 million last year, they lost \$2 million after tax appeal cases - and they anticipate a similar reduction this year, even

though the SEV figure is higher.

The difference in the SEV this year from last year will net the district approximately \$11,761 more on local taxes, Ray Hoedel, Asst. Supt. for Business said.

The SEV is proportioned as follows: Canton, almost \$212 million; Plymouth Township, \$191 million; City of Plymouth, Cont. on Pg. 16

Plymouth girl killed in ambulance, car crash

A young Plymouth woman was killed Thursday afternoon as a result of injuries received in an automobile crash with an ambulance at Five Mile and Haggerty Roads.

Chris Ann Rundio, 19, of 173 E. Ann Arbor Trail was pronounced dead at St. Mary's Hospital shortly after the accident, Northville Township police report. The driver of the car, Maureen Therese English, 19, was listed in critical condition Monday in Botsford General Hospital in Farmington.

The ambulance driver, Toney Clarence Bennett, 26, of Northville and attendant Jeffrey William Couterier, 18, of Westland were injured and taken to Botsford, treated and released, police report.

An extraction unit from Novi was called to the scene of the accident, said Hardesty. The ambulance was "severely damaged" and the car was "totaled" said Sgt. Ken Hardesty of Northville Township police.

According to the township police, the driver of the car, Ms. English, a resident of Livonia and Ms. Rundio were northbound on Haggerty Road in a 1972 Pontiac at 12:43 p.m.

Thursday. A Novi ambulance was traveling westbound on Five Mile Road with lights and sirens on, the police said.

The ambulance hit the Pontiac broadside, police said. They report that the ambulance had been dispatched on an emergency run to pick up an injured person and that other traffic had stopped at the light for the ambulance.

"It appears English had the right of way," said Hardesty. "She had the green light."

An investigation is currently underway by the Northville Township Police on the accident.

"We're not sure who is at fault - if anybody," said Investigator Philip Presnell. "It's quite a mess."

"I don't wish to comment on it," said John Erle, of Novi Ambulance Service in Novi. "Until I have all the facts I have nothing to say."

Ms. Rundio, a student, is survived by her parents, Mrs. Carole Rundio of Plymouth and Mr. Paul Rundio of Wyoming, her sister, Kathy, grandmother, Mrs. Josephine Rundio of Kalamazoo and grandfather Mr. Wilfred Brown of Homestead, Fla.



AN ACCIDENT last Thursday afternoon between a westbound Novi Ambulance and a northbound car killed a young Plymouth

woman and seriously injured the driver of the car, a Livonia girl. (Crier photo by Brian Watkins.)

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Will area get solar research center yet?

Southeastern Michigan is again in the running for a possible solar energy research center with a \$250,000 grant from the national Energy Research and Development Administration.

The site for the center has not yet been chosen, but according to Congressman Carl Pursell, he is "confident that it will be located in southeastern Michigan."

Some months ago a Canton site was thought to be under consideration for a federal solar

energy research center, but lost the bid to Golden, Colo.

The \$250,000 is part of a total \$799,326 that the state will share with Minnesota for operation of the regional solar research center.

That jointly operated center will serve the north central region, one of four chosen regional sites that will coordinate resources and research efforts with the Federal Solar Energy Research Institute (SERI) in Golden, Colo.

The North Central region tentatively includes the states of Michigan, Minnesota, Ohio, Missouri, Wisconsin, Illinois, S. Dakota, N. Dakota, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska and Oklahoma.

Minnesota will receive \$410,000 and roughly \$110,000 will be split among the remaining 11 states in the north central region.

"A large part of the extra \$110,000 or so went to Minnesota because they have a per-

manent institute site there and wanted to keep it going," said Irv Rozian, a consultant for the Michigan Energy Resource and Research Assoc. (MERRA). "There was a real effort here to get a regional site for Michigan."

"If the site does end up in Michigan, it will undoubtedly be in southeastern Michigan," Rozian said.

He cited the involvement of area universities such as University of Michigan, Wayne State, Michigan State and University of Detroit - which are working on MERRA. Rozian said, however, that the universities' representation is only in resource and research people, not as contention for the site.

Rozian said the organization and final siting remains to be decided for the regional solar center and that a report is being prepared, and due in January.

The permanent operating fund

level of the proposed center has the potential of being funded into the multi-million dollar area, said Rozian.

Some of the areas the regional institute would direct itself to would include making studies of present energy uses; looking at current and projected energy resources and how much sun energy resources are available in the region.

"It's not the cost of the sun," Rozian said, "but how much the equipment costs."

"This regional center will give our area a strong foot in the door, and I hope we can evolve into an independent research center in the future."

"In any case, I think this will be of benefit to Michigan, and our excellent Michigan solar research team will develop programs of benefit to the entire nation," said Carl D. Pursell, (Congressman, 2nd District).

With recall coming, recount unresolved

BY CHAS CHILD

James Poole is still trying to win a Canton trustee seat from a man who could also lose it in the recall vote Aug. 27.

Poole lost the seat by 11 votes in last November's election to Eugene Daley. But he claims the ballots were recorded improperly and now has taken the case to the state court of appeals.

Meanwhile, Daley's name is on the Aug. 27 recall ballot and could lose his seat on the board of trustees.

Poole was an incumbent in the

election where at one precinct, he claims, the 15 election workers recorded their votes improperly.

A circuit court judge later refused to order a recount and Poole is appealing this ruling to the court of appeals.

It is unclear at this time what would happen if Poole is granted a recount and Daley loses his position.

Poole says that he is not working on the recall campaign. "I refused to get involved when they called and asked," he said.

However, his attorney, Peter Bundarin, is the "legal adviser," to the organization working to recall Supervisor Harold Stein.

Bundarin reportedly said he does not support the Daley recall.

Bandsman hired

Thomas E. Brownlee was approved for hire as Associate Band Director by the Plymouth-Canton School Board Monday.

Brownlee, a graduate of Central Michigan University, earned a Bachelor in Music Education and will assist band director James Griffith at Centennial Educational Park. (CEP).

David Dirkson was hired as Night School Coordinator by the board also Monday.

Don't let it rain on my parade

Was Friday's rain politically motivated?

That's what some readers asked The Crier when they reported that while driving home north on I-275, it was raining cats and dogs in Canton up to Joy Road - the Plymouth Township boundary - where it stopped.

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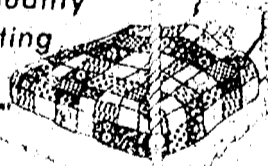
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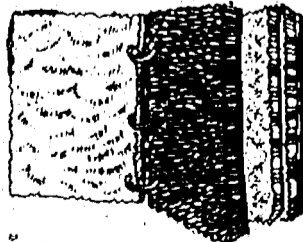
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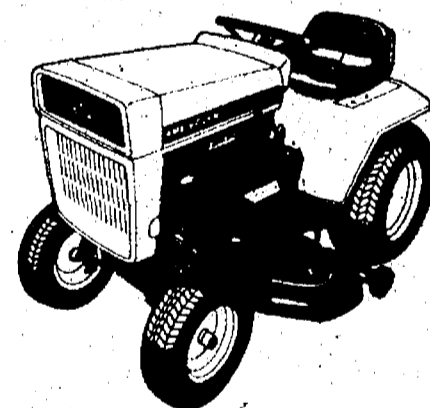
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Time is drawing close - it's time to begin sifting through all those great old Fall Festival photos for the second annual Crier Fall Festival Photo Contest.

The Crier is once again looking for the best representative picture of any previous year's Fall Festival for the contest.

The winning photo will be used as the cover to this year's Crier Fall Festival edition, to be published Sept. 7.

The cover will be run in FULL COLOR and the winner will be featured in the paper. Runners-up will also have their pictures used and be mentioned. All pictures submitted become the property of The Crier.

Residents of the Plymouth-Canton area may enter The Crier Fall Festival Photo Contest by submitting their photos (slides are best but prints may be used if the negatives are available) to this newspaper by Aug. 19.

A good way to escape the heat - or a summer storm - dig through those picture files and bring in your Fall Fest best to The Crier at 572 S. Harvey St., before Aug. 19.



Photo by Cantonite, Ed Kosikowski

Tickets available now for memorial concert

A memorial concert for six Plymouth-Canton youths killed in a recent car accident has been set for this Saturday at 8 p.m. in the Salem auditorium.

The concert, planned "by just a bunch of folks," according to

Sylvia Mullen, one of the coordinators, will feature the stage bands from CEP Classes of '77, '76 and even '75 and will play country, rock and other music.

"Monday night we heard the

other band couldn't make it," said Sylvia. "I've never seen so many phone calls in one night - we really have so many students to thank, among them Mark Even, Bill Lucas, Ed Koza, and Brad Kliber.

"Everyone has been great, fantastic," she said. "The staff, Mr. Brown (Bill Brown, Salem High School principal) parents, kids, everyone."

She stressed that the concert was a way to channel some of the confusion and grief felt by many students and parents after the tragedy.

"It's not a dirge - there will be no eulogies," Mrs. Mullen said. "We want this concert so they can be more conscious of what can happen if you don't practice self control and more discretion.

"It could have been any of our kids," Mrs. Mullen, a mother of three teenagers said. "Anyone."

The auditorium seats 1,000 persons and tickets will be on a first come, first serve basis.

Tickets are available at the Youth Center, 271 S. Main St., between 2:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Admission is free to the concert, however, donations will be accepted. Those who are not planning to attend the concert

but wish to donate can mail donations to: Memorial Concert Fund, Box 584, Plymouth, 48170.

Any monies collected, Mrs. Mullen said, would be up to the parents of the youths as to how it would be spent.

Ochal in the bulrushes; the one that got away

BY CHAS CHILD

A Plymouth policeman made a splash in the news this week, but came out all wet.

Chasing an escapee from DeHo-Co (Detroit House of Correction) on foot along Wilcox Lake Sunday around 7:20 p.m., Officer Ed Ochal lost his footing on the bank and fell in - up to his neck in the water.

The escapee then swam into the bulrushes along the lake with Ochal in pursuit.

In the ensuing cat-and-mouse game, the escapee submerged

and swam away each time Ochal spotted him and ordered him to submit to arrest, the police report says.

Ochal eventually gave up the chase and reported that his uniform, shoes, wallet, watch, gun, radio, underwear, gun belt and leather gear were all damaged by mud and water.

He was treated at St. Mary Hospital for minor cuts and bruises, and given a tetanus shot.

The escapee, identified by Ochal as Gary Wayne Tighe, was not caught.

Canton to fix park

BY CHAS CHILD

Canton's Griffin Park will get an overhaul by next summer, according to plans approved by the Canton Board of Trustees last Tuesday.

Two professional park planners from Ann Arbor, Chester Hill and Thomas Raynes, were given a green light to draw a site plan and construction drawing for the park on Canton Center Rd., just north of Cherry Hill Rd.

Their estimate of the work was \$12,800. Frank McMurray of Canton's recreation committee said more baseball diamonds; tennis courts and barbeque pits have been proposed for the park.

McMurray said the work will probably be finished next spring.



Visitors from afar

CULTURAL EXCHANGE - Japanese students are visiting Plymouth this week, staying with the families of Colonial Kiwanis

Club. They will be here for five days, about midpoint in the stay in the U.S. (Crier photo by Brian Watkins.)

Questions linger on cop levy

BY CHAS CHILD

Canton's voters will be asked to approve a police millage Aug. 27, but at least one trustee and many citizens worry that there seems to be no clear plan on how the money will be spent.

There is concern that the township is going off half-cocked in its plans to create a full-time department.

Trustee Lynne Goldsmith said that the township board "has never fully discussed the level of service necessary for Canton, the manpower needed to provide that service, or the costs involved. Until this is done, it would seem that discussion of our monetary needs is arbitrary."

Two members of Canton's police commission, Clerk John Flodin and Trustee Brian Schwall, said that they are relying on the township's newly-hired police chief, Walter MacGregor, to determine how the millage should be spent.

"It should be one of his first priorities," Schwall said.

MacGregor started last Monday, 19 days before the police millage vote. He said he did not want to "hazard" a guess on how long it would take him to write a budget for the township.

"Planning is an on-going process, also," said MacGregor. "The people of Canton should be patient."

Flodin said one of MacGregor's strong points was that he was with the Wayne police force when it was very small and helped guide it to its present size.

MacGregor was Wayne's police chief from 1967-75.

MacGregor said he hoped the millage passed and looked forward to starting a full-time force in Canton, even though it will be small at first.

The board of trustees has resolved not to levy any more



WALTER MacGREGOR, Canton's newly hired police chief, was due to be sworn in last night at the Board of Trustees meeting. MacGregor was the chief of the city of Wayne's police department from 1967-75. (Crier photo by Brian Watkins)

than two mills, if the power to tax is granted by the voters on Aug. 27. This would yield about \$425,000.

In comparison, The Crier asked the police chief of neighboring Northville Township, Ronald Nisun, the size of his budget and the extent of his department's services.

Nisun said that on a budget of about \$240,000, his township kept one and one-half patrol cars on the road. That is, one car at all times and a second at busy shifts.

This is done with eight full-time officers, six clerical staffers, including dispatchers, and 17 reserves.

With three more full-time officers, Nisun said, the department could have two full-time patrol cars.

"It's good to have two cars, because with only one there's

no backup when its tied-up," he said. Three more full-time officers would require about \$50,000 or \$60,000 extra to his budget, he said.

Northville Township is roughly half the size of Canton. It has 17 square miles and a population of 14,000, compared to Canton's 36 square miles and roughly 35,000 population.

If the voters empower the township to set up the assessment district in Canton for the police Aug. 27, state law requires two hearings after that to determine the size of the district (presumably the whole township) and second, how large the millage will be.

Deputy Treasurer Mike Gorman has said the timing will be tight, but he believed the levy could be on the tax rolls for next year.

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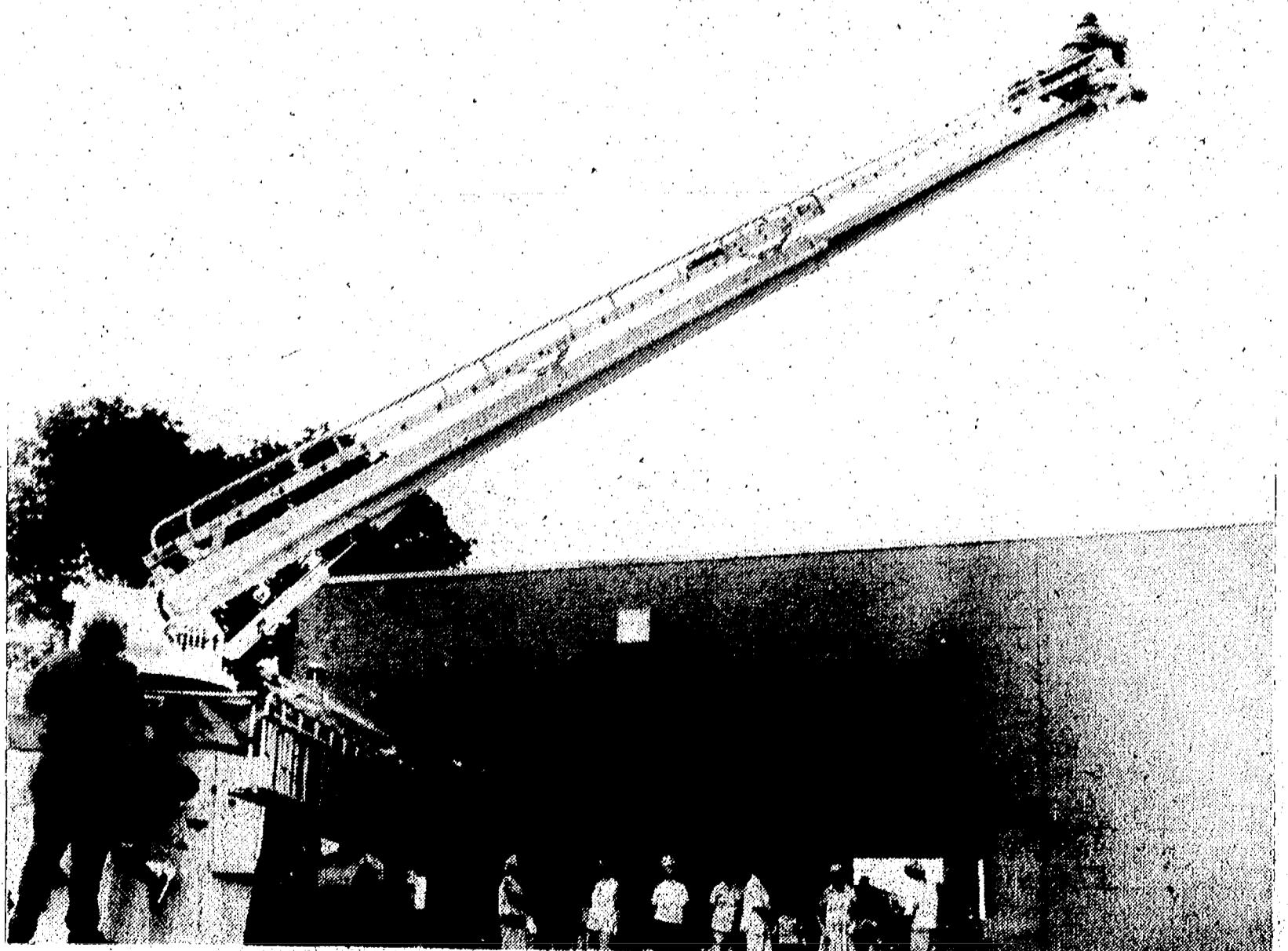
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a crowd from nearby residents who saw a demonstration of the new station's extension ladder. (Crier photo by Brian Watkins)

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Community Opinions

THE COMMUNITY CRIER: August 10, 1977

Facts true, but misleading

EDITOR:

As a member of the Canton Township Planning Commission, allow me to bring into proper perspective the events of the last meeting regarding the large entertainment complex proposed for the Ford Road - Haggerty area as reported by Chas Child in last week's Crier.

Mr. Child failed to mention that a total of four motions were made regarding that site plan amidst a great deal of discussion by both commissioners and audience. He simply noted that the commission deadlocked 3-3 on whether to deny or approve the Center's site plan with Padgett, Willis, and Kirchgatter voting against a motion to deny. I felt a motion of any kind was premature at that time and certainly that blanket denial could not be made without further study.

I, for one, am not ready to approve or deny the site plan of that complex and resent any implication that I support it. A complete investigation of all issues involved is imperative before just action is taken. The planning commission is charged with evaluating site plans as they relate to and comply with township ordinances, and approval or denial can be justified only after thorough research and thoughtful consideration.

Mr. Child further reported that

the planning commission has not acted on an environmental impact ordinance introduced by Trustee Lynne Goldsmith several months ago.

No such ordinance was formally introduced to the Township Board at that time. Directive to the planning commission to develop such an ordinance was forthcoming just last week and will be acted on immediately.

Local papers are encouraged to attend commission meetings in order to better understand the complexities of our task. Your facts, while true, are also misleading.

JOYCE WILLIS

Editor's note: The criticism of the planning commission on environmental impact was a quote from Canton Trustee Lynne Goldsmith.

Thank you, Crier

EDITOR:

Thank you and Ms. Guregian so much for keeping us informed on the program for the talented and gifted in Plymouth.

This area is so often overlooked it is great to see your articles.

CHERYL LEESCH

EDITOR:

No decision has as yet been made by the planning commission nor the city commission to approve the Lorenz proposal to build a motel-parking structure over the city-owned parking lot adjacent to the Mayflower. The city commission voted unanimously to consider the Lorenz proposal and all but one commissioner voted to request a careful review.

Caring as I do about the city and the people who live here, I urge that we all take a hard look at this proposal. That is why I voted in concept to consider it.

Sheriffs protect

EDITOR:

I was very disturbed when I read the article "Survivor Says"

The lucky young man's attitude is what bothers me most, and I quote, "The (Wayne County) sheriffs were hassling us. We had to hide our beer..."

The sheriffs were not 'hassling' you, they were trying to protect you. The sheriff, local and State

The city commission, the administration, and the planning commission should avoid automatic rejection or automatic approval. Too often I have observed amazingly different attitudes depending not on what was being proposed, but upon who was doing the proposing.

It was disappointing that Norb Battermann voted against my amendment, which asked that some concrete information about the proposal be provided to the city commission. I proposed the amendment to assure that adequate review and analysis would precede a decision.

It must be stressed that to this date the city commission has seen nothing but preliminary drawings (provided at last Monday's meeting) and heard an impassioned plea from Mr. Lorenz to assist him in celebrating the birthday of the Mayflower Hotel. I am terribly concerned that we determine the impact on the city before a decision is forced.

I remember that just a year ago, in July of 1976, this same commission rushed a public hearing to give the Forest City Dillon Corporation tax abatement for a high-rise across from Kellogg Park.

The city administration and the planning commission have now been asked to review carefully the proposal before returning it to the city commission. There is no need to rush a decision before we have all the facts. If the idea has merit, and it may, the next city commission and the residents of the city will support it, knowing the facts.

The city has been generous to Mr. Lorenz in the past. He was given a block of Maple Street. He was sold parking credits at a fraction of their cost to the taxpayers. Before he gets air rights over city-owned property, let's be sure it is in the best interest of the residents of the city, and that our children won't look back in 10, 30, or 50 years and ask "why".

If complete and objective fiscal and legal information indicates that the new motel and parking proposal is in the total best interest of the city, I will support it and vote for it. However, if we are rushed into a decision, not given adequate information or furnished information which indicated that only Mr. Lorenz will benefit from the use of city property, I'll fight against it in every legal way I can.

BEV McANINCH

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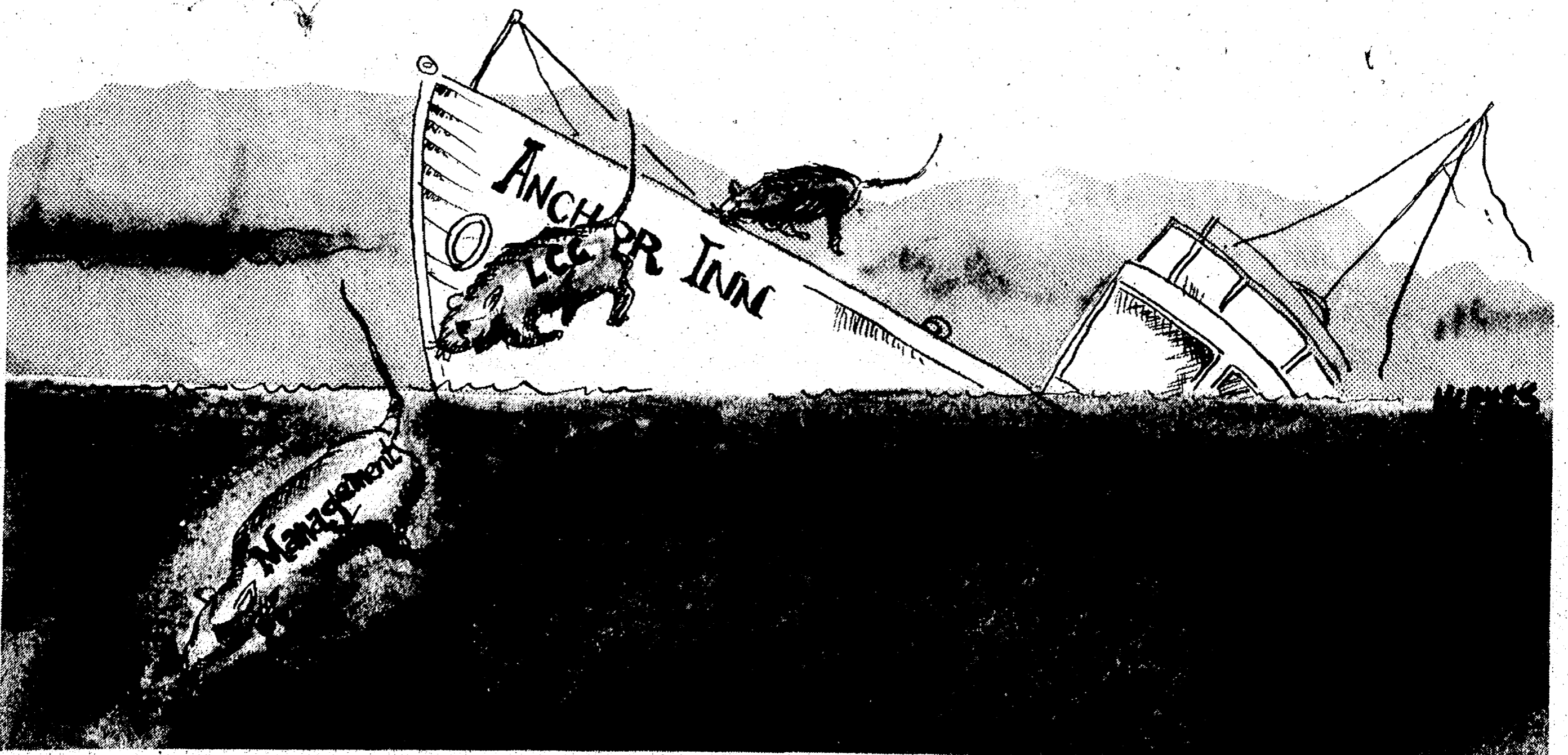
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Utilize property wisely

Among the ills which plague the City of Plymouth's hodge-podge parking policies (actually non-policies) is the belief that otherwise valuable downtown property is solely to be used for parking.

This translates, in the city budget, to the city amortizing the parking lots' property purchase costs as an operating cost in the parking fund.

If the city is to continue this laughable fiscal policy at the same time it argues that parking should pay for itself and at the same time enforcing an asphalters' dream formula for required parking spaces, air rights should be a welcome new idea.

Instead of removing more and more commercial property from the tax rolls to build parking spots that are rarely used, air rights would allow the city to keep taxable commercial and office uses which also add to the services and goods available in our trading area.

The proposal made by the Mayflower Hotel's Ralph Lorenz



By **W. EDWARD WENDOVER**



has merit in that it would more fully utilize property without jeopardizing the value of property nearby - the planner's goal for all property usage.

Whether the proposed "rental" agreement with the city for air rights over the Weidman Parking Lot is appropriate, cannot yet be determined. But a quick check of similar arrangements in other

communities can determine a fair price.

If the city does accept some annual stipend for the air rights however, they should be applied to the parking fund - not the general fund - since the city has seen fit to amortize the parking property costs as operating expenses. This would also help equalize the city's questionable practice of spreading city administrative costs over all programs. With raiding like that, it's no wonder the city's parking fund loses money each year.

The Lorenz proposal would also allow the city, in the future, to add to the front of the Wiedman Lot if desired.

Time is critical to the motel project because of its sought after opening yet this year. The City Commission would do well to investigate its questions promptly and to settle on the proposal as quickly as possible.

The commission has an opportunity to encourage downtown's growth to the benefit of all.

Extra cold cash

Golf course fills coffers

EDITOR:

It is rather apathetic and appalling, the reaction behavior of the ill-advised, the uninformed and narrow-mindedness of the general public, as was expressed by the Cantonite dissenters regarding the community's purchase of Fellows Creek Golf Course as a recreational community owned venture.

What these dissenters and others fail to realize as a case in point, that Livonia's Whispering Willows Golf Course provided the "City Coffers" with eight months seasonal play, extra cold cash of \$125,000, and Livonia also purchased Idyl-Wild Golf Course as a second course for the community's enjoyment and surrounding players to enjoy with extra revenue coming into the "City Coffers" - extra 'cold cash'.

These dissenters as well as others should visit a golf course and see the females that patronize - all shapes and sizes and ages playing the game, and these dissenters would see 'housewives' enjoying themselves with their friends.

These dissenters should visit Warren Valley and see an elderly lady, and I do mean elderly in her late '60's or early '70's, playing with her husband on the hilly terrain pulling her own golf cart would put to shame these dissenters with her playing ability and skill and walking gait, for she and her husband play thrice weekly the course early in the mornings.

I'll bet a "Big Mac" that these dissenters are 'avid and rabid' fans of the 'Boob-tube' watchers of the 'Soap Opera' and tie up the phone with Susabella Q for hours, and would be the first to curtail school programs if the occasion ever occurs in Canton.

There is an old saying in golf: "Enjoy the phenomenal fragrance and aesthetic beauty of nature; the sun and wind

Community opinions

blowing against your pale face; the beauty of the sun flickering thru the tree tops; for you only pass thru this life once. Remember, the blind can only smell this fragrance and can not see the beauty as you and I can."

What these dissenters fail to realize is that Uncle Same has earmarked thru the Bureau of Outdoor Recreation \$900 million dollars for community recreational development programs including the establishment or procurement of a community 18 hole golf course.

These dissenters fail to realize that females keep the 'commercial recreation establishments - bowling alleys, health spas, tennis and racquetball in business, as these establishments are 'business ventures' which the community derives 'Nothing' but taxes, whereas a golf course provides extra revenue to the community, and self-sustaining and self-supporting.

In a recent survey, Brooklane Golf Course caters to 350 female golfers between 8 a.m. and 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. Monday thru

Recall big rip-off

EDITOR:

I have been active in politics for most of my adult life and have seen many so-called "dirty" politics played, but this recall election is the biggest rip off I have ever seen pulled and I've seen plenty.

Let's show Canton that we do care by voting no on the three recall issues.

HELMA WALKER

Thursday at \$3.50 fee for 9 holes of play totals \$1,225 in League Play excluding other females who frequent the course throughout the day as well as the men.

Fellows Creek females included in League Play Monday thru Thursday totals 203 players using the same figures totals \$710.50 excluding females and males who play the course throughout the day, as well as those who play on Saturday - Sunday - holidays. With the green fees being higher on these days, for 18 holes are played.

Fox Hills has a Tuesday and Thursday female league with tee-off time between 8 a.m. and 9 a.m. of 180 players paying \$3.75 for 9 holes play totaling \$1,125 excluding those that play during the day minus mens' leagues that begin after 5 p.m.

You can see dissenters, that a community golf course is a paying proposition which brings extra revenue to the "City Coffers" for only playing 9 holes, for golf is played to 18 holes bring in more.

Mr. Supervisor, you don't need a six months feasibility study which is asinine and a stall tactic pointing out your weakness and unknowledgeable knowledge of what constitutes a community. Also you have an administrative department head, a hold-over from the Dingledey regime of 'Do Nothing', accomplishing nothing learning her lesson well, should be doing recreational surveys for the welfare of the community, and not ill-advised members. Also your information, Management Concerns are not cheap for their services with the product - operation of the golf course will 'short change total revenues from the operation. You sire, being a business man, should know this factor.

Come now, must you be led by the hand to prove your so-dynamic leadership?

STANLEY HAREMSKI

If you are fighting mad. . .



Get it out
Write a letter
To the editor

McAninch favored Market in Old Village

EDITOR:

Please help me to set the record straight. In a recent Crier news story I was reported as saying that I favored the establishment of a Farmers' Market in downtown Plymouth, in spite of the fact that HUD had denied funding for such a market.

The news report was not factual. In my remarks to the City Commission at that public meeting, what I stated was that I

favored (and still do favor) a Farmers' Market to be built in the Old Village area. Had such a proposal been submitted to Bloc Grant officials it would very likely have been approved.

Thank you for helping to get the facts out.

BEVERLY McANINCH

Vote 'no' on recall

EDITOR:

I have attended many township board meetings and I think Mr. Stein has received more abuse by the constituents of Mr. Greenstein and Mr. Bundarin that I can't see for the life of me how that poor man could operate in the fine manner that he did.

I will vote 'no' for all three in the recall election on Aug. 27th.

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Julie is away in Saratoga looking over some fine thoroughbred fliers (friers?) for the upcoming Fowl Festival. The staff is scamp-ering around, so busy and WORKING SO HARD that they could only pause long enough to say, "Check out the bright contemporary lamps, new at Sideways-in floor or table models." Also lots of nifty stuff at Wayside... Look busy, girls!

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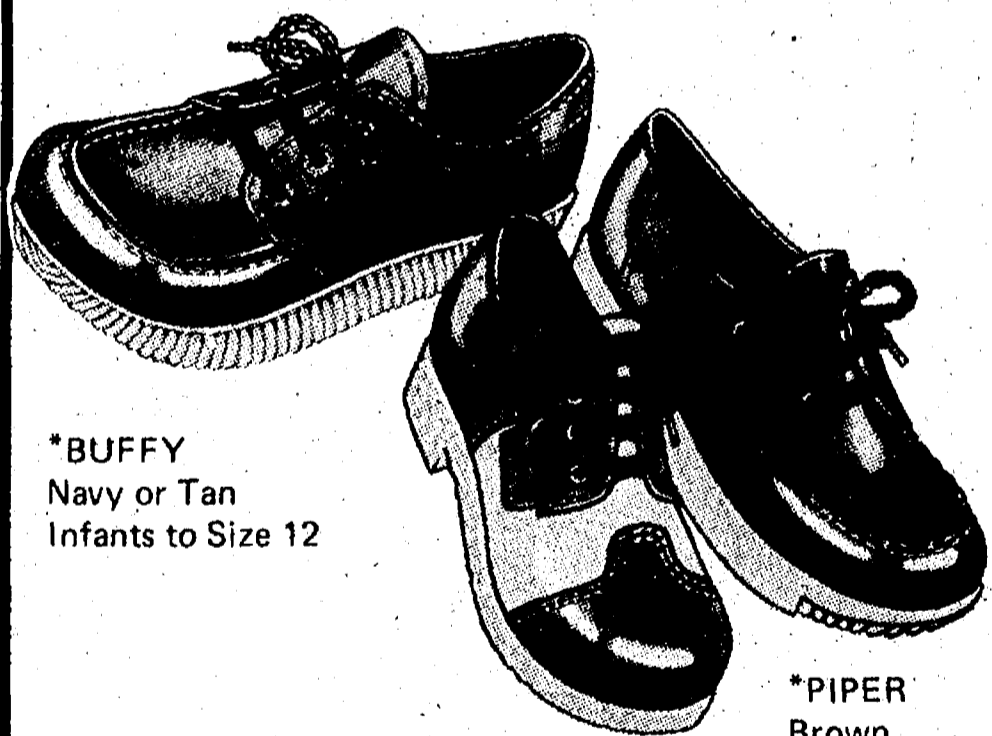
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THREE PLYMOUTH KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS from left, Leo Koziol, Roger Morahan and Paul Toth, plan their Muscular Dystrophy drive with Christopher (left) and Matthew Yotti, front. (Crier photo by Brian Watkins)



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Five added to committee

The Plymouth Canton School Board added five members to the Alternative Education Committee Monday.

The five are: Marge Yokum, Jim Martin, Krekel Green, Jack Bologna and Dr. John Telford.

Yokum and Bologna are citizens and Martin and Green are teachers in the Plymouth-Canton school district, while Dr. Telford is the recently hired Secondary Curriculum Coordinator for the schools.

Trustee Joe Gray objected to two appointments - Yokum and Martin, saying the committee "was leaning towards imbalance."

"When I appointed the original committee I wanted to have balance," Gray said. "I have problems with two individuals."

"If you want to stack a committee you know dog-gone well it can be done," he said.

Gray's motion to delete Martin from the list failed.

Trustee Flossie Tonda said she was concerned about board member Stephen Harper being on the committee.

"It's a conflict of interest," she said. "I had to quit committees when I was appointed (to the board) because of conflict of interest."

Other board members said they knew of no policy or conflict of interest - Arlen said he was on the CEP Committee and school board and there was no conflict.

The original participants in the Alternative Education Committee are: Dr. Michael Homes, director of the committee; Bill Brown, Gustav Gorguze, Dr. Jerry Morris, Wayne Sparkman, Tad Bury, Stephen Harper, Dale Yagiela and Thomas Santer.

What's happening

CLASS OF '27 REUNION

Plymouth High School Class of 1927 will hold their 50th year class reunion on Fri., Aug. 26 at the Mayflower Meetinghouse. The evening will include dinner. Contact chairman Beulah Trombley at 474-6858, for further information. Reservations for the 1927 Class 50th year reunion can still be made until Aug. 16. Beulah (nee Fisher) Trombly is the chairwoman of the reunion. Checks can be sent to Claude Beghard, 804 William, Plymouth, 48170.

CANTON CHAMBER SPONSORED GOLF OUTING

The Canton Chamber of Commerce would like to announce plans to sponsor a golf outing on Aug. 17 at Fox Hills Country Club, on North Territorial Road. Cost of the Golf/Dinner outing will be \$15 per person, this will include green fees (18 holes) and buffet dinner. For tickets and reservations please call Jack Street at 981-1313 or Mary at the Chamber office 453-4040. Make your reservations early as we are limited as to the number of golfers who can participate. Tee off times start at 10 a.m.

KIDS WEEK

Special presentations of music, magic, ventriloquism, puppetry, and "Disney-like" costume characters are all presented by internationally known ventriloquist, Dave Winchell at KIDS WEEK at the Plymouth Nazarene Church. The programs will be presented Sunday - Thursday, August 7-11 Sunday at 6 p.m. and the weekday services at 7 p.m. Admission is free. All children are invited and can bring a friend. The church is located at 41550 E. Ann Arbor Trail.

IMMUNIZE SCHOOL CHILDREN

Parents are reminded that Michigan law requires that a child enrolling in school for the first time be immunized or protected against diphtheria, measles, polio, rubella and tetanus. Written proof of immunizations must be presented to school officials upon enrollment. The following clinic will be held Wednesday August 24: Northville, Northwest Clinic, 16000 Sheldon Road north of Five Mile, 8:30 to 11 a.m. and 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. phone 729-2211.

COUNTED THREAD WORKSHOP

Renate Springsted, dressmaker and instructor of fine needlework at Greenfield Village, will conduct a Counted Thread Embroidery workshop in the Plymouth Community Arts Council (PCAC) offices next to John Smith's on Main St., on Monday, Sept. 26, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Those interested in enrolling should call Kathy Wood at the PCAC office 455-5260 any Wednesday from 9 a.m. to noon. The workshop will be limited to 15. The \$10 fee for the workshop includes even-weave linen tapestry and cotton yard, along with instructions on finishing a project. A knowledge of needlework is desired but not essential. If enough interest is shown after the workshop, Mrs. Springsted will teach a five week course. Mrs. Springsted will be an exhibitor at the seventh annual PCAC Arts and Crafts Show, scheduled for Saturday, Sept. 10, and Sunday Sept. 11, in Central Middle School.

CHAMBER SUMMER HOURS

The Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce has announced that from now until Aug. 22 the office located at 878 Wing will be closed daily (Monday-Friday) at 4 p.m. The Chamber office, which opens at 9 a.m. Monday through Friday, will resume regular hours on Aug. 22, staying open until 5 p.m.

SUMMER PLAYGROUNDS

City of Plymouth Playgrounds staffed by qualified leaders, will be open from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday, beginning Tues. July 5 and will continue through Friday, Aug. 12, at the following locations: Auburn Park - Auburn & Junction, Elm Street Park-Elm & Sheldon, Hamilton Park - Joy & Harding, Starkweather School - Holbrook, Sutherland Park - Sutherland and Forest. For further information contact the Parks and Recreation Office at 455-6620.

VEST POCKET PARK

Located in downtown Plymouth at Harvey Street and Ann Arbor Trail. The hours are from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Vest Pocket is open for the conveniences of shoppers and others with children ages 3 to 8 years. NO FEE. Vest Pocket Park opened Tuesday, July 5.

VOLUNTEERS FOR GROWTHWORKS

Growth Works, Inc., through Our House Crisis and Counseling Center is in need of volunteers for an information and referral service; for senior citizens. If you are a senior citizen or are interested in helping with this service - which would involve answering the telephone about four hours per week - contact Bill Henry at 455-4902 as soon as possible.

TUTORS NEEDED

The Learning Center, a free tutoring service for all ages located at Our House Crisis and Counseling Center, is growing fast and tutors are needed. If you like learning, are good in any subject from basic reading to college-level calculus, and like working with other people, the Learning Center is a good place to volunteer some of your time. For more information, or for an appointment to talk with the Learning Center Coordinator, call 455-4901 or 455-4902 and ask for Laura.

What's happening

HEALTH SCREENING PROGRAM FOR SENIORS

Senior Citizens will have the opportunity to take advantage of a special health screening project conducted by the Wayne County Health Department. Any person 60 years of age and over is eligible to participate in the screening program. A health team consisting of a physician, social worker and registered nurses will provide a wide range of screening services to include a health history, height and weight measurement, blood pressure, temperature, pulse, respiration, pap smear, glaucoma, hearing and vision testing. Minor laboratory tests will also be done. The goal of the health project is to assist Senior Citizens in gaining access to necessary medical care. Persons interested should call the Health Department at 274-2800 or 729-2211, Extension 251 for an appointment. Screening location is Tonquish Creek Manor, 1160 Sheridan, Plymouth. The Clinic will be held Aug. 22 through Sept. 1.

S'CRAFT HOSTS INFORMATION SESSION FOR WOMEN

Schoolcraft College will host a college information session for women from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. on Aug. 17. Entitled "How to Overcome the Fear of Trying," the session is scheduled in Room 200 of the Liberal Arts Building. It will cover courses and programs, admissions, scheduling and registration. Presentations on the Women's Resource Center, counseling services, child care facilities and physical education are also planned. Following discussions and presentations a campus tour will be provided and participants may then gather for a salad or sandwich lunch in the Waterman Campus Center. Persons who wish to attend or obtain further information should call the Women's Resource Center at 591-6400, extension 369. Schoolcraft College is located at 18600 Haggerty Road in Livonia.

"Y" OFFERS SOCCER REFEREE CLINIC

The Canton, Northville, Plymouth YMCA is offering a Soccer Referee Clinic starting Aug. 27 and 28. It will be on Saturday and Sunday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. for ages 16 and up. It will be held at the Starkweather Elementary School field and the cost is \$15 per person. A tennis class will start Sept. 6 through Sept. 29 on Tuesday and Thursday from 4:30-6 p.m. for Youth and 6 - 7:30 p.m. for Adults. It will be held at the Canton High Tennis Courts and the cost is \$12 for Members and \$15 for Non-Members. There are openings available in our Golf Class starting Aug. 17, Hair Care and MakeUp Clinic starting Aug. 18 and Plymouth Slim and Trim starting Sept. 6. Call the "Y" office at 453-2904 for more information or to enroll.

S'CRAFT COUNSELING OFFERS GROWTH SEMINARS

Schoolcraft counseling department will offer six personal growth and human development seminars and courses during the fall semester. Human Development Services 100, is patterned after the Human Potential Seminars. Four day sections are planned. The second credit course, Strategies in Life/Work Planning is designed for people searching for new careers. This seminar will help teach individuals how to make career decisions by helping them know and understand themselves. In a systematic way participants match personal needs, interests, strengths, values, talents and hobbies with potential careers. For further information regarding these seminars and other courses call the counseling office at 591-6400, extension 236.

MUSICAL FAMILY VISITS

The musical family, The Calvary Way Singers, will present a concert at the Plymouth Wesleyan Church, 42290 Five Mile Rd., Plymouth, on Sunday August 14, at 6 p.m. Rev. Jacob Schwartskoph, a District Evangelist, is the leader of the group.

CANTON DEMS' CORN ROAST

The United Democratic Club of Canton will hold its annual corn roast from 2 to 7 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 21 rain or shine at the UAW Local 735 Hall, 48055 Michigan Ave., featuring coney island hot dogs, beer and pop. Circus tickets will be given out to children. Admission: \$3 for adults, \$1.50 for children.

Chamber plans meeting

Ron Griffith, Chairman of the Program and Annual Meeting Committee of the Plymouth Chamber of Commerce has announced that the annual meeting will be held Wednesday, Nov. 2, at Schoolcraft College.

At 6:30 p.m. the Culinary Arts Department of the college will serve hors d'oeuvres.

A cash bar with beer and wine and a full course prime rib dinner will be featured, followed by a business meeting including discussion of by-law changes.

The evening will be concluded by a guest speaker.

Cost of the evening will be \$10 and reservations may be made now.

New Year's Eve, the Chamber

will sponsor a charity ball, with proceeds from the event to be split between the Chamber and a Plymouth charity organization.

Hors d'oeuvres, a cash bar, a filet mignon dinner, favors, and dancing will be included for the fee of \$60 per couple. The event will be held at the Mayflower Meetinghouse.

Law office broken into

The law offices of Draugel-lis-Aston-Scully, at 843 Penniman, were broken into Wednesday night, police report.

Entering through a second story window, the unknown culprit threw some candy on the floor and stole the keys to the filing cabinet, the police say.



"CONTINENTAL CLUB CLUCKER," held by Mike Caffery of the Plymouth Civitan Club gets his briefing for the Fowl Festival chicken flying contest from the Chamber of Com-

merce's Janet Curlee. The Second Annual Fowl Festival will be held Oct. 2 on Main St., in Plymouth. (Crier photo by Brian Watkins.)

Canton hospital up for rezoning

A hospital, rest home and medical office complex proposed for Canton was given a reprieve by the Board of Trustees last Tuesday.

After the planning commission had earlier denied the hospital's developers site plan approval, the board of trustees authorized a public hearing on the matter.

The developers will petition the planning commission to rezone the parcel on Canton Center Road, south of Ford Road, from residential to commercial. Trustee Brian Schwall was the only board member to vote 'no' on the Great American Building Corporation's request for the public hearing.

George Peek, township planner, said the planning commission objected to the fact that

a hospital on the site would be contrary to the master land use plan.

David Miller of Great American said the hospital would be a "great benefit" to the township. He said his company was "speaking too loud, too quickly" on

the size and cost of the complex.

He declined comment on the number of beds in the hospital and its cost until the property had been rezoned.

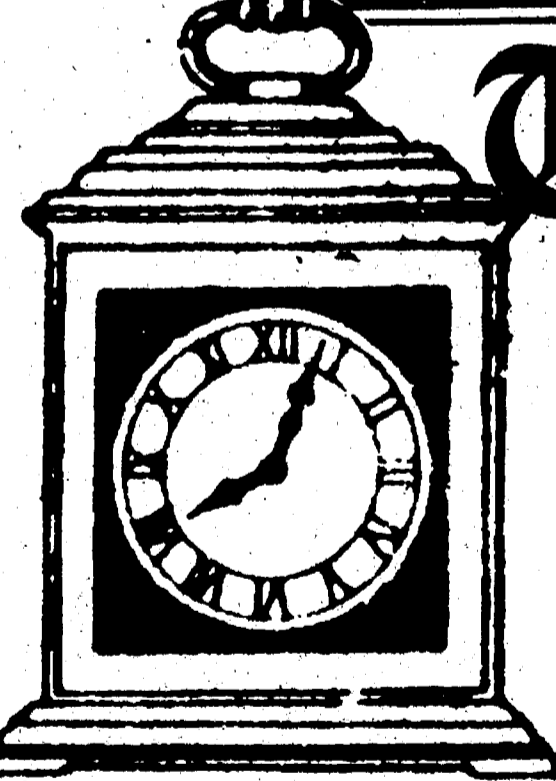
No date has been set for the public hearing.



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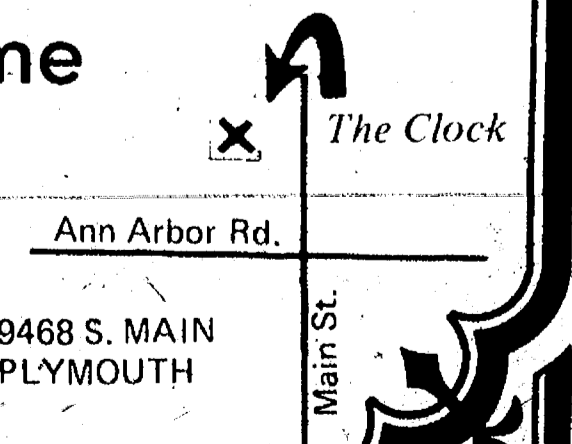
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Plymouth couple import English history

BY W. EDWARD WENDOVER

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Fall Festival applications taken until Aug. 17

There is still time to submit applications for the Plymouth Community Fall Festival. Applications for non-profit organizations in the Plymouth Community will be accepted until August 17.

Participants must include a one-hundred dollar application fee and proof of insurance with their application. Application forms can be obtained by writing Fall Festival, Post Office Box 177, Plymouth, Michigan, 48170, or by contacting Festival manager Carl Glass.

Last year over 47 groups participated in the four day celebration. This year the festival will run from September 8 - 11.

A bit of English history from more than 600 years ago may soon be gracing many American living rooms - all because of an unusual enterprise being undertaken by a Plymouth couple.

The English Brasses - original rubbings of antique monumental brass plaques from tombstones and memorials - are a new line being carried by Mac and Barb McDonald's Anglo-Imports.

McDonald, known for his former role with the Plymouth-Canton Schools' CASTLES Project, has been working on the idea of the importing-wholesale business since he and his wife were on their honeymoon 18 months ago.

An Englishman himself, McDonald's company is working in cooperation with an art studio in York, England which hand rubs the design using heel-ball wax and detail paper.

"For many years brass rubbing has been a popular hobby with artists and historians alike and many fine collections are in existence in England. Unfortunately, the popularity of the art has had its effects on the surviving brasses and many churches have now banned the rubbing of their brasses.

"Prior to the banning of most of the finest brasses, however, permission was obtained to take metal casts from the original with the purpose of making exact replicas.

"So accurate are the facsimiles made that every little dent and flaw in the original metal is reproduced and a rubbing taken from a facsimile is indistinguishable from a rubbing taken from the original brass," McDonald said.

Some 25 different historical



Each includes a brief history of the original work.

"These are so beautiful, so well done," McDonald said. "The fact that they were engraved mostly over 600 years ago fascinates me.

"Craftmanship doesn't exist like this nowadays," he added.

"The simplicity of the things - they're very ornate within - but the lines are so simple. That's the magic of the things. They lend an air of serenity to everything," McDonald said.

The couple hopes to turn the artistic importing business into four major stages - direct wholesale, indirect wholesale, mail order wholesale and maybe later, mail order retail.

"We're just really excited about this," McDonald beamed. "They're really beautiful."

THIS BRASS RUBBING is taken from the memorial marker for Sir Robert de Bures in Acton, Suffolk, England. Made in 1331 it has been termed "the finest military brass in existence."

In this brass the mail coif and mittens cover the head and hands. The surcoat is long and has a deep slit up the front for ease in riding, but seems to have been plain, not, as was more usual, worked with the arms of the deceased. The thighs are covered by gamboised cuisses, a quilted defence for the thigh, with the poleyns (knee-caps) attached to them. The sword belt

and all of them will be on display during a special exhibition Aug. 22 through Sept. 17 at The Frameworks in Forest Place Mall.

The rubbings vary from seven inches by 11 inches (about \$15 without frame) to seven feet high (\$132).

RFD a 'fun' local club

BY ELAINE GUREGIAN

Editor's note: Crier intern reporter Elaine Guregian got the inside track on this feature article - she interviewed her mother. Elaine reports that her mom was easily accessible for this interview: "She's always at home during the summer."

The RFD club? No, Andy of Mayberry hasn't come to Plymouth - nor is this a group with any special interest in mail service.

The club is now simply a community women's club. Women living at the western edge of the Plymouth-Canton School District have been enjoying the camaraderie of this neighborhood club for about thirty years, according to Carol Guregian, a 20 year member of RFD.

"The name RFD started as kind of a joke," said Guregian. "It stands for Rural Fulfillment and Development. The club had served for years under the name of the Mother's Club.

"Geer School had its own school district and school board before it was annexed to Plymouth's, and the Mother's Club provided support to the two teachers teaching eight grades

(about 50 children) in the two room school.

"We were sort of like room mothers," she said. "We painted and decorated the inside of the school, made costumes for plays, made goodies for parties and generally provided the extra things the children needed.

"The joke at one time was that the business of the school board was decided at the Mother's Club meetings," said Guregian.

"To an extent it was really true though," she continued. "The club has continued to serve as a forum for discussion of community problems, and it has kept the community together."

The main reason for the RFD Club of recent years though has been to give the women of the area a chance to see each other.

The highlight of the year is the annual Christmas party, according to Guregian, at which former members of both the club and the community gather together.

At their regular monthly meetings, held in each other's homes, the group shares craft ideas, take field trips, or listen to guest speakers. One of their

continuous projects over the years has been to sponsor a Cherokee Indian child.

The club doesn't place much importance on formal rules or procedures. To elect their officers, Guregian said, they write everyone's name on a piece of paper, throw them all into a hat, and pick.

"Everyone's so capable," she said, "that it doesn't really matter who's chosen."

What do spouses think of all this?

"They get entertained once a year, at our picnic in the spring," said Guregian. "They're pretty good sports and they enjoy seeing everyone then."

Carol Guregian has confidence that the group will last.

"It's still going strong," she said, "and the new members, women who may or may not have children in Geer School, enjoy it just as much as the old."

"It's been a way to keep in touch with neighbors I love and enjoy," she said, "The Club has reflected the stability of the neighborhood, and in these times of mobility, it's a nice feeling to know that old friends are still here along with the new."

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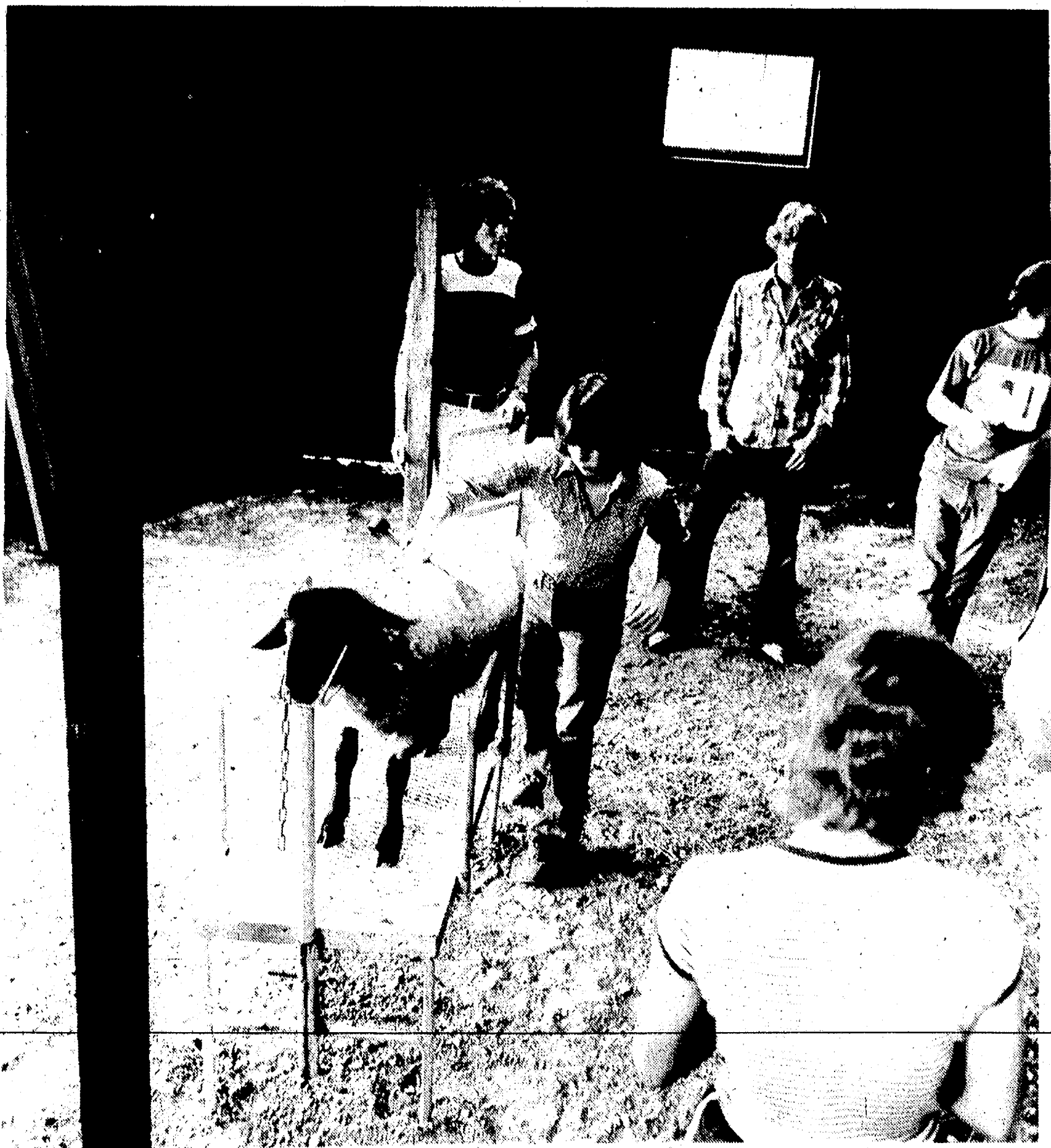


THERE WILL BE NO shortage of dogs from Plymouth-Canton in the 4-H show. Front row, from left, Steve Caloia (Duchess), Cindy Head (Charlie), Peter Kinsler (Shep), Larrie Kinsler (Ber-

nie), Cheryl Smith (Bear): Back row, Keith Kirkpatrick (Sandy), Peggy McMullen (Korkie), Shannon Fitzgerald (Angie), Pattie Huff (without dog), and Carol Terry (Bonnie).

Local 4-Hers groom pets for county fair

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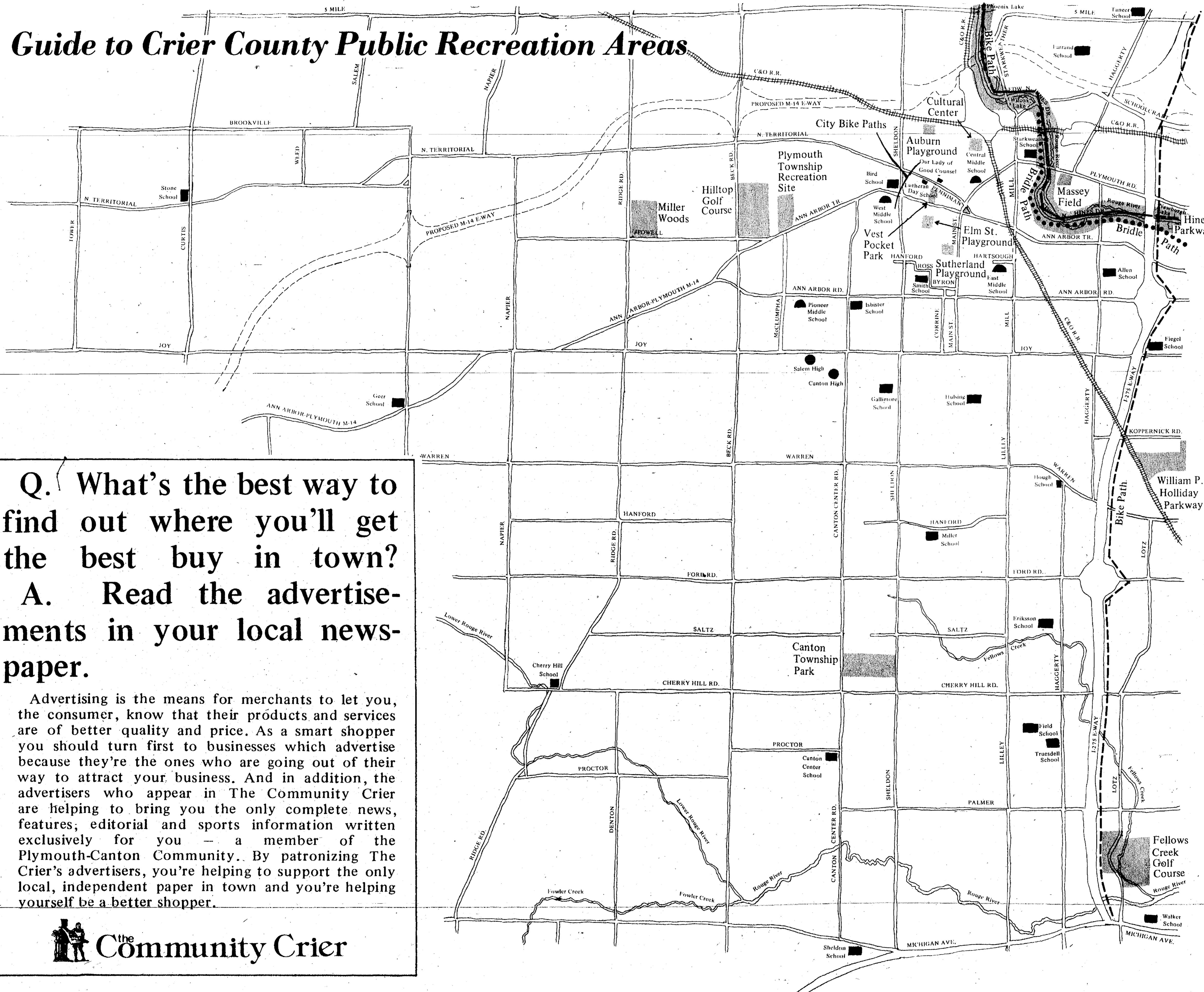


KELLY STRAUTZ practices her sheep shearing at George Lawton's Canton farm in preparation for the 4-H show in Belleville.



CAROL TERRY and her 4-H entry.

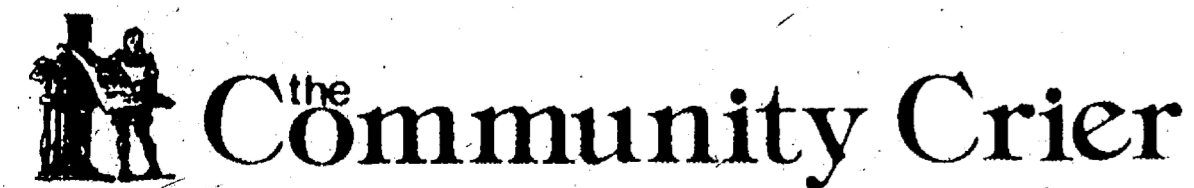
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Traditional school starts soon

Plymouth-Canton students have approximately three weeks left of summer vacation - unless you've been going to school at Miller, which has had sessions all summer.

There are nine elementary, three middle and both high schools on the traditional calendar, school officials report.

Five elementary schools and one middle school are on the Extended School Year Calendar (ESY).

For traditional school students, school begins Aug. 31. Traditional schools include Allen, Bird, Farrand, Fiegel, Geer, Hulsing, Smith Starkweather and Tanger. Traditional middle schools include Central, East and West. Canton and Salem High Schools are also on the traditional calendar days, not to be

confused with the high school only modular scheduling of classes.

ESY schools are Miller, Erikson, Gallimore, Isbister, Field and Pioneer Middle School.

For ESY students on Tracks A B and C school begins Aug. 29. For ESY students on Track D school will begin Sept. 19.

American Indian program needs parental support

Native American Indian students in the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools will be provided with expanded programs and services this school year due to additional monies received from the U.S. Office of Educational schools report.

This year's project is scheduled to include visitations to Indian Reservations in Michigan, attendance at Pow Wows, individual tutoring, arts and crafts programs, special Native American Indian classroom activities, use of a large new collection of

books, materials, artifacts, and equipment by parents, staff, and students.

Monies have also been allotted for district parents to attend conferences and meetings of state and national Native American groups.

The first organizational meeting for the Native American Indian project will be held on Tues., Aug. 16, at 7:30 p.m. This meeting will be held in the school district's Administration Building, 454 S. Harvey Street, in Plymouth. Anyone interested in receiving information and participating in the program is invited to attend this meeting.

The U.S. Office of Education has requested Plymouth-Canton to increase the amount of parent involvement in this program.

"Every effort will be devoted to responding to parent and student interests and needs through this year's program, and we hope the parents will assist us by giving their personal preferences for this year's program," said Sam Ulsaker, Administrative Assistant for the school district.

This year's project will be in Central Middle School Room 6, phone number, 453-8220.

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Editor's note: While Phyllis is up in the northwoods on vacation (No phones! No dishes!) the 'social butterflies' on The Crier staff collaborate on her column.

Grange Gleanings, from the Plymouth Grange report Clyde and Dot Williams celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary recently. They are 21 year members of the Grange. Clyde and Dot plan on a potluck dinner Aug. 20 for the Grangers at 1 p.m. Grange meetings are held the first and third Thursday at 8 p.m. If you need transportation to the dinner, call Jess Tritten, John Oldenburg, James Henry or Ken Lunn.

Several young residents have recently joined the U.S. Army's Delayed Recruiting Program. They are: William T. Renner, a June '76 graduate of Salem High, and son of Mr. and Mrs. William Denner, whose station will be with the 25th Infantry Division in Hawaii; Julie Ann Olson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julian Olson of Ridge Rd., she will be stationed in South Carolina as a food specialist; Kenneth Wayne Bertrand, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Bertrand of Joy Rd. Ken is a '77 graduate of Salem and leaves for active duty in September. Robert Crandall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lenny Crandell of Paul Revere in Canton, will complete basic training at Fort Jackson in South Carolina.

Harry Guess, of the Plymouth Christian Academy in Canton was one of several administrators attending the seventh National Institute of Christian School Administration held in Indiana.

Brian Collins and Dave MacKenzie of Salem High School attended a five-day 'inspiration and perspiration' sports conference at Central Michigan University in Mt. Pleasant recently. Brian was a member of the basketball and baseball teams at Salem and Dave competed in track, basketball and soccer.

Karl Gansler of the Plymouth Jaycees was in Tulsa, Okla. participating in the national officer training college of the United States Jaycees. Gansler is Internal Vice-President for the Michigan Jaycees and is a salesman.

Ann Schwaller from Plymouth also attended a Central Michigan University Athletic Training Workshop last week. Ann, an athletic trainer, was among some 80 coaches from across Michigan who participated. She is a 1976 Salem graduate.

Attending Blue Lakes Fine Arts Camp this summer are Sarah McMullen of 184 Castor, Plymouth, she is studying music instruction; and Donna Jaszcz of Colony Farms Circle, studying orchestra and Rebecca Slade, of Leicester, who is studying band.

Phyllis sent a postcard from Waterfront Beach on Grand Traverse Bay and reports that "It's so peaceful up here. I think I could get used to this kind of living." She and her family are sailing and exploring the sand dunes - but will return next week.

Doug Ingle has captured the title of Mr. Dance 1977 after competing in the Dance Educators of America National competition held in New York City recently. Prior to his 1977 title, Doug had placed in Regional competition in the senior solo division and also held the title of Mr. Dance 1976. He is a staff member at Masters of Dance-Arts in Canton.

Pamela Adams, James Mason engaged

Pamela Adams and James Mason, both 1974 graduates of Salem High School, have announced their engagement.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Adams, of 655 Jener, Plymouth, and is a student at Michigan State University, as is her fiancée.

Mason is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell E. Mason, 194 Pine Hill Lake Rd., in Horton. A December wedding is planned.

PAMELA ADAMS and JAMES MASON



City, townships prepare for water, sewer increase

THE COMMUNITY CRIER: August 10, 1977

BY DONNA LOMAS

Although the Detroit City Counsel voted last week to nearly double sewer rates in that city and outlying suburbs, it seems doubtful Plymouth-Canton governments will pass the increase on until cases under litigation with the Detroit Water and Sewer Dept. are settled.

Ken Way, chief of the city of Plymouth Water and Sewer Department said the city commission had elected some time ago not to increase water or sewer charges until their matter

in court was resolved.

An ordinance change would have to be made by the city commission before the fee schedule would be changed, said Way.

Plymouth Township Clerk, Helen Richardson said that the township had not received any notice of the increase.

Township Water and Sewer Superintendent Web Kincade was on vacation, but a spokesperson for the department said they had "heard nothing" from Detroit about the increase.

A Canton Township spokesperson for the Water and Sewer Department said they had not been notified of the increase yet either, but they expected it soon. The township board has to approve a rate increase before rates can be changed.

Canton charges 69 cents per thousand gallons - and several 1976 September bills on a residential area in Canton for June, July and August (the hottest months of the year and therefore the highest in water consumption, the spokesperson

said) were over \$100.

Detroit voted for the increase to avoid losing nearly \$400 million in federal clean water funds. The rate increase may generate about \$23.5 million this year for the Detroit department. It serves nearly 3.5 million customers in Wayne, Oakland and Macomb counties.

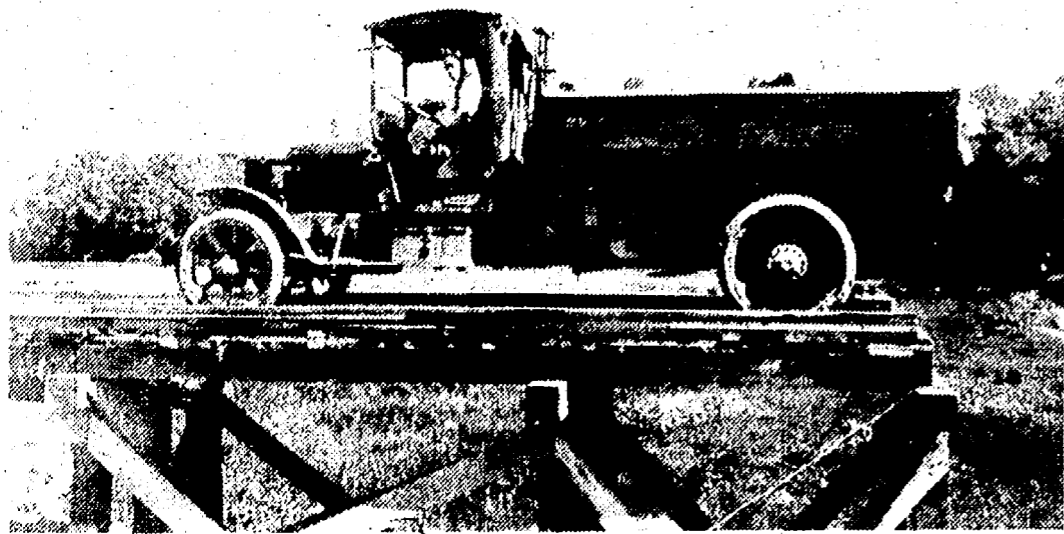
However, Detroit could still lose the \$4 million as a result of the on-going legal battles with several suburban cities and townships, including the City of Plymouth, Canton and

Plymouth Townships.

Also, Detroit is required to give customers a 90-day notice of the hike before the new rates went into effect. The new rates for sewer service went into effect Aug. 1, which would show on September bills.

"It would be a pretty fair whack in the shins for seniors," said Way. "I took my own bill and estimated that I paid about \$25 a year - to double that would be \$50 - not good for anyone with too few dollars already."

Glimpse at yesterday



"Jim's truck"

EDITOR'S NOTE: Mrs. Laura Mulholland of Ann Arbor Trail in Plymouth sent in this picture of her husband Jim and his truck, taken in 1920 when there was no water in the Phoenix Lake dam. Jim dumped the first load of the "tons and tons" of rocks that made up the dam. Mrs. Mulholland explained that the dam had washed out once before around 1900. She said Henry Ford decided to build another in 1920 and remembered him saying, "It won't wash out if I put the dam in." When this picture was taken, Laura said she didn't even know Jim - but met him shortly after and married him the same year. "It's so changed, I'll tell you," she said. "It's quite different now."

"I have been reading the stories about Phoenix Bridge. The picture you have in the paper today (Aug. 3) is the Wilcox Feed Mill.

"I was there many times when John and George Wilcox ran it. It was by Wilcox dam where the road commission trucks are parked.

"I lived across from Phoenix Lake for 12 years. I was born there and the house still stands. I was told as I grew up about the time the dam went out.

"The dam went out around 1900 and weakened the street car track where it ran along side of the bridge. The piles were washed out when the dam went out.

"There was no water there from 1900 to 1920. My dad had a garden where the lake is now. Dad had five acres of land across the road.

"Henry Ford built the dam in 1920. My husband, Jim, put the first load of rocks in the dam and worked for Matt Powel who worked for Ford at the dam.

"The Detroit Urban Railway (DUR) street car ran from Bates St., at E. Jefferson in Detroit to Wayne and Plymouth and crossed Northville Road. The tracks are still there.

"It followed the railroad to Northville where it backed up to Center St. It took on passengers and went to Farmington and back to Bates St., and E. Jefferson. Frank Rambo and Charley Thum were conductors on the line.

"I rode the street car many times. The street car came up Mill St., to Main to Penniman along the park and out E. Ann Arbor Trail. The waiting room was where the First Federal Bank parking lot is now.

"There was a building on the north side of Phoenix Bridge that was the ice house. They cut ice there before 1900."

Township add to warning system

The Plymouth Twp. Board of Trustees discussed additions to the disaster warning systems at their meeting.

According to George R. Young, director of the Wayne County Office of Emergency Preparedness, the estimated cost for each warning siren installed is \$10,000.

Under the new Federal program, the Township and the Federal government will split the cost of the sirens equally.

James E. Gignac, Fire Chief of the Plymouth Twp. Fire Dept., outlined sites where new sirens could be used. At present, there are two roof top sirens serving the Plymouth area.

Gignac said that he understood that the new fire station was built with wiring provisions made to accommodate a rooftop siren, and so the cost of installation would be lower for that location.

He said that a siren at Station No. 2 would serve the resi-

dents in the north-east portion of the township and alert the volunteers in that area.

Gignac suggested that a siren at Station No. 3 could be wired to be activated at Station No. 1. This siren would alert residents

of the southwestern portion of the township.

A siren at the mobile home park, the proposed location of Station No. 4, will serve the northwest portion of the township, according to Gignac.

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Car wash, restaurant approved

Two commercial developments a White Castle restaurant and a car wash, were approved by Canton's Board of Trustees last Tuesday.

The White Castle will be built on the southwest corner of Ford and I-275, near the proposed "Center" - a large indoor recreation complex. The vote was 6-1 with trustee Brian Schwall casting the only "no" vote.

The car wash will be located on the south side of Ford Road between Lilley and Haggerty Roads.

Rate may help seniors

Plymouth-Canton seniors may get a break in their electricity bills if a proposed price adjustment from Detroit Edison from Detroit Edison is approved by the Michigan Public Service Commission.

The special electric rate is the first of its kind in the nation, Edison says and it "recognizes the unique problems" of seniors who are living on fixed incomes.

About 275,000 households, or nearly 20 per cent of Edison's residential customers would be eligible for the new rate.

The savings would be approximately \$1.16 a month or seven per cent.

Community deaths

Bower

Mrs. Lottie B. Bower, 89, of 159 S. Harvey, Plymouth died Aug. 2 at West Trail Nursing Home.

A long time resident here and a member of First United Presbyterian Church of Plymouth, she is survived by a sister, Mrs. Violeta Riess of Plymouth; two nephews Glen Carr of Clayton, Milton Glassner of Roscommon; a niece Mrs. Ward Marlatt of Ann Arbor; and several grandnieces and nephews.

Rev. Theodore Taylor of Flint United Presbyterian officiated at the funeral and burial followed in Riverside Cemetery. Arrangements were made by Schrader Funeral Home.

Belding

Larry D. Belding, 43, of 8304 Holly Drive, Canton, died Aug. 8 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. Funeral services were held at Schrader Funeral Home, Rev. Fr. Gerald Flannery officiating. Burial was in Riverside Cemetery.

Mr. Belding is survived by his wife, Sally; his mother, Mrs. Veda Belding of Detroit; a son, Mark; two daughters, Dianne and Nancy; and two sisters, Mrs. Phyllis Bissonette of Warren and Mrs. Carole Kaye of Warren. Mr. Belding was a technician at Burroughs.

Olson

Mrs. Olive Olson, 82, of 580 Byron, Plymouth, died Aug. 2 at University Hospital in Ann Arbor.

She is survived by her sons, C. Edward, Gerald and Willard all of Plymouth; four daughters, Doris of Brighton, Virginia of

Plymouth, Sylvia of Northville and Ina of Sherwood, Ohio; three brothers, Ralph, Forrest and George Landis all of Stronack; 30 grandchildren and 18 great grandchildren.

Services were held Aug. 5 with Dr. William Stahl officiating. Burial followed in Cadillac Memorial Gardens West in Westland. Arrangements were made by Schrader Funeral Home.

Rundio

Chris Anne Rundio, 19, of 173 E. Ann Arbor Trail, died Aug. 4 at St. Mary Hospital from injuries received in a car accident.

Services were held at Schrader Funeral Home with the Rev. Henry J. Walch, officiating. Burial was in Michigan Memorial Cemetery, Flat Rock.

Miss Rundio is survived by her parents, Mrs. Carole Rundio of Plymouth, Mr. Paul Rundio of Wyoming; sister, Kathy; grandmother, Mrs. Josephine Rundio of Kalamazoo; and grandfather Mr. Wilfred Brown of Homestead, Fla.

Miss Rundio was a student.

Nay

Jeffrey T. Nay of Westchester, Ohio, died Aug. 5, at Cincinnati, Ohio. Funeral services will be held tomorrow at Schrader Funeral Home, Rev. Henry J. Walch officiating. Burial will be at Glen Eden Cemetery in Livonia.

Jeffrey is survived by his mother Elizabeth Nay of Belleville; his father, Henry Nay of Westchester Ohio; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis M. Pacciorretti; grandmother, Mrs. Eva Staffsky; a sister, Mrs. David (Candace) Schaff of Plymouth; and a brother, Douglas.



Roller derby

SIDEWALK SURFER Doug Fairful swoops making the most of what's left of summer vacation. (Crier photo by Brian Watkins.)

Fuel crisis help offered

Michigan Department of Social Services is offering a "Special Crisis Intervention Program" in response to the problems many citizens faced resulting from last winter's fuel costs. Under this program approximately \$13 million is available to Michigan, City of Plymouth officials report.

The bulk of the funds will be used to assist poor and near poor Michigan households, headed by persons 65 years of

age or older who meet certain income guidelines.

For more information, City of Plymouth residents should contact Terry Carroll at 453-1234.

LWV pledges support of ERA

The League of Women Voters of Northville, Plymouth, Canton, and Novi is joining the fight to pass the Equal Rights Amendment by scheduling several fundraising events, the first to be a garage sale.

A plant party, an art sale, and two additional garage sales, time and places to be announced at

a later date.

The local League will launch its fundraising efforts to help the LWV of the U.S. raise over 1 million dollars for ERA campaigns in key unratified states. The LWV of the U.S. has already received \$825,000 in League pledges from around the country for this national

ERA effort. The LWV of Michigan has pledged \$40,000 for ERA.

Neva Carter, President of the Northville-Plymouth-Canton league said that "we are determined to ensure passage of this amendment before time runs out in 1979, and we are proud to commit our efforts to help our sister states in ratifying this vital amendment since every American stands to gain a great deal from the ratification of ERA.

"We feel we have a responsibility to help achieve the ERA victory.

"We are committed to ensuring that not only will we have the woman power needed for a national ERA victory, but we will have the cash necessary to carry out our campaign. The bulk of the money will be used to operate ERA campaign offices in the key states."

Taxes reduced

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\$88 million; Salem Township, \$12 million; Northville Township, \$7 million; and Superior Township \$4 million. Only parts of Salem, Superior and Northville Townships are in the Plymouth-Canton School District - and thus its total valuation.

About 70 per cent of Canton is in the Plymouth-Canton district but that contains a larger proportionate valuation than the remainder of the township.

The school board must set the 1977-78 total tax levy by Sept. 1 for the reduction to show on December's tax statements, Hoedel said.



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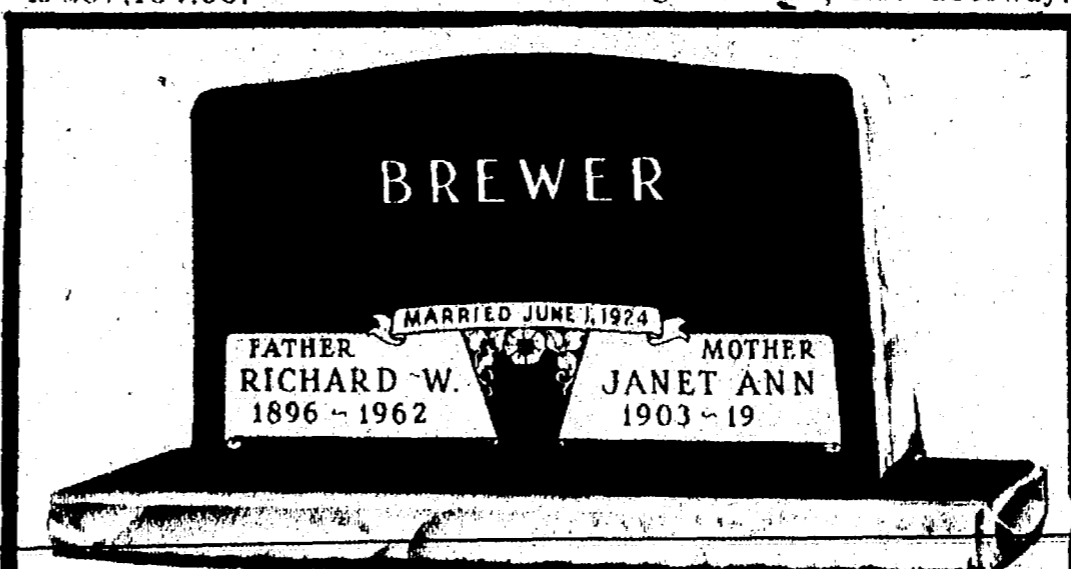
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County gets fed funds for jobs

Royce Smith, Wayne County Commissioner and Chairman of the Wayne County Advisory Planning Council announced receipt of nearly \$31 million of federal funds which he said will finance 1,000 new jobs in the County and maintain 1,500 more in public service positions through September, 1978.

"Eligible veterans will be given priority consideration for these new jobs," Smith said.

The money is provided by the U.S. Dept. of Labor through the Comprehensive Employment and Training Act (CETA), under which the County Office of

Manpower already administers employment of 1,500 public service workers paid with previous allocations, Smith explained.



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Making Fall Fest plans

OFFICERS of the Plymouth Community Arts Council plan their strategy for the upcoming Fall Festival. From left are Jean Herr of the artisan committee, Judy Lewis, art show chair-

woman; Judy Morgan, co-chairwoman; and Krys Hasley, who will man the student booth. (Crier photo by Brian Watkins.)



Plymouth-Canton
school update

BY FLORENCE BEIR

Track assignments and schedules for students on the Extended School Year program were mailed to parents in late July. At last families learned when their children would be in class and when the three-week vacations occur in the 1977-78 school year.

A mail-back card enclosed with the track assignment letter gave parents an opportunity to correct any mistakes in the computerized information about their child. At this point, a crucial step in the process of implementing the Extended School Year program was completed.

The computer placement of children into neighborhood tracks was an exceedingly complex process. The student population of five elementary schools and one middle school had to be divided into four equal parts. Each part had to be balanced in terms of grade levels. Families had to be kept together on the same track.

A major concern in the track assignments was organizing transportation. On the E.S.Y. program one quarter of the students are always on vacation, with a new group re-entering school every three weeks.

This means a different bus schedule every three weeks. One bus picks up all the children from a neighborhood that are attending school at that time.

Although every effort was made in preparing information

for the computer to keep children on the same track as their playmates, many other concerns had to be considered. It was particularly important to consider class size, co-ordination of families, and economy of transportation.

Two avenues are open to parents who have severe problems with their child's placement. A District Student Placement Appeals Panel handles questions of school assignment. Parents may obtain a form to apply for a school change from their school or the Administration Building, 454 S. Harvey St., Plymouth.

Cases of hardship arising from track assignments should be taken to the school's Appeals Committee at the building where the student attends. The school's Appeals Committee consisting of the principal, a teacher, and a parent, will review the request and approve or reject it.

Both school and track changes are granted only where it would clearly benefit a child's education. Any change is made on the basis of available space, for one year only, and with the parent responsible for transportation.

According to Superintendent of Schools, John M. Hoben, "We are all concerned about the inconvenience this may cause some families, but we must place first priority on providing the best possible education for our rapidly growing student population."

Lanphear MSU honor student

Carol A. Lanphear of Plymouth was among 38 Michigan State University students admitted to the Honors College summer term.

Lanphear is a sophomore in the pre-law program and is studying political science. She is a member of the Political Science Undergraduate Advisory Council and the Political Science Student-Faculty Judiciary Committee. She is in the top five percent of the student body.

A 1976 graduate of Plymouth-Salem High School, Lanphear is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lanphear Jr., of 1189 Ross St.

Stewart chooses Wisconsin

Todd A. Stewart, son of Robert and Nancy Stewart, 1346 Carol St., Plymouth, has been accepted at Lawrence University, and has indicated that he will attend the Appleton, Wis., school.

Lawrence University is an independent, liberal arts college and conservatory of music with a co-educational enrollment of approximately 1,275.

Stewart, a graduate of Salem High School was the co-music director of WSDP-FM, a 10-watt educational radio station. He was the recipient of a letter of commendation from the National Merit Scholarship Program, and the Michigan Competitive Scholarship Award.

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YER OUT! Plymouth's Matt Etienne is late at the plate in the Mantle tournament Friday. The ball is waiting in the Detroit Yankee's mitt as he begins his slide. Plymouth went on to win the game, 7-2. (Crier photo by Chas Child).

Salem Mantle edged, 1-0, in tourney

BY CHAS CHILD
It took an extra-inning game that lasted two days, to eliminate the Salem squad from the Mickey Mantle tournament.
Salem's 15 and 16 year olds played Buffalo to a 0-0 stand-off through eight innings Saturday, before the game was called because of darkness.
It took the Buffalo squad only one inning, however, to eliminate Salem on Sunday. A throwing error let the Buffalo's lone run to end the drama in the ninth inning.
Doug Holloway was tagged with the loss after he took over

from Bruce Piper (five innings) and Brian James (three innings).
Salem stayed in the winner's bracket of the double-elimination tournament for three games.
Their first victory came at the expense of Detroit Southwestern, 7-2. Bruce Piper recorded the win, going the distance with 12 strikeouts and yielding only three hits.
Dearborn Slayton was their next victim; 4-1. Doug Holloway also went the distance, recording seven hits and 10 runs. Matt Etienne, Salem's leading hitter for the tourney, rapped

two hits in that contest.
Plymouth's third victory was over the tourney's eventual winner, Glen Head North Shore of Long Island, New York.
Doug Holloway proved he could hit as well as pitch when he smacked a two-run single in the fourth inning, scoring Dave Wilcox and Bruce Piper.
They were all winning pitcher Brian James needed in the 2-1 victory.
It was downhill from there, however. The Detroit Eagles bombed Salem, 10-1, and then Buffalo dealt the finishing blow with their 1-0 victory.

the Crier
Sports

'Lucky' Lansing defeats Koufax

Winning coaches don't always admit they were lucky to win a ball game.
But Lansing's Koufax coach, Carl Wagner, said his team was able to eliminate Plymouth from the Koufax tournament only on some kind of "mercy rule" Sunday.
Going into the sixth inning, the Salem squad was ahead, 4-2, with two outs, two on, and two strikes to Jim Keyton, the Lansing batter.
But Salem pitcher John Topalian hung a curve to Keyton, who slammed a 365-foot home run at the Central Middle School diamond to put his team ahead to stay.
Lansing went on to win the game, 7-6, and the tournament. The Salem squad finished third in the eight team field from

around Michigan.
Salem dropped to the losing bracket early when they dropped their first game to pre-tourney favorite, Detroit Redford, 4-2.
They bounced back quickly by walking all over Marshall, 11-3. And Salem continued its winning ways by squeaking by Westland, 8-7, scoring all eight runs in the last two innings.
Bill Ward batted in the tying and winning run in the seventh with a pinch hit single against Westland.
This set up the fateful Lansing loss, which ended their title hopes.
"I told the kids they have nothing to be ashamed of," said Coach Bill Runge. "I've never seen such a super bunch. It was a team effort all the way."

Lombardi parents to meet

The Plymouth-Canton Vince Lombardi Football League will hold a parent's meeting Thursday, Aug. 11 at the Canton High School cafeteria at 8 p.m.
Parents can register their boys aged 9-12 (as of June 1, 1977) and girls for the cheerleading program.
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PICK-OFF BACKFIRES. Tim Sonnega, Salem's first baseman, misses the toss in a pick-off attempt in Friday Koufax tournament game against Detroit Redford. The Redford runner took second on the play, and his team won the game, 4-2. (Crier photo by Brian Watkins.)

THE TYING RUN. In the Mantle championship game Sunday, the catcher for the underdog Detroit Eagles jumps to catch a high throw to the plate from his third baseman. The Glen Head, N.Y., runner slid under the tag to score the tying run in the bottom of the seventh. Glen Head went on to win the tournament in the next inning. (Crier photo by Brian Watkins.)

Soccer registration

Soccer registration for boys and girls aged 8 - 19 will continue through Friday, Aug. 19 at the Cultural Center, 8:30 a.m. through 5 p.m.

The fee is \$12 for the first child and \$11 for each child afterwards in the same family.

The season starts in September with games played on the weekends.

1. Little Caesar's: Carole Smith, Rita Spaulding, Becky Beneweth.

2. Meijer's Thrifty Acres: Betty Bird, Pat Cimino, Trudy Watkins.

3. Cervi Home Builders: Debbie Schmidt, Ruth Bennett, Cinda Schwartenberger.

4. Palace Fine Food: Debbie Cushman, Pat Martinez, Cherly Jahoda.

5. Maria's Bakery: Judy Ibbetson, Reggis Cichon, Gwen Neal.

6. Brooklyn Babes: No selections as of 8-3-77.

7. Egg Castle: Paula Stradner, Diane Hulswitt, Judy Fisher (al-

ternate: Sharlene Macintosh). Manager: Diane Merritt, Little Caesar's.

Coaches: Debbie Schmidt, Cervi Home Builders; Betty Bird, Meijer's Thrifty Acres.

Doubles victory

In a late match in last week's Crier Tennis Tournament, Gordon Rama and Steve Pruetter beat Robin Wideman and Ken Bloom 6-3, 6-0, to take the men's doubles title.

Also, Mary Jane Mulaski defeated Judith Brown, 6-4, 6-4, for the over 35 women's crown.

Local netters warm up

A tennis tournament for intermediate players will be held at Central Middle School tomorrow through Sunday.

Tournament Director Jim Osebold said he selected netters of intermediate skills to give them a competitive chance to win a tournament.

16 players are entered with the top four seeds going to Jim Berry, Jim Humphries, Tony Bakatselos and Bill Weber, respectively.

The finals will be played Sunday at 5 p.m. at Central.

Salem tankers start

Swim practice of the Salem girls swim team will begin Aug. 15. Any girls interested in trying out for the team are asked to be at the Salem pool that day at 8:30 a.m.

For further information, contact Salem swim coach Chuck Olson at 453-7695.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON

Notice is hereby given that on Wednesday, Aug. 17, 1977, at 128 Canton Center Rd., a public hearing will be held to receive input on the development of a master plan for Griffin Community Park.

HAROLD STEIN
Supervisor

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON BOARD PROCEEDINGS

A regular meeting of the Township Board of the Charter Township of Canton was held on Tuesday, August 2, 1977 at 7:00 p.m. at 128 Canton Center Road.

Present: Bradley, Daley, Flodin, Goldsmith, Myers, Schwall, Stein.

A motion was made by Schwall and supported by Stein and unanimously carried that the following amendment to the Zoning Ordinance of the Charter Township of Canton be introduced, tabled and published:

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON, BEING ORDINANCE NUMBER AMENDMENT XX.

The Charter Township of Canton, Wayne County, Michigan ORDAINS:

SECTION I.

Section 20.01, entitled Creation of A Board of Zoning Appeals of the zoning ordinance of the Charter Township of Canton, Wayne County, Michigan entitled:

AN ORDINANCE to regulate and restrict the use of land and buildings by dividing the Charter Township of Canton into district; defining certain terms used therein; imposing regulations, prohibitions and restrictions governing the erection, construction of structures and buildings to be used for business, industry, residence, social and specified purposes; the use of lands; regulating and limiting the height and bulk of buildings and other structures, regulating and limiting lot occupancy and the size of yards and other open spaces, regulating and limiting the density of population; limiting congestion upon the public streets by providing for the off-street parking and loading of vehicles; providing the gradual elimination of non-conforming uses of land, buildings and structures, establishing the boundaries of district; creating a Board of Zoning Appeals, defining and limiting the powers and duties of said Board, and setting standards to guide actions of said Board and providing

the means of enforcing said Ordinance and providing penalties for violation of this Ordinance is hereby repealed.

SECTION II

A new section of the said Ordinance to be known as Section 20.01. Creation of a Board of Zoning Appeals, is hereby adopted and shall read as follows:

The Board of Zoning Appeals shall consist of five (5) members to be appointed by the Township Board, the first member of which shall be a member of the Township Planning Commission. The remaining members of the Board of Appeals shall be selected from the electors of the Township residing outside incorporated cities and villages. The members selected shall be representative of the population distribution and of the various interests present in the Township. One member may be a member of the Township Board. An elected officer of the Township shall not serve as chairman of the Board of Appeals. An employee or contractor of the Township Board may not serve as a member of employee of the Board of Appeals. Members of the Board of Appeals shall be removable by the Township Board for non-performance of duty or misconduct in office upon written charges and after public hearing, a member shall disqualify himself from a vote in which he has a conflict of interest and failure to so disqualify himself shall constitute misconduct in office. The term of each member shall be for three (3) years, except that of the members first appointed, two (2) shall serve for two (2) years and the remaining members for three (3) years. A successor shall be appointed not more than one month after the term of the preceding member has expired. All vacancies for unexpired terms shall be filled for the remainder of the term. The Board of Appeals shall not conduct business unless a majority of the members of the Board are present.

SECTION III

This Ordinance shall be effective immediately upon its adoption by the Township Board.
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LOST AND FOUND

LOST - BLACK AND WHITE female cat, red collar in Windsor Park last Wednesday. Reward, 455-5758.

Horse Lost. Morgan bay near Warren & Curtiss. Reward. 994-4074. Answers to Andy.

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON BOARD PROCEEDINGS

A regular meeting of the Township Board of the Charter Township of Canton was held on Tuesday, July 26, 1977, at 7:00 p.m. at 128 Canton Center Road.

Members present: Bradley, Daley, Flodin, Goldsmith, Schwall, Stein.
Absent: Myers.

The Supervisor announced that the Public Hearing on the proposed 1977-78 Fire Millage was called to order, and any person could speak to the issue until 9:30 p.m.

A motion was made by Schwall and supported by Daley and unanimously carried that the minutes of July 12, 1977 be approved as corrected.

A motion was made by Schwall and supported by Daley and unanimously carried that the minutes of July 19, 1977 be approved as presented.

The following items were added to the agenda:
1. Schwall resolution to control growth.

2. Accept bids for women's toilet at fire hall.

3. Proclamation for National Clown Week.

A motion was made by Bradley, supported by Daley and unanimously carried that the agenda be accepted.

A motion was made by Bradley, supported by Schwall and unanimously carried that bills in the amount of \$179,707.21 be paid.

Several people spoke to the Board on the matter of the Fire Millage.

A motion was made by Stein and supported by Schwall and unanimously carried that the Board express to the Recreation Committee a vote of confidence for its activities and appreciation for the dedication of the committee to the recreation programs.

A motion was made by Daley and supported by Bradley and unanimously carried that the bids be declared closed on the material for the D.P.W. Department.

A motion was made by Flodin and supported by Stein and unanimously carried to award the bid to Ellis & Ford Manufacturing Co.

A motion was made by Bradley and supported by Schwall and unanimously carried to approve the site plan of Haggerty Hill Medical Offices.

A motion was made by Schwall and supported by Flodin and carried to approve the final preliminary plat of Wilshire Subdivision.

Yes: Bradley, Daley, Flodin, Schwall, Stein
No: Goldsmith

A motion was made by Stein and supported by Daley and unanimously carried to approve the site plan of the temporary storage building at Woodland Meadows Landfill.

A motion was made by Schwall and supported by Daley and unanimously carried to table the application of Kenneth J. Kerch and Dennis P. Walen for a new Class C. Liquor license.

A motion was made by Stein and supported by Bradley and unanimously carried to renew the contract with Ron Linton for assistance in making applications for federal grants.

Several proposals for design and development of township parks and recreation property were presented to the Board. Motion by Flodin, supported by Schwall and unanimously carried to consider them at the regular meeting of August 2, 1977.

A motion was made by Schwall and supported by Goldsmith and unanimously carried that the following resolution be adopted:

That the Charter Township of Canton continue to pursue formation of a River Rouge Watershed Committee, and appoint a delegate and alternate to represent our community in this matter. C. Lynne Goldsmith was appointed as the delegate.

Supervisor Stein declared that the public hearing on the proposed fire millage be closed at 9:25 p.m.

A motion was made by Stein and supported by Bradley and unanimously carried that the Township levy 1.25 mills for Fire Protection for tax year 1977.

A motion was made by Stein and supported by Schwall and unanimously carried that the following charge be given to the Industrial and Commercial Development Commission:

1. Assist industries who may wish to locate in Canton Township.

2. Assist commercial development in Canton Township.

3. To review and recommend to the Planning Commission changes in the zoning of the Township that would assist industrial and commercial development.

4. To work with industrial park developers to establish reasonable protective covenants and restrictions within industrial parks.

5. To cooperate with the Sign and Berm Committee to review recommendations to be made to the Planning Commission.

6. To outline to the Township Board where poor roads and lack of needed utilities are preventing de-

velopment in properly zoned areas.

7. To secure, with Board approval and funding, commercial and industrial studies and analyses.

8. Coordinate with the EDC to achieve a beneficial commercial and industrial tax base.

A motion was made by Stein and supported by Schwall and unanimously carried to accept the report of the Sign and Berm Committee, and that the report be referred to the Planning Commission and Building Department.

A motion was made by Stein and supported by Bradley that the following ordinance be adopted as an emergency ordinance and be given immediate effect upon its publication:

ORDINANCE NO. 73

BUILDER'S WARRANTY

An Ordinance for the protection of buyers of newly constructed residential homes and to require sellers to make available a warranty against structural defects and providing penalties for violations thereof.

120.1 SECTION 1. Effective from and after the date of this Ordinance, no newly constructed residential home shall be sold to any purchaser until the seller shall make available to the purchaser, at purchaser's option, a warranty of construction against structural defects equivalent to the warranty plan approved for builders and purchasers by the Southern Michigan Home Owners Warranty Corporation.

120.2 SECTION 2. Any person who shall violate the provisions of this Ordinance shall upon conviction thereof be punished by a fine not to exceed ONE HUNDRED (\$100.00) DOLLARS or ninety (90) days in jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

120.3 SECTION 3. Effective Date. The provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared to be immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety, morals and general welfare of the citizens to take immediate effect on publication.

A motion was made by Schwall and supported by Daley and unanimously carried that the following rules be adopted for use by the Building Department.

BUILDING COMPLAINT PROCEDURE AND PROCESSING

1. It is the intent of this Department to assist homeowners in resolving building complaints on their one year builders warranty.

2. All correspondence between the Building Department, the Homeowner and the Builder must be in writing, dated and signed. Telephone calls only serve to disrupt operations and can be subject to misinterpretation and misunderstanding.

3. For a building complaint to be lodged against a builder the homeowner must have notified the builder in writing of all complaints at least thirty (3) days prior to completing the complaint form provided by this Department. This is to allow the builder an opportunity to complete justified complaints prior to this Department becoming involved.

4. The complaint must be in triplicate as follows:
Copy No. 1 (original) for Building Department use.
Copy No. 2 to be sent by the Building Department to the Builder.
Copy No. 3 is for the homeowner's records.

5. All appearance type complaints i.e., chips, nicks scratches, etc., must be accompanied by the customer walk-thru list verifying that these complaints had been done prior to move in by the homeowner. This list must be attached to the Building Department copy of complaint form.

PROCESSING OF BUILDING COMPLAINTS

1. Upon receipt of a properly completed complaint form the Builder will be sent copy no. 2 with a cover letter requesting that he investigate, complete all justified repairs and respond to this Department, in writing, within thirty (30) days. Extensions of time may be granted for work requiring more than thirty (30) days to complete. This must be requested in writing within the original thirty days.

2. Upon completion of justified repairs (which must be signed by the homeowner and builder) all correspondence will be filed in the street folder and the case closed.

3. If no response is received from the builder within thirty (30) days an inspector will be sent to investigate the complaint. A written report will be made indicating all justified and not justified items. A fee of \$15 will be charged to the builder at that time. Should the homeowner request an inspection prior to the thirty day time limit, a \$15 fee will be charged to the homeowner.

4. An inspector may set up meetings, extend time limits, make all necessary inspections and contacts to expedite the speedy resolve of all building complaints. Certain code violations of emergency nature, may be investigated on a stepped up schedule as conditions permit.

5. After an inspection is completed showing justified building complaints this report will be sent to the builder. If within five (5) working days the justified repairs are not completed this Department will

advise that the complaint be forwarded to the Michigan Department of Licensing and Regulation for further action.

6. A fee of \$1.00 per copy will be charged for inspection reports or other papers.

7. Any building complaint filed against a builder after the one year warranty period will be processed as in step one. The builder then has two options: one is to resolve the matter at the Township level, and the other being that a complaint can be lodged by the homeowner with the Michigan Department of Licensing and Regulation. The Building Department will render all assistance possible to the Department of Licensing and Regulation in reaching a resolve on building complaints.

8. Any building complaint against a builder not now doing business in Canton, out of business, or in bankruptcy, must be filed thru the Department of Licensing and Regulation.

A motion was made by Daley and supported by Bradley and unanimously carried that the Board request the installation of a full service traffic signal at Haggerty and Michigan.

Supervisor Stein presented information from the Wayne County Health Department on Mosquito Control.

A motion was made by Schwall and supported by Stein and carried that the question of purchase of radios for the new cars be tabled until the meeting of 8-2-77, and that bids on radios be received at that time.

Yes: Daley, Flodin, Goldsmith, Schwall, Stein
No: Bradley

A motion was made by Flodin and supported by Daley and unanimously carried that the request for financial assistance from the Plymouth Historical Society be denied.

A motion was made by Daley and supported by Goldsmith and unanimously carried that the Supervisor and Clerk be authorized to receive custody of examination materials and results in connection with hiring examinations given by Michigan Municipal League.

A motion was made by Flodin and supported by Schwall and unanimously carried to pay \$3.00 per hour for services in connection with receiving rubbish at landfill.

A motion was made by Bradley and supported by Daley and unanimously carried to join the Wayne County Association of Local Government Officials.

A motion was made by Schwall and supported by Bradley and unanimously carried that the Board accept several drainage improvement agreements in connection with improvement to the Huston DRAIN, and authorize the Supervisor and Clerk to sign the agreements, and to assign them to the Wayne County Drain Commissioner.

A motion was made by Bradley and supported by Stein, and unanimously carried that no action be taken on the 1 per cent Collection fee.

Mr. A. L. McEwen requested reinstatement to the Police Department. A motion was made by Schwall and supported by Bradley and unanimously carried that the request for reinstatement be denied.

A motion was made by Daley and supported by Flodin and unanimously carried that the Planner be instructed to make application for planning assistance funds under the 701 program for the following projects:

- 1. Commercial-Industrial Study.
- 2. Street tree planting beautification plan study.

A motion was made by Schwall and supported by Stein and unanimously carried that the following letter be forwarded to township attorney Bert Burgoyne: Resolution to forward the following request to Attorney:

The Township Board of the Charter Township of Canton has gone on record as seriously concerned with the detrimental effects to the township and to its residents caused by rapid and uncontrolled growth of residential building within the township, and is desirous of finding legal means to limit and manage this growth. To this end, the Growth Management and Land Use Study Committees have submitted reports citing alternatives for growth management, alternatives that have been employed successfully elsewhere. Your office is in receipt of copies of these reports. At this time, the Canton Township Board requests your office to advise it of any and all legal means which will prove effective in our particular situation. This is not a request to pass legal judgement on any specific alternatives presented, but rather for positive and forceful legal guidance on your part.

A motion was made by Stein and supported by Bradley and unanimously carried that the Supervisor be directed to issue a proclamation relative to National Clown Week.

A motion was made by Schwall and supported by Bradley and unanimously carried to adjourn at 11:45 p.m.

Harold Stein, Supervisor John W. Flodin, Clerk

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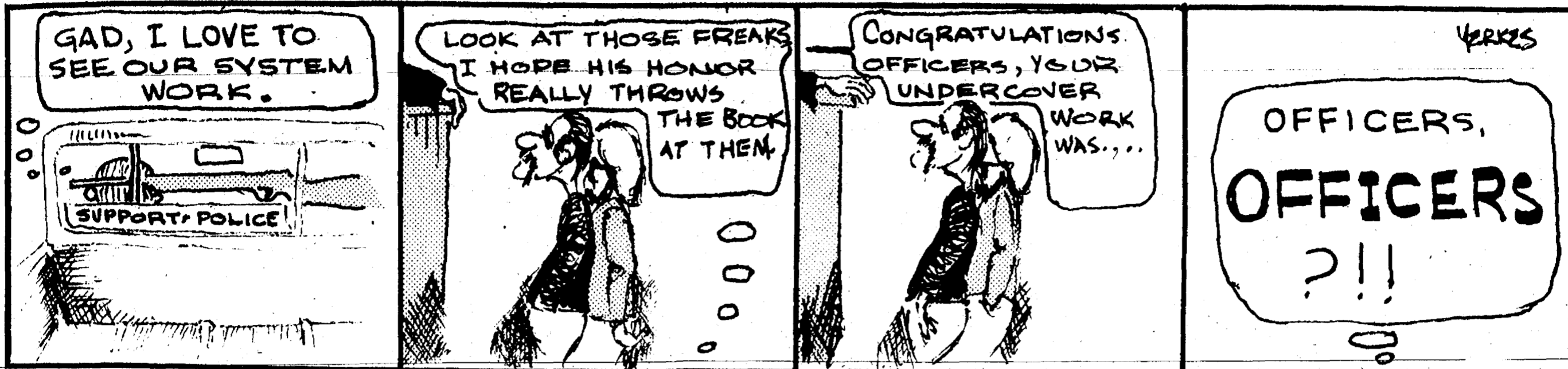
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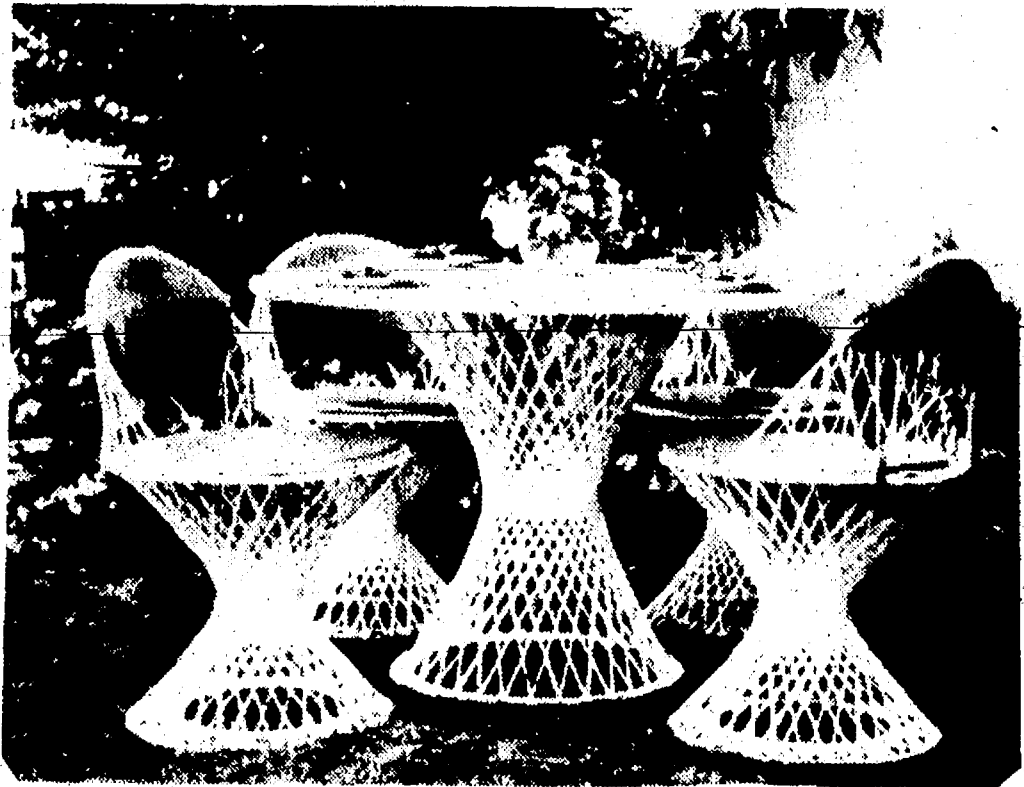
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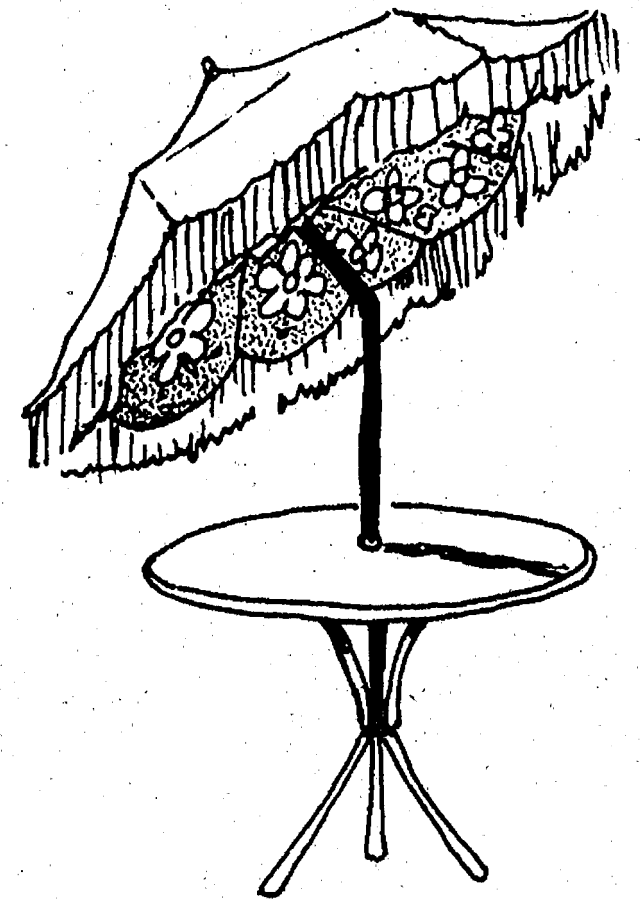
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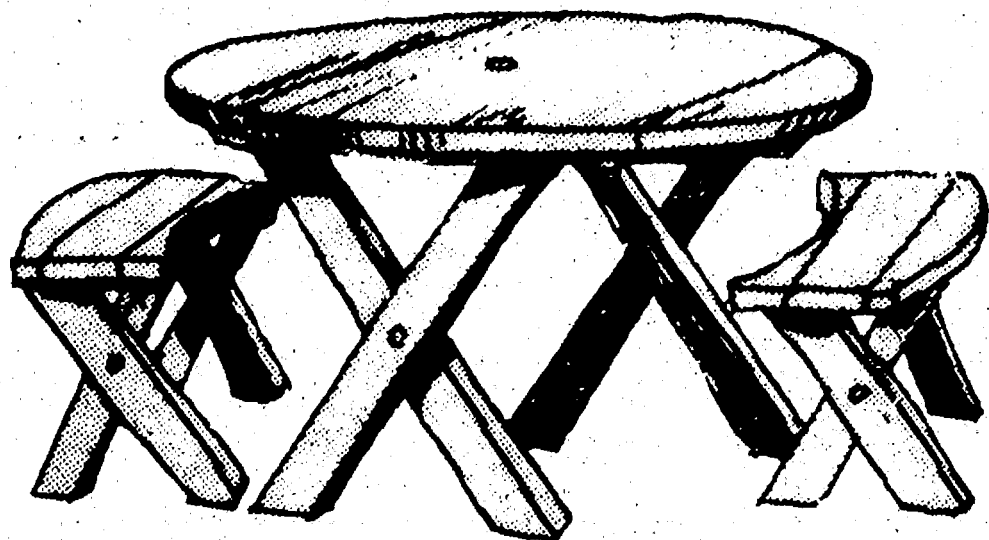
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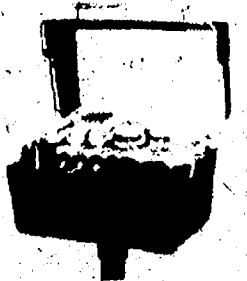


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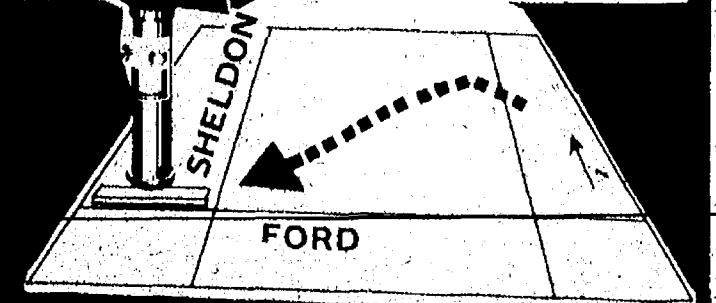
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