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In June election

## Schools may seek 1.32-mill rollback

BY PATRICIA BARTOLD

Will Plymouth-Canton voters be asked to let the schools levy its total millage in the June election?

That question will be discussed by the Board of Education at its next workshop Monday, April 21. It was prompted by Supt. John M. Hoben who addressed two recommendations to board members at their meeting Monday night.

After voters defeated two bond propositions and one millage proposal at the polls March 27, Hoben outlined his recommendations for the June election. They call for two propositions:

\*Proposition I would ask voters to OK an \$11 million bond issue for installing an energy-management system, repairing roofs and boilers, realigning the grades, and expansion of the Extended School Year (ESY) program.

This \$11 million proposition is "a re-adjusted version" of the \$14 million bond proposal sought on March 27's ballot. Bus purchases have been eliminated and about \$3 million has been trimmed off the budget for renovating Central Middle School, said Hoben.

Adjustments were made to comply with state law which says school districts cannot return with the same ballot propositions until six months has passed.

\*Proposition II would ask voters to allow the school district to levy the authorized millage rate of 35.26 mills in the school district during the '80-81 school year.

Because of the tax limitation imposed by the Headlee Amendment, the school district will be forced to rollback about 1.32 mills. This brings the levy to 33.94 mills. If the school district could levy its full millage and not reduce it by 1.32 mills, then it would help recover some of the district's estimated deficit during the 1980-81 school year. In addition, there would be no increase levied on the taxpayer, said Hoben.

Passage of Proposition II would, in essence, render the Headlee Amendment powerless in the Plymouth-Canton school district. The additional 1.32 mills would ease

## School budget up 16%

BY PATRICIA BARTOLD

Preliminary plans for a \$40 million school budget for the 1980-81 year were unveiled by Plymouth-Canton officials Monday night.

With expenditures projected at slightly more than \$40 million, projected revenues are estimated at nearly \$38 million. This shows a projected deficit of 2.5 mills or \$2,067,622.

Although expenditures are projected to be 16.3 per cent higher than the 1979-80 school year, projected revenues don't keep pace. In comparison, they are estimated to be up 7.9 per cent.

In outlining the budget, administrators gave a number of reasons for the projected deficit. They include:

\*Plymouth-Canton schools will lose money in state aid for the first time in the school district's history during 1980-81. This loss means 1.5 million less in state aid, even though the district is expected to grow by another 500 students that year.

the anticipated \$2 million deficit in the 1980-81 budget, said Hoben.

If these two propositions were passed Hoben outlined the following changes for the school district for the 1980-81 year: no need for ESY expansion; no need for boundary changes; and the high schools could absorb

growth that year.

The district, however, would feel major changes in the 1981-82 year, said Hoben. They included: rental of Lowell Junior High School as a traditional school; use of portable classrooms; grade realignment with sixth graders returning to elementary schools

and ninth graders back to middle schools; major boundary changes; transition of Pioneer Middle School from ESY to a traditional calendar; and expand ESY at elementary schools.

Although Hoben recommended asking voters to approve the bond proposition and Headlee repeal in June, he added the board could seek a special election between Sept. 27 and Oct. 4. He discouraged waiting longer because inflation only drives prices up further.

## Surprise!

## Dumpster cleans up act

BY CHAS CHILD

Although garbage usually ends up being discarded in dumps, it rarely does much complaining.

So when a garbageman operating a refuse truck at Canton's Woodland Meadows landfill heard yelling and screaming from the back of his truck as he prepared to dump his load yesterday morning, this was cause to investigate.

After the rear of the truck was opened, out climbed Fred Mullins, 59, of Detroit.

"He apparently fell asleep in a dumpster near Grand River and Clifford in Detroit," said Lt. Larry Stewart of the Canton police.

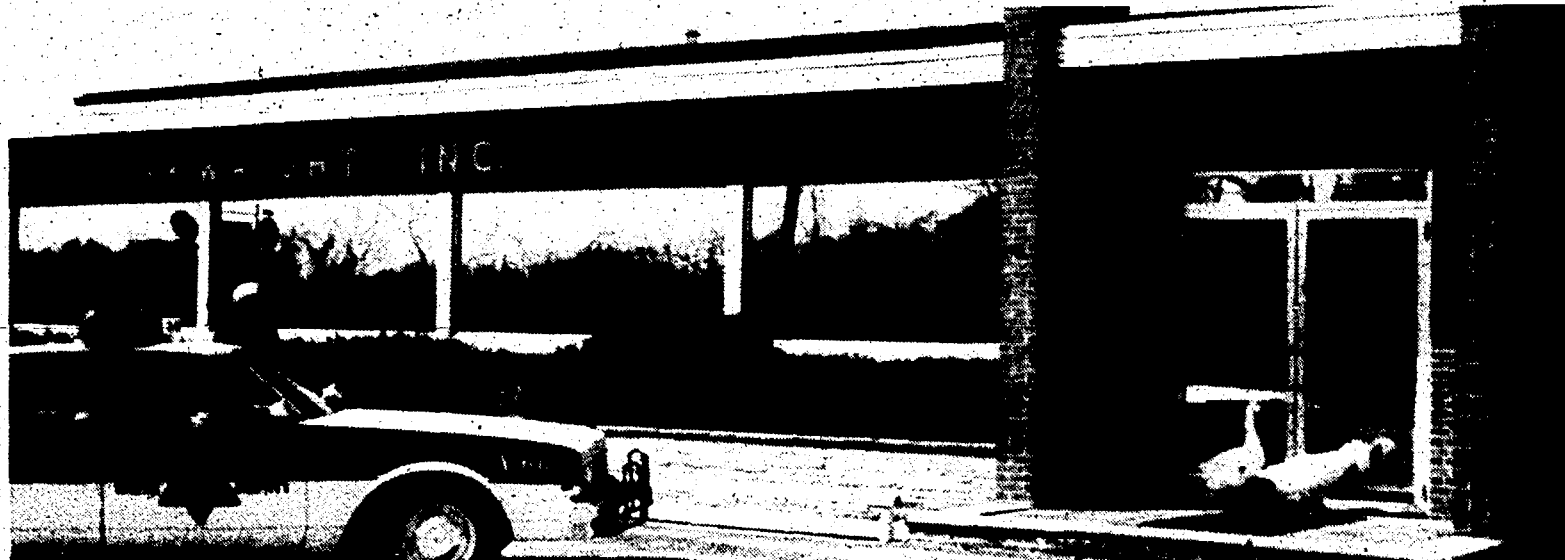
Mullins got more than a rude awakening from Canton, however. After checking police records, the Canton force found three bench warrants out for his arrest. He was held at the Canton police headquarters so Detroit police could pick him up, said Stewart.

Mullins has cause to be lucky, however, said Stewart. The force of the hydraulic pistons which were about to unload Mullins' dumpster may have killed him, said Stewart.

Because three board members -- Tom Yack, Elaine Kirchgatter, and Sylvia Stetz -- will be absent at next Monday's workshop, they responded to Hoben's recommendations. Both Yack and Stetz favored Hoben's proposal. Kirchgatter, however, suggested the board wait until September to return with the \$14 million Proposition I.

"I also have a problem with dropping \$3 million from Proposition I for the renovation at Central Middle School," said Carol Davis, a trustee. Board member Steve Harper nodded in agreement.

Further discussion, however, was delayed until Monday night's workshop. It begins at 7:30 p.m. at school board offices, 454 S. Harvey St., Plymouth.



## Flocking to the scene

A WAYNE County Sheriff's deputy was sent on a wild goose chase Sunday -- literally. These two geese, apparently attracted by their reflections in the glass, pecked enthusiastically at the doors of Arkwright, Inc., on 15169 Northville Rd. in Plymouth Township, around 10:40 a.m. This set off the company's burglar alarm, sending deputy Andy Franer to the rescue. No charges were brought against the geese. (Photo courtesy of Joel L. Barnes.)



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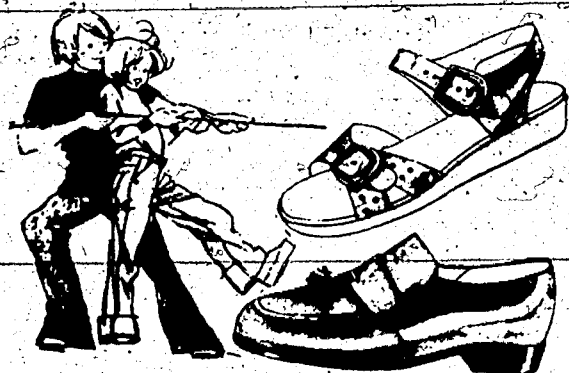
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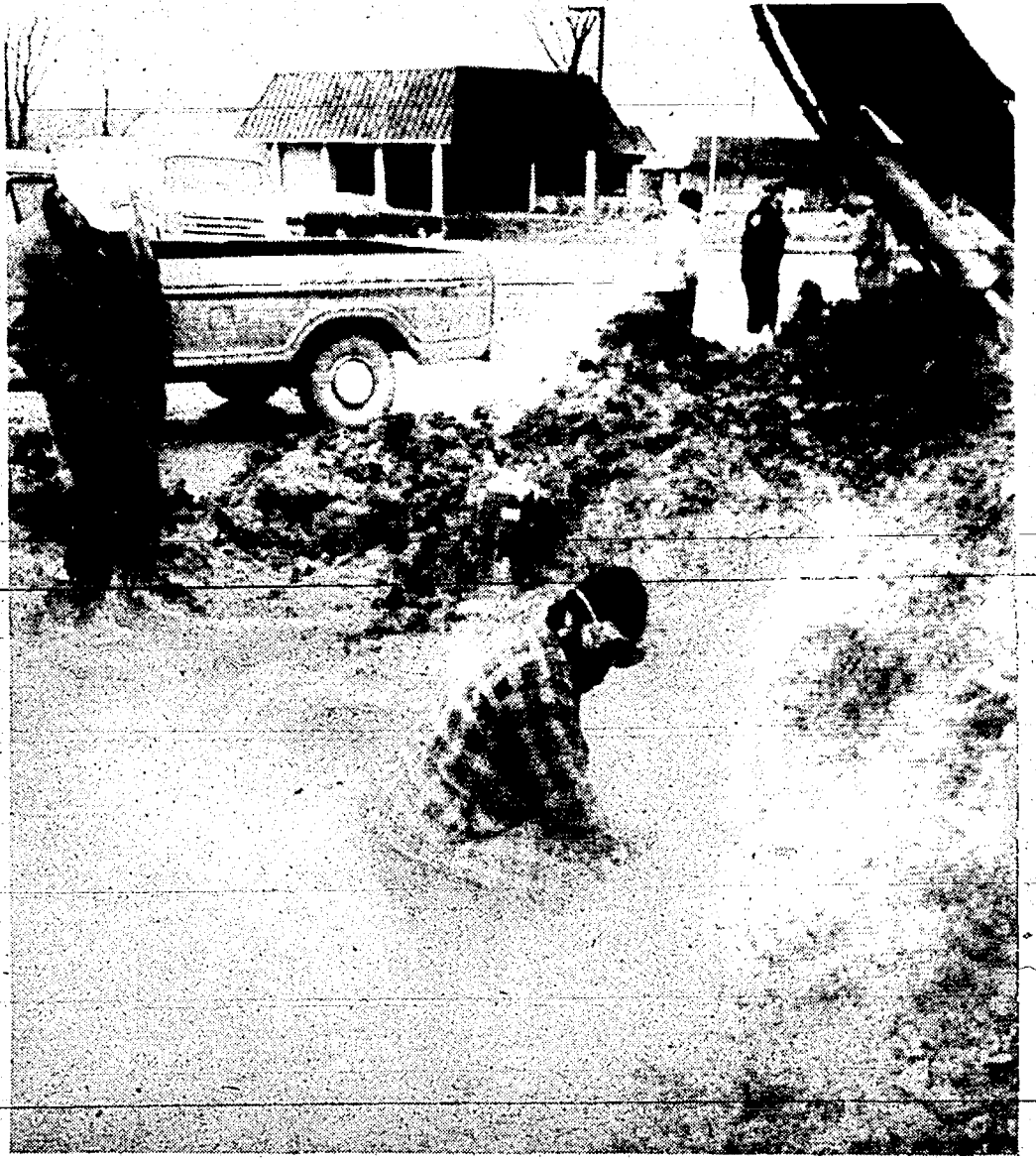
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**Gas line temporarily broken**

TRAFFIC WAS TIED UP FOR AN HOUR, but there was no serious threat to life when a four-inch gas main was ruptured yesterday while a crew excavated a sewer line. Canton Fire Chief Mel Paulun credited a good breeze with dispersing the gas from the break, located on Ford Road in front of the Standard Federal Savings building one block east of Sheldon. (Crier photo by Robert Cameron)

**Bay Staters to stay in City**

BY DAN BODENE

Plymouth has been chosen as the "home away from home" by the Massachusetts delegation to the Republican National Convention.

City Manager Henry Graper said Massachusetts delegation chairperson Polly Logan walked through Plymouth some time ago,

**Arson suspected**

Arson is suspected in a fire that destroyed \$5,100 worth of electrical equipment at Western Electric Feb. 6, Plymouth police report.

The Feb. 6 blaze destroyed a security alarm panel at the plant at 909 Sheldon Rd.

"We are having the panel analyzed at the Detroit police lab to see if it was set intentionally," said Plymouth Police Chief Timothy Ford.

and, after consultation, her committee agreed Plymouth should be chosen as the local headquarters of the group.

Currently, the city is planning to welcome the delegation. Host committee members include Graper, Janet Campbell, Jim Houk, Esther Hulsing, Jim Jabara, Elaine Kirchgatter, Bud Martin, Wilma Newton, Dee Schulte, Nancy Sharpe, Betty Stremich and Plymouth Mayor Mary Childs.

Graper said that an arrangement with SEMTA for dial-a-ride service is being negotiated, as well as tours of the community and surrounding areas. In addition, a reception is being planned for former ambassador Henry Cabot Lodge and other dignitaries from Massachusetts who will be attending the convention.

Committee member Wilma Newton is in charge of producing a "convention brochure" for the delegation, detailing the community and various points of interest. Graper said the brochure will also be distributed to members of other conventions as well as those of the Republican conclave.

Stressing that the host committee "will have a total program," Graper added "we want the delegation to see the hospitality and friendliness of the community."

The Plymouth Hilton is the only local hotel hosting convention delegates. Other local hotels, however, will be housing officials, newsmen, and others connected with the convention.

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# Twp. residents call for City-Twp. cooperation

BY PATRICIA BARTOLD

Do Plymouth Township residents favor consolidating services with the City of Plymouth?

Although 86 per cent of residents who responded to a recent township survey said the present form of government is adequate, two out of three residents feel unification of some services with the city "might not be a bad idea."

Seventy-four per cent of respondents opposed consolidation with the city.

Called the "Attitude Survey on a Future Ideal Community," the questionnaire was compiled by Service Organization Consultants, Inc. at the request of the Plymouth Township Board of Trustees.

The survey, released last week, had three objectives: to gauge residents' perceptions of current services; to evaluate what changes township residents would like in services; and, to determine residents' opinions on future growth in the township.

The survey is based on a total of 837 heads-of-the-households who answered the questionnaire properly. This represents 49 per cent of the surveys mailed out.

Police protection was given a first or second priority rating by 93 per cent of the respondents, followed by fire and rescue service with 86 per cent of respondents placing it in first or second place.

"Police protection was a major concern of most respondents and the majority of them indicated they would support an increased level of protection," said the survey.

Under police, one-third of respondents said they are satisfied with current services; 38 per cent preferred full-time police protection by the Wayne County Sheriff's Department. The survey was taken before the township had finalized its contract for services with the deputies.

The alternative to start a township police force was favored by 16.4 per cent of the respondents; and alternative to sign a contract with the city plus hire one full-time officer was favored by 7.3 per cent of the respondents.

More than 50 per cent of the respondents prefer no change for fire and ambulance/rescue services currently offered by the township. However, 19.6 per cent of the respondents wanted to unify fire and rescue services with the city.

Water and sewage, fire protection, rescue, and recreational services were given satisfactory marks from between two-thirds to three-fourths of the respondents.

These main services need improvement said the following percentage of respondents: police, 41 per cent; snow removal,

33 per cent; road maintenance, 28 per cent; the Plymouth-Canton school system, 22 per cent; and garbage collection, 17 per cent.

For senior citizen programs, respondents were evenly split between those who thought some change was desirable versus those who thought present programs were satisfactory.

More than nine per cent of the respondents favored hiring a coordinator to develop and operate senior citizens' programs; 40.8 per cent want the township to provide facilities for seniors to attend programs sponsored by the city.

Under recreation facilities and programs, snow removal, and building a new township hall, the majority of respondents were in favor of "no changes."

However, between one-third to one-fourth of the respondents recommended changes in the following areas: acquisition of land for open space and parks; recreation facilities and programs; solid waste and rubbish pick-up; snow removal; and a new town-

ship hall.

What do township residents want in the future? "Seventy-five per cent of respondents favored a slow pace community growth through encouragement of large lot sizes," said the survey. They generally agreed construction of single-family homes should be encouraged and building mobile home parks, apartment complexes, townhouses, and condominiums should be discouraged.

Residents also "felt strongly that the township should develop into an affluent, quiet, and mature community," said the survey.

Respondents also say the township "should be responsible for the development of senior citizen housing, preferably through federal grants and subsidies."

"A substantial proportion of respondents disagreed with the proposition that zoning laws should not be made applicable to senior citizen housing," said the survey.

A sample composition of the residents

who answered the survey showed: more than half were between 35 to 54 years old; two out of three were male; more than 50 per cent had a total annual income before taxes of \$30,000 or more; two-thirds of the respondents had attended college for least one year; and, 44 per cent of the survey respondents had moved into the township within the last five years.

The main reasons cited for choosing to live in Plymouth Township were: its quiet, suburban environment; reasonable taxes; good schools; high property values; and its proximity to freeways and road.

"Based on the response to this survey, Plymouth Township residents appear to take a more-than-average interest in their community development."

"This also reflects the fact that they are, in general, better educated and have higher incomes than most communities in the Detroit Metropolitan area," the survey concluded.



## Car damaged

DURING LAST TUESDAY'S storm, the Mercury at right was struck broadside by the Chevrolet, left, according to the Wayne County Sheriff's Department, at Northville Road near the Plymouth Hilton. Roland Mancini, of Norristown, Pa., was turning into a driveway

when his car was struck by the Chevy, driven by Ellen K. Thomas, 14596 Shadywood, Plymouth, said police. No citations were issued in connection with the accident, said police. (Crier photo by Robert Cameron)

## Donahue stays on board

# Deputy treasurer gets full-time job

BY DAN BODENE

Trustees at the Canton Township Board meeting April 8 may have arrived at a temporary solution to the problem of an absent treasurer, when they voted to increase Deputy Treasurer Maria Falkiewicz's salary to \$18,000 per year.

The move caps a nearly six-month controversy involving duties and salaries of Falkiewicz and Canton Treasurer James Donahue. Plagued by health problems, Donahue has been unable, by his own admission, to effectively carry out his duties. Much of the administrative burden of his office has been assumed by Falkiewicz, who was appointed by Donahue. Her position carries a part-time salary of \$7,020.

Since late last year the township board has been unable to resolve the problem of Donahue's frequent absences and Falkiewicz's inadequate compensation. In effect, the township was left with two part-time employees in the Treasurer's department, one of whom

could not work effectively and one who worked full-time hours for a part-time salary.

In a letter to the township board dated April 2, Donahue outlined two possible courses of action. The first involved his resignation; the second proposed a salary increase for Falkiewicz and a refund of Donahue's salary beyond the \$75-per-meeting trustee compensation.

However, at the April 8 board meeting Trustees Eugene Daley stated that according to Michigan law, a township officer cannot return any compensation for the job. In addition, if Donahue resigned, Falkiewicz would also lose her job.

Addressing a salary increase for Falkiewicz, Daley quoted the Michigan Compiled Laws, Annotated (MCLA), which is a comprehensive collection of laws governing townships, charter townships and counties. Daley read an interpretation of a law dealing with compensation of township officers which specified, "An official salary is not made

dependent on the amount of work done, but belongs to the office itself without regard to personal services of the officer."

According to Trustee Carol Bodenmiller the problem involved two issues. First, there was the problem of a trustee who wanted to waive his salary; and second, of a deputy who wanted recognition as a full-time employee.

With this dilemma, Township Supervisor Noel Culbert asked for suggestions. Daley repeated the view that the only solution would be Donahue's resignation.

Trustee Stephen Larson, who frequently praised Falkiewicz's performance on the job, said, "We better do something. I haven't heard any better alternative than to pay Maria \$18,000."

On a motion by Trustee Bodenmiller (who then voted against it with Daley), the deputy treasurer's salary was increased with full department head fringe benefits.



## Murray named

SENIOR DETECTIVE Sue Murray, above, has been named as Plymouth Township's Law Enforcement Coordinator by the Wayne County Sheriff's Department. Serving the township with eight other officers, Murray will begin her duties during the first week in May. Wayne County deputies will have an office in Plymouth Township Hall, however their hours haven't been set yet. (Crier photo by Robert Cameron)

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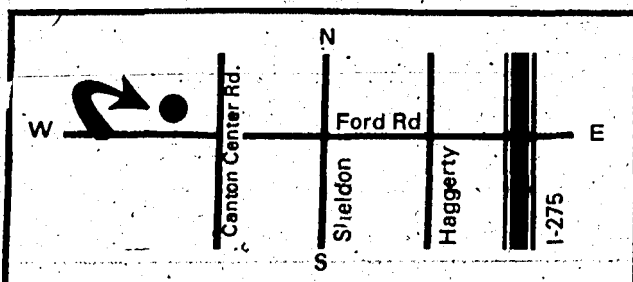
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# Teaching of birth control OKd by school board

BY PATRICIA BARTOLD

Teaching birth control in ninth-grade health classes in Plymouth-Canton schools was approved by the Board of Education Monday night.

In addition, the board unanimously OKd purchasing materials for instruction including pamphlets, books, flip charts, filmstrips, and cassettes. The materials for the classroom explain birth control, contraceptives, sexual values, family planning, and planned parenthood.

The reproduction health texts will be assimilated into the ninth-grade health classes, taken by all freshmen students in the school district.

Parents, however, can request that their children be excluded from the course during the two-week period in which reproduction is taught, said Mike Homes, assistant superintendent for instruction, Monday night.

He also assured parents that health teachers have taken special classes to enable them to teach human reproduction using good judgement and sensitivity.

Abortion is neither taught nor advocated as an acceptable method of birth control during the course, according to the board resolution. This position on abortion is in compliance with State Law Public Act 226 which was adopted in 1977. The law sets up guidelines under which reproductive health can be taught.

The materials for classroom instruction were recommended by a panel of teachers, parents, and clergymen from throughout the community. The 17-person committee, led by Shirley Cunningham, school nurse, met for months to review and evaluate course materials.

The decision to place reproduction in the context of health classes is a good one, said E. J. McClendon, a member of the committee.

Furthermore, said Homes, parents will be notified by letter before instruction on birth control takes place in the classroom. Birth control instruction will probably begin in fall health classes, he added.

From the audience, some health teachers favored setting up a review of materials to be used in the course for parents to see, for example, during Parents Night at the Centennial Educational Park.

## Supt. Hoben gets 6.6% pay hike

The Plymouth-Canton Board of Education OKd a 6.6 per cent salary increase for Supt. John M. Hoben Monday night.

His contract had been renewed last fall and the increase, which brings his earnings to \$50,000, is for the 1979-80 school year. Last year his salary was \$46,922.

Under fringe benefits, the board approved paying for his car rental, exclusive of gas and oil; a \$50 per month increase in mileage to \$150 per month; a \$50 increase in other necessary expenses to \$250 per month; and a 3.5 per cent increase in tax sheltered annuities to 5 per cent.

The motion received unanimous support from the school board with no members absent.

## Canton residents can get seedlings

Canton Township's second annual seedling give-away will be held April 26, 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at Township Hall.

Seven thousand seedlings, six to 12 inches high, will be handed out to residents, with a five-tree-per-family limit.

Numerous species will be available, including pines, spruce, dogwoods, and others.

## WSDP to air traffic reports

Bumper-to-bumper traffic on Plymouth-Canton freeways and streets during rush hour can annoy drivers. To make travel safer, the Plymouth Area REACT Team and WSDP-FM (88.1) have joined efforts in a new program.

The REACT Team increased its monitoring hours to include weekdays from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. During hourly updates, motorists are given emergency conditions, congestion and accident report. The reports are broadcast to listeners on WSDP.

According to Charles VanVleck, REACT president and commander, "We hope to make driving during these peak traffic periods safer and help drivers avoid congested routes."

Drivers with CB radios in their vehicles can report on CB channel 9, any traffic conditions affecting the normal flow of traffic to the Plymouth Area REACT Team. The team's central monitoring base is located in the Plymouth Hilton Inn on Northville Road. REACT Team spokesmen ask drivers to remember traffic conditions are a low priority, so "wait until the channel is clear before calling in." According to VanVleck, response to the program has been good. During its first week, REACT monitors received more than 30 percent more calls.

For more information on joining Plymouth Area REACT Team and helping with this

service, call 459-0020 between 3 p.m. and 6 or call 453-7877.

## 3 kidnappers convicted

Three Detroit men, arrested in Canton on charges of kidnapping and sexually abusing an 18-year-old Dearborn girl, were found guilty Friday.

The Wayne County Circuit Court jury found all three guilty of kidnapping, which carries a maximum sentence of life imprisonment, and declared two of the three guilty of criminal sexual assault.

The two found guilty of both crimes are; Edward Patrick, 27, of 8840 Ashton, Detroit; and Jose A. Santana, 23, of 15756 Dolphin, Detroit. Leon White, 19, of 8899 Ashton, Detroit, was convicted of kidnapping.

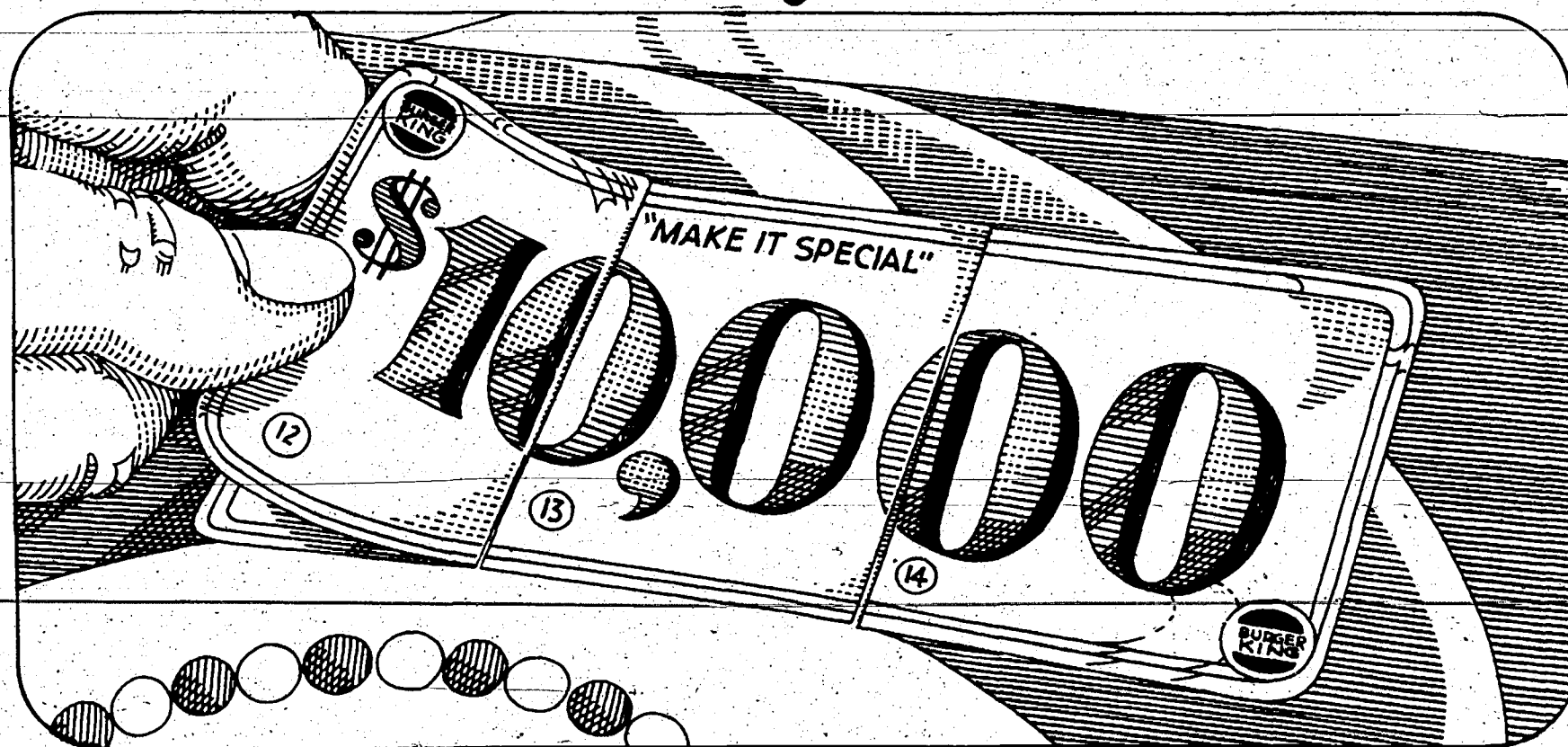
The week-long trial was the second faced by the three. An earlier trial ended in a hung jury.

Two Canton police officers, John McDiarmid and Davey LeBlanc, rescued the woman from the three in a subdivision under construction at the corner of Palmer and Lilley on Oct. 24. They found her nude, hysterical, and calling for help when they shone their spotlight on the Detroit men's auto.

The three men will be sentenced in about six weeks, said Canton Lt. Larry Stewart.

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# Will Canton hire township manager?

## Pro

Editor's note: A "town hall" meeting on the disadvantages and advantages of Canton adopting the township superintendent/manager form of government will be held Tuesday, April 29 at Cyprus Gardens Restaurant.

To help citizens learn more about the proposal, The Crier is presenting these pro and con views. For the proposal is a committee of residents which has recently published a pamphlet outlining how the township superintendent or manager form of government works. Printed below are excerpts from this Q & A style pamphlet.

Opposing the plan is Supervisor Noel Culbert. Printed are excerpts from a letter he wrote to Bart Berg, who initiated the move to adopt the new form of government.



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## Con

BY NOEL CULBERT

I think your contention to hire a township superintendent is a very simplified statement. The supposed superintendent would do many of the jobs done by the supervisor in theory.

In reality, in Canton Township today, many of the statutory supervisor functions, and the major ones, have been delegated already to highly competent department heads. The most crucial being that of financial administration. Each month our outside accounting firm of Seidman & Seidman supplies us with an up-to-date budget summary, by department and line item, so we know exactly where we stand.

I don't mean to offend you or others by what I'm about to say, but I have to be very blunt.

You want us to be economically efficient. Yet on the other hand you have been urging the township to spend the tax collection fee of \$170,000 per year on development rights of farmland. Another person who argues your point of view wants us to spend more money on recreation. Doesn't this appear rather contradictory?

Also, a member of the Chamber of Commerce has similarly accused the township of being economically inefficient. Yet, at the same time, the Chamber asked the township to administer its CETA program which we are doing. When the Chamber runs into county CETA problems it asks the township to intervene on its behalf. Isn't that speaking out of both sides of one's mouth?

Maybe we should be more efficient and let the Chamber administer its own CETA problems. What this whole issue is about (one you created) is that Canton officials

aren't spending money where you and others want it spent. This boils down to an ideological or political viewpoint, not managerial.

This township is run like a business -- our primary item marketed is public service, keeping in mind at all times that we have to be fiscally responsible.

As you know, the concept of corporate management has made vast strides in the past few years and the township has been infusing these concepts in day-to-day operations. All department heads, including key supervisory assistants, and I, have attended management seminars. We subscribe to written material about management.

When I talk about management here I am referring to "people management" or the supervision of employees. Each department has a conference and seminar budget which is used mainly to attend management and skill updating seminars.

Canton Township government is no longer a little operation with one person in charge of many areas: Those days are gone. We have a gigantic corporation which grosses about \$8 million a year.

The township operation is broken down into departments: police, fire, DPW, recreation, planning, finance, personnel, ordinance enforcement, building, grants, clerk, treasurer, engineering and legal. Engineering and legal work is jobbed out, but they remain departments nonetheless with the supervisor overseeing their activities.

The larger departments (police, fire, DPW and building) have several levels of management and supervision; and have sub-departments. In essence, each department must be managed within itself and with maximum efficiency.

Therefore, it is our policy to constantly train the employees and supervisory personnel.

One of the most vexing problems that municipalities now face is that of labor problems. The law in this area is extremely complex. Thus, administration of personnel has and will be a problem. Realizing this, the township board hired a personnel director.

More important, however, is that the township hired extremely able labor attorneys to assist in these problems. Many department heads, Clerk John Flodin and myself, have attended Michigan State Bar Labor Law Seminars to at least keep us on top of the legal complexities.

In summary, it is township policy to hire the best people who have expertise in a particular area, and to listen to and utilize that person. It doesn't do us any good to hire someone and then not listen to him. Thus departments are managed through the departments heads. They are getting paid to do this -- it's their job.

My job is to make sure they are doing their job and to handle any problems they can't handle internally, and also to implement policy. If each department is running efficiently, then you have a very efficient township.

I can say, at this time, that each department under my jurisdiction is operating better than it ever has in the past. There are, and will continue to be, problems, since that is the nature of life. Our job is to iron out those problems.

I would greatly appreciate you and other members of the study committee spending time inside Township Hall so we can show you how we operate. After doing so, you might have so constructive criticism and we might want to adopt your suggestions. This, I feel, is the proper approach.

**Q. What is a Township Board Superintendent or Manager plan?**

**A.** The plan is a system of local government which combines the strong political leadership of elected officials in the form of the Township Board with the strong managerial experience of a Superintendent.

**Q. What is the difference between the Board and the Superintendent?**

**A.** The elected Township Board is the community's legislative body. It sets the policy, approves the budget and determines the tax rate. It hires the Superintendent and supervises his performance. The Superintendent prepares a recommended budget for the Board's action, serves as the Board's chief advisor, recruits and hires the staff, and implements the Board's programs.

**Q. What does this mean in layman's terms?**

**A.** Because the Board is a legislative body, it's members are the communities decision makers, the ones with the power. The Superintendent or Manager is hired to serve the Board as the full-time executive whose job it is to bring to the community the benefits of years of training and experience in administering a local government's staff, projects, and programs on behalf of the Board.

**Q. Does the Superintendent participate in policy determination?**

**A.** The Superintendent makes recommendations to the Board, but the Board may or may not adopt them and may change or modify them. The Superintendent is bound by whatever action the Board takes.

**Q. Which Michigan cities or communities have the plan?**

**A.** Kalamazoo, Wayne, Plymouth, Ann Arbor, Milan, South Lyon and others, plus the following townships: Breitung, Bridgeport, Buena Vista, Cascade, Choccolay, Delta, East China, Genoa, Holland, Lansing, Marquette, Meridean, Saginaw and St. Joseph.

**Q. How many Americans live in communities governed by a Manager/Superintendent plan?**

**A.** About 96 million, though some communities may call it by another title such as council-manager, city manager township-board-Superintendent/Manager or county manager plan.

**Q. How is the Superintendent selected?**

**A.** The vacancy is usually announced in the Newsletter of the International City Management Association. Managers, assistants, and others who are interested apply directly to the Township Board. It is the responsibility of your Township elected officials to search and encourage applicants of the highest integrity, experience and qualification. Background should include a degree in public administration.

**Q. Would the Superintendent/Manager plan be a more professional and business-like form of operation?**

**A.** Yes, it would mean that the township would be operated more like a large business with a board of directors and a board chairman or manager. In the township the citizens of Canton would be the stockholders and responsible for electing the Board.

**Q. How can a community adopt this form of government?**

**A.** Methods vary for cities, townships and counties but the State Charter Township Act permits the elected township Board to appoint a township Superintendent to administer the day-to-day operation of the township.

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# Forum to weigh township manager government

BY CHAS CHILD

Calling for efficient management of Canton's government, a committee seeking to adopt the township manager form of government will hold a public forum April 29.

The forum, which will include dinner at Cyprus Gardens Restaurant, will cover the advantages and disadvantages of hiring a manager or superintendent, as the position is sometimes called.

Headed by former planning Commissioner Bart Berg, the committee is hoping to persuade candidates who support the new form of government to run for seats on the Board of Trustees in the upcoming election.

Under the manager form of government, the manager is the chief executive officer of the municipality. He runs the day-to-day operation of township and implements policy created by the board of trustees.

Under the current system, a three-man team of elected officials -- the supervisor, clerk, and treasurer --

share the major administrative tasks of the township. They also sit on the board of trustees and help set basic policy.

A pamphlet recently distributed by Berg's committee says, "A superintendent (or manager) is a trained, experienced professional administrator who can effectively manage the day-to-day operation of a complex government unit."

Such professional management, Berg has said, has often been missing from the elected administrators.

With a hired professional manager, "responsibility is pinpointed and stronger accountability is achieved," adds the pamphlet. "Department heads report to one boss rather than seven, thus reducing inefficiencies, confusion, overlapping efforts, and generally, costs.

"Ordinance, policies, etc., are carried out as a matter of direction and commitment with less political involvement," said the pamphlet. "In general, the

governmental unit becomes an effective, efficient, professional organization reducing waste and cost."

The panelists at the public forum will be: Culbert, Patrick Cullen, city manager, the City of Wayne; John Gilmore, superintendent, Bridgeport Township (near Saginaw); and William Thompson, supervisor, Kalamazoo Township.

The evening will start out with cocktails, at 5:30, and will proceed to dinner, the panel discussion, and a question-and-answer period. The menu includes salad, soup, bread basket, roast sirloin of beef, baked potato, vegetable, dessert, beverage. The cost of the evening is \$10, which includes the meal.

Tickets are available at Cyprus Gardens, 455-7220; Bart Berg, 495-0811; Robert Padget, 495-0060; Schwartz's Greenhouse Shop, 453-0590; State Farm Insurance, 455-3200; Security Bank and Trust, 459-3400, 459-2520; and Orren Hall, Royal Holiday Park, 455-3590.

## Questions on township manager answered

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**Q. Do Superintendents participate in local politics?**

A. All Superintendents belonging to the International City Management Association are bound by its code of ethics which states that every member of the Association shall "refrain from participation in the election of the members of his employing legislative body, and from all partisan political activities which would impair his performance as a professional administrator."

**Q. Can the Superintendent be removed?**

A. Yes, the elected township board has the power to remove the Superintendent after thorough evaluation and documentation of his performance.

**Q. What salary does the Superintendent receive?**

A. Salaries in 1977 ranged from an average

of \$15,700 in places under 2,500 population to a top salary of \$55,000 in one of the largest communities. The Board sets the salary of the Superintendent.

**Q. Why not allow our elected officials to perform the duties of the Superintendent?**

A. They could, however, there are no educational or experience requirements to seek or hold public office. The Superintendent plan permits the hiring of a trained, experienced, and educated administrator to professionally oversee day to day operation of the governmental unit.

**Q. Should the citizens contact the Superintendent or their elected officials on any of their concerns?**

A. Major concerns regarding policy, direction, programs, etc. should, just like now,

be directed to the elected officials. They run the Township and are responsible for all government actions. This doesn't change, however, just like now, questions on day to day operations should be directed to the Superintendent or the department head.

**Q. Is citizen participation still a part of this style of government?**

A. Yes, it is your government and you elect officials to represent you and your concerns. A Superintendent plan doesn't change anything in this regard. The true control and power is in the hands of the voters.

**Q. In summary, what then are the advantages of a professional Superintendent form of government?**

A. 1. A Superintendent is a trained, experienced professional administrator who can

effectively manage the day to day operation of a complex governmental unit.

2. Responsibility is pinpointed and stronger accountability is achieved.

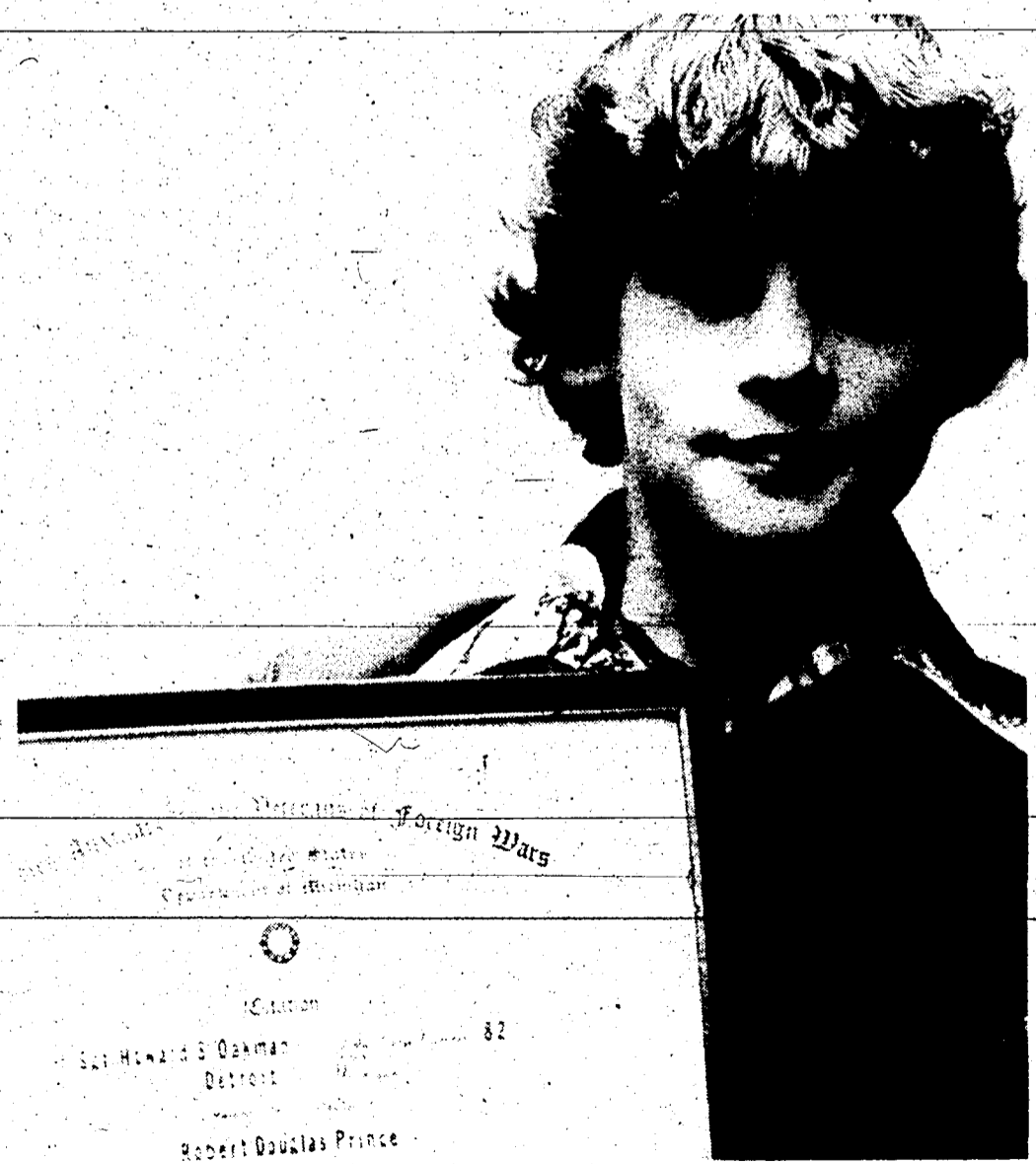
3. Department heads report to one boss rather than seven, thus reducing inefficiencies, confusion, overlapping efforts, and generally costs.

4. Ordinances, policies, etc., are carried out as a matter of direction and commitment with less political involvement.

5. In general, the governmental unit becomes an effective, efficient, professional organization reducing waste and cost.

**Q. What will it cost the taxpayers of Canton?**

A. The Superintendent/Manager plan could be implemented within the framework of the existing budget without any increase in taxes.



**BOBBY PRINCE OF CANTON** displays the citation he was awarded for saving his brother's life in a fire which destroyed the family home last summer. Bobby saved five year old Danny's life when he carried the crippled boy to safety. The award was presented last Saturday at a dinner given by the V.F.W. Aux. 82 in Detroit. (Crier photo by Robert Cameron)

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To: The Editor  
 "Community Crier"  
 Plymouth, Michigan  
 U.S.A.

From: N.A. Choudhury  
 Renga-Daudpur (Sylhet)  
 BANGLA DESH (ASIA)

Dear Sir, I saw your mag's name in a piece of printed paper wrapped around a box of soap I bought from the local shop. I don't know whether this pc. would reach you as the address is insufficient. Please publish this letter in your "letters to Editor" column if your mag - I want penfriends in your country. Any interested persons may write (in English - I come) SEEDS, plants, tubers, bulbs, big her seeds, Magazines, homeing, junk, bullet books on all subjects, DXing, Gardening, Raising perennial berries, nuts, fruits, journal, etc. etc., Asparagus, Rhubarb, Rye grass, Crownketch etc. etc. are my interests. Kindly send your specimen copies as I never saw ones, by AIR MAIL. awaiting yours yours Sir, N.A. Choudhury

(At least his Crier wasn't wrapping fish!)

## Bangladesh reader seeks penfriends

How would you like a penpal from Bangladesh? The editor recently received a postcard from N.A. Choudhury addressed to The Community Crier, Plymouth, Michigan, U.S.A.

The text of the postcard reads: "I saw your news as a printed paper wrapper around a bar of soap I bought from the local shop.

"I don't know whether this postcard would reach you as this address is insufficient.

"Please publish this letter in your "Letters to the Editor" column of your paper.

I want a penfriend in your country. Any interested persons may write (in English). Seeds, plants, tubers, bulbs, magazines, jewels, books on all subjects, DXing, gardening, raising berries, nuts, fruits, asparagus, rhubarb, and rye grass -- these are my interests.

Kindly send your letters by airmail.

Awaiting yours,  
 N.A. Choudhury  
 Renga-Daudpur (Sylhet)  
 Bangladesh Asia

## community opinions

# Private rescue service will reduce local taxes

EDITOR:

After reading the article in the April 2 Crier, our company was surprised to see how upset firefighters are against private ambulance companies.

First, Novi Ambulance never approached Plymouth Township, City of Plymouth, or Canton to replace their services. We were contacted by Don Thomson, Northville Township supervisor, to attend a meeting set up by Plymouth Township to meet and discuss ambulance service.

At one time I did discuss with the city fire chief the possibility of combining forces with their department in the reference to Advanced Life Support Paramedic system which the City of Plymouth does not have now. I was surprised to hear what Plymouth City Manager Harry Graper said.

We are as qualified as the fire department, and even more so with operations of our Advanced Life Support Paramedic system. It is a crying shame to see how Graper can put in the newspaper that the greatest public relation tool they have is their rescue. It seems that he is putting public relations before advanced medical care services to the public. If Graper would investigate the Advanced Life Support system presently in Oakland county he would find out \$60,000 dollars would only stock one unit, not man it.

Firefighters stated insurance companies do not pay for ambulance service and that is not so, if they would have checked with the different types of insurance companies.

It is true if we take two or three persons in one ambulance they are each charged individually for ambulance service; it is also true that we charge for the extrication to the individuals who need the extrication. But which is worse, laying the burden on the

entire community or on people that never utilize the ambulance services? For example: when the community pays for the fire department, senior citizens are paying for a person to go to the hospital; because they are paying for it through their taxes.

I don't believe that a senior citizen should have to pay for someone else's ambulance ride. I believe by charging the individual person who utilizes or needs the ambulance service would cut taxes in communities such as Plymouth Township, and Plymouth.

Advanced Life Support Paramedic systems can stabilize a patient at his home so that he may be transported to the hospital of his choice, instead of being rushed by the fire department to the closest medical facility because, at present time, firefighters are not trained as paramedics.

The Novi Ambulance Service believes the fire department and private ambulance companies should be working towards the goal of the community to give the best Advanced Life Support medical services available to the community; they should be working hand in hand.

Private ambulance service can provide the most sophisticated medical services to the public at present time for a lesser cost to the public than the municipalities can. We do not look at the public as making profit off the sick and injured, we are concerned for the best medical care possible to any individual who needs it, and our goal is service to humanity. We hope in the future fire departments will not look down on paramedics or other employees of the private sector because we are not a municipality-run organization.

JOHN T. EARLY, President  
 NOVI AMBULANCE, INC.

## Don't neglect census forms

EDITOR:

I would like to remind your readers that even though the official Census Day has passed, it is not too late to be counted in the 1980 Census.

A complete and accurate count of Canton's population will provide fair representation for Canton in Congress and the state legislature, as well as increasing the tax dollars returned to Canton by the Federal Government.

The census forms may still be returned by mail. Any Canton Township resident who has not received a census form or who would like help in completing the questionnaire should contact the Township Hall at 397-1000.

I would also like to take this opportunity to publicly thank the individuals and organizations who gave their time on the census weekend to help ensure a complete count of Canton's population.

The League of Women Voters was represented by Bonnie Bowerman, Cindy Fanslow, Gloria Hammonds, Linda Lynch, Cathy Prince and Jackie Westbay. Lorren Bennett Noel Culbert and Tim Orbacki from the Canton Jaycees also helped. Individuals who volunteered their time included Terry Carroll, Jim Kosteva, and Laura Kosteva.

GARY SANDS, Chairperson  
 Canton Complete Count Census Committee

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# Child's play

by Chas Child



## Who will seek Canton board seats?

The last three election campaigns in Canton Township have been circuses, to say the least. But it looks like the one coming up may see more mud-slinging, frenzied campaigning, and dirty politics than ever before.

The reason: All seven seats on the Board of Trustees are up for grabs. The state legislature, in a major blunder, altered the terms of the various elected officials. Rather than overlapping the terms of various board members, the legislative decided they will all serve concurrent four-year terms.

This opens the ugly prospect that the entire board could be replaced in one election. Continuity and stability would be lost for months before the new board found its bearings.

But getting back to the upcoming election. With the terms of the three administrators -- supervisor, clerk, and treasurer -- now four years instead of two, the competition should be tough. Especially since the salaries of the three jobs will all be around \$30,000 after the election.

Supervisor Noel Culbert has already started raising money for his re-election drive, while former Trustee Jim Poole has put out strong hints that he will also seek the township's top job.

And former Supervisor Harold Stein is reportedly going to try to get his job back, although his chances seem very slim. Culbert thrashed him in the 1978 Democratic primary and many township residents hold him responsible for apparently permitting a subsidized-income apartment complex to come into the township.

The big question is in the supervisor's race, though, is this: What are Robert Greenstein's plans? A severe critic of Culbert, Greenstein, now a trustee, often seems like he's itching to get back in the supervisor's saddle again.

Yet he claims that he has no interest in getting back in the hot seat. "Getting a straight answer out of him is impossible," said one trustee last week.

My guess is that Greenstein himself hasn't made up his mind. Since he recently remarried and would apparently take a substantial pay cut from his law practice, he will probably try to hold onto his trustee position.

As for the clerk's job, it will be interesting to see if anyone challenges the incumbent, John Flodin. Widely respected and liked, Flodin has held the job for more than 20 years. In 1978, no one ran against him in either the Democratic primary or the November general election.

In the treasurer's race, Maria Falkiewicz, the current deputy treasurer, will probably run. The incumbent, Jim Donahue, who recently handed over many of his administrative duties to Falkiewicz, is expected to bow out due to poor health, a new baby in the family, and outside business pressures.

The four trustee positions should see plenty of competition. Incumbent Carol Bodenmiller is already distributing petitions to retain her seat, after toying with the idea of running for supervisor. The two other trustees, Eugen Daley and Stephen arson, apparently haven't made up their minds whether to seek re-election.

Gary Roberts, who ran a close third for the two open trustee seats in 1978, will most likely try again. Other persons who may enter the race are Larry Bowerman, Frank McMurray, Mary Dingeldey, Thom Carman, Diane Neihengen, and Tom Stillings.

A movement afoot in the township to adopt a manager form of government may also bring more candidates into the race. The current board, unfortunately, has shown little interest in adopting the new form of government. So the committee pushing for a professional manager or superintendent is seeking candidates who support its position.

Bob Padget, chairman of the Planning Commission, it's been reported, would serve as supervisor if a manager could be hired to run the day-to-day business operations of Canton.

Others, like former Trustee Brian Schwall, may also be persuaded to join the race to get the manager plan off the ground.

## Mardi Gras thanks supporters

EDITOR: Once again the Smith School has had a successful Mardi Gras. Through the concerted efforts of the parents and the PFO, this annual event was a great success. The proceeds of the Smith School Mardi Gras are put directly back into the school in the form of equipment and materials.

The generosity of our local business firms is greatly appreciated. On behalf of the Smith School parents, faculty and children, I am taking this opportunity to thank the following business firms: John Vos III, Robert Bake, William Decker, Tim Joy -- Christensens's, Randy Cooper -- Don Massey Cadillac, Little Caesars, Hardees, Burger Chef, McDonald's, Fox Photo, Claudette's, Laurel Furniture, Pease Paint, Audette's, Colonial Card Shop, Jerry's Bicycle Shop, Beyer Drug Store, Penniman Market, Trading Post, Green Thumb, Plymouth Book World, Cheese & Wine Barn, Emma's

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SUE MC ELROY  
PFO President

## Wrestlers say thanks

EDITOR: Thank you for the excellent coverage of our Canton High School wrestling team for this past season. Our parents and wrestlers appreciate the efforts of your staff.

DAN CHRENKO  
Varsity Wrestling Coach

## 50 lashes for lawbreakers

EDITOR: I'm a citizen of Plymouth and certainly don't feel it gives me the right to obstruct traffic on a busy city street, in order to cash in on a gasoline bargain.

The corner of Harvey and Ann Arbor Trail is a busy intersection and needs to be kept clear. Lt. Berry and the rest of the Plymouth Police Dept. are only doing what they were hired for.

I appreciate their efforts and only wish they had the manpower to police that trouble spot more often.

### community opinions

Who needs local taxpayers who park in the middle of the street, without regard for traffic flow.

Maybe fifty lashes in the town square isn't such a bad idea!

MICHELE KISABETH

## With Malice Toward None



### Twp. troika to run for re-election

Elections in Plymouth Township have always carried the appearance of refined conduct and orderly transition -- and 1980 will prove no exception.

In the past, when the Powers That Be saw a change was either likely (through retire-

ment) or desirable (through incompetence), support was quietly shifted behind the anointed heir or heiress. Outsiders called it conspiracy, insiders called it good government.

This year's deal has been cut: the troika at the top will pull together again.

Supervisor Tom Notebaert, Clerk Esther Hulsing and Treasurer Joe West will be seeking reelection. For the first time in history, those posts are for four-year stints -- the biggest hurdle those three folks (who aren't spring chickens) had to weigh.

But just because those three have worked out their plans, don't assume they won't have competition.

Three trustees -- Maurice Breen, Barb Lynch and Lee Fidge -- have eyed the three top posts.

Breen, who's tasted the supervisor post, could jump in there. Fidge tried for the clerk job last time but was blown out of the water by Plymouth Township's second most (behind 35th District Judge Dunbar Davis) unbeatable candidate. Would she try that again? Or square off against Notebaert or West? Lynch would like the treasurer's job, but would she take on West, who told her first last week that he was taking on another four years.

If those three trustees decide not to seek a full-time township post, they could strike elsewhere (the county and state posts are up) or opt for the board gain.

If it's the latter, they'd join Trustee Gerald Law, who'll be running again no doubt. And Andy Pruner, who is probably throwing his helmet into the ring for the second time.

Other names mentioned as contenders are: Dick Gornick, Barb Godre, Carol Levitte, Smith Horton or Audrey Etienne.

Surely, others will also come forward before Tuesday, June 3 at 4 p.m. -- the filing deadline.

## Knights fund-drive efforts

EDITOR: I want to personally thank Plymouth-Canton citizens for their generosity toward our fund drive for the mentally impaired. Because of your contributions, our mentally-impaired friends will continue to develop and have productive places in our community.

A special thanks to Plymouth and Canton governments, merchants for letting us solicit on their premises, National Honor Society students for collecting, and to Bill Brown and Kent Buikema. They should be very proud of their honor students.

VICTOR GUSTAFSON  
Chairman, Plymouth Knights  
of Columbus Fund Drive

## After photo, tickets sell

EDITOR: The Plymouth Symphony League would like to thank you and your staff for the picture and publicity for our luncheon "Interior Trend '80" held on March 11, 1980 at the Cultural Center.

After the picture appeared in the paper, the tickets sold very fast.

I am sure that your help made the fundraiser a big success.

MARY KEHOE  
Chairman

# friends & neighbors

## Symphony and choir join in 'Passion'

For its final concert this season, the Plymouth Symphony joins with the Schoolcraft Community Choir in presenting the first performance of a major choral work. Commissioned by Schoolcraft College, the work is entitled "Passion" and is based on the Gospel According to St. Matthew. It was composed by Robert Jones, Detroit and Schoolcraft faculty member, specifically for these two performing groups.

The concert begins Sunday, April 20 at 4 p.m. at Salem Auditorium.

Although filled with surprises and 20th century expression, the work is reminiscent of its predecessors in many respects. In these compositions the chorus takes either the part of the mob or that of a commentator on the passing events of the drama. These commentaries are typically inserted between the scripture passages and take the form of poems written by the composer's wife, Anne.

Other references to choral tradition occur in the accompaniment of Jesus' words by the string section and of the narrator by the keyboard.

Jones has been instructor at Schoolcraft since 1969; a composer, he uses his creativity to write for very diverse groups, ranging from organ and electronic tape to more standard works for chorus, many of which are currently in publication.

By coincidence, the director of the choir is also named Jones. Marilyn Jones was invited to be guest conductor of the Symphony for this concert because of her exten-

sive instrumental and choral background. Currently Choral Director at Cass Tech High School, she has been on the faculty of Western and Wayne State universities. As an accomplished flutist, she's performed frequently with the symphony in the past.

Marilyn's husband, Dave, completes the quartet of Jones'. He, too, is a musician - both jazz and classical. But his contribution in this case was in his role as professional music copyist.

Distinguished professional soloists have been engaged for this performance. Carolyn Grimes, soprano, has sung with the Plymouth Symphony on a number of occasions. She has soloed with the Detroit Symphony and the Kenneth Jewell Chorale. The tenor, Phillip Mooney, is currently a principal tenor with the Michigan Lyric Opera Company and tenor soloist at the Cathedral Church of St. Paul in Detroit.

Carroll Strickland, who will sing the role of Jesus, has also been active in the Lyric Opera Company and in the Detroit Institute's "Brunch with Bach" series. Brian Murphy is an English professor at Oakland University, and holder of a doctorate degree from the University of London. He will read the part of Pontius Pilate.

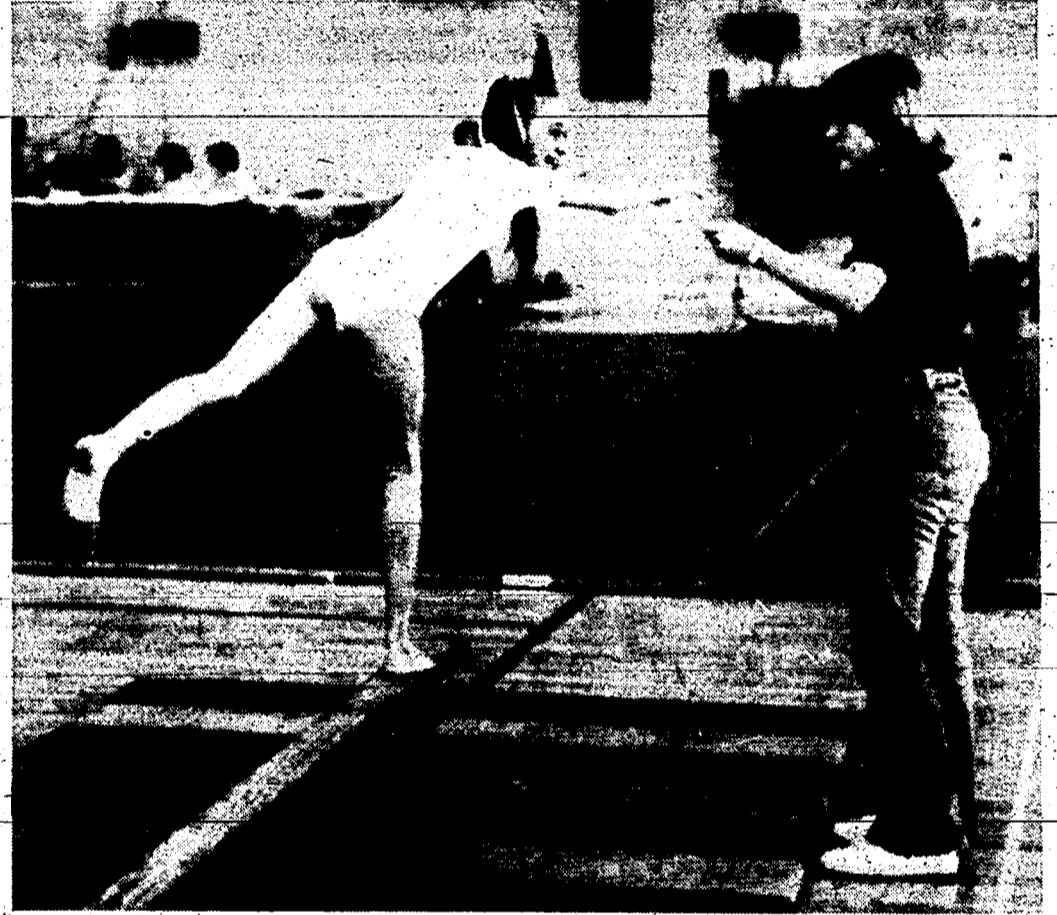
The Schoolcraft College Community Choir, in its 15th year, is comprised of 60 singers representing 17 metropolitan area communities and a variety of musical backgrounds.

Tickets for the concert will be available at the door. Advance sale tickets may be

purchased at Beitner Jewelry on Ann Arbor Trail, Plymouth Book World on Forest St., and Heide's Flowers, Ann Arbor Trail at Harvey. They are \$4 for adults and \$2 for senior citizens and college students.

Students, kindergarten through 12th grade, are admitted free. A Girl Scout troop

will provide babysitting for preschoolers during the concert. Free transportation for senior citizens is provided from Tonquish Creek Manor at 3:15 p.m. on the afternoon of the concert. This concert is made possible with the support of the state of Michigan through a grant from the Michigan Council for the Arts and from Schoolcraft College.



ONE SPECIAL OLYMPIC contestant reaches out for a hand during competition on the balance beam. This year's annual events will be held at the Centennial Educational Park on April 26 and May 2. It's hosted by the Plymouth Civitans. (Photo courtesy of the Civitans).

## Special Olympics to begin

For handicapped kids, spring means vigorous training for the Special Olympics.

This year, the Special Olympics will be held on Saturday, April 26, and Friday, May 2. Gymnastics will be held at Canton High School, Phase III, at 9 a.m., April 26. The bowling competition will also take place that Saturday at 9 a.m. at the Super Bowl, on Ford Road in Canton.

Track and field, and swimming will take place on Friday, May 2, at the Centennial Educational Park. The opening ceremonies and parade will begin at 8:30 a.m. The events will start at 9 a.m.

Handicapped children and adults from schools, workshops, and centers throughout Wayne County participate in the Olympics. Civitan Clubs, from Plymouth, Livonia, Wayne, Westland, Dearborn, Fairland, and Detroit Action, sponsor the annual event. Plymouth Community Civitans will be the host club this year.

About 1,600 participants, a record number, will compete in the events. The Civitans need volunteers to help as "huggers",

who greet each participant with a hug to reward the child's efforts.

Anyone wishing to donate some time may contact, Lou Mair, 453-8446. If you cannot spare the time and wish to donate money, please call Joanne Doyle, 459-0022.

Winners from the local Special Olympics go to the state finals, which will be held at Central Michigan University in Mt. Pleasant in June.

In the Special Olympics, everybody wins, say the Civitans. It is a shining example for all who believe that a just and good society is one which cares for those who may be less able, but who are in no sense less worthy, members add.

The Plymouth Community Civitan Club is also looking for members. Interested persons can call Tim Doyle, 459-0022, Dave Henry, 455-2500, Lou Mair, 453-8446, Mike Caffery, 455-8403, Bill Olson, 453-2347.

Civitan International is a major service organization which accepts both men or women as fully participating members.

## New Zealand is focus of film

New Zealand, called a "World in Microcism" because of its variety of scenic wonders, is the next show for the Plymouth Kiwanis Club's Travelogue Series. Walter S. Dodson, a professional photographer, will narrate the presentation.

The movie will be presented Wednesday, April 23 at 8 p.m. in the Salem High School Auditorium. Tickets are available by calling Tim Yoe, 453-6280, or Harold Fischer, 455-5100.



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## Raindrops keep fallin' on my head - and mitt...

It makes you wonder what our community is coming to when hundreds of parents and their kids don't have enough sense to come in out of the rain. There we stood, like fools, in the cold rain because last Saturday was the big day for baseball tryouts.

As if it wasn't bad enough crawling out of bed at 8 a.m. on a Saturday morning, but tromping through knee deep mud in bone chilling rain was almost more than I could tolerate. Just when you think you're going to be the only person dumb enough to show up for this thing, you drive into a parking lot filled with at least 500 cars.

I would hate to try to explain to someone just why I was standing out in that ridiculous weather, waiting for my kid's turn to try to catch two balls that were thrown to him. As I looked around, I noticed people I knew -- people who I'd always considered as intelligent human beings. Well, at least I didn't have to feel stupid by myself.

I'm still not sure what was gained in the madness of the tryouts other than a good case of pneumonia. The kids were shivering so much they could hardly catch the ball, let alone see it through the rain drops. Now tell me, how can a coach judge the talent of a kid in those conditions?

I know the rules say a kid must tryout if he wants to be on a team, and those same rules state that tryouts will be held on such and such a Saturday. It sure makes you wonder if it's the army or politicians who are trying to organize junior sports.

One of my friends posed a very interesting question, "When we're old and gray and suffering from arthritis, do you think they will remember what we did for them on this cold, rainy Saturday morning?" The only thing the kids will remember is an excuse for having missed the ball.

Oh well, get out the cough medicine and kleenex, and be thankful we're not trying to play baseball in a blizzard.

\*\*\*\*\*  
Paul S. Tomecko of Plymouth won \$5,000 towards the purchase of a new car in the Michigame Monthly Jack Pot Lottery.

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The American Occupational Health Conference will be held in Detroit on April 21-25. Esther R. Guldner, R.N. is chairman of special events of the conference and Dorothy Ritchie, R.N. is conference treasurer. Both nurses are residents of Plymouth.



OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH NURSES Dorothy Richie and Esther Guldner will be participating in the annual American Occupational Health Conference in Detroit, on April 21 through the 25th.

## Plymouth RNs present workshop

The Plymouth Registered Nurses Association, in co-operation with the University of Michigan's Department of Continuing Education, will present a day-long seminar, "Neighborhood Triange," Saturday, May 3 in the Canton High School Auditorium.

The title of the seminar is taken from the word triangle, which means determining priorities when treating a medical emergency. The workshop is designed to help registered nurses who are often called upon

in neighborhoods to give emergency assistance.

Local participants may also take advantage of information and presentations on accidents, drug abuse, asthma and communication techniques.

The cost of the seminar, which is open to the public, is \$15. Continuing education credit is available for nurses. Registration materials are available from Sue Delonis, 459-0478 or Carol Fasig, 455-9566.

## Symphony presents 24th annual Pops

"Passport to Pops -- Music That Makes the World Go 'Round" is the theme of the 24th annual Pops Concert presented by the Plymouth Symphony Orchestra Saturday, May 3, at 8:30 p.m., at Pioneer Middle School.

James Tamburini, conductor of the University of Windsor Orchestra and Concert Band, is the guest conductor for this year's concert. The program has music representing France, Austria, Spain, England, Germany, Italy, and Siam.

Elsie Inselman, mezzo-soprano, and Davis Gloff, lyric baritone, will be guest soloists for the concert. Orchestra member Louis Stout will play part of Mozart Concerto No. 1 on a garden hose.

An original composition by an orchestra member, several fanfares and a sing-along will all be part of the program. Free popcorn and pop will be provided.

Tickets are \$5 for adults and for children \$2 and senior citizens and are available at Bed 'n Stead. The concert is sponsored by the Staccato Group of the Plymouth Symphony League.

Committee members for the pops concert are:

General Chairman, Janet Repp; Publicity Bobbi Abbott; Posters, Mable Partain -- design, Dee Winter -- distribution, Pat Hinzman, Pam Feierfeit, Ellen Brindley, Linda Cygan; Programs, Mable Partain -- design, Audrey Sauber -- chairman, Florence Banners -- typing, Larna Bedendieck -- mimeographing; Tickets, Cheryl Toles -- chairman, Denise Edson, Noreen Lauster, Judy Morre; Decorations, Susan Butzlaff -- chairman, Louise Hall -- chairman, Eileen Dunn, Juanita Hinman, Sue Knapp, Betsy Mazurkiewicz, Judi Thomas, Dee Winter; Refreshments, Lori Marklewicz -- chairman, Carol Mikaelian -- chairman, Susan Butzlaff and Crol Pastori, Sue Knapp, Carolyn Notestine, Kathy Rae; Set-up: Clean-up, Jane Calhoun -- chairman, Ellen Brindley, Linda Cygan, Pam Feierfeit, Louise Hall, Pat Hinzman, Sue Knapp, Sophie Aposchanski; Hostesses, Evelyn Funk, Mable Partain, Dee Winter, Cheryl Toles, Denise Edson, Noreen Lauster, Judy Moore; Extra revenue, Janet Repp and Kathy Rea.

## Radio auction

WSDP, radio station of the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools, will host its first annual auction over the air April 24, 25 and 26.

Jeff Cardinal, WSDP radio coordinator, says the auction will be held to raise funds for purchasing special remote equipment to conduct spot news and other features for the station.

According to Cardinal, local merchants of the Plymouth-Canton Community have donated goods and services "running the whole gamut of things." A list of the items will be available in next week's Crier.

Each day the auction will be broadcast from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m., longer if the volume of items for auction exceeds current estimates. Bids can be registered at 453-0620. For further information, call Jeff Cardinal at 453-3100, extension 266.

## Teacher aids college

William Heath, eighth grade English and social studies teacher at East Middle School, participated in the accreditation of Oakland University teacher education program in March.

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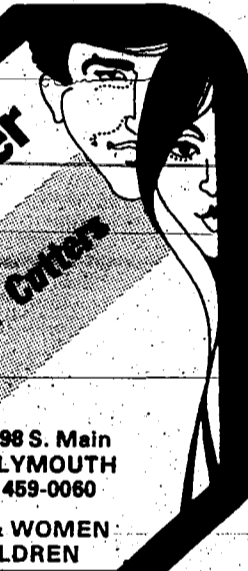
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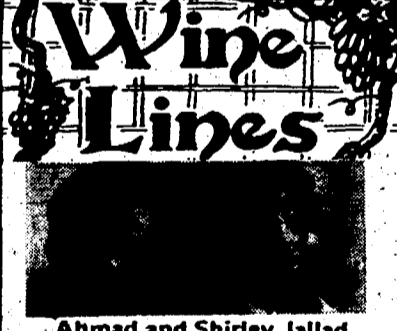
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### WEST TRAILS NURSING HOME PARTY

Trinity Chapel of Ward United Presbyterian Church and the adult Pioneer Sunday School Class are sponsoring a party for the residents of West Trails Nursing Home April 19 at 6:30 p.m. For registration or more information, call Kathy Mount, 459-9780, before 3 p.m. Saturday, April 19.

### REAL ESTATE LICENSING

Schoolcraft College is offering five-week pre-licensing real estate sales courses meeting Mondays and Wednesdays beginning April 28 and June 2. Offered through community services, the classes will meet from 7 to 10 p.m. in room 160 of the Liberal Arts Building. The fee is \$95. For more information call 591-6400, ext. 409.

### FOOTBALL AND CHEERLEADING

The Plymouth-Canton Junior Football Association is sponsoring football and cheerleading teams for boys and girls ages 9 through 13 in the Plymouth Canton School District. Registration will be from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. April 19 and 26 in the Canton High School Cafeteria. The cost is \$30 for players and \$20 for cheerleaders. Each child must be accompanied by a parent and show proof of birthdate. For more information, call Lenore Pilot at 459-0344.

### LAKEPOINTE BRANCH WNFGA

The Lakepointe Branch of the Women's National Farm and Garden Association will hold its monthly meeting Thursday, April 17 at 7:45 p.m. at the Farrand Library. The program will include flower arranging.

### GERMAN-AMERICAN CLUB

The German-American Club of Plymouth will hold its monthly meeting Thursday, April 17 at 8 p.m. in Oddfellows Hall, 344 Elizabeth. The meeting will include nomination of officers for the upcoming year. Refreshments will be served. For more information, call Mrs. Paul Masora, 420-0732.

### SENIOR CITIZENS GOLF LEAGUE

The Canton Senior Citizens Golf League will hold an organizational meeting Monday, April 28 at 10 a.m. at the Recreation Center, located at Michigan Avenue and Sheldon. The league will play Tuesday mornings at Fellow Creek Golf Course beginning in May. Anyone aged 55 and older is welcome to join. For more information, call 397-1000.

### WOMEN'S GOLF LEAGUE

The Canton Women's Golf League will hold an organizational meeting Tuesday, April 29 at 1 p.m. at the Township Administration Building. The league will play Friday mornings at Fellow Creek Golf Course beginning in May. For more information, call 397-1000.

### PLYMOUTH NEWCOMERS DINNER DANCE

The Plymouth Newcomers are sponsoring a dinner dance Saturday, May 10 at 7 p.m. at Wenschuler's of Ann Arbor. Music will be provided by "By the HyTimes," a four-piece band from Plymouth. Tickets are \$32 per couple. There will be a cash bar. For ticket information, call 453-7493. The reservation deadline is May 5.

### CANTON SENIOR KITCHEN BAND

The Canton Senior Kitchen Band will perform Thursday, April 17 at 7:30 p.m. and Saturday, April 19 at 3 p.m. at Canton High School. For more information, call Dave Jones, 453-2274, or Delores Edwards, 397-2777, ext. 278.

### CENTENNIAL EDUCATION PARK PARENT CONFERENCES

Centennial Educational Park Parent Conferences will be Monday, April 21 from 6:45 to 9:45 p.m. in the Canton gymnasium. All CEP instructors will be present.

### CANTON BOOKMOBILE

The Canton Bookmobile will make its first stop Wednesday, April 16 at noon at the Canton Administration Building. The bookmobile will then make stops the third Wednesday of every month.

### GOP WOMEN

Members and friends of GOP Women are invited to a Mystery Salad Luncheon Thursday, April 24 at the Jackson Community Center, 32025 Lyndon, near Merriman between Five Mile Road and Schoolcraft. Bring salad ingredients (lettuce, dressing, cheese, etc.), rolls, butter and beverages will be provided. The cost is \$1. Reservations are necessary. For more information, call 421-1361.

### SPRING WALK

The annual Spring Walk will be Sunday, April 20 from noon to 5 p.m. in Old Village in Plymouth. Proceeds from the walk will go to the New Hope Foundation for retarded children. For more information, call 459-3410.

### SWIMMING CLASSES FOR THE IMPAIRED

The Plymouth-Canton Community Education Department is sponsoring a special swimming class for the physically and mentally impaired. The class will meet Tuesdays, beginning April 22, for eight weeks. The class for the mentally impaired will meet from 6 to 7 p.m. and the class for the physically impaired from 8 to 9 p.m. The fee is \$11. For more information, call 459-1180 or stop by the Community Education Office, room 103 at Canton High School.

### POP CONCERT

The Staccato Group of the Plymouth Symphony League will present its 24th Annual Pops Concert, "Passport to Pops... Music That Makes the World Go 'Round,'" Saturday, May 3 at 8:30 p.m. at Pioneer Middle School. Tickets are \$5 for adults and \$2 for children and senior citizens. For more information, call 453-2603.

### AAUW MEETING

"Managing Resources for Tomorrow" is the topic of discussion for the next meeting of the American Association of University Women, April 17 at 7:30 p.m. in the cafeteria of West Middle School. Any woman with a four-year college or university degree is eligible for membership in the AAUW. For more information, call 455-2907.

### LIONS CLUB CHARITY AUCTION

The Plymouth Lions Club will hold its Fifth Annual Charity Auction Sunday, May 18 at 12:30 p.m. at the Maxwell Farm, located on Joy Road between Lilley Road and South Main Street. The auction will also include a bake sale. Donations of any usable items will be accepted by the Lions Club. For more information or to arrange for pick-up of items, call 455-4850 days, or 427-7226 evenings.

### MILLIONAIRES PARTY

Alhambra of Northville, Manresa Caravan No. 217 is having its Second Annual Millionaires Party Friday, April 18 at Our Lady of Victory Parish Hall, located on West Main Street at Orchard in Northville. An \$8 donation per person includes food and open bar. Proceeds will go toward assisting the retarded. For more information, call 349-4160 or 562-4720.

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## JAYCEES MILLIONAIRES NIGHT

The Canton Jaycees are sponsoring a Millionaires Night Saturday, April 26 at 8 p.m. at Mr. Magoo's, 43711 Michigan Ave. Tickets are \$10 per person and include two free drinks, a buffet and chips for gambling. Tickets are available at Mr. Magoo's or by calling 397-1093.

## WESTERN WAYNE COUNTY GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY MEETS

The regular meeting of the Western Wayne County Genealogical Society will be held Wednesday, April 16, 7:30 p.m. at the Carl Sandburg Library, 30100 West 7 Mile Road, Livonia. A program will be presented by members of the Church of Jesus Christ, Latter Day Saints.

## CANTON NEWCOMERS

Canton Newcomers will meet May 7 at 7:30 p.m. at Pioneer Middle School. Following business at 8:30 p.m., hypnotherapist James H. Hoke will demonstrate hypnosis, using volunteers from the audience. Admission is \$1. For more information, call Chris Mack, 459-0579.

## SALAD LUNCHEON AND FASHION SHOW

United Methodist Women of Plymouth is sponsoring a Salad Luncheon and Fashion Show Thursday, April 24 at 12:15 p.m. at the church, located on North Territorial Road. Fashions will be shown by Claire Kelly of Plymouth. Tickets are \$3.50 and can be reserved by calling Marsha Woods, 455-4037; or the church office, 453-5280. Deadline for ticket reservations is April 22.

## PRENATAL EXERCISE CLASSES

Pregnant women can sign up for a six-week course of exercises beginning Monday, April 21 at 8 p.m. at the Childbirth and Family Resource Center. The fee is \$20. For more information or to register, call 459-2360 or 459-2678.

## REDFORD HIGH SCHOOL REUNION

The Redford High School class of 1943 (June and January) is having a reunion Saturday, June 7 at the Shenandoah Country Club. For information, call Clare Sanderson Johnson at 521-6671 or Owen McKenny at 453-5034.

## LUNCHEON AND CARD PARTY

The Woman's Club of Plymouth will meet for a benefit luncheon and card party on Monday, April 28 at the Plymouth Cultural Center. It begins at noon.

## WAYNE COUNTY NUTRITION PROGRAM

The City of Plymouth, in co-operation with the Wayne County Office on Aging, offers a Nutrition Program Monday through Friday at Tonquish Manor, 1160 Sheridan. The program offers a well-balanced meal on the site, or by calling 453-9703 from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. All reservations must be made by Thursday of the preceding week. The program is free; however, a 50-cent donation is appreciated.

## PCAC MINI-COURSE

The Plymouth Community Arts Council is sponsoring a mini-course entitled "Renaissance Theatres of Art and Life," which will be presented by Dr. Martha Fader of the University of Michigan April 22, 24, 29 and May 1 from 10 a.m. until noon at the PCAC office, on Main Street in Plymouth. The fee is \$12. For more information, call 455-5260.

## BENEFIT LUNCHEON AND CARD PARTY

The Women's Club of Plymouth will hold its annual Spring Luncheon and Card Party Monday, April 28 at noon at the Plymouth Cultural Center. Profits from the party will be given to area organizations. Tickets are \$4. For more information, call 453-4616.

## DAR MEETING

The Sarah Ann Cochrane Chapter of the DAR will meet April 21 for a sandwich luncheon at noon. For more details, call Annette Heindrychx, publicity chairperson, at 455-2864.

## PLYMOUTH COMMUNITY CHORUS

The Plymouth Community Chorus invites anyone interested in singing to attend practice sessions every Tuesday night from 8 to 10 p.m. at East Middle School. The group is looking for more basses and tenors, but will accept others also. There is no audition necessary for those over 18. For more information, call 459-9894.

## CODY HIGH SCHOOL CLASS REUNION

A 20-year class reunion for graduates of Cody High School will be held at the Plymouth Hilton Inn on June 14, 1980. Those who graduated in January or June, 1960 from Cody can call Barbara Reed of Plymouth at 459-3066 after 5 p.m.

## CANTON SENIORS' HOT LUNCH

The Wayne County Hot Lunch Program is offered to Canton senior citizens 60 and over every day at the Recreation Center, 44237 Michigan Avenue at Sheldon Road. These lunches are served Monday through Thursday at noon and Fridays at 11:30 a.m. Call 24 hours in advance for reservations. A 50-cent donation is requested but not required. Phone 397-1000, ext. 278 and ask for Bea.

## BARBERSHOP SINGING

We way Co chapter of the barbershop singing group Sweet Adelines, the current Region 2 third place chorus, is interested in increasing its membership to 60 women. The group meets every Wednesday evening at 8 p.m. in the Baily Recreation Center, 36651 Ford Rd., behind the Westland City Hall on Ford Road just east of Newburgh.

## ZESTERS SENIOR CITIZEN CLUB

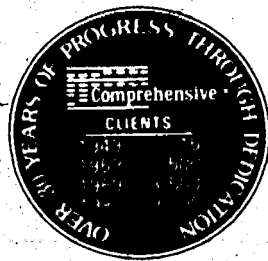
The Zesters Senior Citizens Club of Canton has openings for new members. This club meets on Thursday at 12:30 for donuts, coffee, and various activities at St. Michaels Church, 7000 Sheldon Road. All senior citizens of Canton, 55 years and older, are invited to attend this non-denominational club. Bring a bag lunch and join in the lively conversation and fellowship.

## HANDICAPPED KIDS

Pre-primary special education services for children from birth to the age of six are now available through the Plymouth-Canton school district. If you have a child who may be mentally or emotionally impaired, has a physical or visual disability, a hearing or speech impairment or be a learning disabled child, please contact the Infant and Preschool Special Education Program (IPSEP) at Farrand School at 420-0363.

## PLYMOUTH WOMEN'S GOLF LEAGUE

The organizational meeting for the Plymouth Women's Golf League will be Thursday, April 24 at 10 a.m. at Hilltop Golf Course. The league begins May 1 and runs about 17 weeks, meeting every Thursday at 8 a.m. There is a \$10 registration fee plus weekly greens fees. New members are welcome. For more information, call Pat Evenson at 453-0513.



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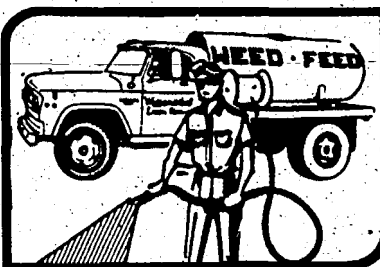
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### Millionaires party

GETTING READY FOR Growth Works' Millionaires Party are Shari Frank, youth program coordinator, left, and Sheila Shives, director of the youth center's crisis center. The party is scheduled for Friday, April 18, 8 p.m. at Growth Works, in downtown Plymouth. Six dollars will purchase \$1 million worth of chips. There will be a cash bar. (Crier photo by Robert Cameron)

## 9 Plymouth-Cantonites appointed to hospital panel

Nine residents of the Canton-Plymouth Community have been appointed to the Canton Community Advisory Committee to provide a means of communication between Oakwood Hospital in Dearborn and the hospital's proposed ambulatory care center in Canton Township.

Construction is expected to start this fall on a \$1.5 million medical care facility to be located at the intersection of Canton Center and Warren roads.

The committee will be asked to discuss with the hospital matters of mutual concern and interest to the community and the center," said Gerald Fitzgerald, hospital president.

Members of the committee include:  
 Rev. Edward J. Baldwin, pastor of St. John Neumann Catholic Church, Canton.  
 John Flodin, Canton Township clerk.  
 Gary Jagoda of Canton, president of the Canton Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Lynn Labell, a housewife, of Canton.  
 Frank A. McMurray, of Canton, an insurance agent. He is president of the Canton Chamber of Commerce and a member of the Canton Township Planning Commission.

Larry R. Oldford, of Plymouth, an insurance agent.

She is a member of the Plymouth-Canton Community School District board, the League of Women Voters, and the Chamber of Commerce.

The scope of services at the center will include primary family medical care; maternal and child health services; including multi-specialty care for high risk mothers and infants; emergency care; and ancillary services, such as pharmacy, radiology, and laboratory.

Catherine Prince, a housewife, of Canton.  
 John Schwartz, of Canton, owner of a greenhouse.

Flossie Tonda, a housewife, of Canton.

### Limburg named clerk

Gordon Limburg has been appointed as City Clerk/Director of Finance for the City of Plymouth.

Limburg has worked for the city for more than five years, and had recently been personnel director, purchasing agent and assistant director of finance. He also helped prepare the annual budget.

His appointment April 2 was confirmed by the city commission April 7, when he was sworn in by Mayor Mary Childs. Limburg succeeds Paul Brumfield, who recently retired.

## Cancer drive launched by volunteers

"Cancer Control Month" has been proclaimed in Plymouth and Canton townships to recognize efforts by American Cancer Society volunteers. Their annual educational and fund raising drive will be April 18 through 27.

Mrs. John Partain and Dorothy Wright, community chairpersons in Plymouth and Plymouth Township respectively, joined Mayor Mary Childs to sign the proclamation. They will help coordinate the 404 Plymouth volunteers who will visit their neighbors with information about cancer.

Vicky Whipple, Canton Township's community chairperson, met with Supervisor Noel Culbert to officially proclaim April as "Cancer Control Month." She coordinates the 389 door-to-door volunteers in Canton.



### ANGEL AWARDED

Stewart S. Angel, Jr., a Plymouth-Canton realtor, has been awarded the Certified Residential Specialist (CRS) designation by the Realtors' National Marketing Institute, the primary educational affiliate of the National Association of Realtors. Angel is president of Earl Keim Realty South, Inc., 1115 South Main Street, Plymouth. He is a member of the Down River Board of Realtors and Western Wayne Oakland County Board of Realtors and the Michigan Association of Realtors (M.A.R.). He is also a member of the Canton Kiwanis and the Plymouth Chamber of Commerce, and is 2nd Vice President of the Canton Kiwanis and State Trustee of RPAC (Realtors Political Action Committee) of Michigan for 1979 through 1981.

### AMWAY ACHIEVERS

Gordy and Judy Smith of Plymouth have been recognized by Amway Corporation of Ada for their success as independent business operators in the Amway distributor organization.

In recognition of their achievement as Amway Direct Distributors, awarded for their attainment of a high level of sales volume, Gordy and Judy were invited to a two-day seminar at Amway's world headquarters in Ada.

### HEID PROMOTED

Ralph C. Heid, Jr., of Plymouth, has been named international banking officer at Manufacturers National Bank of Detroit.

He is married, has two children and makes his home in Plymouth, Michigan.

### \$1 MILLION REALTORS TO GATHER

The Western Wayne Oakland County Board of Realtors (WWOCBR) will honor 414 of its members for topping \$1 million in home listings and sales during 1979 in award ceremonies at the Plymouth Hilton Hotel, Saturday, March 8.

### CALDWELL & REINHART MARKETING PLAN

The Caldwell & Reinhart Company will present its new plan for marketing in the 1980s, Wednesday, April 2, 5 p.m. at the Marriott Inn 3600 Plymouth Rd., Ann Arbor. Refreshments will be served.

### NEW MANUFACTURERS BANK

Manufacturers National Bank of Detroit will open its new Ford Road-Sheldon Office Monday, March 17. Located at 44880 Ford Rd. in Canton Township, the new facility provides full-service banking with drive-up service, a night depository and safe deposit boxes. Lobby service hours for the new bank office are 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday and 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Friday. Drive-up service is available from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Monday, Thursday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on Tuesday and Wednesday, and 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Saturday.

### TKACZ HONORED

The studio of Tkacz & Associates, Architect/Interior Designers of Plymouth, has received recognition from the Michigan Historical Commission for its work in the restoration program of the Pioneer Bank in North Branch.

Stanley Tkacz, architect, spent more than two years doing research and background development of this program in order to return the building facilities to its original splendor.

The bank has been listed in the State Register of Historic Sites of Significant Points of Interest within the State of Michigan.

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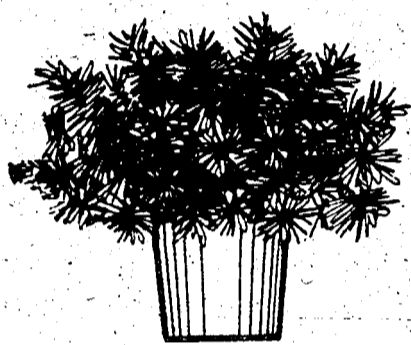
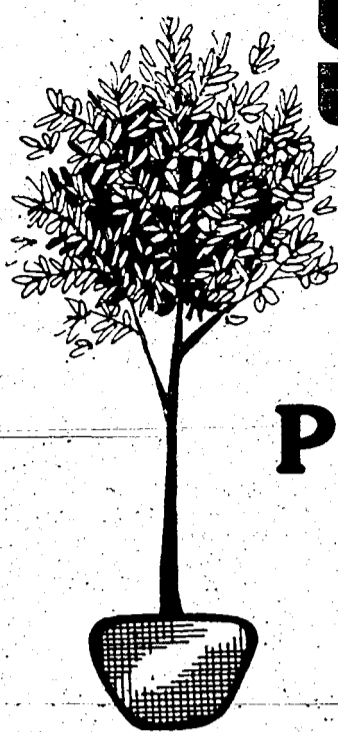
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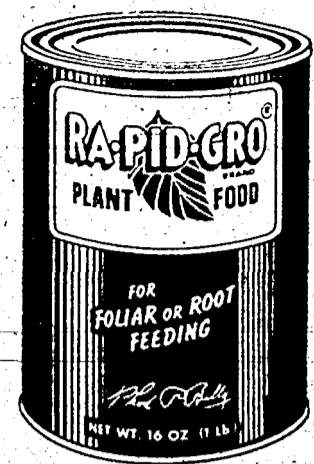
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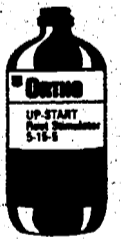
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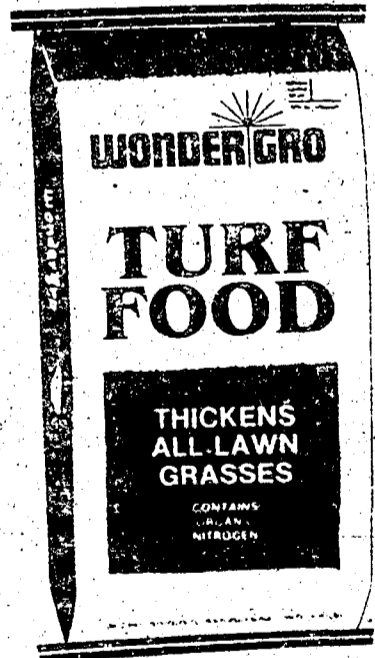
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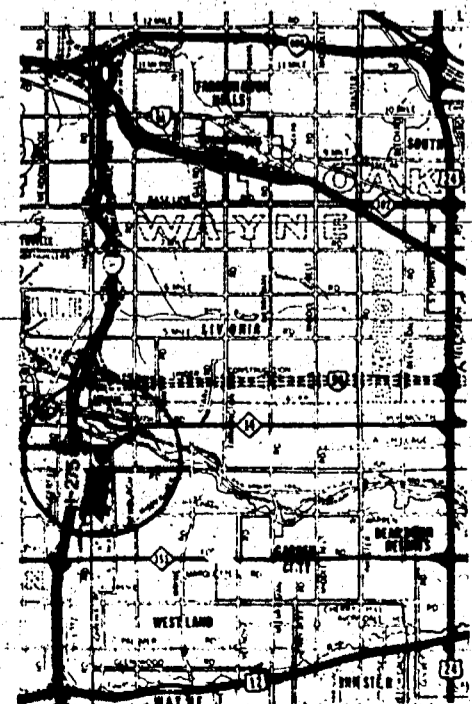


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# League of Women Voters to study school districts

A new study of the Northville, Plymouth-Canton, and Novi school districts will be started by the League of Women Voters (LWV) at its upcoming 11th annual meeting. The league will meet Wednesday, April 23, at 7 p.m. at the Novi Public Library on Ten Mile Road.

"At the meeting the league reviews its past year and plans its scope of focus for the future," President Nancy White said. White said that the 1980 presidential elections will put special emphasis on the voters-service arm of the LWV. Locally, she said, the league will sponsor candidates nights, publish voters guides, and register voters.

Jackie Westbay of Canton, retiring Voters Service co-chairman, has just released the 1980 edition of the league's "They Represent

You" pamphlet. This free brochure is a comprehensive listing of all state, local, and county officials.

White said local program items are a less familiar aspect of league work.

"We can only take a position on an issue after we have completed a careful study and have reached a consensus of our member-

## Canton missionary named at church

The Rev. Roger F. Aumann was commissioned missionary-at-large in the Canton area and installed as pastor of the newly-formed Central Canton Lutheran Church, Missouri Synod, at ceremonies held March 16.

Aumann, a former teacher and principal

ship," she explained. "This year we are particularly interested in studying intergovernmental relations in Michigan. We will also research whether a Wayne County executive, which we favor in concept, should be elected or appointed."

New officers to be elected at the meeting are Michele Howard of Canton, second vice-president, and Ruth Vogler of Canton,

at Lutheran High School in Detroit, was graduated from Concordia Seminary in 1979. He has also served as vicar to St. Michael Lutheran Church in Wayne and worked with the Mission Board of the Michigan District in forming the new congregation. Aumann and his family will live in Canton.

treasurer. New directors are Gloria Pappas of Plymouth, Margaret Dawson of Northville, Cynthia Fanslow of Canton, and Sally Posthill of Plymouth. Nancy White of Plymouth will continue as president, completing a two-year term, along with Kari Miller, also of Plymouth, first vice-president. Gretchen Pugsley of Novi served as annual meeting chairman.

League members will enjoy a birthday cake to celebrate its 60th birthday in the U.S. A non-partisan organization, the league was founded to promote informed citizen participation in the political process.

The Northville-Plymouth-Canton-Novu League has 90 members. White said the annual meeting is open to prospective members, who should call Mary Ellen-McKercher at 455-4539 for reservations.

# Jaycees planning 'Walk for Mankind' in June

Plans for this year's annual "Walk for Mankind," a fundraising event sponsored by the Canton Jaycees, were discussed at a kick-off meeting held Saturday, April 12 at the Canton Recreation Center.

Students from Plymouth-Canton schools attending the meeting were shown a slide presentation and organized into publicity committees to prepare for the walk, which will be held June 7 beginning at 7:30 a.m. at Salem High School.

The walk will raise money for Project Concern, a worldwide health organization that operates clinics serving over 80 countries and 1.5 million people.

Students were asked to promote the walks in their schools through posters, assemblies and public announcements. They will also

be pre-registering other interested students.

Money is pledged on the basis of how many kilometers each student walks. The route is 30 kilometers, but walkers are not required

to go the entire length. Walkers will be given soft drinks along the route and can be picked up by "weary walker wagons" if they get tired.

Pledge sheets should be available in the schools in about two weeks. For more information, contact the Canton Jaycees, 495-0227, from 5 to 8 p.m.

## VFW to host state-wide bowling fest

The Plymouth Mayflower Post #6695 Veterans of Foreign Wars will host the 32nd annual VFW Bowling Tournament for the State of Michigan.

The tournament will be held the last two weekends of April and the first weekend of May. Bowling will take place at Plymouth Bowl and Plaza Lanes. There will be 191

teams participating. A team from Gwinn, Michigan (upper Peninsula-near Marquette) will be coming to participate as well as teams from Alpena, Manistee and many other VFW Posts.

Mayflower Post #6695 will have two teams entering the competition. Many events are being planned to be held

at the VFW Post Home at 1426 S. Mill St. Lunch will be served each Saturday from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. and a steak dinner will be served from 6:30 p.m. to 9 p.m., followed by an evening of dancing to live music.

On Sunday there will be a pancake breakfast with serving from 7 a.m. to 1 p.m. The above schedule will be for each of the three weekends.

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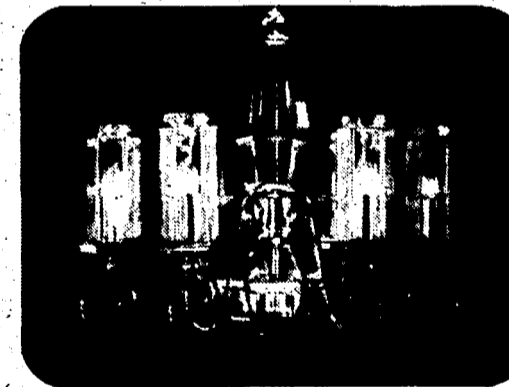
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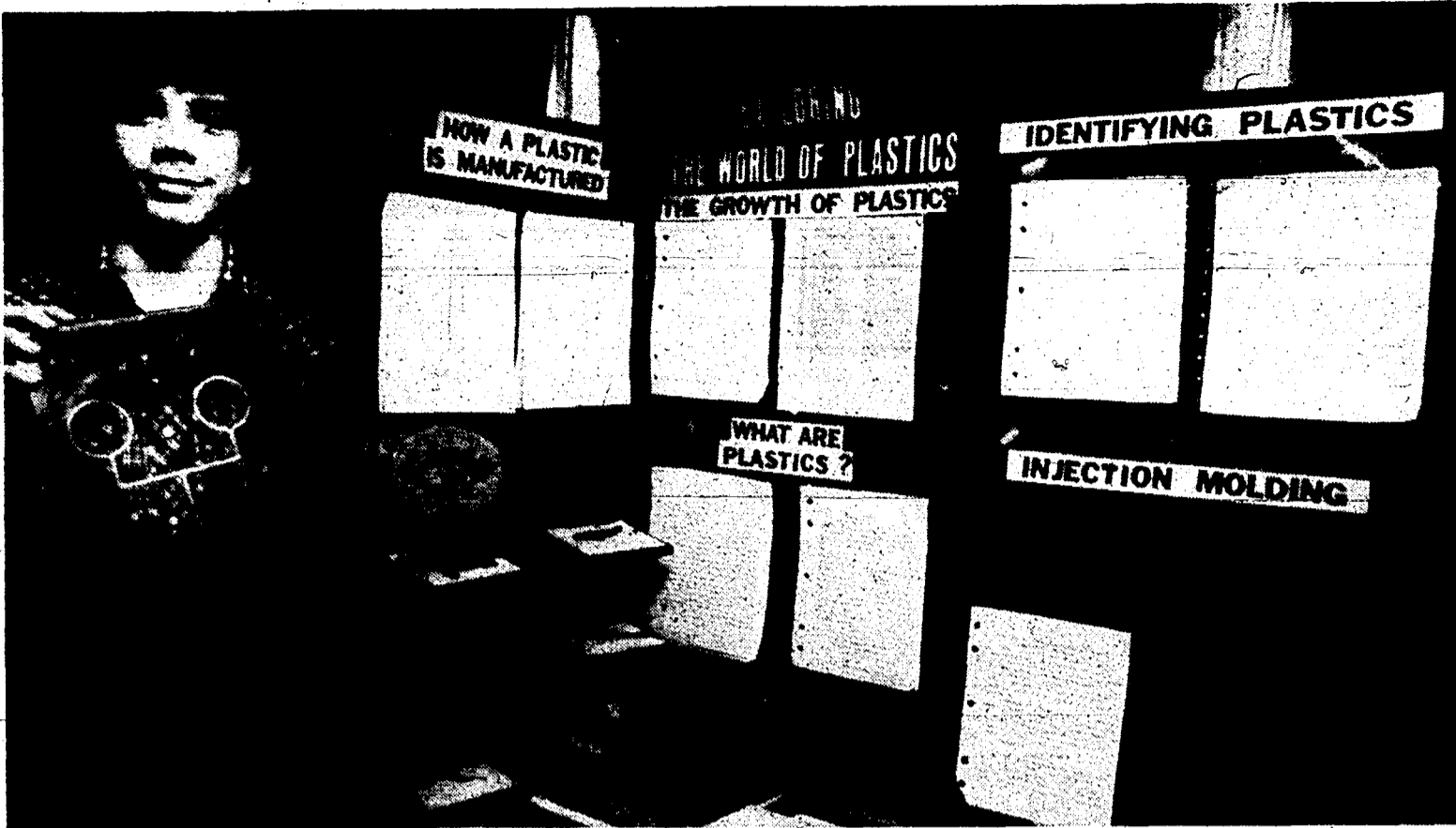
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### OLGC student wins science award

MONTY FAUNCE, an eighth grader at Our Lady of Good Counsel School was awarded first prize for all grades at the Science Fair held in Detroit's Cobo Hall. His entry was entitled: "Exploring the World

of Plastics." He won \$100 for his efforts and a subscription to a national plastics scientific journal. His parents are Bill and Violet Faunce of Plymouth. (Crier photo by Robert Cameron)

## Canton wants Haggerty Road paved

A special meeting of the Canton Township Board of Trustees, Economic Development Corporation and the Commercial and Industrial Committee was held last night in Township Hall.

Purpose of the meeting will be to discuss industrial development of properties along Haggerty Road in the township.

According to Township Supervisor Noel Culbert, several requirements must be met in order to attract significant industrial development in the area, including guaranteed utilities, storm drainage and Class A roads.

Canton has currently begun work on upgrading water and sewer facilities, but the issue of paving Haggerty Road is unresolved. According to Culbert, most of the needed rights-of-way have been acquired, but deeds must be completed by the county and signed in order to qualify for federal funds to pave the road.

Also on the agenda will be discussion of how to effectively market the properties along Haggerty Road. Currently, there are 128 acres of township-owned property in the area, as well as several hundred other acres available for development.

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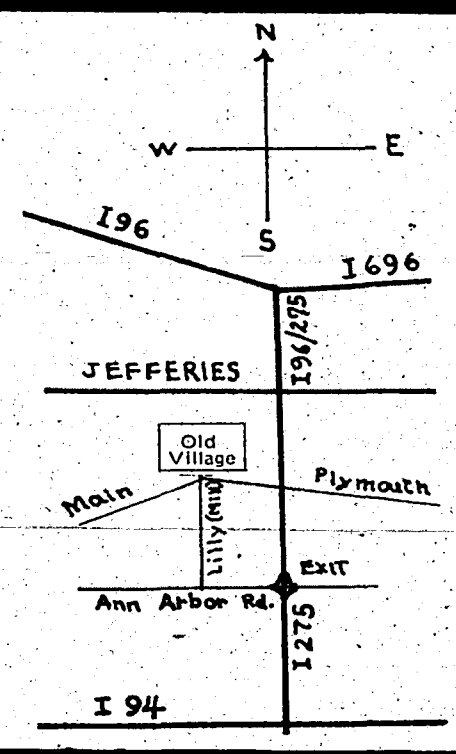
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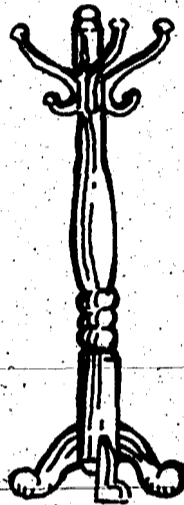
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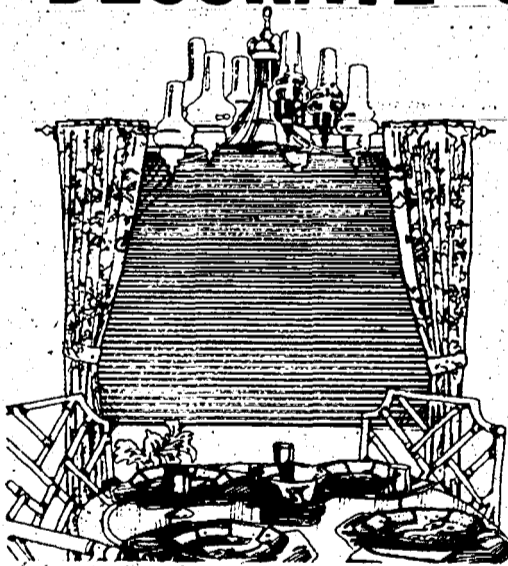


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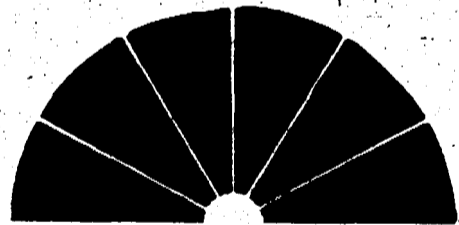
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THE COMMUNITY CRIBER: April 16, 1980

BY CHAS CHILD

Substantial improvement of the Plymouth-Canton Community's bus service is being planned by the Southeastern Michigan Transportation Authority (SEMTA).

The improvements, part of SEMTA's overall plan to improve public transportation in the metro area, includes:

\*More express "park-and-ride" buses to downtown Detroit for both Plymouth and Canton.

\*A feeder system of bus routes through Canton subdivisions to serve the inter-city routes.

\*A commuter train stop along the Ann Arbor-Detroit Amtrak line, probably either at Lilley or Belleville roads.

\*A north-south bus route, between 12 Oaks Mall and Canton Township, connecting Northville and Plymouth.

Emerging from discussions between SEMTA officials, Canton Supervisor Noel Culbert and Terry Carroll, the township's grants coordinator, the improvements may start as early as June. The train stop, however, may not be ready for Canton passengers until 1987, said Carroll.

The current park-and-ride bus from Canton (Ford and Canton Center) to Detroit takes about one hour and 20 minutes, said Carroll. The new park-and-ride route, which may start in September, Carroll said, will cut that time to about 50 minutes by using the Jeffries freeway most of the way.

A similar improvement in the park-and-ride route at the Sheldon Road Ford plant is planned, said SEMTA official John Sajovec. The new bus will stop only once, probably at Five Mile and Newburgh, before it enters the Jeffries and heads downtown, he said.

Another park-and-ride route is planned along Plymouth Road, but Sajovec said he has not secured a parking lot yet for the passengers. One possibility is CEP, he said.

"We are planning to make Plymouth Road a major transit corridor in the next one to three years," said Sajovec. "We think it has great potential."

Recognizing that Northville, Plymouth, and Canton "relate a lot to each other," Sajovec said a regular bus line is planned to link these cities and Twelve Oaks Mall. Planned to commence next year, the line will probably run along Sheldon Road, he said.

To feed this route and others, said Sajovec, SEMTA is considering a series of feeder bus lines through some Canton subdivisions.

The regular SEMTA route that runs along Cherry Hill Road but now stops in Westland may be extended to Canton Center or Sheldon Road, added Sajovec.

When will all these improvements be made? It's hard to say, said Sajovec, but probably this year. A shortage of buses is slowing SEMTA's plans, he said.

As for the train stop, Sajovec said that preliminary cost and feasibility studies on greatly increasing service on the commuter run between Ann Arbor and Detroit have just started.

Currently, Amtrak operates one round-trip on the track for commuters. "We are studying running from three to 11 round-trips," said Sajovec.

This new service may take years to complete, however. Carroll said Canton's train stop could take as long as 1987 to erect, although he expects it might be sooner.

**Scholarships offered**

The Canton Jaycees are offering four \$750 college scholarships for the 1980 school year. All applicants must be residents of Canton and should be able to attend a personal interview the week of May 12 if chosen as a finalist say Jaycees.

Completed applications along with a transcript of grades, must be returned by May 2. For more information, call Robert Lane, 981-1640.

# sports

## Monk, Visser Wayne State bound

BY MIKE HENSHAW

Salem senior Howard Monk, who lead the Rock basketball team this year in scoring, with a 23.3 point average, signed a letter of intent last Wednesday to attend Wayne State University on a four-year athletic scholarship.

Monk had considered Michigan Tech, Lake Superior State, Grand Valley and Ferris in addition to Wayne State, but was most impressed with the Tarter program.

"Wayne State is closer to home and the computer program at the school is great," said Monk. "Also, Vern Payne (head coach at WSU) impressed me as being a fine coach who gets along really well with his players."

Both of the Tartars stating forwards, the position Monk will play at WSU, graduated this year, and although Monk said Payne does not guarantee a starting position to anyone, Monk feels that with a lot of hard work he will be able to see playing time as a freshman.

Under Payne whose team finished 14-13 this year, the Wayne State basketball program has improved over the past three years, another reason why Monk leaned toward the Tartars.

"I would like to try to help out a program that is on the uprise," he said. Also, WSU will play some of its games in the Joe Lewis and Cobo arenas next year, something Monk is looking forward to.

Monk, who is 6-6, started as a junior and

averaged over 10 points a game while leading the team in rebounding. He was somewhat overshadowed by seniors Rich Hewlett and Tom Ellinghausen that year, but this season it was his play which lead the team to another league championship. Monk credits his personal success to Salem coach Fred Thomann.

"I owe alot to Coach Thomann. Without his advice and support I could never have come this far. He told me before my junior year that if I worked hard I have a lot of potential, and he helped me improve my game," he said. "Also, without the help of my teammates, especially Rob Neu and Jim Anderson, I couldn't have done anything."

In addition to Monk, Payne also landed 1979 graduate Eric Thorderson, an All-Suburban League player from Livonia Bentley, who will have four years of eligibility.

Senior Canton basketball star Dave Visser signed a national letter of intent with Wayne State University yesterday joining in the ranks with Salem's Howard Monk and Livonia Bentley's Eric Thorderson.

Visser, who will major in business at the school, played two full years of varsity and made the all-league first team in his senior season. He was also an all-state honorable mention.

"I really like the education atmosphere down there. They have what I want in business and I like coach (Vern) Payne very much," said Visser.

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HOWARD MONK (right) and Dave Visser have both decided to continue their basketball efforts at Wayne State University. The two star players for their respective teams this past season will room together at WSU. (Crier photo by Robert Cameron)

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## New coach readies Salem golfers for season opener

Salem's girls golf squad is ready to open its 1980 season and new head coach Jim Stevens is very optimistic about his team's chances.

"We have a very fine team this year," said Stevens. "I've worked with some of these girls before and I expect five of our six players to have a lot of experience."

Salem will have 10 girls this year and compete in dual meets with six. In high school golf, only the lowest four scores of those six are tallied for points. The other four team members will compete as a junior varsity team.

The Rocks belong to the Central Five League which includes Saline, Willow Run, Canton, and Pinckney.

"I really couldn't say what the other teams in the league are like but Salem has always done well," said Stevens. "I think we have a good chance to win the league and do well

at the regional competition."

The 10 members of the team are headed by captain Nancy Stevens, a junior, and seniors Margaret McGee, Lisa Page and Cindy Welch.

Also on the team will be Yvette Totske, sophomore, Carol Ross, sophomore, Renee Braun, junior, and Lisa Marino, freshman.

Stevens has coached golf at East Middle School for 10 years and is no stranger to the sport.

Stevens believes his team is strong and its only weakness is its lack of control over the weather. "You don't get much chance to workout and get ready when the weather is bad so often."

That complaint is not new but for golfers it has a major effect. The team opens its season tomorrow weather permitting, against Dearborn at Dearborn. Competition starts at 3 p.m.

# Canton diamondmen open season in Cincinnati

The Canton baseball team opened its season on the road against some of the Cincinnati, Ohio area's toughest teams during the Easter holiday, and sloppy defense in both the outfield and infield hurt the Chiefs as they return home with an 0-3 record.

Canton lost to Moellar 8-6 and were drubbed by McNicholas 8-0 and Oak Hills 12-2. The Chiefs were ahead of Reading 3-2 before the game was called on account of rain. Bad weather also cancelled the final two games of the trip.

"We killed ourselves with our defensive play. We couldn't pick up a ground ball and our outfielders had a lot of problems," said Canton Coach Fred Crissey. "We didn't hit or pitch badly, in fact all but four of the runs we gave up were unearned."

Senior Dave Meador hit well during the trip, batting at a .435 pace, as did senior Steve Gray, at .350. Junior Steve Schumacher also did well, hitting .320.

"We didn't play as well as we are capable, which had the players angry with themselves, but we did see enough good things to make us believe we will be alright," said Crissey. "We enjoyed the trip, it did a lot of good things and we were guests at a Reds' game, which the team loved."

Canton opens its home schedule Saturday when the Chiefs face St. Aquinas, last year's class "B" state champion.

"St. Aquinas won the state championship last year and they will be a very tough team to beat this year," said Crissey.

Game time is 12:30 p.m.



IN AN ATTEMPT to keep the base runner close to the bag, Canton's first baseman Dave Meador (5) receives the throw from the pitcher. Meador collected a .435 batting average while the team was in Cincinnati (Photo courtesy of Frank A. McMurray)



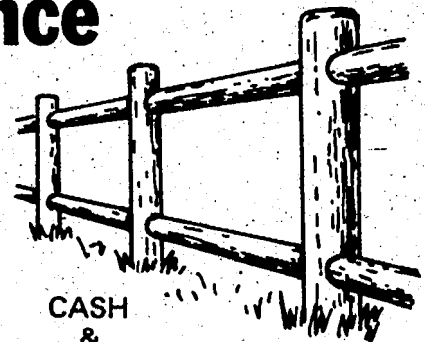
SENIOR CATCHER Frank McMurray swings the bat during one of the Chiefs Cincinnati baseball games over the spring school break. The Chiefs were knocked about in their efforts and failed to win one game. (Photo courtesy of Frank A. McMurray)

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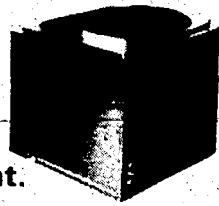
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# Soviets coming to Schoolcraft

Plymouth Salem's Howard Monk will be among the 12 Michigan high school seniors to participate in the Third Annual International Basketball Classic at Schoolcraft College.

The Michigan all-stars will be pitted against the Russian national junior men's squad, which will be in the middle of an eight game tour of this country.

The contest will take place May 10 in Schoolcraft's physical education building.

This is the third time in three years that

the school has been the site of an international game. The game itself will be the second of a doubleheader that night.

Tickets are \$5 in advance and \$7 at the door and are available at all Hudson's stores and at the Schoolcraft bookstore.

The Michigan team, sanctioned by the AAU and the ABA, will be led by three high school All-Americans in the likes of Tim McCormick of Clarkston, Mike Thomas of Detroit Central and Barry Spencer of Detroit Catholic Central.

Monk, who has been coveted with several honors this season, including all-state status will lead the balance of the team which is also stocked full of all-staters.

Monk, a senior, paced the Rocks offensive effort this year and helped the squad win the Suburan Eight League title.

The game will be conducted under international rules. The major differences being two halves instead of four quarters and the use of a 30-second shot clock.

Wayne County and Oakland County all-star teams will open the night in the first game. Both those teams and the Michigan teams will be coached by local community college assistant coaches.

Rocky Watkins is in charge of the Michigan team, while Leonard Cole will coach Oakland and Randy Henry, Wayne.

Watkins is from Schoolcraft, Cole is from Oakland Community College and Henry is from Highland Park Community College.

The remainder of the Michigan team includes Johnnie Bailey, Willow Run; Tony Burton, Grand Rapids Catholic Central; Marty Clary, Clawson; Fred Cofield, Ypsilanti; Dean Hopson, Ann Arbor Huron; Gary Plummer, Detroit Osborn; Bryan Pollard, Detroit; Chadsey and Anthony Scott, Grand Rapids Creston.

Game times are 6 p.m. for the first game and 8 p.m. from the international game.

The last time the Russians visited Schoolcraft in 1978 they walked away with an easy 84-62 victory. Wayne County also won that year, 104-88.



**Basically** by Ken Voyles

The Russians are coming! The Russians are coming! Their junior men's basketball squad that is.

It may seem to be a bad time for this country to host such a team and may people may find it to their disgust but this team that is coming will be good.

It's a chance to see international basketball and you don't need any prejudices to attend the event, just a liking of good basketball.

If this Russian team that will battle a Michigan all-star team, is anything like the squad that played here two years ago Howard Monk and Barry Spencer and the rest better watch out.

Any way you look at it the night will be full of excellent basketball.

That Russian team of two years ago had it in for the Michigan team. By the end of the game heads were hanging because of the 84-62 thrashing.

Here is a chance for revenge but that will take a lot of doing. The Russians play a strict disciplined game with a very patterned offense.

They are also big and use their muscle when they can.

The last time Michigan tangled with the team it was the Russian style against a fast free-flowing game. Unfortunately the Russians were a team and the all-stars were a pack of individual performers.

After eight minutes of play the Russians were ahead 15-4.

By the intermission the margin was 42-32, and although the Michigan team fought hard to regain the momentum the Russians poured it on. With eight minutes left, the score was 61-44.

Soviet coach Vladimir Obukhov had only one thing to say after that game. "The Michigan team was faster than us, but we dominated the boards and won it there."

This time around the Russians are sure to be big but the Michigan unit has some height of its own.

Tim McCormick stands at 6'10", while Gary Plummer is 6'8" and Barry Spencer 6'7". Howard Monk is among four at 6'6".

And yet the key thing is that this unit will have to play as a team to beat the Russians. The Michigan team starts practice on April 19.

Last time around the crowd reached 2,800. I would expect that again considering the joy after the U.S. hockey team's victory and the hope of more athletic revenge, that the crowd will be even bigger.

Basically I look forward to coming this event.

It is hard to say if this Michigan team will be much of an improvement in the face of the disciplined Russians but it's worth the \$5 price tag.

It must also be noted that last year a Michigan team knocked off the junior team from Yugoslavia, but as in everything the Yugoslavs are not the Russians.

I wonder if Vladimir Obukhov is still coaching the Russians?

## Salem baseball team rained out

Two times the Salem baseball team has attempted to get off its opening game of the year. Both times the contests were shelved until later in the year because of poor field conditions.

The Rocks were scheduled to play a doubleheader against Royal Oak Kimball last Thursday. That was called until Saturday and that was called until a later date which is not known at this time.

Coach Brian Gille's squad will take to the field Thursday against Redford Thurston at home. Game time is 3:30 p.m.



CANTON COACH Fred Crissey gathers his entire team for a talk while down in Cincinnati. Crissey doesn't look to pleased with the

situation, even though he has the entire attention of his squad. (Photo courtesy of Frank A. McMurray)

# Cagers sign with WSU

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Visser had also considered Hope College. The decision in favor of WSU came Monday.

"Coach Payne is in a building process right now and is looking for younger players who can step in and contribute to the team,"

Visser said. "I would like to contribute something in my freshman year and I think I can."

Visser added that Payne's style of basket-

ball is familiar. "When I was at Canton I really enjoyed coach Craig Bell's philosophy of the game and coach Bell's style is a lot like coach Payne's."

Payne also picked up Monk and Thorderson this year and could have a solid group of freshman to work with. Visser and Monk will room together at the school.

Visser also hopes to play golf for the Tartans. "It's a spring sport and I see no problems in doing both," he said.

# Sports calendar

Heavy rain and bad conditions throughout the weekend and early in the week have hampered the start of several varsity sports at Salem and Canton. Those cancelled events have to be rescheduled for later in the season.

Up coming sports events include; April 16, Canton tennis home against Ypsilanti, 3:45 p.m.; Salem girls track home against Canton, 3:30; and Canton junior varsity softball home against Westland John Glenn, 3:45.

April 17, Salem baseball home against Redford Thurston, 3:30 p.m.; Canton boys track home against Livonia Churchill, 3:30; Canton softball home against Livonia Franklin, 3:30; Salem golf at Dearborn, 3; and Canton golf home against Dearborn Edsel Ford.

April 18, Salem baseball at Dearborn, 4 p.m.; Salem tennis at Dearborn, 4; Canton

tennis at Livonia Franklin, 3:30; Salem softball home against Dearborn, 4; and Canton softball at Redford Union, 3:30.

April 19, Salem baseball (DH) home against Livonia Franklin, noon; Canton baseball (DH) home against Southgate Aquinas, 12:30.

April 21, Canton baseball home against Northville, 4 p.m.; Canton tennis home against Northville, 4; and Canton softball at Northville, 4.

April 22, Salem baseball home against Livonia Bentley, 4 p.m.; Salem tennis at Bentley, 4; Salem boys track at Redford Thurston, 3:30; Canton boys track at Thurston, 3:30; Salem golf at Brighton, 3; Canton golf home against Pinckney, 3:30; Salem softball at Livonia Bentley, 4; and Canton girls track home against Waterford Mott, 3:30.

# CMU offering soccer clinics throughout July

The City of Plymouth Department of Parks and Recreation in cooperation with Central Michigan University is offering area students a chance to be a part of a soccer camp.

The camp will be held on the campus of CMU and is open to all students entering grades two through grade 12.

One camp for students in grades 2-6 will be held on July 14-18, while a second camp will be conducted July 21-25 for students in grades 7-12.

The camp will be run by CMU head coach James Hornak and his staff.

For further information contact Paul Sincock at the Parks and Recreation at 455-6620.

# Golf leagues schedule organizational meetings

The Senior Citizens Golf League, sponsored by the Canton Parks and Recreation Department will hold its organizational meeting April 28 at 10 a.m. at the Recreation Center on Michigan and Sheldon.

There will also be an organizational meeting for the Women's Golf League also sponsored by the Canton Parks and Recreation.

That meeting will be held at 1 p.m. April 29 at the Township Administration Building. League play will be Friday mornings starting in May.

The fee is \$10 (does not include greens fee). Registration will be in person or by mail.

Send registration to Canton Parks and Recreation 1150 Canton Center Rd. 48188.

Further information is available at 397-1000.

# Salem Koufax baseball team schedules try-outs

The Plymouth Salem Sandy Koufax baseball team will be conducting try-outs April 25, 26, and 27 for all boys 13-14 years old who are assigned to attend Salem High.

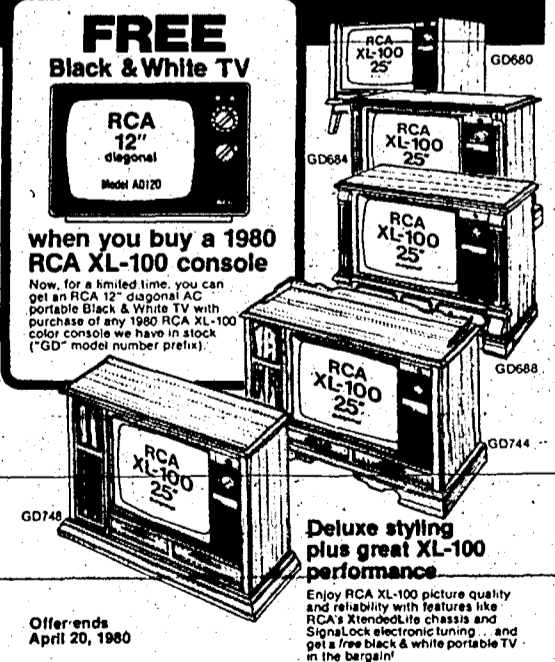
The team is a part of the Northwest Amateur Baseball League and will hold all three try-outs at Central Middle School. On Friday, the session will start at 6 p.m., while on Saturday and Sunday the session will be from 12:30 onward.

For further information contact Ron Riedel at 455-9513 after 6 p.m.



HOWARD MONK, seen here in action against rival Canton in his final game with Salem, hopes to play varsity basketball with the Wayne State Tartans. (Crier photo by Robert Cameron)

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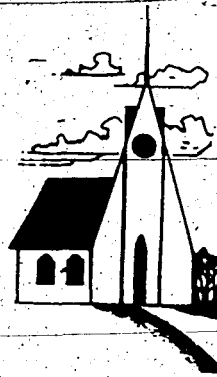
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**Pops concert coming**

PREPARING FOR the Plymouth Symphony's annual Pops Concert are, left to right, Denise Edson, ticket committee; Cheryl Toles, ticket committee; and Susan Butzlaff, decorations committee. The concert is scheduled for Saturday, May 3, 8:30 p.m., at Pioneer Middle School. (Crier photo by Robert Cameron)

**community deaths**

**Smith**

T. Leroy Smith, 35, of Belleville, died April 4 at Wayne County General Hospital. Funeral services were held April 12 at Schrader Funeral Home with Dr. William M. Stahl and Pastor John F. Losen officiating. Burial was at Riverside Cemetery.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thelbert Smith of Plymouth; wife, Shirley; daughters, Jodi Lee and Brenda Marie and brothers James and Jerry of Plymouth.

Mr. Smith was a factory worker.

**Carlson**

John S. Carlson, 87, of Livonia, died April 3 at Hendry's Convalescent Center. Funeral services were held April 8 at Schrader Funeral Home with The Rev. Philip Rodgers Magee officiating. Burial was at Riverside Cemetery.

He is survived by his wife, Gladys; daughters, Catherine Noble of Milford and Elburna Armbruster of Plymouth; brother, Frank Carlson of Austin, Texas; two grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Mr. Carlson retired from the Ford Motor Company in 1958. He came to the community in 1927.

**Landeryou**

Margaret Rose Landeryou, 58, died April 2 at St. Mary's Hospital in Livonia. Funeral services were held April 4 at Lambert Funeral Home with The Rev. Philip Magee officiating. Burial was at Arlington National Cemetery in Arlington, VA.

She is survived by her mother, Irene Honeycutt of Detroit; daughters, Susan Landeryou of Canton and Nancy Landeryou of Derry, N.H.; sister, Iris Leinweber of St. Clair Shores and brother, Kenneth Honeycutt of Lusby, Md.

Mrs. Landeryou was a former secretary for I.T.T. in Plymouth.

**Hawes**

Martha E. Hawes, 73, of Plymouth, died April 10 at St. Mary Hospital. Funeral services were held April 12 at Schrader Funeral Home with The Rev. Douglas Mercer officiating. Burial was at Riverside Cemetery.

She is survived by her husband, Garnet; sons, Charles of South Lyon and George of Big Rapids; sister, Hilda Kinnunen; brothers, Andrew and Carl of Hancock and two grandchildren.

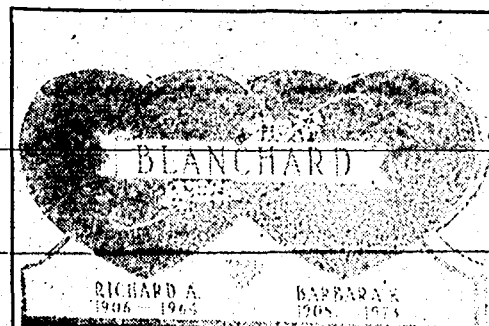
Mrs. Hawes was a homemaker who came to the community in 1970. She was treasurer of the Northville Eastern Star No. 77 and was active in the Rainbow organization.

**Belton**

Bascom R. Belton, 43, of Plymouth Township, died April 9 at St. Mary Hospital. Funeral services were held April 12 at Schrader Funeral Home with Lt. William Harfoot officiating. Burial was at Parkview Memorial Cemetery.

He is survived by his parents; his wife, Audrey; son, Bascom Jr.; daughters, Wendy, Mildred and Audrey; brothers, Glenn Jr. of South Carolina and Robert of Belleville and sisters, Fannie Meadows and Joanne Wilhoit of Ypsilanti.

Mr. Belton was a long time resident of Plymouth and a former grinder.



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\*As a result of the Headlee Amendment, school officials will rollback 1.32 mills from the district's operating millage. The loss of local tax revenues is \$1,098,000.

"There's almost a guarantee" that the governor will order an executive cutback for schools, said Supt John M. Hoben. This may mean about a \$325,000 loss in state aid.

\*An annual inflation rate in the 20 per cent range hikes up prices for energy, supplies, and other items used in the district.

Overall, the district expects to lose about 15.3 per cent in revenues from the state during the next school year. In comparison, local revenues are up 17.4 per cent and county revenues are up by 11.6 per cent.

Spiraling utility prices are also reflected in the school budget. Officials expect a 25 per cent increase for electricity, 26 per cent increase for heat and gas, 21 per cent increase for telephones, and a 14 per cent increase for water.

Also included in the budget are higher costs for school personnel as a result of settling some of the district's contract negotiations. Three groups -- the teachers, bus drivers, and secretaries -- don't have final settlements on their contracts. Contracts

for seven employe groups expired last summer.

The 1979-80 budget shows \$34.4 million in projected expenditures and \$35.1 million in projected revenues. The projected balance is \$750,835.

School officials prepared the budget for the Wayne County Tax Allocation Board which has allocated 8.9 mills to Plymouth-Canton schools for the past 10 years.

"This is not the final budget," Supt. John M. Hoben told school board members Monday night. "But it's the floor from which we start."

"There'll be some adjustments before administrators submit a final budget for the board to approve as the 1980-81 budget," he said; This preliminary budget was accepted unanimously by the board.

## Canton ZBA post open

Due to the resignation of Jim Kromberg from the Canton township Zoning Board of Appeals applications are now being accepted to fill the post. Interested persons are asked to send resumes to Noel Culbert, Canton Township Supervisor, 1150 Canton Center Rd., Canton, MI 48170, telephone 397-1000.

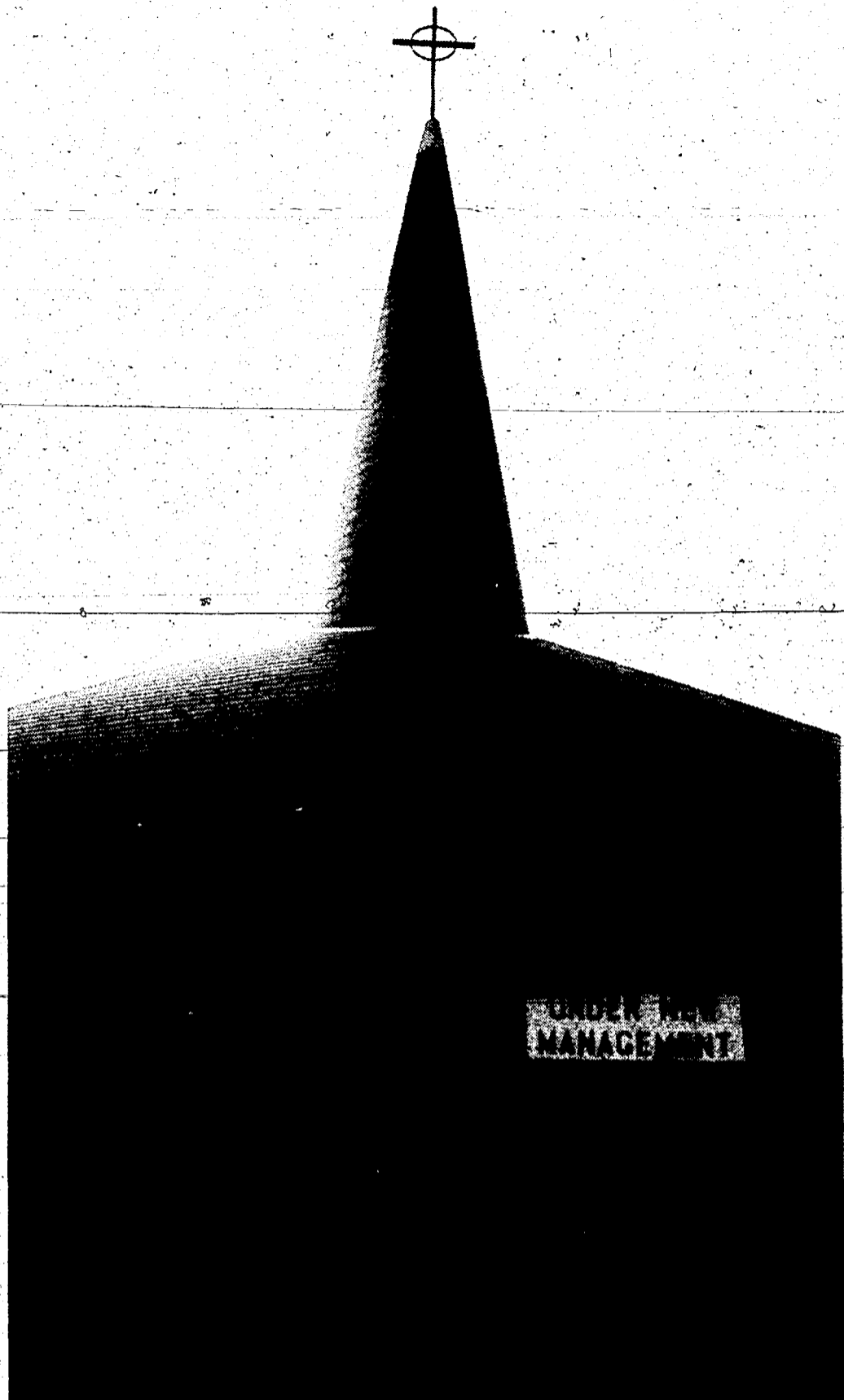
## Trustees to attend Frisco classes

"Evaluation of School Instructional Programs," "Identifying and Dealing with Citizen Concerns," and "Getting the Most Out of Your School Bus Dollar" are among the clinics that two Plymouth-Canton Board of Education members will attend April 19-22.

Trustees Elaine Kirchgatter and Sylvia

Stetz will spend four days at the National School Boards Association convention in San Francisco.

A workshop on "School-Public-Relations Management by Results" at the meeting will be lead by Florence Beier, administrative assistant for community relations for the Plymouth-Canton Schools.



## A sign of the (unsettled) times

GENEVA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH in Canton announced last week that it is "Under New Management." Does it know something we don't know? . . . In any case, for those of us of a less theological bent, the sign refers to the church's new minister, Ken Gruebel. (Crier photo by Robert Cameron)

## Bus-ed conference set

Plymouth-Canton Business and Education Week activities have started, although the actual events will take place May 12-16. Both Plymouth and Canton Chambers of Commerce are asking their members to schedule afternoon tours for students and teachers, while the schools are preparing for breakfast open houses at the high school vocational facilities.

In the next few weeks, both townships and the city, both chambers of commerce, and the Plymouth-Canton Board of Education will pass special proclamations recognizing May 12-16 as Business and Education week.

The idea for turning the third annual Business and Education Forum into a week of joint activities came from the Plymouth-Canton Education Committee. This group, which includes representatives from the Chambers of Commerce and the schools, has been working together for three years.

The goal of the Plymouth-Canton Education Committee is to provide for communication and cooperative interaction between business and education in the Plymouth-Canton Community.

This year's forum will be Friday, May 16, from noon to 1:30 p.m. at the Mayflower

Meeting House, in conjunction with the regular meeting of the Plymouth Rotary Club.

Invitations are being sent to Chamber of Commerce members, Rotary Clubs, Business and Professional Women, government officials, school board members, school staff, and students.

## Christian athletes to meet at East Middle

The Plymouth-Canton chapter of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes will meet on Saturday, April 26, at 8 a.m. in the Cafeteria at East Middle School. Morley Fraser, assistant to the president and director of continuing education at Albion College, will be the guest speaker.

The public is invited to attend. There will be a continental breakfast served at a cost of \$2 for adults. Children and young adults will be admitted free.

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## Curiosities

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Thank you very much Kriss from First National Bank of Plymouth for your excellent shorthand job in the Napoleons Ad. Our deepest appreciation.

Fran

Hi, Mom & Dad in Nametown.

-Namekid

## Curiosities

Seeking information from anyone who attended the Ruin Your Health Seminar Friday P.M.: Did we have a good time?

MARDA- you shouldn't be sliding down bannisters at your age. Hope the collar bone mends soon.

MIKE: So you didn't put in that curio. Sorry, bro.

TINA, get the mustard. Are you coming home?

GEE, GRACE - maybe I have African sleeping sickness. Don't worry, your coupon is good tonight.

Bob, just 11 more days -- no big deal.

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AUNT HELEN - Jessica may have a cast iron stomach but she also has CHICKEN POXI (A pox on our house)

KING TUT is now a dirty dozen.

MIKE ROBERTS: the jig is up. Your boss knows we want to steal you.

Peter found a treasure in the ladies shower room.

## CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH BOARD OF TRUSTEES - SPECIAL MEETING APRIL 10, 1980

Supervisor Notebaert called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. All members were present except Mr. West. Mrs. Fidge moved that the Planner, Attorney and Supervisor draw up a letter asking the State Department of Transportation to sell part of their excess property at the corner of North Territorial and Beck Road to the Township Hall because of its obvious advantage for use as a fire station site. Supported by Mr. Breen. Ayes all.  
Mrs. Hulsing moved that the meeting adjourn. Seconded by Mr. Breen. Ayes all.  
The Supervisor closed the meeting at 8:02 p.m.

THOMAS G. NOTEBAERT, SUPERVISOR

ESTHER HULSING, CLERK

These minutes are a synopsis. Official minutes are on file in the Clerk's office.



## NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING CITY OF PLYMOUTH MICHIGAN

Notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing on the proposed 1980-81 Budget of the City of Plymouth will be held in the Commission Chamber of the City Hall, 201 S. Main Street, Plymouth Michigan, on Monday, April 28, 1980, at 7:30 p.m. Said proposed Budget includes Federal Revenue Sharing Funds to be used for Capital Improvement Projects at various locations within the City, as set forth in the following Budget Summary:

Fund	Budgeted Amount	Percent of Fed. Funds
General Fund	\$3,278,570	0%
Major Street Fund	164,395	0%
Local Street Fund	201,690	0%
Capital Improvement Fund		
Federal Revenue Sharing	173,030	100%
General Debt Service Fund	232,275	0%
M.V.H. Debt Service Fund	41,445	0%
Cultural Center Fund	430,920	0%
Parking Fund	133,210	0%
Sewer Fund	342,960	0%
Water Fund	512,935	0%
Equipment Fund	326,270	0%
Cemetery Fund	65,850	0%

All interested persons are invited and urged to attend this public hearing, at which time ample opportunity will be given for all citizens to appear and be heard. All requests for added municipal services or improvements or curtailments in any items of service, or other municipal functions, should be presented at this hearing, in order that consideration may be given same before approval of the 1980-81 Fiscal Year Budget by the City Commission.  
Copies of said proposed Budget are on file and available in the Office of the City Clerk during regular office hours.

GORDON G. LIMBURG  
City Clerk

Publish: April 16, 1980

## CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH BOARD OF TRUSTEES - REGULAR MEETING APRIL 8, 1980

Supervisor Notebaert called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. followed by the Pledge of Allegiance. All members were present. It was moved by Mrs. Fidge, supported by Mr. Law that the minutes of the Special Meeting of March 31, 1980 be approved as corrected. Ayes all. Amended minutes are on file in the Clerk's office.

Mrs. Lynch moved that the minutes of the regular meeting of April 1, 1980 be accepted as amended. Supported by Mr. West. Ayes all.

It was moved by Mr. West and supported by Mr. Breen that the bills of \$26,293.61 for General Fund, and \$78,080.17 for Water and Sewer Department, totaling the sum of \$104,373.78 be allowed. Motion carried unanimously on a roll call vote.

Mrs. Hulsing asked that as Item 5 under Old Business the subject of "Director for the Parks and Recreation Department" be added to the agenda, and as Item 6 "Wayne County Sheriff's Contract. It was moved by Mrs. Lynch, supported by Mr. West to approve the agenda as submitted with the two items added. Ayes all.

Mr. Breen moved that the Board of Trustees accept the report of Mr. Anulewicz and incorporate it into the Willoughby property purchase file to be reviewed at the time all the final conditions have been met by the sellers at final closing. Supported by Mr. Law. Ayes all.

Mr. Breen moved that the Board approve the recommended agreement of the Golf Course Committee, as submitted with the addition of the words "whichever is greater" in paragraph 2 and approve the fees as presented. Seconded by Mrs. Lynch. Motion carried on a roll call vote with Mrs. Fidge voting no. (The agreement set the 1980 golfing fees and Mr. Jawors payments under the lease agreement).

Mr. Breen offered the following Resolution: Be it hereby resolved that members of the Compensation Commission meeting as a committee are directed to investigate and make recommendations as to the total compensation package of all non-contract Township Employees. Be it further resolved that it include in that compensation direct hourly wages and all fringe benefits for the same employees. Be it further resolved that the same committee be directed to meet Wednesday, April 30, 1980. Supported by Mrs. Lynch and carried unanimously on a roll call vote.

Mrs. Fidge offered the following Resolution: Be it resolved that the Board of Trustees of the Township of Plymouth direct the Compensation Commission to meet on April 30, 1980. Supported by Mr. West. Ayes: Lynch, Fidge, West, Notebaert, Hulsing, Breen, Law. Nays: None. Resolution carried unanimously.

Mr. Breen moved that the Board direct that Park Maintenance be assigned to the Water and Sewer Department and that the Superintendent be authorized to hire up to five additional seasonal workers as the need arises to maintain the parks and pavilion. Supported by Mrs. Fidge. Ayes: Fidge, Law, West, Breen, Notebaert. Nays: Hulsing, Lynch. Motion carried 5-2.

Mr. West moved that the Board of Trustees accept the contract with the Wayne County Sheriff as submitted, the contract to be effective May 1, 1980 and that the Supervisor and Clerk be authorized to sign said contract. Supported by Mr. Law. Ayes: Law, Hulsing, Lynch, West, Notebaert. Nays: Fidge, Breen. Motion carried 5-2.

Mr. Breen moved that the Board adopt the recommendation of the Clerk, entering into a contract with Progressive Machines to maintain the Township typewriters for \$712.00 per year. Supported by Mr. Law. Ayes all.

Mrs. Fidge moved that the Board of Trustees allow 18 1/2% per mile to employees driving on Township business. Supported by Mr. West. Ayes all.

Mr. West moved approval of the transfer of \$1,440.00 from Contingency #941 to Public Relations Account under Township Board 101-885 to cover participation with the City of Plymouth in the "Meals on Wheels" Program. Supported by Mrs. Fidge. Ayes all.

Mr. Law moved that the Board authorize Mrs. Fidge and Mr. Hollis to attend the Flood Hazard Management Training Institute for a total cost of \$435.70 minus any reimbursement which they might be entitled to and that upon her return Mrs. Fidge should issue an analysis of any information gleaned she deems necessary. Supported by Mr. Breen. Ayes all.

Mrs. Fidge moved that Mr. Carne explore the possibility of securing water for fire service only from the City of Plymouth and return with something in writing and at the same time Mr. Bailey is to review adjacent vacant property to Plymouth Place that can possibly be developed and relevant water data. Supported by Mrs. Lynch. Ayes all.

Mrs. Fidge moved that the Board of Trustees direct the Planning Commission with all due haste to look at all excess property in the Township and advise the Board as to what parcels of land might be useful to the Township, prioritizing the listings with reporting in 60 days. Supported by Mrs. Lynch. Ayes all.

Mrs. Fidge moved that a Special Meeting of the Charter Township of Plymouth Board of Trustees be held on Thursday, April 10, 1980 at 7:30 p.m. for the discussion of Fire Service Areas. Supported by Mrs. Lynch. Ayes all.

Mr. West moved the meeting adjourn. Seconded by Mrs. Hulsing. Ayes all. Mr. Notebaert declared the meeting adjourned at 10:44 p.m.

THOMAS G. NOTEBAERT, SUPERVISOR

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Modern women rate their men on a scale from one to ten -- but what's a girl like me to do with a man who's twenty two?!

## Curiosities

LOVE IS your kid having the chicken pox and still being close to her. (Scratch, scratch.)

CONGRATULATIONS Tom McKercher for your swimming letter.

IT WAS A HOT TIME at Village Fireplace Saturday -- congratulations Earl et al.

JACKIE: welcome to the pack. Tell your friends to keep their eyes on the curiosities.

THANKS Ross for the trucks and tractor -- Jessica

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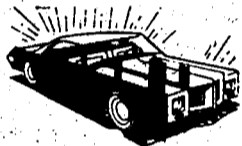
'77 Ford F-250 4x4 351, stick, PS, PB, AM, 12.00 x 16.5 wagon wheels \$4,300 or offer, 455-3458.

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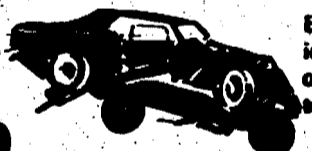
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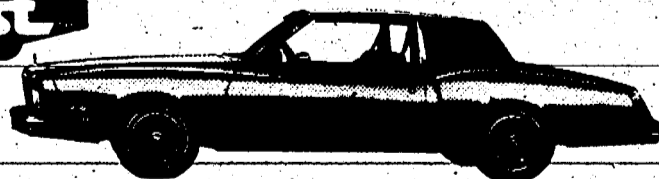
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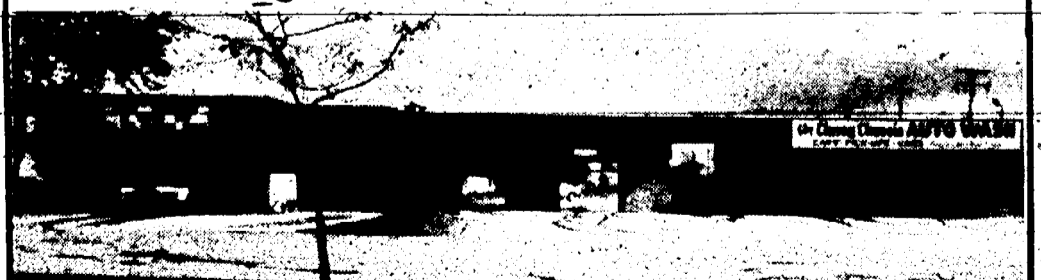
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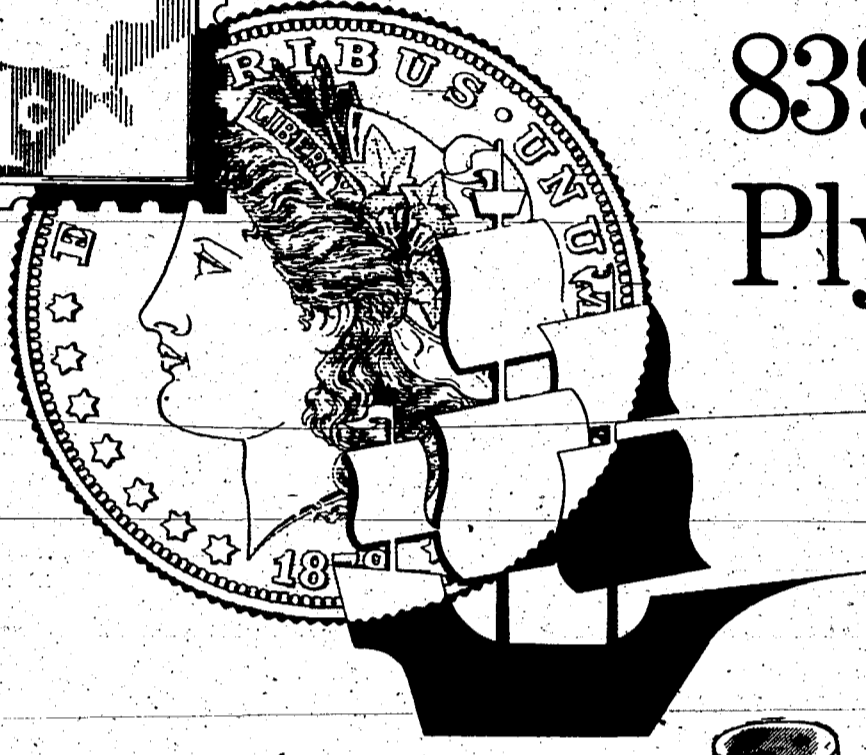
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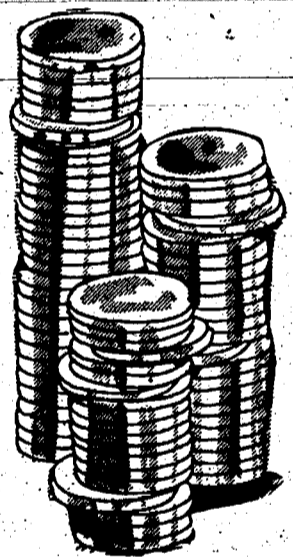
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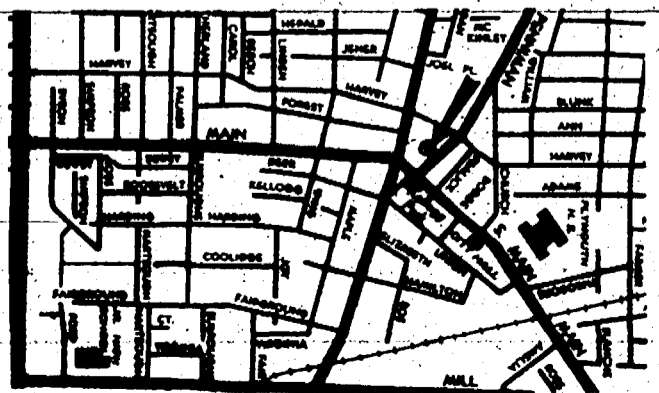
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