



Proposed city budget calls for tax hike

BY DONNA LOMAS

Calling it a "bare bones budget," Plymouth City Manager Fred Yockey Monday night presented the city commissioners with a record \$2.7 million proposed general budget fund that calls for a .5 mill tax increase.

The proposed budget, up 9.3 per cent from last year's, will bring the city's total tax rate up to "roughly 12 mills," said Yockey.

To a resident owning a home worth \$40,000, it means he will be paying \$20 more in taxes when the budget is approved.

Yockey said "sharp increases" in city government costs and inflation have cut into city's coffers - "a city is no different than anyone else," he said - and that the projected surplus this year

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is only \$284,685 - down some \$111,300 from last year.

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Last year, increased valuation of city land made it possible for the city to collect the same amount of money while reducing taxes by .9 of a mill.

But this year it is different, Yockey said. Costs for wages and salary adjustments will amount to at least \$96,200 - most of it going towards the

police and fire departments.

The police are due for a salary increase under their current two year contract, and the firefighters are now negotiating, the city manager said. He said it was likely department heads would also get raises.

Yockey has recommended to the commission spending \$30,000 to put the Cultural Center on primary power - "A much needed energy cost saver to the city," Yockey said. "The investment should pay the city back in about two years."

A city-wide property reappraisal for \$30,000 is recommended. "This hasn't been done in about 19 years," Yockey said, adding that "inevitable inaccuracies" in tax

assessments should be flushed out.

"We may have to do something later about the water," Yockey said. "We had a 39 per cent increase in our rates last year and we didn't pass it on to residents. We're not recommending passing it on now, but it will have to come."

The cemetery fund is still "deficient," he added. "No increase in those funds is

anticipated at the moment. It's not profitable, but we aren't operating it at a great loss."

Upcoming elections, a \$4,000 increase in street lighting, (due to higher utility rates), a new car for the city treasurer, replacing "antiquated" kitchen equipment for firefighters and a \$5,000 increase for

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Filing deadline nears for school board seat

If you plan to run for a seat on the Plymouth-Canton Board of Education, you have only five more days to hand in your nominating petitions.

The deadline is 4 p.m., April 10 for the June 12 election. Twenty valid signatures are required to be eligible for the two seats - those of Elaine Kirchgatter and Carol Davis.

As of Friday, only Kirchgatter had filed her petition to get on the ballot. To read about the full list of those planning to run, don't miss next Wednesday's Crier.

Neither Kirchgatter nor Davis were elected to their seats. Kirchgatter was appointed in January to fill the seat opened by George Lawton's resignation, and Davis similarly received Marcia Borowski's position in the fall.

The terms last four years.

Circus is coming!

The fourth annual Plymouth Chamber of Commerce circus is coming to town this weekend at the Cultural Center.

For only \$1.50, children and adults alike can enjoy clowns, trapeze artists and animal acts.

The event will be this Saturday and Sunday. Tickets are on sale at the Penn Theater, S & W Hardware, Little Professor Bookstore, Jerry's Bike Shop and the Chamber office at 878 Wing Street.

Circus times are Saturday at 1 p.m., 4 p.m. and 7 p.m.

Sunday two performances will be held at 2 and 5 p.m.

Duke covets cone

Three year old Joey Matley (pictured above) reconsiders sharing his ice-cream cone, a sure sign of spring, with Duke, a 10-month old Great Dane. Crier photo editor Bill Bresler captured this scene last Thursday on Main Street on one of the first warm days.

Karate's a kick...pg. 23

Canton rezoning paves way for hospital

BY DONNA LOMAS

Ten acres of land in Canton were rezoned by the Canton Board of Trustees last Tuesday to permit the building of a proposed hospital complex.

Trustees amended the zoning ordinance to include hospital and nursing home operations in RO-1 district. The rezoning of land on the east side of Canton Center

Road, south of Meijer Thrifty Acres was from residential to a restricted office use.

The only trustee to vote against the amendment and rezoning was Lynne Goldsmith.

Goldsmith said she voted against the rezoning saying she "didn't approve of the piecemeal way we are rezoning," and that section 15 (the land the rezoning was for) was not viewed by the planning commission as the trustees directed them to do a year ago.

"This will provide a buffer," Trustee Brian Schwall said. He has said before that the land would be put to "good use" if a hospital were built there.

The developer of the site, Melvin Stein (no relation to Harold Stein) must now receive a certificate of need from the state to build the hospital.

The certificate is issued by the state of Michigan to prevent extra beds in hospitals. There are currently four hospitals within a 15 mile radius of Canton.

Stein presented plans for his medical complex last year to the township Planning Com-

mission. At that time, he said he would build a three stage medical complex.

The first stage includes three professional office buildings, the second a 200-bed nursing home and finally, a 200-bed general surgical hospital.

At first, Stein had asked for the rezoning to be from residential to commercial.

Acting on a recommendation by Township Planner George Peek, who said that rezoning the parcel to commercial would have a "domino effect" on the Canton Center Road and that it wasn't suitable for residential build-

ing; the planning commission denied the commercial rezoning.

Instead, they came up with an amendment to the restricted office use which will now allow nursing homes and hospitals. Business schools, private schools, banks and professional office buildings are also allowed in RO-1.

Stein, owner of convalescent homes in Michigan, said he had owned a hospital. However, he has refused to discuss the background of the hospital. The hospital is located in Opalacka, Fla. Stein had no comment on the rezoning.

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City to begin elm spraying April 10

Beginning the week of April 10, the City of Plymouth Public Works Department will start spraying all city elm trees.

Homeowners are asked, to keep their vehicles off the streets for at least a two week period, if at all possible, said City DPW Director Ken Vogras.

Spraying will be from 4 a.m. until about 9 a.m. each morning until finished. The Department will not have a set schedule regarding the day they will be in a particular area, for this spraying must be done on a calm morning, Vogras said.

Homeowners who did not get their leaves out last fall for pick-up may put them in plastic bags and set the bags

at the curb on their regular refuse pick-up day. City residents may purchase heavy duty plastic bags from the City at a price of \$7 per hundred. You can pick them up either at the DPW Yard, 975 Arthur Street, or from the Fire Department at City Hall.

Golf courses plan opening

If the weather permits, the golf courses owned by Plymouth and Canton townships will open Saturday, April 8.

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Sign sizes, billboards OKd

BY CHAS CHILD
 Merchants in Canton will be able to increase the size of their signs 40 per cent when they construct them with wood, brick and other natural materials, if an ordinance approved Monday night by the Canton Planning Commission goes into law.

The provision in the sign ordinance, which now faces public hearings, represents some commissioners' desire for a common theme for signs in the township.

The commission also voted to allow billboards along I-275, although they must be 660 feet from the road and 2,000 feet apart.

Canton Planner George Peek estimated the restrictions mean only four or five can be constructed on the interstate, however.

To become law, the proposed sign ordinance, an amendment to the township's zoning ordinance, must survive two public hearings and then finally be approved by the Board of Trustees. The present sign law prohibits free-standing ground signs.

In the changes approved Monday, signs in commercial district C-1 (neighborhood store) can be no larger than 25 square feet, no higher than

15 feet and no closer than 10 feet to the road right-of-way.

Signs on C-2 and C-3 (regular business) can be 50 square feet, 15 feet high and 10 feet from the road right-of-way. The commercial strip on Ford Road is zoned mostly C-2 and C-3.

The commission also decided the conditions when

a merchant with a non-conforming sign (built before the present sign ordinance went into effect) would have to alter it to abide by the proposed law.

If a merchant altered the sign structurally (not in its lettering), relocated or replaced it, the sign would have to conform to the ordinance, the commission said.

True cost of buying land still uncertain

BY DONNA LOMAS

Canton trustees received a report on the costs of purchasing development rights from farmers in the western half of the township, but were told that the numerical information now has to be incorporated into a more comprehensive study that will translate the figures to an understandable medium.

What trustees heard last Tuesday was a cost benefit analysis from township planner George Peek, who admitted that the raw data and figures were difficult to understand.

Peek's study was the first phase of a report scheduled to be completed by Seidman and Seidman the township's accounting firm, April 11.

The first phase has cost the township \$25,000 and the completed report is expected to bring the bill to \$36,000. The township had allotted \$40,000 for the entire project.

Trustees, farmers and residents were not pleased with what Peek reported. One trustee said the numbers were "meaningless," while farmers wanted to know exactly how much their taxes would be increased.

Peek has said before that it will cost the township \$15 million to begin the purchase of the farmland development rights. He said his research was based on the 1976 Master Plan and costs to the Township over a period of 30 years were computed at both low and high growth rates. The analysis calls for set-

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DAVID ANASON, a Smith School fourth grader, ponders the school's newest possession, a skeleton. (Crier photo by Bill Bresler).

Smith has a skeleton in its telephone booth

BY ROBERT KIAN

Smith School has no skeletons in its closets but it does have one in a phone booth. The school Tuesday ac-

quired a female skeleton and has mounted it in an old telephone booth.

Using a talent show to raise money for the skeleton should not sound too macabre, but what may sound odd is that the skeleton came from a mail-order house in Burlington, North Carolina.

"All you have to do is call them and you order your bones," said Marilyn Stathakis, a Smith School board member who arranged for the purchase.

Her husband, John, is a physician who sometimes gives science talks at the school.

The \$450 price was split three ways, with the talent show bringing in \$132, the Parent-Faculty Board putting in \$200, and the remainder being provided by Dr. Stathakis.

"They're expensive," said Nancy Hayes, a parent who worked on the project. "The first one came from Boston, and it had some pieces missing. It was a used one and it had two skulls."

The skeleton is to be used in science lessons, but for not it is standing, wearing a red bandana, and holding a Bicentennial stand-up phone.

Several passing students afforded the skeleton a casual glance.

"We felt it would have been neat to have one," Mrs. Stathakis added.

Vandals hit Central

Plymouth police report vandals broke into Central Middle School Sunday and took an air conditioning unit and vandalized the school's general office.

Machines were knocked on the floor, files were ransacked and desks were overturned, police report. Officials are still investigating if more items were taken.

Crash kills local girl

Ten-year old Christina Carlson of Plymouth died Saturday night in Wayne County General Hospital following a two-car crash at Haggerty and Ecorse roads in Van Buren Township.

Still listed in critical condition with head injuries Tuesday in Wayne County General was the girl's mother, Nancy, 26. Also injured were Justin Carlson, four months; and a family friend, John Jewell, 27, also of Plymouth.

Wayne County Sheriff's deputies said a warrant for negligent homicide will be requested for a 19-year old Westland woman whose van struck the Carlson car driven by the girl's father, Guy. He was not hospitalized.

The Carlson family was castbound on Ecorse when the van, northbound on Haggerty, struck their car, deputies said. The driver of the van was treated for leg injuries.



3 hurt in crash

A THREE CAR ACCIDENT late yesterday morning at Church and Main in Plymouth caused minor injuries to three local youths. Plymouth police said Mark Stroebel, 17, of Gold Arbor in Plymouth Township was ticketed for failure to yield as he tried to make a left turn from Main onto Church. Police said his car (at right) was struck by a truck driven

by Madeline Goulet, 37, of Thornridge in Plymouth Township, which was spun around and struck by a third car, driven by a Detroit man. Mrs. Goulet's five year old son and two 15-year old girls riding in the Stroebel car suffered minor injuries, police said. (Crier photo by Brian Watkins.)

Commission ponders planting of 260 trees

BY ROBERT KIAN
The Plymouth City Commission Monday night voted to consider a proposal to sponsor a five-year commer-

cial and industrial tree-planting program.

The program, proposed by Commissioner Mary Childs is designed to invite local business and resident participation.

Ken Vogras, director of the city's Department of Public Works, suggested in a letter to City Manager Fred Yockey that 260 possible planting sites exist. Under the program, the participant would pay \$140 to have a tree three-and-a-half inches in diameter planted.

The recommendation, how-

ever, also says that there are 110 locations where sidewalks would have to be removed, raising the cost to \$350.

The commission has tagged \$6000 in the new budget to fill out the planting and maintenance costs.

"I can just really see the scouts, schools and the Chamber of Commerce getting into this tremendous thing," said Commissioner Childs.


"It's an incentive for busi-

ness people. There are so many communities where you see such beautiful trees . . . we can't wait."

Conceivably, a citizen could

have a tree planted outside his home for \$25.

The commission voted to place the matter on the agenda for a May 1 public hearing.

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Keefe tapped

With Trustee Lee Fidge dissenting, the Plymouth Township Board of Trustees last week approved the appointment of William Keefe to a seat on the township planning commission vacated by former commission Secretary Tom Sullivan.

Mrs. Fidge argued that the township should have a better way to choose planning commissioners than the traditional approach of deferring to the supervisor's recommendation.

She noted that Keefe did not regularly attend township meetings. "We don't have apprenticeships on boards," she said, "but a person should show some interest by attending board meetings." She suggested formal interviews in the future before an appointment is made.

Treasurer Joe West noted that Keefe lived in the same area as Sullivan, adding, "I think it's very important that he's lived here 26 years."

In related action, the board named Trustee Dick Gornick to replace Trustee Maury board's representative on the planning commission.

Clean up week set

The Plymouth City Commission Monday voted to sponsor a "Clean Up Plymouth" week.

"We believe an active campaign will raise citizen awareness and give us a chance to work together," said Chris Kresta, manager of the Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce.

Letters asking for residents' support will include suggestions for the campaign, such as participating in the kick-off meeting to be held Sunday, April 23 in Kellogg Park. Participants will be asked to wear old clothes and bring clean-up tools such as brooms, rakes and shovels.

"We hope to get where the big machinery can't get; it's people power," Kresta added. Extra incentive will include refreshments.

The campaign will run through Saturday, April 29.

Twp. fights annex

Plymouth Township Supervisor Tom Notebaert and Trustee Richard Gornick are expected to appear before a State Senate committee in Lansing tomorrow on behalf of legislation that would ban piecemeal annexation of charter townships.

Although the township, unlike Canton, which has a charter, is a general law township, it currently faces annexation, in three separate petitions, by the City of Plymouth.

Township voters last fall rejected a ballot proposal which would have created a Charter Township of Plymouth — the measure carried with it the authority to levy more taxes — but township officials say the possibility of impending annexation could change the outcome of a new vote on the question.

Under current state law, an annexation decision by the State Boundary Commission cannot be contested by township residents when the area to be annexed has a population of less than 100. Two of the three annexation peti-

tions filed four years ago by the city and still pending call for the annexation of such smaller parcels. Sought are the Burroughs parking lot on Plymouth Road and the Hillside Inn restaurant property across the street.

A third petition, to annex the entire township, would already require approval of township voters.

Under the proposed legislation only the entire township, if it had a charter, could be annexed — and then only with the approval of its residents.

Speedway ripped off


State Police Tuesday were investigating the theft Monday night of a substantial amount of cash from the Speedway service station at Five Mile and Sheldon roads in Plymouth Township.

The money was stolen around midnight on Monday, a police spokesman said. Further details were unavailable at presstime.

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Jail needs fireproofing, state says

City of Plymouth officials are studying ways to upgrade the city jail after a state department of corrections found it not up to state regulations in some areas.

State inspectors suggested that the city install a smoke detector and electronic monitoring system and provide

Ask about your schools

The Plymouth-Canton Board of Education will hold an open forum tonight to answer questions from the public on school matters.

The 90-minute session at Canton High School starts at 7:30.

About 50 letters were mailed to community groups like the service clubs, PTOs and newcomer organizations, inviting questions and attendance at the forum.

Nancy White of the League of Women Voters will moderate the public session.

fireproof mattresses and make many other changes in the two-cell lockup at City Hall.

The city has 60 days from March 3 to answer the state's report and City Manager Fred Yockey said his office is working on ways to improve the lockup.

"We need improvements and more space for not just the jail but for the district court and the city departments," Yockey said. "Within two or three months we're going to have a proposal to expand."

Among the options for expansion are a new wing to City Hall or building a separate annex somewhere downtown, said Yockey.

The court may move out of City Hall and into the annex, if it's built, Yockey said.

The Department of Corrections' report to the city, also suggested a visiting area so inmates can meet with attorneys, clergy and law enforcement officers.

A detoxification cell for

"chemically impaired" persons should also be provided, the report said, as well as an area for "booking, shakedown, identification, dressing of inmates," and "a thorough strip search of the inmate, clothing inspection for contraband and fumigation if necessary, shower and delousing of inmates."

Besides the many physical changes, the report also suggests that the lockup's administrators write rules and guidelines for things like inmate discipline, visiting and health care.

Although the state found many areas that needed improvement, the inspectors said "we found the lockup to be clean and well kept throughout."

The report also said that

"There may be areas where it is determined that compliance is not possible. Your

last resort may be to request from the Corrections Commission a variance."

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Congressman to visit

U.S. Rep. Carl Pursell (R-Plymouth) will be back in his hometown Saturday for an informal meeting with constituents at the Dunning-Hough Library, 223 S. Main St.

Billed as a "neighborhood town hall meeting," the event is scheduled to run from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. The congressman says he will ask residents what programs they think the federal government should be working on.

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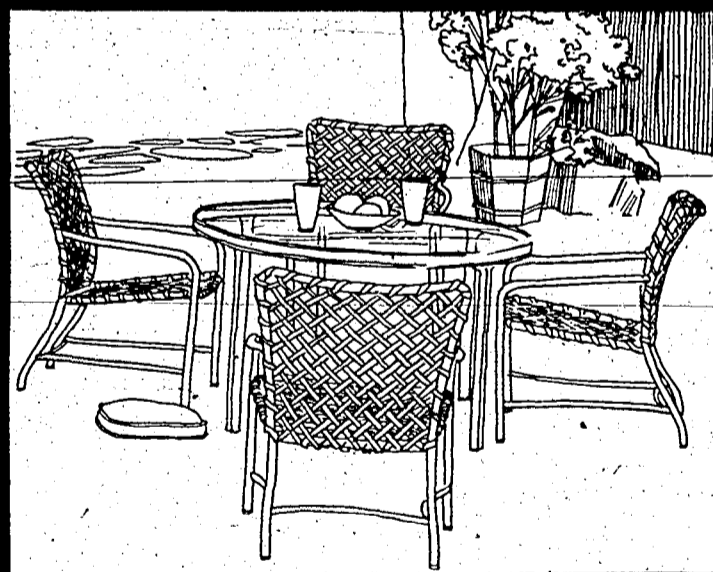
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Soliciting school suppliers bad idea

To raise money for the upcoming Plymouth-Canton school millage campaign, a member of the Citizens Election Committee of the Plymouth-Canton schools said the group plans to solicit businesses which sell supplies to the district.

On the face of it, what could be more logical than asking for contributions from businessmen who benefit directly from a healthy school budget?

A closer look, however, reveals this:

Businessmen who sell supplies to the schools may not truly have the best interests of the educational program and the taxpayers in mind. Selling goods is their primary interest, not education and how much should be spent to pay for it. Some may not even live in the Plymouth-Canton community.

Should they, then, have a strong say (with their dollars) in a campaign to pass the millage? Obviously not.

We urge the election committee to solicit funds only from persons who live, work or go to school in Plymouth-Canton. It is their schools and their taxes.

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Crossing is shabby

LITTER LEFT from a train derailment last fall remains scattered about the Farmer Street C&O crossing. Pedestrians must pick their way through the debris, and a clean-up campaign is overdue. (Crier photo by Bill Bresler)

Fund library with surplus

Any argument against a library in Canton township would be like arguing against apple pie and everything America believes in, one Canton official said recently.

For either resident or politician to speak against it is to admit you are a close kin to the devil, no less.

A library is one of those educational sacred cows no one dare take a potshot at. School districts use the same reasoning when they decide to go for a millage vote during the spring, lumping an addition with a millage renewal request.

There is no argument against Canton having a library of its own. We are all for it. But there is something to be said for the way it will be funded.

Last week, Canton trustees had a chance to put the \$950,000 surplus in the township budget to good use.

They did decide to spend \$57,000 to complete the third floor of the new township hall in case the voters agree

"Why expect residents to pay more taxes when there is already \$950,000 of their money in township coffers?"

to pass a one-mill library tax in November. The money to finish the third floor will come from the township budget.

But if the Canton trustees so earnestly think they want to provide Canton residents with a library, why not give it more than lip service?

And why expect the residents to pay more taxes when there is already \$950,000 of their money in township coffers?

The surplus report (scheduled to be presented to the trustees last night) will among other items, suggest some of the surplus be used for the library. That should be all the trustees need to make the decision - no sense in being timid about it now.

At the most, it will subtract \$396,296 from the surplus. At the least - with a smaller book order -

\$227,896. And if the voters approve the one mill library tax, that \$300,000 could be used for books for at least two years.

While the trustees cannot do anything now about the library millage vote (only 50 signatures were needed to put it on the ballot, with or without trustees approval); they can still use some of the huge surplus to fund the Canton public library in its first year.

Not to use it for the library would be almost saying the trustees didn't care about the high taxes Cantonites pay. Not to mention apple pie.

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Our hearts are home

EDITOR:

In December of last year, my family went through a disaster. My husband and 11-year old daughter were killed in a plane crash and my 8 year old daughter and 10 year old son were hurt very badly.

All things considered, I'm lucky to have two children alive, let alone getting so much better. But that's not why I'm writing you.

I have always liked Plymouth. I'm from Detroit and a smaller town seemed nice.

Now, after this tragedy, I realize just what we have here. The entire town, it seemed, wrote or called to express their sympathy and love. My neighbors were so great it was like having a big family who cared.

Everywhere I go people still ask how Jeff and Jenny are doing. When something terrible happens, generally people are very sorry and will say so, or offer help. In this town, they aren't kidding.

Through this whole thing, I never felt alone, and we couldn't wait to get home to Plymouth.

MRS. CAROL SHREWSBURY

Drop those petitions

With the mayor of Plymouth and the supervisor of Plymouth Township expected any time now to appoint a

Add girls cross country at CEP

EDITOR:

I would like to make a comment on the article "Newspaper in girls future?"

I am a senior at CEP and ran cross-country this past season and really enjoyed it. Although I was the only girl, I competed against boys in all but one meet.

Now that I've run cross-country I really know what it's about. In my opinion there would be more girls wanting to run cross-country than play soccer.

All the girls that ran track would probably be willing to run cross-country. Lets give it a try.

A CONCERNED RUNNER

Thanks, Crier

EDITOR:

The junior basketball program has just completed another successful season, its 14th. On behalf of the Board of Directors, I would like to thank you and your staff for the weekly coverage, from the registrations way back in September to the playoffs recently completed in March.

This coverage of a popular community program is greatly appreciated by many, many people.

Thank you very much.
JACK G. CARPENTER

committee of residents to investigate ways in which the two governmental units can share services, we've yet to hear a word from city commissioners about withdrawing their annexation petitions.

Would they still rather annex the township to the city than create a new, unified municipality?

The name of the game once again is consolidation. It has a nice ring to it - much nicer than annexation. And the bells of consolidation might toll sooner and more loudly if the city withdrew those nasty annexation petitions it filed when the first attempt to consolidate failed.

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Canton to hire full-time planner in 2 months

BY CHAS CHILD

The services of Canton Township's planners, Wade, Trim Associates, criticized by some residents for not providing strong anti-growth policies for the township, may be cut back with the hiring of a full-time planner, expected in about two months.

"A full-time person is needed to handle the day-to-day planning operations of the township," said Finance Director Mike Gorman. "We will be better able to handle and control our planning activities like zoning, land use and requests from companies who want to move into Canton."

Wade, Trim's role in the township's planning when the full-time person takes over is uncertain, according to Supervisor Harold Stein. "Their contract may be renegotiated. It's not clear now what they will do," he said.

The supervisor also said he was not displeased with Wade, Trim's work, however. "We

Supervisor Harold Stein: "We wanted to make planning more accountable to the township."

wanted to make planning more accountable to the township."

The new planner will be part of a new department tentatively proposed for the township government - the Community Development Department. Besides the planner, there will be a grant co-ordinator, a secretary and a clerk, said Gorman.

Although charged with the nuts and bolts planning duties, the new department will not be able to complete all the township's planning tasks, Stein said.

Large projects like writing the township's sign ordinance and the master land use plan will be contracted to consulting firms like Wade, Trim.

The company may get much of this work because it has a large background in Canton's previous planning, Stein said.

The Board of Trustees still has to decide whether the full-time planner will be employed as a regular civil service employee or on a contractual basis.

With a contract, he would be like an appointed head of

a department, directly accountable to the board of trustees for his policies and easier to replace if the board was dissatisfied, Gorman said. The board is leaning towards hiring the planner in this fashion, he said.

Both Gorman and Stein agreed, however, that the township may have to pay the contracted person more since he would have less job security.

As a regular civil service employee, the township could hire someone for \$18,000 to \$21,000, Gorman said. A contracted employee's salary would probably have to be about \$25,000, he said.

Testing for the full-time planner's position was held

March 29 by the Michigan Municipal League. "He could be on board by June 1," said Gorman.

\$57,000

Canton funds new hall finishing

BY DONNA LOMAS

If Canton Township's Board of Trustees had not voted to take \$57,000 from the township general operating budget to finish it, the third floor of the new township hall would have been left unfinished.

The \$2.7 million project, scheduled to be finished late this year, was financed by a federal grant the township received in 1976. Now, township officials discovered original estimates aren't enough to finish the hall.

When the township applied for the grant, no plans for finishing the interior had been made, said Canton Finance Director Mike Gorman. The township's engineer, planner and architect could only estimate Canton's wants and needs in a township hall.

"They didn't know what kind of materials it would be built from, the size, number of rooms - all they could do was estimate the costs," said Gorman. "Then when we received the grant, we had six weeks to decide on the building plans. Even then we could not guess how much it would really cost."

Gorman added that of the seven grants

applied for that year, three of the seven had no plans - and federal grant application guidelines didn't require plans.

All the grant money is committed for construction, Gorman said, except for about \$30,000, and he expects changes in work orders or construction costs will take that money soon.

"In our original estimate, we had hoped to pave the entire parking lot," Gorman said. "Now, we will have to wait. We'll pave enough for 200 cars."

"We also wanted to have an entrance off Proctor Road and a night deposit box for water and tax bills, but those went, too."

The trustees will decide whether or not they want to spend money from the township budget to provide bulletin boards in the hall lobby or a flagpole, Gorman said.

"We finished as much as we wanted to finish," he added. "The basement will still be unfinished, but we never intended to complete that right away."

The township will not have to buy furniture, except for "a chair or two" as employees are added to the staff, the finance director said.

DPW bldg OKd

Canton trustees approved a \$2.4 million water and sewer budget last week and were told that the major expense this year would be from the construction of a new DPW building.

Canton Finance Director Mike Gorman said the building, to be located on Sheldon Road, is estimated at \$700,000. Current DPW quarters on Geddes Road are crowded, Gorman said.

Other increases in the budget were seen in water and sewer rates, Gorman said. Some \$1.1 million was carried over from last year's budget and all of it will be used this year. The finance director said the carryover was kept as a reserve for future expansion and replacement of water and sewer lines is needed.

Dog tags on sale


Dog licenses are now on sale in Plymouth Township Hall from the treasurer's office, 42350 Ann Arbor Road.

Licenses purchased before May 31 are \$3 and after May 31 are \$5. The licenses must be purchased by June 1.

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Riegel to address MACLD

Guest speaker at the Plymouth-Canton-Northville chapter of the Michigan Association for Children with Learning Disabilities (MACLD) April 19th meeting, will be R. Hunt Riegel Ph.D., Project Director of Title IV for the Plymouth-Canton schools.

The seventh meeting of the season will be held at 7:30 p.m., Wednesday, April 19 in Pioneer Middle School cafe-

teria, 46081 Ann Arbor Road. Dr. Riegel will discuss, "Programs in Secondary Special Education." He received his Ph.D. from the University of Minnesota and is a member of both the American Educational REsearch Association and the University Advisors in Learning Disabilities in Michigan.

Before his appointment as Project Director, Dr. Riegel

was Assistant Professor in Special Education from 1973-77 at Western Michigan University, in Kalamazoo.

Title IV-C is a Model Resource Room Project. The purpose of a Model Resource Room is to enlarge the coordination of students' educational programs between general education teachers and resource room teachers.

This meeting will be interesting and important to all parents of learning disabled children especially those with children in, and entering high school, MACLD spokesperson Susan Taylor said.

The local MACLD chapter meets on the third Wednesday of the month from September through May. Meetings are free and open to the public.

Senior drive courses set

Senior adults will have an opportunity to sharpen their driving skills at a refresher course in Plymouth during April.

Sponsored by the Senior Forum series at Schoolcraft College, the "older driver refresher course" will be held between 10 a.m. and noon on each of the four Mondays in April.

It will meet at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer Street. According to Betty Andrews, assistant Dean for Community Services, this classroom course is designed to help make driving safer and more enjoyable.

There is no charge for the course and everyone is welcome. For more information, telephone 591-6400, ext. 409.

Cubs race pines

Cub Scouts from Pack 293 at Bird School held their annual Pinewood Derby recently.

The big winners, from more than 50 cars participating, were William Ahlgren and Matt Sargent.

The Pinewood Derby is a scaled-down version of a soapbox derby, said Gary Hall, spokesperson for the Cub Scout post. "The cars are built by the scouts and their parents and are made from kits containing pine, nail axles and four plastic wheels," Hall said.

What's happening

SUMMER FIGURE SKATING SCHOOL

Summer Figure Skating School at the Plymouth Cultural Center will run for four weeks from July 26 through Aug. 23. Registration will be held on Friday, April 7 and Saturday, April 8 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and on Friday, June 9 and Saturday, June 10 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Basic Skills, Advanced Classes and I.S.I.A. Good ice time available weekdays and Saturday. Open skating and open hockey times to be announced at a later date.

WAYNE COUNTY NUTRITION PROGRAM

The Wayne County Office on Aging offers a Nutrition Program Monday through Friday at noon at Tonquish Creek Manor, 1160 Sheridan. This program offers a well-balanced meal at the site, in person, or by calling 453-9703 from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Transportation is available through the YMCA by calling 453-2968. The program is free, however, a 50 cents donation is appreciated.

OIL PAINTING

For those who have experience in painting with oil, informal sessions will be meeting at the Cultural Center on Monday from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

COMMUNITY CHORUS

Community Chorus, men's and women's choral group meets Tuesday at 8 p.m. in the vocal room at East Middle School, 1042 S. Mill.

PARTY BRIDGE

Party Bridge takes place at the Cultural Center on Thursday from 1 p.m. - 4 p.m.

MACLD GYM

The Plymouth-Canton-Northville Chapter of the Michigan Association of Children with Learning Disabilities (MACLD) is now accepting applications for the Spring term gym program. Classes in this perceptual-motor development gym program will start April 6, and run through June 15. One hour classes meet every Thursday from 5-6 p.m. and 6-7 p.m. in the Burger Junior High School gymnasium located in Garden City. Lessons taught in this physical education class help children in the areas of visual and auditory perception, left and right discrimination, coordination, attention span, awareness in space and self-image. Equipment used includes trampolines, balance beams, parallel bars, rowing machines, high horse and treadmill. If you are interested or have any questions, please call Ken or Linda Rowe, 455-1093.

CANTON SENIOR ACTIVITIES

Seniors can sign up now for golf teams at Fellows Creek golf course. Call the Rec office for details. A trip to Toronto is being planned for May 16, 17 and 18. Cost is \$65. Other trips are planned to Sea World, Niagara Falls, Las Vegas. An all Senior Revue will be featured Friday, April 14 at 7:30 p.m. and Saturday, April 15 at 4 p.m. at CEP. The Canton Rec number is 397-7777.

MARCH FOR BREATH

Volunteers for the "March for Breath" march needs volunteers for the month of May. Interested volunteers can call Bobbie Williams at 453-1806 or Judy DeCorte at 453-3026.

SYMPHONY BRIDGE PROGRAM

The Plymouth Symphony League will soon be setting up their bridge program which will begin in September. The games include ladies daytime doubles and singles, ladies evening doubles, and mixed evening doubles. This program not only provides financial support to the symphony but also provides pleasure to the participants. If you would like to join, please contact Betty Laird (453-5486) or Sarah Chance (459-1412) for further information before April 5.

ISU ALUMNI FLING

Michigan-Ohio Iowa State University Alumni Club will host a SPRING FLING, featuring members of the ISU Cardinal Keynotes music group. Friday, April 7 at 7 p.m. in Weber's Restaurant all Iowa State University Alumni are invited. For more information or tickets contact Richard Kirchgatter at 453-8054.

PANSY BRUNCH

Delta Delta Delta alumnae of Dearborn-Western Wayne County will meet for their annual Pansy Brunch on Saturday, April 8 at 11 a.m. Mrs. Homer Tolan of 7000 Lindenmere Drive, Birmingham, will be the hostess. All alumnae are welcome.

FUNDRAISER FOR NEW HOPE FOUNDATION

New Hope Foundation of Plymouth will sponsor a "Special Day" marketplace festival at the Plymouth Cultural Center May 20 from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. The marketplace will feature antique dealers, artists and merchants. Refreshments will be available and entertainment will be featured. For more information, please call 459-2990.

WOMEN'S GOLF LEAGUE AT HILLTOP

The Plymouth women's Golf League of the Hilltop Glen Golf Course will hold their meeting at the Hilltop Clubhouse, on May fourth at 10 a.m. Play will begin on Thursday morning, May 11. Registration fee of \$6 will be collected at the meeting, and there will be a discussion of league rules. Anyone wishing to join should attend the meeting and sign up. New members are cordially invited and welcome, and that includes all beginners. For information call Gretchen Tripp, 453-0347.

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Doll styles on parade at Plymouth museum

Styles in doll houses will be the exhibit on display at the Plymouth Historical Museum until May 21.

More than 300 dolls will be displayed, each representing eras ranging from early American to European.

Several doll houses have been loaned to the museum for the exhibit, including an English doll house circa 1900 and Bliss doll houses.

Ann Featherstone will lecture and demonstrate on the construction of cloth and bisque dolls. The Plymouth Township resident teaches doll making at Greenfield Village and at the Plymouth-Canton schools' adult education classes.

Special educational tours for groups can be arranged by calling in advance 455-8940. Museum hours are from 1 to 4 p.m. Thursday, Saturdays and Sunday. Admission is \$1 for adults, 50 cents for students 12 to 17 and a quarter for children from age five through 11. The museum is located at 155 S. Main.



TEA PARTY for these antique dolls is now on exhibit at the Plymouth Historical Museum on Main Street. The exhibit will be held until May 21. The picture on the right shows a converted birdhouse by Viola Reed, who turned it into a dollhouse. (Crier photo by Bill Bresler).



Pizza served at East party

East Middle School's PTSO will sponsor a Pizza Dinner Party April 11 in the school's multi-purpose room. Dinner serving times will be at 5, 6 or 7 p.m.

Tickets are \$2 for adults, \$1.50 for students, advance sales or \$2.25 for adults, \$1.75 for students at the door, children under five are free. A dinner consisting of two large pieces of pizza with cheese and pepperoni, tossed salad, chocolate cake, coffee or orange drink will be served. Tickets for extra pieces of pizza may be purchased for 50 cents in advance or at the door.

"The pizzas will be prepared at a pizza parlor on Sheldon Road under the watchful eye of Jim Somers, manager. They will then be transported, piping hot to the warming ovens at East Middle," said a pizza spokesperson for East.

Jackie Troutman, from Home Economics, will be having her eighth grade cooking students bake and frost the chocolate cakes for the Pizza Party.

Tickets may be purchased at East Middle School on Monday, April 10 or Tuesday April 11 or at the door Tuesday evening.

Jelly for Joey drive underway

Plymouth Jaycees are sponsoring a "Jelly for Joey" program, for Plymouth resident Joe Crissey to help with the expenses of an operation he must undergo this year.

The jelly drive will be held this Saturday at the K-Mart Shopping Plaza at Haggerty and Ann Arbor Road and at the Plymouth Square Shopping Plaza, Sheldon and Ann Arbor Road.

Crissey, a seventh grader is afflicted with dystonia, a rare muscle disease. Funds are needed to help cut travel expenses for his parents, who will make several trips to New York during his eight week convalescence.

So far, jelly sales have netted \$1,200. Jaycees say they hope to reach a \$3,000 goal.

Contributions from individuals or clubs may be mailed to: Plymouth Jaycees, PO Box 279, Plymouth, 48170. Checks should be made out to Jaycee Jelly for Joe.

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'Forgotten children' remembered

BY PHYLLIS REDFERN

Who are the forgotten children and why are they forgotten?

That's a question frequently asked of Plymouth Center For Human Development staff members Jean Henshaw and Jan Terwin.

The Forgotten Child Program, which has recently been renamed the Forgotten Resident Program, was started in December, 1973 for residents at the center who have not had contact with any member of their family for more than a year.

Jean Henshaw, who volunteers long hours of her time each week, to head the program, says there are 370 residents currently on the forgotten list.

"Our main objective is to find a sponsor for each of these residents," she said. Many area families and groups sponsor a resident, but according to Jean, "we are still looking for about 125 more sponsors."

"As to why they are forgotten, that's very hard to say," said Jan Terwin, who works in community relations at the center. She mentioned that for some families, perhaps it's the social pressures of having a retarded child.

"They're not completely insensitive" added Jean. "In fact most of them (the residents) have it together more than you give them credit for."

Both women mentioned how easy it is to sponsor a resident and "have that feeling of doing something nice for someone else."

"Willingness to do the job is all it takes", said Jean.

Benefit movie

A special showing of the recent movie "New York, New York" will be the highlight this year of the Plymouth Women's Club's annual benefit, scheduled for Wednesday, April 19.

The benefit begins with a continental breakfast served from 8:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. in the Masonic Temple. A showing of the Martin Scorsese film, which stars Liza Minelli and Robert DeNiro, will follow at 10 a.m.

Tickets, at \$3 each may be reserved by calling Edna Keith at 453-1039 or Elizabeth Holmes at 453-0376.

General chairwomen of the project is Janet Brass. Serving at the breakfast will be Susan Harfoot, Linda Pawling, Barbara Pray, Joyce Roebuck, Mary Katherine Skinner and Margaret Voss.

"You don't have to spend a lot, but we do request that sponsors send gifts at least on birthdays and Christmas" she added.

Jean also said "that according to the mental health laws, a sponsor cannot have any physical contact with the resident they are sponsoring." She also reminded anyone who might be interested, that all gifts are tax deductible.

When a family or club agrees to sponsor a resident, they receive two forms. One form tells a little about the resident and includes the first name and gift suggestions. The other form is a guideline for all sponsors.

Guidelines include when and how gifts should arrive for residents. Sponsors are reminded not to wrap gifts but they may include wrapping paper with the gift. Volunteers will wrap the gifts once they have been properly labeled.

Jean explained that "all

food that is sent to the residents must be commercially prepared and commercially wrapped and sealed. "According to the law we cannot deliver home made items or commercially prepared items once the package has been open." She reminded sponsors that residents do enjoy birthday cakes from a bakery or store and "please do not make up your own Easter baskets." She noted how she had spent many hours recently picking jellybeans out of Easter baskets because they were not commercially wrapped.

Anyone interested in becoming a sponsor or learning more about the program may contact the Forgotten Resident Program at 453-1500 extension 257.

Jan and Jean also said they need volunteers to work with residents. "We request that the volunteers put in at least four hours a week, and work on a one-to-one basis with one of the residents," said



JAN TERWIN AND JEAN HENSHAW

Jan. "Since they are in school until 2:30 p.m. volunteers are needed from that time through the evening and on weekends."

According to Jan, "Volunteers work with the residents on reinforcing teaching skills like tying shoes, feeding and dressing themselves." Sometimes they take walks or go to the recreation building. "After a volunteer has put in

50 hours with a resident, he can get permission to be taken off the grounds." She added "some of the most popular places to go are on shopping trips, to the zoo or to lunch at a hamburger place."

As Jean noted, "When you see how happy you make them with a few hours of your time, you're more than willing to volunteer."

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Glimpse at yesterday

CUSTOMERS of the Dutch West International Harvester dealership lined up their tractors along Main Street for this Wood's Studio photo in the late 1930s. The West tractor dealership was located in the building on the corner of Main and Maple which housed a stock brokerage firm and insurance office before it was razed for the current office complex. The street was vacated by the city. Dutch West is standing in the doorway, second from the left, and is wearing a black fedora.

On the far right is Charlie Terry, father of Betty Martin who submitted this Glimpse at Yesterday photo. The other people in the photo are unidentified. Note the Oakland Dairy signs in the window at left advertising cones for a nickel and giant milk shakes for a dime. If you have more information on this photo or other historical photos from the Plymouth-Canton Community, please submit them to this column, courtesy of The Crier.

Canton trustees get ideas for surplus

Suggestions on how to keep and spend Canton township's general fund surplus of \$950,000 were presented to

trustees at last night's meeting by Finance Director Mike Gorman.

Gorman also had the results of an eight community survey, in which the question of how those places dealt with surplus money was asked.

"Several communities feel they should have cash on hand," said Gorman Monday. "Some reasons were for emergency expenditures or to ease cash flow."

Gorman said some suggestions he expected to present to the board were: paying off the balance of two parcels of property, one worth \$118,000, the other \$180,000. Gorman

said the township would save interest if the balance were paid on the two parcels.

Other suggestions included reducing the fire or police millage and funding for the proposed township public library.

"I also think there should be a cash reserve," Gorman said. "The township should set aside some money for the

police department or whatever, especially if we do reduce the millage." Gorman added that until growth stabilizes in the township, the need for cash would "be a little higher than normal."

Of the eight communities surveyed (including the city of Plymouth), four said they had a desired cash reserve. Two said no, two didn't

answer. No area specified the amount of cash desirable.

Emergency expenditures, cash flow and even contract negotiations were among the reasons given. One community

said the federal grant money, often more or less than a town expects accounts for cash surplus.

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Ordinance staff to be revamped

Canton trustees were expected last night to hear proposed qualifications and a job description for the position of an ordinance director from township building chief Chuck Thompson.

Thompson discussed the ordinance department with the trustees last week and said then that he wanted an ordinance director for the two-man department.

He requested it because more people were needed in the department to "effectively deal with ordinance violations."

He was told by trustees to come back with a list of responsibilities and a job description for the director, who would likely be paid \$17,200.

The two ordinance officers, Bruce Phillips and Kurt Johnston, work for Thompson, who is chief building inspector

with the township building department. Supervisor Harold Stein said last week the two ordinance men may be assigned to a separate department and given a director who is not in the union.

Three Canton trustees, however, say this may be a political move. Trustee Brian Schwall said many of Phillip's duties are being given to

others; Trustee Robert Myers said Stein considers Phillips a "threat" because he was an appointee of the previous Greenstein administration and Trustee Lynne Goldsmith is concerned that Phillips does not have "clear cut authority" to perform his job.

Phillips' union position earns him \$16,800 a year, with an April 1 increase.

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Joy of publishing

MEMBERS OF THE CANTON Newcomers Club pose with a copy of their newly-published book, "What's Cookin'?" From left, are Bekki Ponti, Canton Fire Chief Mel Paulun, Sue Lawrence, Cookbook Chairperson and Ann Ward. Proceeds from the book's sale will go towards the purchase of a Cardio-Pulmonary Resuscitator (CPR) unit. The sale will be held April 8 at the Harvard Square Shopping Center. (Crier photo by Bill Bresler.)



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As a robin's song ushers in the sound of spring, many other musical notes fill the air in the Plymouth-Canton area as local students prepare for spring concerts and recitals.

The Livonia Youth Symphony will present a concert April 9 at 3 p.m. in the auditorium of Churchill High School. One of the groups featured will be 'Suite Strings', a quartet which began as a group within the orchestra. Members of the group include Cheri Neal on viola and Ann Kaziaik on violin. Cheri is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Neal. She also plays the piano and is a senior at Canton High School. Ann, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Kaziaik, is a junior at Canton High School.

Other area students performing in the concert are Karen Lattin, Sharon Smith and Margaret Kaziaik.

Along with the orchestra strings, many pianos in the area will be getting a workout this week as students prepare for a recital next Sunday, April 9. The recital will be held at 1 p.m. at Geneva United Presbyterian Church, 5835 Sheldon, Canton.

Area students participating include Mike O'Day, Jan Murdock, Kelli Theard, Leis Dautzet, Karen Kling, Jennifer Croll, Michele, Annette and Denise Hopkins, Charles and Jim Totten, Susan Decker, Ron Ziamba, David Bromet, Nancy and Mary Beth Henry, Marcia Rood, Martha and Tom Oldford and Julie Watroba.

Other students taking part in the recital are Buffy Heslip, Marla Schwarz, David and Cheryl Marshall, Suzy O'Day, Megan Boyle, Frank Santorelli, John Kath, Carol Hamlin, Karen Brugman, Maggie Meissner, Leslie Lynch, Ron Hurley, Eric and Rene Pierson and Theresa Church.

Karen Davies, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Davies of Sheldon Road in Plymouth won a \$50 second place award at the Western Michigan University Annual Art Competition and Exhibition. Karen is a senior majoring in art. Her entry was a tea bag quilt.

Jill Hochlowski, a senior majoring in Chemistry at Michigan State University recently received an award from the American Chemical Society, Michigan Division. Jill is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hochlowski of Amelia Street in Plymouth. She is a 1974 graduate of Salem High School.

Christian Women's Club will present a "Styles For Spring" luncheon Thursday, April 13 at the Mayflower Meeting House. The luncheon begins at noon and will feature a fashion show by Maggie's of Livonia. Other entertainment includes Marjane Baker, a soprano soloist, and speaker Norma Olson.

The price of the luncheon is \$5.25. Reservations may be made by calling Dorothy Mowry at 453-4282 or Linda Murphy 522-5116 on or before Thursday, April 6.

Y brings spring classes

The Plymouth-Canton-Northville YMCA is offering new classes for its spring summer program. They are: adult shuffle board, chair caning, a 'behind the scenes' club, folk dancing, senior citizen shuffle board club, care for aging parents, and a professional counseling program.

Shuffleboard begins June 9 through Aug. 10. The evening class is from 6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. and is held at Plymouth Township Park on Ann Arbor Trail.

Chair caning is for adults and begins May 4 to June 8. The afternoon class will begin at 3 p.m. and will be held at

the Plymouth Credit Union. The 'behind the scenes' club is for first through fifth graders. The club meets Saturdays for six weeks from 9 a.m. to noon beginning April

22. The club is "designed to stimulate learning through inter-disciplinary field trips," said Y director Janet Luce. Children must have permission to go on field trips.

Folk dancing is for adults and is held every Tuesday at Central Middle School. Fee is 50 cents per session.

Care of aging parents is held every Wednesday for four weeks, beginning April 19. Counseling, discussions and information will be available at the seminars. The class will be held at the Plymouth Credit Union.

A professional counselor will be available at the Y for counseling in groups, families or on an individual basis. It is available Monday through Friday from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Geneva offers 'Musicale' with soloist

The Geneva Musicale will present its third concert this year Sunday, April 9 at 4 p.m. at the Geneva United Presbyterian Church, 5835 Sheldon Road (just north of Ford Road) in Canton.

Featured soloist for this concert will be guitarist Jack Moncrieff. He was born in Canada and began playing guitar 30 years ago in Toronto, where he was staff guitarist with the CBC for several years. Here, he has played back-up guitar to the Clooney Sisters, Tony Bennett and others.

The Musicale concert is open to all. There will be a \$1 donation for adults, with all proceeds going to the American Heart Association. Refreshments will be served following the concert.

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Toth, Rossow are engaged

Patricia Toth and Glen Rossow of Plymouth have announced their engagement. The bride to be is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Toth of Plymouth. The groom's father is Mr. Harold Rossow of Plymouth.

Both graduated from Eastern Michigan University last year and both are graduates of Salem High School. Ms. Toth is a substitute teacher and Mr. Rossow is a paint manager at a store in Ann Arbor.

A wedding has been set for May 12.

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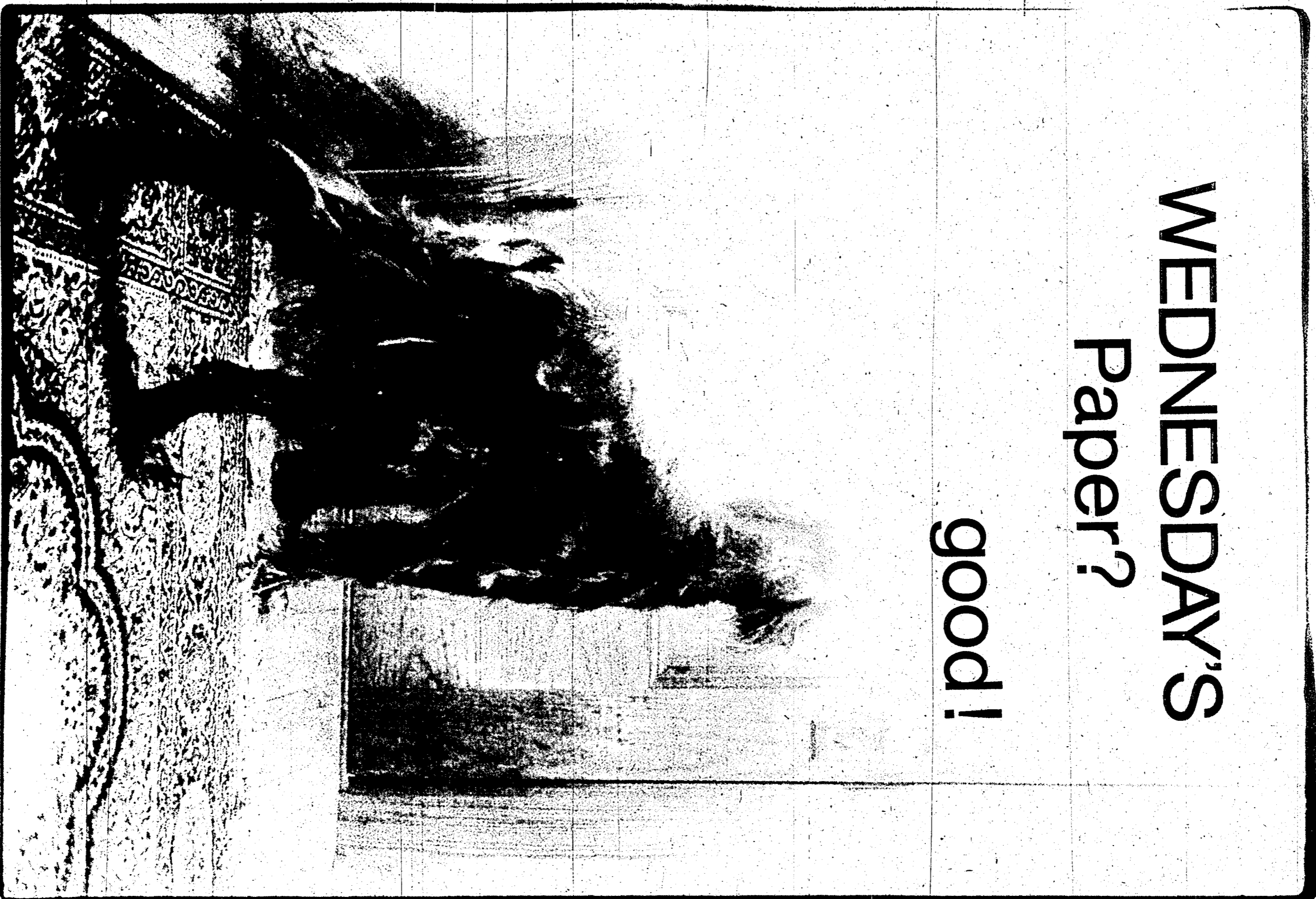
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In Plymouth and Canton, it's The Crier



Museum gets Crier microfilm

NOW ADDED TO THE RESOURCES of the Plymouth Historical Museum are four years of The Crier -- all on microfilm negatives. Reduced to microfilm, more than 200 editions of the local newspaper amounted can be stored in three small packages. Museum Curator Barbara Saunders (right) received the microfilm history last week from Crier Publisher Hank Meijer in the old print shop on the Museum's "Main Street." The museum also has microfilm of the old Plymouth Mail newspaper, from its early days to 1935. The Crier is the only current newspaper to place a copy of its "morgue" in the museum. Copies of single pages of past editions are obtainable through the museum's microfilm reader-printer. "Our pages reflect the modern history of our town," Meijer said. "We're pleased to share this resource with our museum." (Crier photo by Bill Bresler.)

State prison site to be auctioned

BY DONNA LOMAS

Two parcels of property on Five Mile and Sheldon roads proposed as a "moderate security" prison site a year ago will probably be up for public auction, Wayne County spokesperson said.

The land, owned by Wayne County and on which the former Boys Training School is located, is comprised of 728 acres.

The state wanted to build a prison there and offered the county \$9 million for the land. However, overwhelming opposition by local residents -- some who said the area already had too many state-supported institutions -- killed the idea.

A resolution made recently by a Committee of the Wayne County Board of Commissioners would open the land to public auction. The entire board is scheduled to vote on the resolution at its meeting tomorrow.

According to the county, the Board of Auditors would then set the procedures for bidding. A price range for the land has not yet been set, the county said. Last year, the county valued the two parcels at \$14,634,070.

Todd to tutor

Todd Stewart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stewart, of Carol St. in Plymouth, is a member of the Oneida Tutoring Program at Lawrence University in Appleton, Wis. Stewart is a 1977 graduate of Salem High School.

The Oneida Tutoring Program is a project of Lantern, a voluntary service organization at Lawrence that works with Appleton community programs. Oneida Tutors work with children from the Appleton area who have educational problems.

Plymouth Police Officer Anne Herndon was assaulted last Thursday after making an arrest of a man stopped for speeding. Plymouth Officer Robert Henry was also attacked when he assisted with the arrest, police report.

Officer Herndon suffered bruises on her face and her glasses were broken. Officer Henry was taken to St. Mary Hospital for X-rays and released.

According to police, the two officers were monitoring traffic speed at Main and Sutherland streets at 2:30 a.m. Thursday, when a green Pontiac went by, going 72 miles per hour.

The police pulled out from the lot to follow and the car passed another vehicle at an increasing rate of speed. Police report the car was pulled over at the corner of Ann Arbor Road and Main Street in a vacant lot.

The driver of the car, 20 year old Jeff Heichman of Blackburn in Livonia, got out as Officer Henry approached the vehicle. Officer Herndon went around to the passenger side, police report and saw several empty beer bottles by the passenger, Steven R. Rigoulet, of Greenlawn in Livonia.

She asked for his identification and he gave it to her, police report. As she was arresting him; he began to shout at her and then raised his right foot and kicked her in the face, breaking her glasses, police said.

Henry had handcuffed Heichman and came to assist. However, Heichman began to run away. A struggle ensued, police report, but both were subdued.

Rigoulet was arraigned Thursday morning in 35th District Court on charges of

felonious assault. Judge Dunbar Davis released him on \$5,000 bond and set a preliminary examination for April 6.

Heichman was charged with driving under the influence of alcohol and speeding. He was released on \$100 bond.

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City budget unveiled

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playgrounds -- due to increased insurance costs -- were also included in the proposed budget.

"It's a hold the line budget," Yockey said. "We're much tighter than we were before."

City commissioners are expected to discuss the budget April 11 and 12 at City Hall beginning at 7:30 p.m. The discussions are open to the public. The commissioners will hold a public hearing on the budget April 24 and are scheduled to adopt it May 1.

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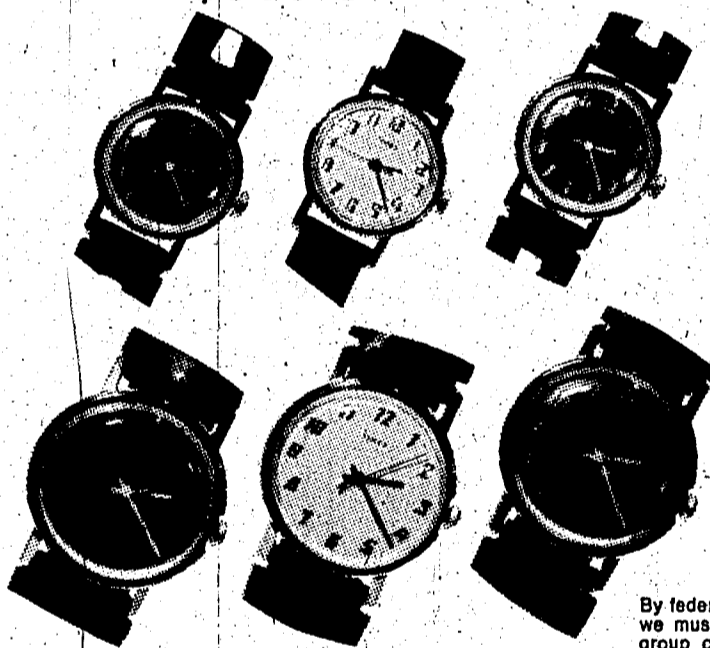
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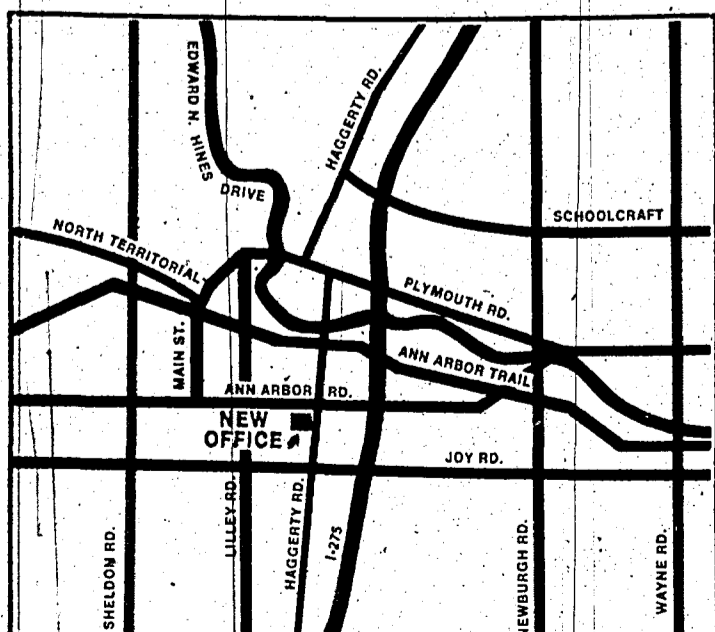
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Elbow room's scarce at City Hall

BY CHAS CHILD

*One shower for firemen, policemen and prisoners.
*Three secretaries crammed in a room never intended as an office.

*A makeshift lounge for firemen in the cement-floored garage behind a parked firetruck.

These scenes of the crowded conditions at the City of Plymouth's City Hall are clear evidence that more space is needed soon, according to city officials.

"There's no doubt we need more room," said Mark Wollenweber, assistant to City Manager Fred Yockey, during a tour Friday. "We're now facing the need and determining the best way to expand."

The 35th District Court, housed in city hall, has the most pressing space needs. For example, the meeting room for juries has been taken over by court secretaries and juries now reach decisions in the city commission chambers.

Rooms originally designed for storage are now occupied by secretaries and court records have overflowed into the basement.

"Federal funds are not available to fund a new building," said Wollenweber. "We may need a bonding or we can perhaps use revenue sharing funds."

First priority for future building goes to the court, but the police and fire departments are also crowded.

The police line-up room doubles as an informal office for patrolmen to hang up their coats, for example, while there's no space for lockers in the firemen's sleeping quarters.

The beds are end to end in the small room, prompting one fireman to quip: "If you get three hard-working firemen in there with smelly feet, it can get bad."

With no room for a lounge, the firemen have set up a ring of chairs in the back of the garage where the trucks are parked. The makeshift lounge also doubles as a classroom for the firefighters.

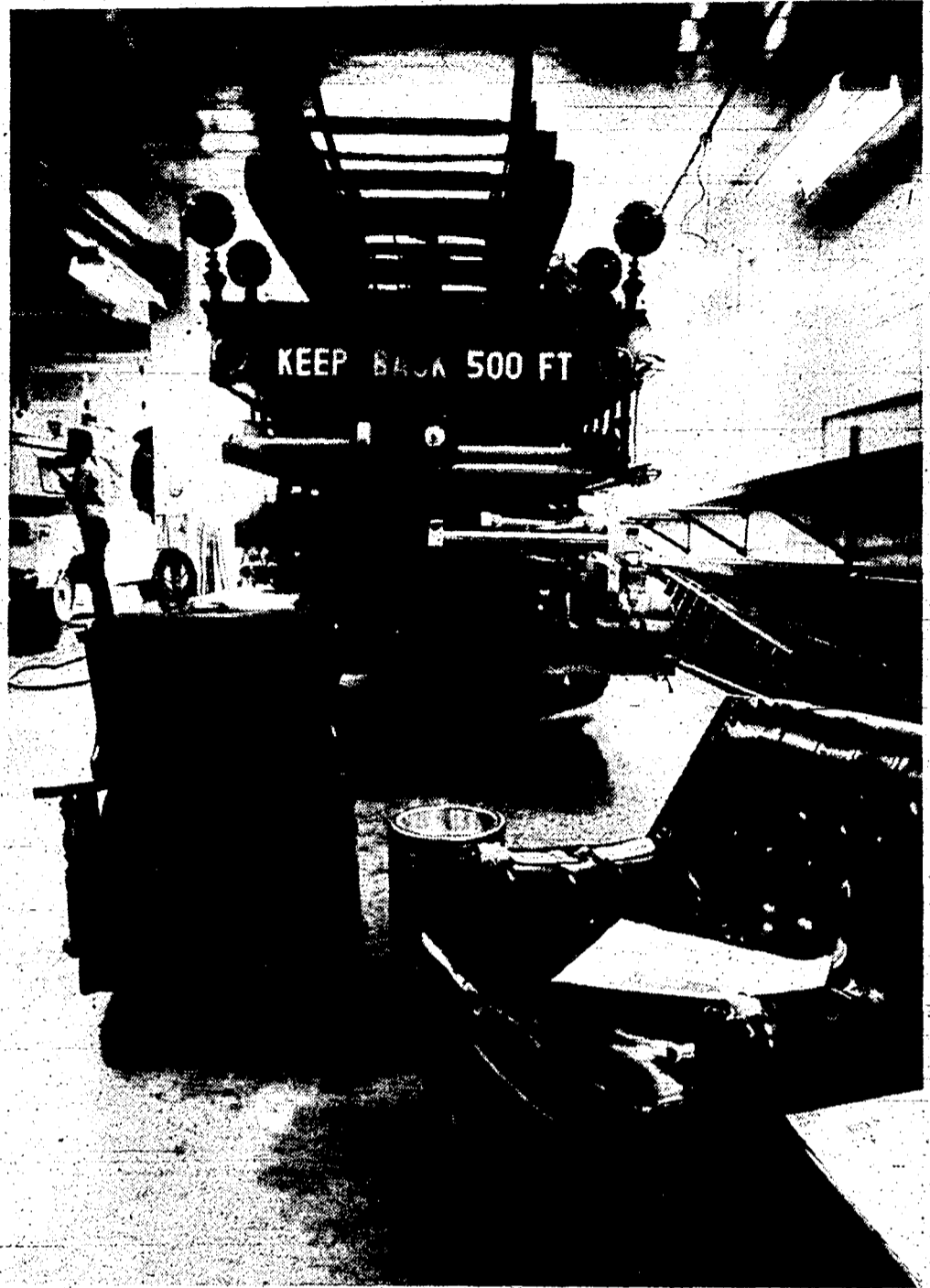
"When one of the diesel trucks are started, the fumes are not very nice," said a fireman.

The firemen also must share a shower used by both the policemen at the station and prisoners housed at the two-cell jail in the building.

Not only are the firefighters short of a lounge, but court employes don't have one either. They must share a small basement lounge used by city employes.

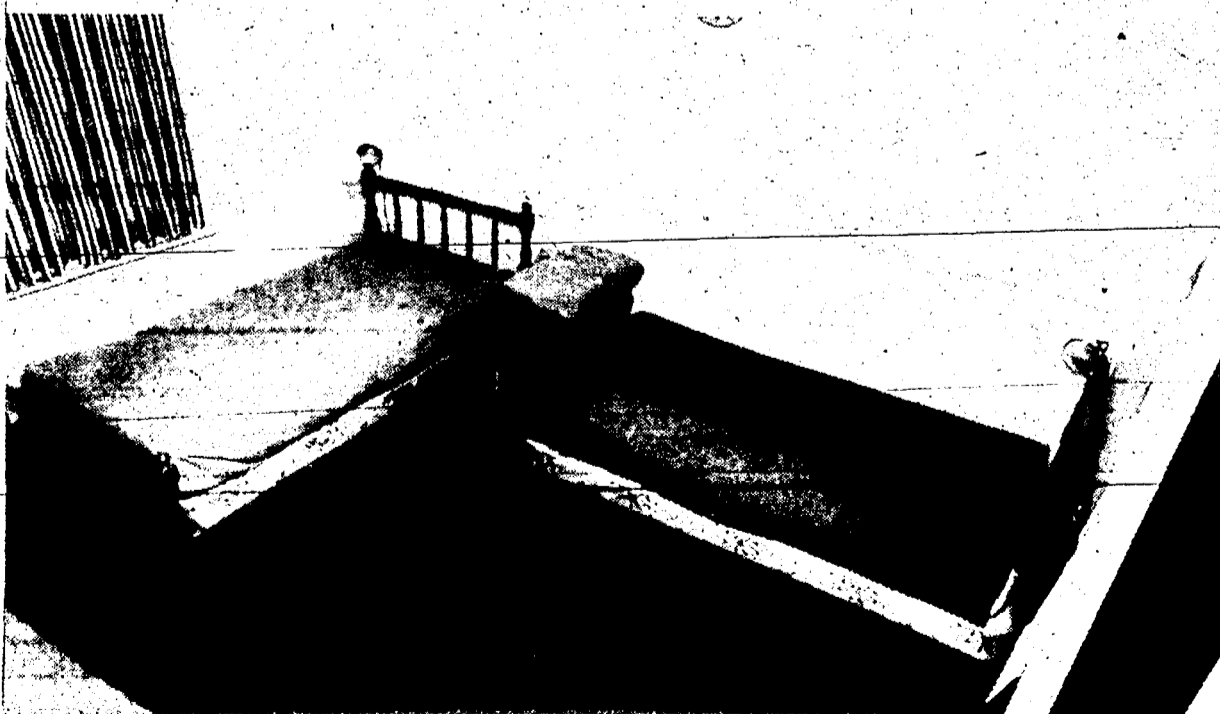
"You can't find a seat at lunchtime," a secretary said.

To create more room for the court, firefighters and police, city officials have proposed that the second floor of city hall be expanded. The plans had a \$70,000 price tag when it was proposed last year.



WITH no lounge, firemen at the City of Plymouth set up this makeshift lounge behind a firetruck in the garage.

*Crier photos
by Bill Bresler*



THREE BEDS for firemen are crammed into this small room at City Hall. "If you get three

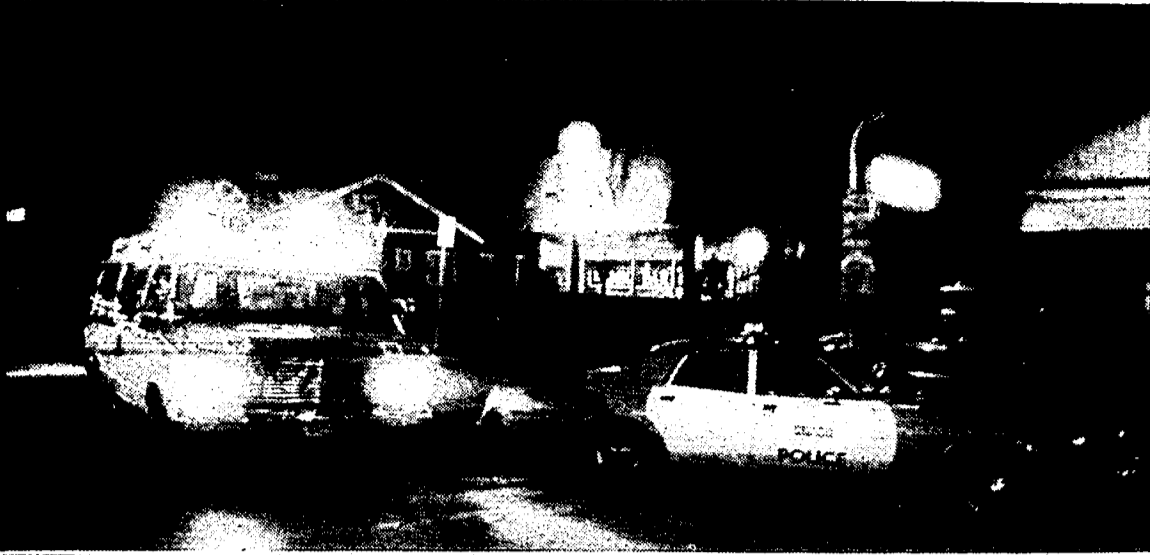
hard-working firemen in there with smelly feet, it can get bad," one firemen said.



COURT WORKER Barbara Harbin is forced to set up shop in an area between the 35th District courtroom (background) and the City Commission chambers. Two other secretaries work in the same area, never intended as an office.

Melee at local tavern

A PLYMOUTH MAN WAS injured late Saturday night at the Box Bar on Ann Arbor Trail, police report, when a man pushed him down inside the bar. Daniel J. Kelly of Plymouth told police he was walking down the aisle in the tavern when he brushed against the man. Kelly said "Excuse me," but then the man pushed him down and knocked him off balance, police said, causing Kelly to hit his head on the floor. The man later told police it was the first time he had been in the bar. (Crier photo by Bill Bresler).



Hearing set for cop case

A show cause hearing will be held tomorrow afternoon for Carl Silvers, coordinator for the Canton reserve police, versus Canton township case in Wayne County Circuit Court.

Silvers has charged the township with violating his contract and "discriminating against him for political reasons."

His attorney, Andrew Muth, said Silvers was seeking a

second in command position with the full-time Canton police force.

Muth said Silvers was discriminated against because he was an appointee of the previous Canton administration and that there were indications that Silvers would remain on the force in a command position when the Canton police went full time.

Four part-time Canton sergeants have also filed suit

against the township regarding the hiring of full time sergeants. A court order barring Chief Walter MacGregor from hiring the sergeants is in effect until both cases are settled.

The four, Donald La Framboise, Donald Tillman, Roger Pearsall and Paul Goff filed the petition and also asked to become party to Silver's suit.

A hearing on their case is scheduled for next Monday. Attorney for the four, James Garber, said "nothing in the case has changed. Things are pretty much the same."

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JA receives funds

JUNIOR ACHIEVEMENT was presented with \$1,300 from Western Electric public relations person, Jim Boyce (left) Tuesday. Ken West, chairman of the JA Fund Drive (second from left) and Jim McGettigan, manager of Western Electric in Michigan, and Sandy Zywick, fund raiser for JA, were also present. (Photo by Brian Watkins)



Rummage Sale a success

RECEIVING A CHECK for \$400 is Dale Yagiela (left), Director of Growth Works. The check represents the profits from the Colonial Plymouth Kiwanis Growth Works Rummage Sale. The profits originally were to be split equally between the two organizations, however the Kiwanis Club agreed to donate their share to Growth Works. Presenting the check is Dick Raison, President of the Colonial Plymouth Kiwanis Club.

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THURSDAY
Hot dog on a bun, relishes, vegetable, fruit cup.

FRIDAY
Tacos meat cheese & lettuce, vegetable, bread & butter, fruit cup.

BIRD MONDAY
Toasted cheese sandwich, tomato soup, fruit cup, tollhouse bar.

TUESDAY
Tacos w/meat & cheese, buttered vegetable, fruit.

WEDNESDAY
Hamburger gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered hot roll, fruit cup.

THURSDAY
Hot dog on bun, catsup, mustard, hot vegetable, fruit cup, dessert.

FRIDAY
Fish sticks, tartar sauce, catsup, roll, butter, buttered vegetable.

ERIKSSON MONDAY
Home made vegetable beef soup, peanut butter and jelly sandwich, fruit cup, toll bar.

TUESDAY
Chicken and gravy, mashed potatoes, fruit cup, hot roll.

WEDNESDAY
Goulash, hot roll, tossed salad, cookie.

THURSDAY
Hot dog in a bun, relishes, vegetable, fruit cup, cake.

FRIDAY
Tacos with trimmings, bread stick, vegetable, apple crisp.

FARRAND MONDAY
Submarine sandwich, green beans, banana cake, fruit.

TUESDAY
Sloppy joe on bun, buttered corn, peanut butter bar, fruit.

WEDNESDAY
Spaghetti w/meat sauce, cinnamon rolls, mixed vegetables, fruit.

THURSDAY
Hot dog on bun, catsup or mustard, corn, applesauce, cookie.

FRIDAY
Macaroni w/cheese, green beans, apple crisp, bread & butter.

FIGEL MONDAY
Vegetable soup, grilled cheese sandwich, fruit, peanut butter bar.

TUESDAY
Corn dog, vegetable or sauerkraut, cheese sticks, fruit.

WEDNESDAY
Chicken in gravy o/mashed potatoes, hot roll, butter, fruit, shakj jello.

THURSDAY
Ravioli w/meat sauce, vegetable, buttered garlic bread, fruit, peanut cup.

FRIDAY
Taco w/trimmings, vegetable, warm buttered bread, fruit, cookie.

FIELD MONDAY
Turkey patties w/potatoes, vegetable, cinnamon roll.

TUESDAY
Hot dog in bun, relishes, french fries, cookie, fruit.

WEDNESDAY
Lasagna, salad, bread, butter, fruit.

THURSDAY
Hamburger gravy o/mashed potatoes, vegetable, bread, butter, cake.

FRIDAY
Toasted cheese sandwich, soup, crackers, fruit, cookie.

GALLIMORE MONDAY
Hamburger on bun, catsup, mustard, pickles, buttered wax beans, cherry crisp.

TUESDAY
Goulash, green beans, hot biscuits, butter, peaches, cookie.

WEDNESDAY
Turkey & gravy o/mashed potatoes, hot roll, butter, jello, cake.

THURSDAY
Hot dog on bun, catsup, mustard, mixed vegetables, applesauce, tollhouse bar.

FRIDAY
Fishwich, tartar sauce, buttered corn, chips, fruit.

HULSING MONDAY
Macaroni & cheese, hot roll, butter, green peas, chilled fruit cup, sugar crinkle cookie.

TUESDAY
Beef & gravy o/noodles, bread sticks, buttered vegetable, fruit cup, frosted cake.

WEDNESDAY
Hamburger and roll, relishes, whole kernel corn, pineapple chunks, pudding.

THURSDAY
Chicken & gravy, mashed potatoes, hot roll, butter, gelatin fruit squares.

FRIDAY
Hot dog on roll, relishes, tater tots, fruit cocktail, tollhouse bar.

ISBISTER MONDAY
Vegetable beef soup, crackers, peanut butter sandwich, pineapple, brownie.

TUESDAY
Sloppy joe, tater tots, peanuts, pears.

WEDNESDAY
Oven fried chicken, mashed potatoes & gravy, cranberries, buttered biscuit, jello w/fruit.

THURSDAY
Hot dog in bun, corn, peaches, roasted peanuts.

FRIDAY
In-service day, no school.

MILLER MONDAY
Mastaccioli w/meat sauce, tossed salad, bread, butter, chocolate pudding.

TUESDAY
Plump frank on bun, baked beans, slippery fruit slices, cookie.

WEDNESDAY
Oven baked chicken, fluffy mashed potatoes, pineapple chunks, bread, butter.

THURSDAY
Hamburger on bun, whole kernel corn, sparkling fruited gelatin, chocolate cake.

FRIDAY
Fish sticks, french fries, syrupy peaches, bread, butter.



The last time the editor let me out of the basement to write "lunch" we looked at the cook as a creative artist. But what about menu writing? Some of our school menu writers make advertising copy-writers look like novices.

(For instance: "CHOOSE TWO: Potato soup, canned peaches." I'll take the first two, I guess.)

Keep your geiger-counters handy at Fiegel on Tuesday - the corn dogs are coming. Rumor has they're from a farm near the Fermi II plant in Monroe.

There is no truth to the rumor that an in-service day was declared at Isbister on Friday because of an ill-fated lunch plan involving large amounts of seaweed and the school's boiler room.

Keep on lunchin!!

SMITH MONDAY
Toasted cheese sandwich, soup and crackers, carrot sticks, peaches, cookie.

TUESDAY
Chicken in gravy over mashed potatoes, hot rolls, applesauce, cookie.

WEDNESDAY
Macaroni and cheese, bread, carrots, orange juice, cookie.

THURSDAY
Hot dog on bun, mustard or catsup, cheese sticks, french fries, jello with fruit, cake.

FRIDAY
Pizza with meat and cheese, peas, cookie, pears.

STARKWEATHER MONDAY
Peanut butter & jelly sandwich, soup, fruit cup, cake.

TUESDAY
Meat loaf, mashed potatoes, gravy, fruit cup, cookie.

WEDNESDAY
Grilled cheese sandwich, vegetable, fruit cup, cookie.

THURSDAY
Turkey noodle casserole, roll, butter, buttered corn, fruit cup, cookie.

FRIDAY
Fishwich, tater tots, fruit cup, cookie.

TANGER MONDAY
Grilled cheese sandwich, pickles, stone soup, chilled fruit, cookie.

TUESDAY
Hot dog in bun, french fries, chilled peaches, pudding.

WEDNESDAY
Spaghetti, hot roll, butter, chilled diced pears, green vegetable.

THURSDAY
Hot turkey gravy o/mashed potatoes, cranberries, bread sticks, chilled fruit, jello, cake.

FRIDAY
Pizza, hot vegetable, fruit, cookie.

CENTRAL MIDDLE MONDAY
Hamburger gravy, mashed potatoes, vegetable, bread, cookie.

TUESDAY
Beef stew and vegetables, hot cinnamon rolls, fruit.

WEDNESDAY
Spaghetti with meat sauce, and cheese, tossed salad, hot french bread.

THURSDAY
Beef bar-b-q on bun, fri-tators, fruit.

FRIDAY
Submarines, potato stix, fruit cup, cake.

EAST MIDDLE MONDAY
Chili, saltines, cheese sticks, canned peaches, oatmeal cake.

TUESDAY
Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, gravy, canned pears.

WEDNESDAY
Tacos w/meat/lettuce/cheese, baked beans, applesauce, cookie.

THURSDAY
Baked chicken w/corn bread, mashed potatoes, gravy, fruit cocktail.

FRIDAY
Fish fillet, roundabouts, cole slaw, orange juice, brownie.

PIONEER MONDAY
Baked scalloped potatoes, hot ham sandwich, buttered peas & carrots, fruit.

TUESDAY
Lasagna, roll, butter, celery & carrot sticks, choice of fruit or chocolate pudding.

WEDNESDAY
Choice of two soups, crackers, submarine sandwich, fruit, cookie.

THURSDAY
Pizza w/meat & cheese, buttered corn, fruit or jello, cookie.

FRIDAY
Fish sandwich, catsup, tartar sauce, potato chips, choice of fruit, cookie.

WEST MIDDLE MONDAY
Spaghetti w/meat, green beans, dinner rolls, choice of fruit, peanut butter cookie.

TUESDAY
Sloppy joe, whole kernel corn, choice of peaches or pears, cake.

WEDNESDAY
Pizza w/meat & cheese, tossed salad, choice of fruit, banana cake.

THURSDAY
Hamburger w/trimmings, french fries, choice of fruit or juice, chocolate cake.

FRIDAY
Hot dog w/trimmings, french fries, choice of fruit, chocolate chip cookie.

CANTON-SALEM HIGH MONDAY
CHOOSE ONE: Hot beef on bun, Salisbury steak, gravy w/roll, Pizza.
CHOOSE TWO: Mashed potatoes w/gravy, buttered corn, applesauce, Skim or whole milk, choice of pudding.

TUESDAY
CHOOSE ONE: Submarines, Pizza.
CHOOSE TWO: Potato soup, canned peaches, Skim or whole milk.

WEDNESDAY
CHOOSE ONE: Lasagna w/roll, Egg-Salad-Sandwich, Pizza.
CHOOSE TWO: Chilled juice, tossed salad, fruit cocktail, Skim or whole milk.

THURSDAY
CHOOSE ONE: Bar-b-que on bun, Pizza.
CHOOSE TWO: Buttered taters, fruit cobbler, Skim or whole milk, brownie.

FRIDAY
CHOOSE ONE: Hot Dog on bun, Fish sandwich, Pizza.
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Community deaths

Prof. Bert Hudgins dies, taught geography at Wayne

Dr. Bert Hudgins, of Ridge Road in Plymouth Township, died March 25 in Oakwood Hospital, Dearborn. A memorial service was scheduled for April 4 at Westminster Church in Detroit.

Dr. Hudgins is survived by his daughter, Jean; son, D. Harlan; daughter-in-law June and six grandchildren.

He taught geography at Wayne State University for 37 years and retired as professor emeritus in 1957. He was past chairman of the geography department. He was a member of the National Council of Geography teachers; The American Meteorological Society, the Association of American Geographers and a fellow in the American Association for Advancement of Science.

He was the author of numerous books and geography related publications and listed in Who's Who in America.

Edith Shier, seamstress

Edith Shier, 82, of 1101 Linden, Plymouth died March 30 at Garden City Osteopathic Hospital. Funeral services were held at Schrader Funeral Home in Plymouth with the Rev. William A. Ritter officiating. Burial was in Riverside Cemetery.

Mrs. Shier is survived by her son Robert C. Shier of Dearborn daughter, Mrs. Isla Joyce Truskoski of Wayne; 11 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

She was a seamstress for Kaiser Frazer Co., and a member of the 60 Plus Club and Senior Citizens Club of Plymouth.

T. Bearden, foreman

Tommy Bearden, 47, of 103 Amelia, Plymouth, died March 28 at St. Mary Hospital Livonia. Funeral services were held at Moore-Cortner Funeral Home in Winchester, Tenn. Burial was in Roseand Hill Memorial Gardens, Tullahoma, Tenn.

Mr. Bearden is survived by his wife, Rita; mother, Mrs. Laverne Bearden of Georgia; sons, Butch, Randy, Ronny, Mitchell and Michael; daughter, Michelle; four brothers and five sisters.

He came to Plymouth two years ago and was a foreman at Stahl Manufacturing.

R. Bowser, machinist

Ray F. Bowser, 88, of 10011 Stark Road, Livonia, died at Botsford Hospital, Livonia March 29. Funeral services were held at Schrader Funeral Home with the Rev. William A. Ritter officiating. Burial was in Parkview Memorial Cemetery.

Mr. Bowser is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Carolyn Loesch of Plymouth; son, Kelly Bowser of Avon, Ohio; sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Host of Penna., Mrs. Maribel Smith of Farmington Hills and 10 grandchildren.

He was a machinist in tool and die. He was a member of the Disabled American Veterans and the Myron H. Beals American Legion Post No. 32.

F. Schwein, foreman

Frank Schwein, 62, of Mathias, Texas, died April 3 in Texas. Funeral services will be held at Lent's Funeral Home in Wayne and St. Mary's Church.

He is survived by his wife, Clara Mae, sons, Frank Jr., David of Canton, Rick; daughters, Mary Jill and Karen; brother Clifford; sister Elizabeth and 16 grandchildren.

He was a foreman at Burroughs in Plymouth for 40 years and retired in 1966.

E. Catlett, homemaker

Eleanor H. Catlett, 58, of 44541 Brookside, Plymouth Township, died March 25 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital. Funeral services were held at Schrader Funeral Home with the Rev. Phillip Rodgers Magee and the Rev. Henry J. Walsh officiating.

Mrs. Catlett is survived by her husband, Charles; sons, Robert of Kenya, East Africa, Charles H. of Chicago, Ill., Phillip N. of Grand Rapids; daughter Mrs. Catherine Piercy of Eugene, Ore., several nieces and nephews and two grandchildren.

She was a homemaker and a member of the First United Presbyterian Church.



Class delves into pre-history

KEEPING a fearsome Stegosaurus at arm's length is the fourth and fifth grade art class of Katherine Touhey at Eriksson Elementary

School. The class recently constructed the beast out of papiermache. (Crier photo by Chas Child.)

Teens rob elderly Cantonite at gunpoint

Canton police report that three "neatly-dressed" male teenagers robbed a 75 year old Canton woman at gunpoint of \$6, last Thursday after they forced their way into her home.

Police report that Anna D. Maronick of Sheldon Road answered her front door and saw three youths standing there. One of them pointed a gun at her, police report and told her to "give me all your money."

She told them she didn't have any, but the youth holding the gun claimed she did, police report. Mrs. Maro-

nick then said her purse was in her bedroom and went to get it, with the youths following her, police report.

She gave the three youths seven dollars in singles, but one teen said to the gunman, "Hey, leave her a dollar," police report.

The gunman threw one of the dollars on the bed and then all three fled, according to police. They ripped the telephone off the wall after telling Mrs. Maronick not to call police "or we'll be back," police said.

Mrs. Maronick was not harmed during the incident.

City OKs paving costs

Plymouth City Commissioners Monday approved creation of a special assessment district of affected property owners who will share the cost of the city's 1978 street-paving program.

Included in the project, which has a total estimated cost of \$122,000, are portions of five city streets, including Burroughs, from Main to Harding; Church, from Harvey to Main; Adams, from Church to Farmer; Hartsough, from Main to Roosevelt; and Harvey, from Penniman to Junction.

Most expensive of the sections are Adams from Church to Farmer, which will cost an estimated \$21,800, and Harvey from Penniman and Junction, which will cost an estimated \$27,700.

The estimated life of the improvements is 10 years, city officials said.

Residential property owners will be assessed at 37.5 per

cent of the estimated cost of improvements, based on their front footage, while non-residential property owners will be assessed at 50 per cent of the estimated cost of improvement along their frontage property. Sideage assessments are half of those for frontage. The commission approved rates of \$5 per front foot for residential property and \$6.50 for non-residential.

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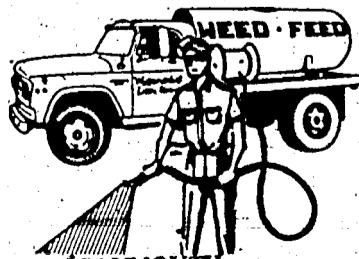
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Salem boys track team ready to chase Sub-8 title

BY ERIC OLSON
On your mark, set, — BANG! The Salem boys track team is off and running. This year the Rocks appear to be a darkhorse in the Suburban Eight Race. They finished fifth in the conference and fourth in the

regionals last year. However, they did place second in the field events in the regionals. Again they will be strong in the field events and they also hope to improve in the track events.
"We feel we are very strong in the field events especially

in the pole vault and we have the potential (in the track events) to give it (the Suburban Eight title) a run," said Salem mentor Gary Balconi.

The "potential" in track could rest on the shoulders or the ankle of Mike Skone. Skone, who broke his ankle, is perhaps the best high hurdler on the team and he is also the high jumper. He is expected to be out of his cast in two weeks.

In the pole vault the Rocks are as solid as granite with Mark Choma, Scott Kappler, and Dennis Ogden having all cleared 13 feet. Choma holds the school record and qualified for the state meet a year ago. All three could take regional honors.

Longjumpers Rich Hanschu and Curt Lewis have each leaped over 20 feet. Hanschu was second in the league last season while Lewis placed third.

Bob Dasher will see double duty as shot putter and discus thrower. He was league champion in the discus last year.

In the 100 and 220-yard dashes the Rocks are led by four year letterman Greg Davis. Backing him up are seniors Tom Carl and Chris Ritchey. Transfer sprinter David Booker should add depth.

Frank Gabbert, Tom Covington, Chris Kappler and Dave McKenzie will compete in the grueling 440-yard sprint for Salem.

Hurdling (120 high and 330 low) for Salem will be Mike Cristie, Doug Agnew, Phil Anderson, and Mike Campbell. Skone will complete the field when he recovers from his injury.

The Rocks, who logged a 4-3 duel meet record last year will have several runners in the distance events. But gone is Walt White the school's record holder in the mile and a state qualifier.

Coach Balconi will have Bob Stiffer, Tom Rubadue, Dan Lybarger, Dave Truesdale, Kevin Wara, Keith Saley, Jeff Econom, Scott Kleem, Paul Hess, and Todd Curtiss to choose from in the 880, mile, and two mile events.

"Our goal, of course, is to go out and win the Suburban Eight and beat Redford-Union in the field events," said Balconi. "Redford Union has been traditionally strong in the field for the last fifteen years," he added.

With Redford Union, Balconi sees Edsel Ford and Dearborn High as the teams to beat; however, he said, "we can win it with a lot of hard work."

the Crier Sports



A PLYMOUTH Sun dribbles by a Roseville player Saturday in the Class D high school recreation tournament at Central Middle School. The Suns lost to Roseville and were eliminated. Detroit beat Saginaw, 68-58 to take the crown. (Crier photo by Bill Bresler.)

Chief tracksters eye winning year

BY ERIC OLSON

It is a new season with a new coach for the Canton boys track team. And hopefully something new will happen—a winning season for the Chiefs.

First year Coach Mike Tiano is optimistic about the season, however, he is not predicting a Western Six championship. "I don't think we won a meet last year, but I'm not sure," quipped Tiano. "And as far as the regionals go we probably were last."

"This is a very young team made up mostly of sophomores," he said. "There are only seven seniors and my main goal is to build a team

for the future and start a winning tradition at Canton in track," explained Tiano. Tiano is a graduate of Plymouth High in 1972 and received his teaching degree from Grand Valley State. He is also Canton's junior varsity football coach.

Dennis Hennells (distance), Mike Kiefer (sprints), and Andy Lewis (field) are the tri-captains for this year's squad.

Lewis, (in the discus) was only Chief to qualify for state last season and he also participates in the shot put. Greg Rawk, Joel Mallare, and

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Olson joins Crier



ERIC OLSON

Eric Olson, 19, has joined The Crier as a sportswriter. A sophomore at The University of Michigan, Olson graduated from Flint Southwestern High School.

"Eric has an excellent knowledge of sports and will be a fine addition to The Crier staff," said Sports Editor Chas Child.

Olson is also night editor at The Michigan Daily, the student newspaper at U-M.

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EIGHT-YEAR-OLD Dean Morris of Canton, practices a punch in the Canton Karate Club. (Crier photo by Bill Bresler.)



THE CANTON KARATE CLUB lines up for kicks in training classes that meet every Wednesday and Thursday evening at the Canton Recreation Hall. (Crier photo by Bill Bresler.)

Karate sparks mind and body

Canton's martial artists

BY CHAS CHILD

"Martial art" is a strange combination of ideas. How can the military and war be considered an art?

Perhaps anything that requires cat-like concentration, and precise control of countless kicks, chops and parries, is an art form — even though its purpose is to kill.

And according to Sam Santilli of the Canton Karate Club, killing and self-defense are a few of the objectives of the martial art, taught twice-weekly at the township recreation hall.

"Women are just women when they arrive here, but after six months they'll know how to tear the eyeballs out of your head," said Santilli.



SAM SANTILLI, teacher or "Sensi" of the club. (Crier photo by Bill Bresler.)

But karate teaches much more than how to maim. The thrusts and kicks are useless without the mental concentration to use them.

"We teach mental discipline, not just in the class, but at all times in everyday life," said Santilli. "We want them to keep their heads up and have good mental habits.

"Some parents can't do a thing with their kids until I get a hold of them," he added.

Discipline is a key to the teaching at the club:

The class — about 30 persons ranging from age eight to middle agers — stare straight ahead in the traditional white robes waiting for commands from the three black-belt instructors walking among them.

Crisp barks from the teachers send clenched fists into the air and bare feet thrusting at imaginary attackers.

The concentration can even transcend the mind and encompass something larger, according to Santilli, the "sensi," or teacher of the club who lives in Holiday Park subdivision in Canton.

"You can get "interki," where everything is flowing with nature and the universe. You can be in complete harmony with yourself," said Santilli, stretching his hands out from his chest as if to encompass the world.

"We also try to teach humility here, too — notice the bowing out there — and

how to get along with all kinds of people. You'll find blacks, Oriental, all kinds of people in karate and you have to get along with them," said the sensi.

After the individual drills were over last Wednesday, the students paired off to practice one-on-one fighting and defense. The punches were pulled, but the students were intent on scoring points with their fists and well as their feet.

Mixed with commands in Chinese, the instructors said, "Get him in the windpipe. Kick him."

From the hard work involved, good old physical condition is a benefit of the training besides the discipline and coordination.

The club's work has paid off in a desk full of trophies won at tournaments attended by competitors from all over the United States.

Eight-year-old Dean Morris, of Canton, even brought home a trophy a few inches taller than himself.

"Despite all the trophies, I don't stress winning a whole lot. I emphasize putting your heart into it," Santilli said. "But once you're a winner, it's hard to drop down to a loser."

What draws people to karate the world's foremost martial art? "I think everyone who comes in here is in their deep mind scared of something. And I try to build their confidence," said Santilli.

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SKATEBOARDING on a parking lot off Harvey Street last Wednesday are Don Adsit, left and Todd Hauk. (Crier photo by Bill Bresler.)

Kids with cabin fever enjoy first Spring Days

A few days of Spring last week brought these youngsters (suffering from bad cases of cabin fever) outside to enjoy their first doses of outdoor fun: skateboarding, fishing and kite-flying.

The lingering cold weather has allowed the athletic teams at Canton and Salem high schools to squeeze in only a handful of outdoor practices with their first games in some cases less than a week away.

The Salem track team, with the first scheduled contest, faces a cold day in its opener tomorrow unless the weather improves.

If it does get warm enough, the two township-owned golf courses, Hilltop Glen in Plymouth and Fellows Creek in Canton, will open this weekend.



YOUTHS OF CORRINE STREET in Plymouth Township guided a blue kite to about 1,200 feet Friday afternoon before reeling it in. From left to right, Tammy DeFrance,

David Speer, Chuck Burks, Ryan Glass (kite owner), Pat Dennis and Kelly Dennis. (Crier photo by Hank Meijer.)



ED STACK of Livonia tries his luck Thursday on the Wayne County garage on Phoenix Lake. (Crier photo by Bill Bresler.)

Chief track team to rely on sophomores

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Frank Kellogg will all see dual action in the shot put and discus events.

Dan McGlenn will see more than dual action as he will compete in the 120 high hurdles, 880 relay, 220 dash, and the high jump. Tiano describes McGlenn as "per-

haps the best athlete on the team."

In the distance races the Chiefs will have Martin Tayatelis, Mike Spitz, and Hennells in the two mile; Mike Galaga and Mike Furbacker in the mile; and Phil Simon, Dave Perrot, and Scott Kiefer in the 880 yard run.

The short distance sprinters are Mike Phillips, John Tarr, and Dan Cronin while Rick Fleischer, George Trudell, Darryll Ramsur, and Dave Galaga will run the 440.

Hurdling for the Chiefs are Brian Pijanowski in 330 lows and Martin Hinckley in

the 120 highs. Larry Bigelow, a freshman, should add depth.

The long jumping and pole vaulting will be handled by Brent Eckles. Randy Lee will also vault if he can overcome physical ailments.

"Our strengths will be in the distance running and possibly the sprints, but are

weak spot is definitely the field events," said Tiano.

The Chiefs open Tuesday, April 11 at home against Thurston. Tiano tabs the Waterford Mott Corsairs, whom Canton will not meet until late in the season as the team to watch in the Western Six conference.



SALEM'S Debbie Pitera on the mound last year.

Young Chiefs ready to go

BY CHAS CHILD

With a young but nevertheless experienced team, the Canton softball squad is gunning to finally unseat Waterford Mott, champions of the Western Six League for the last four years.

"We're shooting for first," said Coach Joan Ryan, despite having only one senior on the team with six junior and seven sophomores.

Last year's most valuable player, Lucy Howe, will again be the Chiefs' mainstay on the mound. With good control and good speed Howe, a junior, should keep Canton close in games throughout the season.

Howe has been the Chiefs' No. 1 pitcher for the last two years.

Also ready to pitch will be Junior Robin Radoye, the No. 1 pitcher on the junior varsity squad last year.

Pam Schipani behind the plate will round out an excellent battery for the Chiefs. As a freshman last year, Schipani caught every game. She's also a good hitter as she batted third last season.

Sophomore Chris Housden, on the junior varsity last year, will also see action behind the plate, as well as at first base.

Cindy Stevens, another sophomore, will probably start at first base. She started at first on the JV last season.

At second base, the Chiefs have quick Vicky Cavallaro. A sophomore, she is also one of the teams three captains.

Junior Kathie Peck will hold down the shortstop position. Playing her third year on the team, she is another tri-captain.

A transfer from Colorado, Valerie Harben, and Sue Lindsay will both see action at third.

The Chiefs can also rely on utility infielder Jean Krashovetz, a sophomore, to fill in when necessary. She will also be one of the Chiefs' best hitters, judging from her performance on the varsity last year.

Anchoring the outfield will be Canton's lone senior, Judy Freiman. The third captain, she was the team's best hitter last year.

She'll also make a little Chief history: as the only

Cantonite to play on the softball team for four years.

Completing the outfield will be Cathy Campbell, Maureen Morahan and Cherlyn Pijanowski.

Last year, the Chiefs finished in a three-way tie for second place with Livonia Churchill and Walled Lake Western, as Mott again took the crowns in the Western Six League.

The team's overall record - 6 wins and 8 losses - is not quite as impressive and the campaign to better it this year starts April 12 against Bentley in Livonia.

Rocks eye first

BY CHAS CHILD

In 1975, the Salem softball team finished fourth. The next year they advanced to third and last year the team climbed to second.

The logical next step if first this year and Coach Livi Way is confident the pattern will hold.

"It looks super," she said. "We had the best pitching staff last year and it's back this season."

Senior Debbie Pitera, the Rocks No. 1 hurler for the last two years, is back with the same excellent speed and improved control. "She was the best pitcher in the league last year," said Way.

Jan Boyd, a junior, is also back from last season's varsity. She'll be getting a number of starting assignments as well as relief calls.

Behind the plate, Senior Kathy Dillon is ready to go. Becky Crespo and Sue McDowell will also see some action at catcher.

First base is up in the air. When she's not pitching, Boyd will play at first, as will Sophomore Sue Evans who spent last season on the junior varsity.

Nan Horwood, a sophomore who came on strong at the end of last season, will prob-

ably start at second base with Cathy Gardner as a back-up. Gardner, another sophomore, played on the JV a year ago.

At shortstop, Crespo looks to be the Rocks' starter while Donna Goodrich will probably hold down third base.

A number of experience players will man the outfield for Salem: Sue McDowell, Diane Goodrich, Cindy Cindrich, Wendy Webb and Lisa Lukens.

As a utility player for both the outfield and infield, Way can call on Doris Heolscher. "She had an excellent rbi total last year and we need her bat in the line up," said her coach.

Sophomore Stacy Nicolin will also be used as a utility infielder.

"Our team has the most experience and the most senior of any in the Suburban Eight," said Way. "If I was looking from the outside, I still pick us for first."

The main contenders besides the Rocks are Redford Union and Trenton, although Edsel Ford, last year's champ, and Dearborn also look to be good.

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Tues., April 11	Canton vs. Thurston	H	3:30

Hockey school set

Plymouth Parks and Recreation in cooperation with the CAN/AM (Canadian-American) Hockey Group will sponsor a fall hockey school the week on September 5 through September 10. The school will be staffed by qualified CAN/AM personnel. The one week session will offer a novice program, a boys program and an adult coaching development program.

The boys program will have two age groups from 8-15 years of age with a maximum of 45 participants including four goalies, 10 hours of on-ice instruction plus five hours

of off-ice instruction. The fee is \$55.

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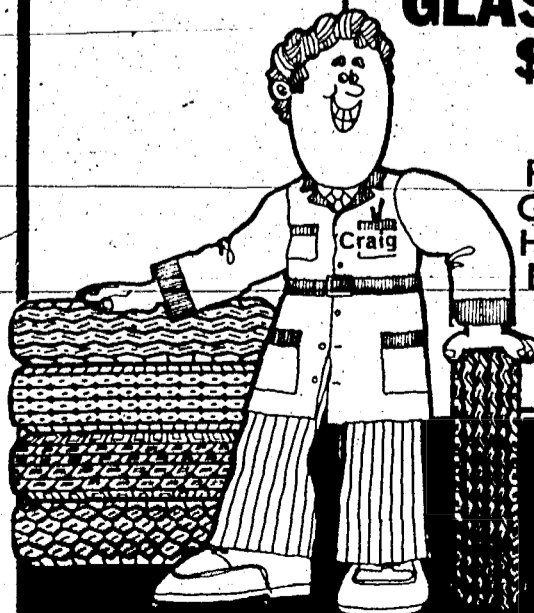
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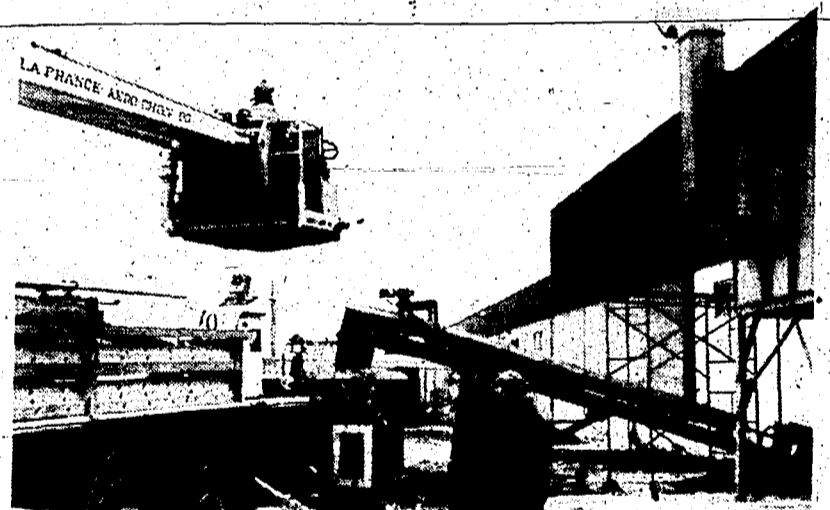
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The cost benefit analysis included the following variables that would affect the price of the farmland to the township through the 30 years: the growth rates, mills levied, and total operating cost of the township.

"The ultimate growth control is acquiring development rights," Peek said.

Peek said the cost to an average home, should the township buy the land development rights, would be \$520.68 — at a low growth rate. At a high growth rate, the cost would be \$588.

"We're just going to have to wait until the accountant completes his half of the report," Supervisor Harold Stein said.

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Babysitting my home Brookside Village, Canton. School child 45-15 or toddlers. 397-0135 anytime.

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WANTED TO BUY

Retired couple wishes to buy 3 bedroom home within \$35,000 to \$38,000 price in Plymouth, Northville, or Canton. Before 2 p.m., 271-0176.

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Coppertone side by side frost free refrigerator (Frigidaire) \$450 or best offer, 459-4929.

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April 15 9 a.m.-4 p.m., 14073 Shadywood Dr. Antique glassware, velvet chair, china, etagere, dinette set.

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McAllister's Party Store, 14720 Northville Rd.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Board of Education of Plymouth-Canton Community Schools invites the submission of sealed bids on FOUR (4) LEARNING LABORATORIES FOR HANDICAPPED STUDENTS for use in the schools of the district. Bids will be received until 10:00 a.m. on the 12th day of April, 1978, at Board of Education Building, 454 S. Harvey Street, Plymouth, Michigan at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read. Specifications and bid form may be obtained at the Purchasing Office. The right to reject any and/or all bids is reserved. Any bid submitted will be binding for thirty days subsequent to the date of bid opening.

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**ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS -- BID 1016
NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

The Board of Education of Plymouth-Canton Community Schools invites the submission of sealed bids on BOILER ROOM ALTERATIONS TO BIRD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL AND SMITH ELEMENTARY SCHOOL. Bid documents may be picked up at the Board of Education Building, 454 S. Harvey St., Plymouth, Michigan, on or after April 3, 1978. Deposit of \$40.00 is required (Deposit refundable upon return of specifications).

Bids will be received until 3:00 p.m. on the 24th day of April, 1978, at Board of Education Building, 454 S. Harvey St., Plymouth, Michigan, at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read. The right to reject any and/or all bids is reserved. Any bids submitted will be binding for forty-five days subsequent to the date of bid opening.

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**CANTON TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION
CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON, WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Act 184 of the Public Acts of Michigan as amended, and pursuant to the Zoning Ordinance of the Charter Township of Canton that the Planning Commission of the Charter Township of Canton will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, April 14, 1978, at the Canton Township Hall, 128 Canton Center Road at 8:00 o'clock p.m. on the following proposed amendment to the Zoning Ordinance:

To consider rezoning 10,860 acres on the north side of Ford Road between I-275 and Haggerty (Tax No. 047 99 0007 000) from CS Planned Shopping to C-2 General Business, Bob Evans Farms Foods and Cardinal Industries are requesting the change.

Comments on the proposed changes may be made in writing prior to the scheduled hearing date, and submitted to the Township's Administrative offices at 44508 Geddes Road and/or comments may be given at the time of the hearing.

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON
PLANNING COMMISSION
ROBERT PADGET
CHAIRMAN

**OFFICIAL NOTICE TO THE CITIZENS OF CHARTER TOWNSHIP
OF CANTON OF A PUBLIC HEARING TO CONSIDER
APPROVAL OF DESIGNATION OF A PROJECT DISTRICT AREA
BY THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON
AT THE REQUEST OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
CORPORATION OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that pursuant to Act 338 of the Public Acts of Michigan of 1974, as amended, the Economic Development Corporation of the Charter Township of Canton has designated the following described project area to the Township Board for its approval:

Part of SE 1/4 Section 35 T2SR8E beginning NO 5'30" W60' & N89 26'40" W116.01 from the SE corner of Section 35, thence N89 26'40" W1202.41', thence NO 2'30" E717.26' thence N 79 22'47" E1208.89', thence SO 49'18" E951.82' to Point of Beginning containing 22.92 acres, more or less, together with all improvements and appurtenances.

The Economic Development Corporation of the Charter Township of Canton has been incorporated and has the power to acquire, finance and lease commercial and industrial enterprises. The designation of a project area specifies that land area which will be acquired by the implementation of a project.

It is now necessary to consider the establishment of project district area boundaries. Project district area is defined as that area of the Township including the project area and surrounding territory as may be significantly affected by a project. The determination of the project district area boundaries is necessary in order to determine the necessity of establishing a project citizens district council and, if necessary, determining the eligibility of its members. A project citizens district council, if established, will act as an advisory body to the Economic Development Corporation, the Township Planning Commission and the Township Board. The project district area is proposed to be as follows:

A parcel of property situated north of Van Born Road to the Penn Central Railroad tracks and bordered on the west by Lilley Road and on the east by Haggerty Road.

The Township Board will meet at Township Hall located at 128 Canton Center Road, 7:00 o'clock p.m., Tuesday, the 25th day of April, 1978, and will conduct a public hearing on the advisability of approving by resolution the aforesaid designation of proposed project district area boundaries.

It is anticipated that the project will consist of a food distribution and warehouse facility to be leased by Farm House Foods or a subsidiary thereof.

THIS NOTICE is given pursuant to the requirements of Act 338, Public Acts of Michigan, 1974, as amended. Further information concerning the matters set out in this notice may be secured from the Township Clerk's office.

JOHN W. FLODIN,
TOWNSHIP CLERK

**NOTICE
TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH**

Dog Licenses are due prior to June 1, 1978 and are available at the Plymouth Township Hall, Treasurer's office, 42350 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth, Michigan Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Licenses prior to May 31, 1978 \$3.00 Licenses after May 31, 1978 \$5.00

Dogs must have a current rabies vaccination and owners must show proof of vaccination when obtaining dog licenses. Owners of all dogs not vaccinated and licensed before June 1 will be subject to violation tickets.

Please remember you are also in violation if your dog is permitted to run at large or its frequent whining, barking yelping or howling shall cause serious annoyance to the neighborhood or to persons passing to and fro upon the public highway.

JOSEPH H. WEST
Plymouth Township Treasurer

**CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON
BOARD PROCEEDINGS**

A special meeting of the Township Board of the Charter Township of Canton was held on Monday, March 20, 1978 at 7:00 p.m. at 128 Canton Center Road.

Members present: Bradley, Daley, Flodin, Goldsmith, Myers, Schwall, Stein. Absent: None.

A motion was made by Goldsmith and supported by Schwall and unanimously carried to approve of the use of the recreation building by the Canton Jaycees on a regular basis, subject to the condition that a governmental use hold a priority over Jaycee use.

A motion was made by Flodin and supported by Bradley and unanimously carried that applications be taken for the position of full time police officer until 5:00 p.m. on Monday, April 17, 1978.

A motion was made by Flodin and supported by Bradley and carried that in the event the Township is required to hire sergeants with less than eight years experience, that the pay scale for them be established at \$12,443.00

Yes: Bradley, Daley, Flodin, Goldsmith, Schwall, Stein.

No: Myers.

A motion was made by Schwall and supported by Myers and unanimously carried to adjourn at 7:20 p.m.

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and moving out of state from this one year old four bedroom colonial in Mayflower sub. in Plymouth twp. formal dining room, large family room with natural brick fireplace, basement, attached 2 car garage. Can assume 8 3/4% mortgage, good occupancy. Call for appointment. \$72,900.

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CLASSES

Professional voice instructor accepting students for private lesson. Call before 10 a.m. 981-1371.

Learn the art of arranging fresh flowers. Classes will start in April, 459-0583.

Enroll now at STORYBOOK GARDENS NURSERY SCHOOL, 42290 Five Mile Rd., Plymouth. For Information call: 420-0484.

PETS

Adorable balls of fur, 6 weeks old litter trained kittens available. 455-3355.

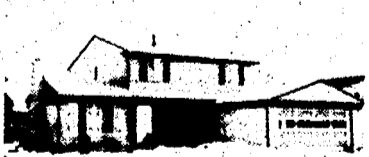
Female cat, sweet disposition and male ritten, available to good home, 455-3355.

LOST & FOUND

Found Keys - Harvey and Ann Arbor Road, Tuesday. Call 453-6900.


LOST - Gray female cat, Holiday Park Sub., Tues. 3-28. Reward. 459-8097.

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Florence you sure tried to
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455-4283 evenings.

Charlie -- It's called initiation
by fire. It happens to all
great cartoonists. Remember
Guadacanal! (Get well soon.)

LUZL's nervous. How about
the folks?

Pam: I'll be driving by in the
red & yellow semi-tractor,
Tuesday afternoon, on I-275.
Please wave. Ned

Charlie: Oops! I mean the
BLACK is ground and the
GREEN is hot. Sorry. Butch.

Phyllis, very little stamina--
we'll miss you at exercise
class, enjoy yourself at Webers.

THE COMMUNITY CRIER: April 5, 1978

TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH BOARD OF TRUSTEES - REGULAR MEETING MARCH 28, 1978

The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Notebaert at 8:00 p.m., followed by the Pledge of Allegiance. All members were present, with the exception of Mr. Gornick who was on vacation.

Mr. Millington moved approval of the minutes of the Special Meeting of March 21, 1978 as submitted. Supported by Mr. West and carried unanimously.

(a) Rescom Development - Application No. 382 - Final Preliminary Plat. Mrs. Richardson moved that the Board of Trustees give direction to Mr. Anulewicz and Mr. Rotenberg that this Board is in agreement with a 5', nor more than 6' public walkway, with an easement of 10' between lots 194 and 195 in Westbriar Village Subdivision No. 2 and that the treatment of this walkway will be presented to the Board at the time of Final Plat approval and further that the Board of Trustees approve the recommendation of the Planning Commission for the Final Preliminary Plat of Westbriar Village Subdivision No. 2. Supported by Mr. Millington and carried unanimously.

Mr. Breen moved that the request of Rescom Development Corporation for a waiver of the rear yard drainage plan until approval of the Final Plat be granted, due to the present soil conditions. Supported by Mrs. Fidge and carried unanimously.

Mr. West moved approval of the Transfer of Funds as requested by the Clerk. Supported by Mr. Breen and carried unanimously.

Mr. Millington moved approval of Supervisor Notebaert's recommendation to appoint Mr. William Keefer, 9423 Corinne, to fill the unexpired term of Thomas Sullivan on the Planning Commission, effective immediately, term to expire in July, 1979. Supported by Mr. West.

The motion carried with the following roll call vote: Yes: F. Millington, J. West, H. Richardson, T. Notebaert. No: L. Fidge. Abstaining: M. Breen.

Proposed Sanitary Sewer Sly Drain under proposed M-14 Expressway. Mr. Millington moved that the Board of Trustees accept the recommendation of the Township Engineer in his letter dated March 13, 1978 for a change order in the amount of \$13,499.19 and to accept the post bid addendum No. 1 which would delete \$44,527.30, making the total adjusted contract to J. P. Harte Company \$47,817.04. Supported by Mrs. Richardson and carried on the following roll call vote: Yes: F. Millington, J. West, H. Richardson, T. Notebaert. No: M. Breen, L. Fidge.

Mr. Millington moved approval of the Supervisor's recommendation to have Mr. Richard Gornick replace Mr. Maurice Breen on the Planning Commission as of May 1, 1978. Supported by Mr. West and carried unanimously.

Board of Wayne County Auditors. Re: Blanket Bond for Treasurer's collecting County and School Taxes.

The application for short term tax bond and Resolution had been sent to Mr. West for presentation to the Board of Trustees. The amount of the bond is 40% of the tax levy and the premium had been paid in advance by the County of Wayne.

Mrs. Richardson moved approval of the Resolution as submitted. Supported by Mrs. Fidge and carried unanimously.

Mrs. Richardson moved to adjourn the meeting. Supported by Mr. Breen. Supervisor Notebaert adjourned the meeting at 9:20 p.m.

Approved, Thomas G. Notebaert, Supervisor
Respectfully submitted,
Helen I. Richardson, Clerk

These minutes are a synopsis. Cassette Tapes of the meeting are on file in the Clerk's Office.

OFFICIAL NOTICE TO THE CITIZENS OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON OF PUBLIC HEARING TO CONSIDER APPROVAL OF DESIGNATION OF A PROJECT DISTRICT AREA BY THE TOWNSHIP BOARD OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON AT THE REQUEST OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that pursuant to Act 338 of the Public Acts of Michigan of 1974, as amended, the Economic Development Corporation of the Charter Township of Canton has designated the following described project area to the Township Board for its approval:

That part of the northeast quarter Section 35, Town 2 South, Range 8 East, described as beginning at a point distant north 0 degrees, 09 minutes, 30 seconds East along the north and south quarter line of Section 35, 1472.14 feet and south 89 degrees, 50 minutes, 30 seconds east 1102.51 feet from the center post of Section 35, Town 2 South, Range 8 East, and proceeding thence south 89 degrees, 50 minutes, 30 seconds east 197.92 feet, thence north 0 degrees, 24 minutes, 00 seconds east 584.06 feet to a point on the southerly right-of-way line of Michigan Avenue, thence along the southerly right-of-way line of Michigan Avenue, south 74 degrees, 09 minutes, 00 seconds west, 1.34 feet and on a curve, concave to northwest, having a radius of 2843.66 feet and a chord bearing south 76 degrees, 11 minutes, 48 seconds west 205.17 feet, thence south 0 degrees, 09 minutes, 30 seconds west 534.19 feet to the point of beginning, more commonly known as 41821 Michigan Avenue, Canton Township, Michigan.

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It is now necessary to consider the establishment of project district area boundaries. Project district area is defined as that area of the Township including the project area and surrounding territory as may be significantly affected by a project. The determination of the project district area boundaries is necessary in order to determine the necessity of establishing a project citizens district council and, if necessary, determining the eligibility of its members. A project citizens district council, if established, will act as an advisory body to the Economic Development Corporation, the Township Planning Commission and the Township Board of the Charter Township of Canton. The project district area is proposed to be as follows:

A parcel of land situated on the south side of Michigan Avenue (U.S.-12) between Lilley Road on the west and Haggerty Road on the east and bordered on the south by the southern border of the above described Project Area.

The Township Board will meet at the Township Hall located at 128 Canton Center Road, 7:00 o'clock p.m., Tuesday, the 25th day of April, 1978, and will conduct a public hearing on the advisability of approving by resolution the aforesaid designation of proposed project district area boundaries.

THIS NOTICE is given pursuant to the requirements of Act 338, Public Acts of Michigan, 1974, as amended. Further information concerning the matters set out in this notice may be secured from the Township Clerk's office.

JOHN W. FLODIN
TOWNSHIP CLERK

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON BOARD PROCEEDINGS

A regular Board meeting of the Charter Township of Canton was held on Tuesday, March 28, 1978 at 7:00 p.m. at 128 Canton Center Road.
Present: Daley, Flodin, Goldsmith, Myers, Schwall, Stein.
Absent: Bradley.

The following items were added to the agenda:

1. Consider approval of service contract for typewriters.
2. Consider request for lot split.

A motion was made by Schwall and supported by Daley and unanimously carried to accept the agenda.

A motion was made by Daley and supported by Myers and unanimously carried to approve the minutes of March 14 as corrected.

A motion was made by Flodin and supported by Daley and unanimously carried to pay bills in the amount of \$354,920.35.

A public hearing was held to consider approval of designation of two project areas by the Economic Development Corporation:

1. Farm House Foods Corporation Project.
2. West Side Auto Parts Inc. Project.

There were no comments either for or against the projects from the audience. A motion was made by Myers and supported by Daley and unanimously carried to close the public hearing.

The following preamble and resolution were offered by Member Flodin and supported by Member Myers:

WHEREAS, there exists in the Charter Township of Canton (the "Township") the need for certain programs to alleviate and prevent conditions of unemployment, to assist and retain local industries and commercial enterprises in order to strengthen and revitalize the Township's economy and to encourage the location and expansion of commercial enterprise to provide needed services and facilities to the Township and its residents; and

WHEREAS, a program to alleviate the aforesaid conditions and accomplish said purposes has been initiated by the Economic Development Corporation of the Charter Township of Canton (hereinafter referred to as the "Corporation"); and

WHEREAS, the Corporation in conformity with Act 338 of the Public Acts of 1974, as amended (Act 338), has designated the hereinafter described project area for such a program to this Board for its approval thereof; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Act 338 a public hearing was held concerning the designation of the project area; and

WHEREAS, the Township Planning Commission has indicated its approval of said designation;

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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:
1. This Board does hereby certify its approval of the Corporation's designation of the following described project area:
Part of the SE 1/4 Section 35 T2SR8E beginning No 5'30"W60' & N89 26'40" W116.01 from the SE corner of Section 35, thence N89 26'40" W1202.41', thence N0 2'30" E717.26' thence N79 22'47" E1208.89', thence S0 49'18" E951.82' to Point of Beginning, containing 22.92 acres, more or less, together with all improvements and appurtenances.
2. The Township Clerk be and is hereby directed to deliver a certified copy of this resolution to the Secretary of the Corporation.
3. All resolutions and parts of resolutions insofar as they conflict with the provisions of this resolution be and the same hereby are rescinded.
AYES: Members Daley, Flodin, Goldsmith, Myers, Schwall, Stein.
NAYS: None.
RESOLUTION DECLARED ADOPTED.

The following preamble and resolution were offered by Member Flodin and supported by Member Schwall:
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WHEREAS, a program to alleviate the aforesaid conditions has been initiated by the Economic Development Corporation of the Charter Township of Canton (hereinafter referred to as the "Corporation"); and

WHEREAS, the Corporation in conformity with Act 338 of the Public Acts of 1974, as amended, (Act 338) has designated a project area for such a program to this Board for its approval thereof; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Act 338 it is necessary to hold a public hearing concerning the establishment of the project district area boundaries:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:
1. Pursuant to the aforesaid Act 338 this Board shall meet on April 25, 1978, at 7:00 o'clock p.m., at which time it shall conduct a public hearing on the establishment of the project district area boundary.
2. The Clerk be and is hereby directed to give notice of such public hearing by (a) publishing a notice thereof in the Community Crier, a newspaper of general circulation in the Charter Township (b) first class mailed notice to the last known owners of each parcel of real property in the proposed project district area at the last known address of the owner as shown by the Township's tax assessment records and (c) by posting a notice thereof in at least 10 conspicuous and public places in the proposed district area. All of the foregoing shall be accomplished at least in (10) days from the date of hearing.
3. Said notice shall be in substantially the following form:

OFFICIAL NOTICE TO THE CITIZENS OF CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON OF A PUBLIC HEARING TO CONSIDER APPROVAL OF DESIGNATION OF A PROJECT DISTRICT AREA BY THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON AT THE REQUEST OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that pursuant to Act 338 of the Public Acts of Michigan of 1974, as amended the Economic Development Corporation of the Charter Township of Canton has designated the following described project area to the Township Board for its approval:

Part of the SE 1/4 Section 35 T2SR8E beginning No 5'30"W60' and N89 26'40" W116.01 from the SE corner of Section 35, thence N89 26'40" W1202.41', thence N0 2'30" E717.36' thence N79 22'47" E1208.89', thence S0 49'18" E951.82' to Point of appurtenances.

The Economic Development Corporation of the Charter Township of Canton has been incorporated and has the power to acquire, finance and lease commercial and industrial enterprises. The designation of a project area specifies that land area which will be acquired by the implementation of a project.

It is now necessary to consider the establishment of project district area boundaries. Project district area is defined as that area of the Township including the project area and surrounding territory as may be significantly affected by a project. The determination of the project district area boundaries is necessary in order to determine the necessity of establishing a project citizens district council and, if necessary, determining the eligibility of its members. A project citizens district council, if established, will act as an advisory body to the Economic Development Corporation, the Township Planning Commission and the Township Board. The project district area is proposed to be as follows:

A parcel of property situated north of Van Born Road to the Penn Central Railroad tracks and bordered on the west by Lilley Road and on the east by Haggerty Road.

The Township Board will meet at Township Hall located at 128 Canton Center Road, 7:00 o'clock p.m., Tuesday, the 15th day of April, 1978, and will conduct a public hearing on the advisability of approving by resolution the aforesaid designation of proposed project district area boundaries.

It is anticipated that the project will consist of a food distribution and warehouse facility to be leased by Farm House Foods or a subsidiary thereof.

THIS NOTICE is given pursuant to the requirements of Act 338, Public Acts of Michigan, 1974, as amended. Further information concerning the matters set out in this notice may be secured from the Township Clerk's office.

JOHN W. FLODIN,
TOWNSHIP CLERK

4. The Township Board does hereby determine that the foregoing form of notice and the manner of publication directed is adequate notice to the citizens of the Township and is well calculated to inform them of the intention of the Township to hold a public hearing and the purpose of the public hearing.

5. All resolutions and parts of resolutions insofar as they conflict with the provisions of this resolution be and the same hereby are rescinded.

AYES: Members Daley, Flodin, Goldsmith, Myers, Schwall, Stein.
NAYS: None.
RESOLUTION DECLARED ADOPTED.

JOHN W. FLODIN,
TOWNSHIP CLERK

The following preamble and resolution were offered by Member Flodin and supported by Member Daley:

WHEREAS, there exists in the Charter Township of Canton (the "Township") the need for certain programs to alleviate and prevent conditions of unemployment, to assist and retain local industries and commercial enterprises in order to strengthen and revitalize the Township's economy and to encourage the location and expansion of commercial enterprises to provide needed services and facilities to the Township and its residents; and

WHEREAS, a program to alleviate the aforesaid conditions and accomplish said purposes has been initiated by the Economic Development Corporation of the Charter Township of Canton (hereinafter referred to as the "Corporation"); and

WHEREAS, the Corporation in conformity with Act 338 of the Public Acts of 1974, as amended (Act 338), has designated the hereinafter described project area for such a program to this Board for its approval thereof; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Act 338 a public hearing was held concerning the designation of the project area; and
WHEREAS, the Township Planning Commission has indicated its approval of said designation;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:
1. This Board does hereby certify its approval of the Corporation's designation of the following described project area:

That part of the northeast quarter Section 35, Town 2 South, Range 8 East, described as beginning at a point distant north 0°, 09 minutes, 30 seconds East along the north and south quarter line of Section 35, 1472.14 feet and south 89 degrees, 50 minutes, 30 seconds east 1103.51 feet from the center post of Section 35, Town 2 South, Range 8 East, and proceeding thence south 89 degrees, 50 minutes, 30 seconds east 197.92 feet, thence north 0 degrees, 89 degrees, 50 minutes, 30 seconds east 197.92 feet, thence north 0 degrees, 24 minutes, 00 seconds east 584.06 feet to a point on the southerly right-of-way line of Michigan Avenue, thence along the southerly right-of-way line of Michigan Avenue, thence along the southerly right-of-way line of Michigan Avenue, south 74 degrees, 09 minutes, 00 seconds west, 1.34 feet and on a curve, concave to northwest, having a radius of 2843.66 feet and a chord bearing south 76 degrees, 11 minutes, 48 seconds west 205.17 feet, thence south 0 degrees, 09 minutes, 30 seconds west 534.19 feet to the point of beginning, more commonly known as 41821 Michigan Avenue, Canton Township, Michigan.

2. The Township Clerk be and is hereby directed to deliver a certified copy of this resolution to the Secretary of the Corporation.

3. All resolutions and parts of resolutions insofar as they conflict with the provisions of this resolution be and the same hereby are rescinded.

AYES: Members Daley, Flodin, Goldsmith, Myers, Schwall, Stein.
NAYS: None.
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WHEREAS, the Corporation in conformity with Act 338 of the Public Acts of 1974, as amended, (Act 338) has designated a project area for such a program to this Board for its approval thereof; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Act 338 it is necessary to hold a public hearing concerning the establishment of the project district area boundaries:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:
1. Pursuant to the aforesaid Act 338 this Board shall meet on April 25, 1978, at 7:00 o'clock p.m., at which time it shall conduct a public hearing on the establishment of the project district area boundary.

2. The Clerk be and is hereby directed to give notice of such public hearing by (a) publishing a notice thereof in the Community Crier, a newspaper of general circulation in the Township, (b) first class mailed notice to the last-known owners of each parcel of real property in the proposed project district area at the last known address of the owner as shown by the Township's tax assessment records and (c) by posting a notice thereof in at least 10 conspicuous and public places in the proposed district area. All of the foregoing shall be accomplished at least ten (10) days from the date of hearing.
3. Said notice shall be in substantially the following form:

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A parcel of land situated on the south side of Michigan Avenue (U.S.-12) between Lilley Road on the west and Haggerty Road on the east and bordered on the south by the southern border of the above described Project Area.

The Township Board will meet at the Township Hall located at 128 Canton Center Road, 7:00 o'clock p.m., Tuesday, the 25th day of April, 1978, and will conduct a public hearing on the advisability of approving by resolution the aforesaid designation of proposed project district area boundaries.

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JOHN W. FLODIN
TOWNSHIP CLERK

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NAYS: Members none.

RESOLUTION DECLARED ADOPTED.

JOHN W. FLODIN,
TOWNSHIP CLERK

George Peek spoke on the progress of the development rights study.

A motion was made by Goldsmith and supported by Flodin and unanimously carried to purchase two mil garbage bags and sell them to township residents at township cost.

Petitions were received requesting that the question of millage for a free public library be placed on the ballot of a future election.

A motion was made by Daley and supported by Flodin and unanimously carried to appropriate up to \$60,000.00 to finish the third floor of the new administration building.

A motion was made by Daley and supported by Schwall and carried to approve the rezoning of 10 acres from AG to R-1CA (H1a) in the S.W. 1/4 of Section 15.

Yes: Daley, Flodin, Myers, Schwall, Stein.
No: Goldsmith.

A motion was made by Schwall and supported by Daley and carried to grant tentative approval of the preliminary plat of Embassy Square Subdivision.

Yes: Daley, Flodin, Myers, Schwall, Stein.
No: Goldsmith.

A motion was made by Daley and supported by Myers and unanimously carried to approve the change in site plan of Lucas Nursery at 41680 Ford Road.

A motion was made by Daley and supported by Myers and unanimously carried to approve the rezoning of 1/2 of the vacated alley at the rear of Standard Federal Savings & Loan from residential to C-1 Local Business.

A motion was made by Stein and supported by Schwall and carried to approve a change in the text of the zoning ordinance to amend the RO-1 Restricted Office District as follows:

A. AMEND ARTICLE XIV: 1) Delete the present 14.02, b 2) Substitute a new 14.02, b to read - "Medical or Dental Centers." 3) Add a new subsection as 14.03, c to read - "Hospital and Extended Care Medical Facilities."

B. AMEND ARTICLE IV: 1) Add to Section 4.07, Permitted Height a new paragraph to read - "In G-2, C-3, RO-1, M-1 and M-2 Zoning Districts a principal permitted building may be erected to a height greater than permitted in Article XVIII provided that for each one (1) foot the building exceeds the maximum permitted height, the setbacks shall be increased by two (2) feet. In no case shall a building exceed forty-five (45) feet in overall height including exceptions permitted for penthouses, roof structures and mechanical appurtenances as defined in this section.

A motion was made by Schwall and supported by Myers and carried to approve the rezoning of 10 acres on the east side of Canton Center Road immediately south of Meijer's Thrifty Acres, from R-1BC to RO-1 Restricted Office.

Yes: Daley, Flodin, Myers, Schwall, Stein.
No: Goldsmith.

A motion was made by Stein and supported by Flodin and unanimously carried to approve the expenses of the dog warden to attend an animal control seminar.

A motion was made by Stein and supported by Daley and unanimously carried to refer the proposed new dog ordinance to the township attorney for review and recommendation.

A motion was made by Schwall and supported by Stein and unanimously carried to provide single copies of township maps free, and additional copies at township cost.

A motion was made by Flodin and supported by Stein and unanimously carried to adopt the following 1978-79 water and sewer budget:

OPERATING INCOME:	
Inspection Fees	\$70,000
Water Sales	750,000
Sewage Disposal Revenue	400,000
Administration Fees	7,000
Customer Penalties	25,000

Repairs	10,000
Miscellaneous Income	1,000
Transfer from Non-Operating Revenues	1,165,000
TOTAL OPERATING INCOME:	\$2,428,000

OPERATING EXPENSES:	
Wages - D.P.W.	\$220,000
Salaries - Office	40,000
Payroll Taxes - FICA	15,000
Employee Fringes - Pension	23,000
Life Insurance	4,000
Hospitalization	12,000
Dental	2,300
Co-op Optical	700

Uniforms	4,000
Insurance	40,000
Office Supplies	10,000
Computer Supplies	5,000
Supplies and small tools	5,000
Professional Services -	
Computer Operations	9,000
Legal & Audit Fees	20,000
Manatron	3,000
Programming Changes	1,000
Engineering Fees	30,000
Vehicle Expense	30,000
Water Purchase	500,000
Sewage Disposal Charges	350,000
Utilities -	
Telephone	13,000
Electric	7,000
Gas	7,000
Water	1,000
Maintenance - Mains & Extensions	10,000
Equipment	20,000
Meters	6,000
Sewer Connections	2,000
Buildings	2,000
Equipment Rental	3,000
Depreciation	375,000
County Administration Fees	1,000
Seminars & Training	1,000
Miscellaneous Expenses	1,000
Capital Outlay - Land	30,000
Building	600,000
Equipment	25,000
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	\$2,428,000

A motion was made by Daley and supported by Myers and unanimously carried to decline the offer to purchase trees from the Folker property.
A motion was made by Goldsmith and supported by Myers to purchase 4 radios for the D.P.W. department if they can be purchased at recently received bid price. Unanimous.

A motion was made by Stein and supported by Goldsmith and unanimously carried that the following summer positions be created in the Recreation Department.

Score keepers	3	\$3.00 per hour
Part-time maintenance man	2	3.25 per hour
Day camp leaders	1	4.00 per hour
Day camp co-leaders	2	3.25 per hour
Playground leaders	3	4.00 per hour
Playground co-leaders	6	3.25 per hour
Summer program director	1	4.25 per hour

A motion was made by Myers and supported by Daley and unanimously carried to purchase an additional Whirlybird boring machine at the recent bid price.

A motion was made by Goldsmith to direct Mr. Thompson to recommend the description of the duties of the position of ordinance director. The motion failed for lack of support.

A motion was made by Goldsmith and supported by Schwall and unanimously carried that Mr. Thompson be directed to present to the Board a job description for the proposed position or ordinance director including duties and responsibilities.

A motion was made by Myers and supported by Schwall and unanimously carried to appoint Bart Berg as delegate to the Willow Run Airport Development Review Team.

A motion was made by Daley and supported by Myers and unanimously carried to appoint Harold Stein as alternate delegate to the Willow Run Airport Review Team.

A motion was made by Stein and supported by Daley and unanimously carried to approve a service contract for business machines in the amount of \$1499.50 per year with Progressive Business Machines, Inc.

A motion was made by Stein and supported by Schwall and unanimously carried to approve a split of the south 3 ft. of Lot 46 of Cherry Hill Oaks Subdivision to be attached to Lot 45 in order to correct an error in the survey.

A motion was made by Schwall and supported by Myers and unanimously carried to appropriate up to \$35,000.00 to relieve a storm water problem in Carriage Hills Subdivision No. 3.

A motion was made by Schwall and supported by Flodin and unanimously carried to approve the execution of an agreement to vacate the sewer lead easement in Hampton Court Subdivision from between lots 24 and 25 to accept an easement between Lots 23 and 24.

A motion was made by Flodin and supported by Daley and unanimously carried authorizing the Supervisor and Clerk to sign an agreement with the Wayne Co. Road Commission providing that the township will provide maintenance of storm water collector systems for rear yard sump pump drainage in the following subdivisions:

1. Sunflower Village East 1 & 2.
2. Brookside West.
3. McIntyre Gardens Subdivision.

A motion was made by Myers and supported by Daley and unanimously carried to adjourn to a closed session to discuss the purchase of property and pending litigation.

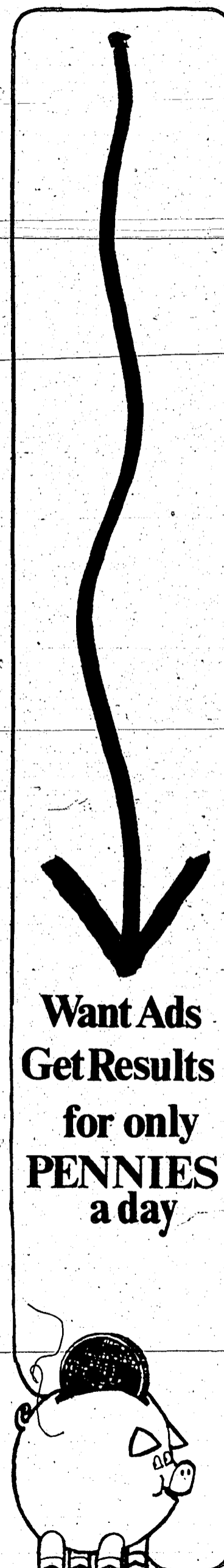
A motion was made by Myers and supported by Schwall to adjourn at 12:15 a.m.

HAROLD STEIN,
SUPERVISOR

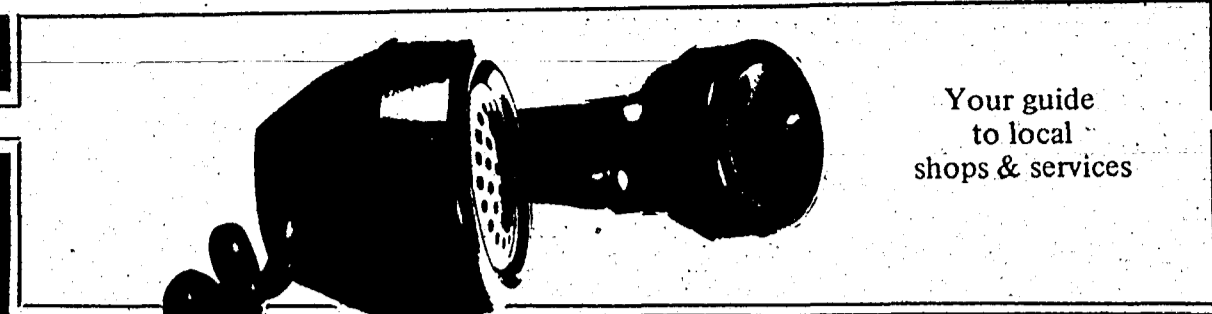
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