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Officials plan for possible airport sale

BY DAN NESS

The affect of Mettetal Airport closing in the community would be felt by many, local government leaders agree.

The airport, a privately-owned facility, has been the target of speculation recently, with sources hinting that the airport property may be in the process of being purchased. The Mettetal family has not commented on any specifics regarding a possible sale of property.

The possible closing of the airport, and alternatives in the event of a closing, have been the topic of discussion between Canton Supervisor James Poole and others, he said.

"It's certainly a benefit to the community from a development standpoint," Poole said. "It's more of a benefit to western Wayne County than to Canton Township."

Poole said that he "had heard" of a possible purchase, but would not comment on specifics. But, if the airport is sold in the near future, Poole has had discussions regarding alternative plans, including the construction of a new airport in Canton.

"We've discussed that with some people and that's still in the planning stages," Poole said. An airport construction project could be funded 95 per cent through state and federal funding opportunities, Poole said. In the event Mettetal Airport is sold and the facility closed to make way for a commercial or residential development, a new airport, if built, would be located in a less residential area of the

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AIRPORT: The community only has one within its borders. That could change in the near future. See page 8.

PREZ: A Plymouth Township woman is into her second term as state president for the League of Women Voters. See page 7.

ARCHIE: He's marched in the last 35 Plymouth Fourth of July parades. You've probably seen him in at least one of them. His story is on page 9.

Bullish on 4-H

Frank Stachowski, 12, of Canton, will be showing his steer at the Wayne County Fair July 21-25. His steer, "Triple B", will be auctioned off at the fair with other

livestock on July 23 at 6 p.m. at the fairgrounds in Belleville. (Crier photo by Dan Ness)

Local 4-H kids prepare for fair

Down on the farm

BY DAN NESS

As the oldest member of the Country Pals 4-H Club leads her horse from the Canton pasture, her mother wipes her brow and describes why the rural-based organization for youngsters is like "one big family."

"They're always there helping each other," says Ida Konopka. "It's really neat."

Her daughter Louise, 17, is the "mother hen" of the Country Pals; this according to one of the younger member's mother. Louise starts to brush her horse, "Sylvia," which she will be entering in competition at the Wayne County Fair July 21-25 in Belleville.

"I've been showing horses since I was six," Louise says. "It's a lot of fun." Ida and Phil Konopke, who live on Cherry Hill Road in western Canton, have raised five 4-Hers. Louise is the last of the immediate children, but Ida already has plans for her grandchildren, she says. "My husband and I are still going to be involved in it. We'll con our kids into getting their kids into it."

"God willing, we'll be involved in 4-

H as long as we can," she smiles.

Ida remembers the days -- and not very long ago -- when there were five 4-H branch clubs in Plymouth-Canton. Now, there are two. "We've seen a drastic change," she says. She's not the only one.

"I used to show rabbits at the fair 20 years ago," recalls Shannon Dixon, of Plymouth Township. "There was more involvement in 4-H back then."

Now, Dixon's two daughters raise rabbits to show in local fairs. Until two weeks ago, the Dixon girls, Jennifer, 10, and Heather, 11, had about 15 rabbits under their care. This week, the rabbit count had jumped to 23.

Jennifer and Heather, both members of the Lucky Bunnies 4-H group, started out raising rabbits about three years ago, Shannon says. "Their Grandma got them a rabbit from the Eastern Market, and pretty soon..."

"We had a group," Jennifer finishes.

The kids have been in love with their rabbits ever since. While bringing their rabbits to fairs to be judged is one of the highlights in rabbit raising, the responsibility that comes with the

animals is something the girls learn early. And the kids aren't the only active participants when it comes to 4-H.

"All of the parents get involved, too," Shannon says.

Joni Stachowski could not agree more:

She and husband, Frank, of Canton, have three 4-Hers raising animals at their home in eastern Canton in preparation for the Wayne County Fair. Frank, 12, will be showing beef at the fair; Eddie, 11, will be showing pigeons; and Joey, 7, will be showing "Emma," his goat, with a little help from brother Frank.

"This is my fifth year at the fair," Frank says, while pulling his steer out of a barn. The county fair judges will be scrutinizing both the animal and the owner in competition, Frank explains. They'll test him on naming the different cuts of meat on the steer, and then they'll take a close look at the animal itself.

"They don't want muscle and they don't want fat," he says, patting the steer on the rump. "I got him when he

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Middle scholars honored

A large number of youths from the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools earned Presidential Academic Fitness Awards recently by maintaining at least a 3.3 grade point average and a score of 80 per cent or better on nationally standardized achievement tests.

Below is a list of the middle school students who earned the presidential award:

CENTRAL MIDDLE -- Raymond Adamski, Andrew Albus, Elizabeth Bain, Jason Behnke, Kelvin Chou, Marisa Conte, Kimberly DeSempelaere, Douglas Fry, David Gruebel, Nayan Hajratwala, Michael Hartmeyer, Kevin Holmes, Julie Huppenbauer, Brain Kraft, Todd Liljestrand, Brett Meik, Colleen O'Neil, Jeffrey Rearick, Stephanie Smith, Kim Strong, Amy Sullivan, Eric Thomas, Michelle Timte, Matthew Walters, Greg Wells, Russell Baker III, Eric Banners, Michelle Barta, Jeffrey Brandenburg, Kathleen Currier, Jeffrey Davenport, Craig Erickson, Paula Hundley, Cheryl Kubisiak, Jeannette Martin, Parul Matani, Matthew Myhrum, Kristen Phillips, Alexander Ramirez, Amy Reid, Carly Shepard, Steven Szydlowski, and Curtis Witthoff.

EAST MIDDLE -- Richard Amos, Brandy Anderson, Leisa, Arndt, Natalie Ayala, Marcella Bacon, Sean Bartolucci, Victoria Behringer, Brent Best, Keith Bielaczyc, Scott Bright, Jennifer Burch, Esther Buzuvis, Frances Chang, Marisa Dersey, Kimberly Douglas, Geoffrey Eisenlord, Stacy Evans, Jennifer Frola, Christopher Green, Tricia Grzeskowiak, John Hoffmeyer, Kelly Klemm, Diane Konarski, Michael Krot, Jennifer Lesar, Andrea Mack, Brian Marion, Daric Morell, Jeffrey Noricks, Dawn Prater, Michael Qin, Kathleen Raven, Melanie Reed, Michelle Rodgers, Scott Rodgers, Sarah Ruete, Geoffrey Saffron, Jennifer Schafer, Rahil Shah, Rebecca Smith, Kristi Stasevich, Michelle Stuber, Amy Syria, Jeffrey Taasan, Kristine Tritten, Tracey Tyler, Laura Uthoff, Gwendolyn Valentine, Steven Wesner, Stephanie Whitehill, Stacie Wichman, Robert Wilson, Scott Wilson, Heather Workman and

Rebecca Wu.

PIONEER MIDDLE -- Megan Adamian, Abha Ahuja, Ryan Bannan, Samir Bhavsar, Eva Felts, Susan Ferko, Christin Flavin, Dawn Gable, Kathleen Gay, Jeffrey Gold, Jennifer Harris, Tracey Harris, Lichun Huo, Tara Kane, Shikha Kapila, Heidi Kaye, Heidi Neuroth, Natalie Nine, Jankhana Patel, Christopher Schmitt, Brian Shu, Suman Vij, Michael Weikert, Nora West, Jeffrey Wright, Gordon Yamazaki and Michele Young.

WEST MIDDLE -- Jennifer Bagozzi, Alysia Barker, Carolyn Boctor, Nancy Boctor, Robin Breed, Sasha Engle, Jennifer Frazer, Valerie Gildhaus, Anne Gilmore, Kristina Gustin, Todd Hachigian, Ulrike Holler, Christopher Holmes, Alissa Huth, Jennifer Kath, Mona Khurana, David Mallon, Catherine McCabe, Patrick McMichael, Jennifer Miller, Keith Mulligan, Heather Murley, Viraj Parikh, Jamie Phillips, Timothy Reger, Nina Riley, Deborah Schultz, Wendy Stuart, Nicole Theodore, Julianne Thomas and Michelle Tomaszyci.

LOWELL MIDDLE -- Resham Batra, Monica Botwinski, Stacy Braun, Sara Broschay, Amy Burbank, Brenda Carey, Carrie Carnes, Todd Cimo, Lorie Cummings, Todd Czerwinski, Alpa Dalal, Jeffrey Day, Sally Dimitryevski, Laura Fanslow, Michael Gee, Michelle German, Loren Givens, Donald Grupa, Amy Hobgood, Rebecca Hrbcek, William Jacobsen, Christopher June, John Kim, Krysti Lazar, Jennifer Luelleman, Michael Malone, Mary Nail, Thomas Noonan, Ronald Orris, Jamie Parker, Manisha Patel, Lisa Phillips, Jennifer Plonski, Laurie Renny, Elizabeth Rickard, Scott Robertson, Terese Rosinski, Brian Rudolph, Kevin Sauve, Danielle Schiavolin, Neha Shah, Brian Sherman, Jill Simmons, Michael Sisson, Dana Scoll, Heather Spencer, Jason Stombaugh, Julie Trullard, Patricia Tsallis, Mark Vandal, Sheri Vandraiss, Richard Wagner, Cynthia West, Michelle White, Steven Wiacek, Brian Wietfield, Shannon Wirth, Candace Woitas and Kim Wong.

Employee of the Month



PHYLLIS LENAGHAN

That cheerful and efficient voice on our end of a phone call to The Community Crier or to COMMA, is often Phyllis Lenaghan. A Plymouth resident, she is one of the publishing company's newest team members. She's also sparking a new circulation push by The Crier.

Phyllis Redfern,
General Manager

W. Edward Wendover
Publisher & Chairman

'Guardsmen' to defend title

Under the direction of Commander Donald Block, the color guard of the Mayflower-Lt. Gamble Post 6695 Veterans of Foreign Wars took first place in the state of Michigan for the second straight year at the Veterans of Foreign Wars Convention held recently in Kalamazoo.

Members of the guard, in addition to Block, are: Robert Nelson, Earl

Hanson, Duane Johnson, Richard Valleau, Charles Minthorn, Sylvester Coil, Burt Shoebottom, John Beacher and Thomas Lester.

The unit, known as "The Guardsmen," will also be defending their Michigan State Fair championship in Septemeber as well as competing in London, Ontario for Canada's "Warrior's Day" that month.

VanGorder leads VFW auxiliary

A group of 14 local women represented the Mayflower Lt. Gamble Ladies Auxiliary 6695 Veterans of Foreign Wars at the annual VFW Convention in Kalamazoo recently. The women were led by President Caroline VanGorder, Sr. Vice President Lorraine Nelson and Jr. Vice President Marion Hoffman of the auxiliary.

VanGorder was honored at the convention by being named All State President for Group Seven of the

auxiliaries in the state. The 312 auxiliaries in the state are divided into eight groups, according to size of each group. VanGorder will now lead state auxiliaries with memberships of 201-300.

VanGorder also brought home seven plaques and 40 citations of merit for having achieved specified goals in various projects.

Auxiliary 6695 recently celebrated its 40th anniversary, with a dinner dance coordinated by Veneta Hornbeck.

Canton home in custody

Woman battles state forfeiture law

BY DAVID PIERINI

A woman who sold her Canton home on a land contract and later had it confiscated when buyers of the home were convicted of dealing drugs, says she wants the new occupants to pay the rent.

The Michigan State Police and the Wayne County prosecutor's office say her investment is 100 per cent secure, but not until state police sell the house.

In the meantime, Shirley Clark, now living in Frederic, continues to pay taxes on the property on Maben north of Ford Road and make payments towards a \$10,000 mortgage.

"As far as I'm concerned the state police own the house just like tenants, and I haven't received a cent," said Clark, who plans to file suit against the state police. "I still have a commitment to the bank. All I want is my equity."

The 1982 Michigan Drug Forfeiture Act allows police to seize property bought by drug proceeds or used in drug trafficking, said George Best, assistant Wayne County prosecutor.

Raymond and Ira Werlinger were arrested last December after state police made an undercover raid and found six pounds of packaged marijuana in the house.

The Werlingers, evicted from the house June 27, bought the house from

a Maine woman who had bought the house from Clark and her ex-husband, Charles Miller of Texas.

A 1985 amendment to the law states that the original owner of the property can contest the confiscation if they prove they had no knowledge that drug laws were being broken, said Sgt. Vernon Reidsma of the Michigan State Police executive division, who worked with lawmakers on the 1982 law and the 1985 amendment.

Clark did contest the forfeiture but is not protected by the amendment because she sold the land contract to the woman from Maine. But she will still get her investment back, Reidsma said.

Best also said the Werlingers were convicted of delivery of a controlled substance, and police confiscated the house under the 1982 law.

Clark said she was dependent on the Werlinger's \$325-a-month payments, which stopped in February, and is worried that the property will sell for less than her \$34,000 equity. The Werlingers only paid \$12,000 toward the \$46,000 land contract price.

But Best said that ridding the township of criminal offenders can only boost property value.

"There's no question the Werlingers
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This house on Maben Road in Canton is at the center of a controversial forfeiture case (Crier photo by David Pierini)

Former Plymouth chief to head schools security

BY KEN VOYLES

A former chief of police of the City of Plymouth will be tapped to head the security force at Centennial Educational Park (CEP) this fall.

Timothy Ford, Plymouth's police chief from 1971 to 1981, will take over as coordinator of district security effective Aug. 24, contingent upon a satisfactory physical examination.



TIMOTHY FORD

Ford was selected from among seven finalists for the job.

He was to have been officially selected at Monday's regular meeting of the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools Board of Education, but the motion was tabled so that the job description could be updated.

"I'm sure he'll be in," said Ray Hoedel, who represented the administration at Monday's meeting. "It's just that the original job description was as chief of CEP security. We want to update that and include the entire school district. So it got tabled."

Superintendent John M. Hoben recommended approval.

"It's a little premature for me to say anything until I take that physical," said Ford. The Plymouth resident said he plans to take a physical this week. "But I'm pleased they think enough of me to recommend me for the job. I'll be extremely glad to be back in the community."

Ford is currently employed as director of security at the Hyatt Regency in Dearborn. Before his current post, Ford also worked at the

Plymouth Hilton Inn as chief of security.

As for his health, Ford said it's "been great the last few years."

Ford will replace Hobert Roark who resigned earlier this year.

The motion to hire Ford will be on the agenda of the July 27 meeting.

Ford is also well remembered for his starring role with Karl Malden in a made for TV movie "Word of Honor" which was filmed in The Plymouth-Canton Community in 1981.

Breen appointed SC board prez

Schoolcraft College Trustee Mary Breen was recently appointed chairperson of that school's board of trustees at the last organizational meeting.

Breen, of Plymouth Township, replaces Michael Burley of Canton, who served as chairperson since 1983. She was chosen unanimously by her fellow trustees.

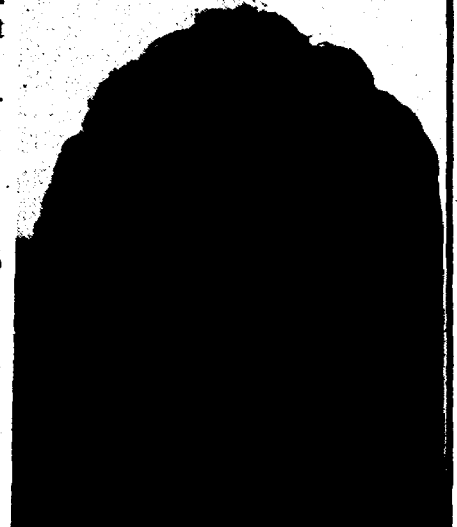
Breen steps into the job well qualified.

Prior to her appointment to the board in 1983, Breen taught 16 years in Dearborn, Wayne, Westland and Livonia Public Schools.

She served as assistant principal for Livonia Stevenson High and Livonia Churchill High, where she retired in 1986.

Breen was also a delegate to the National Education Association's national convention from 1973 to 1975.

She is the wife of Plymouth Township Supervisor Maurice Breen.



MARY BREEN



Public notices

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON BOARD PROCEEDINGS PROPOSED MINUTES JULY 7, 1987

A regular meeting of the Township Board of the Charter Township of Canton was held at 1150 S. Canton Center Road on Tuesday, July 7, 1987.

The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Poole at 6:00 p.m.

Members present: Bennett, Brown, Chuhran, Larson, Padget, Poole, Preniczky.

Larson moved to go to closed session for the purpose of discussing landfill litigation with attorney Berry. Bennett supported.

Unanimously carried.

Larson moved to return to open session at 7:00 p.m. Preniczky supported. Unanimously carried.

The supervisor led the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Roll Call:

Present: Bennett, Brown, Chuhran, Larson, Padget, Poole, Preniczky.

Absent: None.

Agenda:

Remove #5 -- Rezoning Request W. side Canton Center Rd. S. Holmes Dr.

Remove #8 -- Audit of Golf Course.

Add #12 -- Drainage Ditch at I-275 and Koppernick.

Add #13 -- Merit Ordinance Special Election and Election Status.

Add #14 -- Ballot questions.

Move #6 to #1 -- (Farmers Market)

Move #3 to #2 -- (American Auto Parks)

Move #1 to #3 -- (Michitech Center Utilities Agreement)

Move #2 to #4 -- (Gateway PUD and Site Plan)

Larson moved to accept the agenda as amended. Bennett supported.

Ayes: Brown, Larson, Padget, Poole, Preniczky, Bennett.

Nays: Chuhran.

Motion carried 6-1.

Minutes of June 30, 1987:

Bennett moved to approve the minutes of the meeting of June 30, 1987 as presented. Chuhran supported.

Ayes: Chuhran, Larson, Preniczky, Bennett, Brown.

Nays: Padget, Poole.

Motion carried 5-2.

Correspondence:

Padget remarked about a national conference regarding towns and townships. The supervisor commented about the following subjects: Balloon Festival participation by fire and police and Canton promotion. It was requested that Canton's participation in the future be considered on a future agenda. A flooding packet was received, and department report will be given at the next meeting. The 4-H Fair on Venoy Road was announced.

Department Reports:

Director Santomauro stated that he had submitted a cost breakdown for police and fire participation in Country Festival proceedings.

He investigated left-turn indicators along Ford Road between Canton Center and Haggerty and said the answer is a definite "NO."

Supervisor Poole indicated he would notify MIDOT of Canton's disclaimer in the event of accidents in that area, to relieve Canton of liability.

Director Santomauro responded to a question regarding mopeds. They must be licensed, operator must be at least 15 years old and must wear a helmet.

Recreation Superintendent Gouin reported that the property in the vicinity of Sheldon and Palmer would be on the agenda next week for discussion.

Citizens Forum. None.

General Calendar:

#1 -- FARMERS MARKET.

Padget moved adoption of the following Resolution:

WHEREAS, Canton Township annually recognizes the contribution of its farming community to the diversity and vitality of the Township through the endorsement of the Canton Farmers Market, held at the New Towne Plaza Shopping Center on designated dates from July through October, and

WHEREAS, Township endorsement of the Canton Farmers Market is demonstrated by the designation of such activity a special event and the provision of self-insurance;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Board of Trustees (1) designates the 1987 Canton Farmers Market a special event, (2) endorses the provision of self-insurance through the relevant duly executed document, and (3) directs the Supervisor to sign the Use Agreement, which stipulates with particularity the relationships between the signatory parties.

Bennett supported the motion.

Ayes: Preniczky, Bennett, Brown, Chuhran, Larson, Padget, Poole.

Motion carried unanimously.

#2--AMERICAN AUTO PARKS SPECIAL LAND USE & SITE PLAN APPROVAL.

Padget moved that in compliance with guidelines and standards established in the zoning ordinance, and for the reasons stated in the analysis performed by the Director of Community and Economic Development to deny the special land use being requested to accommodate the American Auto Parks proposed development. Chuhran supported the motion.

Ayes: Bennett, Brown, Chuhran, Larson, Padget, Poole, Preniczky.

Motion to deny carried unanimously.

A five minute recess was called.

#3 -- MICHITECH CENTER UTILITIES AGREEMENT.

Padget moved to refer the matter to Community and Economic Development Department and the administration for further review and recommendation. Bennett supported the motion.

Ayes: Brown, Chuhran, Larson, Padget, Poole, Preniczky, Bennett.

Motion carried unanimously.

#4--AMEND PUD & SITE PLAN APPROVAL FOR GATEWAY.

Larson moved adoption of the following Resolution:

WHEREAS, Westledge-Milham Partnership has requested amendment of the PUD agreement to change Parcel No. 10 99 0004 001 from O-1 to C-1, and has requested site plan approval, and

WHEREAS, the Planning Commission has unanimously recommended requested amendment subject to the conditions stipulated at the Planning Commission meeting of May 11, 1987, and

WHEREAS, the Planning Commission has recommended approval of the site plan,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Board grants PUD amendment subject to the stipulations of the Planning Commission at the referenced meeting and approves the proposed site plan and hereby incorporates such site plan into and as a part of the PUD.

Preniczky supported the motion.

Ayes: Chuhran, Larson, Padget, Preniczky, Bennett, Brown.

Nays: Poole.

The motion carried 6-1.

#5--REZONE REQUEST FOR PARCEL LOCATED ON THE EAST SIDE OF CANTON CENTER BETWEEN HANFORD & FORD. JABARA.

Bennett moved to deny the request to rezone from R-5 to RM-1 Parcels 39 99 0012 000, 39 99 0013 000 and 39 99 0014 000 on the east side of Canton Center Road. Larson supported the motion.

Ayes: Poole, Preniczky, Bennett, Chuhran.

Nays: Larson, Padget, Brown.

The motion to deny carried 4-3.

#6 -- CONSIDER 1987 HONEYWELL CONTRACT.

Padget moved to award the 1987 Building Operations and Maintenance Contract to Honeywell, Inc. in the amount of \$38,763.00. Bennett supported.

Larson moved to table the Honeywell contract for one week. Padget supported.

Aye: Larson.

Nays: Padget, Poole, Preniczky, Bennett, Brown, Chuhran.

Vote on the motion to award the contract:

Ayes: Padget, Poole, Preniczky, Bennett, Brown, Larson.

Nays: Chuhran.

Motion carried 6-1.

#7 -- FMCT METER

Brown moved to purchase one (1) Hersey six inch (6") FMCT water meter from Hersey Products for a total expenditure of \$5,235.00. Preniczky supported the motion.

Ayes: Preniczky, Bennett, Brown, Chuhran, Larson, Padget, Poole.

The motion carried unanimously.

#8 -- SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS FEE FOR HAZARDOUS MATERIALS TEAM AND EQUIPMENT.

Brown moved to allow the Canton Fire Department to join the Western Wayne County Hazardous Materials Team Project and fund the special assessment fee of \$1,080.00 by a budget amendment in the fire fund as follows:

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| Revenues: | | |
| Appropriation from Fund Balance | #206-000-699-0000 | \$1,080.00 |

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| Expenditures: | | |
| Contribution-Mutual Aid Assn. | #206-336-950-000 | \$1,080.00 |

Padget supported the motion.

Ayes: Bennett, Brown, Chuhran, Larson, Padget, Poole, Preniczky.

Motion carried unanimously.

#9 -- DISCUSSION ON JOINT PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT WITH MICHIGAN DEPT. OF TRANSPORTATION FOR STORM SEWER PROJECT IN MICHIGAN AVENUE.

Preniczky moved to approve the storm sewer construction agreement with Michigan Department of Transportation concerning joint storm sewer along US 12. Chuhran supported the motion.

Ayes: Chuhran.

Nays: Brown, Larson, Padget, Poole, Preniczky, Bennett.

The motion failed 6-1.

#10 -- RESOLUTION APPROVING THE ENCLOSING OF A NATURAL DRAINAGE COURSE-J. BLOCH PROPERTY -- S. OF KOPPERNICK, N. OF KOSS DRAIN ADJACENT TO I-275 RIGHT-OF-WAY.

The following preamble and resolution were offered by Member Padget and supported by Member Bennett:

WHEREAS, Mr. Bloch of J. A. Bloch and Company has requested approval to enclose a natural drainage course across his properties located south of Koppernick Road, north of the Koss Drain and adjacent to the I-275 right-of-way, for expansion of proposed parking facilities, and;

WHEREAS, The Michigan Department of Transportation re-routed this natural drainage course onto an easement provided to them by the property-owners at the time of the I-275 construction, and;

WHEREAS, The Michigan Department of Transportation requires that the Charter Township of Canton approve of the enclosure because the natural drainage course carries drainage waters from properties within the Township boundaries, and;

WHEREAS, The Michigan Department of Natural Resources has jurisdiction over natural drainage courses and must also approve of the enclosure, and;

WHEREAS, Mr. Bloch will furnish all the necessary engineering studies and plans for Township review and approval;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The Township Board, upon township engineering approval of Mr. Bloch's engineering study and plans, and issuance of a permit by the Michigan Department of Transportation and the Michigan Department of Natural Resources, approve the enclosure of the natural drainage course located on Mr. Bloch's properties, south of Koppernick Road, north of the Koss Drain, and adjacent to the I-275 right-of-way.

Ayes: Larson, Padget, Poole, Preniczky, Bennett.

Nays: Chuhran, Brown.

RESOLUTION DECLARED ADOPTED, 5-2.

#11 -- MERIT ORDINANCE SPECIAL ELECTION -- STATUS REPORT.

Padget moved adoption of the following Resolution:

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton having duly considered the merits of adopting the proposed amendments to Ordinance No. 85 and submitting for a vote to the Township Electors said amendments; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton finds that the following action is in the best interest of the Charter Township of Canton

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that a Special Election for Canton Township be scheduled on September 15, 1987, or as soon thereafter as is approved by the appropriate agency or department of the County of Wayne, for the purposes of voter consideration to said amendments to Ordinance No. 85; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Township Clerk is hereby directed to forthwith prepare and post the appropriate public notices, schedule this election and perform all other statutory duties and responsibilities of the Clerk in a timely manner to effectuate this Special Election.

Larson supported the motion.

Ayes: Larson, Padget, Poole, Preniczky, Bennett, Brown.

Nays: Chuhran.

The motion carried 6-1.

Larson moved to refer the question of legality of the advisory ballot issue to attorney Judd Henning to contact the attorney general office for his opinion. Chuhran supported the motion.

Ayes: Poole, Preniczky, Bennett, Brown, Chuhran, Larson.

The motion carried.

Padget was absent from the room.

#12 - BALLOT QUESTIONS. (LARSON)

Larson moved to ask the attorney to draw up potential ballot language for the upcoming

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special election, to consider a millage question for a recreation center. Preniczky supported the motion.

Ayes: Poole, Preniczky, Bennett, Brown, Chuhran, Larson, Padget.
Motion carried unanimously.

Laison moved and Brown supported to adjourn at 10:40 p.m. Unanimously carried.

Linda Chuhran
Canton Township Clerk

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Plymouth-Canton Community Schools is accepting sealed bids for the resurfacing of the running track at the Centennial Educational Park. Bids will be accepted until 3 p.m. on Friday, July 17, 1987 at the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools Board of Education, 454 South Harvey Street, Plymouth, Michigan 48170. Further information and bid forms can be obtained by contacting the Purchasing Office, at the same address.

BOARD OF EDUCATION
Plymouth-Canton Community Schools
Thomas Rose
Director of Purchasing
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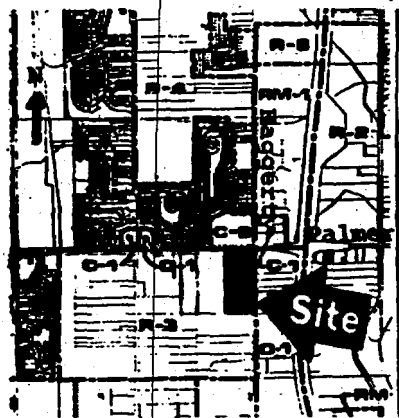
CANTON TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Act 184 of the Public Acts of 1943 of the State of Michigan, as amended, and pursuant to the Zoning Ordinance of the Charter Township of Canton that the Planning Commission of the Charter Township of Canton will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, August 10, 1987, at the Canton Township Administration Building, 1150 S. Canton Center Road at 7:30 p.m. on the following proposed amendments to the Zoning Ordinance.

CONSIDER REQUEST TO REZONE PARCEL 101-99-0001-000 FROM R-3 SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL TO RM-1 MULTIPLE FAMILY. PARCEL IS LOCATED ON THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF PALMER ROAD AND HAGGERTY ROAD.

Planning Commission
Richard Kirchgatter, Chairman
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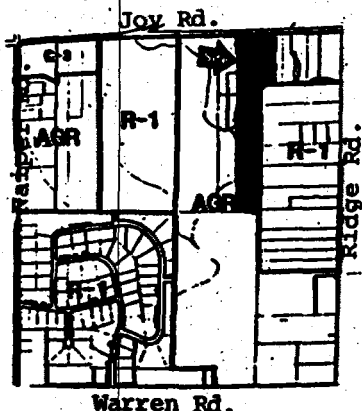
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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON, WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Act 184 of the Public Acts of 1943 of the State of Michigan, as amended, and pursuant to the Zoning Ordinance of the Charter Township of Canton that the Planning Commission of the Charter Township of Canton will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, August 10, 1987, at the Canton Township Administration Building, 1150 S. Canton Center Road at 7:30 p.m. on the following proposed amendments to the Zoning Ordinance.

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Hill's drillers in demand

Stars in stripes

BY T.M. SMITH

For the folks around The Plymouth-Canton Community, 16 men walking down the street in dark suits, red ties and briefcases is a comic treat. Once a year, for the past three, this has been the source of many hoots on Main Street.

But for the millions of people outside of this community, the idea of these men marching in unison is more than comic.

It borders on the hilarious. This is the kind of stuff people in Alabama and Tennessee begin conversations with "Didja here about this group up there in Michigan."

Thanks in part to an article in the Wall Street Journal, and a great deal of ink in the Detroit media, Plymouth's own Briefcase Drill team is currently a hot item.

According to Fred Hill, (aka General Hill, Sir!) he has been barraged with calls and requests for the squad's appearance from as far as Cleveland and Birmingham, AL.

This Saturday, the squad is scheduled to fire up its "Urban Assault Vehicle" and make its second appearance outside of Plymouth, third appearance this year, in the Farmington Parade.

Hill said that 16 of the members will step their wingtips in line sharply at 10 a.m. and strut their stuff for the Farmington onlookers down the three-mile route on Grand River.

Judy Gural, a representative from the Farmington Chamber of Commerce, said she saw the drill team in an article in one of the Detroit papers and "immediately called Mr. Hill" to see if they would march in Farmington.

"I thought it was such a neat idea. It is a wonderful gimmick, and a terrific way to advertise," Gural said.

Hill said he is unsure what exactly it is about the team that warrants stories in the Wall Street Journal, Detroit Free Press, Detroit News, the Ann Arbor News.

"I try to imagine what it would be like to sit and see us walking down the street for the first time," Hill said. "I just can't."

He offered that some of the tremendous comic appeal is the deadpan way the blue-suited members approach the marching.

"The guys have gotten really, really good at it. Maybe it is because the whole thing is so incongruous in nature. The deadpan faces of everyone makes it hilarious," Hill said.

Whatever the reason, people from many areas inside and outside of the state have called to request the Plymouth squad.

"I did a talk show on a radio station from Flint, and I'm scheduled to do one Friday from Detroit, and there have been at least 15 other requests from other places," Hill said.

He likened all the phone calls and publicity as a tremendous compliment to the team and the idea.

"That they call is the biggest compliment of all, and then when they request us to appear in their function that is wonderful," Hill said. "I just feel so bad that we can't march in them."

So, this Saturday if you happen into Farmington and hear the phrase "Doo wa diddy," stop and give a hand to Plymouth's briefcase drill team -- on the road again.

CPD recovers money from lawbreakers

BY DAN NESS

Lawbreakers in Canton are discovering that crime does pay sometimes -- but they will be doing the paying.

The Canton Police Department has been suing to recover money from those people that incur damages to police property during a police call. According to John Santomauro, Canton's public safety director, the department has been "very successful" in doing so.

"Why should the taxpayer pay for vandalism to police equipment Let the perpetrator pay for it."

Santomauro noted that in some instances, restitution to the police department for damaged property is included in the sentence of a lawbreaker. The local courts have been "very helpful" in these efforts, Santomauro said. But, when funds aren't included in a sentence, the department has taken people to court to force them to pay for any damages.

The department's stance comes about in reaction to loopholes in state

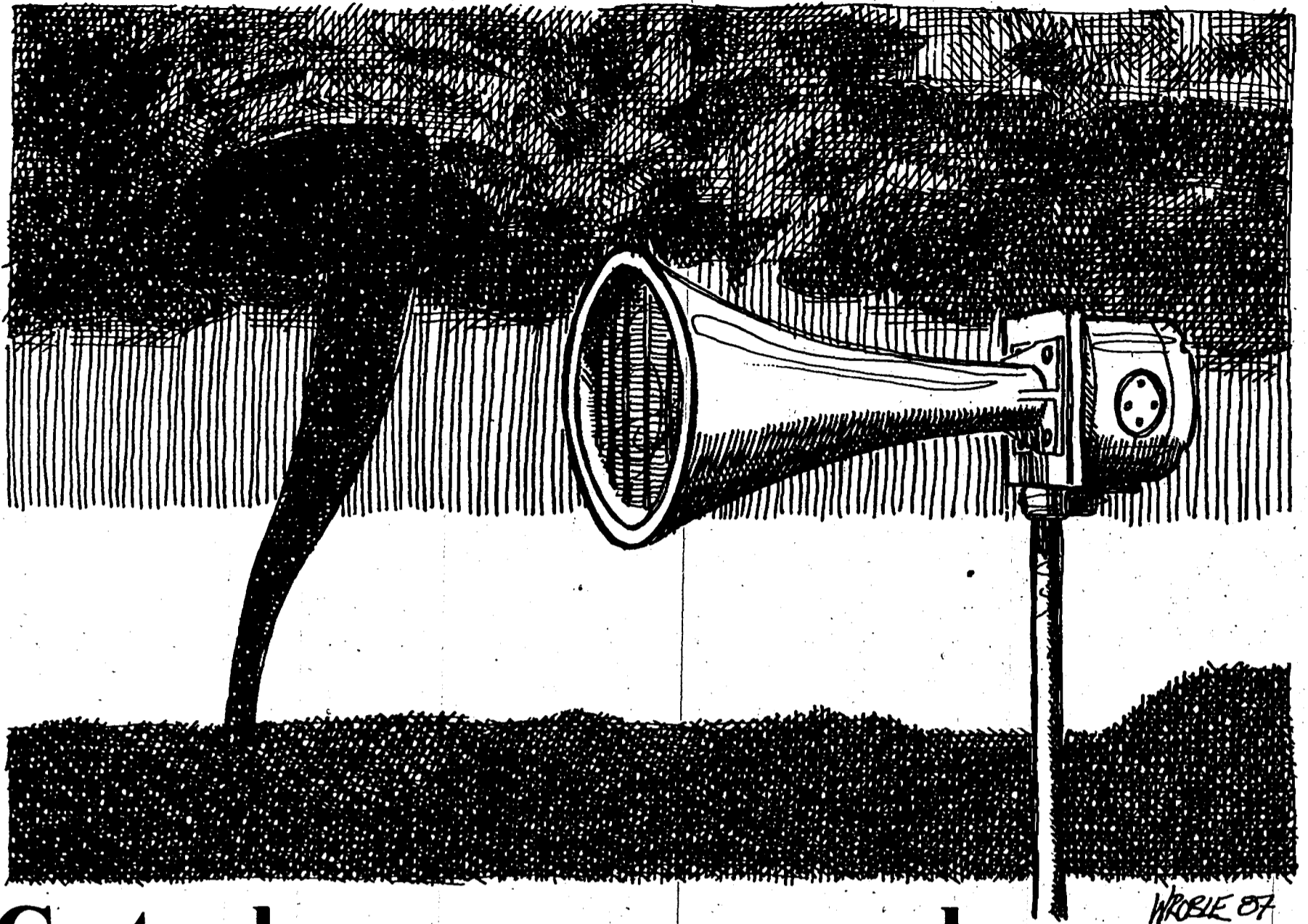
insurance legislation, Santomauro said. "The state does not consider a chase to be a motor vehicle accident, per se, and therefore that instance does not fall under no-fault."

In a recent case, the Canton Police Department filed for recovery of damages incurred during a chase in which a patrol car was damaged. "That person should in fact be responsible for paying for damage, whether it be a car or equipment," Santomauro said.

Even a case of a police officer assaulted during an arrest may result in damage to uniforms or equipment. "It adds up during the course of a year," Santomauro said. A fully-equipped patrol car cost about \$15,000 and a police radio costs about \$2,000 to replace, according to Santomauro.

"We're taking kind of an aggressive stand on this," he said. "The position of my office is that taxpayers should not have to be paying for replacement of equipment or uniforms due to a criminal act."

"We're not writing this off."



Canton has new emergency plan

Canton residents in some parts of the township may hear something they haven't heard in a long time at the end of this week -- a siren.

Canton Public Safety Director John Santomauro said a new emergency preparedness plan for the township is now being implemented. With that plan comes six new sirens.

Until this week, Canton had three sirens to notify residents of drills, fires or tornadoes. By the end of this week, Santomauro hopes to have nine sirens

functioning throughout the township.

"It's our opinion that we'll be more than able to cover Canton with an early warning system now," Santomauro said.

Canton Fire Department Lt. Don Adams will be coordinating the new emergency preparedness plan for Canton, Santomauro said.

Part of the impetus for reorganizing an emergency preparedness plan was the recent tornado disaster that struck a Novi mobile home park, according to

Santomauro. Keeping that in mind, the plan calls for officers to speak at all mobile home parks in Canton to make those residents better aware of the emergency plan, Santomauro said.

"We're going to tailor individual plans for these folks," he said.

Although the federal government requires an emergency preparedness plan for the community, Santomauro said this plan would "go one step beyond" federal requirements, which are often written in general terms. "We're really looking at tailoring the

plan to meet our local needs."

In response to the new plan, an operational command center will also be created, from which public safety officers would direct rescue efforts during a catastrophe, Santomauro said. Township officials, department heads and all public safety personnel will be schooled on the emergency plan.

Two mock drills will be held each year to test the plan, Santomauro said. He hopes to call the first one sometime late this summer.



Plymouth Chamber opens house

The Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce held its official open house Monday at its new location, at 960 W. Ann Arbor Trail Suite 2. Chamber staff and officers are from left: Marti Tousignant, office assistant; Mary O'Connell, executive director; Mary Skinner, membership director; Sharon Holroyde, administrative assistant; Sandra Florek, president. (Crier photo by David Pierini)

White continues Plymouth LWV tradition

BY T.M. SMITH

When Nancy White joined the League of Women Voters in 1969, she did so as a means of getting more information on the group's publications.

In fact, for the first couple of years that she paid her dues to the organization, White says that she wasn't very active.

"I didn't really get active until 1971," White said. She said after that she started to "really get into the issues."

Today, the Plymouth Township resident is probably one of the most active members, going into her second term as president of the League of Women Voters of Michigan.

As the state director of Michigan's League of Women Voters, White's task, as she sees it, is to help inform the people of the LWV's function. Because of the group's name, White says there is often times some confusion for people who are not familiar with the group.

"More than five per cent of our members are men," White said. "I really think the name confuses people. If the name were more general it might help."

White describes the group as an educational arm for people to use as a source on issues and candidates during elections and throughout the year.

She wants it clear that the group is very politically oriented, and seeks debates of the candidates at every level of government.

"We do recommend how people vote. We are a grassroots organization, and, being such, we make recommendations," White said.

"I really do believe in a government for the people, and by the people -- as corny as that sounds," White said.

As the state director, White is also insistent that the group keep current with each and every bill that passes through the legislature. The LWV has people who read each proposed bill and then send it to the appropriate committee of the league to be reviewed.

"I was asked last week what we

(LWV) do in our off season . . . well, I had to tell him that we don't have an off season. We really do go year-round," White said.

Because the league holds these values, and White tends to share those views -- the match seems perfect.

"There isn't one issue that I disagree with, there are so many positions that we have, and I agree with all of them," White said.

That motivation helps White maintain her full-time pace and attitude while earning her volunteer status (no pay).

She admits that it is an "awful lot of work, but I really do enjoy and believe in what I am doing."

There must be some kind of tradition that White is continuing within the Plymouth area. When she was elected to her current post back in 1985, she was replacing another

Plymouth woman who had been the state director for four years before White.

Plymouthite Beverly McAninch was the LWV Michigan President from 1981 through 1985, giving Plymouth the seat for eight years once White concludes her tenure.

"I was very surprised when I was asked, I think it was a coincidence," White said.



Arts (and crafts) in the park

Richard Henicke, left, demonstrates his blacksmith trade at the Plymouth Art in the Park last weekend. At

right, Jennifer Bellis takes a peek at some of the wares being displayed during the annual event. (Crier photos by Damon Smith)

Local officers knew slain Inkster officers

BY DAN NESS

When three Inkster police officers were slain in the line of duty last week, the news hit hard with local police departments.

In some cases, local police personnel had served with some of the slain officers at the Inkster Police Department. Lt. Alex Wilson, of the Canton Police Department, recalled training Sgt. Ira Parker when that officer first joined the Inkster department.

"I was the first partner that he ever had," Wilson said. "You get to know quite a bit about a guy spending 18 hours straight in a patrol car with him. I feel a personal loss in that Parker and I were somewhat close."

"I really feel a deep loss at this time knowing he's dead."

Canton Police Sgt. Gary Griffis also served with the Inkster police, and knew Parker and Officer Daniel

Dubiel, as did Wilson.

Wilson said the entire police department in Canton reacted to the triple killing. "I think the effect that it has is a very sobering effect on the department as a whole," Wilson said. Officers were talking a lot about the tragedy at the department, he said.

"If that were to happen here, that would eliminate one half of one of our shifts," Wilson said.

Canton Public Safety Director John Santomauro said that the department was encouraging the officers to talk about the incident.

"It brings home the dangers police officers face in the line of duty," Santomauro said. "It has a rippling effect on the police community."

City of Plymouth police sergeants Wayne Carroll and Robert Scoggins are now attending a command training school. One of their classmates was

Sgt. Ira Parker.

Plymouth Police Chief Richard Myers said the news of the deaths "was something that strikes us all down. Sometimes, in tough times, the only ones who stand behind you are fellow police officers."

Myers said the news also hit particularly hard because of the proximity of Inkster to Plymouth. "This happened in Inkster, in western Wayne County."

"It could happen in Plymouth, you just pray that it doesn't."

Plymouth Township Police Chief Carl Berry said the deaths also affected his officers, although none of them had any connections to the Inkster department.

"It always has an effect on people when police officers are shot and killed," Berry said.



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Keep Mettetal flying

The Plymouth-Canton Community may lose its only airport in the very near future.

Mettetal Airport, at Joy and Lilley in Canton, has been for sale "on and off" for 20 years, according to one of the owners of the property, Helen Mettetal. Mettetal, along with husband, Marvin, and his brother, Robert, own this prime piece of land on which sits one of the few remaining independently-owned airports in the nation.

An interest in the property for a large commercial development is rumored.

The airport's importance to Plymouth and Canton -- and to western Wayne County as a whole -- cannot be overstated.

As a vital transportation link to the rest of the region, Mettetal Airport is consistently mentioned by local municipal planners as yet another attractive feature of the community when pitching to potential industrial newcomers. Many area businesses use the services of Mettetal. (For example, the typesetting computers which produced this editorial are serviced by a Hastings expert who flies into Mettetal.)

One dilemma here -- this is the private property of the Mettetal family, who are business folk, and as such, entitled to make their own decisions regarding the future of the airport. In fact, they should be credited with having owned and managed the airport towards its success as a part of our community to date.

But what of the future?

Sure, straighten out the Lilley/Joy roads intersection. Even widen Joy Road between Haggerty and Sheldon roads (as the Coventry

Commons East shopping center and Sheldon Center Road are about to open).

But what of air traffic?

This community is much more attractive to business and industry with this facility. The communities with the most to lose without Mettetal Airport -- Canton, Plymouth, Northville, Livonia, and Westland -- undoubtedly realize this, and now must take joint action to save this unique feature of western Wayne County. A coalition of governments working to save Mettetal could, at the very least, generate some viable options for the Mettetal family to consider before selling the property for development other than for air traffic.

Or maybe Wayne County is the answer. Although it's hard to attach much credibility to the county's service levels in the western tier of cities and townships, Wayne County ownership is one potential solution since it currently oversees both Detroit Metropolitan and Willow Run airports.

Another option: State and federal monies may be available for an operation such as this. Local state representatives could help facilitate that funding through their channels in Lansing.

Small airports in Westland and in Salem closed within recent years, making Mettetal even more important. And as air traffic increasingly snarls Detroit Metro and Willow Run, a facility like Mettetal is the best solution.

Steps taken now could lead to a brighter economic future for all local businesses, industries and residents for years to come by saving Mettetal as an airport.

THE COMMUNITY CRIER



Community opinions

At facevalue

By T.M. Smith.



Last lunch

More than a year ago I wrote about an unfounded worry that I would have nobody to eat lunch with. Being the new kid on the block, I had this irrational fear of eating my corn chips and peanut butter and jelly alone.

Today those thoughts seem silly as I sit in this office, planning to get coney dogs with some very good friends.

Tomorrow those same irrational thoughts will probably attack my soul again when I walk into a new office building in Southfield. Today is my last day at The Community Crier. What you are reading is the customary "So long, it's been nice column" we newsroom types write for our last issue.

(It was requested with the customary subtle restraint of the publisher.)

But there is much to do, so rather than a slobbery tear-jerk column of the fine people I met -- I thought it would be easier if I wrote an open letter to the person chosen to replace me.

Baker House revisited

EDITOR:

There should be an addition to last week's "Glimpse At Yesterday" article.

The Baker House is the home in which Norma Baker Cassady was raised. Mrs. Cassady is a charter member (since 1928) of the Plymouth Business and Professional Women's organization, was the owner of Cassady's Fashion Shop (now the Willow Tree) and still resides in Plymouth.

JOANNE H. DELANEY

Thanks YMCA

EDITOR:

Your (the YMCA) runs on Sunday, June 21 were well done, especially the planning of the one mile for the youngsters.

As a father of five (26 to 15 in age); I appreciate the challenge in fitting a wide age range.

Your city and your people gave a clean, warm, friendly and organized impression to me. I have run in over 30 10K's and yours had good spirit.

Hope to run in your event in 1988!

BOB TAYLOR
GROSSE ILE

P.S. Yes, I was third in your over 50 bracket! Perhaps that colors my attitude!

Dear new person:

Welcome to The Community Crier. If you haven't figured it out yet, this is a newspaper.

Because you were not hired yet when I left, and was unable to pass on 15 months worth of knowledge, I thought it would be worthwhile to put some thoughts to paper for you.

First of all, unless things change, you get the desk closest to the office of the boss. I never knew why I got that desk, but I always got caught with my feet up.

It is a nice desk, two of the drawers don't work, but that's not too bad. My files are in the big drawer to the left. I don't know where anything is in there, but I put everything in file folders to make it look better.

The Crier, however, is more about people. The people you work with in the office, and the people you try to get stories from in the street.

Let's start on the street.

I covered Plymouth and Plymouth Township government, police, fire, courts, utilities, elections and the local bingo games. In the spare time did features, special sections and changed light bulbs.

During this tenure I was able to meet a lot of people. You will meet these people too. They are nice people, most of them.

But understand it is their job to make your job more difficult and vice versa. (Still with me) You antagonize them, they antagonize you. Very simple really.

Lots of politicians to meet in this job. Some don't like us very much here at The Crier.

Wait, change that. Most don't like us very much.

That, too, is okay. Sometimes the feeling is mutual.

There are some, however, who make the job very fun. The ones like Linda Langmesser, Liz Barker and Chip Snider who go out of their way to help and make your job easier.

You will meet men like Frank Millington, who puts a spark in your pocket and men like Jim Anulewicz who really know what they are doing.

But enough about them, check the files it's all in there somewhere.

The people at The Crier, COMMA, office are not in the files. They are stored in a place more cluttered, and much more difficult to understand.

But, you'll get to know them. You'll find them all to be friends, all helpful, all....good people. I'd tell you about them individually but close friends should remain private.

Good luck to you and may the force be with you.

Rolling up Main Street

EDITOR:

Well, Plymouth has always been known for rolling up the sidewalks, but now Main Street?

I am a 37-year-old Salem Township resident who was appalled to see downtown Plymouth all cordoned off by adults due to the pressure from kids on weekends.

Most of these kids just want to "cruise" and be with their friends. I am sure there are a few bad apples who've now spoiled a fun time for all. They won't go away, even as adults.

If these kids really want to apply some pressure, boycott the Plymouth area for about three weeks. Then

Archie loves a parade

Dressed to the nines, marching defiantly down Main Street, Archie Depki motions onlookers to the side with a single sweep of his hand.

If he is to lead a parade in proper fashion, he must make sure there's plenty of room for its participants to get through.

And in this same motion, he will wave to the people, many of whom he knows. Occasionally, kids will tease Archie, throwing things at him and calling him names.

Still, Archie marches on. He loves a good parade. A contagious smile confirms this.

Archie recently marched in his 35th Fourth of July parade in Plymouth. He doesn't limit himself to July 4, or the city of Plymouth. No matter the occasion or the city, if he can get to it, he will march in it.

He never asks if he can be in the parade. He is seldom asked to participate. He just gets dressed up and jumps to the front of the parade. In fact, he's marched in so many parades, people look for him. It's just not a parade without Archie.

Archie, 48, is mentally retarded. But his love for people and his country is pure, and nothing could retard his joy.

"It's sort of an occupation to him," said Pat Heckel of Plymouth, a longtime friend of Archie's. "He calls it the big day. I think it's more important to him than Christmas."

Archie runs into the other room and comes back with a photo album. On each page he points to a picture. "There," he says, and smiles.

That picture was when he won a horseshoe tournament back in 1984. The trophy's shine is no match for the shine in Archie's eyes. On the next page, his favorite shot: a picture of him leading the Wayne Memorial High School marching band in that school's homecoming parade.

return for one week spending only silver dollars obtained from a bank.

I would be curious to see if the financial impact is enough to warrant barricades and uniformed manpower. Somehow money surely plays a role.

Too bad some adults lose their memories, but gain a weakness for letting the youth call the shots. Why should the youth be responsible for themselves and their peers in the real world, when they can pressure the adults to do it for them?

Oh well, once the youth have to spend their silver dollars on taxes, they will probably lose their memories, too.

DIANE DUNLAP



In Bold Print

By Dave Pierini

"He likes horseshoes better, but if there's a parade in town, he'll skip out on the horseshoes," says Art Hill, who takes care of Archie at his home in Wayne.

One day, 18 years ago, Archie wandered by Hill's vacuum cleaner and sewing machine repair shop in Wayne.

"He kept coming around and I use to give him odd jobs," Hill said. "I asked him over for supper one day. He came home with me and never left."

Archie lived in Plymouth up until that time. Heckel says Archie use to call her father Mike Toth, a retired Plymouth school teacher, everyday.

"His mother took her own life quite sometime ago," Heckel said. "He found her and called my dad. He said 'mama don't move.'"

How he made his way to Wayne is unclear. There, he is much loved by Hill and two elderly women who help take care of him.

Archie has few words in his vocabulary, making it difficult to express himself. He understands things pretty well, though. Hill and friends help him out.

"He likes the flag, he likes the people," says Hill of Archie's love for parades. Archie agrees with a smile and hearty "uh-huh."

"He says that when he's 50, he'll retire from the parades."

"Maybe," Archie says. "Maybe. One thing...Grand Marshall."

In all the parades Archie's marched in, he's never been the Grand Marshall. Archie lives for parades, and the day he wears the silk sash proclaiming him Grand Marshall, life will be complete.

"At the end of a parade one year, I saw Archie being picked on," Heckel says. "The kids were punching him and calling him names."

"But he got back up and marched on."



Dot the 'i'?

Apparently, Wayne County spells "Territorial" differently than folks in The Plymouth-Canton Community. Not only at this intersection, but also at Ridge and Beck roads, *Territorial* is misspelled. Not ones to call the kettle black, we realize that all purveyors of the printed word occasionally make spelling errors. But, your tax dollars don't pay for this newspaper. (On the other hand the county doesn't circulate its road signs door to door each week.) In any case, maybe Wayne County can correct the signs before residents start to get used to the new spelling. (Crier photo)

Down spouts were not cause of flood

EDITOR:

Surely, Mr. Poole jests!! After attending many of the township meetings on flooding in Canton, it was probably time for him to blame it on someone different. After all, he has taken the heat for so many years.

I do like your idea about dumping the damaged goods on his front lawn. Sincerely, a resident who had his down spouts properly installed, but couldn't contain the flow of water from the streets,

FRANK A. MCMURRAY

Many thanks to all Country Fest folk

EDITOR:

I would like to take this opportunity to express my thanks to every contestant in the Canton Country Festival pet show. Your interest, enthusiasm and care of your pets made this program a very successful event.

A special thank-you to the following judges of the pet show for graciously donating their time: Dawn Constante, Kristen Harrison, Susan Kopinski, Nancy Spencer, Cindy

Stevens.

Also a "tip of the hat" to the support personnel: David Bone, Barbara Tanski, Rick Williams, Canton Township Department of Parks and Recreation Playground Staff.

EUGENE SMITH
Supervisor Canton Township
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WINNER OF THE WEEK



(Winner of the Week is selected by The Crier Editorial Staff without knowledge of the sponsor. Nominations for this honor may be submitted to The Crier Editorial Staff.)

Dora Messacar recently retired as a receptionist for the Plymouth-Canton Schools pupil/personnel services. Messacar worked at the office for 24 years, and was honored with a surprise party of over 100 people in June. Congratulations Dora!

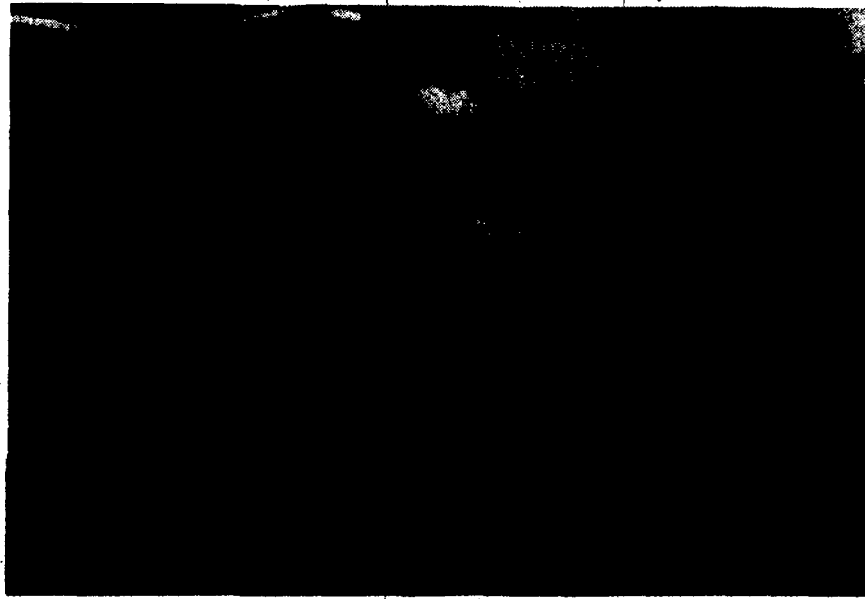


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DeMattia's 10th

The R.A. DeMattia Co. celebrated its 10th anniversary 1st week at its headquarters in Plymouth Township. At left, the Michigan Sesquicentennial Bear greets Mary Breen during the open house on Friday. In the background, are Plymouth Township Supervisor Maurice Breen and Jim Anulewicz, Plymouth Township's director of planning. (Crier photo by David Pierini)

Dixon wins scholarship

Michigan Bell recently awarded John Dixon, of Plymouth, a \$1,000 scholarship as part of the company's new scholarship program. Dixon is a graduate business student at the University of Michigan.

Ten college-bound high school seniors, 10 college undergraduates and five graduate students from throughout Michigan were awarded scholarships.

Students were selected based on high academic standing, demonstrated leadership and career plans which match Michigan Bell's long-term needs, said Marcia Buhl, local corporate affairs manager.

"Through our scholarship program, we hope to attract high-caliber candidates for future management positions with Michigan Bell," Buhl said.

Downtown vandalism

Vandals Monday night busted a glass door outside of Armbruster Bootery, Plymouth police said. Above, Lee Anderson of Plymouth Glass cleans up the broken glass and prepares to put in a new door. (Crier photo by David Pierini)



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Friends & Neighbors

Linda likes clerk's life

BY T.M. SMITH

Linda Langmesser believes she has found her niche with the City of Plymouth.

When she wakes up in the morning and still looks forward to going to the office each and every day it must be "her niche."

"I really do enjoy this job a lot," she says. "I like the people very much and I enjoy what I do."

The desk that Langmesser enjoys arriving to each morning is that of Deputy Clerk with Plymouth City Hall. She has been enjoying that job since 1983 when she was hired as the deputy clerk.

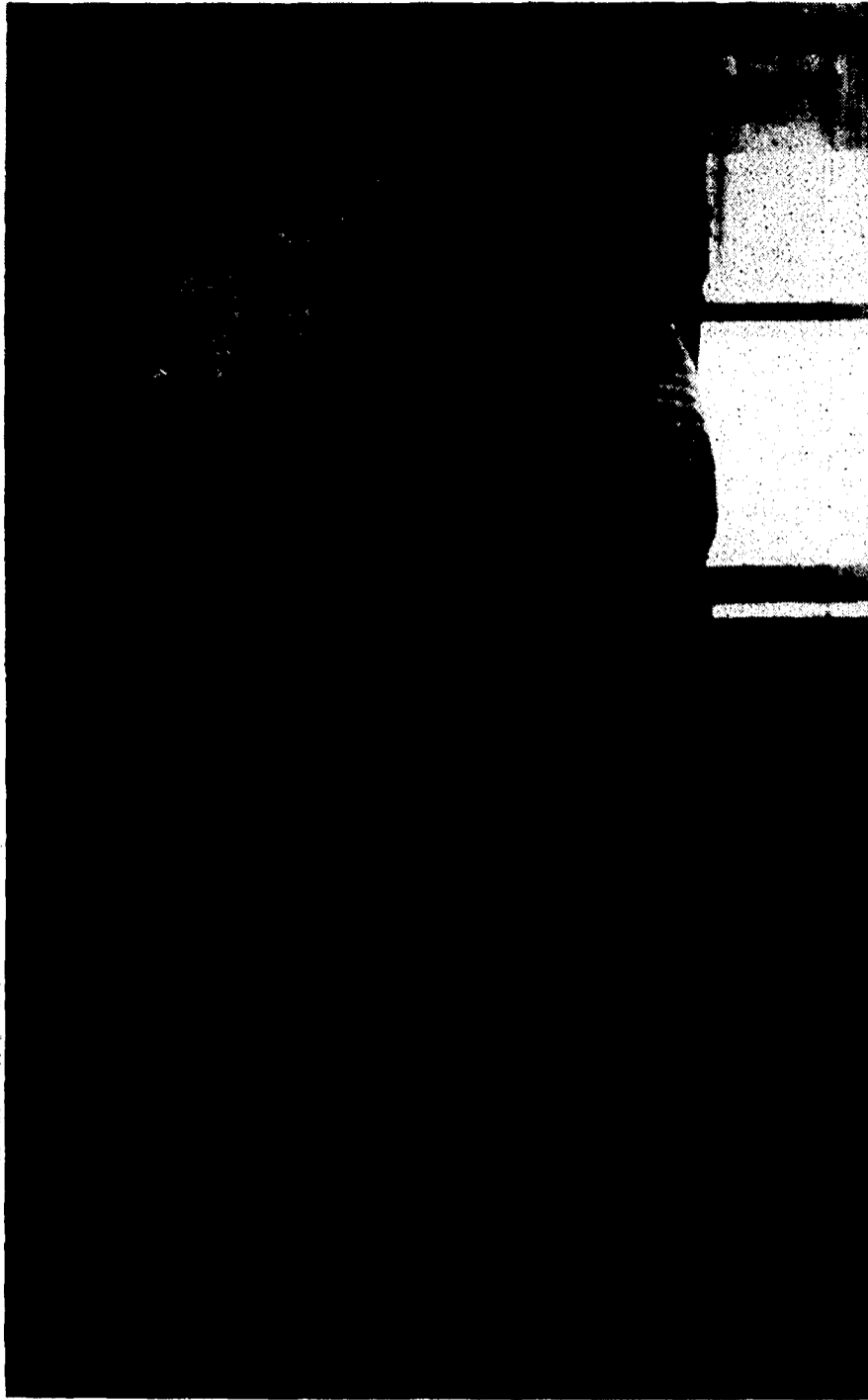
Before that, Langmesser worked in the city halls of Westland and Gibraltar, preparing her for the past four years spent in Plymouth.

The enjoyment Langmesser is able to pull from her position is evident in the way she deals with the people and responsibilities that go along with being deputy clerk.

One of the duties you would think Langmesser would dread might be her election-time work.

She is even the first to admit that "election time is very hectic to me. I put in a lot of after hours and weekends to make sure it goes smoothly," she said.

But she also admits with a grin that "I also get a lot of gratification out of



Finding her niche

Plymouth deputy clerk Linda Langmesser has the task of keeping all the city files and records in order at City Hall. (Crier photo by T.M. Smith)

election time -- when it goes right, I feel good."

It isn't surprising how Langmesser can complete her duties with such efficiency and a smile when she can

enjoy the most hectic time of the year.

With that kind of attitude, her 15-year-old son Frank, who attends Salem High, should be awfully proud of Mom.

VFW installs new officers for '88 post

Newly-elected officers were recently installed for the Mayflower-Lt. Gamble Post 6695 Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Elected for the 1987-88 term are: Post Commander Bob Nelson and Auxiliary President Lorraine Nelson, Post Sr. Vice Commander John Hoffman and Aux. Sr. Vice President Marion Hoffman, Post Jr. Vice Commander Arthur Sidman and Aux. Jr. Vice President Helen Sidman.

Other Post officers to serve are as follows: Quartermaster Paul Holliday, Adjutant Archie Bunch, Chaplain

LeHugh Buzzell, Advocate Bruce Patterson, Surgeon Harry Krumm, Service Officer Edward Stewart, Officer of the Day Duane Johnson, and Trustees Richard Shomo, Earl Hanson and Albert Stanwood.

Also, the following auxiliary officers were elected: Treasurer Eileen Williams, Secretary Veneta Hornbeck, Chaplain Grace Burley, Conductress Thelma Van Buren, Guard Joan Pankow, and Trustees: Edna Statezni, Myrtle Hurson and Caroline Van Gorder.

Auto dealer Massey honored at Madonna

Donald Massey, president of Don Massey Cadillac, of Plymouth, will be recognized with a lifetime membership in the President's Cabinet of Madonna College.

Massey will be presented with a Madonna College medallion at the college's 40th Anniversary Ball to be held at the Novi Hilton July 25.

The medallion will be presented for the first time ever to lifetime members.

The President's Cabinet at Madonna encompasses major contributors who have enabled the college to continue to fulfill its mission of producing higher education based on Christian values.

Through their support, the college has been able to increase scholarships for students, construct additional facilities, offer unique programs and implement a master's program.

The medallions are conferred in recognition of a gift received in cash, securities, real property, life insurance or designation in a will.

Health office opens doors in Canton

Suburban West Community Center, a non-profit independent contract agency funded by the Detroit-Wayne County Community Mental Health Board, opened a satellite office in Canton last week.

The offices, located in a medical complex at Sheldon and Warren roads, provides accessibility to clients living in Canton, Plymouth and Northville.

The Plymouth satellite closed its doors on June 30. All outpatient service previously provided at that location will be given at the new Canton site.

S'craft Foundation raises \$\$

The Scholcraft College Foundation has raised more than a half million dollars and now to includes 551 members it was reported at the Foundation's annual membership meeting last month.

The Foundation Board of Governors also accepted six new endowments -- Jane Moehe (AAUW-Plymouth), Ryan Joseph Woods, Women's Resource Center, Betty and Yale Conroy, Manufacturers Bank, and Anna F. Conley.

In other action the Foundation board also accepted a blue spruce tree from American Rainbow Services of Plymouth.

Five individuals were elected to the Board of Governors for three year terms including John E. Thomas of Plymouth.

Symonds bash

Some \$1,087 was raised Sunday at the second annual Jim Symonds Memorial Scholarship "bash".

Proceed from the event, held at the Side Street Pub, go towards an annual scholarship for students who participated in Plymouth-Canton junior sports. The money raised included \$400 raised from an auction of donated items, said Ken Bakewell, one of the scholarship's organizers.

Tell it to Phyllis

By Phyllis Redfern



Once a kid has lived away from home, things are never quite the same. All those years you spent teaching them to be independent paid off when they were out on their own, but it can be a pain in the neck when they're home for the summer.

There's no doubt that I love having the kid home, and although I didn't tell her, I was glad she didn't find a job at school for the summer. It's fun having a little more activity around the house. So what if I have to fight for the shower every now and then?

The day she moved home was like an invasion. Suddenly boxes and piles of junk appeared everywhere. The big double counter in the bathroom is hidden somewhere under hair spray, make up and kleenex.

It didn't take long before I noticed clothes disappearing out of my closet. I actually considered putting a lock on the closet door, but with my luck I'd lose the key and she'd find it. I realize she needs more clothes for work, but then so do I.

My one and only car has been the subject of more than one discussion this summer. I don't mind her borrowing the car sometimes, however since it is my car, my schedule comes first. The old bruise on my knee is back again, and I'm convinced the kid is mentally incapable of learning how to move the seat back.

Since neither of us are morning people, we're better off driving to work in silence. Banging my knee as I get in the car doesn't usually do much for my mood. Being blasted by loud atrocious music when I start the car is just wonderful. Then to discover that all the buttons on my car radio have been changed to all of her favorite stations is enough to put me right over the edge. Who does this little twirp think she is?

The kitchen has been declared a disaster area since the day she came home. It amazes me how one person can make such a big mess, then walk out of the kitchen complaining that there's nothing in the house to eat.

She has a lot of nice friends and I enjoy talking to them -- even when it takes four or five rings to run in from outside or dash upstairs to answer the phone. More than likely the kid isn't home, but I love those times when I break my neck to answer the phone and there she is sitting three feet from the thing reading a book.

The other kid is almost as bad, but I attribute his sloppiness to the fact that he hasn't lived away from home and had to deal with a roommate yet. It's too bad their mom never taught them how to hang up their clothes and take care of their things.

I wonder if it would help if I took pictures of the mess to remind me so I won't be so lonesome this fall when they're both away at school learning how to clean up after themselves.

Kerry Bogater of Canton is coordinating the 1987 "Fox Hunt" (a bachelor auction) to benefit the Muscular Dystrophy Association. Guaranteed to be a fun evening, the event will be held Thursday, July 16 at the Novi Hilton. Tickets are \$12.50 at the door.

HMO Seminar

The Canton Seniors, in cooperation with Catherine McAuley Health Services, will present a panel of representatives from four major Medicare HMO's (Health Maintenance Organizations) on Monday, July 27.

Each of the Medicare HMO's will present a brief program, followed by question and answer sessions.

The program will begin at 12:30p.m.

in the Canton Recreation Center at Michigan Avenue and Sheldon Road.

The program is free, and no reservation is required.

Refreshments will also be served.

The HMO's include McAuley Medicare, HAP (Health Alliance Plan), Select Care and Health Care Network.




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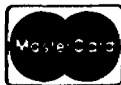


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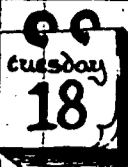
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NORTHVILLE MOOSE

The Northville Moose club will be hosting its annual picnic on Sunday, July 19 from noon to 6 p.m. at Hines Park, Northville Road and Six Mile Road. All Moose members welcome. Meat is being provided and a dish to pass is optional. For information call 344-0920.

SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBERS

On Tuesday, July 21 at 1 p.m., in the Dunning-Hough Library, local parents will be able to apply for their children's Social Security number. Applications now available, or they can be filled out on the 21st. Birth certificate plus another piece of ID (report card or medical record) needed as well as parent's picture ID. For details call 453-0750.

FATHERS AND EQUAL RIGHTS

The Fathers for Equal Rights group will meet on Aug. 5 at 7:30 p.m. in the Livonia Library, 32901 Plymouth Rd. This is an open meeting. Call 354-3080 for information.

DISTRICT SIGN-UP

Parents can sign-up their children for Social Security numbers through the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools. For more information about applying for a Social Security number call 1-900-410-INFO.

CRICKET REUNION

All past and present Canton Crickets, their families and friends, are invited to the Cricket Reunion Picnic on Friday, July 31 at the Griffin Park Gazebo. To be held from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Picnic lunch and drinks provided. Games, prizes and surprise guests. For more information call 397-5110.

MAIL-IN REGISTRATION

Through July 24 local residents can mail-in registrations for Schoolcraft College fall classes. For further information or a copy of the fall schedule call 591-6400, t. 217.

PARADE AWARDS

Awards for the winners of the Plymouth Jaycees July 4th parade will be presented at the July 23 general membership meeting.

JESUS I LOVE YOU

"Jesus I Love You," will be the theme of this year's Vacation Bible School at Canton Calvary on July 20-24 from 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Open to children from three years old through the eighth grade. Games, snacks, awards, crafts, clowns and more. For further details call 455-0820.

TOASTMASTERS MEET

Toastmasters improve one's performance in communicating with others. Join The Oral Majority Toastmasters Club meeting next Tuesday, at Denny's, 39550 Ann Arbor Rd. at 5:45 p.m. Call 455-1635 reservations and details.

ROMP GROUP MEETS

The next meeting of ROMP (Recovery of Male Potency) group is Aug. 20 at Annapolis Hospital at 7:30 p.m. No ROMP meeting planning in July.

BREEDERS WORKSHOP

A daylong workshop on the Standardbred racehorse for breeders and owners on Sunday, Aug. 2 at Schoolcraft College. Registration and a catered lunch is \$30. Senior citizen's fee is \$15. The workshop will be held from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Call 591-6400, xt. 409.

MEDICARE FORUM

The Canton Seniors, in cooperation with Catherine McAuley Health Services, will present a panel of representatives from four major Medicare HMO's (Health Maintenance Organizations) on Monday, July 27 from 12:30-3 p.m. at the Canton Recreation Center on Michigan Avenue. There is no charge. Refreshments served. No reservations required. Call 397-1000, ext. 278.

CRIER TENNIS TOURNAMENT

The Plymouth-Crier Tennis Tournament is set for Aug. 7-9 at Centennial Educational Park (CEP). Open to all ages. Cost is \$4 per person, per event. Deadline to enter is 4 p.m. Aug. 4. Call the Plymouth Parks and Recreation, 455-6620, further details.

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BLOODMOBILE COMING

The American Red Cross Bloodmobile will be at the Plymouth Elks Lodge 1780 on Wednesday, July 15 from 2-8 p.m. for anyone wishing to donate blood. Call Boyd Sjafter at 459-2206 for a specific time, or just drop by. The Elks Lodge 1780 is located at 41700 Ann Arbor Rd., in Plymouth.

SUPERSTARS

The 8th Annual Youth Superstars contest, sponsored by the Canton Parks and Recreation Department, will be held Saturday, July 18 with pre-registration beginning at 9:30 a.m. The contest, which is free of charge, will be held at Griffin Park, Sheldon Road entrance. The contest is open to age groups nine and under, 10-12 and 13-15 for both boys and girls. Call 397-5110 for more details.

SELECTING A COLLEGE MAJOR

Schoolcraft College will offer an information program, "How to Select a College Major," for adults on Monday, July 20 from 7:30-9:30 p.m. in the Waterman Campus Center. The program is free and open to the public. Call 591-6400, ext. 312 for further information.

SEARCH FOR SENIORS

The Michigan Office of Services to the Aging is seeking nominations for this year's Senior Citizen of the Year Award. The deadline to submit a nomination to the office is July 31. Winners are feted on Senior Citizens Day at the Michigan State Fair and are paid other tributes during the year. Application forms are available at any of the state's 14 Area Agencies on Aging. Or call the main office in Lansing at 517-373-0049.

BREATHERS CLUB TO MEET

"Keeping Cool -- Relaxation Exercises," will be the topic of discussion at this month's Breathers Club, a support group for chronic lung disease patients sponsored by the American Lung Association. The group meets at 7 p.m. Thursday, July 16 at St. Mary Hospital in the auditorium. The club meets regularly on the third Thursday of each month. For information call 559-5100.

BUSINESS CONNECTION

The July 15th (Wednesday) Business Connection, sponsored by the Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce, will be held from 5-7 p.m. Cost is \$5 for members and \$7 for non-members. The event is a chance to meet and mingle with other business people from the area. There will be a cash bar. For reservations call the Northville Community Chamber of Commerce at 349-7640 by Monday, July 13.

MORE DISCOVERY DAYS

The New Morning School on Haggerty Road, a pre K-8 parent cooperative school, will host a third and final "Discovery Days" program July 24 through August 7 on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays at either 9 a.m. or 11 a.m. The program is an enrichment session with classes in arts, science, cooking and math. Open to ages three to 14. Call 420-3331 for details.

MADONNA REGISTRATION

Registration for the fall term at Madonna College will continue now through Sept. 4 in the Administration Building from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Transfer students welcome. Associate, bachelor and masters degrees offered. For information call 591-5052.

PLYMOUTH HIGH REUNION

The Plymouth High School Class of 1947 is having its 40th class reunion on July 18, 1987 at 6 p.m. in the Plymouth Elks Lodge, 41700 Ann Arbor Rd. Members of previous or following years and friends are welcome. Call 453-6178 or 453-3948 for reservations or information.


FOLK & BLUEGRASS FESTIVAL

The 11th Annual Folk and Bluegrass Festival will take place from 1-9 p.m. on Sunday, July 26 at Ford Field in Northville. Donations are \$6, \$3 for senior citizens and \$1 for children under 12 years. Infants free. A raffle will be drawn. Sponsored by The Gitfiddler in Northville. Refreshments available. Call 349-9420 for further details.

SPACE CAMP COMING

New Morning School will host a second, one-week "Air and Space Day Camp," presented by the Living Science Foundation of Novi during the week of August 17-21. Open for youths ages five to 11. Registration deadline is July 17. Call 420-3331 for information.


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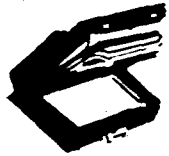
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Getting down to business

Crystal Bakery rich with tradition



Worker Beth Davis and Crystal Bakery owners Andy and Menka Saveski display a small sampling of goodies that has made their bakery successful (Crier photo by David Pierini)

BY DAVID PIERINI

At the corner of Ford and Canton Center Road, family tradition is rich -- and so are the bake goods.

Andy and Menka Saveski both come from a long line of bakers, a heritage that can be traced back to 19th century Yugoslavia.

Step inside the Crystal Bakery in Canton's Kennedy Plaza any morning of the week and choose one of 10 different croissants with your morning coffee. How about some raspberry pastry sticks, a strawberry Napoleon, or a conollie or two.

For lunch, have a sandwich made with marble bread, a seedless mixture of pumpernickel and rye.

Need a cake for a particular occasion? The Saveskis make their cakes from scratch and use only a smooth buttercream icing. But before desert, the Saveskis can supply the dinner, a honey-baked ham.

"There isn't a bakery shop that makes all that we make," said Andy. "Bakery shops usually have a couple of cakes, pizza and some pastries. We make everything: pastries, tortes, cookies, cakes, breads and if we don't have it, we'll make it on request."

Crystal Bakery opened up in October of 1986 just a few days before Halloween. The Halloween cookies

they made were fast sellers, and business has been "pretty good" ever since. Even catering services call on the Saveskis.

The Saveskis liked Canton's growth potential, and like their current location because they are near many different cities. They attract customers from all over, too.

Steve Ritchey is a regular customer. He hasn't tried many of the European pastries yet. His order is a simple one.

"They make the best chocolate chip cookies," Ritchey of Westland, said. "This is the only bakery I go to."

Fresh trays of kolachkis are brought out. They sit next to the New York cheesecake with pineapple. Just below the cheesecake sits the seven layer sister, a seven layer torte with milk chocolate between each layer.

Cookies of all kinds, angle wings, pretzel pastries and flying saucers are just some of the items that can be purchased. Tradition guarantees the quality.

"I have a son and two daughters," said Andy, who excuses himself. There are four wedding cakes for the next day that must still be made. Even as owner -- working 70 to 120 hours a week -- he has his hands in everything.

"The kids will probably help out," Menka said. "But I hope they study to be lawyers or something."

People in Business

Carol Brandon has joined the R.A. DeMattia Company as an executive secretary. The R.A. DeMattia Company is a design/build general contracting firm headquartered in Plymouth.

Brandon will be responsible for administrative support to the sales and marketing departments.

Brandon holds a certificate in office communications from Central Michigan University.

Dwayne Wood has been named chairman and CEO of Fingerle-Hollister-Wood Lumber Company, in Ypsilanti Township. Also promoted were Nelson Wood, to president and general manager, and Jim Thorburn to vice-president and sales manager.

James Graff, of Northville, has been promoted to vice president and general manager of Metal Building Erectors, Inc. in Plymouth. Metal Building Erectors is a full-service steel erection company.

Graff will be responsible for the total erect and furnish/erect operations of the firm.

Graff, who joined the firm in 1986, holds a bachelor of science degree from the University of Missouri.

The Plymouth Rotary Club recently awarded Vocational Scholarship Awards to four high school students from CEP.

Tom Dickinson, who works for the flight service station at Willow Run Airport, hopes to become an aircraft technician and/or pilot instructor. He is in the auto mechanics program at CEP. He received a \$1,500 scholarship from Rotary.

Sarah McIntosh, who has a commercial arts background, plans on entering the field of interior design. She received a \$1,500 scholarship.

Kim Fisher, who is in the dental technician program at CEP, plans on becoming a dental technician. She received a \$500 scholarship.

Renee Houser, a culinary arts student at CEP, is looking at a career in the culinary field. She has competed in state and regional culinary competitions and received statewide recognition. She also received a \$500 scholarship.

The judges from Plymouth Rotary included Doug Swatosh, John Folino and Duke Morrow. Judges representing CEP were Chuck Bridges, Dan Chrenko, Fred Libbing, Donna Stevens, Maggie Niemec and Harold Gaertner. The scholarships are funded

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Bike round-up

Two-wheeled rodeo comes to Canton

Kids in The Plymouth-Canton Community will get a chance to prove their skills on bicycles this Saturday when police from the City of Plymouth and Canton host a bike rodeo.

The rodeo is scheduled to begin at 11 a.m. this Saturday at Main Street Baptist Church, located at 8500 N. Morton Taylor in Canton.

Sgt. Bob Scoggins of the Plymouth Police said that the rodeo should last about two hours and is open to any and all children in the community. He said it gives the police a chance to register the bikes and lets the kids show off a little.

There will be a contest for the best decorated bike, with ribbons to the winner, along with three riding events that will be non-competitive. Scoggins said there will also be refreshments available.



Northville plans for Bluegrass Fest.

It's time for Northville's 11th Annual Folk and Bluegrass Festival on Sunday, July 26, to benefit the fight against Huntington's Disease.

This year's festival is sponsored by The Gitfiddler, Budweiser and M-Care Health Center.

The festival starts at 1 p.m. and runs to 9 p.m. at Ford Field in Northville.

The performers this year include Josh White, Jr., Joel Mabus, Hot Grass,

Mustards Retreat and Michigrass, Phoenix, Neil Woodward and Motor

City Grass.

This year's raffle grand prize is a \$1,000 Taylor handmade guitar, along with other prizes.

The minimum donation is \$6 for adults. Senior citizens get in for \$3 and

children under 12 for \$1. Infants in arms get in free.

Food and drink is available, or individuals can bring their own.

This year's festivities is in memory to Woody and Marjorie Guthrie.

RSVP

The Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) of Wayne County invites potential volunteers to the next free training for tutors in August.

The session will include discussions on how volunteers can help others learn how to read.

The RSVP program is for volunteers 60 or over. For information call RSVP at 883-2100, ext. 367.

The training will take place Aug. 10 and Aug. 13-14.

Toastmasters offers 10-week seminar

A 10-week public speaking seminar is being offered by The Oral Majority Toastmasters Club of Plymouth.

The program, which begins on Aug. 11, is Toastmasters International's Speechcraft, a professionally designed seminar presented by clubs throughout the world.

Participants learn the fundamental skills of public speaking developed by Toastmasters International. It will be presented in the setting of The Oral Majority's weekly dinner gatherings.

The focus of Speechcraft is directed at people seeking achievement and interested in self development.

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Canton home in State Police custody

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used the house to do business," Best said. "We've removed a public nuisance, which should help property value."

The house was recently put up for sale by Century 21 and listed at \$47,000, Best said.

"We're fixing the place up, we're paying the insurance, we're paying the Realtor, we're taking care of everything," said State Police Lt. John Shewell. "We will pay her as soon as the house is sold. We have nothing

against her."

As far as Clark is concerned, she said she feels like she's being punished by the law and doesn't know where to turn.

Senator Jerome Hart, D-Saginaw, who co-sponsored the Michigan Drug Forfeiture Act with Senator Harry Gast, R-Benton Harbor, said he and Gast will look into the Clark case and two other similar cases currently at the court of appeals stage.

If necessary, Hart said he and Gast will introduce an amend bill that will

protect people like Clark who claims her house was wrongly confiscated.

"If there's something wrong, we'll do something about it," Hart said. "We didn't realize something like this could happen when we passed the act. We can't do anything about it until

September."

If the house is sold, Clark will get what she put into it, Shewell said. The rest of the money would go to a special drug enforcement enhancement fund, which is currently being used to ready the house for sale, Shewell said.

What if Mettetal closes?

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township, Poole said.

Poole noted that there could be benefits to the airport closing -- a substantial development paying the Mettetal to sell the property would be welcomed by them, and there have been complaints from residents who live near the airport regarding airplane traffic noise -- but added that a large commercial/residential development could also be cause for resident complaints.

Plymouth City Manager Henry Graper said it would be "most unfortunate" if the airport were closed. "It's very important to the area, and I hope the townships realize that because they have more control over the land" than the City does, Graper said.

Although the airport does not serve

a large industrial benefit to the City, many residents use the airport for private flying, Graper said. And, executives flying into the area for business would also prefer that Mettetal Airport remain open, he said.

"A lot of times they don't want to drive all the way to Ann Arbor or Pontiac" to fly out, Graper said.

Neither Plymouth Township Supervisor Maurice Breen nor Canton Community and Economic Development Director David Nicholson could be reached for comment.

Poole said that the township's economic development corporation (EDC) board had not been notified of any requests for financial assistance for a possible development on the Mettetal Airport property.

People in business

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Christine Beaty has been promoted to the position of plant administrator for the Adistra Corporation, of Plymouth. Beaty had been a production control coordinator.

Adistra specializes in computer services, program administration, graphics and distribution services.

Dr. David Kotcher, manager-personnel of American Yazaki Corporation, of Canton, was a keynote speaker at the annual Michigan Personnel Directors Council recently.

Kotcher spoke on Japanese management methods and how they can be applied to U.S. businesses as well as to the public sector.

Kotcher, of Canton, has studied Japanese and international work trends for over eight years. He has had articles published on comparative business systems.

Tim Orr, of Farmington Hills, has joined the R.A. DeMattia Company, a design/build construction firm headquartered in Plymouth, as a project superintendent.

Orr will be responsible for coordinating subcontractors and overseeing major construction projects throughout the country. Orr holds a bachelor of science degree in building construction management from Michigan State University.

Thomas Durkin, of Plymouth, was awarded the Rairfeisen Certificate of Achievement by the Michigan Credit Union League (MCUL). Durkin serves on the board of directors of Unisys Federal Credit Union in Detroit. Durkin was one of only six individuals in the state to complete the Volunteer Achievement Program (VAP).

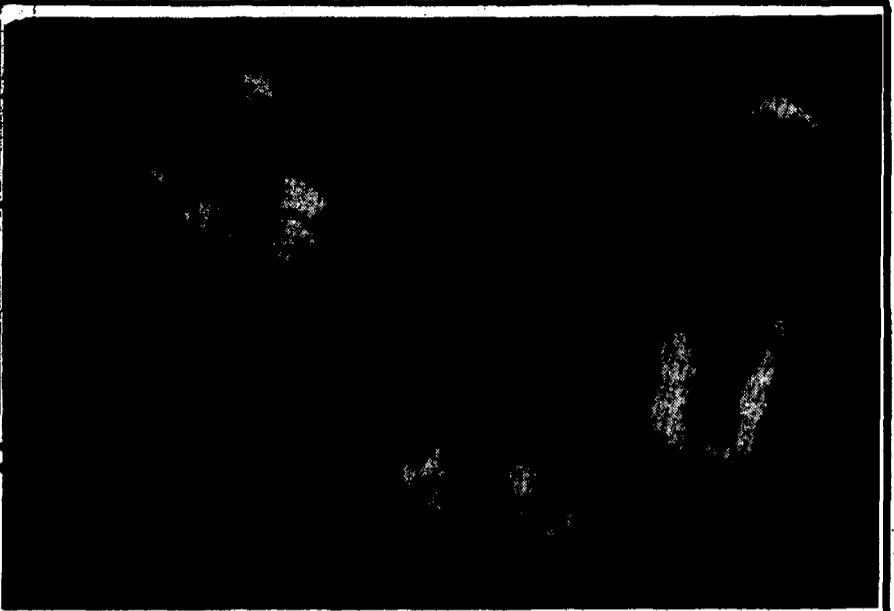
Kerry Weber has joined the R.A. DeMattia Company as marketing coordinator. The R.A. DeMattia Company is a design/build general contracting firm headquartered in Plymouth.

Weber will be responsible for many of the firms marketing and promotional activities. Weber holds a bachelor of arts in communications from Michigan State University.

Frank McMurray, of Canton, was recently elected president of the National Association of State Farm Agents. McMurray owns McMurray Insurance in Canton.

David Dowler, of Farmington Hills, has joined the R.A. DeMattia Company as estimator. The R.A. DeMattia Company is a design/build contracting firm headquartered in Plymouth.

Dowler will be responsible for the estimating of construction projects throughout the country. Dowler holds a bachelor of science degree in building construction technology from Purdue University.



Lucky Bunnies

From left, members of the Lucky Bunnies 4-H club with their rabbits: Patrick and Andy Newland, Heather and Jennifer Dixon, and Emily Newland. (Crier photo by Dan Ness)

4-Hers prepare for fair

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was about 350 pounds. I paid for him with my own money and paid for all of his feed."

Now, Frank's entry at the state fair weighs more than 1,000 pounds, and will weigh more by the time the judging and auction takes place next week.

The fact that a 12-year-old paid for his own animal and the cost of feeding it is one way 4-H teaches youngsters to be responsible, Joni says. "They're not sitting around," she says. "He's paying for his own feed -- we don't pay for it." Frank worked loading trucks for his father to pay for his animal, she says.

The hard-work ethic runs throughout the membership of the

local 4-H clubs, Joni says. "They're great kids. The older ones look out for the younger ones. They make the Waltons look like a bunch of hoods."

"There's a closeness in this club, I can't even explain it," Ida Konopka says. And that closeness extends to the parents of 4-Hers.

"We've met so many friends through 4-H," Ida says. "When I lost my mother to cancer, boy, Joni (Stachowski) was right there helping us."

That type of caring for each other is enough to convince Ida that her involvement with 4-H has been more than worthwhile. "It seems that no matter what we do or where we go it will involve kids and animals."

Livestock auction

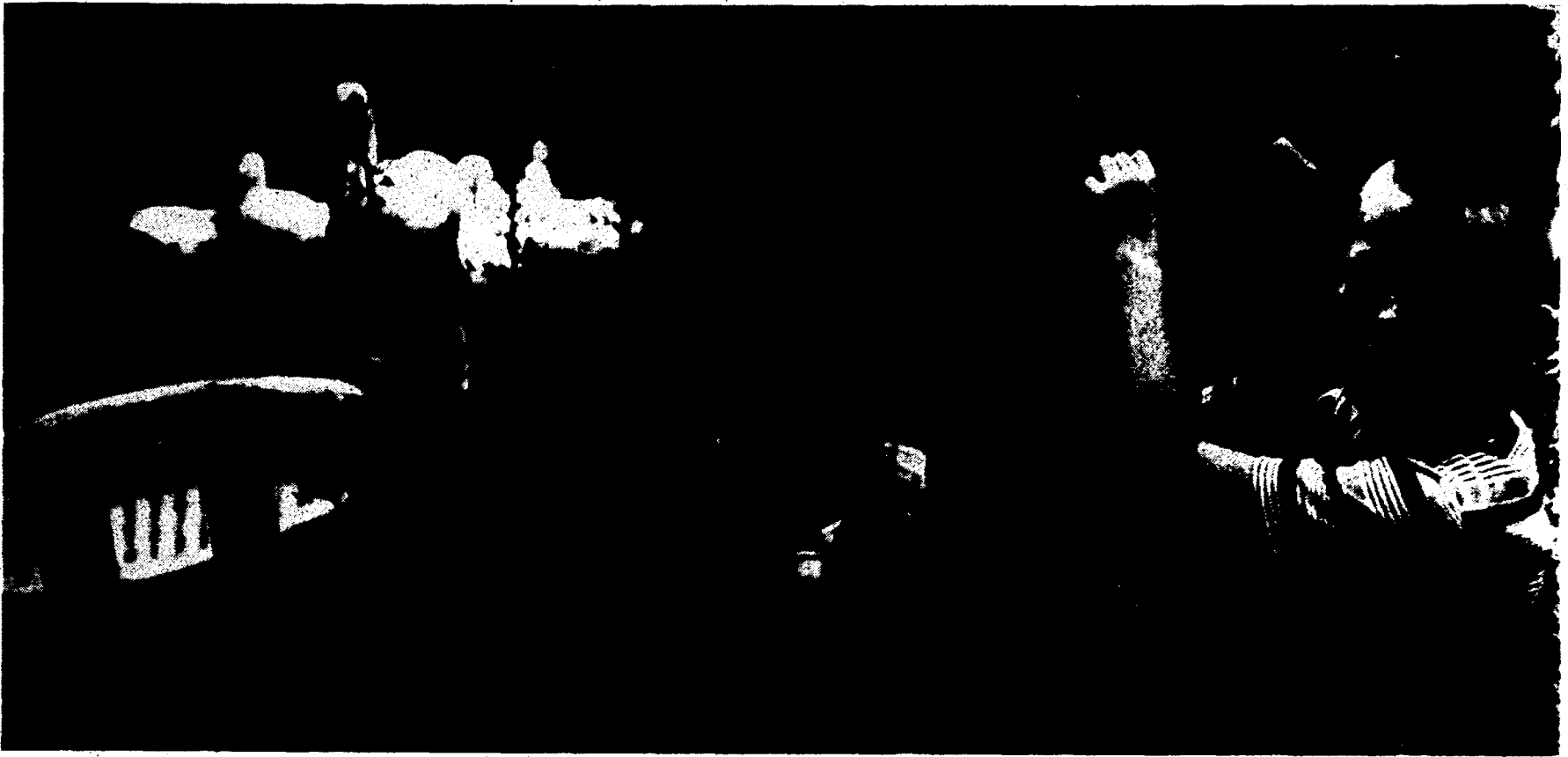
Several local youngsters will be involved in the Wayne County Fair July 21-25, whether it be in showing sheep or tomatoes, or having ceramic creations they've made judged.

During the fair, auctions will be held to sell the livestock and poultry the kids have raised over the last year. Bidders and buyers are always needed at county fair time, according to the local 4-Hers.

"They've worked hard all year long with these animals," says Ida Konopka, a 4-H leader. "Buyers will be getting good quality meat, and the price is really good, too."

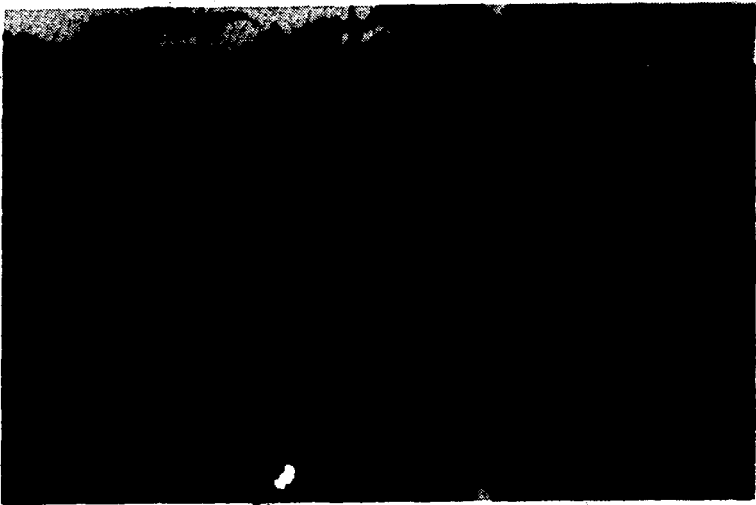
The 4-H Livestock Auction will be held on Thursday, July 23 beginning at 6 p.m. at the Wayne County Fairgrounds in Belleville. The fairgrounds are located near the intersection of I-94 and Belleville Road on Quirk Road. Watch for the signs once you exit the freeway.

For more information, call the Wayne County Cooperative Extension Service at 721-6550.



Joey Stachowski, 7, looks over a community of ducks in the backyard of his Canton home.

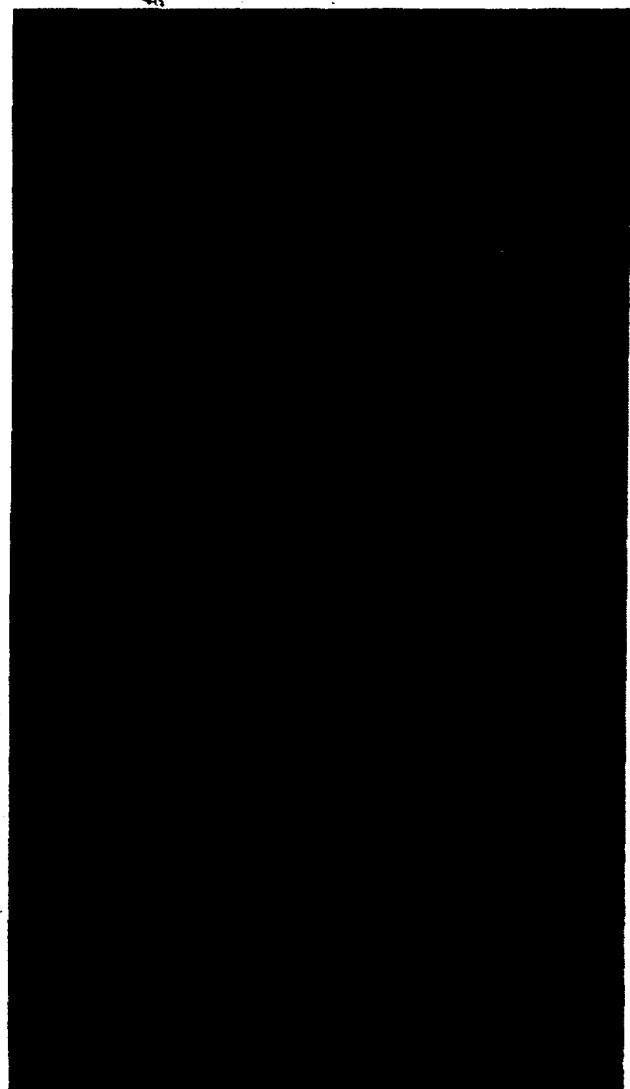
If they could talk to the animals



Frank Stachowski, 12, of Canton, leads his steer Triple B.



Louise Konopka, 17, of Canton brushes down her horse Sylvia (above) and then takes her for a walk (right).



Crier photos by Dan Ness

Community Deaths

Gill, St. John chef

Richard Lee Gill, 66, of Plymouth died July 4 in Wayne, MI. Services were July 7 at Northrop and Son Funeral Home in Northville.

Mr. Gill was born in 1921, and came to The Plymouth-Canton Community in 1958 from Detroit. He was employed as a chef at St. John Seminary until he retired in 1983.

Survivors include: wife Evelyn Gill; daughters Barbara Munir of Canton, Patricia Saupp of West Bloomfield, Eleanor Thompson of Novi; sons James Moody of Taylor and Douglas Moody of Plymouth.

Bullard, store owner

Arthur M. Bullard, 83, of Canton died July 6 in Pontiac. Services were July 9 at Schrader Funeral Home with Pastor Drex Morton officiating.

Mr. Bullard was born in 1903 in Pennsylvania. He was a member of St. Michael Lutheran Church of Plymouth and was a resident since 1950. He was also a life member of the Masonic Ionic Lodge of Lincoln Park. For 29 years he also owned and operated the Bullard Furniture Store.

Survivors include: son William Bullard of Bloomfield Hills; grandson Wallace Martin of Bloomfield Hills and sister Frances Montgomery of Florida.

Burial was in Riverside Cemetery with memorial contributions being accepted at the American Heart Association.

Harvey, delivery person

Dennis A. Harvey, 20, of Canton died July 10 in Detroit. Services were July 13 at St. John Neumann Church with Fr. George Charnley officiating.

Mr. Harvey was born in 1967 in Michigan, and was working as a delivery person.

Survivors include: parents Dennis and Maryanne Harvey of Canton; son Justin; dearest friend Michelle Paavola; sisters Jodie and Sandra of Canton. Local arrangements were made by Lambert Vermeulen Funeral Home.

Webb, postal employe

Richard Webb, 55, of Canton died July 6 in Westland. Services were July 10 with the Rev. Richard Perfitto officiating.

Mr. Webb was born in 1932 in Detroit and was a ramp clerk with the U.S. Postal Service for 35 years. He was a member of Our Lady of Good Counsel Church in Plymouth and a member of the VFW Post in Plymouth. He was also a corporal in the U.S. Army and served in the Korean conflict.

Survivors include: daughter Shelley Webb of Plymouth; son Richard S. Webb of Canton; father Richard of Tennessee; sister Patricia Lee of Lincoln Park and brother Paul of San Diego, CA.

Arrangements were made by Schrader Funeral Home with memorial contributions accepted in the form of mass offerings.

Howard, machine shop

Frank W. Howard, 62, of Westland died July 8 in Ann Arbor. Services were July 11 at Vermeulen Memorial Funeral Home with Mr. Robert Whiteman officiating.

Mr. Howard was born in 1925 in Michigan and worked in a machine shop.

Survivors include: sons Gordon of Jackson, Rodney of Wayne, Frank of Westland, Darrin of Canton; sisters Charlene Whiteman of Westland, Debra Looney of Canton, Sharon Deverson of N. Carolina and Chrystal Howard of Westland.

Also surviving were seven sisters and five brothers.

Burial was in Glenwood Cemetery.

P-C school mechanic earns state-wide award

Larry Davison is a certified mechanic. He is also a creative thinker.

By putting the two together, Davison recently won a third place trophy at the Michigan Mechanic Expo '87 held at Forest Hills High School near Grand Rapids.

Davison, who works in the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools bus garage, developed a universal brake drum installation and removal bracket for a dual-wheel dolly. With the bracket, brake drums can be more easily put on or taken off school buses and other vehicles.

The device, which cost only \$23.70 to construct, was Davison's ticket to third place.

Plymouth-Canton and other school districts which adopt Davison's idea could save in three ways. First, the bracket reduces the potential for injury while lifting a drum which may weigh

150 pounds.

Second, there is a saving of time because of the ease of moving the drum from the bus to the brake lathe. And third, there is less chance of failure to grease seals because one person will be able to line up the break drum for installation.

"We were certainly pleased that Larry took third place in the state," Dale Goby, transportation director for the district said. "This is a good example of how creative thinking makes the job easier and more efficient while at the same time saving time and money for the taxpayers."

Davison said he did not design his bracket to win a trophy. "But I'm happy someone else thought the idea was worthwhile," he added. "It certainly saves a lot of lifting here at the garage."

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Woods, Christian Hebel, Keith Gniwek, Audra Arndt and Erin

Skene. The production was directed by Gail Maloney and Mary Anne

Martin. (Crier photo by Erin Trane)

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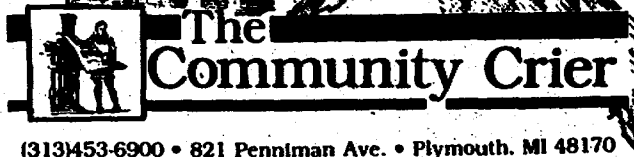
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Sports

Canton Parks and Rec. net tourney 'big hit'

BY MARTY TUNGATE

The rain and plus 88 degree weather did not stop Canton's Parks and Recreation Singles Tennis Tournament, as organizer Kristen Harrison called it, "a great success."

"It was very warm, and some of the matches lasted extremely long," Harrison said. One match lasted as long as three hours in the blistering heat, according to Harrison.

The boys champion in the 14 and under age group was Brian Schmidt of Plymouth, as he defeated Shil Pan Patel of Riverview 7-5 and 6-3.

Michael Burt of Canton captured top honors in the 15-18 age group, as he knocked off Rich Cundiff of Plymouth in straight sets, 6-2 and 6-2.

Last year's 15-18 champion Ken Wood of Livonia finished as runner-up in the 19 and over age group, as he was defeated by Hendri Williams of Farmington Hills in straight sets, 6-3 and 6-1.

In the womens division of the 14 and under age group Hillary Hart of Melvindale defeated Tracy Anderson of Plymouth 6-0 and 6-1, while in the 15-18 age group it was Janet Turner of Plymouth bumping off Cherri Bajer also of Plymouth 6-4 and 6-1.

Finally in the womens 19 and over

age group Kathy Hart mother of Hillary Hari, defeated the 19 and over defending champion Cindy Hill in straight sets, 6-2, 6-3.

This was the second year the tourney was held, and it was also the second year Kristen Harrison has headed the project.

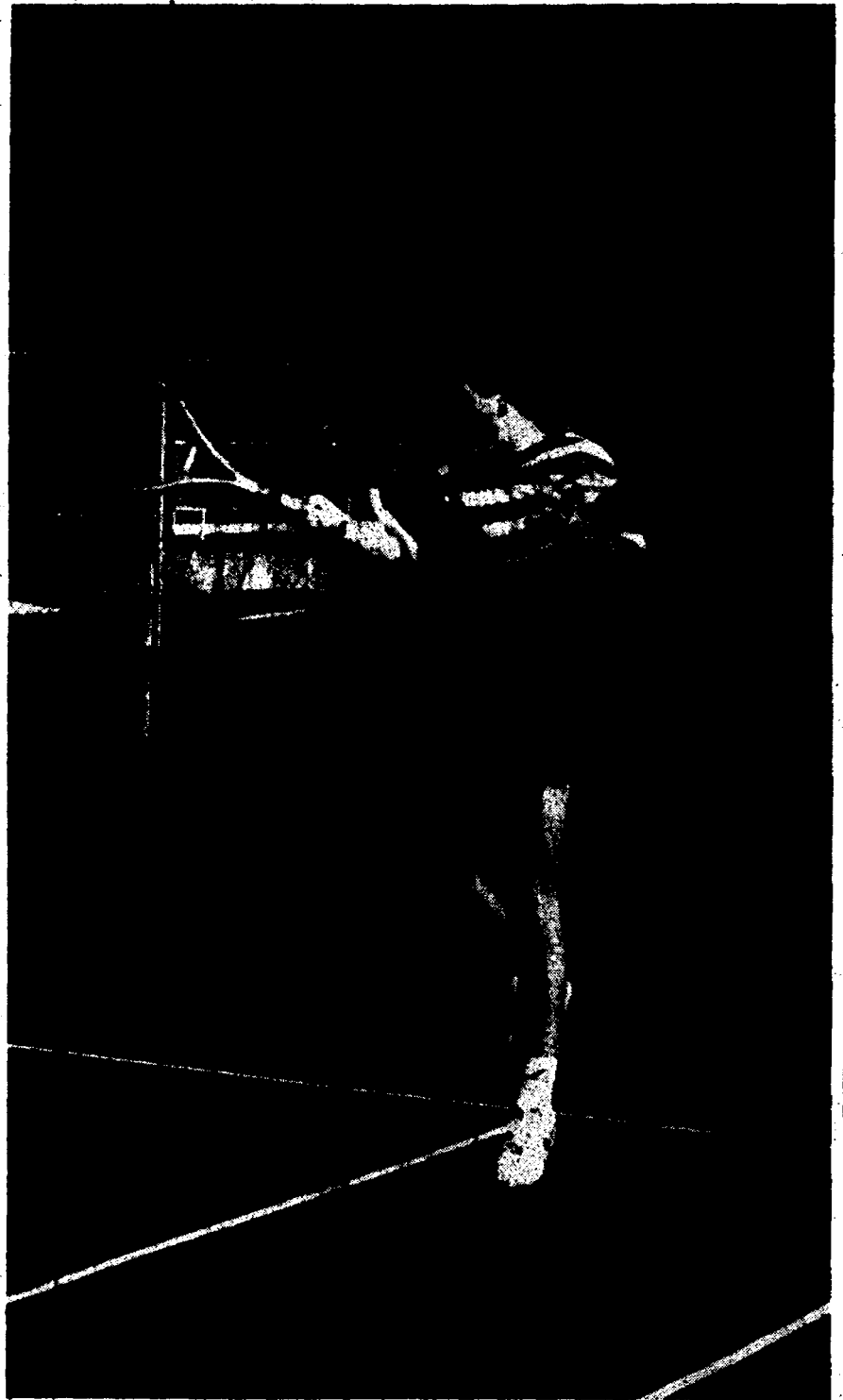
"I think this was another great year. I did not receive one complaint this year, so that makes me feel good," Harrison said.

There were 89 players in this year's event. That number fell just a little shy of last year's figures, according to Harrison.

"We had about five less players as we did last year, but I think every thing went just fine," Harrison added.

The finalist were awarded plaques, and everyone who took part in the event received a certificate for a burger at McDonalds according to Harrison.

The Canton Parks Rec. Tennis Tourney wrapped up it's second year with great success, according to organizer Kristen Harrison.



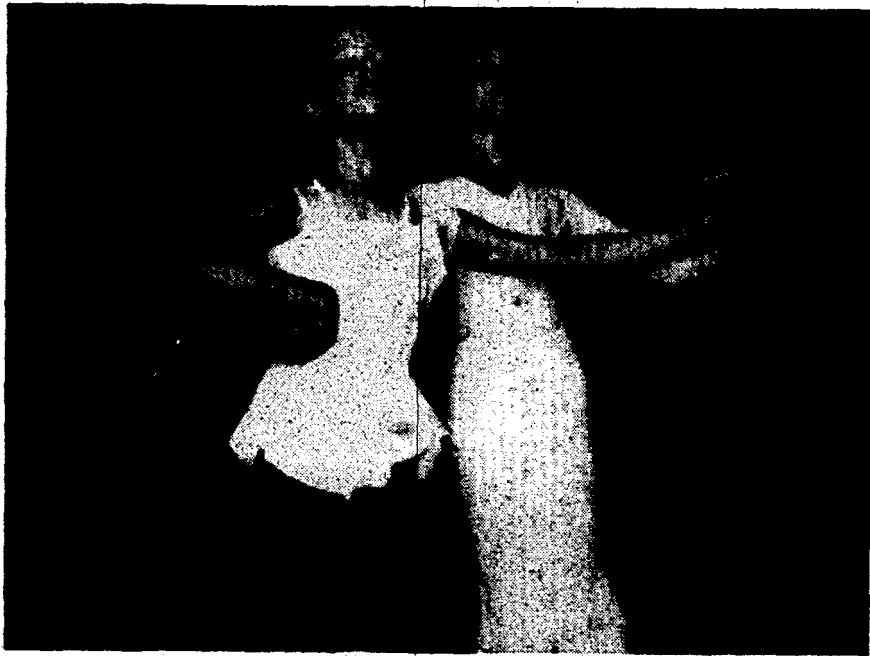
The net tourney featured long and exciting matches, which took place over the weekend. (Crier photos by Damon Smith)

P-C Steelers, few openings

The Plymouth-Canton Steelers Junior Football League program still has a few openings for the boys varsity team.

Athletes must be 12 or 13 years old and weigh between 100 and 140 pounds to be eligible to participate.

There are only four weeks left before the season begins. Call Sue Herman at 455-7299 or Linda Roushkolb at 459-9519 for further sign-up information.



Angiulli and Plagens show their moves in a recent workout.

Local roller skaters shoot for nationals and gold

BY MARTY TUNGATE

Competitive roller skating is on the rise in Michigan and around the world.

Competitive roller skating is also big right here in The Plymouth-Canton Community, as ten year old Jeff Angiulli of Canton, and nine year old Meg Plagens also of Canton will be among the nations finest roller skaters in the United States.

Angiulli and Plagens are a dance team for the United States Amateur Confederation (USAC) of Roller Skating, as they compete for Riverside

Artistic Club of Livonia.

The pair has skated together for two years now, as they both started at age five with the Tiny Tots program at the Riverside skating rink in Livonia.

While the two skate as dance partners Angiulli skates in the Juvenile Boys Figures.

The team has won numerous awards since they have been together, as they hold the title of Michigan State Champions in Juvenile dance while Angiulli captured the Michigan State Championship in Juvenile Boys.

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Crier tennis tournament approaching

While Boris Becker, Steffi Graff and other top tennis stars are tuning up for the U.S. Open, they're going to have to miss the 6th Annual Crier Tennis Tournament.

That doesn't mean you have to.

The net action is less than a month away. Plans are being finalized right now -- the date is set for Aug. 7-9 at the Centennial Educational Park (CEP)

tennis courts. There are playing divisions -- both singles and doubles -- for boys and girls and men and women of all ages and skill levels.

This year's tournament is again being sponsored by The Community Crier, the Plymouth Parks and Recreation Department and McDonalds.

A novice category has been added this year for the first time. That means all you weekend hackers who've never played in a tournament or have lost in the first round of a tournament, will have a chance to win a trophy against someone at your own level.

The tournament is limited to residents of The Plymouth-Canton Community, with the exception of all

doubles categories, where one of the entrants may be from out of town.

Boys can compete in the 10-12-year-old category, 13-15 and 16-and-over divisions, while men can compete in the 16-and-over division, 35 and over, 16 and over doubles and 35 and over doubles. There is also a mixed doubles category.

Girls and women are eligible to compete in the same divisions in their respective category.

Winners and runners-up in each category will receive a trophy. The tournament limits players to enter only

two categories.

Each competition will cost the entrant \$4 (\$8 per doubles team) and a fresh can of USTA tennis balls.

A minimum of four players need to sign up in each division for competition to be held in that category. Players must move up a classification or accept a refund if a division is not held.

Send all registration forms to the City of Plymouth Department of Parks and Recreation. Call 455-6620 details.

Registration forms can also be dropped off at The Crier.

So sign up today!



Jeff Angiulli and his dance partner Meg Plagens lace up before their workout.

Youth state champions!

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In the 1987 season the team of Angiulli and Plagens went undefeated, and they also captured first place in the Eastern region meet in Harrisburg, PA., and they also finished first in the Pre-Regional meet in Indianapolis, while Angiulli also went undefeated in these meets as well.

The Kids practice twice a day, for four to six hours, six days a week, as they prepare themselves for the National Roller Skating competitions, which will be held in Lincoln Nebraska the week of July 25.

With the two working out almost every day, they don't have a lot of time to do what nine and ten year olds usually do, but that doesn't seem to bother the skating pair.

"I like it a lot, it gets hard some times, but most of the time it's pretty easy," Angiulli said.

"I really enjoy skating a lot," Plagens said.

There is now talk going around the roller skating world, that in the 1992 Olympics that pair and figure roller skating will be an exhibition sport, and that is something the two youngsters are shooting for.

"It's our goal to some day go and skate in the Olympics," the two young stars said.

Plagens and Angiulli are coached by pro Skaters Ron Jellse and Vickie Berry, who moved to Michigan to work with these two young athletes.

Linda and Jacy Angiulli, and Bobbie and Mike Plagens are the parents of the two, and although money is key part to the team, it doesn't matter until they decide to call it quits and hang up the skates.

"We're behind our kids 110 per cent," the parents agreed.

The two want to keep skating for a long time to come, and to one day compete on a the world class level.

Local hoop stars

Patrick McCarthy (left) and Bill Vitti of Plymouth will be playing basketball for the Michigan State champion Ameter Athletic Union Hoop Squad. The boys will complete in a 38 team tournament, which started last Sunday and will end this Saturday. The team recently worked out at Canton's Phase Three.

(Crier photo by Mark Dunn)

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Crier Classifieds

Curiosities

Ken B. - changing tires in above 90 degree weather is NOT a good way to show a girl a good time! Dinner on Friday was much better. (Thank you.)

"I couldn't be that ugly. I felt a lot worse than I look." - Anonymous, 1987

Tim, best of luck and you will be missed.

Lenny gets rear-ended by fast moving croc, or was it an alegalator?!

Baby, thanks for everything!! You mean the world to me!!!!

The club is a secret.

Tim thanks for all of the help you gave me, and always remember, you are a co-founder of the "Land Of Confusion." Thanks a bunch, you bunch o' jerk. ha, ha. Marty

Curiosities

Ed & Phyllis - Wonderful dinner - wonderful company - wonderful evening. Thank you, Wonderfully, Jayne.

Cur, this thing flat will fill you're drawer, can be used for other things as well?!!

Happy 7th Birthday, Erika!

Mom & Dad - Thanks for breakfast in Hamburg, N.Y.

Jen & Dave - A thousand thank you's for the use of your car. Have Cavalier, will travel.

To Everyone at the dinner party Saturday evening I apologize. Claudia.

Kim - Lost three quarters on the skill cranes at the Italian Fest. this past weekend. Tried to win you a Jabba the Hut.

With Love
Dave

Curiosities

Julie, you're AWESOME. I love you LOADS, HEAP and BUNCHES!

We're going to miss you Tim - you little nightingale you!

Kim -
Oille's doing so well, Mom wants to send the Contras money.

Goose of Silly

Kim -
Thanks for helping me with my contact lens.

Dave

Kimber -
Never name a kid Devon. It will talk too much.

Daver

Grandma and Grandpa N. How will you survive for a week without seeing "The lip"? Signed - - "a concerned Aunt."

Curiosities

King Joel - It's okay if your sick in my room. I love you anyway! Auntie S.

Phyllis, have you ever though of going into catering!! Dinner was great!

Joan Blough is Over The Hill - Welcome to the club.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

You have to be out of your mind to go shopping at this hour.

Ron that's not tan - that's dirt!

Happy Birthday Shirley Pegg.

Julie, we missed your smile Monday afternoon.

Russ, Martin & Peter you did a great job - The dinner was perfect.

Phyllis

Have you found your tap shoes? It's time to start practicing for the follies.

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"I was lying in the gutter when I heard your skirt go swishing by." - Taj Mahal, 1987

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THANK YOU ALL for the surprise birthday party at Diana's Restaurant in Middletown, N.Y.! Especially Mom who paid for it all. Nice to see everyone.

JOAN - We're all joining you in mourning the passing of your youth Happy Birthday. C,D,E,J,K,R.

Kristen - were you sad that we weren't there to spit jubes at you Saturday night?

BON JOUR Christine Forel (the French foreign exchange student visiting us and staying with Kelly, Chris, Sue and Jim Johnston in Canton). Combien de temps, prendriez vous de conduire un "go kart" (une petite voiture qui aller tres vite)?

CONGRATS TO BOB DeMATTIA et al! So much in 10 years.

WHO WAS BOB RIFFLE'S date at Karen and Mark's wedding? Don't you get tired of these dog jokes?



Happy Sweet 16th, Shelley! You're adorable! Love, Mom, Dad & Eric

And think of Poor Max.

BETTER THAN DOG jokes: BEAR JOKES! How do you spell SESQUICENTENNIAL?

PHYLLIS: do the forks go on the left or right? Nice setting.

RUSS WEBSTER, MARTIN and PETER: bon appetite! Wonderful.

SARA, JESSICA and JON eat farmer's market bagels and drink Joe Bida's lemonade.

Jim J. -- glad nobody was hungry.

JOAN BLOUGH IS OLDER. HAPPY BIRTHDAY JOAN!

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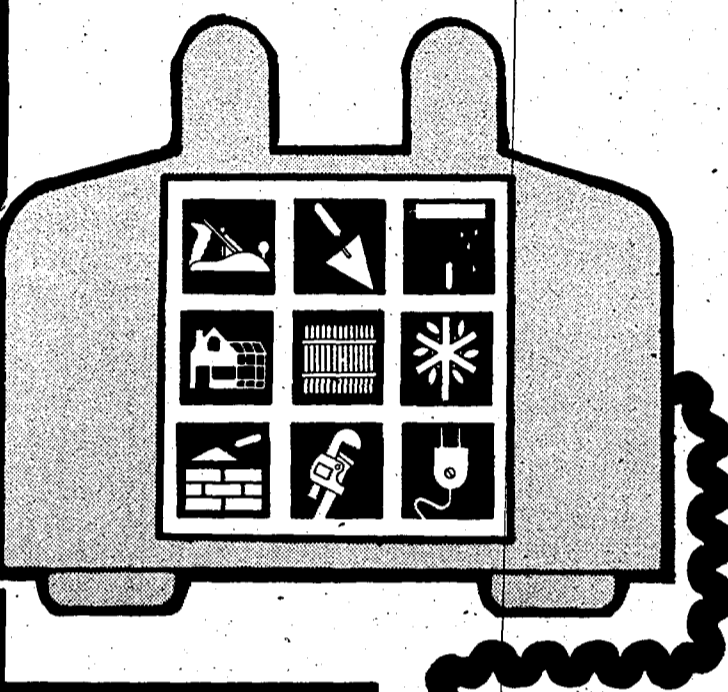
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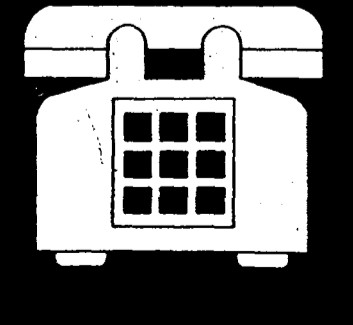
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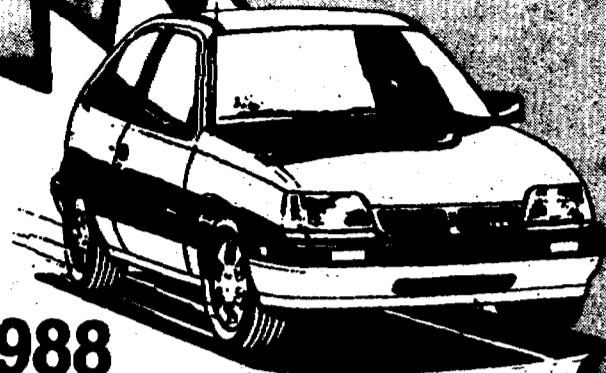


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