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Lack of water dries up Plymouth Township firefighting efforts

FIRE BROKE OUT April 5 in several of approximately 40 trailers in a lot at the back of the Plymouth Industrial Park, off Eckles Road near I-275. According to Plymouth Township Fire Chief Larry Groth, township firefighters responded at about 11 p.m. but were hampered by the lack of useable fire hydrants. Assistance from Canton and Northville Township tanker firetrucks was needed to put out the blaze, which eventually caused

approximately \$33,500 damage, according to Groth. Five trailers were demolished, including one that had already been involved in an earlier, fatal fire. Groth said for years local firefighting officials have called for installation at the park of hydrants which are not tied into building sprinkling units, as are the hydrants currently available there. (Crier photo by Robert Cameron)

Record field turns out for lone June 8 race

8 vie for 1 school board seat

BY DAN BODENE

Eight candidates have entered the race for a seat on the Plymouth-Canton School Board, a record number for an election with only one board vacancy.

As of the filing deadline yesterday, petitions had been certified for Marilyn Rickard, Ernest C. Rumsby, Christopher B. Clements, William H. Decker, Charles

Washburn, David C. Bone, Edyth Aninos and Stephen G. Harper.

Four of the candidates live in Canton, three live in Plymouth Township and one is a city resident.

Rickard, of 41927 Hystone, Canton, registered to vote in school elections in March, 1978. Since then, she has missed only two of a possible seven elections.

Rumsby, of 44554 Savery, Canton, registered to vote in March, 1980. He has not voted in a school election although he was eligible to vote in two.

Clements, of 1360 Hartsough, Plymouth, is the only city resident to file a certified petition. Registered in June, 1980, he voted in the last election, in January.

Decker, a Plymouth Township resident at 12784 Haverhill, registered to vote in May, 1969. Since then he has voted in all 22 school elections he was eligible for.

Washburn, of 13300 Ridge Rd., Plymouth Township, registered to vote in November, 1971. He has missed only one of a possible 16 school elections.

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Proposed city budget holds tax rate constant

BY KEN VOYLES

The City of Plymouth's proposed 1981-82 budget does not call for a tax increase nor is a tax cut in the works. However, the budget could get complete facelift after the May 19 state ballot is counted.

On that ballot is Governor Milliken's state tax cut proposal which could effect the city's tax rolls with a loss of \$293,000, if it passes. Then, according to City Manager Henry Graper Jr., the budget will have to be redone to take the change into account.

If the proposal fails then the budget can stand as is, he said.

Working with a new budget format, which breaks the areas down into departments, Graper has cut the operating levy from 11.8073 mills to 10.6382 but at the same time increased the debt levy from 2.4107 to 3.7385 to

stabilize the total levy at 15.95, the same as estimated for 1980-81.

Graper does not foresee any great increases in service charges and fees for city residents, although revenues could climb only about six per cent this year as compared with an estimated 13 per cent

climb in expenditures.

Part of the revenue loss will come from the one per cent collection fee now paid for by tax payers in the Plymouth-Canton School District for the expenses in tax collection. A lawsuit is still pending on the constitutionality of that charge.

"We had to do a significant amount of shaving in the operation budget," said Graper. "We've worked hard for no tax increases and to be ready for what might happen May 19."

Some operation areas that have been trimmed include funding for conventions and conferences, rental costs, insurance costs and the converting of city vehicles to six and four cylinder engines.

Another way of saving money in the future will be the hiring of 20-hour people for as many of the positions available. That way fringe benefits will not be increased.

Another area of revenue decrease will come when the city does away with at least half of the parking meters in town. Graper said almost \$22,000 could be lost.

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Easter egg hunts planned

Both the Plymouth and the Canton Parks and Recreation offices are sponsoring an Easter Egg Hunt for local children under 12 years of age, April 18.

The Plymouth hunt will start at 11 a.m. at Hamilton Park, at Wing and Harding Streets, two blocks east of Main Street.

Special prizes will be awarded to winners in each age group and adults are invited to join in the festivities.

Canton's hunt will be at 10 a.m. around the Township Administration Building on Canton Center Road. Age groups will be 4-5 year olds, 5-7 year olds and 8-10 year olds. There will be special prizes for lucky egg finders.

For further details on Plymouth's hunt call 455-6620, while for Canton's call 397-1000.



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NORMAN KELLMAN

Who is Norm Kellman, why does he hate Nazis?

BY DICK BROWN

On Saturday, March 28, when the members of the American Nazi Party started a rally at Kellogg Park in Plymouth, Norman Kellman of Plymouth stepped up to the line of uniformed Nazis standing at parade rest, grabbed one of the placards and ripped it to shreds.

His action resulted in a confrontation and some shoving and threats of more violent actions, prompting the Plymouth police department to step in and break up the rally. The Nazis were then ordered to leave the area.

Who is Norman Kellman and what compelled him to take that action?

Part of the answer can be obtained by reading his letter to the editor on the community opinion pages of this issue of The Community Crier. More of the answer comes in the following account of his background written in his own words.

"My dealings with the Nazis began in my teen years, around 1936.

"Being of German extraction, I had relatives in Germany who used to write my family telling them of all the wonderful things that were happening over there. Hitler was turning their economy around and rebuilding the country so it could once more have a voice in the world. I was so proud that I was a German that I seriously considered joining the Hitler Jugend or the German-American Bund.

"The U.S. entered the war and I sort of pulled in my neck a bit. But all this talk about concentration camps and the mistreatment of Jews was all lies and propoganda to get us mad at the Germans. I believed it.

"I was drafted and reluctantly went overseas. I was in the thick of the fighting

but my heart wasn't in it. That was—until I had the terrible experience of liberating a labor camp.

"The Germans had already pulled out of the area and we were moving in. The group of men I was with were approaching a sort of barbed wire enclosure.

"Someone in the enclosure hollered out something and people no more than human skeletons started to stream out of a building behind the barbed wire. They all started to cheer us as we approached but instead of waiting for us, they started to tear themselves trying to get through the barbed wire to get to us. We tried to gesture to them to wait for us, but they kept coming through the barbed wire. For some of them it was their last living effort and they lay dead with their arms outstretched toward us.

"For those who made it to us, they fell on the ground to kiss our feet.

"Something inside me snapped. I tried not to believe what I was seeing. The next thing I knew I started to vomit.

"I don't remember now where this place was. Time and age have taken their toll.

"Throughout the years I have tried to blot this experience from my mind, but every time I see someone carrying a sign with the hakenkreuz, or swastika as they call it, something inside of me takes over.

"Even now, I wish that my Kellman name was Jewish instead of German.

"I also abhor communism."

Kellman concluded his personal account by saying that three times in writing this message, he had to stop and compose himself before finishing.

So, that is why Norman Kellman did what he did at Kellogg Park in Plymouth.

Pending Twp. approval

City OKs local library takeover

BY KEN VOYLES

If the City of Plymouth commissioners get their way Dunning-Hough will withdraw from the Wayne County Library System and the city will take over the operation and management of the library.

Monday night on the advice of city attorneys, the commissioners passed a resolution pulling from the system and forming a public library under Public Act 161 and 1877.

The resolution's time point, however, is based on the arranging of a contract by June 1 with Plymouth Township for use of the library.

Right now the library is funded by the city, the township and Canton Township, although Canton's share has dropped drastically since the township's own facility was completed and started operation late October last year.

The city pays for 23 per cent of the expenditures incurred by the library, while Plymouth Township picks up 50 per cent. Canton's was also higher than the city's last year but has dropped down to an estimated 20 per cent this year according Dunning-Hough head librarian Pat Thomas.

The funding, said Thomas is based on a support formula worked out by the county's system, from which the city is withdrawing.

If one community uses another's library more than 10 per cent it is obligated to share in the expense. The percentage works on the base of books checked out.

The library contains 42,000 books and ran its circulation to 177,00 last year. Last year Canton checked out some 42.5 per cent of the books, while Plymouth Township used 37.5 per cent and the city 20 per cent. As if every book in the library was checked out four times in a year, said Thomas.

City Manager Henry Graper Jr. reasons are based on dollars. The employees of the library, including two full time workers, and five half-time workers, plus five student assistants are Wayne County employees.

"Some of the figures from Wayne County don't make sense. They budget \$50,000 and the bills come to over \$90,000," said Graper. "We see that the employees are paid fringe benefits on an average when we only have two full-time employees that get benefits. The total cost is about \$100,000 and a half full-time workers and 10 hours."

We need to do an evaluation of wages compared to city and township employees," Graper added. "Mayor Robert Brown (Plymouth Township Supervisor) and I feel now is the time to get out of the system. We would have a contract of our own and if the employees can't accept it they can move to other Wayne County Libraries."

The specifics for that contract haven't been worked out said Graper.

To pay for its new share in costs—up to 50 per cent—the city's new 1981-82 budget allocates \$83,325 for the library, down from an estimated \$106,517 for the 1980-81 budget ending June 30. Of last year's figure, however, almost \$47,000 has been and is being spent on library improvements and general update.

This year's book budget is for about \$30,000, while the magazine budget is about \$2500 said Thomas. Although quitting Wayne County, Dunning-Hough will remain a part of the Wayne-Oakland Library Federation (WOLF). The library gets most of its books from WOLF.

Canton's facility is also with WOLF, but it is an independent organization with an elected board and gets its funds from a

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City schedules budget sessions

The City of Plymouth will conduct three study sessions and hold a public hearing to discuss the proposed 1981-82 budget.

The study sessions will be held April 13, 14 and 15, if needed, to look at the proposed budget before the public hearing.

That hearing is slated for April 27 in the commission chamber on the second floor of City Hall and will start at 7:30 p.m.

Oakwood offers free health tests

Oakwood Hospital of Dearborn will provide free screening tests, health care information and counseling at the Canton Township Hall April 11 as part of the metropolitan area wide program called Project Health-O-Rama.

Services available at the hall 1150 S. Canton Center Road, include height, weight, blood pressure testing, vision screening, anemia testing, glaucoma testing, nutrition and drug information.

The program will be made available from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and no appointment

is necessary. You must be 18 years or older.

Health-O-Rama is sponsored by WXYZ-TV, Blue Cross-Blue Shield and United Health and will be running through April 16 at area locations. The program is free of charge.

Volunteers from Oakwood Hospital, Eastern Michigan University School of Nursing, Canton Business Professional Women's Association and the Canton Chamber of Commerce will be on hand to assist.

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Schools re-examine goals for district

Plymouth-Canton School Board members have examined a proposed set of district-wide goals and objectives for 1981-82, and have suggested a reorganization of business goals.

An original list of 24 goals was submitted to the board by the Strategic Planning Core Committee, in the areas of business, instruction, employe and community relations. According to Superintendent John Hoben, a number of the goals are carried over from the 1980-81 school year.

Board members first examined the business goals, which included development of a computerized inventory system for the bus service garage, revision of the food service program, and establishment of an energy conservation program and a new purchase order system.

Trustee Glenn Schroeder suggested several business goals be combined under a general "computer goal," including an examination of the district's use of the Wayne County Intermediate District computer.

"It seems to me it is just a large checkwriter," said Schroeder. "We need

to evaluate if we are proceeding in the best and most efficient manner."

Board members directed the Budget Committee to reorganize the business goals, which will later be re-submitted.

Proposed instructional goals included completion of an on-going reading study; determination of a systematic approach for program evaluation; and development of a plan defining instructional leadership for administrators, coordinators and key instructional staff.

Kim Massey is pageant finalist

Kimberly Massey, Plymouth, has been selected as a state finalist in the 1981 Michigan National Teenager pageant which is scheduled at the Plymouth Hilton Inn on May 1, 2 and 3.

The Plymouth contestant is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Massey, 15103 Maplewood Lane. She is being sponsored in the pageant by Minnesota Title Insurance Co. and Little Caesars Enterprises.

Employe relations goals included development of processes to control and report teacher absenteeism, to upgrade teacher evaluations and to screen job application files.

Community relations objectives included establishing a District Communications Committee of citizens, employes, administrators and students; publishing a district newsletter; formulation of a district communications plan; and completion of a district-wide attitudinal survey.

She is a student at Canton high school where she participates in swimming. Other hobbies include water skiing, collecting spoons and traveling.

The Michigan National Teenager pageant is the official state finals for the national pageant which will be held in August. The winner of the state pageant will receive scholarships and an all-expense paid trip to the national competition.

Contestants will be judged on scholastic achievement, leadership, poise, personality and appearance. Each contestant will participate in the national teenager volunteer service program and will recite a 100-word speech on the pageant theme, "What is Right About America."

Plymouth township will ask for bids on Haggerty bike path

Plymouth Township is going ahead on the bicycle path-sidewalk project for Haggerty Road. Township trustees authorized Norman L. Dietrich Associates to advertise for bids for the construction work which will provide a bicycle path-walkway from Bradbury Condominiums to the K-Mart Shopping Center. Cost of the project is estimated at \$19,500, with the money coming from revenue sharing funds.

Bids will be opened Wednesday, May 1, at the office of the township clerk.

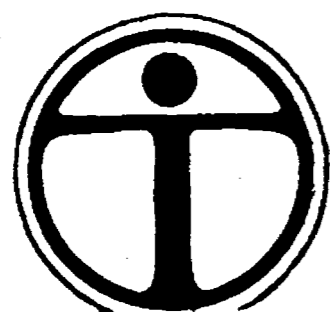
Trustees also authorized bids to be taken for the Green Meadows water main replacement project to be received and opened on May 1 at 3:30 p.m. at the clerk's office.

Estimated cost of this project was placed at \$100,000 with the funds coming from 1979 and 1980 block grants.

New TAG director to explain program

The Plymouth-Canton Association for the Academically Talented will present Mrs. Cheryl Johnson, new director of the Talented and Gifted (TAG) program for the Plymouth-Canton School District at a program on Wednesday, April 8, in the Pioneer Middle School starting at 7:30 p.m.

She will address parents and educators on the topic of TAG. She will describe the process in the Plymouth-Canton school district which places a child in the district's TAG program. She will also answer questions on the TAG program.



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Money raised will go to benefit WSDP's programming for the coming year and to help the station purchase a new audio board for its main studio in Salem High.

The auction will take place at the WSDP station and will offer merchants a chance to gain some promotion time through their donated items said Radio Auction Central Committee Co-Chairman Jeffrey Cardinal.

Any item auctioned on the station's broadcast will remain in the place of donation along with an official WSDP Auction Display Card, until redeemed by the winning bidders.

For more details contact Cardinal at 453-3100, ext. 266.



'Scientific' guess wins \$20,000

"HOUSE OF NAILS" contest winner Robert Kennitz of Plymouth Township (right) receives a \$20,000 check from Dave Pink, president of the Builders Association of Southeastern Michigan on March 26. Kennitz guessed the exact number of nails in a special display at the Builders Home, Flower and Furniture Show by taking his birthdate, 4-7-39, and adding a zero. It was his tenth annual try at the prize. (Photo by Santa Fabio)

Once-bitten, twice-shy Hamlin goes to dogs

David Hamlin, of 624 N. Evergreen, Plymouth, has seen enough Brittany Spaniel dogs in the past two weeks to last a lifetime.

Hamlin was bitten by a Brittany on Monday, March 23, and was seeking the dog to insure it was not infected with rabies. By Sunday, March 29 he was satisfied he found the one that bit him.

Because the dog had had its shots, Hamlin did not have to undergo an extensive and painful series of rabies vaccinations.

Hamlin started his investigation on March 25, and after checking with neighbors on his street he came upon the first of many dogs. However, its owner proved to Hamlin's satisfaction that the dog never got loose during the day.

On Auburn Street, Hamlin came across what eventually turned out to be the right Brittany. The dog acted strangely when he advanced to get a close look at it, said

Hamlin. The dog's owner, Douglas Breed, was not home at the time, so Hamlin waited.

"Mr. Breed couldn't believe his dog would bite anybody," said Hamlin. "It had had its shots and it acted very much like the dog I had picked up, so I was fairly satisfied."

By Sunday Hamlin had received several more calls about Spaniels roaming the city near Evergreen. One of the calls described a dog which looked and acted like Breed's, said Hamlin. Later it was confirmed that on that afternoon the dog had hopped the fence and was on the loose.

"After that I summarized it was the dog. I still kept getting calls and I still kept checking them. All the dogs I looked at had had their shots," Hamlin said.

He added that he was amazed at how many Brittany Spaniels there were in that area of Plymouth alone.

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AREA RESIDENTS packed Canton Township Hall last weekend for the annual Red Cross Blood Drive, co-sponsored this year by the Children's Leukemia Foundation and the Dingeldey family of the township. More than four times the usual number of donors

responded to the call for blood donations, said Red Cross volunteers. According to blood drive organizers, Canton firefighters also provided much-needed help in making the drive a success. (Crier photo by Dan Bodene)

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Plans start for annual Canton Country Fest

Plans are already underway for the 6th annual Canton Country Festival, according to Festival Committee president Flossie Tonda.

Scheduled August 7, 8 and 9 at Griffin Park, the festival will include such activities as a Koufax World Series baseball game, with teams from all over the U.S.; a soccer tournament for area players; a photo contest; a Detroit Red Wing - All-Star tournament for Muscular Dystrophy; an invitational golf tournament; and a five-mile run.

In addition, several other ideas that have been proposed include a historical tour by shuttle bus, a produce growing contest, a pie or cake baking contest and store displays within the festival theme.

Several committees have been formed to work out the details of the event, including those for concessions, headed by Walt McCrea; dinners, headed by Jim Davison; entertainment, handled by Arnie Williams; financial, chaired by Bill Tesen; and grounds, headed by Jack Koers.

In addition, Country Festival organizers are seeking an original design for the logo of the event. Anyone wishing to submit a design featuring the logo,

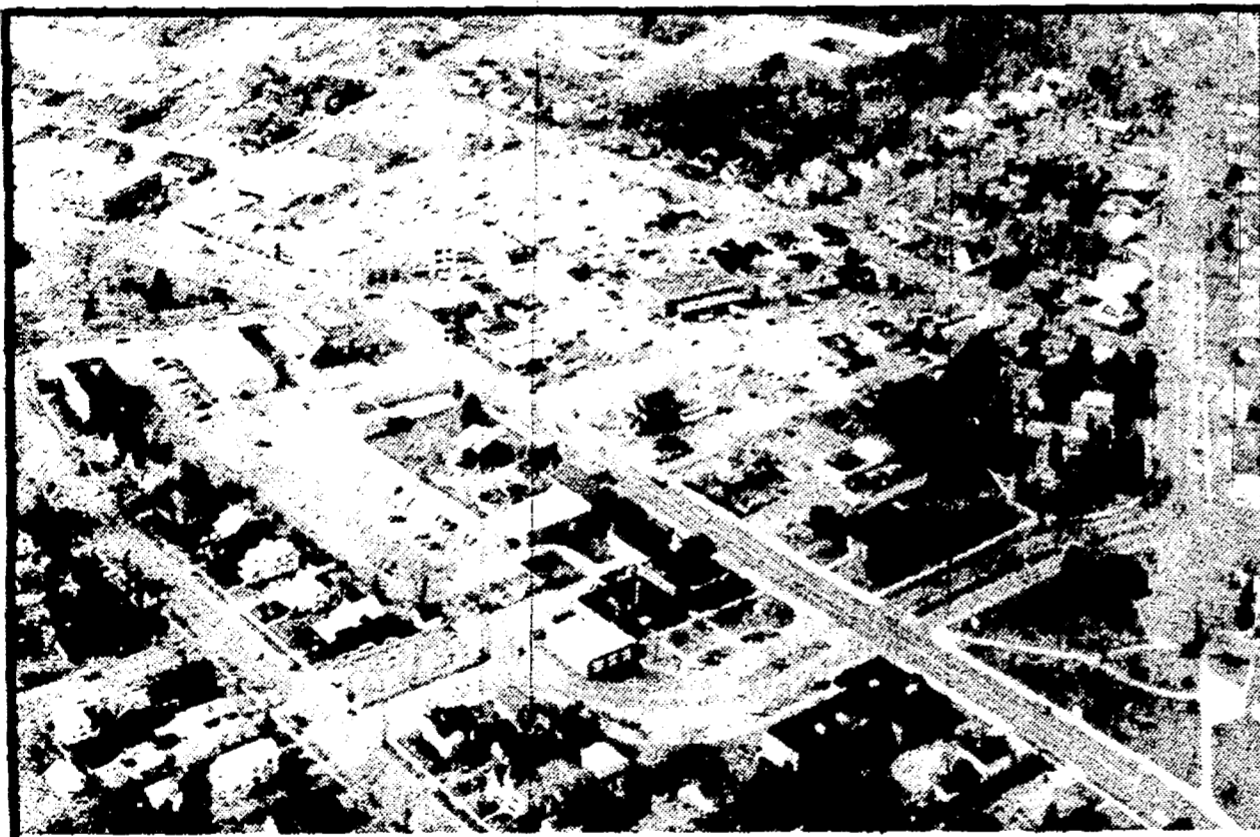
slogan and theme of the Festival can contact Frank McMurray at 455-3200, or send entries to the committee headquarters at 44520 Michigan Ave., Canton 48188.

Festival committee members say they are looking for a full community awareness of the event, which last year was attended by more than 5,000 persons.

Canton's administration has been very cooperative in helping to plan the event, says Tonda. Many township department heads have assisted with acquiring approvals for sidewalk sales, banners, signs, promotions and displays, she said.

The Festival Committee, elected recently by the Chamber of Commerce, includes president Tonda, first vice president Hank Johnson, second vice president John Schwartz, treasurer Bill Tesen, secretary Sharon Palise, and members Bob Padgett, Art Winkel, Jim Davison, Greg Gatto, Walt McCrea, Jack Koers and Heather McLean.

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Young artists

DISPLAYING their ribbons after the judging for the Gallimore Art Fair were, from left, Jonny Borke, a 2nd prize winner for Track D; Mona Khurana, 2nd prize winner from Track B; Margie Fang, 1st prize winner from Track B; and Jon Paupore, 1st prize winner from Track D. In its 3rd year, the Gallimore Art Fair featured winners in all 4 tracks. Grand prize winners, selected from track 1st prize winners, will have their work judged at the Plymouth Artfest on May 30. (Crier photo by Robert Cameron)

How's Detroit convention business?

Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce members will get the scoop on the operations of the Metropolitan Detroit Convention and Visitors Bureau at their meeting April 21 at Hillside Inn.

Sally Meese, Commercial and Visitor Development Coordinator for the Bureau, will report about the Bureau's efforts to increase group tour business in the tri-county area. She will also present some ideas on how Plymouth area accommodations and attractions can benefit from the promotional efforts of the Metropolitan Detroit Convention and

Visitors Bureau.

Meese is a tour and travel management graduate of Michigan State University. She joined the Bureau in 1978 as supervisor of the Visitor Information Center.

In July, 1979, she was promoted to her present position. Her responsibilities include booking group tour business for the metropolitan area through the Detroit Showcase Program.

The April 21 meeting will start with cocktails at 11:30 a.m. and lunch will be served at noon.

Energy Fair--part 2-- is Sunday

The City of Plymouth's Energy Program will be holding its second Energy Fair this Sunday at the Plymouth Cultural Center.

The fair will run from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. and will include exhibits relating to solar energy, wood heating, electric heat pumps, replacement windows, heat loss principles and future PEP (Plymouth Energy Program) activities.

Admission is free and the Cultural Center is located at 525 Farmer Street behind Central Middle School.

C of C nominates Wilson, Walker

The Plymouth Chamber of Commerce nominees for the American Legion Businessperson and Industrialist of the Year are in. Margaret Wilson of the Penn Theatre was nominated at Businessperson of the Year and Bob Walker of Packaging Corporation of America was nominated as Industrialist of the Year.

Wilson has lived in Plymouth since 1945. She began working at the Penn Theatre in 1945, became general manager in 1950, a partner in 1960 and purchased the theatre in 1964.

She has served on the Plymouth

Symphony Board of Directors and managed the Symphony's summer concerts. She has served four terms on the Board of Directors of the Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce and is presently on the executive board. She was president of the board for two years.

Walker is the general manager of the Packaging Corporation of America and has been with the company over 13 years. He has been active in the Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce and Junior Achievement. He lives in Northville, is married and has one daughter.

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community opinions

Basically by Ken Voyles



A decision is fairly close at hand between City of Plymouth officials and the Wayne County Road Commission, or so it would seem.

Plymouth wants monies returned for road construction that has never been started, while Road Commission officials have said it cannot move under the FAUS (Federal Aid Urban Systems) project until sometime in 1982. Apparently some Federal funds were withdrawn from the project and the Road Commission was unable to start it last year.

Last week Road Commissioners discussed the situation at their regular meeting and decided they better move on the matter before the city files a lawsuit.

On Friday, city officials and Wayne County officials will meet in Plymouth to discuss the return of that \$339,545.82.

Other county officials will also be meeting with other city officials in an effort to get the entire picture, including the condition of the proposed sites, the feasibility of completing the project, and whether or not a compromise can be worked out.

Now, it would seem obvious, is the time for the two parties to work out a compromise. The city may need the money more than the actual work, but it has already jumped into the boiler and it would be hard to jump out, without possibly getting burned in court.

The county needs to clarify its position with the city and these upcoming meetings would be the time to do it.

School decisions made in advance

EDITOR:

I would like to address this letter to the people in our community who are upset with the recent School Board decision to change boundaries and to place Bird and Fiegel Schools on ESY.

I feel the Board made their decision long before March 16. Granted, the Board listened to our requests to consider other alternatives besides ESY, but they didn't hear us. Any changes that were made were token changes.

We can still voice our disapproval of Board actions and that is at the voting polls. It is up to us to let the Board know

we will not forget what they have forced upon us. The only way to do this is to elect new people to the Board, not only this year, but every year until the present Board members are replaced. I only wish Dr. Hoben was an elected official.

Our first opportunity to elect a new board member will be in June when Mr. Harper comes up for reelection. When the Board made the decision to accept the modified Plan III, they did so with only six members. Mr. Harper was conveniently on vacation. I, for one, would have liked to have known where Mr. Harper stood on this issue.

LILLIAN BERLIN

CEP drug problem called real

EDITOR:

It's a well known fact that the high school is being overrun with a serious drug problem. I'm not talking about a minor drug problem such as marijuana or alcohol, although taken by high school students, these can be serious drugs.

I'm talking about drugs such as LSD, mescaline, amphetamines, heroin, etc.

Unless the authorities can do something to alleviate the problem, we should take a good look at who is running the security section of Plymouth Centennial Education Park.

Parents, let's get together and start asking some questions about how we're going to keep our children from falling into this dangerous life of drugs.

A CONCERNED PARENT

It takes two to communicate

There's an old story about the fellow who walked into the doctor's office and was greeted by the receptionist with the question, "What do you have?"

"Shingles," he replied, so she ordered him into another room, took his vital statistics and medical history and told him to wait.

Fifteen minutes later the nurse arrived and again he was asked, "What do you have?" Again his answer was, "Shingles."

So she told him to take off his clothes, took his blood pressure and a blood sample and asked him for a urine sample.

A few minutes later the doctor arrived and for the third time the man was asked what he had and for the third time his answer was, "Shingles."

"Where?" asked the doctor.

The man's answer was, "Outside on the truck. Where do you want me to stack them?"

Obviously, there was a communications problem between the man and the doctor and his staff.

The story comes to mind after listening to debates on a couple of hot issues

drawing crowds in the Plymouth-Canton area the last few weeks.

One has to do with school boundaries and the Extended School Year plan. The other involves proposed group homes for the mentally retarded in the city of Plymouth and the townships of Canton and Plymouth.

In both cases there has been plenty of dialogue, both spoken and written, by proponents and opponents. Yet there is definitely a communications problem. Nobody seems to be listening or reading and, definitely, very few are making any attempt to understand.

Whether it be local government problems in Plymouth, Canton Township or Plymouth Township, the school district or the county, state or federal governments, there is a great deal of misunderstanding, not only of the issues themselves, but of the arguments for and against those issues.

Communicating takes at least 2 parties with both parties listening as well as talking.

Let's try it

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Coloring It Brown By Dick Brown

There are a lot of words written and spoken about the apathy of American people being one of the root causes of most of our governmental problems.

Lack of interest on the part of voters, lack of interest on the part of qualified and capable candidates and lack of interest in what those elected to office are doing are always cited when a critic is looking for reasons for government being in its present poor shape.

For many years I have been covering government bodies at the county, city, township and school district level. That coverage has been in such areas as Ingham county and up in the stump country of Roscommon county.

I have tended to be one of those critics who blamed apathy for the troubles of local government and the inroads the state and federal governments have made in usurping what were once considered local responsibilities.

A year ago I made a switch from northern Michigan to Wayne county. For the past year I covered such local governments as Belleville city council and Sumpter township. I saw very little which would change my mind about the apathy of citizens in regard to their local units.

Time and again city councils, township boards and school boards appeared to be playing to empty houses.

Boards and commissions faced with monumental decisions operated in a vacuum. Budget hearings drew a handful of department heads and administrators but few citizens. Attendance at board and commission meetings was limited to those with some personal complaint or those

pushing some special interest.

It doesn't have to be that way, though. In my 6 weeks in the Plymouth-Canton area I have been forced to change my opinion. Local government is working with full citizen participation.

It is standing room only at most school board meetings in the Plymouth-Canton school district. Canton township officials certainly aren't playing to empty chairs. There is a healthy interest in Plymouth township and the Plymouth city commission.

All that interest is healthy.

It can be measured in many ways, not the least of which is that elected officials have to keep on their toes because the electorate is there watching and listening.

Such interest also pays off when it comes election time. There is interest-an interest that is lacking in too many communities.

I have seen city councils and city commissions forced into drafting candidates. Time and again I have seen local governmental units forced to by-pass primaries because there is no interest on the part of candidates.

That's not so here in this community.

A good example is the upcoming school board race in which one seat is to be filled. As of the deadline Monday there are eight candidates in the race. That is a healthy sign and a sign that there will be lots of interest on the part of the voters in that school election in June. That interest will be demonstrated with a larger turnout.

Yes, local government is alive and well in the Plymouth-Canton community.



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Nazi sign-ripper explains his actions

EDITOR:

How can I explain my actions on that Saturday the Nazis held a rally in Kellogg Park?

I have no objections to any group's freedom of speech or exercising of their rights under the first amendment.

I guess this amendment gives them the right to use expressions like "nigger," "Jew," "kike," "spick," "polack," etc. That's their privilege in a free society. It is not in my power to change any person's prejudices.

But when I saw the signs those poor misguided souls carried with them and the symbol of the "Hankenkreuz" they had painted on them I guess I just went berserk. I approached one of the young men and asked if he knew the meaning of the that symbol.

He said, "To me, that is the swastika, a symbol of friendship."

I told him that he identified himself with the Nazis and therefore that made the symbol a "hakenkreuz," and with that, I seized the sign and tore it up. The fellow next to him made a threatening gesture at me with the handle of his sign. Throwing all caution to the wind, I dared him to hit me. I told him to go ahead, "I don't have a helmet and he does."

He started to remove his helmet and then is when the police stepped in.

Thank goodness! I was out of my mind and might have killed someone. (I have medals for killing Nazis in 1945.)

All my hang-ups had returned and were taking over my mind if that brief encounter again. Thank goodness it was stopped in time. I am ashamed I overreacted. That was just what those Nazis wanted, "Heil Hitler."

NORMAN KELLMAN

Starkweather change opposed

EDITOR:

We have just received word that our principal is going to be replaced by a stranger! Does the school board realize what that means to Starkweather? When it is time for a millage vote the cry is, "This is for the children. Our children should not be deprived. Our children should have the best!"

Well, in Mr. John Howe we have the best—the best principal, the best counselor, the best human being who could oversee a school in a socio-economic level such as Starkweather. There can be no reasoning, no excuse for such a move as this!

John Howe has been a teacher in this school for many years before he became principal. I might add, he became principal by popular acclaim of the parents here at Starkweather. He understands the family situations, the unique problems the children face in our many one-parent homes, and the behavioral problems arising from such situations. His empathy with the parents and especially with the children is well known and, of course, appreciated. It takes a special understanding, a special rapport, and quite importantly, a knowledge acquired over the years to handle a school like Starkweather.

Our school has always been at the bottom of the totem pole when it came to everything. We are the only one in the system which does not have an intercom system; we had to share our principal with Tanager for quite some time to the detriment of both schools and the frustrations of the parents and children. But in order to function at our present high level we should not be deprived of a full time principal who has contributed so much to that high level of achievement, staff contentment and parental approval.

How can you people, without knowledge of this situation, make such a decision? It is unbelievable that 262 families can just be tossed to the wind and in effect told you are really not important. What we decide for you is what is best for you!

We have unusual problems coming up in the next school year what with redistricting, displacement of teachers, etc. We need to have familiar people at the wheel to smooth this upcoming school year, to explain why this and that are necessary. Mr. Howe is especially qualified to do this here at Starkweather because he has the trust and the confidence of the people. They know he is on their side and if he says it has to be done, so be it. But they know he will do his best to make it easier for them.

Mr. Howe is not only the principal at Starkweather. He is a confidant, a mentor, and more especially, a friend to the parents and children alike. He is available when they need him, which has to be one of the best attributes a principal can possess. If not available, he will return a call as soon as possible. People know he cares about them. And this caring did not happen overnight. This trust the parents and children have in him did not happen the day he was appointed principal. It happened over the years when he proved his caring by listening and counseling, and being there when needed.

It would be a very traumatic change for Starkweather school if this change is allowed to take place. With all the unsettling events in the world, the unrest, the uptight nature of everyday living, we do not need to have our children's school world disrupted by losing our principal. We need him!

ELIZABETH M. FISHER
Teacher-Aide

In addition

by Dan Bodenc



Just when I thought I might have a somewhat quiet time until the summer activities gear up, I and the rest of the staff find ourselves wrestling with budgets.

Federal income tax statements aren't even due yet, but most local governments (as well as the state) are working on next year's financing. Which, by the way, looks pretty bleak, although I doubt that's news to anyone.

Although at least Canton is proposing a tax cut and the City of Plymouth is hoping to hold steady, unfortunately the school district is facing a much tougher time. I hate to be the voice of doom for anyone, but it looks as if there are going to be major reductions on every front in community schools.

Residents in Plymouth, Plymouth Township and Canton should be aware of what is happening to their community's financing, as well as that of the school district. All of these units will hold public hearings on their proposed budgets, and it behooves taxpayers to attend them.

Each administration also has staff available to answer questions from residents — that's a big part of what they are there for.

Plymouth-Canton taxpayers should also pay very close attention to upcoming ballot issues and special elections. Before pulling that lever for a "tax reduction," school board or City Commission candidate, do a little research. Someone once said there are two sides to every story, and the truth is often somewhere in between.

Get out and vote. Participate in the decisions that will directly affect you and your children. Find out about things

you're not sure of, or want more information on. It's really tough to legitimately complain about an election or a budget once the time to speak out has passed. There is an opportunity for everyone to have their say.

When I and the rest of The Crier's writers slog through each budget and election story, we'll try to provide as much pertinent information as we can.

It's not just another story to us, just as it shouldn't be just another budget or election to you.

Plymouth Symphony League apologizes for concert sellout

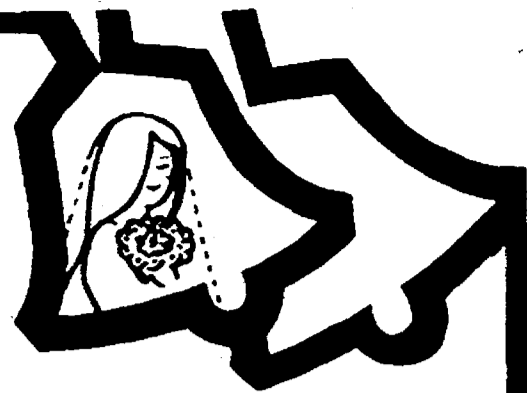
EDITOR:

Members of the Plymouth Symphony League are sorry to have disappointed so many parents and children who were unable to purchase tickets for our April 11 Young People's Concert.

We sold out of tickets even before the end of our scheduled school sale dates and there were no tickets for public sale.

We are gratified by the overwhelming response of the Plymouth-Canton community and hope to add a second performance next year to accommodate all who wish to attend. We feel a commitment to bring live musical performances to the youth of our community and are thrilled to see an ever enlarging, eager audience.

JANET REPP
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community opinions

Joyner explains road responsibilities

EDITOR:

You can call me County Commissioner . . . You can call me Commissioner . . . You can call me Your Commissioner . . . But please do not call me Drain Commissioner, Civil Service Commissioner or ROAD COMMISSIONER.

Not a day goes by without my being contacted by a resident of my district asking me to take care of their poorly maintained road. I am pleased to work with the road commission to get a response to any and all citizen complaints and problems . . . however one thing must be understood. I am not on the Wayne County Road Commission. I do not have any say over what work they do or do not do. The Road Commission Employees do not work for the Board of Commissioners.

The Wayne County Road Commission is not a part of the General Fund of Wayne County. Not one dollar of property tax revenue goes to the Road Commission. The money used to maintain roads and plow snow comes nearly 100 per cent from the gas and weight tax revenue collected.

The Road Commission is run by a three-member Road Commission, each appointed for a six-year term.

I cannot pick up the phone and tell the

Road Commission what to do with their money. What I do is to work with the resident in trying to get the Road Commission to solve his problem. This is the one area that I spend most of my time, serving as an ombudsman for the residents who have problems with the Road Commission. Yet I have no say over their operation.

I have asked the Road Commission to provide me with a listing of the total dollars spent in Canton and Plymouth over the past three years. I have also asked them to provide me with a listing of the dollars each of those communities would have received had the gas and weight tax gone directly to the township.

Once we have this information we will be in a better position to decide whether or not to seek a change in the law to allow for the money to go directly to the local townships.

So, please do continue to call me with your problems with the Road Commission and I will see that an answer is returned immediately. But please recognize that under the law with which we operate I do not run the Road Commission.

Perhaps we should rename the Commission the Michael Berry Road Commission.

That way there will be no confusion.

R. WILLIAM JOYNER

Gas cannister may be used as an offensive weapon

EDITOR:

"Tear gas cannister packs a legal punch."

The above headline recently appeared in a Detroit newspaper and my immediate reaction to it was not its use as a "protective" agent for the innocent, but a legalized weapon, and a very effective one at that, for use by molesters, robbers, etc. on their intended prey. The article went into great detail as to how these products are immediately effective (and dangerous.)

While it sounds like a very protective agent; I see it just as deadly as a gun in the hands of the wrong person and just as controversial as the control of firearms. It's my understanding these products can be easily obtained at most any store. Unfortunately, just like firearms, curtailing the sale of these products to certain individuals would not deter crime and would not stop the wrong individuals from obtaining either from other sources.

My concern is twofold. First, there will probably be many kinds of products produced for use by the innocent to protect themselves, however, while these products may be intended to make a person feel more secure, I see them as more effective instruments for the criminal.

Second, I'll tell you what would make me more secure, is knowing we have adequate police protection--patrolling our neighborhoods, freeways, busy public areas, etc., and knowing that if you encounter a problem, help is near. Reducing police protection, in my opinion, shows the worst judgment possible in prioritizing monies. No wonder we see statistics indicating dramatic

increases in crime. The decrease in police protection is obviously on the side of the criminal no matter how you look at it.

A way must be found to increase police protection. Now we're faced with the prospect of criminals being released from jails and-or prisons because of overcrowded conditions. There's something seriously wrong here. The professional criminal has it made, and it is up to us to find ways to protect ourselves. I'm a very patriotic citizen but strongly feel the average citizen is just as entitled to security as our top level government officials.

What can be done?

And while I am at it I'd like to take this opportunity to give a lot of credit to Sheriff Lucas and many of his deputies for their dedication to our law enforcement and personal needs.

BEVERLY HOWARTH

Canton C of C gets good marks in effort to involve citizens

EDITOR:

As a resident of Canton Township I would like to commend the Canton Chamber of Commerce for their effort in taking the leadership role in getting us, the consumer, involved in the business community.

They have reduced their membership dues for individuals from \$25 to \$15 in order that we may become involved, active, and share in each other's concerns and to work together in solving them.

Each quarter the members have an informative luncheon meeting with a speaker. They encourage any interested resident to attend as a guest.

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'Please save our apartment'

OUT IN THE COLD last Wednesday night were these concerned Honeytree Apartment residents, waiting for Canton firefighters to extinguish a fire in one of the buildings. Damage was extensive in one apartment, where firefighters say the blaze may have started in a ceiling exhaust fan. (Crier photo by Robert Cameron)

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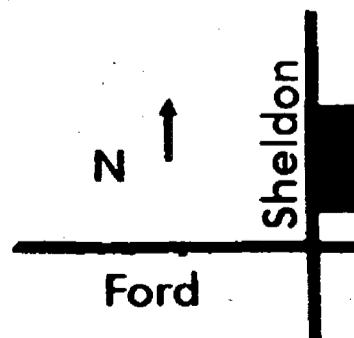


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There's a lot more to China than all the tea...

A trip to the fabled land of China almost ended before it had started for David and Janet Campbell, of Plymouth. They were on their way to a series of dental lectures in that mysterious land and had come all the way across the ocean.

Landing in Shanghai, cross winds played havoc with the jet liner the couple, and their group were on. As the wheels touched ground the left wing slanted downward and dragged along the runway doing damage to that part of the plane and causing Janet Campbell to think that the trip would be over before she even got off the plane.

The plane made a safe landing, but the group, Detroit Clinic Club, was forced to wait hours before it was ready to take off and lift them to their destination in Peking.

The group, of which David Campbell was a member, had been invited by the Chinese Ministry of Health to come to the country and do a series of lectures on advanced dental techniques. The DCC has been to 10 other countries around the world and the Chinese officials heard about the group and invited them.

The trip started March 1 in the U.S., lasted 19 days and included stops in Peking, Shanghai, Canton, Nanking.

"I never dreamed in my life that I would go to China," said Janet Campbell. "The entire trip was exciting and I'll have great memories of it all, including that plane flight."

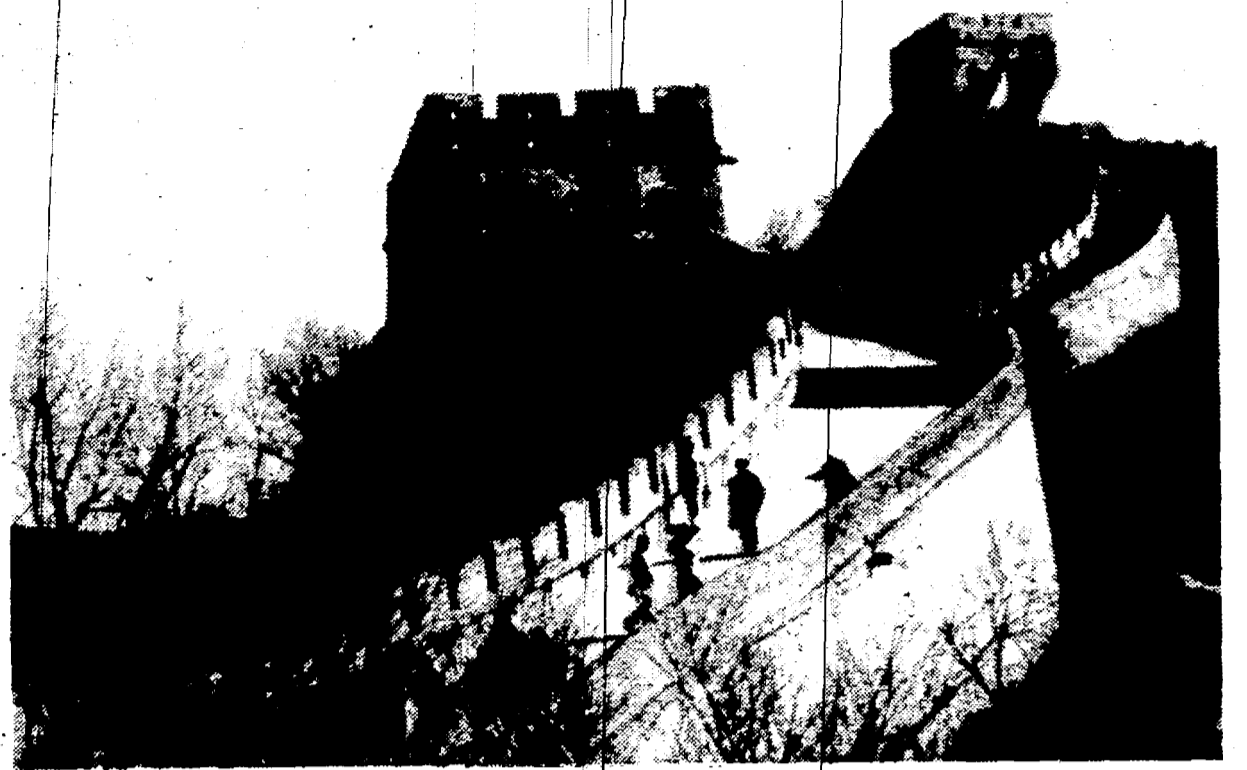
The group gave a series of lectures in various hospitals in the above cities. All dental work is done in hospitals since there is no private practice in the country. According to Janet, the facilities were not very good and sanitation was less than adequate. "They seemed to be about 50 years behind us," she said.

The trip to the country was paid for by members of the group, but once in the country the ministry of health covered all expenses. "We lived like kings in a fine hotel and the food feasts were just fantastic, almost undescribable," Janet said.

The trip was conducted through the SATEC (Sino-American Technical Exchange Council) which sponsors exchange programs in many areas of medical, industrial and commercial fields.

"Communism is certainly not for this country but it has helped China very much," said Janet. "Their tendencies are toward capitalism and someday they'll swing that way and oh what a market."

"At the Great Wall there was an individual with two camels and you could



THIS IS THE GREAT Wall of Northern China as seen by Plymouth residents David and Janet Campbell on their recent trip to the ancient land.

get your picture taken on one of the animals with the wall behind you," she continued. "Farmers are encouraged to grow excess supply and then to sell it and in the large cities on the sidewalks are all kinds of small businesses including restaurants, barber shops, shoe repair, barrel makers."

She added that hardly any cars are seen, except those for the more important officials and that bicycles abound in the millions.

"I felt like I was seeing the edge of a coming out by the country," Campbell said.

The group visited Chinese department stores, went to the ballet, saw children's play and were constantly entertained by high officials in the ministry.

Newspapers were everywhere. They were usually posted in glass cases stretching down the sidewalk or in a plaza and were always crowded.

Two things in China surprised the Plymouth residents. One was the heavy addiction to smoking and the other was the terrible condition of the people's teeth. "Their one vice, if you could call it a vice, was their constant smoking. And they walk around sucking on sugar cane. You could see their teeth were very decayed," Campbell said.

In Peking, the group was given a demonstration into the uses of acupuncture in dental work. Campbell

said she had thought acupuncture on the lines of hypnosis but was convinced of its viable use when she and others in the group were demonstrated on. "It certainly brought forth the anesthesia," she said.

David Campbell spent the entire trip with a broken leg and was very lauded by the Chinese as being one with strong will.

"We even had a luncheon in a summer palace in Peking. It's sort of like having a picnic at Mt. Vernon, it's not something you can do without the consent of important officials," she said.

Simon's 'Chapter Two' rehearsals in progress

Rehearsals are now in progress, for the upcoming Plymouth Theatre Guild production of Neil Simon's two-act comedy "Chapter Two."

Directed by Vestus J. Spindler, III, the play is a love story of George, a widower, and Jennie, a divorcee.

"Chapter Two" will be presented April 24 and 25 and on May 1 and 2 at 8 p.m. at Central Middle School in Plymouth.


Tickets are \$3.50 for adults and \$2.50 for students under 18 and senior citizens, and may be purchased at the door or by calling Karen Groves at 420-2161.



DAVID (LEFT) and Janet stand in front of the 500 steps at the tomb of Dr. Sun Yat-sen with their interpreter.

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Phyllis Redfern is on vacation this week. This week's Tell It To Phyllis column was written by Mary DeGrande, Livonia Bentley senior and The Community Crier's special projects expert.

Diet books are so wonderful. Just read the instructions, buy the prescribed foods, and follow the rules for that perfect figure. Unfortunately, getting into shape is easier read than done.

Personally, I enjoy reading the book. I usually flip to the planned menus section and try to find a day I like. If it's Tuesday, then I'll proceed to have a week that goes something like Tuesday, Wednesday, Tuesday, Thursday, Tuesday, Friday, and so on. Of course, the book warns against substitutions, but when your skin starts flaking off—it's time to switch from fish. (Likewise for salad if your ears start to grow.)

The next task is to buy the "healthy" food at the grocery store. I usually peer into the basket to see dozens of red cancer warning labels glaring back. It doesn't help when a harassed looking mom goes by with a cart containing boxes of Oreos, Twinkies, Pop-Tarts, and endangered Saunderson's cakes. At the check-out I find myself asking—how come it costs more to eat less?

Well, I've got all the right foods, but the book doesn't tell me what to do when I get a Big Mac Attack. Besides, I'm on the committee to save Saunderson's and I need to support my cause.

Cutting through the excuses, my problem stems from being a weekday dieter. Throughout the day my halo shines as I reach for diet pops, celery, and carrot sticks. But, come the weekend, look out!

I can't ostracize myself from the family. I upstage the television actors while crunching on fruits and vegetables during shows. Everyone else is politely nibbling on soft cookies, pretzels, and pizza. My sister accuses me of being "boring" when we go out for lunch. She wants to order something dangerously brimming with calories, and I'll turn around and say "I'll have a salad." Then Dad decides to make his famous spaghetti sauce and I'm sunk. Diet books might make great reading but I think I'll stick with my copy of Betty Crocker's Desserts.

William F. Lawton and Steven Murray of Canton, and James E. Sidor of Plymouth, made it on the Dean's Honor List of the School of Management at the University of Michigan-Dearborn for the Fall, 1980 term. They had to achieve at least a 3.4 grade point average while carrying a minimum of 12-credit hours.

Michael E. Sherwood, a 1980 graduate of Plymouth-Canton High School, recently completed his training at the Missionary Training Center of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints in Provo, Utah. He has been assigned to Madrid, Spain for missionary work.

West presents library paper

Marian West, librarian at Plymouth-Salem High School, has been invited to present a research paper at the June 26-July 2 national convention of the American Association of School Librarians-American Library Association. The paper is one of only four selected from the entire United States to be given at the Research Forum session. The report is entitled Planning and Evaluating Library Services at Plymouth Centennial Education Park. Based on "A Systematic Process for Planning Media Programs," by Dr. James Liesener.

Mrs. West has also been asked to

present this paper at the University of Michigan School of Library Science seminar for field service students on April 21.

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Open from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. on April 8, 9 and 11 and from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. on April 10, the show will feature works by many local artists and will be judged by Lula Nestor, a noted artist and teacher from Ann Arbor.

Works available for review include those by Martha Barnes, Jean Bologna, Joyce Fredricks, Jesse Hudson, Ellen Kenney, Dorothy Koliba, David Lamb, Doreen Lawton, Okema Lee, Nicanor

Lopez, Betty Manthey, Fifi and Cuyler McCutchan, Kathy Montgomery, Audrey Paul, Trudy Deitz, Lorene Vines, Linda Ahktar and Florence Hirshmann.

AAUW to discuss medical-ethical issues

The monthly meeting of the Plymouth Branch of the American Association of University Women will be held April 9 at 7:30 p.m. at West Middle School. The topic will be "Ethical Decisions in Medicine in the '80s; Technology, Money and Rights."

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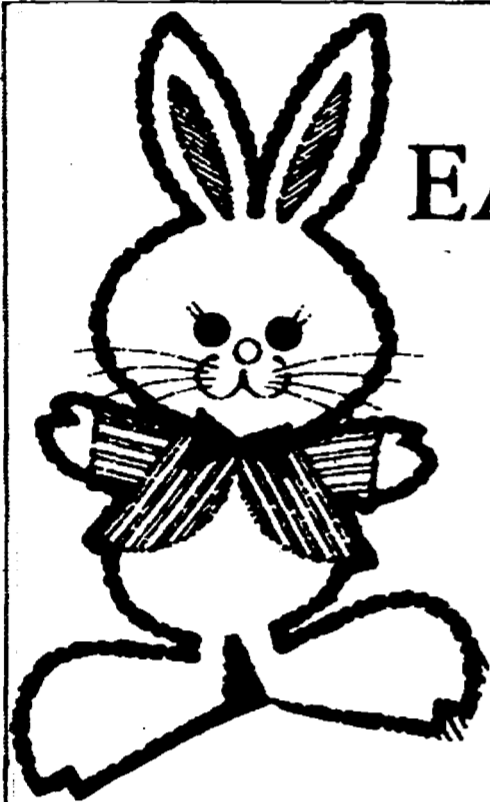
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DANCERISE CLASSES

Canton's Parks and Rec Department, in cooperation with Dancercise Enterprise, Inc. is sponsoring a six-week class in Dancercise, beginning April 29, to meet Mondays and Wednesdays from 5:30 to 6:15 p.m. at the Canton Recreation Center. Cost is \$30 per person. Class size is limited. Register in person or by mail to the Canton Parks and Rec Department, 1150 S. Canton Center Rd. 48188, telephone 397-1000.

WHALE OF A SALE

The Plymouth Symphony League's Whale of a Sale will be April 10 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and April 11 from 9 a.m. to noon at the Grange Hall, 273 S. Union in Plymouth. For further information and to donate items call 459-1335.

MEN'S RECREATION NIGHT

Canton Township's Parks and Recreation Department is sponsoring an 8-week recreation program for men, beginning April 15, to be held at Walker Elementary School on Mich. Ave. east of I-275 on Wednesday nights from 8 to 9:30 p.m. Cost is \$8 per person. For more information, call 397-1000.

ST. JOHN NEUMANN WOMEN'S GUILD

A meeting of the St. John Women's Guild will be held April 8 at 7:30 p.m. in the Church Hall. All women of the parish are welcome. The program will feature Florence Dinsler, a professional handwriting analyst. Refreshments will be served.

BOY SCOUT PAPER DRIVE

Boy Scout Troop 1540 is now conducting a paper drive. Papers can be dropped off at Isbister School on Wednesdays from 6:30 to 7 p.m., or residents can call 455-0137 for pick-up.

CUB FUND RAISER

Cub Scout Pack 1738 of Hulsing School will sell Ortho fertilizer again this year to raise funds for the pack. Persons interested in savings and a chance to win an Ortho Broadcast spreader in a drawing can contact Nancy Moore at 459-2444.

NEW SCOUT TROOP

A parents night for all boys wishing to join Boy Scout Troop 1738 of Hulsing School, will be held April 15 at 7 p.m. in the school's gym. A parent must attend with prospective Scouts.

WOMEN'S GOLF LEAGUE

An organizational meeting for a women's golf league, sponsored by the Canton Township Parks and Recreation Department, will be held April 22 at 10 a.m. at the Recreation Building, 44237 Mich. Ave. at Sheldon. The league will play on Friday mornings at Fellows Creek Golf Course. Cost is \$10 registration fee plus weekly greens fees. Register in person or by mail to the Canton Parks and Rec Department, 1150 S. Canton Center Rd., 48188, telephone 397-1000.

PLYMOUTH Y FITNESS WORKSHOP

The Plymouth YMCA will be conducting a Health Fitness and Glamour Workshop April 11 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Canton High's gym and swimming pool facilities. Four fitness teachers including University of Michigan Dietician Connie Langkabel. Call 453-2904 for further information and sign up dates.

CANTON JAYCEES NEED YOU

Ideas for a better community are needed by the Canton Jaycees, who will hold a Membership Nite on April 10 at 7:30 p.m. at the Canton Rec Center, Sheldon Rd. and Michigan Ave.

PLYMOUTH NEWCOMERS SPRING DANCE

Plymouth Newcomers will hold a Spring Dinner Dance on April 11 at the Mayflower Meeting House, beginning at 7 p.m. Hawaiian hors d'oeuvres, tropical cocktails and menu will be featured, along with dancing and entertainment from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. For tickets, contact Sandy Pallas at 459-6913.

MOTHERS OF TWINS

Western Wayne County Mothers of Twins will hold their annual children's party, with a theme this year of "The Easter Hunt" on April 11 from 1 to 4 p.m. at Holy Cross Evangelical Church, 30650 Six Mile, Livonia. Mothers are asked to bring a chocolate Easter bunny and Easter basket for each child. Refreshments will be served. For more information, call Michelle Kennedy at 531-2081.

LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS

The League of Women Voters will hold their annual meeting on April 9 at 7 p.m. at the Novi Public Library, 45245 Ten Mile. Members will vote on new programs and elect officers. Dessert and coffee are provided.

EASTER EGG HUNT

Canton Township's Parks and Recreation Department is sponsoring its annual Easter Egg Hunt on April 18 at 10 a.m., around the Township Administration Building grounds. Age groups are 4 and under, 5 to 7, and 8 to 10 years. For more information, call 397-1000.

DETROIT NOSTALGICON

Comix Tree and Sports Collectibles of Westland present a one-day comic book, movie nostalgia and non-sports card collecting event April 12 at the Plymouth Hilton, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission is \$1. For more information, phone 662-6675.

PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES

Parents of Salem and Canton High students can participate in parent-teacher conferences on April 13 from 3 to 6:30 p.m. Appointments can be made with teachers through their students, but are not mandatory. Parents should bring the student's report card to the conference.

THIRTY-FIVE YEAR ANNIVERSARY

The Mayflower Post 6695 Veterans of Foreign Wars, in Plymouth, will celebrate its 35-year anniversary with a dinner dance April 11 at the Post Home on 1426 S. Mill St., in Plymouth. Members and friends are invited and cost is \$10. For information call Eileen Williams at 453-1680.

UNITED METHODIST WHITE BREAKFAST

The First United Methodist Church of Plymouth will be having a White Breakfast April 15 at 9:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall of the church. Cost is \$2 and reservations can be made by calling 453-5280. There will also be a devotional choral presentation by the Livonia Stevenson High Concert Choir under Lowell Everson. First United is on Territorial Road just West of Sheldon.

CANTON CORVETTE CLUB

The Canton Corvette Club is forming and will soon begin regular meetings. For more information, call Denise at 459-2228.

PARLIAMENTARIANS UNITE

A parliamentary law club has been formed in the Plymouth area and new members are welcome. Club members meet Tuesdays from 7 to 8 p.m. at the home of John Welscher, 1799 Lexington, Plymouth. Prospective members or groups needing parliamentarians are urged to contact Welscher at 453-0569.

ISBISTER AWARDS

The Plymouth Community Arts Council is again sponsoring the Isbister Awards for outstanding art students in the Plymouth-Canton School District. Winning pieces will be exhibited throughout the district for two years. Any student, kindergarten through grade 12 interested in applying for an award should contact his or her art teacher for information.

CITIZENS FOR LIBRARIES FORUM

A meeting to discuss a Michigan Citizens for Libraries Forum will be held on April 25 at the Lansing Public Library. Questions, comments and/or suggestions can be sent to: Elizabeth Lindsey, State Library Services, P.O. Box 30007, Lansing, MI 48909

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LAKEPOINTE VILLAGE WNFGA

The Lake Pointe Village Branch of the Women's National Farm and Garden Association will meet April 9 at 7:45 p.m. at Farrand School, hosted by Darlene Somerville. "Horticultural Happiness and Plant Exchange" will be discussed.

SMORGASBORD ARTISTRY IN SALAD'S LUNCHEON

The 14th annual Smorgasbord Artistry in Salad's Luncheon fashion-crafts show will be presented by the LakePointe Village Branch of the Women's National Farm and Garden Association on April 11 at 11 a.m. in the Canton High cafeteria. Donation is \$6.

INDIAN EDUCATION PROGRAM

The Plymouth-Canton Indian Education Program will hold a social get-together on April 8 at 7 p.m. in the American Indian Heritage Center. All interested persons are welcome.

ALTAR SOCIETY RUMMAGE SALE

The Rosary-Altar Society of Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church will hold a rummage sale April 22 from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. in the school gym, at Arthur and William streets in Plymouth. Clothes, games, books, dishes and small appliances will be for sale.

HATHA YOGA CLASSES

Plymouth's Parks and Recreation Department is offering Hatha Yoga classes Monday evenings from 5:30 to 7 p.m. for 8 weeks for \$20, or during the day from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. at \$2.50 per class. All classes are held at the Cultural Center, 525 Farmer, Plymouth. For more information, call 455-6620.

CANTON HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The Canton Historical Society will meet April 9 at 7 p.m. in the township Administration Building, 1150 S. Canton Center Rd. Residents are asked to attend to help identify photos of historical sites.

APPLE RUN WNFGA

The Apple Run Branch of the Women's National Farm and Garden Association will meet April 21 at 7 p.m. at the home of Sandi Reid. "Bonsai" will be discussed by guest speaker Fred Miller.

JUNIOR BASEBALL LATE REGISTRATION

Late registration for Plymouth-Canton Junior Baseball League will be held April 8 from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. in Room 129 at Canton High, for kids ages 7 to 17. A late registration fee of \$10 will be charged in addition to regular fees.

MEN'S GOLF LEAGUE

Canton's Parks and Recreation Department is sponsoring a men's golf league, to play Monday afternoons at Fellows Creek Golf Course. An organizational meeting will be held April 25 at 10 a.m. at the township Recreation Building, 44237 Mich. Ave. at Sheldon. Space is available for 20 men. Cost is \$20 registration fee plus weekly greens fees. Register in person or by mail to Canton Parks and Recreation, 1150 S. Canton Center Rd., 48188.

CENTRAL MIDDLE PTSO

The Central Middle School Parent Teacher Student Organization will meet April 15 at 9 a.m. Parents are urged to attend.

ROCK AND MINERAL SOCIETY

The Plymouth Rock and Mineral Society will meet April 13 at 7:30 p.m. in the crafts room of the Cultural Center, 525 Farmer, Plymouth. The film "Gold" will be presented.

CAR WASH

Senior Girl Scouts of Troop 501 will hold a car wash April 12 in the Standard Federal parking lot, Haggerty and Ann Arbor Roads, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Cost is \$1.50 per car, \$2 per van, which will be donated to the "Papa Buggs" memorial fund for Camp Linden.

SWINGING INTO SPRING DINNER

The Christian Women's Club will hold a "Swinging into Spring" dinner April 14 at 7 p.m. at the Cultural Center, 525 Farmer, Plymouth. Tickets are \$8, payable to Helen Townsley, 38235 Connaught Dr., Northville 48167. Reservations must be made by April 10.

GERMAN-AMERICAN CLUB

The German-American Club of Plymouth will meet April 16 at 8 p.m. in the Oddfellows Hall, 344 Elizabeth, Plymouth. Two films will be shown and refreshments will be served.

PUPPET SHOW

The First United Methodist Church of Plymouth will sponsor the puppet show "Bullfrogs and Butterflies" on May 8 at 7:15 p.m. at the church, 45201 N. Territorial, Plymouth.

CHILDREN'S LITERATURE SERIES

Joan Blos, award-winning children's author, will speak at the Dunning-Hough Library April 13 from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. Tickets are \$6.25 and are available at the library, Plymouth Book World, or at the door. For more information, call 455-8787.

POPS CONCERT

The 25th annual Plymouth Symphony Orchestra Pops Concert will be performed May 9 at 8:30 p.m. at Pioneer Middle School. Tickets are \$6 for adults and \$3 for senior citizens and K-12 students, and are available at The Health Shoppe, 930 W. Ann Arbor Trail, Plymouth.

AEROBICS EXERCISE COURSE

Canton Township's Parks and Rec Department is sponsoring a Dynamic Aerobics Exercise class on Mondays and Wednesdays from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. for 10 weeks beginning April 22. Pre-screening day is April 20. Cost is \$35 per person, payable in person or by mail to Canton Township Parks and Recreation, 1150 S. Canton Center Rd. 48188.

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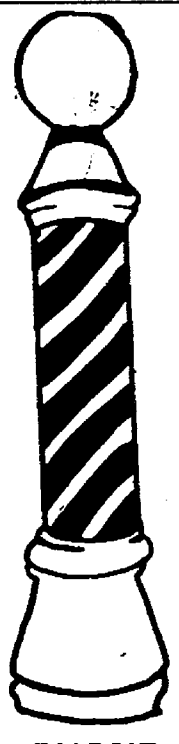
The Turning Point Crisis Center is planning a training program for new volunteer staff members. Persons interested in working at the center can contact Nancy Topolewski. The center is located at 271 S. Main, Plymouth, telephone 455-4900.

TAKE OFF POUNDS SENSIBLY

TOPS (Take-Off Pounds Sensibly) group meets every Monday from 8 to 9 p.m. at Central Middle School. For more information, call Jan at 455-8332 or Shirley at 453-6593.

PLYMOUTH HIGH 1956 REUNION

The Plymouth High School Class of 1956 will hold its 25th reunion Aug. 15 at the Mayflower Meeting House at 7 p.m. An informal family picnic will be held Aug. 16 at Plymouth Township Park. Anyone not notified by mail can contact general chairman Dale Houghton or Lynn Canton or call 453-6357.



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But what kinds of work will the PAM mechanics do? "We do everything," says Bashawaty. "Right here, we have the facilities for complete reconditioning, and we have a bodyshop elsewhere. I have contacts in every aspect of auto maintenance, and can afford to pass along my discounts to my customers."

Among the many services Cabaron offers under PAM are tune-ups, brake work, paint and pinstripping, transmission services, vinyl tops, side mouldings, bodywork, interior trim, accessories, windshield replacement and repair and insurance jobs. Bashawaty stresses that service prices are quoted before any work is started.

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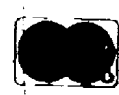
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PRESENTING Tootsie Rolls front and center are these members of Father Victor J. Renaud Council No. 3292 of the Knights of Columbus in Plymouth, now getting ready for their sixth annual drive to assist the mentally retarded. Shown are, from left, Gary Borchadt, co-chairman of the drive; Art Booth, Deputy Grand Knight; Chuck Dobry, Grand Knight; Vic Gustafson, chairman; and Phil Burns, co-chairman. (Crier photo by Robert Cameron)

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K of C begins aid drive

The sixth annual fund drive to assist the mentally retarded locally and in Michigan will be conducted by Father Victor J. Renaud Council No. 3292 of the Knights of Columbus, Plymouth, on April 10, 11 and 12.

Last year statewide the Knights of Columbus, a Catholic men's fraternal society, collected a record \$664,621 in the 3-day weekend drive. In Plymouth \$3,500 was collected and donated to Plymouth Opportunity House, located at 593 Deer

St.

Under the program people are asked to donate money to the mentally retarded and are given a Tootsie Roll candy in appreciation of the gift.

Eighty percent of the net income from the donations is retained by the Plymouth council for distributions to area groups and agencies. The rest is forwarded to the State Council to meet expenses of the program and to make donations in behalf of all the 67,000 Knights in Michigan.

Kitchen Band to appear on TV

The Canton Seniors Kitchen Band has again been asked to "strike up the band" for television. Channel 2 TV has created a new program for its viewers called

"Something Different" which will feature interesting people and happenings in the metropolitan area.

The Kitchen Band will be filmed at the Southfield studio before a live audience. On Tuesday, April 14, the Canton seniors will board a bus provided by the Wayne-Westland School District to travel to the studio for the taping. The program will be aired later in the week.

The band members have their kazoos, drums, shakers, ukeleles, banjo, sticks, washboards and gut bucket ready to roll and to toot their tunes. The lively band boasts members from 60 to 80 years of age.

The Canton Seniors Kitchen Band specializes in old-time favorites. The band, under the direction of Delores Edwards, has also cut a record which includes six of the band's favorites. They are available at either the Canton Parks and Recreation office, 1150 S. Canton Center Road, or at the Recreation Hall, 44237 Michigan Avenue at Sheldon.

Plymouth nurses assist Health-O-Rama

Among the many volunteers at the Project Health-O-Rama at the Westland Mall on April 13 through 16 from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. will be members of the Plymouth Registered Nurses Association.

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Scott William Maki was born Feb. 27 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. He weighed 8 pounds, 14 ounces.

He is the son of Sam and Kathy Maki, 708 Merrimac, Canton. Scott has a sister, Kari Ann. Grandparents are George and Catherine Stickney of Dearborn and Robert and Rose Brumlaw of Melvindale.

Hello, Shannon

Shannon Kathleen Dardy was born April 3, weighing eight pounds, six ounces.

She is the daughter of Kathy and Pat Darden, and the grandchild of Gloria Papunui of Sault Ste. Marie and Mrs. Fulling of Plymouth.

New skating hours set

City of Plymouth Recreation Department has announced new open ice skating hours at the Cultural Center effective through May 22.

The new hours will be: Monday, 1-3 p.m.; Tuesday, 9-11 a.m., 1-3 p.m. and 3:30-6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 1-3 p.m.; Thursday, 9-11 a.m., 1-3 p.m. and 3:30-6:30 p.m.; Friday, 1-3 p.m.; Saturday, 1-3 p.m. and 8-10 p.m.; and Sunday, 4-6 p.m.

The open skating fee for residents of the Plymouth Canton School District is \$1, for children and \$1.25 for adults 18 and over. Skate rental is 50 cents per person.

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CANTON CHIEFETTES were recently honored by the state legislature for their accomplishments in national competition, and were presented a proclamation by Rep. Tom Brown of Canton. Shown are (front row, from left), Coach Karen Tripp, Kathy Pashukewich, Michelle Yuen, Lori Alonzo, Lisa Riblett, Lori Potvin, (back row) Canton High principal Kent Buikema, Brown, Marilyn Morrison, Julie Wood, Chris Mallare, Robin Dansby, captain Jan Guszynski and Kim Dombey. Not shown are captain Lisa Potvin, Barb Shepherd, Janet Secord, Mary Dupuis, Moira Breen and coach Suzanne Suffety. (Photo by Jeff Calleja)

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MESC office moved

The temporary Michigan Employment Security Commission (MESC) area office is located at 15480 N. Sheldon in Northville Township.

A permanent office, tentatively scheduled for completion Aug. 1, will be located across the street from the former MESC office at 8825 General Drive in Plymouth.

Until that building is ready, the MESC will work from the Sheldon Road office, one block North of Five Mile, in what was formerly the Plymouth Center for Human Development.

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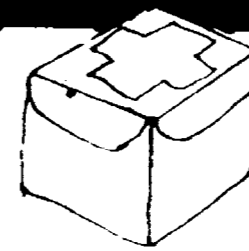
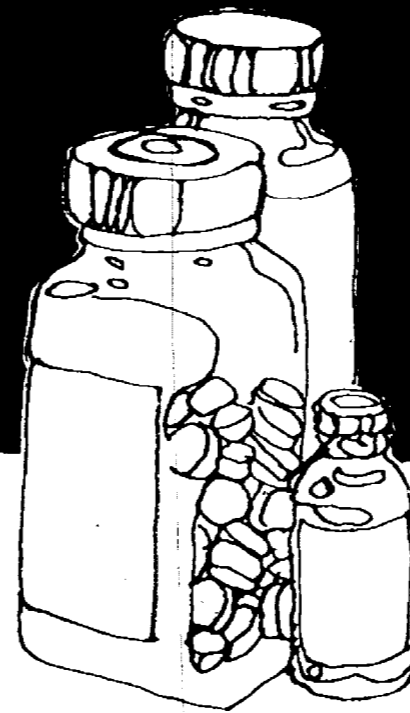
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- Friends of the Canton Library Used Book Sale
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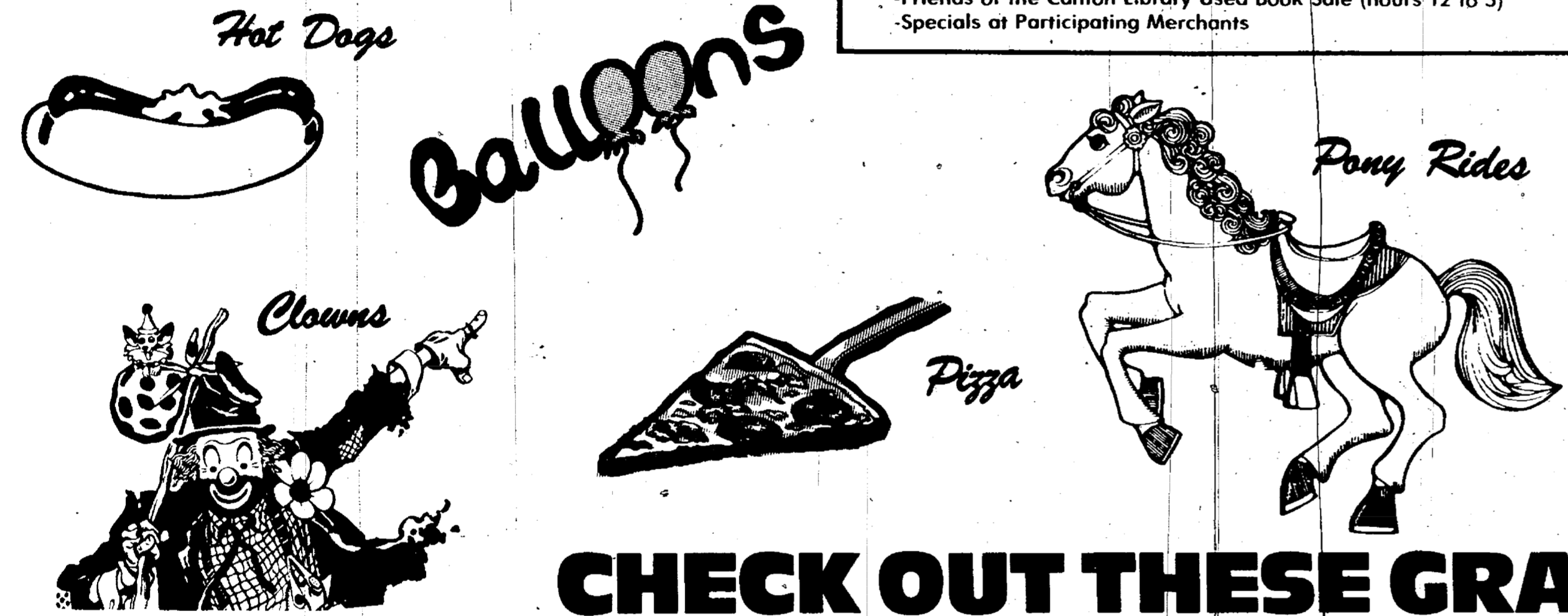
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**Old Village plans
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Old Village shopowners in Plymouth are cordially inviting everyone to attend "A Touch of Spring" April 26 from noon to 5 p.m.

Sponsored by the Old Village Merchants Association, the event will feature rides for kids, refreshments, entertainment, arts and crafts, a flea market, antiques, and other wares on display in Old Village shops.

A Spring Walk through the historical district will also be conducted.

Proceeds from the street activities will go toward beautification of the Old Village area. For more information on the event, call 459-0310, 453-6941 or 455-2570.

**8 school board
candidates file
for 1 trustee spot**

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Bone, of 6849 Carriage Hills, Canton, registered in June, 1976 and has missed four of a possible 10 school elections.

Aninos, of 41410 Hanford, Canton, registered to vote in March this year.

Harper, vice president of the board and incumbent in the election, is also a Plymouth Township resident, at 11835 Appletree Drive. He registered in July, 1973 and also has a perfect voting record for the 14 school elections he was eligible to vote in.

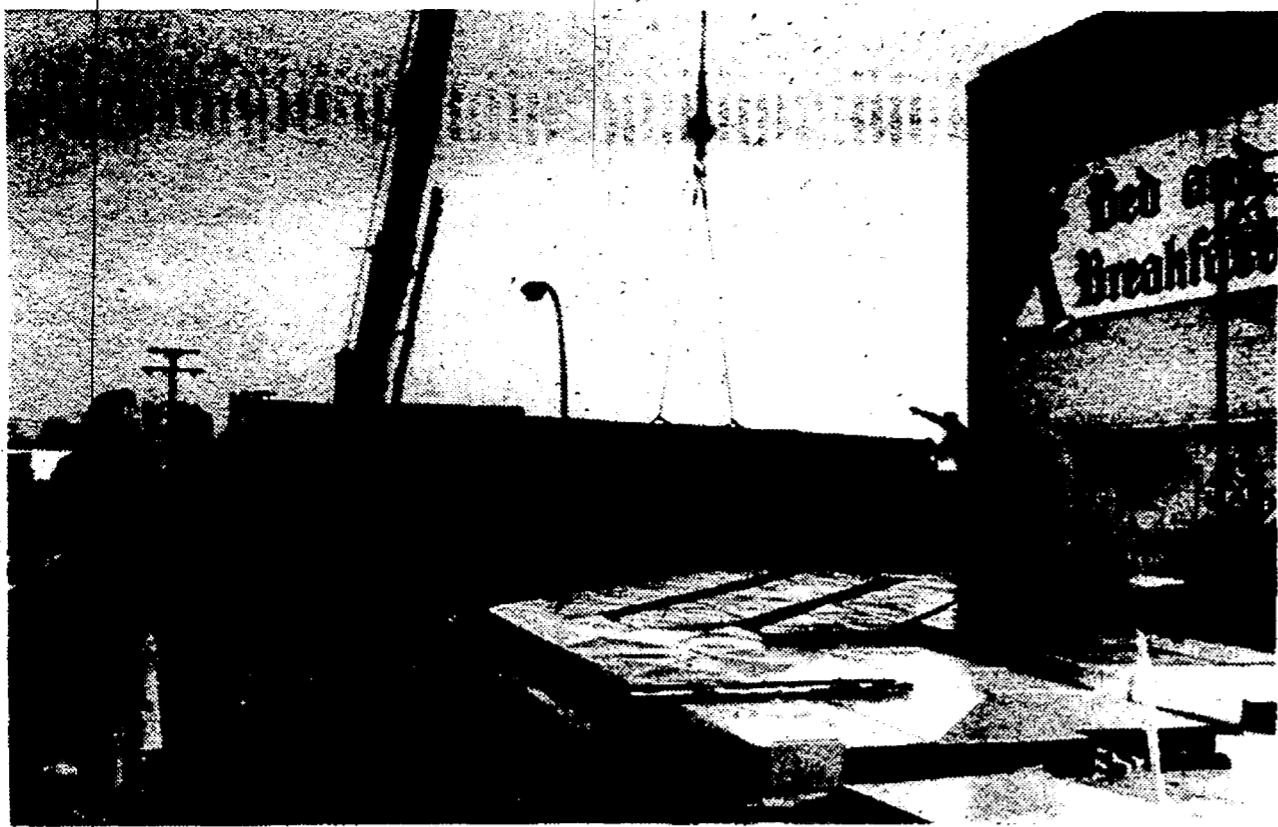
In addition, two other area residents took out petitions but did not return them to the school board office. June A. Duerr of 9831 Dorian, Plymouth and Loretta Olson, 365 Pacific, Plymouth, announced their withdrawals from the race last week.

The school election will be held June 8. The last day a Plymouth-Canton resident can register to vote for the election is May 11 at 5 p.m.

**Canton C of C sets
golf outing date**

Members of the Canton Chamber of Commerce are making plans for the Chamber Golf Outing on Saturday, June 20, at Fox Hills Country Club in Plymouth.

Tee off time is set for noon. Refreshments will be served in the club house.



CONSTRUCTION HAS BEGUN on remodeling of the Mayflower Hotel, beginning with the placement of several steel beam supports. Weighing six tons, this beam was placed perfectly level on the first try. (Crier photo by Robert Cameron)

No tax rate hike for city

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to the \$105,000 estimated for the parking revenues.

The new 35th District Court revenues could increase from what is estimated, but at the same time, said Graper court costs could be more.

Graper estimates the city will have a \$60,000 surplus carried over from last year's general fund.

The major and local fund street funds will receive a \$180,000 contribution from the city's general fund, while the Cultural Center will receive a \$140,000 contribution for its bonded debt.

One of the only major fees increase will be for the ice rink in the Cultural Center which will jump from \$55 to \$75 per hour.

The cemetery fund, the library fund, and the parking fund are the only departments to receive major cuts in allotted dollars.

The public safety arm of the government (police and fire) will gain. The police revenues could increase, said Graper, from an estimated \$249,400 but those

increases will probably be offset by increases in fuel consumption and costs.

Plymouth Township is currently paying 37 per cent of the non-revenue money for police service in the township said Graper. The city and township are currently looking into a joint parks and recreation project, also, he added.

"I think the department heads have put together an excellent budget. There is no tax increase and it does not lower services and we are not cutting jobs. All in all Plymouth has an excellent year to look at, depending on what happens May 19."

In fact, said Graper, if the May 19 ballot fails city commissioners may ask for, and get, a decrease in taxes by a half mill.

Some operation areas that have been trimmed include funding for conventions and conferences and rental costs. Another way of saving money in the future will be the hiring of 20-hour people for as many of the positions available, said Graper. That way fringe benefits will not be increased.

Library pull-out

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one mill tax levy. It's book collection ranges near 31,500 according to Head Librarian Deborah O'Connor. "And we are adding about 2000 books a month," she said.

O'Connor added that of library use, 91.5 per cent is that of Canton residents.

"Our library will become more manageable and we'll have more control this way," said Graper. The city could also get a one mill levy for library costs and could form its own elected board. The proposal would have to be put to a ballot.

If the agreement with Plymouth Township is worked out Plymouth will be public by July 1.

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Haggerty named sales director

Plymouth Hilton Inn has a new director of sales. Mike Haggerty assumed the position March 1. He comes to the Plymouth Hilton Inn from the Troy Hilton where he served as sales manager for a year.

The Plymouth-Canton area is not new to him, though. He has been a resident of the area since 1968 and lives on Ford Road in Canton township.

Haggerty also has been associated with The Michigan Inn in Southfield and the Southfield Ramada Inn.

He said he is looking forward to becoming more involved in the Plymouth-Canton community. "In my previous hotel positions in the Detroit metropolitan area, I had to spend so

much time on the road getting to and from work that it was difficult to take part in community organizations and activities," he said.

The grand opening of Milt Wilcox's "Runners Unlimited" will be held April 10, during the King's Row Spring Opener.

Detroit Tigers Lance Parrish and Champ Summers will be at the opening from 4 to 8 p.m. along with Milt, who will be there from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.

King's Row is located at Lilley and Warren Roads.

Plymouth-Canton residents can now pick up Michigan Bell's 1981-82 West-Northwest Area telephone directories, according to Haze Wilson, area community relations manager.

The new directory introduces a sharper typeface in the white pages as well as an expanded customer information section, says Wilson. In addition, he said, the new Directory Assistance charge plan will be explained.

Plymouth Hilton Inn is among the select group of Detroit Metropolitan hotels to receive four-diamond rating by the American Automobile Association.

The four-diamond ratings will appear next to the hotel names in the 1981 Michigan-Wisconsin TourBook. The rating is the second highest awarded. There are no five-diamond hostleries in Michigan and only 45 in the United States.

getting down
to
business

Dr. William C. Miller, deputy superintendent of Wayne County Intermediate School District has announced his retirement after 28 years of service. He will join Human Synergistics, a management consultant firm which is headquartered in Plymouth. He will serve as vice president for development and research and director of the education division. The Plymouth firm has associate offices in Washington, D.C., Minneapolis, Toronto and Calgary, Canada, Australia and New Zealand.

Meyer honored by MSPE chapter

Duane R. Meyer, P.E., Canton, has been named 1981 "Young Engineer of the Year" by the Ann Arbor Chapter of the Michigan Society of Professional Engineers (MSPE). The honor was presented at the MSPE annual awards banquet at the Holiday Inn in Howell.

Meyer is a civil engineer specializing in cost estimating. He, his wife Terri and their children, Jennifer, Christopher and Jonathan, reside in Canton.

The award is given not only for engineering abilities, but for commitment

to furthering the profession of engineering through roles in professional engineering societies. Meyer has served as chairman of the Scholarship Committee and the Jets Committee of MSPE and has served as director of Ann Arbor Chapter since 1978. Additionally, he is an active member of the National Society of Professional Engineers and the American Society of Cost Engineers.

He is also active in the People's Church of Canton, where he serves on the consistory and also serves as chairman of the outreach committee.



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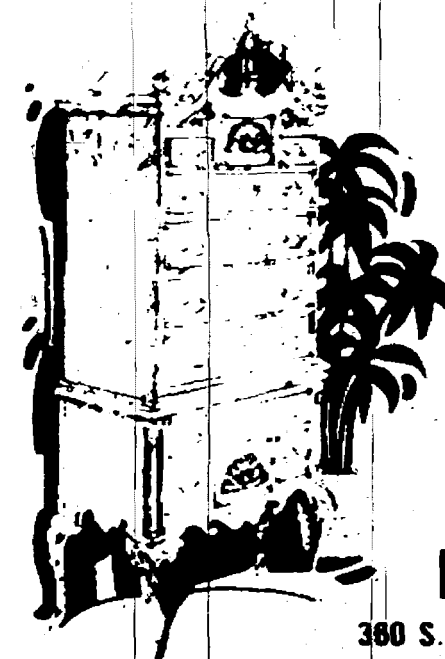
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Milne

Frank Milne, 69, of Plymouth, died April 4 at St. Joseph Hospital. Funeral services were held April 8 at Lambert Funeral Home, with The Rev. John Grenfell officiating.

He is survived by his wife, Ruth L.; daughters, Patricia Wilhite of Gulfport, Miss. and Sandra Moryc of Livonia; sister, Irene Pommerville of Lancaster; brothers, Albert of Plymouth and William of Dayton, Ohio; and eight grandchildren.

For many years Mr. Milne was a bartender at Eastman's Gaslight Restaurant and Danny's Chop House, both in Detroit.

Britcher

John E. Britcher, 74, Plymouth, died March 31 at his home. Funeral services were held April 3 at Our Lady of Good Counsel Church with arrangements by Lambert Funeral Home. Burial was in Riverside Cemetery.

He had been a Plymouth resident for 70 years. He retired in 1972 from the Plymouth School system after 15 years of

community deaths



service. For 30 years prior to working for the Plymouth schools he was employed by Ford Motor Company. He was a member of Our Lady of Good Counsel church.

Mr. Britcher is survived by his wife, Margaret; a son, John E. Britcher, Jr.; and a sister, Mrs. Bertha Aston, of Maryland.

Brind

Vivian Edna Brind, 76, 1001 Lilley, Canton, died April 1 at Wayne County Hospital. Funeral services were conducted by Lambert Funeral Home, Plymouth on April 3 with The Rev. Carl Allen of Plymouth Church of The Nazarene officiating. Burial was in Roseland Memorial Gardens, Jackson county.

Mrs. Brind was a member of the Plymouth Church of The Nazarene.

She is survived by daughters, Mrs. Patricia Kiser of Canton and Mrs. Zelma Barch of Georgia; and a brother, Shirley English.

Plummer

Merlin F. Plummer, 75, 7500 Birekkan Drive, Canton, died at Glacier Hills Nursing Home, Ann Arbor, on March 23. Funeral services were arranged by Lambert Funeral Home, Plymouth, and were conducted in Low Gap, West Virginia.

She is survived by a daughter, Willamae Durham, Canton.

Roff

Mrs. Naomi V. Roff, 69, Brainerd, Minnesota, died March 30 at Ypsilanti. Funeral services were conducted at Washburn-McReavey Funeral Home in Minnesota with arrangements made by Schrader Funeral Home, Plymouth.

Mrs. Roth became sick while visiting at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Krumm of Plymouth.

She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Claudette Krumm of Plymouth; sons, Robert and Dennis of Minneapolis, Minnesota; several brothers and sisters, all of Minnesota; and eight grandchildren.

Burial was in Hillside Cemetery, Minneapolis.

Armstrong

Mrs. Ruth E. Armstrong, 89, of Yorkshire Square, Dearborn Heights, died in Plymouth March 31. Funeral services

were conducted by Schrader Funeral Home, Plymouth, with The Rev. Frank W. Lyman, Jr., officiating, on April 2. Burial was in Grand Lawn Cemetery.

She is survived by a son, Alvin, of Plymouth; three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Robertson

Shirley M. Robertson, 52, of Garden City, died March 31 at the Garden City Hospital. She was a former Plymouth resident. Funeral services were conducted Friday, April 3, at Santeiu and Sons Funeral Home with The Rev. Gareth D. Baker of Garden City United Presbyterian Church officiating. Burial was in Roseland Park Cemetery in Berkley.

She is survived by her husband, Earl; sons Robby and Allen; mother, Mrs. Florence Kitchen of Garden City; and brother, Lester Kitchen of Plymouth.

Western Wayne Geneologists to meet Wed.

The Western Wayne County Geneological Society will meet at 8 p.m. on April 15 at the Carl Sandburg Library, 30100 Seven Mile, Livonia. Guest-speaker will be Betty Arnold Guziak, vice president of the Polish Geneological Society of Michigan, who will be speaking on "Polish Geneological Research."



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Sports

Young talent epitomizes Canton's girls track unit

BY KEN VOYLES

The Canton girls track squad of 1981 is loaded with a lot of talent and, in places some sound depth, according to Coach Bob Richardson. The catch to that is it's young talent.

"It will be tough until they get used to competition. I think our young people will score points along with other juniors and seniors," said Richardson. "But until we get a couple of meets under our belt the talent is untried."

Returning from last year's squad, which went 4-6 in dual meets, are 11 girls that competed for the Chiefs.

Co-captains are senior Kathy Brophy, distance and middle distance runner, and junior Lori Shufeldt, a quarter miler, 220, discus and short relay runner.

Other point getters from last year are junior Michelle Perrot, mile, two mile, high jump; junior Colleen Crissey, mile, two mile, relays, long jump; junior Charlotte Thomas, hurdles, mile relay, discus; junior Debbie Marshall, distance; and junior Lesley McDowell, sprints, long jump, high jump.

Sophomores Lisa Bundarin, shot put, discus, hurdles, and Kim Brown, sprints, long jump and high jump round out the corps of veterans for Canton.

"We definitely have a lot of young people but we have a good class of

athletes," said Richardson. "Our distance crew will be our strong suit this year and middle distance will be pretty good."

Other returners from last year's squad includes junior Julie Grañowicz, 220, 440 and high jump and Karen Kullian in the mile, two mile and shot put.

Newcomers who look good in the distance events for the Chiefs include juniors Patty Rising, Andera Holowicki, Sue Kaske and freshman Iba Williams. Other distance runners include sophomores April Ritchey, Caroline Sucharski, Pat Brennan and senior Tracy Houchen.

Promising sprinters include sophomore Jill Osmom, sophomore Caroline Mallare, sophomore Kathy Leeper (also a shot putter and discus thrower) and freshmen Ronnie Evans, Ruthann Trout and Lisa Wood.

Other sprinters and middle distance runners include Linda Mitchell, Jenny Blair, Stacy Gyori, Trisha Freiman and Bronwyn Fitzgerald.

Middle distance standouts include freshmen Maureen Brophy, Sue Sawyer, Helene Zahn, juniors Kathy Kunk and German exchange student Katharina Seiler.

Field events standouts include freshman Vicki Duncan, freshman Linda

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KATHARINA SEILER (left), a German exchange student from Hamburg passes off the baton to teammate Charlotte Thomas (right) during a recent practice outing. (Crier photo by Robert Cameron)

Rock girls open with loss

The Salem girls' track team dropped the first meet of the season Thursday afternoon, bowing out to Dearborn Edsel Ford, 73-50.

Top winners for the Rocks were Cindy McSurely, Lynda Lybarger and Dawn Johnson.

McSurely was a triple victor, while Lybarger took two first places and one second, and Johnson captured one first place and two second place spots.

In the 110-yard low hurdle race McSurely finished first with a time of 16.5. She also competed for the winning team in the 880-yard relay which took top prize with a 1:55.0 time. McSurely won the 220-yard low hurdle competition with a 34.0 timing.

Lybarger was also a part of the 880-yard relay foursome, anchoring the group to the first place finish. In addition, she placed second in the 440-yard dash with a time of 64.5, and was a member of the mile relay team which finished first with a 4:22.8 timing.

Johnson placed second in the long jump event, scoring a leap of 15-7. She also came in second in the 100-yard dash with a time of 12.4., and anchored in the 440-yard relay race, edging her team to a first place finish with a time of 54.2.

Sue Remer came in third in the shot-put event, tossing a distance of 25-10.

In the discus competition, Sherri Muneo placed second with a toss of 82-11, and Karen Tanski followed in third place with a throw of 79-2.

In the high jump, Janine Gray came in first with a leap of 4-8.

Ruth Sample placed third in the two-mile race with a 13:25 timing.

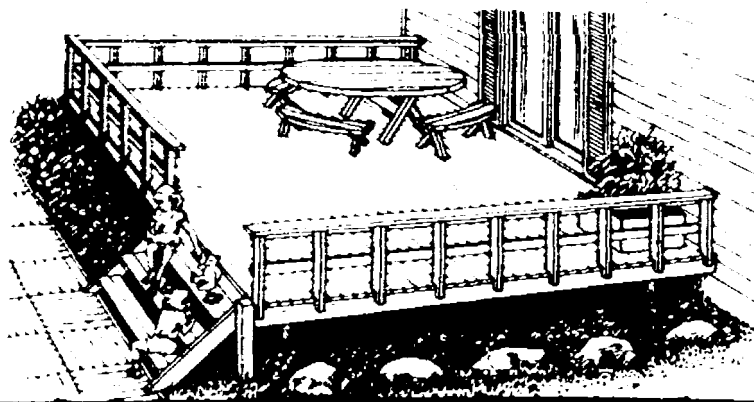
Kelly Bemiss finished third in the 220-yard dash with a time of 28.4, while Colleen O'Connor came in third in the 100-yard dash with a 12.5 timing.

"We were annihilated in the distance races," Salem coach Scott Kurtz commented. "That was the turning point."

"Our distance runners ran well, they were just outclassed," Kurtz continued.

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Middle school wrestlers show their stuff at Canton

BY KEN VOYLES

Close to 250 wrestlers competed Saturday in the Middle School Wrestling Finals held at Canton High's Phase III and winners were crowned in 12 weight divisions.

Seventh grader from Pioneer Bob Longridge beat Jamie Riegel, eighth grader at Central to win the 80-pound division.

Jeff Zimmerman, eighth grader at Pioneer defeated Mike Roberston, seventh grader at Central, to win the 87-pound class.

At 94 pounds, seventh grader from Central Dave Demeron beat eighth grader from West Dan Delbeke to win. Gary King was second for eighth grade wrestlers, while Keith Rosol was third. Dave Valade and Mike Nelson were second and third for seventh graders.

Tim Bailey, eighth grader from Central, defeated Tom Cicotte, eighth grader from Central to win the 101-pound division. Keith Kawsny was third and Ken Freeman fourth for eighth graders, while Kirk Rentz, Jim Paul, Mike Zywicki and Troy McCall were the top four seventh grade wrestlers in the weight.

Bill Morly, eighth grader from West beat Dan Haarala, seventh grader from Central to win the 108-pound class. Other places were Pete Delham, Arron Faotl and Todd Arnold for eighth graders and Jim Carson for seventh graders.

At 115 pounds, eighth grader from West Jason Adams beat another eighth grader from West, Matt Flower for the title. Gary Quigley was third and Eric Retting fourth, while Kraig Nagy was first and Mike Wallace second for seventh graders.

At 122 pounds, James Wallace beat Jim Jordon to win. Wallace is an eighth grader from Central. Bryant Gattos was third and Ernie Cefebure fourth for eighth graders, while Joe Trame was first for seventh graders.

Dominie Debello, eighth grader from Central beat Jim Parks of Central to win the 129-pound class.

At 136 pounds Mike Harwood, eighth grader from West, bested Mike McKinney of West to win, while Andy Ward was third and Leo Leroy fourth.

At 145 pounds, Jim Schupe, eighth grader from Central beat Ron Mills, seventh grader from Central to win. Jim Rorbacher was second and Jerry Carson third for eighth graders while Jeff O'Leary was second and James Wochuck third for seventh graders.

At 155 pounds, Klye Nagy, eighth grader from East, beat Jim Schlucker, eighth grader from East, while from Pioneer Brian Glaister was first for seventh graders.

In heavyweight Roman Tafleski, eighth grader from East knocked off Jim Nelson, eighth grader from Central.

Radzik Reports by Patty Radzik



Canton's Young 2nd in college boxing

John Young, a 1977 Canton High School graduate, competed in the the National Collegiate Boxing Association Championships held Friday and Saturday in Reno, Nevada.

Young, fighting in the 165-pound weight class, lost in the finals to Dennis Smith from Westchester State University in Philadelphia.

Prior to that, Young beat Terry Foley of Detroit in the Wing Open Boxing Tournament in Colorado, thus qualifying for the Midwestern Championships.

Young played on the Canton High varsity football team for three years, and participated on the varsity baseball squad for three years as well.

A junior at the Air Force Academy in Colorado Springs, Young is ranked second in the nation in his weight class, and reached the National Collegiate Championships by defeating Mark Jones of the University of Cincinnati in the title bout of the Midwestern Championships in Cincinnati a week ago.

This is Young's first year competing on the Air Force Academy varsity boxing team, as he started by boxing as a freshman in the intramural program at the school.

The 22-year old now has an opportunity to box for the United States Olympic team if he can claim the National Collegiate Boxing title next year.

A political science major with aspirations to be a pilot after he graduates, Young's parents, John and Helen, have lived in the Plymouth community for 25 years.



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Chief golfers ready for spring season

The Canton girls' golf team will open the season Monday in Brighton with a match scheduled for 3 p.m.

Among the eight players returning to the Chief squad this year are Kim Massey, Janice McGlone, Debbie Dickinson, Karen Mullen and Cindy Sochacki.

Jane Emerson and Sue Jarvis are two freshmen joining the squad for their first year of action.

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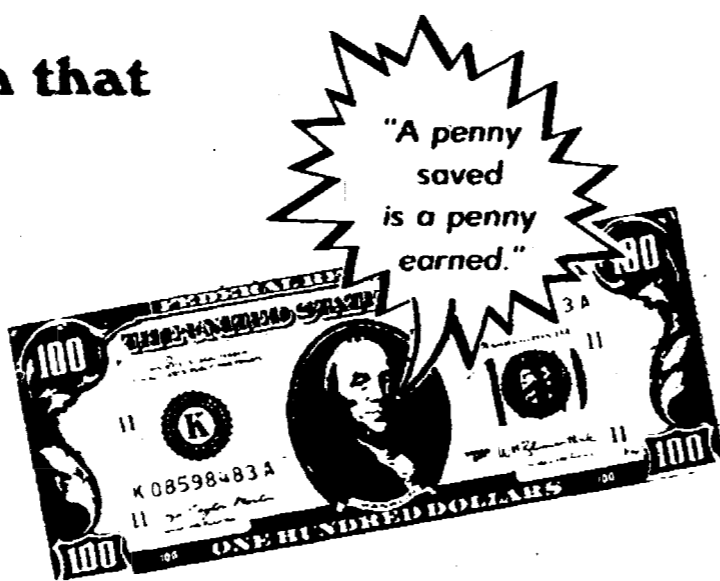
CANTON GOLFER Kim Massey shows her form during a recent practice outing for the Chiefs at Salem Hills Golf Course. (Crier photo by Robert Cameron)

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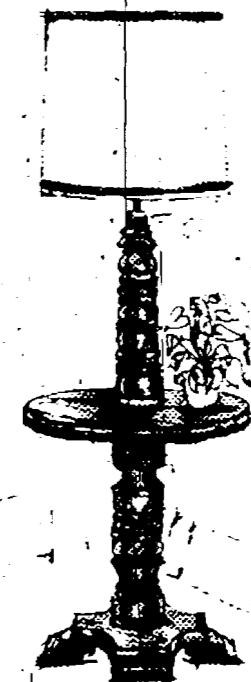
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CANTON DIAMONDMAN Paul Dobry smacks a home run during a practice session on the Chiefs diamond last week. The Chiefs have a good chance to gain the

Western Six League title this season according to coach Fred Crissey. (Crier photo by Robert Cameron)

Chief baseball squad eyes West 6 title

"Pitching is always the the number one barometer of a high school baseball team," said Canton baseball coach Fred Crissey about his 1981 squad.

The Chiefs, 16-10 overall and 8-2 in the Western Six League last year, will only be as good as the pitching allows them, said Crissey. "Our offense and defense are in good shape it's the pitching that is an unknown quantity right now," he said.

Returning 12 players from last year's team, Canton has four hurlers this year. Righthanders Dan Smith, junior, and Dave Malek, senior, plus lefthander Jamie Chilcoff, junior, and junior Bill Haines will make up the Chiefs pitching staff. Haines also catches.

All league players from last year, Jeff Stemberger and Keith Stone will also be returning. Stemberger is a first baseman and Stone a centerfielder. Both are seniors.

Another key player, said Crissey is Steve Schumacher. The senior missed nine games last year and according to Crissey the team had its worse record in those games. Schumacher is a shortstop.

At second base will be junior Scott Bircker, while junior Fred Rumberger will probably start at third base, said Crissey.

Other outfielders for Canton include senior Shawn Hopper and juniors Jeff Cousinio and Steve Johnson.

"Basically this ball club has been together for a few years. We anticipate we'll be very competitive," said Crissey.

The coach added that Livonia Churchill and Farmington Harrison will be returning strong teams and good pitching staffs and estimates that more than one loss in the league will be the difference.

"This should be an interesting year.

Himes quits volleyball post

Cathy Himes has resigned as the Salem varsity volleyball coach after four years of duty.

"I'm being displaced for teaching," Himes commented when asked why she is resigning. "I'm also taking a class for my masters degree, which is offered only during the volleyball season."

Salem finished second in the Suburban Eight Conference in 1977 and '78 under the tutelage of Himes, tied for second in '79 and placed fourth last season.

Post season awards were given out last month at the volleyball banquet.

Cheryl Sobkow received the Most Valuable Player award for the third year in a row. Mary VanDusen was named Best All-Around Player, and Kelly Tucker, Jacque Merrifield and Lynda Lybarger shared Most Improved Player honors.

Debbie Hartford received a special coaches' award from Himes.

Junior varsity honors were also distributed. Pam McBride was voted the

There are a lot of variables and we have the potential in these guys," said Crissey, who has accumulated 139-45 record in seven years of the program.

Canton opens its season Saturday with a doubleheader against Redford Bishop Borgess starting at noon.

Most Valuable Player by her teammates, and Jeanette Bajlo copped the Most Improved Player award.

Canton girls

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Sarafian, sophomore Vicki Wood and sophomore Joy Mathison.

Junior hurler Pam Chelian and senior hurdler Mariann Mortensen round out the squad.

Canton was fourth in the Western Six League meet last year with Walled Lake

Western first and Livonia Churchill second. Richardson's goal is to move his squad up in the standings and he considers the top two teams last year to be as strong as they have been in the past.

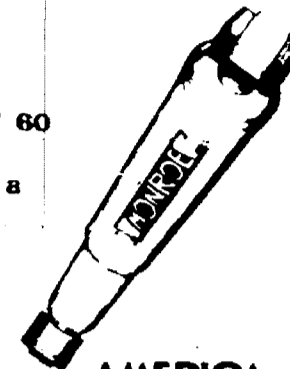
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Salem runners drop opening dual to Edsel Ford

The Salem boys' track team lost the opening dual meet of the season Thursday, 79-53, to Dearborn Edsel Ford.

The Rocks had just two first place finishes in the field events, and clinched four top spots in the running events.

Bob Pittaway was a three-time winner for Salem, capturing two first places in individual events, and anchored the victorious mile relay team.

Pittaway set a new school record in the discus competition, finishing first with a 164-4 throw. He also won the 100-yard dash race with a time of 10.38.

Leigh Langkabel, Mike McBride and Scott Bublin joined forces with Pittaway to win the mile relay race with a 3:41.7 timing.

Bublin placed second for Salem in the long jump, with a leap of 19.3.

McBride finished first in the 440-yard dash with a time of 53.71.

Steve Schaffer paced Salem to a first place finish in the 120-yard high hurdles with a time of 16.7. Schaffer also placed second in the 330-yard low hurdles with a 42.1 timing.

Mark Kanski placed second in the discus throw event, with a toss measuring 133-4, and Paul Hood captured third place in the same event with a 130-1 toss.

A toss of 40-7 was good enough for second place for the Rocks' Kanski in the shot-put.

Frank Brosnan came in third in the two-mile race with a timed mark of 10:57.

The Rocks competed in the Michigan State Spartan Relays Saturday, and had a good showing.

Scott Reamer finished second in the high jump, clearing 5-10, and Scott Fuller came in third.

Brian Lewandowski won top prize in the pole vault event, clearing the bar set at 11-6. Mike Perkowski finished in second place with a jump of 11-6.

Lewandowski raced to a third place finish in the 220-yard dash with a time of 24.34.

"We had better performances by more people indoors than ever before," Salem coach Gary Balconi said.

Scott Bublin reached the semifinals of the 60-yard dash.

Mike McBride, Chris Kopach, Jeff Baker and Leeland Chanj comprised the two-mile relay team that placed second out of 20 teams in the second heat in the event.

Kopach scored a personal best at the Spartan Relays in the one mile race, finishing with a 4:46 time.

Salem will meet Allen Park tomorrow at home at 3:30 p.m. The Rocks will travel to Mansfield, Ohio Saturday to compete in a weekend tournament there, and will return to take on Redford Thurston at home on Tuesday at 3:30 p.m.

Canton tracksters look to move up

The only place to go for the Canton boys track squad is up said coach Mike Spitz last week. His squad was 2-5 in dual meets last year and last in a close Western Six League meet.

The team returner 25 runner from last year.

"We've got some guys with varsity experience but all in all we are a young squad," said Spitz.

The team's tri-captains include seniors Dan Inloes, middle distance, Mark Kowalczyk, sprints and long jump and junior Dave Simms, sprint events.

Other sprinters for the team include juniors Mark Ritchey and Ken Jayroe, sophomore Frank Asis and senior Scott Brookhouse.

Quarter milers include senior Simms, sophomores Ron Rienas, Dan Schach and Mike Perrot plus junior Brian Rogers.

Half milers for the Chiefs include senior Scott Hand, senior exchange student from Sweden Arne Backman,

junior Dan Henry and sophomore Jay Malin.

Canton milers will include senior Steve West and sophomore Chris Albaugh.

In the two mile, seniors Jack Pacente, Barron Smith and Jeff Calleja will be Canton's top people along with freshmen Brian Jones.

In the hurdles sophomore Butch Steele, freshmen Kevin Jayroe, senior Rob Reed will pull duty on both the highs and lows.

In the high jump, besides Rienas and Malin, Canton will have sophomore Jerry Fletcher.

Pole vaulters include Scott Cherry and Rich Tarr, and Rick Place, sophomores, and Bill Reed, junior.

Shot put and discus throwers will include Simms, Brad Scaggs, senior, and Joe Garcia, junior, while long jumpers will include Backman.

"Things are probbaly similar to what they've been in the past in tpe league,"

said Spitz. "Livonia Churchill is obviously the team to beat with six straight league titles to their name. I think we'll stack up a bit better. We have a solid core of sprinters and our distance runners are more mature."

The Chiefs open their dual season tomorrow with an away meet against Walled Lake Western. Meet time is 4 p.m.

Girls lose

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"They ran to their capacity, but Edsel Ford has stronger distance runners.

"Overall," Kurtz went on to say, "I was happy with our performance. We had good relays, the handoffs were right on."

Salem meets Allen Park tomorrow at 3:30 p.m. at the Jaguar track. On Tuesday, the Rocks will travel to Wayne Memorial for a meet there at 3:30 p.m.



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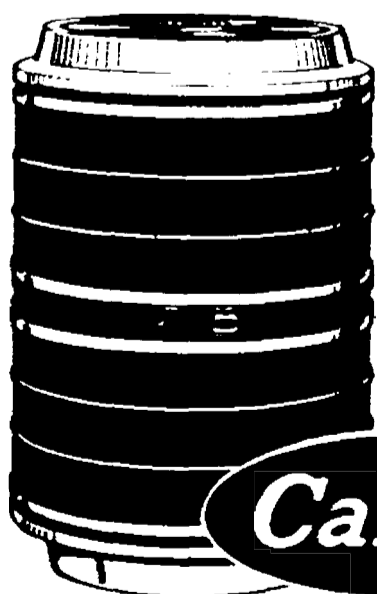
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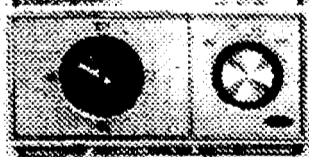
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- (5) Loss of sleep
- (6) Stiffness in the neck
- (7) Pain between the shoulders
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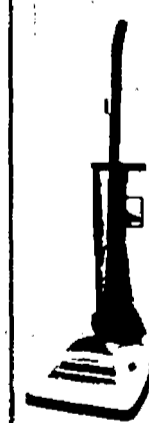
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Salem girls golfers eye undefeated season

BY PATTY RADZIK

After finishing with an 11-1 dual meet record, the Salem girls' golf team has only one option to top last season: go undefeated.

Salem will begin that quest April 14 in Dearborn at 3:15 p.m. in a tri-meet with Dearborn Edsel Ford and Dearborn.

The Rocks placed second in the regional competition last year, and pulled in seventh at the state finals as well.

"We have a stronger team this year," Salem coach Jim Stevens said. "I'm optimistic."

Out of a seven player squad, there are three girls returning from last season.

Nancy Stevens is a senior returning for her fourth year on the team. Junior Carol Ross will return for her third year, and sophomore Lisa Marino, who was a medalist in the league last year, will return for a second season with the squad.

"As far as the basic elements of the game go," Stevens said, "these three will be the nucleus of the team because of their past experience."

Rounding out the squad are juniors Yvette Totzke and Beth Miller, sophomore Julie Kenny and freshman Monica Farhart.

The Rocks will play all home matches at the Salem Hills course located on Six Mile Road, just east of Curtis Road.



THIS IS THE SALEM golf squad for 1981. The back row (from left to right) is Beth Miller, Monica Farhat, coach Jim Stevens and Nancy Stevens. Front row (from left) includes Yvette Totzke, Lisa Marino and Carol Ross. Julie Kenny is the only Salem golfer not in picture. (Crier photo by Robert Cameron)



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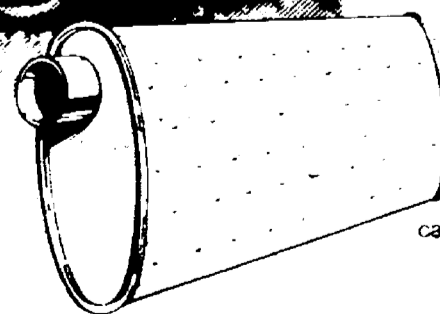
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Canton netters will return three singles players for 1981

BY KEN VOYLES

The Canton tennis squad will have the efforts of three returning singles players in its attempt to improve on its third place finish in the Western Six League last year.

Coach Jim Hayes feels the three returners will play a major role in that effort. Last year Canton was 8-6 in dual meets and 6-4 in conference duals. The Chiefs were also second in the Western Six League meet.

"We're hoping for a first or second place finish," said Hayes. "Northville has been very strong in the past but we don't know this year. Farmington Harrison is looking pretty good also."

Seniors Greg Kinnel, Bob Adams and Kevin Johnston plus junior Tom Pasley will pace the Chiefs singles crew with Kinnel at No. 1, Adams at No. 2, Johnston at No. 3 and Pasley at No. 4.

Senior Grant Grago and junior Mark Sawyer will fill the first doubles team, while sophomore Ron Austen and junior Ruben Robulis will play at second

doubles.

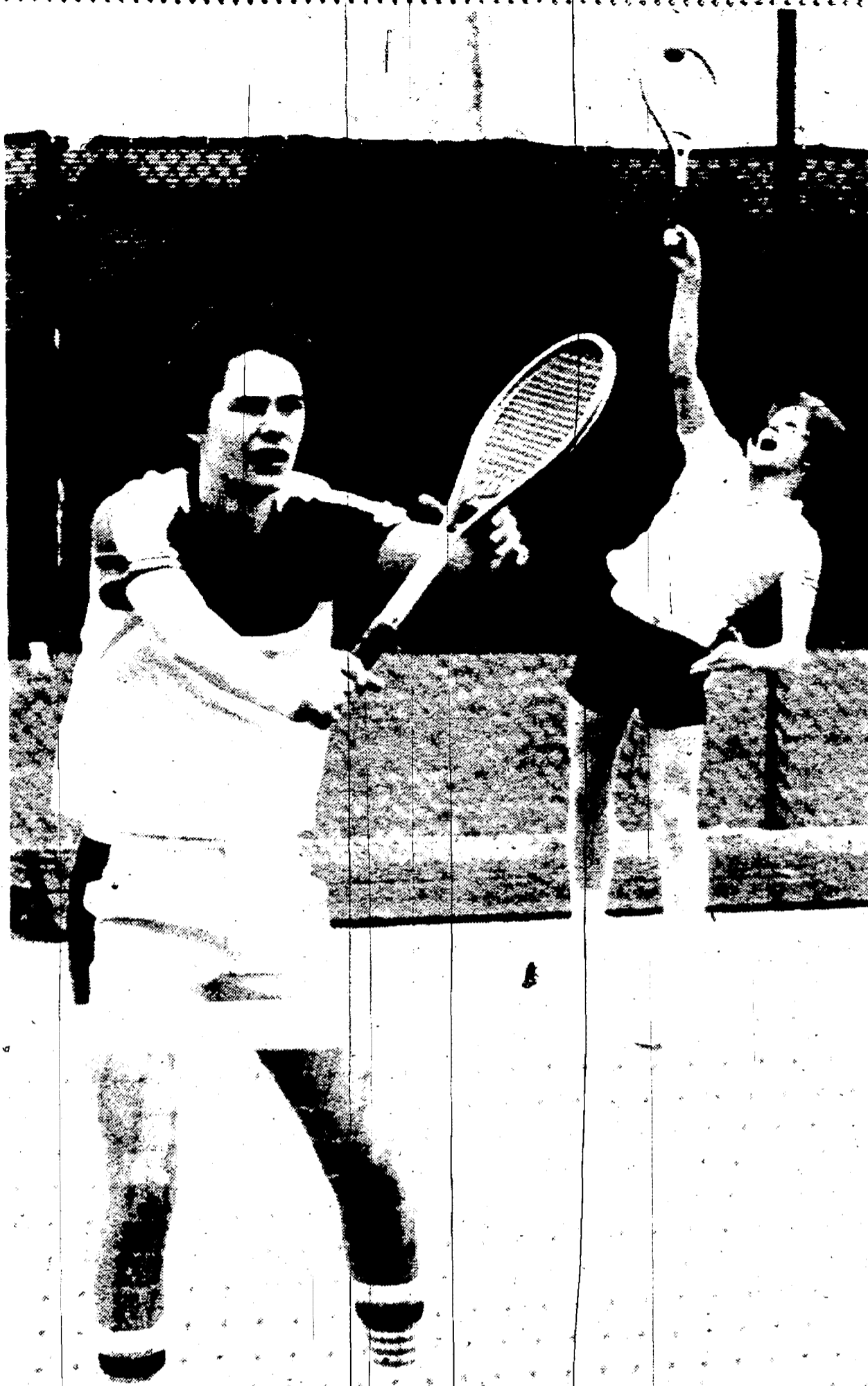
John Hurley and Ray Laeman, both sophomores, look to be the main candidates for the third doubles twosome.

Other prospects for the Chiefs this year include seniors Brian Flynn, Enver Hally and Robert Urdangaraly. Junior Dave Schendel, sophomores Randy Casper, Todd Garrett and Bob Lewwelling and freshmen Joe Melican and Dave Rozian round out the other members of the squad.

"We still need about a half dozen freshmen out for the team. No experience is necessary," said Hayes, who needs the players so that he can continue to build his program in the coming seasons.

"We were a decent tennis team last year and with the return of the singles players and our hard work in doubles we could be strong," Hayes said.

The Chiefs open their season with a non-league match with Ypsilanti on Monday (April 13). Match time is 3:30 p.m. at Ypsilanti. Canton will face



CANTON NETTERS Mark Sawyer and Grant Grago warm up during one of the Chiefs practice sessions last week. The pair will probably team up in double competition for Canton. (Crier photo by Robert Cameron)

Senior golf

Canton Township's Parks and Recreation Department is sponsoring a Senior Citizen Golf League for this summer. An organizational meeting will be conducted May 5 with league action beginning May 12.

The organizational meeting will be conducted at the Canton Township Administration Building at 1150 S. Canton Center. It will start at 10 a.m. in the first floor meeting hall.

Cost for the league is \$5 for registration and \$3.50 for weekly green fees.

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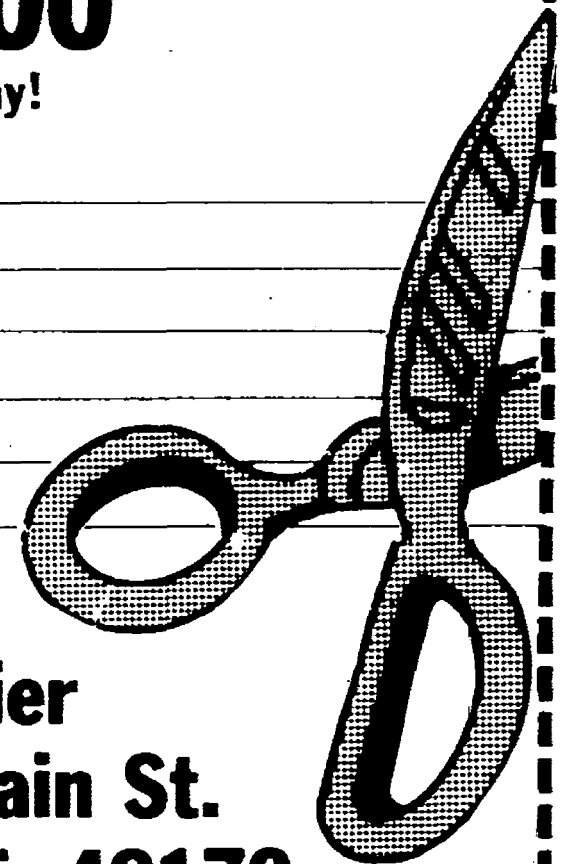
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GARY HEATH is counting his possessions.

MAUREEN MURPHY, what week is it this week? (Welcome to management!) Uncle Ed

JESSICA, who is "just a hopping rabbit," eats grandmas's birthday goodies (esp. "avacacadoes")

LOOK Out South Bend, Ind. -- the dynamic duo is out playing bridge.

HAVE YOU SEEN Cable Channel 9? Local news is on the air.

MIKE CARNE'S car changed colors!

Judi & Andy -- This one's for you. How's the new job? Watch this space for future messages.

Come on Bob - tell me the date.

San Juan sounds like a nice place.

Sally I saw that! Vicky

Guy, tell your softball team that I wish them luck -- even if I'm not the captain.

PHYLLIS - Don't tell it to Mary -- she doesn't know either.

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ASK HUGH JENCKS how many Curiosities he understands this week.

Dick, I promise to learn that silly machine as soon as I get back. Phyllis

Whatever happened to X-66? The old man.

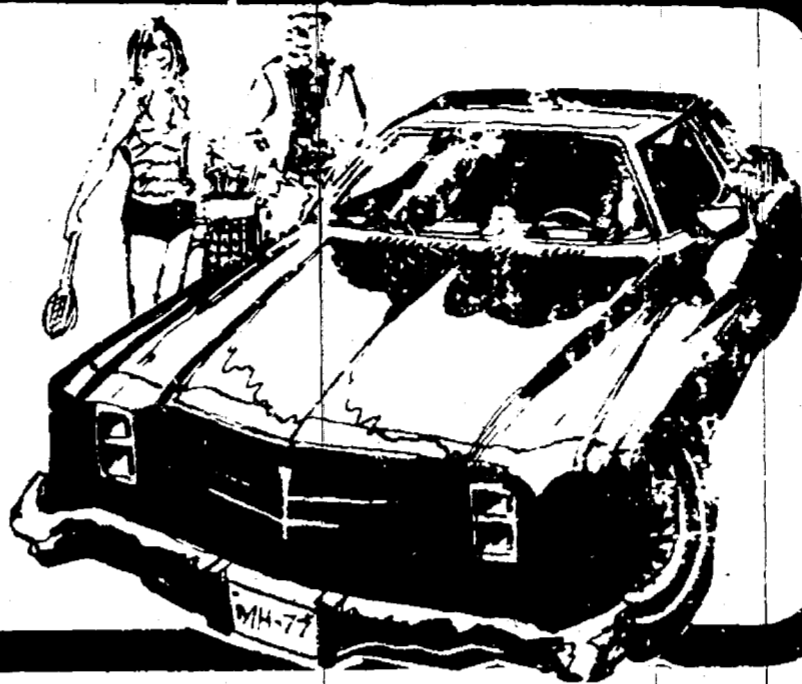
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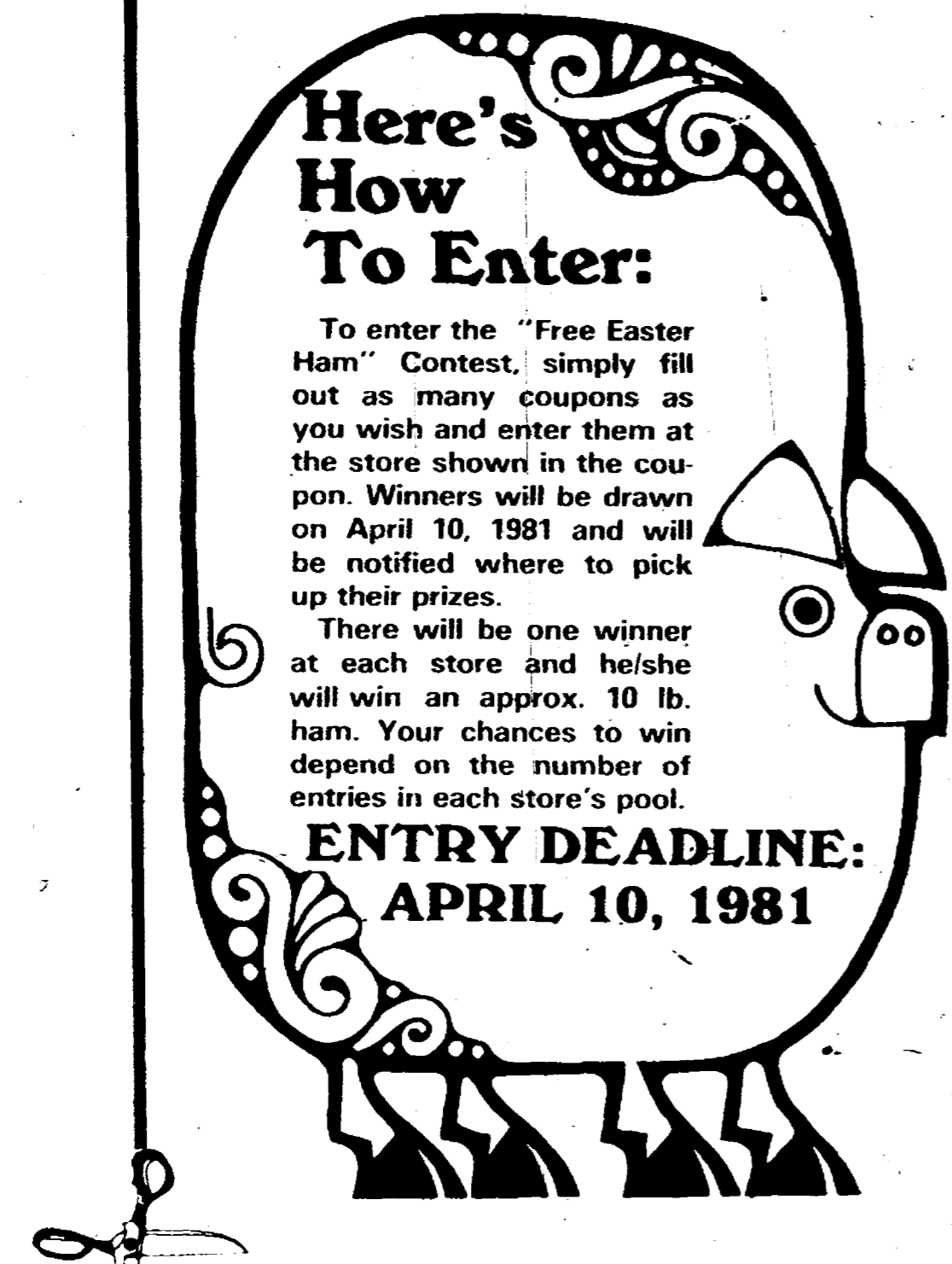
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