

As part of Michigan Week program

# Plymouth draws Marshall for mayor exchange

BY DICK BROWN

The cities of Marshall and Plymouth will exchange mayors on Monday, May 18, as part of the Michigan Week festivities.

Plymouth Mayor Mary Childs, her husband, Eric, and Plymouth Commissioner David Pugh and his wife,

Sharon, will get the red carpet treatment in Marshall.

Marshall Mayor George P. Brown, Jr., his wife, Dottie, Marshall Councilman George Shaw and his wife, Ann, and Marshall City Manager Chester Travis and his wife, Marilyn, will be taking the grand tour of Plymouth.

Plymouth has a full schedule for its Marshall guests, starting with breakfast at

the Mayflower Hotel at 8 a.m. Activities of the morning include a city hall tour, a visit to the Plymouth Historical Museum and a tour of the city which will include city facilities, library, Cultural Center, Centennial Education Park, the cemetery and the court house. Then comes lunch at Plymouth Landing.

In the afternoon the visitors will be taken on a tour of Old Village, the central

business district, Westchester Square, a drive through the city's residential sections and a stop at Tonquish Creek Manor before returning to rooms at the Mayflower. In the evening a dinner is planned at the Roundtable Club at the Mayflower.

Mayor Pro-Tem Eldon "Bud" Martin will be the official host for the Marshall visitors.



# Proposal A goes to voters next Tuesday

Voters across the state will head to the polls next Tuesday, May 19, to decide the fate of State Proposal A, the compromise proposal worked out by Governor William Milliken and the state's legislative leaders.

Proposal A is billed as a property tax cut plan which would reduce homestead

property taxes used by counties, cities, townships and school districts for operating purposes by 50 percent with a maximum savings to the property owner of \$1,400.

The measure also proposes to reduce city income tax on individuals by 50 percent.

Under the plan the local units of government would be reimbursed by the state for the lost local revenue with the reimbursement coming from an increase from 4 percent to 5.5 percent in the state sales tax.

Proposal A also limits local property tax revenue growth to six percent by property type unless raised by a vote of local voters.

The proposal also provides for farms and forest land to be assessed at use value. A further provision in Proposal A earmarks all profits from the state lottery for the state school aid fund.

Proposal A has generated much heated debate which is intensifying as the May 19 election date approaches.

Governor Milliken and members of his administration along with lawmakers of both political parties have taken to the stump to urge the passage of the proposal.

Opposition is coming from many groups, including the followers of Robert Tisch and Richard Headlee, who have been fighting the tax battle for several

years with their own plans, and from such groups as the Michigan Association of Counties, which see the proposal as a threat to the operation of local government.

Proposal A critics also point out that full implementation of the plan, if passed, would depend on 20 legislative bills which may or may not be passed in their suggested forms or which could be changed at the will of the present legislature or any future legislature.

If Proposal A passes Michigan citizens would be paying the fourth highest state sales tax in the nation, topped only by Connecticut, Pennsylvania and Rhode Island. Those arguing against passage also point out that by slashing property taxes, a deductible item when figuring federal income tax, property owners would have to pay more to the federal government.

The debate over Proposal A is expected to continue right down to the wire on Tuesday.

Polls will open Tuesday morning at 7 a.m. and close Tuesday night at 8 p.m.

# The Crier announces ownership consolidation

Ownership of the Plymouth-Canton Community Crier, Inc. -- which publishes this newspaper -- has begun consolidation.

The publishing company's board of directors has unanimously approved an offer by Publisher W. Edward Wendover to have the newspaper repurchase stock from the company's other 12 stockholders.

Most of the repurchase has been completed already, Wendover said, and the remaining consolidation should be completed soon. Terms of the sale were not announced.

"When The Crier was started in 1974, it had a long way to go before it could adequately serve our community," Wendover said. "The several employes and outside stockholders who reorganized the paper in 1974-1975 brought the company to the journalistic and business stature it needed to continue in its role."

"But times change, and the newspaper must look towards adapting to the future to continue," Wendover said, citing the recent addition of Waynco Graphics job printing company and cable television to The Crier's efforts.

"We salute the stockholders' understanding of our goals and the changes we must undergo to meet the responsibility of providing Plymouth-Canton with its own independent medium," the publisher explained.

When the stock consolidation is completed, Wendover will remain as the sole stockholder of the newspaper publishing company. He bought stock in



W. EDWARD WENDOVER

the paper in 1974 after leaving the Observer & Eccentric and has served as chairman of the board of The Crier ever since.

(For comments on the newspaper ownership change, see today's Community Opinion pages.)

## Proposition A ballot wording

Here is the official ballot text of Proposal A as it will appear on the ballot facing voters at the special state-wide election on May 19.

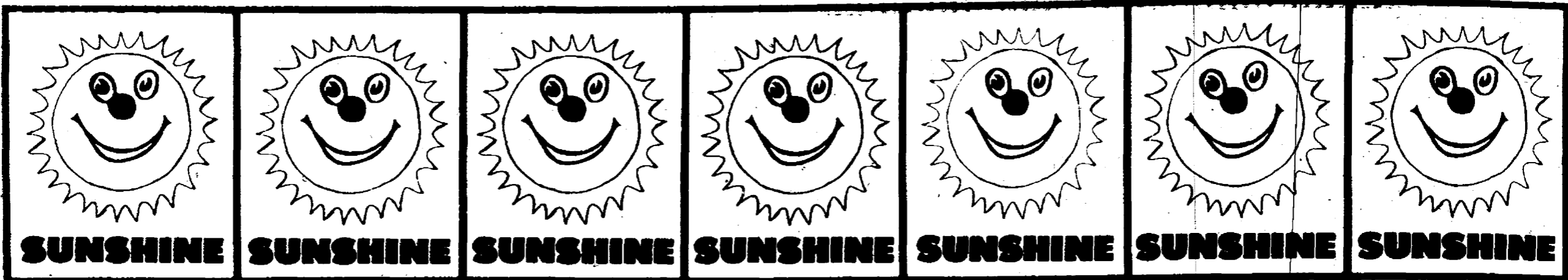
### PROPOSAL A

**Proposal to reduce property taxes, reduce city income taxes, limit growth of property tax revenues, return additional sales tax to local governments and schools and give state lottery profits to school aid fund.**

The proposed amendment would:

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2. Reduce by 50 percent local individual income taxes on first \$40,000 of taxable income.
3. Make state return to local governments all funds lost by above reductions.
4. Limit yearly property tax revenue growth to 6 percent by property type unless raised by local voters.
5. Raise sales tax from 4 percent to 5.5 percent. Raise must be returned to local governments and schools.
6. Let farms and forests be assessed at use value.
7. Give state lottery profits to school aid fund.

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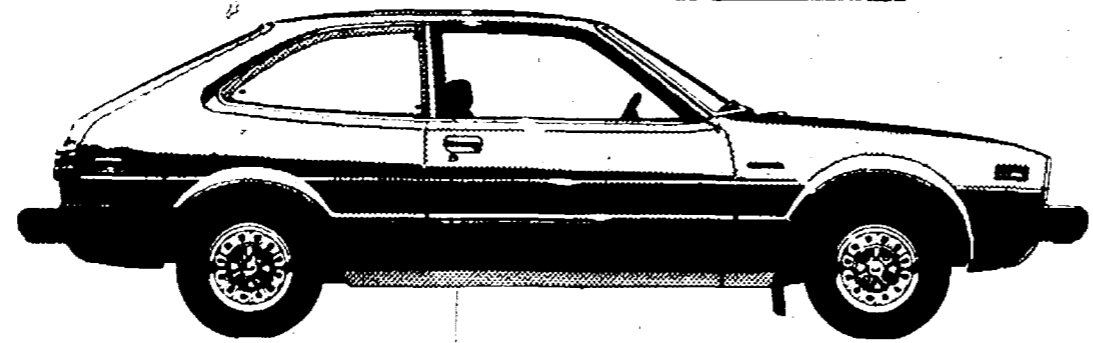
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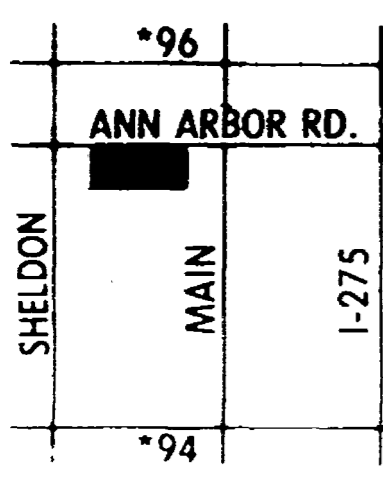
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# Ralph Lorenz has date with President Reagan

BY DICK BROWN

Last Thursday was a big day for Plymouth's Ralph Lorenz but this Wednesday figures to be an even bigger one.

Last Thursday morning Lorenz, owner of the Mayflower Hotel, was among six outstanding business people presented plaques by the Michigan District of the Small Business Administration (SBA). Lorenz was honored as Senior Entrepreneur Advocate of the Year at a breakfast in his Mayflower Meeting House.

Wednesday morning he will be in Washington, D.C., to accept a citation from President Ronald Reagan in the White House rose garden as National Senior Entrepreneur Advocate of the year. Both presentations helped celebrate National Small Business Week.

Lorenz was singled out for his community leadership, as a leader in the hotel business and as a leader in business organizations. He was one of the Michigan participants in the 1980 White House Conference on Small Business.

Lorenz has been managing the Mayflower Hotel since 1939. He and his wife, Mabel, purchased the hotel in 1964 and, with the help of their six children, improved and expanded the facility into one of the top hostels of the country.

Just operating his own business has never satisfied Lorenz. He spearheaded a project to develop downtown Plymouth by buying up old buildings and tearing them down or sprucing them up. This renewal brought the colonial style to downtown Plymouth and brought in new businesses and provided many jobs.

Lorenz is past president of the Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce, Rotary Club and Round Table Club. He has been instrumental in

promoting Plymouth on all fronts.

In 1980 he was inducted into the Plymouth Hall of Fame.

In remarks made at the presentation of the state award Thursday, Lorenz listed changes in government regulations needed to help small business survive.

"Workmen's Compensation must be rejuvenated to help us survive. We need a change in unemployment compensation laws. Little people were not represented in the Single Business Tax—we are penalized for hiring people. Replacement of capital-retaining earnings—should be changed and we need a form of social security for old buildings," he pointed out.



Randall Miller of 777 Adams, Plymouth, was among three men arrested for conspiring to distribute LSD two weeks ago. It was reported in the May 6 issue of The Crier that Randy Williams was arrested.

Miller, along with Todd Hyde, Middletown, Ohio, and Tim Barnham, Milford Street in Highland, are out on personal bond facing possible indictment before their May 20 examination in federal court.

In the April 29 issue of The Crier, an obituary on Frank David Roberts should have stated his age as 40. Incorrect information was supplied by the funeral home.

## Super sewer discussion planned

The Wayne County Board of Public Works has called a public meeting to tackle alternatives for treating wastewater and improving water quality in Western Wayne County and Oakland County, including the City of Plymouth and Plymouth Township.

The meeting has been set for Wednesday, June 3, for the Northville High School Auditorium at 7 p.m.

Public opinion is being sought on 31 initial alternatives for treating wastewater in the Huron Valley North Service Area comprised of the cities of Plymouth, Walled Lake, Novi and Northville and the townships of Plymouth, White Lake, Commerce, Novi and Northville, along with the village of Wolverine Lake.

The alternatives include utilization of existing systems, with no improvements, using one or more of centralized treatment facilities at Walled Lake-Nowi, Detroit or the Wayne Board of Public Works facility currently being designed to serve the Huron Valley South Service Area communities of Canton Township, Van Buren Township, Romulus, Sumpter Township, Huron Township, Flat Rock, Rockwood, Brownstown Township, Woodhaven, Gibraltar and South Rockwood.

Other alternatives to be discussed include building new interceptor sewers to any of the above facilities and developing new or improved local on-site wastewater treatment systems in unsewered areas of low population density.



TAKEN LAST FALL, this photo shows the feeling of many striking workers outside the Plymouth Stamping plant on Ann Arbor Road. Management and union representatives, who have not negotiated since March 12, met yesterday to try to resolve the strike, which has been going on since last September. (Crier photo by Robert Cameron)

## Plymouth Stamping strike starts getting rough

BY DAN BODENE.

A demonstration at the Plymouth Stamping plant briefly erupted in a rock-throwing incident Friday, including "pushing and shoving on both sides" according to police who confronted striking plant workers.

"Nobody was hurt and nobody was arrested," said Plymouth Police Insp. Carl Berry. "That's the important thing."

According to members of United Auto Workers Local 985, on strike outside the plant since last September, the incident began when Plymouth police ordered a parked car owned by one of the striking workers to be towed away.

A member of the group, who asked not to be identified, said police did not give the man enough time to move the car before ordering it towed.

According to Berry, "The way the car was parked, officers were concerned for the people — if somebody got hurt, it would have been their responsibility, and rightfully so."

### To discuss Surrey Trail

Members of the City of Plymouth's Planning Commission will discuss the "Surrey Trail" Loop for Plymouth's central business district tonight at the monthly commission meeting in City Hall. That meeting will start at 7:30 p.m. and take place in the commission chambers on the second level.

During the meeting city consultants Vilican-Leman will present a comprehensive package detailing the next steps involved in bringing 'the Loop' closer to reality. Included will be cost estimates and a timetable.

Berry said the incident then escalated into pushing and shoving, and an officer sprayed a member of the demonstrating group with Mace. "The officer thought he was in danger," said Berry. "He has been talked to."

Police units from Canton, Livonia and State Police departments also responded to the scene, said Berry.

According to Ray Westfall, UAW International Representative from Region 1A, Wayne County Circuit Court Judge William Cahalan has issued a restraining order forbidding "harrassment of replacement workers or vandalism from either side." The order allows six pickets per 5-hour shift at the plant, said Westfall.

Representatives of the union and Plymouth Stamping have not met since March 12, Westfall said Friday. However, he said a meeting was arranged for yesterday.

Dick Taylor, vice president of Plymouth Stamping, confirmed a meeting was scheduled yesterday between attorneys for the company and the UAW Local president, John Ellis.

Ellis said he doubted the meeting would resolve the strike, saying, "There is movement on both sides, but not significant enough to stop it."

Westfall said the stalemate is the result of the plant's decision to retain replacement workers. "We capitulated to all of the company's demands," he said. "Our demands have been forgotten since September."

Taylor said his company's position is that workers hired to replace strikers will not be fired, but UAW members would be given "preferential hiring" if more positions open up after the strike.



### Sheldon Road project fills up Main Street

TRAFFIC JAMS of monstrous sizes are developing on Main Street in Plymouth during peak commuting hours because of the Sheldon Road widening project.

This picture was taken in the evening looking south at the Ann Arbor Road traffic light.

## Salem seniors have busy schedule

It's that busy time of the year for Plymouth Salem High School seniors as they count down to graduation ceremonies on Wednesday, June 17.

First comes the senior honors convocation on Thursday, May 28, at the Salem High School Auditorium. Set to start at 7:30, the program arranged by the senior class honors committee, guidance department and faculty will be by in-

itation only. Parents of students receiving recognition will be notified a week in advance of the program.

On Friday, May 29, the seniors and their guests will head for Oakland Community College and the senior prom. The prom will run from 8 p.m. to midnight at the Orchard Ridge campus. Tickets for the prom went on sale May 11.

The senior banquet is scheduled for

Wednesday, June 3, at the Mayflower Meeting House for 6:30 p.m. Arranged by the senior banquet committee, the program will feature "mock awards" who have been voted recipients in many categories.

Individual churches in the Plymouth-Canton area will honor seniors on Sunday, June 14.

But Wednesday, June 17 is the big day, starting with commencement rehearsal at 1:30 at the football stadium. If there is rain the rehearsal will be moved to the Salem gymnasium. Commencement ceremonies are scheduled for 8 p.m. at the football stadium. If poor weather prevails the ceremonies will be moved to the gymnasium. For the outside ceremony each student will receive 10 tickets for guests. If the weather forces a move indoors the tickets will be limited to five.

Following graduation, the seniors will have their senior party at the high school P.E. facility. The theme will be "The Circus Rocks Tonight," and will be put on by senior parents.

## Plymouth Lions get ready for annual auction sale

A potpourri of new and used merchandise will be up for auction this Sunday as the Lions Club of Plymouth conducts its 6th Annual Charity Auction.

The auction will begin at 12:30 p.m. at 42955 Joy Rd. in Canton (between Lilley Road and Main Street). Proceeds will be used for Sight Conservation Programs and other charitable projects.

Included in the auction will be radios, stereos, lawnmowers, tables, chairs,

lamps, sofas, new and old books, bicycles, record players, typewriters, mirrors, T.V.'s, motors, tools, antiques, dishes, new items donated by Plymouth merchants, clocks, sporting goods, building material items and much more.

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## New Morning School may return to Plymouth township

New Morning School, now located in Dearborn Heights, has plans in progress to move its operation back to Plymouth area when it started eight years ago.

Last week officials of the private school for pre-school through eighth grade submitted site plans to Plymouth Township for development of a school on the east side of the township.

If everything goes according to schedule the move to Plymouth Township will be completed in time for the start of classes next fall.

New Morning School started out in Plymouth township eight years ago. The parent co-op school was first located in Epiphany Lutheran Church on Five Mile Rd. Then it moved to rented facilities in Tuesdale school before moving to its present Dearborn Heights location.

Upon completion of the move to Plymouth Township the Dearborn Heights facility will close.

New Morning School currently has 21 students and is operated by parents and certified teachers.

The proposed move to Plymouth has put added importance to the fifth annual auction set for May 17 at one p.m. The sale which will be conducted at the present school at 4950 Madison, Dearborn Heights, will feature donations from merchants throughout the metropolitan area along with antiques, home and garden items, art work, handicrafts and many other items. Funds raised through the auction will be used to support scholarships for low income families.

## It's 'indignant' instead of 'indigent'

This is the "Case of the Indignant Indigent."

A.J. "Woody" Lynch, well-known local contractor, pleaded guilty to three violations from the Canton Ordinance Dept. but asked Judge Jim Garber to be easy on the fines. (The township withdrew two other violations.) "Your honor, I'm indigent," joked Lynch.

Without missing a beat, Judge Garber replied:

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### Fiegel Cub Scouts take field trip

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## Area Girl Scout Association conducts recognition night

It was recognition night for Girl Scouts at the April 29 meeting of the Plymouth-Northville-Canton Association at West Middle School in Plymouth. Registered adult volunteers and Scouts were recognized during the evening.

First Class Awards were presented to Shelly Curd, Kelly Parker, Gladys Richardson and Gillian Lyon.

Remembrance gifts went to graduating seniors Jennifer Courter, Elizabeth Griffing, Ann O'Reilly and Jeanne Yoe.

June Clinton, field director of PNC, received a miniature desk set of an American flag and cookie cutters were awarded to five area cookie chairmen.

Recipients of program awards were Peggy Seery, Mae Lewelling, Liz Okon, Barb Weir, Margaret Sweet, Doris Prosyck and Ruth McMahon.

Other Girl Scout honors presented were: Friendship pin, Martha Bently; Girl

Scout necklace, Marge Taylor; Appreciation plaque, Penny Schaw; Key Person award, Jo Morse and Pricilla Snyder; Adult Certificate of Appreciation, Jeanette Smith; Adult Appreciation Pin, Romaine Kling; Area Association Plaque and bouquet of daisies, Judy Parker; and team award for troop leadership, Dolores and Bob Wells and Jan and Mike Samaziya.

In addition first year leader pins were presented to 93 new leaders.

The association also presented TSD's retiring Peggy Seery and Cindy Bastian with TDS banners.

Twenty-five-year pins were awarded to Loraine Hurtik, Plymouth, and Sue Schuerman, Northville.

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## WSDP auction hits its \$6,000

Although the final tally hadn't been figured as of late Monday afternoon, according to WSDP's administrative coordinator Jeffrey Cardinal the 2nd Annual Radio Auction raised almost \$5700, just short of the \$6000 goal set by the station for this year.

The biggest single item to be auctioned was the Mayflower Hotel balloon ride which went for \$250, \$5 short of an overbid.

"That \$5700 is a rough count, but we think that's a close estimate," said Cardinal. "We set our goal high not knowing how well we would do. But we're very pleased with the way things stand.

"Some people got some real deals, that goes without saying," he continued. "The real surprise was the two hours in jail which went to Chuck Moore for \$60."

Other items from the auction's Dream Board included Crier Publisher W. Edward Wendover's "With Malice Toward None" column which went to Carol Levitte for \$53, a John Kelly autographed mug for \$35, an American flag flown over the nation's capital for \$75, a federal seal for \$45, a night with the "Hasbeens" for \$65, serving on the Plymouth-Canton Board of Education for \$16, a student photo package for \$125, and a basketball scrimmage with Salem principal Bill Brown for \$15.



### PCAC craft classes begin

THE FIRST OF SEVERAL Plymouth Community Arts Council craft classes began May 5. Shown preparing for the photography class offerings are, from left, Ken Underwood, Jim Englehart and Ellen Kenny. Other PCAC classes include quilting, counted thread embroidery, basket workshops and needlepoint. For more information call the PCAC office at 455-5260 Monday through Thursday from 9 a.m. to noon. (Photo courtesy PCAC)

## Energy saving program is available to homeowners

Low income families in the Plymouth and Canton area have an opportunity to cut down on fuel bills through a program funded by the U.S. Department of Energy and the U.S. Department of Labor, along with the Michigan Bureau of Community Services.

In Region 1 of Wayne County, which includes Canton and Plymouth, the program is being administered by the Wayne County Office on Aging.

To be eligible for the program the family must own or be buying a house and be able to meet the low income eligibility requirements. In some cases renters are eligible.

Following determination of eligibility the home will be assessed for weatherization needs and then necessary work will be done at no cost to the homeowner.

Some of the projects undertaken include replacement of broken windows, replacement of missing storm windows, weatherstripping of prime doors, caulking and glazing of windows, repair or replacement of broken doors, insulation of basement or crawl space, insulation of attic and installation of roof vents.

For further information on the service call Wayne County Weatherization Program, 326-9402.

## Plymouth LWV to sponsor adult group home panel

The League of Women Voters of Northville-Plymouth-Canton-Novi is sponsoring a panel discussion on Adult Foster Care Homes for the Mentally Handicapped. It will be held at Meads Mill School in Northville on May 14 at 7:30 p.m.

The panel will consist of Thomas Kennedy, a licensing consultant with the Department of Social Services; Carol Parks of the Northville Training Center and Ken Stockton from the Department of Mental Health. The discussion will be moderated by LWV member Sandy McClennen. Ms. McClennen is a licensed

psychologist and an associate professor of Special Education at Eastern Michigan University. She has taught social skills to retarded adults living in institutions and has co-authored a book on the subject.

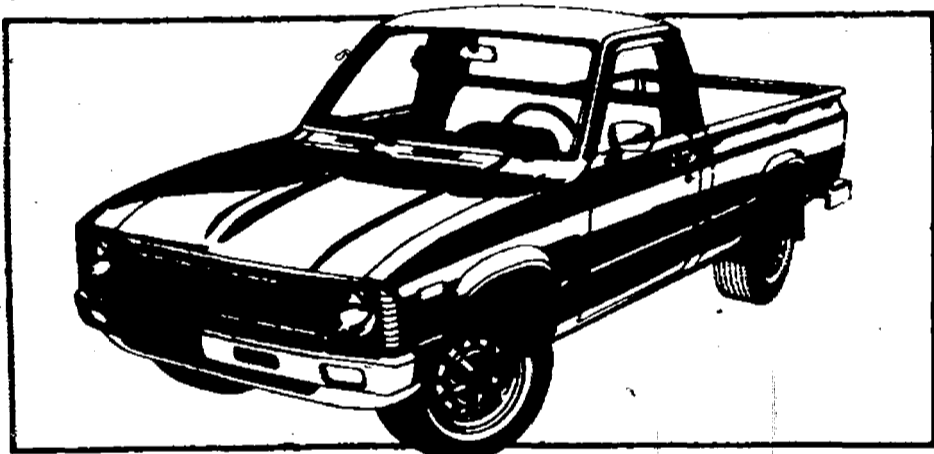
The experts will answer questions from the audience and attempt to give a better understanding of the group home concept.

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## Vote 'No' on Proposal A

Michigan voters will go to the polls next Tuesday, May 19, to decide State Proposal A.

Proposal A is touted as a procedure to reduce property taxes, reduce city income taxes, limit growth of property tax revenues, return additional sales tax to local governments and schools and give state lottery profits to school aid fund.

At first blush, the proposal seems to offer something for everyone. Billed as both tax relief and tax shift by proponents, the proposal is loaded with a lot of "iffy" consequences. Sorting out those consequences is the chore of every responsible voter.

In going over the claims of proponents and the counter-claims of opponents, there is one fact that is obvious: Proposal A should be defeated. There are too many questions Proposal A leaves unanswered.

The governor and legislative leaders who are pushing the proposal are asking the voters to accept at face value the 20 plus legislative bills in the hopper needed to implement Proposal A, if passed.

Based on the track record of the Michigan legislature, that is putting too much faith in the hands of the state's lawmakers.

Reducing property taxes has great appeal, but the impact of reducing property tax under Proposal A could be that most people will pay for that reduction through increased sales tax with a minimal net gain and still have to face increased pressure from local

units of government and school districts for other sources of revenue in order to maintain minimal services.

There are some people who would gain under Proposal A and the implementing legislation in the hopper.

The state's senior citizens would be the major beneficiaries. Property tax relief would increase from the present maximum of \$1,200 per year to as much as \$2,600.

The rest of Michigan's taxpayers would find no change or little change in the amount they are paying for state and local government. Proposal A appears to cut taxes but in reality it could increase the total tax bill for most Michigan people and for business and industry—and when business and industry face tax increases those increases are passed along to the consumer in the form of higher prices for goods and services.

True tax reform in Michigan is needed, along with a more cost-efficient government operation, but Proposal A does not do it.

For that reason voters should reject Proposal A, keep the pressure on the administration and the legislature for true tax reform and hope that the administration and the legislature will, for a change, correctly interpret the will of the people.

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## Money... or the lack of it

### In addition

by Dan Bodenc



The times they are a-changing. Many new things are happening in the community, as everyone gears up for the summer season.

News from the school beat seems to center around several interconnected issues. One is the May 19 tax cut proposal, which is also explained elsewhere in these pages. If the proposal passes, and there is a great possibility that it will, the schools will be looking at another \$2 million loss in revenues.

The problem, as I see it, is that taxpayers have been looking for so long at some promise of tax relief that any hint of a ballot issue with the words "tax cut" on it is welcomed.

Unfortunately, the so-called tax cut

proposal on May 19 is not that -- it's a tax shift. Robbing Peter to pay Paul, so to speak. And to even make it work as is, some 20 separate pieces of other legislation have to be passed by state lawmakers.

I ask you -- to get all that into law, do you trust the same people who brought you the resolution to kick the British consulate out of Detroit?

No, Michigan taxpayers have every right to a tax cut, but an equitable one that works. And one that won't force the sacrifice of a great deal of their school programs.

Which brings us back to the school beat. According to the outcome of the May 19 proposal, two different millage

questions have had to be written for the June 8 school election.

The schools' budget depends on it all -- whether the May 19 proposal passes and which millage proposal will pass (if either passes at all). A lot of jobs and a lot of program depends on that budget.

School board candidates will also face voters on June 8. Generally, only about half of the slate of candidates now attend board meetings, although that in itself is not the only qualification for the job.

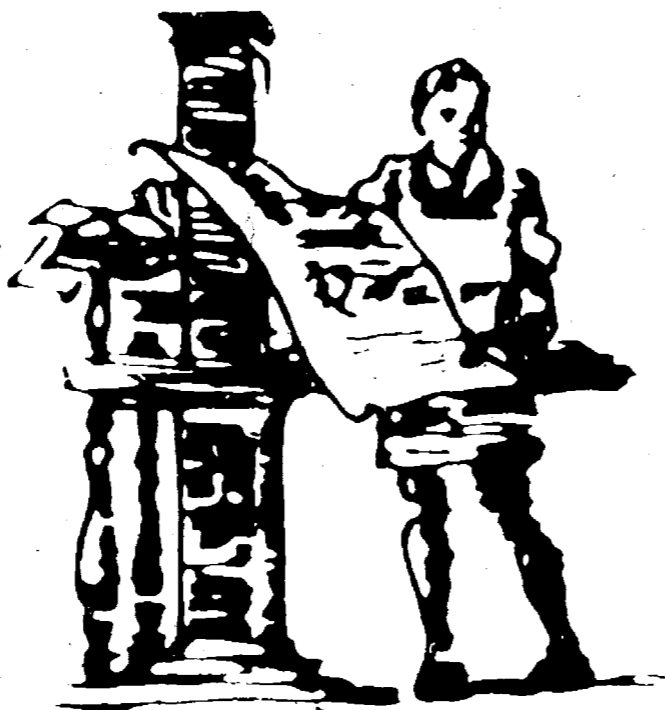
Speaking of board members, Roland Thomas provided the winning bid at the recent WSDP auction to sit on the board for a time. His bid was \$16. Good luck, Roland -- most people have to be paid to do that.

## How these folks helped our local paper

*It's not that the following Plymouth-Canton Community leaders touted below haven't reaped their share of support before for their years of service.*

*It's just that they've contributed tremendously in yet another relatively-unsung way. And it's time to recognize them:*

Hank Meijer,  
Robert Cameron,  
Jim Jabara,  
Norm Ruehr,  
Harold Guenther,  
Elaine & Dick Kirchgatter,  
Bob Delaney,  
Joe Hudson,  
Dr. William Ross,  
Mary Perna,  
Phyllis Redfern,  
Fran Hennings



*Those folks, for the past five to seven years, aided in the development of the Plymouth-Canton Community Crier, inc. -- our community's only locally-owned and operated independent medium. Each of them has been a stockholder and most have served on The Crier's board of directors for at least one term.*

*Now, they are selling their stock back to The Crier's publishing company which is undergoing consolidation unanimously approved by the directors.*

*In so doing, however, they will not (we insist) give up their roles in providing input towards The Crier's service to Plymouth-Canton.*

*They have given direction to our young paper's rapid growth in service to our community.*

*Their stock ownership can hardly be said to have been a huge financial success. The return seen for their years of help and patience is modest indeed.*

*As we have known for some time, our stockholders are obviously motivated by higher goals than just a return on their investment. They recognize the importance of a strong, independent local newspaper to serve as our community's promoter, bulletin board and watchdog.*

*(This our paper's important responsibility which we pledge to continue upholding.)*

*However, our stockholders recognize that a publishing corporation, like all businesses, must change to meet the times and continue growing in service.*

*That's why they were hand-picked in the first place to join The Crier.*

*When this newspaper began in 1974, it lacked both professional journalistic and business directions.*

*To get the paper on the right course journalistically, we brought newcomers and developed existing professional talents.*

*To make it responsive to Plymouth-Canton as a whole, we picked 10 individuals to join us as representatives of the various segments of our community.*

*Joining us back then as minority outside stockholders were: George Lawton; Julie and Tex Thoman; Jabara; Ruehr; Guenther; Kirchgatters; Delaney; Hudson; Ross; and Perna. (Lawton and the Thomans sold their stock back to the paper some time ago.)*

*All of those outside stockholders served on an advisory board for the paper and, from among themselves, elected two representatives to the publishing company's board of directors.*

*In that manner, and by being unashful enough to pick up the phone and offer two cents worth of thoughts, they served by bringing The Crier up to its current standards of service to Plymouth-Canton.*

*Those outside stockholders are to be saluted for their continuing contribution to local journalism in our town.*

*At the same time, several Crier employees are to be lauded for their work in leading The Newspaper with Its Heart in The Plymouth-Canton Community to the standards it now displays.*

*In particular, two individuals should be singled out:*

*Meijer and Cameron became large Crier stockholders in early 1975.*

*Having worked at the paper since 1974, they both have played a major role in corporate planning and direction towards journalistic excellence.*

*Both continue as officers and directors of the publishing company although they also have sold their stock to The Crier. Additionally, Cameron assumes extra responsibilities besides his photo editor duties.*

*Also, both Hennings and Redfern -- two longtime Crier stalwarts -- have served as stockholders as well as employees. Hennings, our first advertising consultant, has been with the paper longer than anybody but the split-leaf plant, and Redfern is our office manager as well as corporate director and secretary. They, of course, continue in their duties here.*

*(Several former employees had also served as stockholders in the company but sold their stock back. They are: Donna Lomas, Melanie Robinson, Chas Child, and Bill Bresler.)*

*All of the stockholders, both from within and outside the newspaper staff, have continued to be helpful to The Crier's service here.*

*We salute their untiring demand for excellence and social responsibility and look forward to their continued input. And we just thought you'd like to know how so many people have contributed to your community's journalism.*

W. EDWARD WENDOVER,  
Publisher and chairman

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## Coloring It Brown

By Dick Brown

A little over a year ago I came down out of the stump country of Northern Michigan to live it up in the Detroit Metro area.

The transition was easy to make in every area except driving the family bus. It's quite a change to come from Roscommon where there are only two traffic lights in the entire county to an area where there are thousands of cars—all aiming for me.

I learned quickly to drive offensively (that's a play on words.) A couple of months on the Wayne county roads and I learned to glare at opposing drivers, shake my fist, lean on the horn and say the right words.

There is one thing I haven't gotten used to yet, though. That's dodging the debris on the freeways. This week I almost wiped out a mattress in the middle of I-275 and last week while driving behind a truck hauling waste paper, the canvas flopped off and I slammed into a lot of discarded memos from some office, some of which stuck to the windshield.

Up in Roscommon drivers had to watch out for deer, bear, porcupine and, in season, stupid snowmobilers.

There was one occasion when I was driving on M-76 and approaching Dead Man's Curve between Roscommon and Grayling, when I did smack into a television set which flopped off a pickup in front of me.

I had a hard time convincing my insurance agent that I was straight arrow when I filed an insurance claim for the dented grill. Somehow he didn't seem convinced that I had damaged my car by driving into a TV set.

I am glad I didn't have to file a claim with him for hitting that mattress.

## Basically

by Ken Voyles



Lee Fidge is excited.

The Plymouth Township Trustee and member of the township's planning commission has discovered that a section of the township between North Territorial and Five Mile Roads and just west of Gottschalk is a potential wetlands area.

The 16-acre area was under consideration for development by the planning commission. The developer requested rezoning the property to R1E, or residential, but the commission decided to postpone their decision until July after a Corps of Engineers field appraisal designated the land as wetlands.

The land is on the boundary of Wayne and Washtenaw counties and according to Fidge is continuous into Washtenaw County. "We don't know how much wetlands there are," said Fidge.

The original field inspection was done last December. The planning commission wants another field inspection done before deciding either way. The Corps will then write an opinion paper for the trustees.

The area is a part of the Johnson Drain. "We may say no to development in that plot," said Fidge, who added that no decision either way has been made.

## Plymouth AAUW supports women's individual choice

EDITOR:

As the American Association of University Women enters into its second century, it continues to support a legislative course that provides for the right of individual choice in determination of one's reproductive life.

At the Michigan State Division Convention on May 1-May 3, the 200 delegates representing 7,500 state members recognized the serious implications of the legislation proposed by Senator Helms and Congressman Hyde and unanimously endorsed the following motions:

--The Michigan Division of AAUW

opposes any action taken in the name of morality or righteousness which threatens the individual freedoms guaranteed by the Bill of Rights.

--The Michigan Division of AAUW opposes any legislation or constitutional action which designates a time that human life begins.

As the Branch president of an organization that encourages an informed and responsive citizenry, I felt it imperative to let our non-partisan side be publicly heard.

MARY E. UHL  
Plymouth Branch President



**IN A FAMILIAR POSE.** Ralph G. Lorenz holds court to advocate whatever moves him that day. Here, Ralph saw a crowd gathering to watch the demolition of an old house on Harvey Street and couldn't pass it up. The well-known local innkeeper is being honored by President Reagan today as the Small Business Administration's senior advocate entrepreneur of the year. (Crier photo)

## Ralph Lorenz deserves honor

This afternoon, one of Plymouth's prime movers and shakers will be honored by President Reagan in the White House Rose Garden.

Ralph G. Lorenz, who for years as owner of the Mayflower Hotel has been an outspoken advocate of commerce and downtown development, has been named 1981 Senior Entrepreneur Advocate of the Year by the Small Business Administration.

It's an honor well deserved!

"Maybe this is all a mistake and they're going to want it (the award) back," joked Ralph at the SBA breakfast which feted him and other Michigan SBA

winners last week.

It's no mistake, Ralph.

Whether or not we've always agreed with your positions, we all agree with the SBA that you've been a moving force in promoting our business community and Plymouth-Canton as a whole, Ralph. And your sometimes blustery manner only represents your enthusiasm for the cause—and we like enthusiasm.

Ralph (and Mabel), we hope you'll accept the award from the President today knowing that your neighbors long ago recognized your leadership in fostering Our Town.

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## RR crossings need repairs

EDITOR:

It is obvious that the nation's railroads are in serious financial trouble. All that is needed to ascertain that is to read all the stories about the financial condition of the railroads in almost any daily paper.

But, there must be some money available in the coffers of the railroads to take care of the bone-jarring crossings on Main Street, Mill Street and Starkweather in Plymouth.

When will the Plymouth city officials get hard-nosed enough to take on the railroad and the Michigan Public Service Commission to see that these terrible crossings are smoothed out?

People who drive these streets are getting sick and tired of footing the cost of front end alignments for their cars and replacing damaged tires. If something isn't done soon and the condition of the crossings isn't improved, someone is going to lose a compact car in the crossing holes.

And while the city fathers are toughing it out over the crossings they might see if they can fill some of the potholes in Mill

Street. Forget about the natives, think about what an advertisement to beautiful Plymouth the sad condition of Mill street is for the visitors who attempt to drive into town.

Plymouth residents and visitors to Plymouth deserve better—and so do our cars.

TOM BYRNE

## Chief Tim Ford thanks all those offering best wishes

EDITOR:

May I take this means to express my heartfelt gratitude to all those friends and well-wishers who have called and sent cards indicating their concern for my welfare.

I am feeling much better and am hopeful of a rapid recovery.

TIMOTHY C. FORD  
Plymouth Chief of Police

By W. Edward WENDOVER

# With Malice Toward None



## Imagine me saying these nice things about Carol

This is a sweetly-worded column about the effervescent Carol Levitte of Plymouth Township.

Carol and I go back a long way as many of you realize and she felt it was high time I wrote something nice about her.

Since she's a booster of WSDP, the Plymouth-Canton Schools' non-profit radio station, Carol saw her chance last weekend during the station's second-annual auction to win this column (plus an "I bought off Wendover" T-shirt) for a mere \$53.

"This benefits the radio station that does a lot of good for the community, not just for training kids," Carol said. And to get *With Malice* was "more than icing on the cake," she conceded.

It was rumored that Carol had obtained contributions from her neighbors (some of my own ex-neighbors on Parkhurst that I used to think were still my friends) to outbid all others for the column.

Bidding on the column started briskly when WSDP opened the auction with a few Crier employees calling in. But Fran Hennings, Joanna Darwish and Ken Voyles were soon left behind by The Crier's relative economic scale.

Dot Moore (who practically underwrote the auction single-handedly) and Jack Hinckroff bid it up before Carol captured it.

And so, this is Carol's "opportunity to be vindicated by the press," as her husband, Jim, put it.

Even though this a glowing tribute, bought and paid for, Carol can now have her true identity revealed: she is the "Cat Lady" of Five Mile Road.

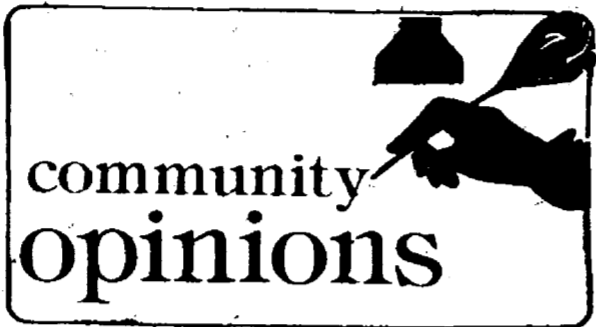
Anyone who had 22 pets last year and operates a well-known local safe house for runaway dogs and cats easily gets such a title from her neighbors on Five Mile Road and Parkhurst. She even took in a pregnant stray dog who proceeded to add 10 puppies to the Levitte household.

With all that caring for critters, it's hard to imagine Carol has had time for:

Graduating with honors from Detroit College of Law in 1979 after completing her undergraduate degree at Eastern Michigan University in 1971.

Running for Plymouth Township supervisor last year as a Democrat.

Serving on the Plymouth-Canton



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Schools' task force on the Freedom of Information and Open Meetings acts.

Co-chairing the Tanger School playground committee.

Volunteering over the years as a probation officer with the 35th District Court, as a bus driver for Tonquish Creek, as a coordinator of the Salvation Army's Fall Festival booth, and other activities.

Serving on the Citizens Committee for United Services, the panel of city and township residents who studied combining services between the two governmental units.

Organizing neighborhood block parties.

Participating (and often winning) Fall Festival pets, produce and costume competitions and The Crier's annual cooking contest with her family.

Adopting the portion of Hines Park across from her house on Five Mile and transforming it from a neglected county eyesore into a well-kept flowering field.

Carol formerly was a Plymouth Police dispatcher and employe of the Observer? Eccentric Newspapers. "I read both newspapers in spite of them," Carol said.

As if all that didn't keep her busy enough, Carol continues in her role as self-appointed watchdog over Plymouth Township, the school system and if you're going to the Plymouth Planning Commission tonight, don't be surprised if Carol gets up to complain about the proposed loop road.

But all those avocations don't satisfy her.

Carol is associated with Robert B. Delaney, esq. legal firm assisting primarily with research and helping that noted counselor write nasty notes to Box Bar patrons who park in his lot.

She still spends a great deal of time with her husband, Jim, and the children, Jamie, nine, and John, three.

And with all these things Carol's done, you're beginning to wonder if there's anything she doesn't do. There is. Jim has to clean all his own fish and ducks himself. Carol is no fish cleaner.

Now for those of you readers who know something of the history of how Carol and I rarely see eye to eye, you've probably been reading this howling at the thought of me biting my tongue to research and write such glowing things about the Cat Lady.

It wasn't all so bad, actually. But next year, I think I'll just offer WSDP auction off throwing a pie in my face instead.



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# friends & neighbors

## Spring Feast is native tradition



**BLESSING THE GATHERING** by lighting his ceremonial pipe, Chief Little Elk from the Isabella Chippewa Reservation in Mt. Pleasant performs an important ritual of the Spring Feast held on May 9, sponsored by Indian Education programs throughout the state.

BY RICK SMITH

Plymouth-Canton's Indian Education Program participated in the fifth annual "Spring Feast" held at Oakland Community College's Highland Lakes campus on May 9.

The feast was sponsored by Indian education programs throughout southeastern Michigan. Approximately 250 people turned out this year to celebrate the return of spring. Indian Education programs from 12 districts participated in the event.

Plymouth-Canton Indian Education students enjoyed a day filled with Indian foods, traditions and ceremonies.

Chief Little Elk from Mt. Pleasant also conducted a special program designed to acquaint students with their heritage.

Four families from Plymouth-Canton attended and saw old friends and relatives, as well as meeting some new friends. The menu included buffalo, fry bread, corn soup, wild rice, and of course potato gravy. Students took part in a ground-blessing ceremony, snake dance and other traditional American Indian activities.

### *Plymouth scenery included*

## Detroit-area author pens thriller with local color

Once again Plymouth will be immortalized in print by William X.



WILLIAM KIENZLE

Kienzle.

St. John's Seminary and the Plymouth countryside are scenes in a mystery novel written by Kienzle, a former Detroit-area priest.

Kienzle will speak at the Canton High Listening-Viewing room on May 20 at noon. His speaking engagement is sponsored by Canton High's Learning Resource Center.

Kienzle has released two mystery novels, "The Rosary Murders" and "Death Wears a Red Hat." He is currently working on his third mystery "Mind Over Murder."

His third book also features his character Father Bob Koesler and is a combination of priest life and mystery.

Kienzle gained much of his writing experience while in the priesthood. He not only wrote his sermons, but was the editor of "The Michigan Catholic" for 12 years.

Kienzle's books are part whodunit and part anecdotes of the life of parish priests in the Detroit area.



**AUDREY CRAINE**, a member of the Plymouth-Canton Indian Education Parent Committee, attends to the shoes of son Roger (whose attention is obviously elsewhere) during the Spring Feast 1981.

*Crier photos by Rick Smith*

tell it to ~~Phyllis~~ *Mary*



Circulation Assistant Mary DeGrande contributed this week's column.

Now that I really know why there is a Mother's Day, I don't think that one day a year is enough. After spending an evening with my nephew and nieces, (a four, a three, and a one-year-old,) I believe moms should have a day off at least once a week.

In all fairness, my oldest nephew and niece were models of angelic behavior. A few major catastrophes occurred, such as a stubbed toe and a run in with a wall, but there wasn't anything a kiss, a monster book, and some raisins couldn't cure. I almost lost a battle with pajama snaps, but that was before I realized they were on backwards. (No wonder her legs were so wrinkled.) No, what really kept my adrenelin flowing was the one-year-old. To protect her dubious innocence, I'll call her Monster Wee.

Bathtime was lots of fun. Monster Wee thought that she would like to play with every toy that her sister had, demanding with her extensive vocabulary--"Mine!" I assumed control and came away like a referee with egg on his face. Then I tried to explain why she shouldn't drink bath water, but she just grinned at me. (I'm her favorite aunt.) She was fascinated with the bar of soap, but took evasive action when the enemy towel drew near. I was calm and collected as I tore through the house waving her diaper, only to find her perched on top of a rocking chair trying to reach the relative safety of the bed. It's too bad her enthusiasm for bed didn't last.

There were a few problems as this happened to be instruction week. Monster Wee was not only learning how to trade in her diapers forever, but her crib had been exchanged for a "real" bed. She was having the time of her life.

While standing on the low bed, she could reach a switch that allowed her to treat her older sister to a dazzling light show. I followed my sister's bedtime procedure, but Wee had other ideas. As soon as I made it down the stairs she screamed, "An Mee-ree, PODY!" It never fails. Three trips later I decided I didn't want to train for mountain-climbing and Wee didn't want to go to bed.

She helped me clean up the kitchen by taking charge of the dishwasher. She took the dirty dishes out while I put the dirty dishes in. She tested its strength using the old "stand on the opened door" trick, and while I looked for the soap, she decided that quick action was better--and turned the machine on.

"She must be tired," I thought when I dragged her up the stairs. I tucked her in whispering, "Ss-s-shh, go to sleep Wee." I tiptoed out of the room and her reply rang out into the hall--"NO!" (Honest, I'm her favorite aunt.)

I survived the experience, and as a result, stand in awe of all mothers. One day a year is not enough; thanks again Mom.

Liz Moehle, a junior at Loyola University Law School, New Orleans, recently was elected vice president of the Student Bar Association. She is also the vice president of the Women Law Students Association. She is a 1974 graduate of Salem High School.

Plymouth students receiving degrees from Madonna College are: Vicki Beauchamp of Harvey Street, social work and gerontology; Bette Berardi of Brookside Drive, legal assistant administration; Joanne Bellaire of Starkweather, religious studies; Mary Ellen Zaragoza of Redbud, accounting; and Gregory Stanislawski of Maxwell, radiologic technology.

Canton students who recently received degrees from The University of Michigan Dearborn are: Thomas Bakowski, Patricia Ann Holzworth, Susan Kopinski, Donald Krcmarik, Kenneth Long, Edmund Sieracki, Lisa Snellgrove, and James Wolf.

Plymouth students receiving degrees are Marie Delonis, Robert Dickinson, and Brady Nitchman.

## Plymouth Rec department will offer theme park discounts

Looking for some inexpensive fun? The City of Plymouth's Parks and Recreation Department has discount tickets for area theme parks on sale.

The Recreation office has tickets for Cedar Point, Bob-Lo, Geauga Lake, Kings Island, Sea World, the Detroit Zoo and the Football Hall of Fame.

The discount tickets can save a buyer

up to \$1 on the price of Cedar Point tickets and as much as \$2.95 on Sea World tickets.

The tickets can be picked up at the recreation office during normal business hours. Only cash and money orders will be accepted. The office is located in the Cultural Center at 525 Farmer.

For more information call 455-6620.

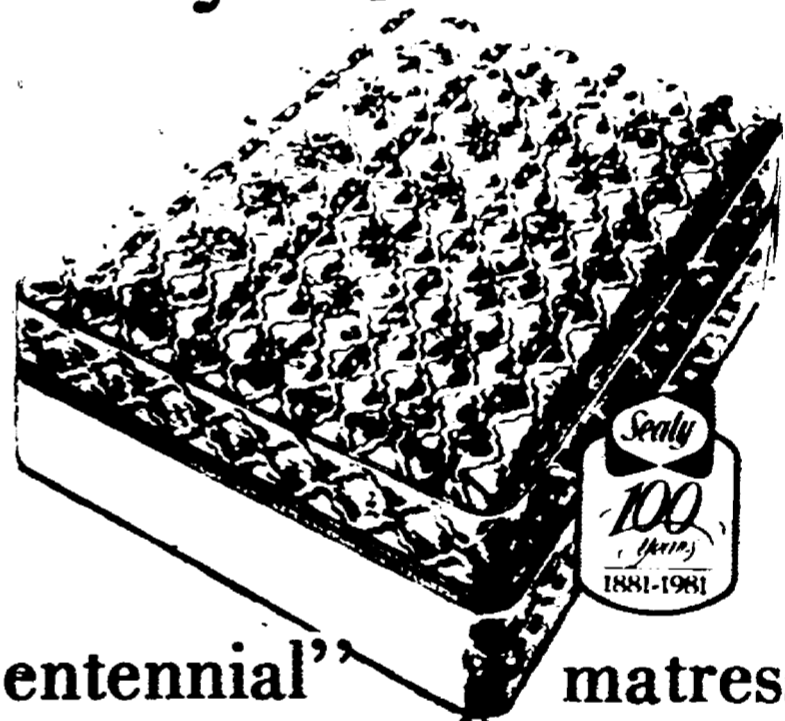
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## what's happening

To list your group's event in "What's Happening" merely send the information (in writing) to: THE COMMUNITY CRIER, 1226 S. Main St., Plymouth, Mich. 48170. Information received by NOON MONDAY will be used in that Wednesday's paper (space permitting.)

### SANDBOX FILL

Plymouth Jaycees will sponsor their annual Sandbox Fill project on May 16. Sand will be delivered to the home for \$2 per garden wheelbarrow load or \$3 per construction wheelbarrow load. Residents can arrange for delivery by calling Don Keller at 459-6648, Mike Stankov at 459-6749 or Mark Carlton at 397-0390.

### LAMAZE MINI-REVIEW

A two-week mini-series for couples who have received Lamaze instruction in the last two and one-half years will begin June 3 at the Plymouth Cultural Center. Stages of labor and delivery, breathing and relaxation techniques will be reviewed, as well as presentation of the latest "birthing options." For more information, contact Professional Associates in Childbirth Education at 425-3750 or 827-8750.

### SENIOR TRIP TO CANADA

The Plymouth Community Family YMCA is sponsoring a senior citizens trip to to eastern Canada. The eight day adventure will cost \$470 and includes two nights in Toronto, two nights in Montreal, two nights in Quebec and one night in Ottawa, and 14 meals. For information call 453-2906 or 455-7142.

### BACKPACKING AND CAMPING CLINIC

In cooperation with Sportventure, Inc., Canton Township's Parks and Rec Department is sponsoring a family backpacking and camping clinic on May 19 at 7:30 p.m. at the township Administration Building, 1150 S. Canton Center Rd. Cost is \$1. For more information, call 397-1000.

### PLYMOUTH HOME TOUR

The Plymouth Symphony League is sponsoring a tour of six Plymouth residences on May 14 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and from 7 to 9 p.m. Tickets are \$5 in advance and \$6 on the day of the tour. In conjunction with the tour is a Maurice salad luncheon at the First United Methodist Church at 45201 N. Territorial Rd. Tickets are \$3. Tickets for both events are available at me and mr. Jones, Plymouth; Book Break, Canton; and Four Seasons, Northville.

### COMMUNITY CHORUS SPRING CONCERT

The Plymouth Community Chorus will present its spring concert, "It's Going To Be a Great Day," on May 16 and 17 at 7 p.m. in the Salem High auditorium. Tickets are \$2.50 for adults and \$1.50 for senior citizens and students. The Saturday performance is also open to service groups and organizations at a discount rate. For tickets, contact Jeanine Hayden at 455-4873 or send a stamped, self-addressed envelope to the Chorus at P.O. Box 217, Plymouth 48170.

### FUN AND GAMES NIGHT

The Plymouth-Canton Association for the Academically Talented will sponsor a Family Games Night on May 13 at 7 p.m. at Pioneer Middle School. Do-it-yourself sundaes will also be featured.

### 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.

### CANTON CORVETTE CLUB

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

### DIVORCED AND SEPARATED CHRISTIANS

Bethany, a gathering of divorced and separated christians will meet May 15 at 7:30 p.m. in the gym of Our Lady of Good Counsel School in Plymouth. The meeting, is an election night and will also feature Gerald Good, who will speak on "Love and New Relationships." Donation is \$2.00. For further information call Ann Duff at 522-4138.

### ART AUCTION

St. John Neumann Women's Guild is sponsoring an art auction by Gallery Art Center on May 15 at 7:30 p.m. at the church, 44800 Warren Rd. Tickets are \$2.50 in advance, by calling 455-8936, or \$3 at the door. Champagne and hors d'oeuvres will be served at a preview from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m.

### NOSTALGICON

Comix Tree and Sports Collectibles presents the Detroit Nostalgicon, a one-day comic book, movie nostalgia and non-sports card collecting event, on May 17 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Plymouth Hilton Hotel. Admission is \$1.25. For more information, write Comix Tree and Sports Collectibles at P.O. Box 66, Westland 48185, telephone 662-6675.

### CANTON HISTORICAL MEETING

The Canton Historical Society will meet May 14 at 7 p.m. in the Canton Township Administration Building Meeting Room. The final survey of historical sites in Canton will be the theme of the meeting. Canton residents are invited. The administration building is located on Canton Center Road.

### UNITED NATIONS SIMULATION

The International Relations Class of 1981 will host the 17th annual United Nations Simulation on May 14 all day at Phase III in Centennial Education Park. About 150 students will represent various countries with the main topic nuclear energy and waste disposal. The public is invited. For further information contact Robert Thams, at Canton High, 453-3100. Admission is free.

### ADULT FOSTER CARE HOMES

A panel of experts will discuss adult foster care homes at a meeting of the Northville-Plymouth-Canton-Novi League of Women Voters on May 14 at 7:30 p.m. at Meads Mill School, 16700 Franklin, Northville.

### LAKE POINTE WNFGA

The Lake Pointe Village Branch, Women's National Farm and Garden Association will meet May 14 at 7:45 p.m. at Pioneer School. Dorothy Fairhead will lead a "Flower Power" demonstration-workshop. Evening chairman will be Alva Holk.

### REGISTERED NURSES MEETING

The Plymouth Registered Nurses Association final meeting of the year will be a potluck dinner at 6:30 p.m. May 18 at Clare Hall's home on 46670 Barrington Ct. in Plymouth. Election of officers will be held. For information call Vi Roberts at 455-2133.

### ON BEYOND IPSEP

A meeting to discuss services in addition to the IPSEP program available in Plymouth-Canton Community Schools for "mainstreaming" special education students will be held May 20 at 7 p.m. in the Farrand School library.

### THEATRE GUILD MEETING

The Plymouth Theatre Guild general meeting will be held May 19 at 8 p.m. in Central Middle School on Church and Main Streets in Plymouth. Election of officers will be held. For information call Vi Roberts at 455-2133.

### 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 Welsher, 1799 Lexington, Plymouth. Prospective members or groups needing parliamentarians are urged to contact Welsher at 453-0569.

### TRAINING FOR COUNSELORS

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.

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# what's happening

To list your group's event in "What's Happening" merely send the information (in writing) to: THE COMMUNITY CRIER, 1226 S. Main St., Plymouth, Mich. 48170. Information received by NOON MONDAY will be used in that Wednesday's paper (space permitting.)

## RUMMAGE SALE

The United Methodist Women of the First United Methodist Church are sponsoring a rummage sale on May 21 at the church, 45201 N. Territorial Rd., Plymouth, from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. A Buck-A-Bag Sale will be held from 6 to 8 p.m.

## CANTON HONORS CONVOCATION

A convocation for Canton High students who will receive awards from the school's Honors program will be held June 9 at the Canton High auditorium. Program will begin at 7:30 p.m. For more information, call Grace Light at 453-3100, ext. 385.

## SARAH ANN COCHRANE DAR

The Sarah Ann Cochran Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will meet May 18 at Greenmead Hill House, 8 Mile Rd. in Northville. Speaker will be Dr. Weldon Petz, who will speak on "Loving Memories" of the big band era.

## CENTRAL MIDDLE PTSO

A meeting of the Central Middle Parent-Teacher-Student Organization will be held May 19 at 9 a.m. at the school.

## POP CONCERT

The PCEP Vocal Music Department will sponsor their annual Pop Concert on May 19 at 7:30 p.m. in the Canton High cafeteria. Theater, jazz, patriotic and popular selections will be featured.

## GERMAN-AMERICAN CLUB

The German-American Club of Plymouth will hold its monthly meeting on May 21 at 8 p.m. in the Odd-fellows Hall, 344 Elizabeth, Plymouth. Election of new officers will be held, and films of Germany will be presented. Refreshments will be served.

## EVANGELISTIC SERVICES

Evangelistic services will be held from May 17 through 25 at the Main Street Baptist Church, 8500 N. Morton-Taylor Rd., Canton, at 7:30 p.m. each evening. The Rev. Billy Whitt and special music are featured. Interpreters for the deaf will be available.

## PROPOSAL A MEETING

A meeting to discuss Proposal A will be held on Thursday, May 14 at 8 p.m. at Canton Township Hall, 1150 S. Canton Center Rd. State Rep. Thomas Brown and members of the Canton tax dept. will be present to answer questions on the upcoming tax cut proposal.

## CLASS OF 1931

The Plymouth High School Class of 1931 is planning a 50th Anniversary Celebration at the Plymouth Elks Lodge on June 27 beginning at 5:30 p.m. Tickets are \$8 per couple. For more information, call Jewell Reigert Casselman at 261-3756.

## POLISH CENTENNIAL DANCERS

A recital of the Polish Centennial Dancers of Plymouth will be held May 30 at 7 p.m., sponsored by the Polish National Alliance. Tickets are \$2 for adults and \$1 for children. For more information, call Ciel Brown at 464-2664 or Joanne Ygeal at 464-1263.

## SYMPHONY LEAGUE LUNCHEON

The Plymouth Symphony League's annual meeting and luncheon will be held June 1 at 11 a.m. in the Mayflower Meeting House. A slide presentation and honors ceremony will be featured. Tickets are \$7, available until May 29, by contacting Judy Morgan at 453-6099.

## ISBISTER KINDERGARTEN VISITATION

All pre-registered children who will attend Isbister kindergarten in the fall and who are tentatively assigned to Tracks A and C should attend a Kindergarten Visitation on May 19 at 1 p.m. at the school. If parents have not yet registered children for kindergarten, they should do so as soon as possible.

## LUTHERAN MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Two presentations of a Lutheran Marriage Encounter information session will be held, both on May 17, at Lutheran Church of the Risen Christ, 46250 W. Ann Arbor Rd., Plymouth at 12:30 p.m., and at Saint Michael's Lutheran Church, 7000 N. Sheldon Rd., Canton at 7 p.m. For more information, call 981-4592.

## ISBISTER KINDERGARTEN VISITATION

All pre-registered children who will attend Isbister kindergarten in the fall and who are tentatively assigned to Tracks B and D should attend a Kindergarten Visitation on May 28 at 9 a.m. at the school. If parents have not yet registered children for kindergarten, they should do so as soon as possible.

## ART SHOW-ICE CREAM SOCIAL

The Smith School Parent Faculty Organization will host an art show and ice cream social on May 19 from 6 to 8 p.m. Teachers will serve sundaes for a cost of 50 cents.

## SMITH SCHOOL PFO

The Smith School Parent Faculty Organization will meet May 14 at 7:30 p.m. in the faculty lounge. All parents and teachers are welcome.

## WESTERN WAYNE GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

The Western Wayne County Genealogical Society will meet May 20 at 7 p.m. at the Carl Sandburg Library, 30100 7 Mile Rd., Livonia. "Probate: Yesterday and Today" will be discussed by Wayne County Probate Judge Joseph Pernick.

## AMUSEMENT PARK DISCOUNTS

Canton Township's Parks and Recreation Department is offering discount tickets to Canton residents for Cedar Point, Kings Island, Bob-Lo, Detroit Zoo, Great America, Geauga Lake, Sea World and Football Hall of Fame. Tickets are on sale at the Recreation Department office, Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. For further information call 397-1000.

## FUN AND GAMES NIGHT

The Plymouth Canton Association for the Academically Talented will sponsor a Family Games Night for members and friends, on May 13 at 7 p.m. at Pioneer School. Bring a favorite game and enjoy do-it-yourself sundaes.

## PUBLIC AUCTION

The Lions Club of Plymouth will sell hundreds of donated items at its Sixth Annual Public Auction on May 17 starting at 12:30 p.m. All proceeds will be used for sight conservation programs and other charitable projects.

## CYO CAMP

Boys and girls 7-16 years old can enjoy from five days to two weeks camping on the shores of Lake Huron with the Catholic Youth Organization. The summer season runs July through Aug. 29, and reservations are now being accepted. For more information, ask for their free brochure, by calling 963-7172 or writing CYO Camps 305 Michigan Ave., Detroit, Mich. 48226.

## JUNIOR GIRL SCOUT ROUNDUP

The Miller School Brownie-Junior Girl Scout Roundup will be held May 21 at 7 p.m. in the school's gym. Girls who have been in troops as well as new scouts are welcome, and must be accompanied by a parent. For more information, contact Marna Adamian at 981-5706 or Mae Gumber at 459-4087.

## FIRST STEP

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# Machinery falters but play still succeeds

BY DAN BODENE

Two people who meet, nearly drift apart, and get back together were the main cogs in the machinery of the recent Plymouth Theatre Guild production of Neil Simon's "Chapter Two." One may have come away feeling, however, that the machinery could have run just a tad smoother.



A comedy in two acts, the play was well-done overall, featuring some of the very fine PTG talent in both acting and behind-the-scenes work.

Produced by long-time PTG member and current vice president Robin Galick, "Chapter Two" was directed by Vestus J. Spindler, III, who was assisted by Patricia Bray.

The main characters of the play were those of divorcee Jennie Malone, played

by Cynthia L. Zeitz, and widower George Schneider, portrayed by Spindler. They meet, romance and marry but almost go their separate ways before love finally triumphs.

It was in watching their interaction that the audience was occasionally left with a vague feeling of something missing in the opening scenes of the production. There seemed to be an initial lack of "spark," a hard-to-define quality of timing in the repartee that seemed to pick up handily in the later scenes.

In fact, both Zeitz and Spindler eventually created in the later stages of the play a convincing portrait of love the second time around.

They were assisted by excellent performances by Linda Pavey, as Jennie's friend and conspirator Faye Medwick, and Chuck Miller, who played George's brother and confidant Leo.

Pavey and Miller turned in delightful portrayals of a well-meaning pair who originally scheme to bring Jennie and George together but ensnare themselves in a separate, hilarious intrigue.

Despite the slight impression of

hesitance in the play's initial action, the production was quite enjoyable overall. As mentioned in the director's notes, "Your enjoyment of what we have accomplished is our sole reward - the only one we need or ask for."

Much of the credit must go to the behind-the-scenes work accomplished by Galick, Spindler, Bray, Lonny Leach, Richard E. Brown, Ann Schaffer, Vi Roberts, Barbara Sklenar, Karen Groves, Nancy Sievert, Phyllis Joanne Counts, David Ide, Heather Twichell and Dennis Schlicker.

## Art in the park

Plymouth area residents are busy sewing, sawing, sanding and stenciling as they get ready for Plymouth's First Art in the Park.

Local artisans will have an opportunity to display and sell their creative works in Kellogg Park on June 13, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

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ONE OF Kenneth Vogras' Department of Public Works crew is seen getting Plymouth Township Recreation Park in fine trim for the season, which opened two weeks ago. In the back ground is the park's pavillion. (Crier photo by Rick Smith)

## City, Twp. finalize pact to cooperate on parks

BY KEN VOYLES

Both the City of Plymouth's Parks and Recreation Department and its Department of Public Works (DPW) will be involved with Plymouth Township parks throughout much of the summer and maybe indefinitely.

An agreement was worked out between parks and recreation head Chuck Skene and township Supervisor Maurice Breen. "We made a proposal and they said yes so now we're putting together a complete program," said Skene.

The plan calls for two playground sites at Allen and Farrand Elementary School. Skene said Thursday that both Thomas Workman, principal for Allen, and Earl Gibson, principal for Farrand, have been contacted.

"Their first reaction was yes on an outdoor program, but they weren't sure on the indoor program so we are still working on that," Skene said.

The children's program includes organized and supervised activities for both outdoors and indoors and will last through the summer. Leaders would be hired for each site.

Skene estimates that costs for the township will be \$6300. That figure represents the hiring of two leaders for each program site, the hiring of an arts and crafts supervisor and administration costs.

The program will be expanded as the township sees fit, Skene said.

Currently hundreds of township youths are involved in all of the city's junior sports activities. Most township residents have to pay a slightly higher fee to play in the leagues.

The Cultural Center, 525 Farmer, is also heavily used by township residents, said Skene, who take advantage of equal skating time fees.

"One of the obvious advantages of

starting this program is that we already have the staff to do the job right and don't really expect high administration costs. The township will get as many supervised recreation programs as they want without putting together a recreation staff," Skene said.

Township board of trustees, after reviewing several alternatives for upkeep of the township's parks, has also decided to contract with Plymouth's DPW for upkeep.

Besides the township's recreation park at McClumpha and Ann Arbor Trail, Lake Pointe Park between Schoolcraft and Wilcox Roads and West Pointe Park will be affected by the work orders.

At a cost of \$6900 for the summer, DPW Superintendent Kenneth Vogras and his crews will do all maintenance work including mowing, erosion control, salt stabilization for parking lots and possible ball diamond work.

In a related item, two weeks ago township board of trustees voted unanimously to establish a deposit rate for use of the township's park facilities.

Originally set at \$50 for Plymouth and township residents and \$100 for non-residents, plus a \$10 administration fee, the idea was reversed at last week's meeting of the board.

It was decided not to charge residents for park use. Non-residents and non-local groups wishing to use the parks will still have to pay a deposit to use the facilities.

### Cripe to attend crime class

Corporal Robin J. Cripe of the Canton Police Department received approval from members of the township board last Tuesday to attend a crime scene school from June 1 to June 12. The class will be given by the Michigan State Police Training Division in Lansing. Cost of the course to the township will be \$200.

## CEP class gets 'Apple' computer

Computer language is the thing for 140 Centennial Educational Park students thanks to contributors who helped provide a new micro-computer.


The new Apple II computer was provided Ron Carlson's math classroom by donations from Kiwanis Club of Plymouth, Plymouth Federal Community Credit Union, Mr. and Mrs. Stanwood, Hugh Jarvis Gifts and George O'Diorne Associates.

"The students really enjoy working on the computer," said Carlson. "More important," he added, "they're learning while they are working with it. They are certainly appreciative of the contributions which made it possible."

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### Firefighters win their wheels

MEMBERS OF THE Plymouth and Plymouth Township fire departments were tested on their vehicles throughout last week as a part of their "Driver Certification" tests. State law demands the testing. Plymouth Fire Chief Roy Hall said the departments will conduct the course twice yearly. (Crier photo by Robert Cameron)

### CEP farm to shut down

Mike Smith, manager of the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools Farm, has presented a plan for closing the facility this summer, ordered due to budget cutbacks. Smith, whose job with the district will also be terminated due to the cutbacks, gave the school board on Monday night a proposed timetable for closing the farm by July 1. The last tour through the farm would be on May 29, he said. By June 2 the sale of farm livestock could begin, he added, either locally or at

the Howell livestock auction facility. "We have had some inquiries on the livestock," Smith said. If the stock is sold locally, he said, a current price would be quoted from the Howell auction. Smith said he anticipated completing the sale by the middle of the month. Meanwhile, farm equipment would be disbursed in the district or sold. "There's really not that much equipment," Smith said. The keys to the farm could be turned in by July 1, he added.

### Memorial Day plans ready

Members of the American Legion Passage-Gayde Post No. 391 are gearing up for Plymouth's annual Memorial Day Parade to be held May 25. In honor of American war dead, the parade will get started at 10:30 a.m. from behind the Central Middle School (the old Plymouth High) where the various bands and organizations will assemble. From

there they will march down North Main to Ann Arbor Trail where they will turn left and enter Kellogg Park. This year's parade Marshal will be Gerald Olson. Raymond Birtles will be the honorary Marshal. Master of Ceremonies will be Plymouth Township Supervisor Maurice Breen. W.W. (Eddie) Edgar will be the Memorial Day speaker.

### Canton's Country Fest is coming

Canton's Country Festival, set for Aug. 7, 8 and 9, will fly high if the new festival logo is any indication. Last week the Country Festival Board selected a festival logo which was designed by Conrad Voshen, Canton resident. The logo depicts a balloon which goes with the festival theme, "A Lil' bit of Country-A Lotta Fun." Festival Parade Chairman Dr. Jim Gillig said, "We hope that when entries for the parade start coming in, that they keep this simple idea in mind. A balloon represents fun for all ages so the balloon logo is appropriate as the festival symbol. When people see the red balloons in the

stores it should remind them that the Canton Country Festival is just around the corner."

### Office hours at City Hall

Current office hours for Plymouth's City Hall will be changed slightly May 26 when the city starts its summer office hours. Right now hours are 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. On May 26, those hours will be changed to 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday.

## Board wants sidewalks built to ease transportation costs

The Plymouth-Canton Community Schools would like to substitute sidewalks for school buses.

Dale Goby, director of transportation for the school district has requested that the townships of Plymouth, Canton and Northville construct sidewalks as a means of cutting down on bus transportation costs. The request came as a result of studies by the school district safety committee which recommended high priority areas where sidewalks were most needed.

The district is busing students to school because of lack of sidewalks which makes it unsafe for them to walk to their schools.

"Safety busing" is costly to the district because the state does not reimburse transportation expense for students living less than 1.5 miles from their schools. That means the Plymouth-Canton district is picking up the full cost of busing those pupils.

Increased concern over transporting these "safety busing" students is developing because state budget cuts being considered include raising the busing limit for reimbursement to two miles.

In the only township response so far, Northville asked the district whether it was willing to participate in a cost-sharing program to build sidewalks.

## Cabby taken for a ride

Virginia McColleum, 46, of South Lyon, was taken for a ride in her own cab by a pair of men after she arrived on a call Thursday afternoon.

McColleum, driving for the Plymouth Cab Company, arrived at the Plymouth Hilton and was requested by the pair to transport them to Detroit, according to Plymouth Police reports.

The pair told her they only had \$5 and since a fare to Detroit was \$25 they asked to be dropped off at the Jeffries Freeway.

McColleum obliged and drove the pair, described only as black males ages 18 to 20, to the Newburgh Road exit. As they were exiting the vehicle one of the pair grabbed McColleum behind the neck and told her they were taking the cab into Detroit, said police.

McColleum was finally dropped off unharmed at Fairmont and Hamilton in Detroit later that afternoon, and the pair sped off in the vehicle.

She then took a bus to the Palmer Park Precinct where she called her husband and filed a complaint.

The cab was later found.

## Pop concert at CEP

A variety of musical selections will be performed by the PCEP vocal music department at their annual Pop Concert on May 19 at 7:30 p.m. in the Canton High School Cafeteria.

The concert will include selections from musical theater, patriotic, popular and jazz songs.

Under the direction of Betty Weideman, the Mixed Chorus, Girls Glee Club, Swing Ensemble, Madrigal Singers, and Choir will perform. Several of the numbers will be performed by the combined singing groups. Admission is free.

## Canton buys 4 patrol cars

It was contract awarding night last Tuesday for the Canton Township board.

After being postponed for a week for study township trustees approved the purchase of 4 new patrol cars from Jack Demmer Ford in Wayne. The cost per unit was \$3,647.

At the previous meeting the action was tabled as board members debated the

relative merits of Fords and Chevrolets. The Chevrolet bid came in slightly higher.

Canton trustees also authorized the purchase of a four-inch water compound meter at \$1,470 from Rockwell Standard.

In a third bid action the township board approved a contract with Downriver Mowing for cutting weeds in the township this summer.

## Canton trustees to get bids for Rec hall paving

Canton Township trustees got the message loud and clear last Tuesday night that there was support for paving the parking lot at the Canton Township Recreation Center on Michigan Avenue.

The board meeting room was packed with senior citizens there to plead the parking lot project cause. Lester Fooks told the board, "We've been Mickey Mousing with the lot for three years."

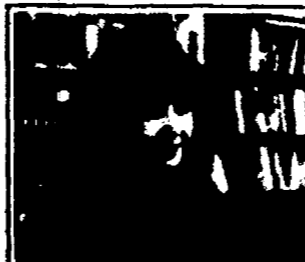
Supervisor Jim Poole related some of the problems involved in the project. He pointed out that there was inadequate drainage which had to be remedied and that before any blacktopping could be done, an adequate base would have to be

assured.

Other members of the senior citizen group warned the board of the dangerous condition of the parking lot and several pointed out that one bad fall could result in a law suit that would cost a lot more than the cost of paving the lot.

After all the discussion, the board agreed to ask for bids on paving the lot and in the meantime requested that the Wayne County Road Commission be contacted for suggestions on how to take care of the drainage problem.

Cost of paving the lot has been estimated at between \$15,000 and \$19,000.



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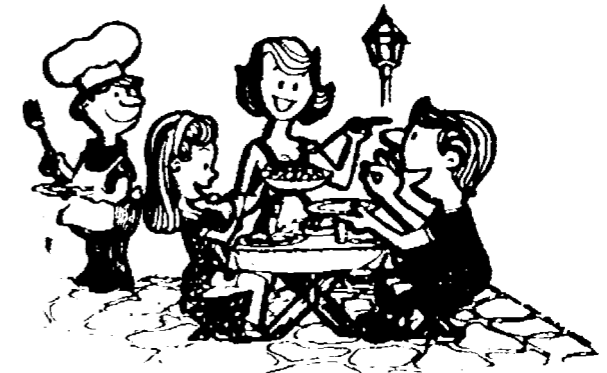
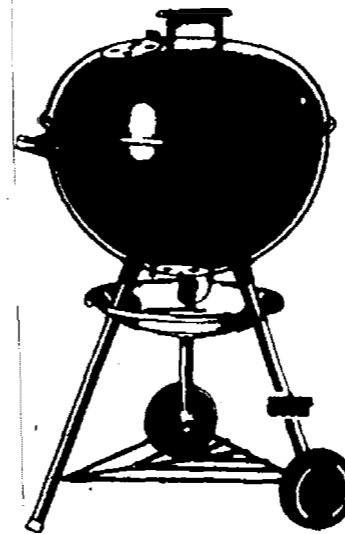
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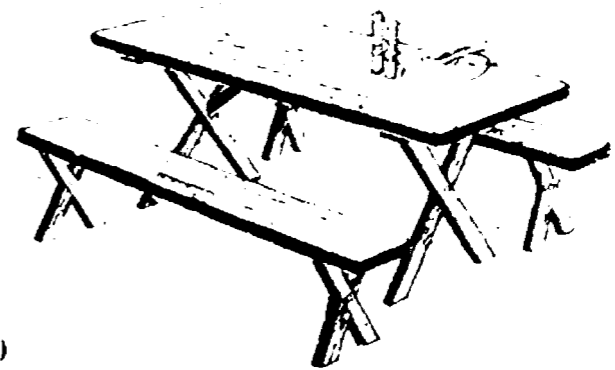


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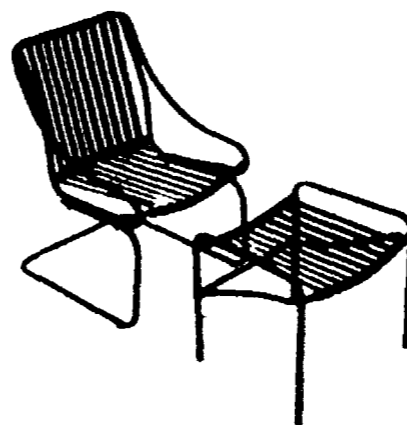


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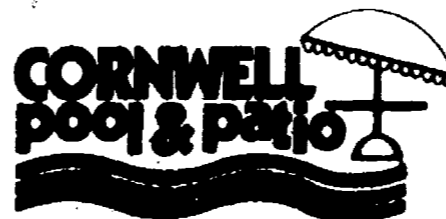
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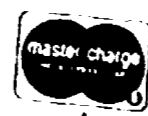
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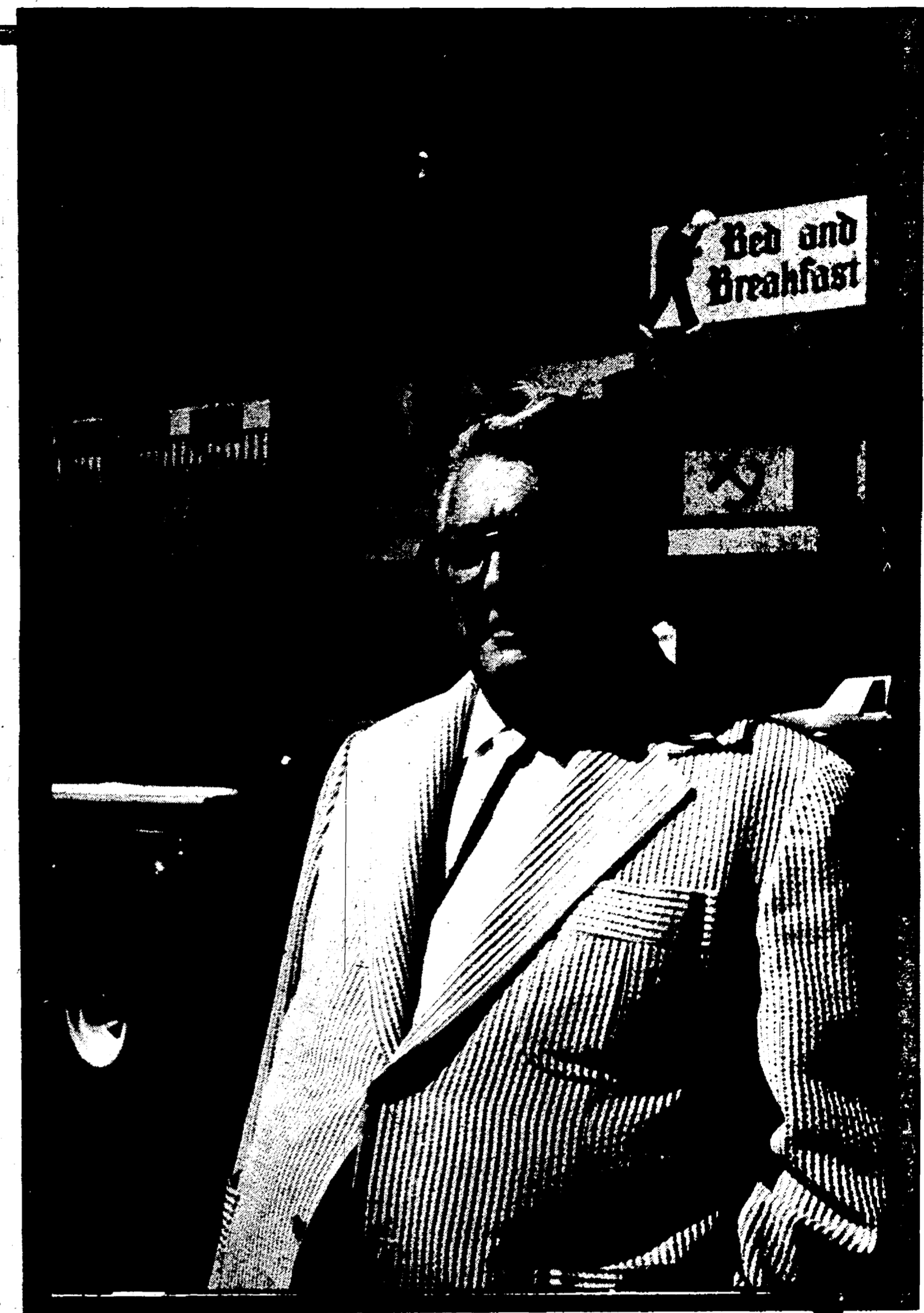
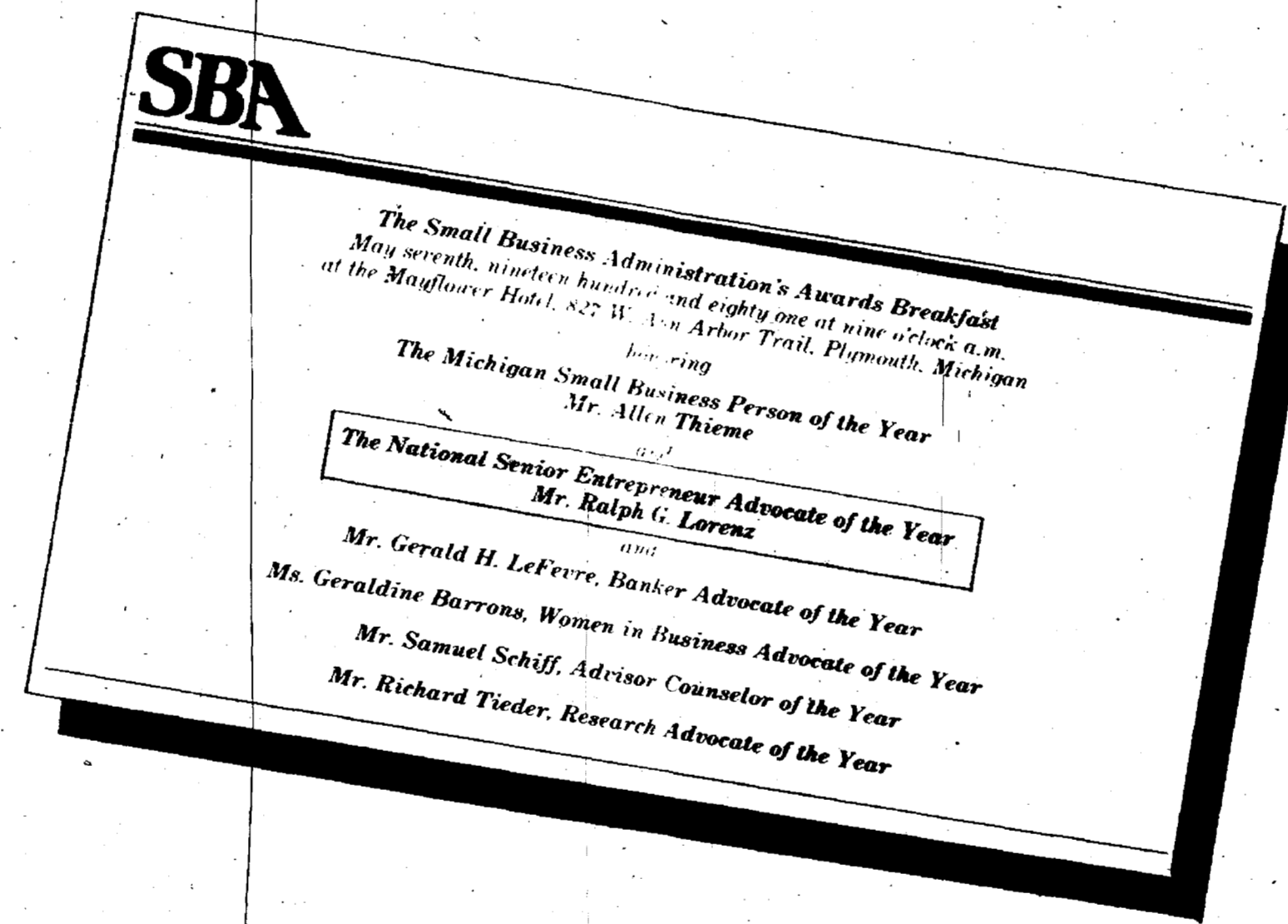
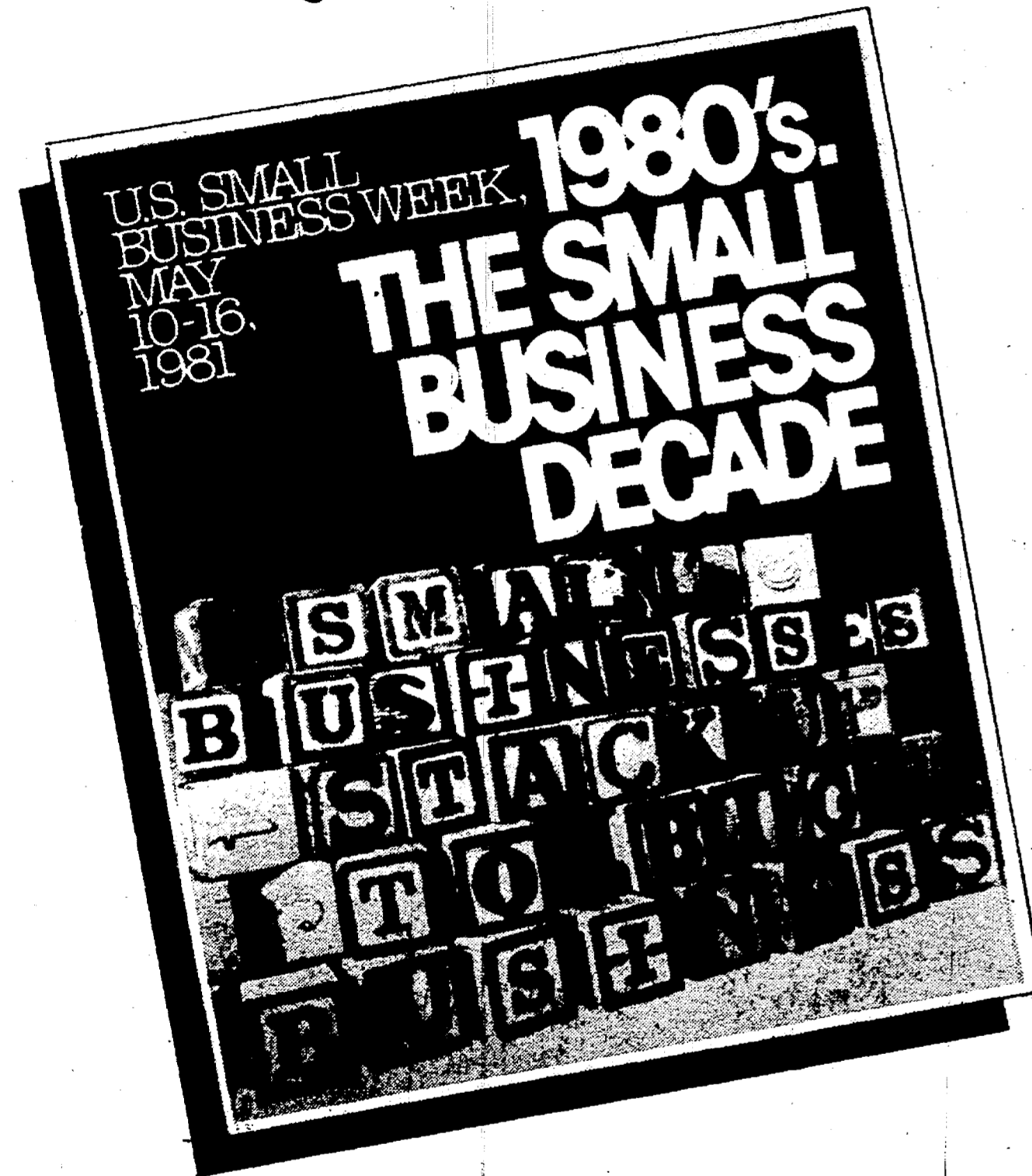
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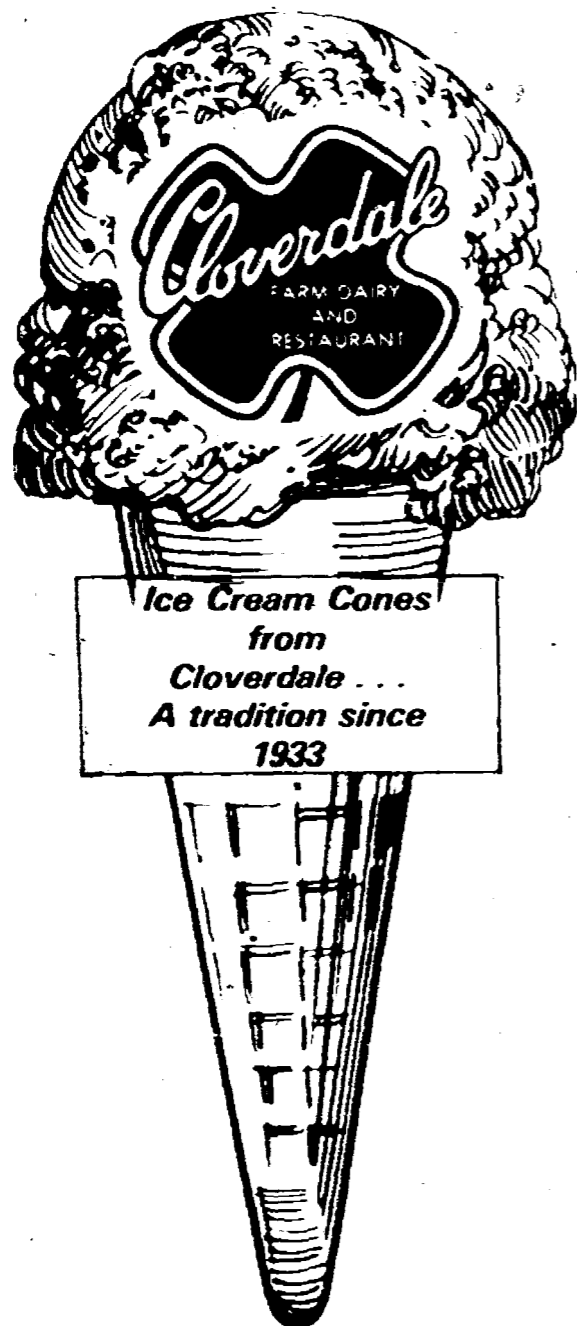
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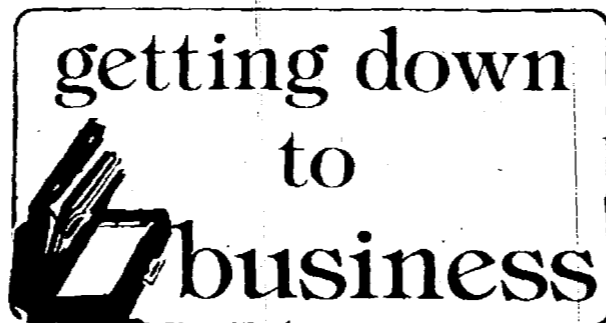


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# McMurray attends Lansing conference

President Ronald Reagan has proclaimed May 10 to 16 National Small Business Week, with a theme of "1980's - The Small Business Decade."

At state level, Frank McMurray of



Tracy Spencer and Pat Foley have something in common.

They both starred in local observances of "Law Week."

Foley, a Canton resident who heads the Wayne County Organized Crime Task Force, was one of the featured legal system experts who spoke at the Law Week program sponsored by the Canton and Salem High Schools and the 35th District Court (which covers Plymouth-Canton and Northville).

Spencer starred in "Inherit the Wind" which, along with "12 Angry Men," was shown for high school students and Law Week guests during the week.

Foley explained his role with the Wayne County Prosecutor's "rackets squad" investigating such infamous crimes and conspiracies as the Usher cases and labor racketeering.

Canton will attend the Michigan Conference on Small Business hosted by Governor William Milliken in Lansing May 11 through 13.

McMurray, one of ten Small Business Executive Council members, will serve as chairman of the business insurance topic at the conference, which will consolidate 60 small business resolutions to a final 16 in 12 separate topics.

During a series of state-wide district meetings this year, McMurray says, approximately 500 resolutions were written. At four regional meetings those resolutions were consolidated to the 60 which will be evaluated at the state conference.

Within 60 days of the close of the conference, McMurray adds, the Executive Council will report its findings to Governor Milliken.

McMurray says he will also present a personal report of issues at a state-wide level, to local groups.



FRANK MCMURRAY

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A graduate of the University of Michigan, Dorrington joined R. L. Polk and Company in 1974 after serving as sales manager of the Sampson-Hill Division of Adistra.

In his new position Dorrington will be responsible for the Ford Motor, Chrysler and International Harvester accounts.

Carol Lamphier of Plymouth has been appointed sales director of the independent field marketing organization of Mary Kay Cosmetics, Inc. of Dallas.

Ms. Lamphier became a beauty consultant for the firm in May, 1979.

R. L. Polk and Company has named Edgar L. Dorrington of Plymouth as Vice-



## Duke clips Massey then and now

THERE'S BEEN A LOT of water over the dam and there's a lot less hair to be cut since the picture at left appeared in The Plymouth Eagle newspaper 10 years ago. That old photo was taken of John Duke cutting Don Massey's hair to celebrate the opening of Duke's new shop on Main St. During the ensuing years, Duke got

into the car sales business like Massey but has just recently returned to hair cuts at Myron's Barber Shop, now at 1100 S. Main St. And one of his first customers back? Don Massey. (Crier photo at right by Robert Cameron whose barber uses only a washcloth.)



**Plymouth Hilton's a winner too**

WITH A TROPHY of his own, Mike Haggerty, sales manager of the Plymouth Hilton, accepts an award from sponsors of the Miss Michigan National Teenager Pageant on May 2 from Miss Michigan Teenager Colleen Wine, who gave up her crown later that night to Rebecca Minges of New Boston. Pageant organizers not only recognized the Hilton for its hospitality during the event, but named the hotel as the site of the pageant for the next four years. (Crier photo by Dan Bodene)

**getting down  
to  
business**

Members of the Michigan Citizen's Lobby will be canvassing Plymouth June 15-20 soliciting support and contributions.

City commissioners agreed to allow the non-profit political group in for a shortened time after discussing the original request for two weeks.

The majority of commissioners were against the original request so the final resolution was changed.

As is, the group is not permitted to canvass after sundown (city ordinance) or on Sunday. Also all canvassers will be registered with Plymouth' police.

Kevin Young, from an Ann Arbor chapter of MCL, spoke briefly about what the group has done and is doing in Michigan legislation.

Currently MCL activities are centered on reform of Friend of the Court in Michigan, legislation to help unemployed people make mortgage payments on their homes and legislation to prevent burdensome rate hikes by utility companies in Michigan.

Contributions to the group are not tax deductible, however.

As part of the follow-up to job placement through the Job Placement Office at Canton High, Pat Gresock, head of the office, has mailed out a survey to 468 vocational students.

Gresock is urging the return of the surveys so that she can get an idea of how the students are doing and whether or not Centennial Education Park served their needs.

The survey was mailed between April 10 and April 16 to 468 vocational grads and is an annual part of Gresock's job.

The Vocational Education Annual Survey is conducted in cooperation with the Michigan Department of Education and provides information for planning more effective local and state education programs, said Gresock.

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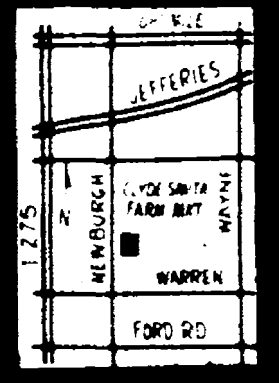
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**CHIDING TOM.** Aunt Polly lays down the law during the Bird School performance of "Tom Sawyer" on May 7. In the production were, from left, "Sid," played by Randy Balconi, "Aunt Polly," played by Cindy Muell, and Tom, played by Ann Osmer. (Crier photo by Rick Smith)

## Fifth graders present 'Tom Sawyer'

Fifth grade classes at Bird Elementary school recently performed a musical "Tom Sawyer" based on the story by Mark Twain.

"Tom Sawyer" is an adventure of a young lad growing up on the Mississippi River the early nineteenth century.

Budding actress Ann Osmer had the

lead role as Tom. Tom's best buddy Huck Finn was portrayed by Erik Knuth.

Aunt Polly was played by Cindy Muell, and Becky Thatcher was portrayed by Carrie Gilmore.

Eleanor Burton directed the musical, assisted by Sharon Belobraidich, Judi Krieman, Jan Elston and Marilyn Barrick.

## Plymouth-Canton board eyes two millage choices

BY DAN BODENE

School Board members officially resolved Monday night what ballot issues will face voters at the annual school election on June 8.

Plymouth-Canton voters will decide who will fill a seat on the board now held by incumbent treasurer Stephen Harper, whose regular four-year term will end, as well as the outcome of millage proposals.

Two millage proposals have been drafted because of the possible effects of the upcoming vote on Proposal A.

The issue, according to Superintendent John Hoben, is that if Proposal A passes on the May 19 ballot the district will face an additional \$1.6 million to \$2.2 million deficit in addition to the \$3.2 million deficit already predicted.

Proposal A, said Hoben, not only halves property taxes and increases the state sales tax, but places a six per cent cap on growth of revenues within each assessment class, not including new construction or improvements.

The state, he added, is not required to pay back to school districts the difference in any lost revenues.

An added complication, said assistant superintendent for business Raymond Hoedel, is that assessments in some classes in Canton have not risen at all this year.

The May 19 tax proposal, if passed, will also divert approximately \$250 million to \$300 million in state revenues to the federal government, said Hoben. Every taxpayer will also help pay for various city

tax rebates throughout the state, he added.

"There are a number of reasons why we feel education will bear the brunt of cutbacks," summarized Hoben.

To allow for the effects of Proposal A two sets of millage proposals have been prepared for June 8.

If Proposal A fails on May 19, district voters will elect the board member and consider "increasing the tax rate limitation by one mill for a period of eight years, 1981 to 1988 inclusive, for operating purposes" and approval for levying the authorized millage rate.

If Proposal A passes, voters will elect a school board member and consider instead, approving a two mill increase for eight years.

Hoedel said, however, that district taxpayers would only fund one mill - the state is required to match the local revenues.

Harper also announced that a public hearing on Proposal A would be held Thursday at 7:30 p.m. at Plymouth Township Hall, 42350 Ann Arbor Rd. The tax proposal would be explained and debated by local officials, Harper said, and its effects on the school district would be discussed by Hoben.

Other portions of the resolution adopted by board members Monday night included appointment of election inspectors and preparation of proper ballots.

On June 8, school election voting polls will open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.

## Canton seeks better image

BY DICK BROWN

Canton Township trustees took steps last Tuesday night to improve the image of Canton township as a place to build new businesses and industries.

Acting on a recommendation of Trustee Loren Bennett, the township board is going to host a reception with real estate brokers, industrial property owners, business and industrial developers and members of Canton Chamber of Commerce with the goal of extolling the virtues of developing business and industry in the township.

Bennett's idea is to open the lines of communication with those people who are in the position of selling Canton township

on a day to day basis with those in township government who are involved in such areas as planning, zoning, and actual project overseeing.

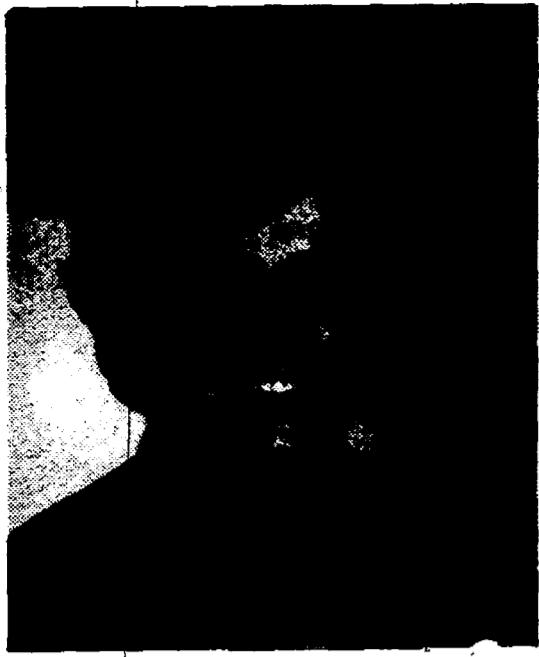
The reception will be designed to give the township board, the Canton Economic Development Corporation, the planning commission, zoning board of appeals and planning and building departments a chance to speak directly with the developers of business and industrial property.

Of special importance will be information pertaining to Canton's Dye Bros. industrial development project being planned for township property on the south side of Michigan Ave.

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HELEN GOEBEL

## Sunday brunch will honor retiring teacher at St. Peter's Lutheran

Helen Goebel will be recognized at a special Sunday brunch May 17 at St. Peter's Lutheran School for 23 years of service.

She began teaching at St. Peter's in 1958, and has served under four principals and taught about 300 kindergarteners.

## Mothers of Twins group schedules moms and dads night

Western Wayne County Mothers of Twins will hold a special Moms and Dads Night on May 18 at Holy Cross Evangelical Church, 30650 Six Mile Rd., Livonia.

Social hour will begin at 7:30 p.m., and at 8 p.m. Dr. Patrick Zimmerman, sponsor for self-help therapy groups for Parents Anonymous of Michigan, will begin a presentation.

The program will continue with a film dealing with physical, sexual and verbal abuse and physical and emotional neglect. Accompanying Dr. Zimmerman will be a panel of parents active in therapy groups, who will help answer questions as well as share parenting experiences and frustrations.

Mothers and fathers of multiples are welcome to attend. For more information, contact Christie Hults at 728-5503 or Marilyn Coleman at 728-7144.

# Area lawmen discuss Hines Drive

Representatives from all cities that border the 17.5 miles of Edward Hines Parkway, plus representatives of the Michigan State Police and the Wayne County Sheriff's Department attended a conference Friday at the Hillside Inn to discuss the current situation in the park and prepare for future activity.

Attending the meeting were Plymouth Township Supervisor Maurice Breen and Plymouth's City Manager Henry Graper Jr.

"We had a general conversation on where we are at in regards to the parkway," said Breen. "Every department that borders the park is handling the situation in their own particular manner."

"We found out the sheriff's deputies are going to continue to stay out there the same as they have been," he continued.

Breen added that it became obvious during the meeting that it was premature to plan anything specifically for the park although many possible solutions were discussed at the gathering.

According to Graper, several ideas were suggested, including closing the park and creating central parking lots from which park goers could enter the system.

Graper said Plymouth units would still be visible in the park and would help back up sheriff's deputies in case of special need.

"It really is too late to put together a joint policy for policing the park. Currently there are 36 deputies in there now. What we would have to do in the event that number drops way off is figure how to raise replacements and coordinate them," Graper added.

Currently the only law officers with jurisdiction in most park cases are the deputies, said Graper. "At some time if the patrol becomes an endangered species William Lucas (Wayne County Sheriff) might consider deputizing other units so they could enforce the park rules," he said.

Plymouth police and the other local law enforcement units involved are also requesting from the Sheriff a list containing people barred from the park.

"As far as they (the Sheriff's department) are concerned they will continue to police the park until further notice," said Graper.

In a related note, 27th District Wayne County Commissioner William Joyner, who represents the Plymouth-Canton Community, sent an open letter to communities involved last week listing

last year's complaint statistics in the park.

Joyner's letter stated there were 6,950 complaints and 3,294 arrests not counting the mounted division's 664 complaints and 636 arrests. Those arrests included all major felonies and violations of park rules.

## Plymouth-Canton district to borrow on taxes

Bids will be sought for a lending institution to temporarily fund the Plymouth-Canton School District.

At the school board meeting Monday night, trustees voted unanimously to adopt a resolution to authorize issuance of a Tax Anticipation Note, to help the district meet cash flow needs for the first half of the next school year. The procedure is not unusual.

Superintendent John Hoben explained the note was needed to borrow money from a lending agency because of the three units of the Plymouth-Canton Community, only the City of Plymouth makes two tax collections per year.

Only the City can then help fund the district twice a year, Hoben said.

In a report to board members, Hoben said, "As you are aware, there is some concern being expressed that lending

There were 4,298 traffic citations issued, and 2,517 tickets for misdemeanors plus an additional 67 and 478 of each from the mounted unit.

Of those figures, the Sheriff's mini-station near Newburgh Road in Livonia processed just 223 cases.

agencies are reluctant to give schools the opportunity to borrow as the "sunshine" aspect of current legislation has run out. This, however, has been amended."

Issuance of the note is important, according to assistant superintendent for business Raymond Hoedel. "It's extremely important to bankers we show fiscal responsibility," he said. "We're really out there looking and making sure we get those bids."

Hoedel said the maximum interest rate on the note can be 70 per cent of the prime interest rate. Plymouth-Canton Schools are requesting to borrow \$14.5 million, he added.

If bids do not include an institution that will lend the full amount requested, Hoedel said, another tax anticipation note would be necessary in the fall.

## Canton eyes backup radio

Canton Police Chief Jerry Cox wants a coordinated Emergency Communications System. That was the plea he made last Tuesday night when he appeared before the Canton Township Board.

In making his pitch for the system Cox said, "The primary purpose of this emergency communications equipment is to allow for the coordination of the various department activities throughout the township during a crisis."

"Presently, during times of an emergency such as a natural disaster, we have no common communications capabilities," he said.

Cox was supported by Supervisor Jim Poole. Poole said, "First, it's an emergency backup and, also, it would

provide more equipment at the police station if we do move to a joint police-fire dispatch.

Other board members were concerned about the cost. Trustee Bob Padgett said, "These kinds of things always bother me. It's like you don't dare not do it, and yet, it's a lot of money to invest when you may have to never use it."

The estimated cost of the extra communications equipment has been placed at \$13,000.

Cox further argued, "We operate on three different frequencies and from three different buildings, making communications a real problem."

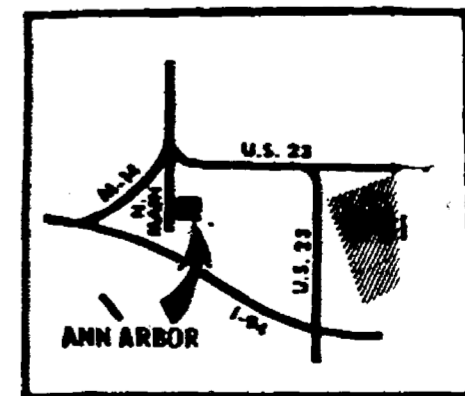
After the lengthy discussion the board voted to pursue the project.

# MADNESS



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REVVING UP the Plymouth Symphony Pops Concert at Pioneer Middle School on May 9 were soloists Constance Barron and Ralph Herbert, while Johan van der

Merwe conducts the symphony in the background. (Crier photo by Rick Smith)

## Plymouth Symphony shines doubly

The last two performances of the Plymouth Symphony Orchestra have demonstrated how much the orchestra has matured this season.

Mendelssohn's oratorio "Elijah", magnificent music at its best, was given a magnificent performance April 26th by the orchestra with the Schoulercraft Choir, directed by Marilyn Jones, and four vocal soloists. Ralph Herbert sang the part of Elijah, Barbara Rondelli sang soprano,

performed by the orchestra and choir this season. The "Messiah" was performed with the choir sitting in the audience in a "sing-along" style. The "Elijah" has the choir on stage, but this gave a much better idea of how good the choir really is.

Last Sunday's annual Pops Concert featured a Viennese theme and music from the operas "Merry Widow," "Countess Mariza," "Die Fledermaus", and lots and lots of Strauss waltzes.

Pioneer Central auditorium was arranged to leave plenty of room for dancing and most of the audience took advantage of this (Who can resist dancing to the full orchestral version of the Blue Danube?).

The performance included Ralph Herbert, Lawrence Vincent, and Constance Barron as soloists. All are excellent vocalists but the informal setting of the Pops Concert gave the soloists a chance to show off their personalities as well. Ms. Barron is fantastic in voice, appearance, and stage personality. Lawrence Vincent, who seemed dry in "Elijah", gave a spectacular performance, and Ralph Herbert was marvelously funny on stage

and in his translations into English of the pieces he sang. The Finale from the first act of "Die Fledermaus" was a spectacular performance by all three performers and brought the audience to its feet in rounds of applause.

The Plymouth Symphony has improved enormously this season and has honed its talents to a fine edge. Johan van der Merwe is to be congratulated on his excellent leadership and his sense of the Plymouth-Canton Community's musical tastes. The last two productions were fitting demonstrations of the musical talents of the entire community. They are also a tantalizing taste of things to come in subsequent symphonic seasons.

### AAUW final meeting set for Saturday

The last meeting of the year of the Plymouth branch of the American Association of University Women (AAUW) will be a brunch held at the Mayflower Meeting House on Saturday, May 16.

## Local politicians discuss upcoming Proposal A

Members of the Community Improvement Association of Plymouth Township will have their annual membership meeting May 14 at the Plymouth Township Hall at 7:30 p.m.

The meeting is open to the general public.

The program will deal with the state property tax proposal which will be before the voters at a special election May 19.

A panel discussion on the proposal will feature Bob Law, executive assistant to Governor William Milliken; Rep. Roy Smith of the 52nd District; Jim Carlson, executive director of the Michigan Education Association's Livonia-Norville branch; Mike Hoben, superintendent of the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools; and Joe West, treasurer of Plymouth Township.

The panel will attempt to weigh the pros and cons of the proposal and its effect on local government.

Along with the panel discussion the membership will elect officers for 1981-82 and select four directors for the board for terms of three years.

### Master plan contracted

Canton Township trustees voted last Tuesday night to contract for the architectural services of Rossen and Neumann Associates to develop a master plan for a multi-use township community center. The architects would provide a basic floor plan, elevation studies and preliminary cost estimates.

Mark Gouin, Recreation Department supervisor, pointed out that last October the Recreation Advisory Committee accepted architect proposals to develop a master plan for a multi-use community center at the direction of the township board.

"At that time," Gouin said, "There was a possibility Local Public Works funds would be available for municipal construction projects. The community center was a top priority of the board. This funding never materialized."

"While funds are not now available for this type of a project," Gouin said, "The township should be ready with plans if federal funding does become available in the future."

The \$4,500 architectural fee approved by the board will come from federal revenue sharing.



Deanna Boylan sang mezzo soprano, and Lawrence Vincent sang tenor.

All of the musical elements in this production worked perfectly. The soloists were superb, the choir was strong, and there was excellent balance between the orchestra and the vocalists.

"Elijah" was the second oratorio

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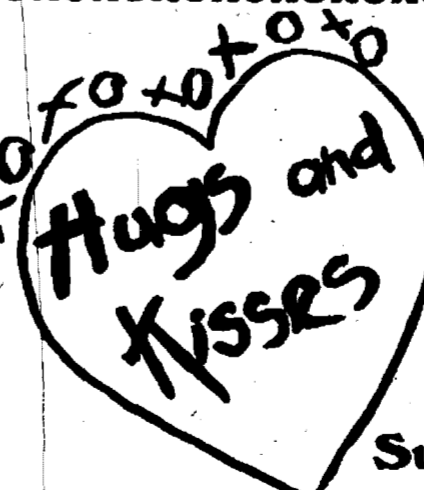
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## 'Great Day' concert set

The Plymouth Community Chorus presents "It's Gonna Be a Great Day," at Salem High School's auditorium May 16 and 17.

Tickets are \$2.50 and \$1.50 and available from Centennial Education Park students or at the door.

Show time is set for 7 p.m.

The first half of the program will include such numbers as, "People," "The Way We Were," "The Paper Reeds By the Brooks," "Let Me Call You Sweetheart," "Carousel and others."

The second half of the show will include "Oklahoma," "Alexander's Ragtime Band," "You Gotta Be a Football Hero," and others.

Soloists for the show will be Morand Zimmer, Jean Lee, Jack Dean, Gayle Lang, John Frank, Leatha Stonestreet and Earl Downing.

## Plymouth Theatre Guild to present youth program

Princess Pinkie falls in love with a commoner, but Queen Contemptua and Pea Green plot with the wicked witch to turn Pinkie into a scaly green dragon.

Don't worry - Prince Hal saves the day.

If all of this makes little sense, it's probably because you haven't seen the Plymouth Theatre Guild's production of "Pale Pink Dragon," to be presented May 23 and 30 at Central Middle School.

The first Guild production in several years solely for youngster's entertainment, the play is directed by Bruce Allen Scudder assisted by Dave Higginbotham, and produced by Clemie Cyburt.

It also features a cast of young adults and children, including Bonnie Knaus, a senior at Canton High, playing Princess Pinkie; Anne Marie Roberts, a Salem sophomore, playing Queen Contemptua; Monique Hineman, a Hilbert Junior High 7th grader, playing Pea Green; Erika Odom, a Salem High student, playing the witch; and Andy Wagner, a Salem senior, playing Prince Hal.

Three performances of "Pale Pink Dragon" are scheduled, at 10 a.m., 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Tickets are available at the door or by calling Karen Groves at 420-2161. For more information, call Phyllis Counts at 453-1186.

## Plymouth C of C sponsors contest

Can you stay within the lines?

A Flower Day Coloring Contest sponsored by the Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce is now open to area youngsters aged 12 or under.

Open to children in the Plymouth-Canton Community, the contest will be judged in two categories - eight years and under, and nine years and over. A \$15 cash prize will be awarded in each category.

Entry blanks for the contest are available at Heide's in Old Village, Armbruster Bootery, Bob's Fruit Market, Green Thumb, Penniman Market and the

Chamber office.

Entry deadline is Friday, May 22 and winners will be announced May 23 at 11 a.m. at the Farmer's Market Flower Day opening.

Flower Day is the official kick-off for the upcoming Farmers Market, which will be located in the parking lot between the Penn Theatre and the Masonic Temple on Penniman.

Open each Saturday throughout the summer from 8 a.m. to noon. The market will be limited to produce, flowers, baked goods, eggs and cheeses. Booth space is still available, by calling the Chamber office at 453-1540.



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## Grand old bean mill restored

The John McLaren bean mill next to the railroad tracks on North Main Street in Plymouth is getting a total face-lift.

Gene Glynn, owner of the mill, and his crews have been at work on the mill for two and a half months and are already halfway into project.

"This is a well maintained building," he said Tuesday. "We hope to have something open in 60 to 90 days."

According to Glynn the mill has been in continuous operation since at least 1900, although the structure was probably built years before that.

At first it was a bean mill, said Glynn. That fact has been proven with the discovery of oats bags and other bean material while working on the walls.

"After it was a bean mill it became a lumber yard. The great thing is that when they changed over they didn't rip everything out but built over it," said Glynn. "In our work we've discovered layers of walls, each revealing something from the mill's past."

Besides the remains of the bean operation, Glynn said there was still a lot of machinery inside the structure and that eventually all the equipment will be restored and used as an integral part of the interior.

"We hope to put in a little restaurant and rent out the other parts of the mill," Glynn said. "Like any restoration project it's a painstaking process."

## Class of '31 plans 50th

Do you know the whereabouts of five members of the Class of '31?

The Plymouth High Class of 1931 reunion committee is seeking classmates for its 50th Anniversary Celebration on June 27.

They are looking for addresses or word of Marjorie Atkinson, Maurice Bloom, Dr. William Bronson, William Hodson and J. Hugh McGee.

Anyone with information about any of these members of the class is asked to call either 349-3437 or 261-3756.



THE OLD MCLAREN bean mill at North Main Street will eventually have a brand new exterior and interior once owner Gene Glynn finishes the restoration project he and his crews are currently

carrying out. The mill is said to be the oldest continuous business in Plymouth. (Crier photo by Rick Smith)

## Local historian's work published in 'Chronicle'

In the spring issue of the "Chronicle," a magazine published by the Historical Society of Michigan, Plymouth's noted historian Dr. Sam Hudson contributed the cover story, on a veritable Michigan institution.

"The Man Who Founded the J.L. Hudson Company," traces the rise of Joseph Lowthian Hudson from \$4-a-month clerk to founder of the Detroit store, celebrating its 100th anniversary this year.

From his humble beginnings in Newcastle-on-Tyne, England, to the helm of one of the state's best-known department store chains, J.L. Hudson "was a man who went against the current in politics, in civic activities, and especially in business policies and philosophy," according to author Hudson.

Winner of a 1980 Award of Merit from the Historical Society of Michigan for his books, "Pictures of Plymouth. Past and

Present" and "The Story of Plymouth, Michigan: A Midwest Microcosm," Dr. Hudson holds a Ph.D. in English Literature from Wayne State University. He has taught at Wayne State, Eastern

Michigan University and at Schoolcraft College.

And according to a note on his article, "he is not, so far as he knows, related to the J.L. Hudson family."

## Symphony officers installed

New officers will be installed and longtime members will be recognized at the Plymouth Symphony League Annual Meeting and Luncheon on June 1, beginning at 11 a.m. at the Mayflower Meeting House.

Janet Repp, 1980-81 president, will give a slide presentation of League events from the past year to help members relive the activities of the season.

Members who have belonged to the League for 15 years or longer and all past presidents will also be recognized for their service.

Judy Morgan, 1981-82 president-elect, will introduce the new slate of officers and her theme for the upcoming season, "A Harmony of Talents."

The luncheon will provide members with an opportunity to meet and greet others in addition to hearing project reports and the year-end financial statement. The menu includes soup, salad, chicken crepes, bread, sherbet and beverage for a ticket price of \$7.

Tickets are available by calling Judy Morgan at 453-6099 by May 29.

Friends of the League are welcome, as well as prospective members.

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# School board votes to extend Master Agreement

BY DAN BODENE

Members of the Plymouth-Canton School Board voted unanimously Monday night to extend the Master Agreement dealing with teacher contracts for another year.

Teachers and administrators will also garner a 7.5 per cent pay raise.

Members of the district's administration negotiation team voted to accept the agreement, endorsed by the Plymouth-Canton Education Association (PCEA).

Board treasurer Glenn Schroeder said the contract extension for teachers and

non-affiliated administrators would reflect the 7.5 per cent raise in compensation as well as a \$20 per month mileage allowance increase.

The current mileage allowance is \$20 per month.

School board president Carol Davis said she felt the agreement was a good one, even though some districts have ratified contracts with greater compensation increases. Those districts, she added, may not be able to meet the added costs and will have to cut back more teachers.

"It's fair to say they were under a lot of pressure," said Trustee Thomas Yack. "Their contract fell after all the other employe groups."

Later, board members voted unanimously to adjust compensation rates for Superintendent John Hoben and

assistant superintendents Michael Homes, instruction; Raymond Hoedel, business; and Norman Kee, employee relations.

All received a 7.5 per cent pay increase, which is within budget according to Board secretary Elaine Kirchgatter.

## Laurel A. Nicholas announces engagement to David Barnes

Laurel A. Nicholas is engaged to be married to David A. Barnes.

The bride-to-be is the daughter of William B. Nicholas of Irvin in Plymouth. She is a 1977 graduate of Salem High School. She graduated from Eastern Michigan University in 1981 with a Bachelor degree in fashion design. She is employed as a manager of a Today store.

The prospective groom is the son of Cy and Anne Barnes of Ann Arbor. He graduated from Eastern Michigan University with a Bachelor degree in social studies, and in 1980 with a Master degree in sociology. He is currently employed by Michigan Human Services in Westland.

No wedding date has been set.



LAUREL NICHOLAS  
DAVID BARNES

## Sara Ann Evans is selected as state teenager pageant finalist

Sara Ann Evans, 16, of Plymouth, was recently selected as a state finalist for the 1981 Miss United Teenager Pageant.

Daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Robert Evans, she is currently a student at Salem High and enjoys playing the piano, painting, playing basketball and being outdoors.

She will compete for the state title from July 26 to 28 at the Adrian College campus. Contestants for the event must be between 14 and 18 years, must have at least a "B" average in school, and are requested to participate in community activities by contributing at least eight hours of time to a charity or civic work of their choice, according to pageant organizers.

Judging will be accomplished on the basis of scholastic and civic achievements, beauty, poise and personality. In addition, each contestant must write and recite a 100-word essay on "My Country."

Winner of the state finals will receive

an all-expense paid trip to the three-part national pageant, in Hollywood, Cal.; Waikiki Beach, Hawaii; and Washington, D.C.



SARA ANNEVANS



DR. WILLIAM ROSS

## Ross-Mark vows spoken on May 9

Dr. William Ross and Florine Mark were married May 9 in Farmington Hills.

Ross, head of the Plymouth Doctors Clinic for 20 years is past chairman of Botsford Hospital, a member of the Michigan Heart Association, and associate professor at Michigan State University.

Mark is regional president of Weight Watchers.

Ross heads the Plymouth clinic which also has a Canton branch, and is a former member of The Crier Board of Directors.

## Marigold plant sale set for next week

It's time to start thinking Fall Festival and to help area residents get in the mood marigold plants will be on sale at the Plymouth Grange Hall Friday, May 22 and Saturday, May 23 to make sure gardens, planters and borders are loaded with the official festival flower.

Friday hours will be from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturday hours will be from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

All types and colors of marigolds will be available at discount prices.

Along with the flower plant sale, coffee and donuts will be available.

To place advance orders for plants or donuts call 453-6387.

## New officers for Womans club

Members of the Woman's Club of Plymouth held their last meeting of the season and elected new officers for the coming season, in the process.

Those who will lead the club are Carolyn Loesch, who will serve her second term as President; Linda Pawling, who will continue as first Vice President; Florence VonGlahn, newly elected second Vice President; Florence Bullen, elected Recording Secretary; Ruby Rudnick, elected as Corresponding Secretary; and Jean Sigmon, Treasurer.

Barbara Pray and Bonnie Coons were directors for this year.

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## James A. Vida, 14 killed when struck while crossing I-96

James Alan Vida, 14, of Brighton, died May 5 in Brighton Township, after being struck on I-96 by a car driven by David Brian Seageren, 25, of Northville. Vida was apparently running across the expressway, according to State Police, when he stopped in the middle and ran back. Seageren swerved to avoid hitting Vida, but apparently both he and Vida took the same action, said police. No charges are being brought against Seageren.

Funeral services were held May 9, at Schrader Funeral Home, with The Rev. Gerald Street officiating. Burial was at Rural Hill Cemetery.

He is survived by his father, Richard N. Vida of Brighton; mother, Donna Kohalaf of Dearborn; sister, Kelsey Lynn Vida of Dearborn; brothers, Steven Roose, Dennis Roose, and Justin Roose all of Brighton; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Vida of Garden City, and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Gerecke of Brighton.

Vida was a life long resident of Plymouth. He had recently moved to Brighton.

## community deaths



### Scarlett

William Scarlett, 62, of Plymouth died May 5 in Southfield. Funeral services were held at Schrader Funeral Home, May 8, with The Rev. Thomas H. Cook officiating. Burial was at Rural Hill Cemetery.

He is survived by his wife, Gertrude; mother, Mrs. Frances Simpson of St. Louis, Missouri; step son, Samuel K. Dickey of Louisville, Kentucky; brother,

James Scarlett of Herrin, Illinois; and sister Mrs. Wayne (Elnora) Harriss of St. Louis, Missouri.

Scarlett came to Plymouth in 1956 from Gibraltar. A former manager of Berry Appliance in Livonia, Scarlett retired in 1980, after 20 years of service.

Memorial contributions can be made to the Michigan Cancer Foundation.

### Maycock

Emily A. Maycock, 67, of Plymouth, died May 6 in Ypsilanti. Funeral services were held May 8 at Our Lady of Good Counsel with The Rev. Fr. Francis Byrne officiating. Arrangements were made by Schrader Funeral Home.

She is survived by her husband, Harry J.; sons, Raymond A. of Plymouth

Township, Randy J. of Canton and Russell J. of Plymouth Township; daughter, Renelle Foreman of Novi; sister, Clara Urban of Detroit; brother, Andrew Cichocki of Warren; and nine grandchildren.

She was a former shipping clerk for Anchor Coupling Company. Maycock came to Plymouth in 1944 from Detroit.

She was a member of Our Lady of Good Counsel Parish. Memorial contributions can be sent to the Michigan Cancer Society.

### Kessler

Robert Allen Kessler, 43, Detroit, died at Detroit Receiving hospital April 27. Funeral services were conducted by Memorial Funeral Home of Westland on May 4 at St. Richard Catholic Church with The Rev. Fr. Bruce Kijowski officiating.

He is survived by sisters Mrs. Colette Ahrens of Canton and Kay Taylor of Walled Lake; and brothers Thomas Kessler of Westland and Dale Kessler of Daytona Beach, Florida.

Burial was in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

### Veterans organizations start poppy sales

Members of the local service organizations, including the local American Legion (Passage Gayde Post) outfit and the Veterans of Foreign Wars will be on the streets selling poppies throughout the community May 14, 15, and 16.

The annual event will be going on throughout the metro area. Proceeds will go to assist needy veterans.

### Dill

Brian Charles Dill, 21, of Canton died May 6, in a motorcycle accident on I-75 in Trenton. Funeral services were held May 9, at Schrader Funeral Home with The Rev. John N. Grenfell Jr. officiating. Burial was at Parkview Memorial Cemetery.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert J. Dill of Canton; and brother Kevin.

A former technician for Drum Electronics, Dill came to Plymouth in 1978 from Livonia.

### Smith

Fred C. Smith, 88, of Plymouth died May 1 in Garden City. Funeral services were held at Schrader Funeral Home with The Rev. Frank B. Smith and The Rev. Henry Shafer officiating. Burial was at Cadillac Memorial Gardens, West.

He is survived by his wife, Louise Staley; daughters, Mrs. Edward (Lillian) La Londe of Sault Ste. Marie; brothers Clarence of Detroit and Walter of Mesa Arizona; sisters, Mrs. Carol Winter of Troy and Mrs. Gertrude Taylor of Pontiac; seven grandchildren; 21 great grandchildren and 10 great great grandchildren.

Smith came to Plymouth in 1931 from Detroit. A former electrician for American Motors Corporation, Smith retired from American Motors in 1957. He recently celebrated his 71 wedding anniversary.

### Faith Community church to offer stress seminar

"How to Handle Stress" will be the subject of a community seminar offered by Faith Community Church in Canton on Sunday, May 17, from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

The seminar will offer practical suggestions for dealing with the stress most of us face regularly, whether it be personal stress, job-related stress, family-related or other pressures.

The session will be led by Marcia Hill, an educator presently employed as Human Resource Development Trainer at Growth Center, Allen Park.

This is the first of several planned community seminars on topics of general interest to be sponsored by the church in the months ahead. The public is invited to attend.

A free-will offering will be taken to help defray expenses. The church is located at 16001 Warren Rd., just west of Canton Center Rd.



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Plymouth Raiders	1-2-0
Northville United	0-1-1
Plymouth Burgundy Bunch	0-2-1
Northville Tornados	0-1-0
<b>UNDER 10 BOYS Div. 2</b>	
Northville Knights	2-0-0
Farmington Cougars	2-0-0
Farmington Bobcats	1-1-1
Northville Express	1-0-0
Plymouth Cosmos	0-1-1
Plymouth Cardinals	0-1-0
Plymouth Kicks	0-3-0
<b>UNDER 10 BOYS Div. 3</b>	
Farmington Eagles	3-0-0
Plymouth Blue Devils	2-0-0

Plymouth Lightening	2-1-0
Northville Hotspurs	1-1-0
Plymouth Lions	1-2-0
Farmington Wildcats	0-2-0
Northville Rowdies	0-3-0
<b>UNDER 10 BOYS Div. 4</b>	
Plymouth Chargers	2-0-0
Plymouth Hornets	2-1-0
Plymouth Tornados	1-0-0
Plymouth North Stars	1-1-0
Northville Chargers	0-0-0
Farmington Hawks	0-2-0
Northville Celtics	0-2-0
<b>UNDER 10 GIRLS Div. 1</b>	
Plymouth Blue Demons	2-1-0
Northville Forrest	2-1-0
Plymouth Stingers	1-1-0
Northville Pandas	1-1-0
Farmington Furies	0-4-0

<b>UNDER 10 GIRLS Div. 2</b>	
Northville Sunrise	2-0-1
Plymouth Foxes	2-0-0
Farmington Fillies	1-1-1
Plymouth Spartans	1-2-0
Northville Stompers	0-3-0
<b>UNDER 12 BOYS Div. 1</b>	
Farmington Mustangs	2-0-1
Plymouth Tornados	2-1-0
Plymouth Dragons	1-0-1
Northville Hotspurs	1-1-1
Northville Sting	0-1-1
Farmington Wildcats	0-1-1
Plymouth Wolverines	0-2-1
<b>UNDER 12 BOYS Div. 2</b>	
Farmington Bobcats	3-0-0
Northville Tornados	2-0-1
Plymouth Spartans	1-1-0
Northville Knights	1-1-0
Plymouth Firebirds	1-2-0
Plymouth "The Force"	0-1-1
Farmington Coks	0-3-0

<b>UNDER 14 BOYS Div. 1</b>	
Farmington Chargers	3-1-0
Farmington Flames	1-1-1
Northville United	1-1-1
Plymouth 4	1-1-0
Northville Chargers	0-2-0
<b>UNDER 14 BOYS Div. 2</b>	
Farmington Cougars	3-0-0
Farmington Mustangs	2-1-0
Northville Rowdies	1-1-1
Northville Arsenal	1-1-0
Northville Tornados	1-1-0
Westland Scorpions	1-1-0
Plymouth White Caps	0-1-1
Plymouth Express	0-3-0
<b>UNDER 14 BOYS Div. 3</b>	
Farmington Bobcats	3-0-0
Northville Fury	2-1-0
Westland Blackknights	1-1-0
Plymouth Chicos	1-2-0
Westland Blue Streak	0-3-0

<b>UNDER 14 GIRLS Div. 1</b>	
Northville Charlie's Angels	1-0-2
Westland Hornets	1-0-1
Northville Foxes	1-1-0
Farmington Goldiggers	0-0-1
Farmington Celtics	0-2-0

<b>UNDER 14 GIRLS Div. 2</b>	
Plymouth Blue Demons	3-0-0
Plymouth Chargers	2-0-1
Northville Cougars	2-0-1
Northville Pink Panthers	1-1-1
Plymouth Vipers	1-2-0
Lakes Cosmos	1-2-0
Lakes Diplomats	0-2-1
Northville Astros	0-3-0

<b>UNDER 16 BOYS</b>	
Farmington Chargers	4-0-0
Farmington Blazers	1-0-3
Plymouth Mustangs	2-1-0
Northville Citadel	2-1-0
Northville Arsenal	2-2-0
Lakes 1	1-1-1
Westland Rowdies	1-1-1
Lakes 3	0-3-1
Lakes 2	0-4-0

<b>UNDER 19 BOYS</b>	
Plymouth Devils	2-0-1
Farmington Flames	1-1-1
Northville Arsenal	1-1-0
Lakes Panthers	1-1-0
Lakes Condors	1-2-0
Westland Raiders	0-1-0

<b>UNDER 19 GIRLS</b>	
Livonia 2	3-0-0
Northville Stars	2-0-0
Livonia 1	1-1-0
Northville Cyclones	0-1-0
Lakes Hurricanes	0-1-0
Ply/West Tornados	0-1-0
Livonia 3	0-2-0

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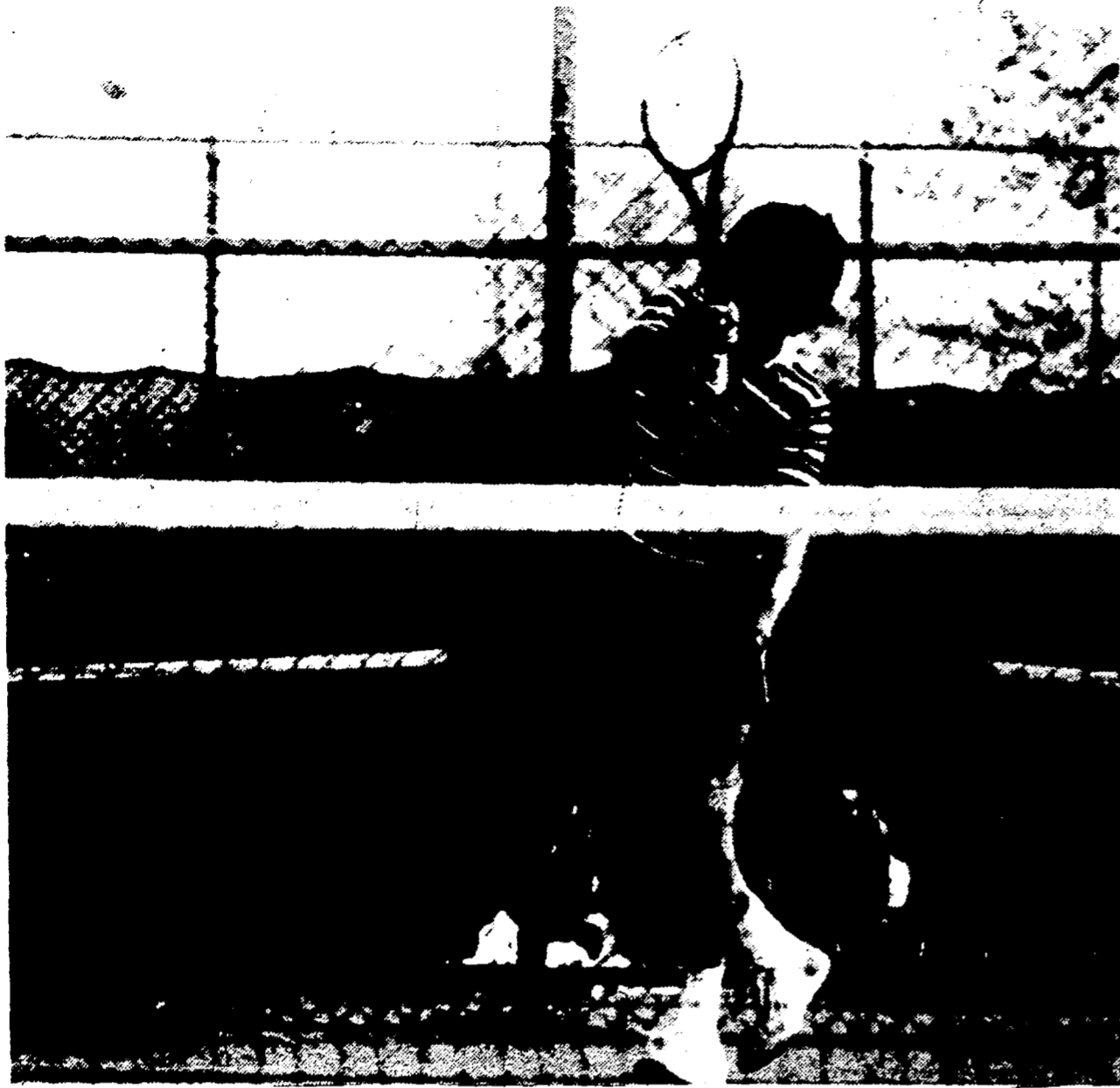
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## Chief netters snatch two wins now 6-1 overall



CANTON NETTER Tom Pasley is seen in action here against a Livonia Churchill foe. Pasley played No. 4 singles for the Chiefs and won. In fact, all the Chiefs won to shut out Churchill 7-0. (Crier photo by Jay Keenan)

On Friday, the Canton tennis team knocked off Livonia Churchill in a Western Six League dual match, 7-0. Earlier in the week the Chiefs defeated Walled Lake Western 4-3. Canton is now 6-1 overall.

Against Churchill, Kreg Kinnel defeated Pete Diamond, 6-0 and 6-0 at No. 1 singles. Kevin Johnston knocked off Gary Yamarino, 6-0 and 6-0 at No. 2 singles. Bob Adams beat Tim Irons, 6-2 and 6-0 at No. 3 singles and Tom Pasley beat Jeff Olivs, 6-0 and 6-0 at No. 4 singles.

Mark Sawyer and Rubin Rabillas teamed for a 6-3 and 6-3 win at No. 1 doubles over Paul Gothard and Chris Flaherty.

Grant Grago and Ron Austin defeated John Gallingan and Andy Vassalo at No. 2 doubles, 6-1 and 6-0, while Ray Ladman and Dave Schendell rounded out the Chiefs shut out with a 7-6 and 6-3 win over Mike House and Jim Corbett.

Against Western, the Chiefs won three singles matches and one doubles.

Kinnel beat Mike Sacco, 6-0 and 6-3, while Johnston beat Larry Garza, 6-1, 2-6 and 6-0 and Adams knocked off Don Peasley, 6-3, 4-6 and 6-1.

Pasley lost his singles match 6-0 and 6-4 to Chris Smith.

Austin and Raballis teamed up to win the No. 2 doubles spot for Canton, 6-1 and 6-4 over Matt Switak and Chip Schultz.

Grago and Sawyer lost No. 1 doubles to Weymeir and Dnje, 6-4 and 7-5, and Brian Flynn and Bob Urdangaray lost No. 3 doubles to Shell and Cooper, 6-2 and 6-2.

Canton will enter regional competition Saturday at Ann Arbor Huron. The two-day event will start at 9 a.m. on each day and run to at least 4 p.m. said Canton coach Jim Hayes.

## Salem netters split, now 4-3 in league

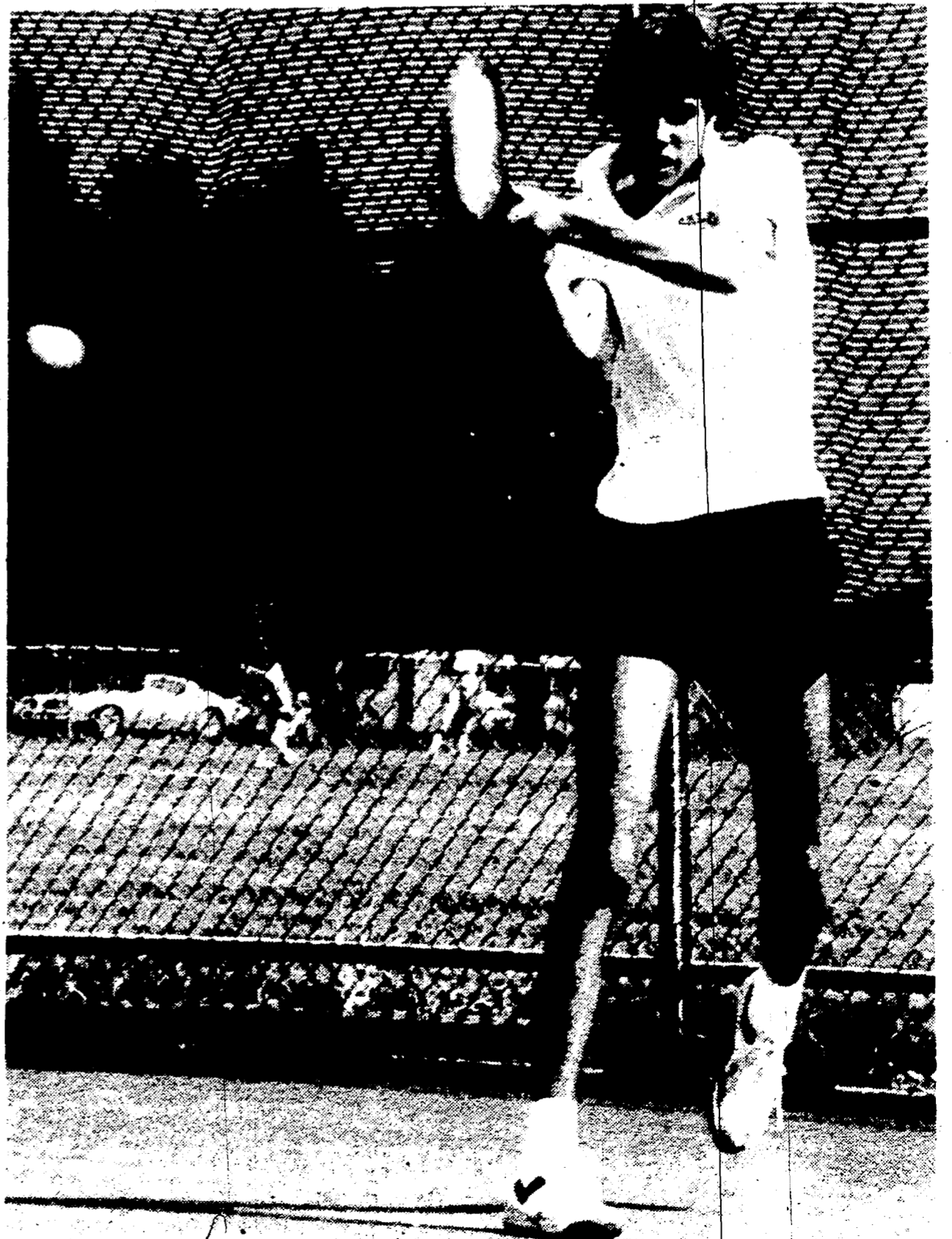
The Salem boys' tennis team is now 4-3 in the Suburban Eight League after losing to Trenton 7-0, and defeating Dearborn Edsel Ford 5-2 on Friday.

Scott Crespo won in the No. 1 singles spot, beating Edsel Ford's Mike O'Leary 6-4, 6-0.

Dave Goodsir beat Paul Soper 6-2, 6-1 for a win in the No. 2 singles position, and Jeff Howe beat Jim Beardsler in the No. 3 singles spot 6-3, 3-6, 6-3.

In the No. 4 singles spot, Maurice Stabila dropped his match to Dave Richard, 3-6, 4-6.

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SALEM'S No. 1 singles tennis player Scott Crespo is seen here in action during the Rocks dual match with Dearborn Edsel Ford on Friday, which the Rocks won. (Crier photo by Jay Keenan)

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# Rocks split in Suburban Eight baseball action

Salem's baseball squad split a pair of Suburban Eight League games last week. The Rocks beat Dearborn Edsel Ford on Friday, but fell to Trenton last Tuesday.

Against Edsel Ford, the Rocks put together two runs in the seventh inning to win 4-3.

In that frame, Mark Kitz singled, moved to second on a wild pitch. John Blanchard then doubled him home to tie the score 3-3 and Mick Madsen doubled in Blanchard for the win.

Ken Vermeulen got the pitching win for the Rocks as he pitched seven innings, struck out five without giving up a walk.

Salem scored one run in the first inning when Joe Humphries hit a solo home run.

Salem added its other run in the third inning when Madsen singled, stole second and scored on Dave Slavin's single.

Edsel Ford tallied one run in the first and two in the third inning.

Against Trenton, the Rocks scored single runs in the first and fourth innings, but Trenton had single runs in the first, second and seventh to win 3-2.

Bill Culver took the pitching loss. He came in relief for starter Jim Jimmerson who hurled the first inning and two thirds. Jimmerson gave up two runs, one hit, six walks and struck out two. Culver gave up the winning run, three hits, three walks and struck out two.

Salem scored in the first inning when Madsen was safe on an error, moved to second on a hunt, went to third on a wild pitch and scored on Slavin's sacrifice fly.

In the fourth inning, Greg Etienne singled, Jeff Hubert singled. Etienne then scored on a throwing error to first base.

"We haven't been playing too bad defensively and our pitching is still fair, but it's still a lack of hitting that's

causing us to lose some of these 4-0 games," said Salem coach Brian Galles.

Salem is now 10-9 overall and 4-1 in the

conference. The Rocks face Livonia Bentley tomorrow at home in another conference game. Game time is 4 p.m.

## Rock runners 3-3 overall

BY PATTY RADZIK

At the rate they are going, the members of the Salem girls' track team will force coach Scott Kurtz to open a whole new book to keep records in by the time the season ends.

Although the squads' record stands at 3-3 overall after a 59:54 loss to Belleville earlier last week, the times the girls have been recording are awesome.

Records have been falling faster than leaves from trees and at the Stevenson Relays on Saturday, the onslaught continued.

Salem's freshman contingency has been a big part of the team's success, and at Livonia Stevenson High School, the fabulous freshmen struck again.

Dawn Johnson, Kelly Bemiss and Shelley Staszal recorded an average of 47 feet to win the long jump relay for the Rocks.

Johnson had a mark of 16-6, while Bemiss set a personal best with a leap of 15-11 and Staszal recorded a jump of 14-7.

Johnson and Bemiss competed along with sophomores Beth Moskal and Janine Gray in the 440-relay, and the foursome came in fifth with a team record time of 52.2.

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SALEM THIRD basemen Hsiao Peng snares a grounder that's gone foul during the Rocks home stand against Dearborn Edsel Ford on Friday. (Crier photo by Jay Keenan)

## Chief girls run at invite

Canton's girls track squad put together some of its best individual performances of the season Saturday at the Walled Lake Western Stafford Invitational and yet the Chiefs were still unable to score at the 14-team tourney.

Brighton and Adrian tied for first place, while Pontiac Central was third.

The top six places in each event placed. According to Canton's coach Bob Richardson, the Chiefs highlight of the meet was the 880-yard relay performance.

"That was our best effort in that race all year and the highlight for us," said Richardson. The foursome of Lisa Wood, Kim Brown, Katharina Seiler and Jill Osmom clocked 1:53 but didn't score. The sixth place time in that race was 1:51.

In splits for that event, Wood clocked 29.4 seconds, Brown, 27.5, Seiler, 28.2, and Osmom 27.9.

In the four mile relay, the Chiefs clocked 25:17.3, but did not score. Patty Rising clocked 6:05 on her leg of the race, while Sue-Kaske clocked 6:29.1, Andrea Holowicki, 6:21.9, and Colleen Crissey, 6:20. According to Richardson, Kaske and Crissey do not normally run the mile but put in good efforts.

Canton's foursome in the sprint medley relay also had good times. Ruthann Trout clocked 62.9 seconds in her 440-yard leg of the race. Lisa Wood clocked 28.8 in her 220-yard leg. Patty Brennen clocked 29.1 in her 220 leg, and Ida Williams clocked 2:43 in her 880-yard leg. She filled in for injured Kathy Brophy.

The only other performance worth note, said Richardson, was Trout's time in the 220-yard dash preliminary. She

clocked 28.7 seconds for a personal best.

"It was a good day. We got to see some great competition," said Richardson.

The Chiefs have a dual meet with Farmington Harrison today and then enter regional competition this weekend. That Harrison meet will be at Harrison and start at 4 p.m. The regionals will be conducted at Livonia Churchill, Newburgh and Joy Roads and involve over 16 teams.

Preliminary races will start at 10 a.m. with the finals getting underway after 1 p.m.

"We've got people hurting. They'll be used sparingly until the regionals. That's the only shot these girls will have so we'll have to hope they are healthy," Richardson said.

On May 27, the Chiefs will compete in the Western Six League meet at Harrison.

## Chief golfers drop two

Canton's golf squad dropped two matches last week. Against Brighton on Thursday the Chiefs scored 221, while Brighton had 212.

Janis McGlone was low shooter for the Chiefs with a 49, while Gindy Sohocki shot 56, Kim Massey, 57, and Debbie Dickinson 59.

Against Saline, Canton tallied a 209 while Saline shot a 206. McGlone was low shooter with a 41.

Canton is now 2-3 overall.

The Chiefs will face Salem today at Salem Hills Golf Course on Six Mile Road. Match time is 3 p.m.

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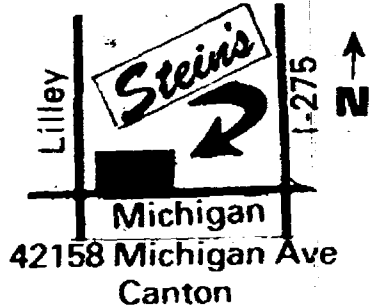
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## Leathernecks demonstrate

RON CARLISE, a heavyweight wrestler for the Marine Corps Leatherneck wrestling squad took on Salem heavyweight Marty Piper and a lightweight wrestler from his own squad in a match held during the Corps wrestling demonstration at Salem High Thursday. At the start of the match Carlise went for the lightweight (legs seen in foreground), while Piper went for Carlise. This was the resulting pile up. (Crier photo by Rick Smith)

## Canton softball unbeaten in league

BY PATTY RADZIK

The Canton softball team is still undefeated in the Western Six League after nipping Walled Lake Western on Wednesday 6-5, but picked up its third loss overall when Livonia Bentley beat the Chiefs 3-2 on Friday.

The contest was scoreless through five innings, with starting pitcher Marianne Pink giving up just two hits and no walks.

She was replaced in the fifth inning by Pearly Cunningham, Canton's ace reliever.

"I guess you'd wonder why I'd take Marianne out when she was doing so well," Sommerville commented. "Well," he offered, "they had their lead-off batter up and my game plan was to take Marianne out in the last couple of innings because when we play stronger teams, they seem to get to her about then."

Cunningham has been consistent in relief for the Chiefs, but her first series of pitches in fifth inning produced a walk.

With one out, Bentley's Kim Archer singled, and scored off a fielding error.

Another error allowed Bentley's third run of the inning to score.

In the sixth, Canton got on the scoreboard when Joni Sommerville walked, Pink singled, and Marie Krashovitz singled to load the bases.

Rhonda Stone singled and scored Sommerville from third base.

Trailing 3-1 in the seventh, Canton rallied but the effort fell short.

Sue Gerke walked to start the inning, and Barb Ruprecht followed with a walk, and was replaced on the basepaths by Karen Nicolaus.

Vicki Skene layed down a bunt single to load the bases, and Renae Edwards hit into the deciding play of the game.

Edwards lined out to the shortstop, but Nicolaus was caught in rundown between second and third and Bentley got the double play.

With two on and two out, Gerke scored on a passed ball, and Pink was hit on the foot by a pitch and got on base.

Posing a serious threat with the bases loaded, Krashovitz grounded out to end the game.

Canton went to the wire with Western, winning in the last inning after trailing 5-

Cunningham was the winning pitcher, although she only face three batters in the seventh inning.

The Chiefs, now 6-0 in the league, collected five hits off of Walled Lake's Mary Artalev.

Canton will meet Northville this afternoon away in a doubleheader at 4 p.m., and will play Livonia Churchill on Friday, before competing against Redford Union in a doubleheader at home on Saturday starting at noon.

## Canton tracksters knock off Bentley

Canton's boys track squad took on Livonia Bentley last Tuesday and knocked off the Bulldogs, 73-59, in non-conference dual action. The Chiefs are 3-2 overall and 2-1 in their league.

The Chiefs will warm up for the coming Class A Regionals at Livonia Churchill, Saturday, with a Western Six League dual meet against Farmington Harrison today at home. Meet time is 4 p.m.

Regional competition will start with preliminaries at 10 a.m. and finals after 1 p.m.

"We'll be gunning for Harrison. We'll try to run the same people Wednesday as Saturday," said Canton coach Mike Spitz. "We want to win the meet but we still look to it as a tuneup for the regionals."

"I think our relays, at least, have potential to get a shot at state," he added.

Against Bentley, the 880-yard relay crew of Mark Ritchey, Scott Brookhouse, Mark Kowalczyk, and Ken Jayroe clocked 1:30 for first place.

Other firsts included Ron Reinas in the high jump, six feet; Frank Ajs in the long jump, 18 feet 11 and three-quarter inches; Anton Ivezaj in the shot put, 40 feet; Dan Inloes in the 800-meter race, 2:04.

The Chiefs 1600-meter relay team of David Simms, Jayroe, Kowalczyk and Jay Malin clocked 3:42.8 for first place.

Dan Malin got three seconds for the Chiefs. In the high jump, the discus, the 300-meter low hurdles.

Steve Allegrina, Reinas, Rick Place, Steve West, Simms, Scott Hand, Kowalczyk and Jack Parente also scored seconds for Canton.

# Rock boys run to 7th at Stevenson Relays

After a 78-54 loss to Belleville earlier last week, the Salem boys' track team geared up and placed seventh in the Stevenson Relays on Friday.

Fifteen teams competed in the event held at Livonia Stevenson High School, and the Rocks finished with a total of 18 points.

Ann Arbor Huron won the meet with 35 points, and Ann Arbor Pioneer finished with 29 points in second place.

Bob Pittaway won the discus competition for Salem with a toss of 169-11, and in the process set a new meet and a new team record. According to the Detroit Free Press, Salem is now ranked second in the state in the discus event.

Mark Tanski recorded a throw of 149-

10 in the discus for Salem and set a personal best mark.

In the pole vault competition, Dave Skone placed fifth clearing the bar set at 12-9, setting a personal best mark.

The Rocks came in fifth in the shuttle hurdle relay as Steve Schaffer, Bill Newland, Scott Fuller and Scott Bublin raced to a 1:03.71 finish.

The team of Leigh Langkabel, Brian Lewandowski, Scott Smith and Bob Pittaway placed third for Salem in the sprint medley relay, and also set a new school record.

Leeland Chang, Jeff Baker, Chris Kopach and Mike McBride competed in the two-mile relay race and finished third with a time of 8:19.97.

In the 880-relay event, Langkabel, Lewandowski, Pittaway and Bublin teamed up and came in fifth overall in a team record time of 1:33.15.

Bublin anchored the 440-relay squad of Scott Smith, Tom Kelliher, and Jim Spooner. They came in fourth with a time

of 25.03.

"We would like to have finished higher team wise," Salem coach Gary Balconi said. "We did not feel good about our hand-offs in the speed relays. If they were better we could have moved up a notch or two."

## Salem girls tracksters in relays

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Salem placed fifth in the high jump relay, as Cindy McSurely, Sue Roach and Gray combined talents and tallied an average height of 13-9.

The best school time in five years was recorded in the two-mile relay as Salem finished sixth.

Ruth Sample, Lori Grissom, Carol Lindsay and Staszal each ran a half-mile, and set a record time of 10:11.0.

Staszal, Bemiss and Johnson joined fellow freshman Colleen O'Connor in the 880-relay event, and set a freshman record, and also set the best mark in five years for Salem with a time of 1:50.7.

Fifteen teams competed in the Relays, and the Rocks finished with 15 points.

"We did an outstanding job," Salem coach Scott Kurtz said.

Salem will compete in the Regionals on Saturday.

## Chief diamondmen 4-0 in league

Canton's baseball squad stayed unbeaten in the Western Six League with an 8-1 victory over Walled Lake Western. Canton is now 4-0 in the conference and 12-2 overall.

"We played excellent defense," said Canton coach Fred Crissey.

Dave Malek picked up the pitching win. He hurled the entire seven innings, walked two and struck out four, while holding Western to seven hits.

Canton had nine hits including three for Steve Schumacher, with two RBIs, and two for Jeff Stemberger, with two RBIs. Bill Hanis also had an RBI for the Chiefs.

Canton scored two runs in the first inning, one in the second, and two in the fourth, adding single runs in the final three frames.

## Chief girls tracksters fall to Churchill

"They were just too powerful for us," said Canton girls track coach Bob Richardson last week after his charges fell to Western Six League foe Livonia Churchill, 87-36, in a league dual meet.

"They got plenty of firsts on us. That's what did us in. We scored about even in seconds and thirds. They definitely have a strong team," Richardson continued.

The Chiefs picked up just three firsts during the afternoon. Lisa Bundarian won the shot put with a toss of 28 feet eight and a half inches, while Ruthann Trout was first in the 440-yard dash with an effort of 63.9 seconds. Michelle Perrot was the other Canton first when she won the two mile race with a personal best of 13:08.8.

Canton will face Northville in a conference doubleheader today at home. Game time is 4 p.m. for the first clash. On Friday and Saturday the Chiefs will travel to Midland for the Midland Tournament, before coming back against Farmington Harrison next Monday at Harrison.

## Rock netters face Bentley

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Doug Baker and Jack Thomas beat Paul Lankford and Dan Terry 6-3, 6-2 in the No.1 doubles match.

Rob Roland and Mark Pursell, whom coach Tom Williams has nicknamed the "cardiac kids" because they always play three-set matches, beat John Lukowski and Tim Godin in the No.2 doubles spot, 6-3, 6-7, 5-5.

John Wimmer and Paul Weber lost in the No.3 doubles position, 6-7, 6-7 to Mick Metaxas and Joe Salem.

Salem will meet Bentley tomorrow at home before going into Regional action on Friday and Saturday.

## Rock softball team 2nd at tourney

BY PATTY RADZIK

Losing was becoming a regular happening to the Salem softball team, until the squad finished second in a tournament held in Romulus on Saturday.

Salem dropped three games last week, and tipped its record to 6-8 overall.

Thurston beat Salem 9-7 in a non-league clash, and Suburban Eight league foes Trenton and Dearborn Edsel Ford defeated the Rocks by respective scores of 11-4 and 10-7.

The Rocks beat Lutheran West 4-2 in the first game of the weekend series in Romulus.

Diane Murphy, brought up from the junior varsity squad, picked up the victory for Salem, giving up seven hits and walking two.

## Go Fer Dewey places

Eight year old Andrea Dewey finished third in the vault competition for the Go Fer Gymnastics Club when it competed in the Westland Bendables Invitational.

Dewey, of Canton, scored a 5.7 in her eight and under age group individual event.

Salem got on the scoreboard first against Lutheran West by scoring two runs in the top of the second inning, but Lutheran tied it up in the bottom of the fourth on a triple and two errors.

In the second game of the afternoon, Salem beat Romulus 14-5.

Laurie Jarski pitched six innings for the Rocks and gave up eight hits, four walks and struck out four.

Jarski suffered the loss in Salem's defeat to Wayne Memorial in the third contest, 9-4.

Against Edsel Ford on Friday, Salem fell behind 4-1 in the first inning.

Cheryl Sobkow hit a solo homerun in the top of third to add a run, and Salem rallied and went ahead 6-4 in the top of the fourth inning.

Edsel Ford tallied five runs in the bottom of the sixth inning to ensure the victory.

Salem will meet Livonia Bentley tomorrow at 4 p.m. and will play the last home game of the season on Tuesday against Allen Park.

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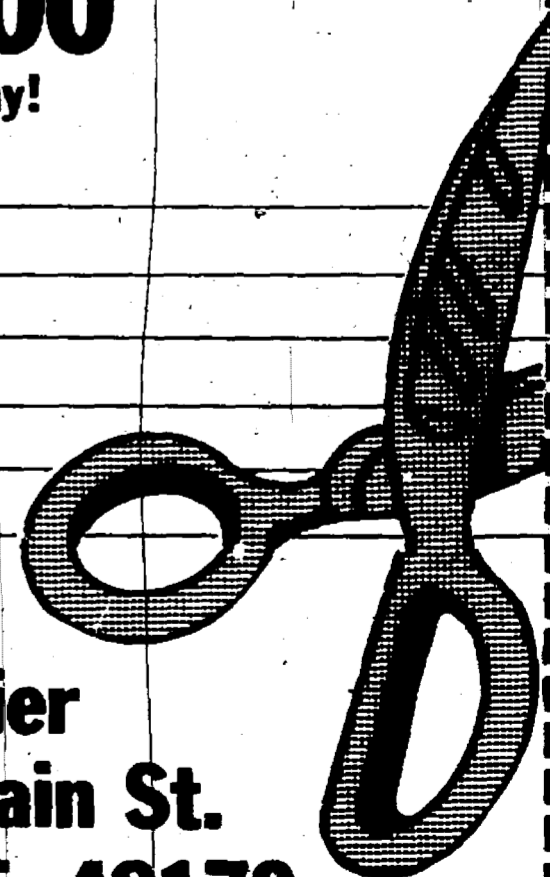
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Garage Sale - May 14-16, 9-4 1060 Fair-  
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Annual Spring Rummage Sale at The  
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Garage Sale - Thur.-Fri.-Sat. 857 Palmer,  
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41878 River Oaks (Ann Arbor Tr. & River-  
side area) May 14 & 15, 9:00-5:00.

2 Family's Moving Garage Sale, May 14,  
15, & 16 -- 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., 9414 Baywood,  
South of Ann Arbor Rd., west of Sheldon.

Garage Sale: 39864 Birchwood, Ply. Many  
baby items, Thurs. & Fri. 9 am-5 pm.

## Garage Sales

Multi family garage sale, sofa, chair,  
tables, crib, lots of toys, clothes and misc.  
items, imported jewelry & clothing. 10 am-  
5 pm Thurs., Fri., Sat., May 14, 15, 16.  
43751 Westminister, Canton (N. of Ford  
W. of Sheldon) 455-7336.

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Arbor Tr. West of Haggerty Rd.

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Garage Sale - Thurs., Fri., Sat. 1184  
Sutherland.

GARAGE SALE - Several families 6364  
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8:30 to 5:00 p.m. thru Friday, May 22, 1981  
8:00 to 4:00 p.m. beginning Tuesday, May 26, 1981  
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1966 Corvette Stingray, black/black, hard-top and ragtop, sidepipes, new brakes, '79 305 engine (no pollution), \$6500. This one's a beauty -- a real boulevardier. 971-3934.

## Curiosities

Could have been the champagne.

Mark of Mayflower Salon -- I know it's kind of late but -- Happy Birthday. You're a true professional. Good luck in your modeling career! -- Apple Annie.

JAF--  
My humblest apologies . . .  
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Taci - beep beep beep beep beep. X68

Bob, how are you going to explain to Phyllis why all The Crier women were laughing in the picture?

Dan, I thought the edit team was only supposed to worry about the words, not numbers. Phyllis

SEEC: Great Swiss Steak! Can I have your recipe? Thanks.

Louise Roth needs someone to hold her bass so she can dance at the next Pops Concert.

Happy Mother's Day, Fred.

Happy Carol, birthday.

Happy 7th Birthday JODI FIORENZI.  
Love, Jenny

DICK MILLER helps Ross mow the lawn. Thanks.

DIANE HERBRUCK - likes her new watch. And as soon as she can figure out how to start it, she'll be able to use it.

THERE'S nothing like a fireplace-roasted turkey for mother's day. Thanks, Grace!

JESSICA's using bigger words than Uncle Duke?

Carl thank you for three beautiful years. Happy Anniversary. Love Lucy

Bob -- the scanner's not helping. Any suggestions?

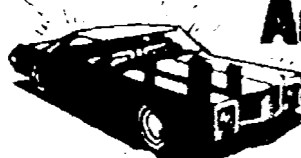
Nancy -- Sorry about the two floods. If it isn't one thing, its another thing. Or, when it rains it pours, I guess.

SS: Just what is a "Strang" thing?  
-Jas Wundrin

I'll make toast for you any morning.

No Lauren, you didn't ruin your image.

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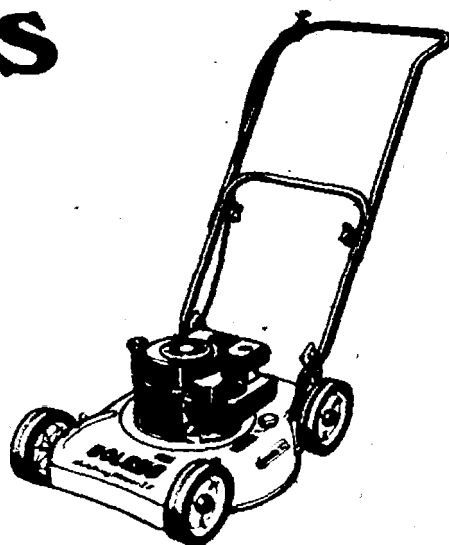
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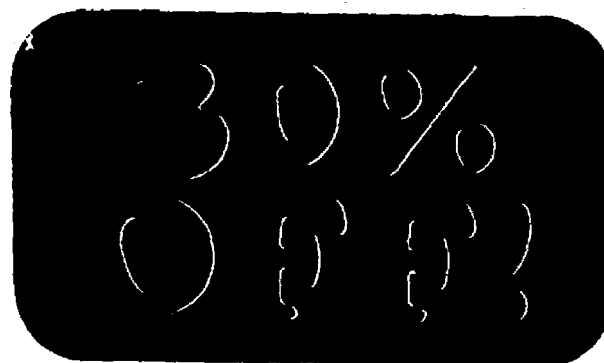


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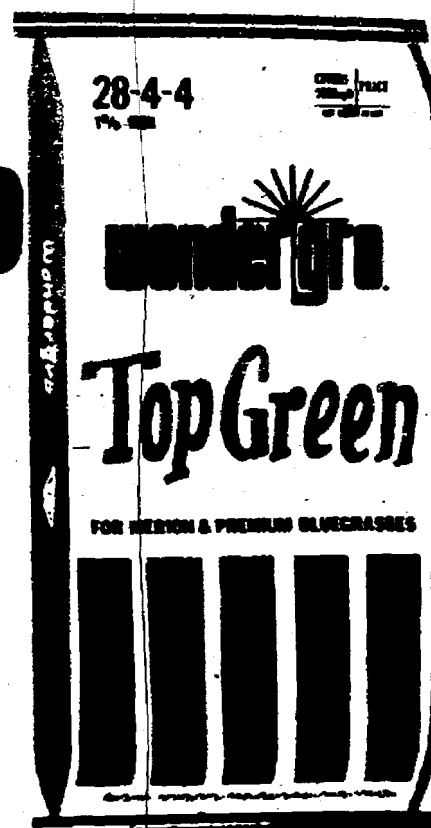
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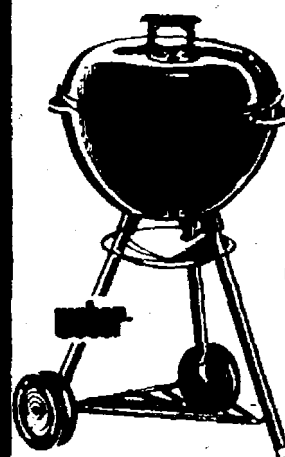


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