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## Residential property values to jump

By Doug Funke  
staff writer

Most residential property owners in Plymouth Township can expect to receive an assessment increase of about 5 percent this year, according to an appraisal company, which does contract work for the township.

"I would say 80 percent of the community will receive a 5 percent increase or greater and the other 20 percent will probably be lower than this year or stay the same," said Glenn Shaw Jr., president of Wayne County

Appraisal Inc.

Real property, according to state law, must be assessed at 50 percent of fair market value. Assessments for 1986 are based upon a 24-month sales study between April 1983 and March 1985 which included about 750 homes.

A 5-percent assessment increase, assuming stable tax rates, will result in a 5 percent increase in property tax bills. The lion's share of local property tax dollars is directed to Plymouth-Canton Community Schools.

"I think everyone is aware the market is stronger out there," Shaw said.

"There has been a tremendous increase in value in Plymouth Township.

"WE JUST don't put an equalization factor across the top," he said. "We look at each section. We review the whole township, subdivision by subdivision. From that review, we make our decision.

"In recent years, higher-priced homes have taken the greatest beating," Shaw said. "We gave those people benefit (decreased assessments) on the way down.

"Now, those homes are coming back the highest priced."

Across-the-board residential assessment increases in the City of Plymouth aren't anticipated, said Assessor Kenneth Way.

Way said he isn't really surprised that home sales in the city apparently won't reflect as great an increase in value as in the township.

"A conclusion you might find in one unit might not necessarily be true in another unit," he said. "Realtors, I think, tend to reflect the current situation. When you use a couple of years sales study . . . the first year might not be the same as this time."

Home improvements such as building an addition or extending a porch will generally result in an assessment increase on a specific property regardless of sales trends.

NOTICES will be sent in February to persons whose property assessments are adjusted.

Those who believe the assessments are wrong or are experiencing financial hardship can appeal in March for a reduction before local boards of review.

Evidence such as private professional appraisals, neighborhood studies

prepared by Realtors and income tax returns will help bolster cases. It probably won't do to appear and rail about taxes in general.

Assessments may rise in property classifications other than residential in the township.

"We're still reviewing commercial and industrial properties. We may anticipate some increases there, also," Shaw said.

"Industrial, I think, will be pretty stable," said Way of the city. "Commercial we're looking at. There's a possibility for some adjustment it looks like on the plus side."

## Counselor sees program grow

By Maurie Walker  
special writer

What started out as a student service center at Plymouth Canton High School has grown to a regular class aimed at helping youth age 13-18 who have emotional or personal problems.

Responsible for this class is Nic Cooper, 35, who is co-director of Alternative Education programs for the district. A teacher for Plymouth-Canton Community Schools for 12 years, he came to the school "a raw rookie" after obtaining his master's degree in psychology from Western Michigan University.

"I began the program acting as a counselor. My desire has always been to do personal counseling so we made the drop-in center part of the school. With the support and approval of the school district officials, it became a regular class with students signing up for it," he said.

Cooper said his original goal in life was to become a minister but that his primary goal was to be a counselor.

"I figured I would have a wider field for being a counselor if I become a teacher."

He said he had to sell the school district on the drop-in program.

"Our program was one of 17 that were funded by the federal government. When that funding stopped, we went to the school district and they eventually picked up the funding."

COOPER SAID he has one program called Learning Options which is for "kids who have serious problems."

### people

"This is a year-around deal. We work not only with the kids but in many cases with their families. We are mainly involved with middle schools."

For the past eight years, Cooper has worked with Sally Wisotzky in the program. There are eight other teachers involved with the in-school program.

Cooper for 10 years has been a counselor in the substance abuse program also.

Cooper and wife Jane live in Manchester with their two daughters, Sara, 3, and Angela, 4.

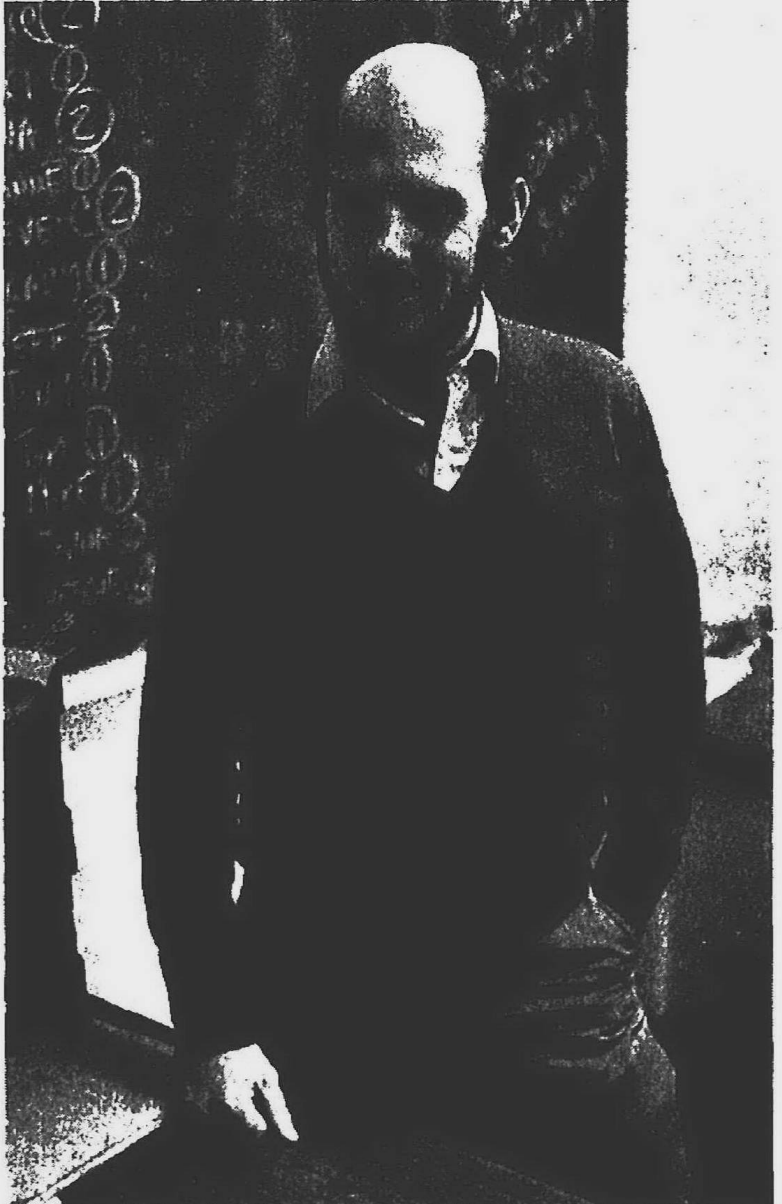
He was born and raised in Ohio which he admits makes it tough for him at University of Michigan and Ohio State football time.

"I take a lot of kidding, but it's fun and sometimes eases the tension of the job," which he admits has a lot of stress to it.

"I try not to take the job home with me. I need to be home when I'm home but then I look forward to getting back on the job. It's interesting and there are no two days alike."

COOPER SAYS he tries not to get personally involved but admitted it was difficult.

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Nic Cooper points with pride to the growth of his alternative school program.

BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

## Arguments air in tenure case

By Dennis Coffman  
staff writer

The Michigan Supreme Court last Thursday heard arguments in a long-running court case involving the tenure of former Plymouth-Canton teacher Glenn Breuhan.

The question is whether Breuhan had compiled the required two years of teaching in the district to qualify for tenure before he was laid off.

The school district maintains that Breuhan was seven days short of obtaining the 187-day contractual year, when he was employed in the district in the 1979-80 school year.

If the following school year, 1980-81, Breuhan did work the complete contractual year of 187 days.

But the district began to pink-slip a large number of its teachers for the following school year, and laid off probationary, rather than tenured, teachers such as Breuhan first.

BREUHAN WAS among those pink-slipped because, according to the district, he fell short of the required two years needed for tenure.

Breuhan's attorney, Harvey Wax, argued that Breuhan came close enough. But the State Teacher Tenure Commission earlier had ruled that Breuhan did not have enough time compiled for tenure.

Ingham Circuit Court reversed the tenure commission ruling and the state Court of Appeals upheld the circuit court decision.

PLYMOUTH-CANTON Community Schools then took the matter to the state Supreme Court, where it now rests.

A decision is expected in several months; in some instances it has taken the high court up to 10 months to come up with a ruling.

"It's a question of whether tenure should be determined by the anniversary date of the date of hire," said Norman Kee, assistant superintendent for employee relations in the district.

"The Michigan Education Association (MEA) says the time Breuhan has acquired for tenure is close enough. The Michigan School Boards Association and the district has asked the Supreme Court to hear the case to determine if the anniversary date is the one that should be used."

ACCORDING TO Kee, Breuhan was offered a job with the Plymouth-Canton district after it laid him off but Breuhan refused the job.

"He is now teaching somewhere else," said Kee.

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## It's thumbs up for condo project

By Doug Funke  
staff writer

Developers who plan to build 44 luxury condominiums off Kellogg Park in downtown Plymouth say they hope to begin construction by the end of March and have the first units ready for occupancy by next January.

The City Commission, following the recommendation of the planning commission, approved the six-story project Monday by a 5-0 vote. Commissioner Dennis Bila was absent.

"We're further along at this point than any other development I've been associated with and I'm more comfortable with this one," said Jack Wilcox, one of five general partners on whose land the condominiums will be built.

The property is bounded by Elizabeth, Roe, Ann Arbor Trail and Union.

The construction timetable, according to Jack Moorhead, another general partner, calls for demolition of the house now on the two-acre site, excavation for the underground parking garage, relocation of utilities if necessary, then laying the foundation.

Moorhead said his construction company, MSI Inc., will build the units.

WILCOX ESTIMATED development costs at \$8 million to \$10 million.

"We're exploring all possible options available to us but we're projecting traditional bank financing at this point from major Michigan lenders," said H. James Boyes, a Certified Public Accountant and another general partner.

Eight units — consisting of two bedrooms and two full baths ranging in size from 1,450 to 1,600 square feet — will be built on each of the six floors, said James Meneghini, architect for the project. Ground floor units will have private gardens, upper units balconies.

Ninety-six parking places will be provided.

"We're thinking of an all-brick structure with stone trim," Meneghini said. "Six stories was the height we felt gave a return on investment but was still low enough to feel decent proportion."

The units are expected to be priced between \$175,000 and \$200,000. "Even at published prices, we've had a lot of interest," Wilcox said.

"This is a project I think will be of benefit to the entire community. I think you'll agree this will fit in to the image Plymouth has created."

HOWEVER, several residents disagreed.

"It's a beautiful project with one exception — it's much too big as far as height goes," said Vickie Weise. "Once you give permission to one developer, in a span of 10 years, we're going to have a half dozen of these."

"A six-story building in Plymouth would look like an elephant on a peanut, especially in the center of town," said Ellen Curtis. "This six-story condominium will definitely dwarf the park."

"Are we going to change the city motto from the city of homes to the city of towers and traffic jams? Sure it will bring in more tax dollars but what else will it do? How will it affect residents in the area?"

Paul Nastoff opposed the development because he believes such housing would be beyond the financial reach of the average Plymouth resident.

"This project does not meet the needs of the citizens of Plymouth," he said. "I would like Jack to make all the money he can. This project for residents like myself is way out of line."

The City Commission approved the project contingent upon the developers receiving approval from the planning commission on all blueprints and the master deed.

## Arson

### Water woes hurt prison firefighting effort

By Dennis Coffman  
staff writer

A fire that started around 4:30 p.m. Monday in the Western Wayne Correctional Facility has been declared arson by the Michigan State Police.

The fire destroyed the medium security prison library, a wood structure that had been targeted for demolition anyway, according to Warden Emmett Baylor Jr.

Detective Sgt. Wayne Bullen conducted the investigation into the cause of the fire Tuesday for the state police. On Wednesday, he said evidence of a flammable liquid was discovered in the east end of the library.

Bullen said there were no suspects in the most recent (Jan. 20) prison fire, but police have a suspect in an earlier (Jan. 15) fire in the same building.

Because there were no chemicals or volatile substances stored in the library, Baylor Tuesday said the "probable cause" was arson.

"Luckily, we had taken all the books out of the library last Friday," he said.

HE SAID the only items of any value lost in the fire were a few bookcases that might have been considered antiques.

The Plymouth Township Fire Department and the City of Plymouth Fire Department responded to the fire with nine pieces of equipment.

Plymouth Township Fire Chief Larry Groth said the east end of the building was totally enveloped in flames when

his firefighters arrived.

But the firefighting effort was hampered by a lack of adequate water pressure, Groth said.

"Most of the water was underground, and we had a water pressure shortage," said Groth. "We only were able to get 15 or 20 pounds of pressure. We were forced to stretch off the prison property — about 2,400 feet — to obtain water."

GROTH SAID there were 40 firefighters at the scene; no one was injured.

The blaze was under control by about 6 p.m. but the fire department had personnel at the smoldering site until 9:30 p.m.

Groth said that, because of the low water pressure, it took firefighters about one hour to get the fire under control.

Last week, the Plymouth Township Fire Department responded to another call at the prison to cut an inmate out of a cell door.

While there last week, Groth said his department learned that there was a fire in the library, preceding the Monday incident. He said the prison officials apparently dealt with the earlier fire themselves.

THE WESTERN Wayne Correctional Facility is the former Detroit House of Correction (DeHoCo), 48000 Five Mile.

The Michigan Department of Correction bought the buildings and has been

using the facility as a medium security state prison whose inmates are generally parole violators.

When the two-alarm fire was discovered, the 460 inmates were locked in their cells. None was injured by the fire.

The prison has been undergoing renovation since its takeover by the state last summer.

Despite increased security, there have been eight escapes since last summer. But six of the eight escapees have

been apprehended, according to Baylor.

Last week, an inmate drove away from the prison while the man was clearing snow with a truck equipped with a snowplow. The "walkaway" still is being sought and will be prosecuted when caught.

"We put a lot of trust in that individual. I assume he'll be caught eventually," said Baylor.

Baylor said there were no immediate plans for the site of the former library. "Maybe a basketball court."

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## CHANNEL 8

### THURSDAY (Jan 23)

5 p.m. . . . Cinematique — John Martin reviews the classic movies to be shown on Family Home Theater.  
 5:30 p.m. . . . Economic Club of Detroit — Gerald Greenwald, chairman of Chrysler Corp., talks about auto industry.  
 6:30 p.m. . . . Investor News — Jim Lanzi and Brian Davis discuss total return investing followed by a speech by stock market analyst Frank Cappiello.  
 7 p.m. . . . Frank Cappiello: '86 Investment Outlook — Stock market analyst speaks about the investment climate for 1986 and introduces his total return fund.  
 8 p.m. . . . Beyond the Moon — Host Mike Best talks about Hercules and Halley's comet.  
 Southside Talent Show.  
 8:30 p.m. . . . Fall & Winter Fashions

— Fashions for everyone by Klines of Ann Arbor and Kitty Kelly evening wear. A presentation by Belleville BPW casual, sports, formal, career and active wear.  
 9:30 p.m. . . . Single Touch — Singles on the move with host J.P. McCarthy and co-host present People Meeting People with guest Bob Houle.

### FRIDAY (Jan. 24)

5 p.m. . . . Canton BPW Presents — Mary Dingledey introduces Jerry Barrons, owner of personnel agency "New Options," which tries to place women and minorities in business.  
 6 p.m. . . . Hollywood Hotline — The show that promotes the theatrical film experience.  
 6:30 p.m. . . . Omnicon Videotunes — A variety of music videos from local artists.  
 7 p.m. . . . The Oasis — Special guests this week are "Argosy," a

local rock band. The Harry Thing segment will crack you up and once again the Penguins are in "Double Trouble."

7:30 p.m. . . . Issues in Depth — Controversial issues are discussed.  
 8:30 p.m. . . . Poetry With Dr. John Stone — Dr. John Stone of Schoolcraft College recites poetry.  
 9:30 p.m. . . . Plymouth Ice Spectacular '86 — Ice figures carved for display during the two-week event. Includes interviews with the project coordinators, carvers, professionals and students.

### SATURDAY (Jan. 25)

(Saturday's programming on Omni-8 same as Friday's schedule).

## CHANNEL 15

### THURSDAY (Jan 23)

Noon . . . Sunny Scandinavia — A travelog.

1 p.m. . . . Canton Update — Sandy Preblich, host of the Sandy Show, and Canton Supervisor James Poole discuss social, political and legal issues as they relate to Canton and its residents.  
 1:30 p.m. . . . Canton Senior Kitchen Band — A performance from the 1985 Canton Country Festival.  
 2:30 p.m. . . . Replay of Live Call-In With Christeens — Call in and talk with guest Robin Sullivan of WMUZ-FM and see the latest Christian music videos.  
 3:30 p.m. . . . Variety Showcase.  
 4:30 p.m. . . . Youth View — Petra performs plus an interview with theologian J.I. Packer.  
 5 p.m. . . . Hamtramck Rotary — MichCon and how it operates.  
 5:30 p.m. . . . Psychic Sciences — A discussion of the psychic phenomenon. Ellie's guest is hypnotist Gene Batronie.  
 6 p.m. . . . School Daze.  
 6:30 p.m. . . . Hamburg Orchestra —

Musical group from Germany performs at First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth.  
 8 p.m. . . . Quiz Bowl.  
 8:30 p.m. . . . Game of Week — Eastern Michigan University hockey club vs. Cincinnati at Plymouth Cultural Center Ice Arena.

### FRIDAY (Jan. 24)

Noon . . . American Atheist News Forum — A program challenging religious viewpoints.  
 12:30 p.m. . . . Lifestyles — Talk show hosted by Diane Martina.  
 1 p.m. . . . Issues for a Nuclear Age — Deals with nuclear arms race.  
 1:30 p.m. . . . Wayne County: A New Perspective — A report on activities in Wayne County.  
 2 p.m. . . . Health Talks — Hospital medical show covering general interest topics.  
 2:30 p.m. . . . TNT True Adventure Trails — Uncle Ernie spins his

own brand of patriotism and religion accompanied by home movies.  
 3 p.m. . . . Divine Plan — A continuing religious series.  
 3:30 p.m. . . . This is the Life — Presentations on modern-day problems and how to deal with them from the Lutheran Church.  
 4 p.m. . . . Yugoslavia Variety Hour — Ethnic music and dancing.  
 5 p.m. . . . On Our Own — A program produced by Handicap Media, Inc., explaining and exploring everyday life from the viewpoint of handicapped persons.  
 5:30 p.m. . . . The Suzuki Method — A method of teaching young children to play the violin by ear. A performance by Plymouth, Livonia, Novi groups.  
 6:30 p.m. . . . IRS: How to Prepare Forms, Part I & II — Save money and prepare your own forms. Covers 1040EZ and 1040A.

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# obituaries

## ANNA K. ONISHI

Funeral services for Mrs. Onishi, 79, of Plymouth Township were held recently in Hay Funeral Home in South Bend, Ind., with local arrangements made by Schrader Funeral Home, Plymouth. Memorial contributions may be made to the Home Life Hospice.

Mrs. Onishi, who died Jan. 19 in Plymouth Township, was born in South Bend and moved from there to Plymouth in 1964. Survivors include: husband, George; and sisters, Elizabeth Charles of St. Charles, Ill., Rose Hamilton of Hemet, Calif., Ethel Cox of St. Charles, Ill., and Elsie Ritter of South Bend.

## LORRAINE M. DRAY

Funeral services for Mrs. Dray, 57, of Plymouth Township were held recently in Schrader Funeral Home with burial at Riverside Cemetery, Plymouth. Officiating was the Rev. John Grenfell. Memorial contributions may be made to the Juvenile Diabetes Association.

Mrs. Dray, who died Jan. 19 in Livonia, was born in Hillsboro, Ill., and moved to Plymouth in 1972 from Redford. She was an executive secretary to the vicepresident of Embassy Films in Southfield. Mrs. Dray was a member of Mayflower Lt. Gamble VFW Post 6695 Ladies Auxiliary of Plymouth.

Survivors include: husband, James; daughters, Valerie Matthews of Livonia, Cynthia Gayer of Ridgewood, N.J.,

brothers, Dewey Green of Oklahoma City, Carrol Green of Peoria, and Gaylord Barry of Rock Hill, Ill.; and one grandson.

## DELLA W. RUSSELL

Funeral services for Mrs. Russell, 84, of Plymouth were held recently in Schrader Funeral Home with burial at Cadillac Memorial Gardens, Westland. Officiating was the Rev. Dr. David A. Hay. Memorial contributions may be made to the Michigan Cancer Foundation.

Mrs. Russell, who died Jan. 17 in Westland, was born Jan. 19 in Indiana County, Pa. Survivors include: daughters, Norma Whitehead of Westland, Violet Powell of Plymouth; son, William of Broham, Mich.; sisters, Alberta

Anthony of Plymouth and Geraldine Good of Plymouth; brothers, Earl Patterson and Robert Patterson, both of St. Helen, Mich., and Donald Patterson of California; seven grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren.

## EDMUND MOG

Funeral services for Mr. Mog, 85, of Plymouth Township were held recently in Schrader Funeral Home with the Rev. George Kowalski officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to the Alzheimer's Association.

Mr. Mog, who died Jan. 18 in Ann Arbor, was born in Hubbell, Mich. Survivors include: wife, Mildred; sons, William of Plymouth and Edmund of Newton, N.C.; five grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

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# Bands' extravaganza to showcase Hollywood

The annual "Variety Is . . ." band show will be held this weekend in the auditorium of Plymouth Salem High School.

Sponsored by the Centennial Educational Park bands, directed by James E. Griffith, the show will open at 7 p.m. Friday and Saturday.

The theme for the 1986 show is "Hollywood."

"Variety Is . . ." is the only fund-raiser by the band itself for the school year. Profits are used to pay for the marching band's band camp, held in August in northern Michigan. General admission tickets are \$1.50 each. Reserved seating is \$3 each. Reserved seats can be obtained only by calling 453-5181 between 8 a.m. and 10 p.m.

The bands to perform will be the 65-member concert band, which will perform "Great Movie Marches" arranged

by Warren Barker. The 65-member symphony band will present "The Bands of America" march, written by Paul Lavalle, and selections from "Return of the Jedi," written by John Williams and arranged by Barker.

The 175-member marching band will perform its 1985 competition show, which won it the state marching band championship for the second year in a row this past fall.

Music from the marching band's show includes theme songs from Perry Mason and Mission Impossible TV shows, Pat Metheny's jazz tune "First Circle," and selections from "All That Jazz." All the band's musical arrangements are done by Ralph Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Johnson of Ann Arbor Trail, Plymouth.

The emcees for this year's show will be seniors Tom Golden, Polly MacIsaac

and Kristy VanBuhler. They will be assisted by Laura Tilley and Jim Woods.

This year's guest acts, selected by auditions, include:

Defiance: Geoff Albin, Keith Stark, Kevin Mack, Chris Kennedy.

The Dating Game: Amy Schmidt, Brian Elliott, Rob Kisabeth, Carl Kaczmarek and Jim Woods.

Purple Rain: Elyse Mirto, Karen Massey, Mary White, Dan Burkholder, Danyl Shank, Mary O'Brian, Jennifer Kurkowski, Sonia Burkholder, Wendy Kulczycki, Maria Bortell and Mindy Shear.

Swing Ensemble: Heather Keehn, Sara Erickson, Maria Bortell, Carol Jasner, Sheila Harris, Jody Redmyer, Elyse Mirto, Christen Dyas, Michelle Mielke, Monique Hineman, Ann Couper, Wendy Kulczycki, Kelly Striker, Carrie Dibble, Beth Mueller, Jennifer Paulau, Nancy Vogel, Noelle Torrace.

Canton Chieftess: captains Carol Kleinsmith and Kendra Whitely.

Island Wahinis: Leslie Bartlett, Brice Cranston, Michelle Monk.

Mimes: Dana Perceedi, Shannon Stiley.

Vocalist: Jennifer Scott.

The Fire Crew: Dan Quirk, Chris Range, Jamey Dunn, Tammy Schmidt, Mike Zawadzki, Edon and Eldon Nash, Brian Wood, Clyde Brinquet, Tracy Shipley, Dan Burkholder, Katin McKenna, Don Harwood.

The New Trend: Dustin Wyman, Todd Wyman, Brice Cranston, Keith Lowers, John Hill.

Sheila and the Shimmers: Kari Cairn, Polly MacIsaac, Kristy VanBuhler, Leah Romine, Brian Elliott.

Plastic Paulsack Polish Polka Band, Inc.: Pete Zeller, Jeff Dillon, Brendan Foreman, George Paulsack, Chuck Weidenback.

Dancer: Greta Schnurstein.

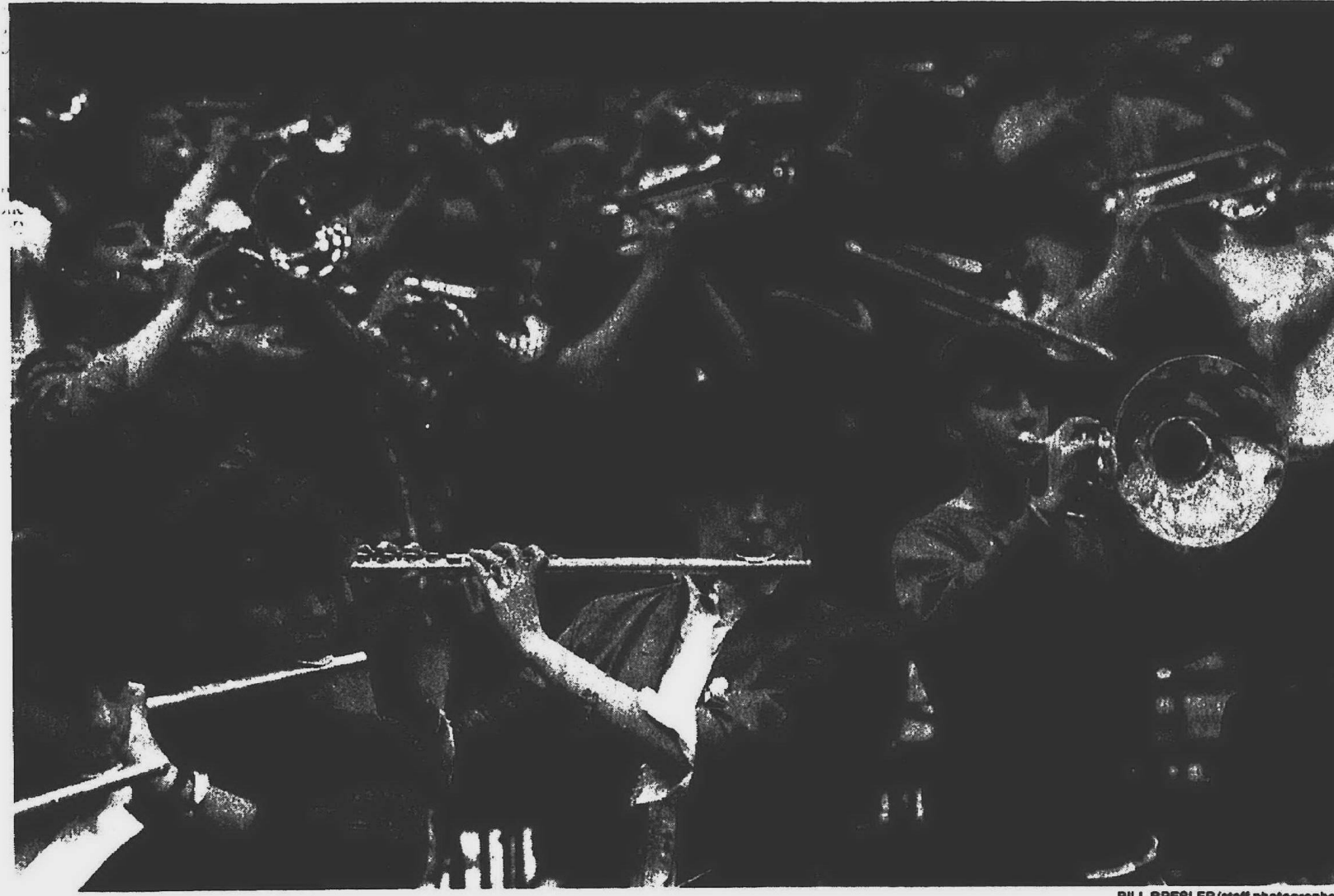
Gymnastic routine: Jenny Breed.

We Are The World: Rhonda Sherman, Chris Stelmazerk, Julie Evans, Kristy VanBuhler, Ann McCracken, Debbie Royston, Debbie DeJohn, Kathi Andrew, Jennifer Topic, George Markley, Sandie Howley, Greta Schnurstein, Kathy Worrall, Lisa Worrall, Daphne Briggs, Lealie Carmichael, Kim Resler, Chris Trapani, Keith Lowers, Brice Cranston and Dustin Wyman.

Piano solo: Brian Elliott.

Arby's: Sue Adams, Tracy Jencks, Lisa Gasparotti, Christy Harrell, Jenny Breed, and Amy Johnson.

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BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

Centennial Educational Park musicians rehearse a selection which they will present this weekend during their annual variety show.

## Student of the Month

Kevin Freeman has been selected Student of the Month by Plymouth Elks Lodge 1680. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Freeman of Five Mile, Plymouth Township, he is a senior at Plymouth Salem High. He has been active in the National Honor Society, as co-captain of the Salem wrestling team and Explorer's Engineering Club. He also attended Boy's State. Kevin's grade point average is 3.67 and his

future plans are to attend GMI Engineering and Management Institute. The Student of the Month program is sponsored by the Elks to recognize outstanding youth in the community.

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Announcements for Brevities should be submitted by noon Monday for the Thursday issue and by noon Thursday for the Monday issue. Bring in or mail announcements to the Observer at 489 S. Main.
- LECTURE ON DEPENDENCY**  
Thursday, Jan. 23 — "Doctor, Can You Help Me with My Teen-ager?" is the topic of a free lecture on adolescent chemical dependency 7-8 p.m. at West Middle School, 4441 W. Ann Arbor Trail at Sheldon, Plymouth. The lecture will focus on the medical aspect of chemical dependency and provide an overview of treatment options. This is the third in a series on adolescent chemical dependency at West Middle School co-sponsored by Plymouth-Canton Community Schools and Catherine McAuley Health Center's chemical dependency program.
  - BLOODMOBILE VISITS**  
Saturday, Jan. 25 — American Red Cross Bloodmobile will accept donations of blood from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at First United Presbyterian Church of Plymouth, 701 Church. For an appointment, call Karen Karam at 420-2030.
  - EMERGENCY TRAINING**  
Saturday, Jan. 25 — Plymouth Township Office of Emergency Preparedness will sponsor a training class from 9 a.m. to noon on railroad accidents involving hazardous materials. The class will be in the meeting room of Plymouth Township Hall, Ann Arbor Road at Lilley. Open to the public.
  - GROUNDHOGS CLASSIC**  
Saturday, Jan. 25 — The seventh-annual Canton Parks and Recreation Department's "Groundhog Day Classic" Slow-Pitch Tournament will be at Griffin Park. The tournament will involve teams battling the elements to hit a 16-inch orange-colored softball. The tournament will be canceled only in case of good weather. Interested teams can call the recreation department at 397-1000. Register in person or by mail to Canton Parks and Recreation, 1150 S. Canton Center Road, Canton, Mich. 48188.
  - COMEDY AT MADONNA**  
Sunday, Jan. 26 — The musical comedy, "The Night Harry Stopped Smoking," (a play for children of all ages) will be performed by the Michigan Opera Theatre at 3 p.m. in Kresage Hall Auditorium at Madonna College, 1-96 at Levan, Livonia. Opera singer John Davies created the anti-smoking comedy as a non-threatening message to counter the cigarette advertising that is influencing children. Admission is \$2 for adults, \$1 for senior citizens and children younger than 12.
  - CAKE BAKE**  
Wednesday, Jan. 29 — Bird Elementary School Cub Scout Pack 293 will be hosting its sixth annual Cake Bake beginning 7:30 p.m. at Bird School. Each Cub and their chosen adult will bake and decorate a cake in hopes of winning a ribbon. After the awards the cakes will be auctioned with proceeds going into the pack's treasury.
  - CHEMICAL DEPENDENCY**  
Thursday, Jan. 30 — "How Can I Get Some Help?" the fourth and final in a free series examining chemical dependency and adolescents, will be presented 7-8 p.m. in West Middle School, Ann Arbor Trail at Sheldon. The discussion will focus on the treatment process, from assessment to referral, and followup. There will be suggestions on how to select a program that is appropriate for the particular situation and teenager. The series is co-spon-

- sored by Catherine McAuley Health Center's chemical dependency program and Plymouth-Canton Community Schools.
- SESAME STREET LIVE**  
Saturday, Feb. 1 — Canton Parks and Recreation is sponsoring a special family trip for parents and their children to the all-new performance of "Sesame Street Live." Space is limited on the recreation bus so sign up early in person or by mail to Canton Parks and Recreation, 1150 S. Canton Center Road, Canton, Mich. 48188. For information, call 397-1000 from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. The charge is \$7 per person, which includes admission and transportation. Bus will leave Canton Administration Building at 9:30 a.m. and return about 1:45 p.m.
- 'MOTHER GOOSE'**  
Friday, Feb. 1 — Children's Ballet Theater will present "Mother Goose" at 7:30 p.m. in the auditorium of Plymouth Salem High School, Joy Road just west of Canton Center Road. Tickets are \$3 for adults and \$2 for children and can be purchased at the door the night of the performance. Group rates available. Call 278-3254 or 278-4469.
- WINDOWS INTO HEAVEN**  
Through Sunday, Feb. 3 — Religious Icons, "Windows Into Heaven," will be on display through Feb. 3 in the Exhibit Gallery adjacent to the college library at Madonna College, Schoolcraft at Levan, Livonia. The exhibit is sponsored by the Orthodox Catholic Churches in the metropolitan area. The Exhibit Gallery is open to the public until 10 p.m. weekdays and Saturday and 1-4 p.m. Sunday.
- TEEN SKI TRIP**  
Friday, Feb. 7 — Canton Parks and Recreation is sponsoring a teen ski trip to Alpine Valley. All transportation and supervision is provided by the recreation staff. The charge is \$15 without your own equipment or \$8 with your own equipment. All fees must be paid upon registration. Space is limited. The trip will leave the Canton Administration Building at 5 p.m. and return about 12:15 a.m. Register in person at Canton Parks & Recreation at 1150 S. Canton Center Road. For information, call 397-1000 between 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m.
- CHILDREN'S VALENTINE PARTY**  
Saturday, Feb. 8 — Canton Parks and Recreation is planning its Children's Valentine Party for the youngsters of Canton. The party for ages 3-12 will be 10-11 a.m. in the Canton Recreation Center, Michigan Ave. at Sheldon. The party will feature cartoon movies, magic, games, prizes and refreshments. For reservations, call 397-1000 from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays.
- TOASTMASTERS SPEECH CONTEST**  
Tuesday, Feb. 11 — The Oral Majority Toastmasters Club will conduct the club's annual Speech Contest at 6 p.m. in its regular meeting room at Denny's restaurant at 39980 Ann Arbor Road, east of I-276 in Plymouth. The public is welcome. For information and reservations, call Phyllis Sullivan at 455-1635.
- CEP PARENT COFFEE**  
Thursday, Feb. 13 — The Parent Coffee at Plymouth Centennial Educational Park (CEP) will begin at 9:30 a.m. in the conference room of Plymouth Canton High School, Canton Center Road just south

of Joy. Participating will be principals Bill Brown and Tom Tattan and area coordinator Ethel Hazelwood. Parents of CEP students encouraged to attend.

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# Proposals sought on allocation of federal funds

Public hearings have been scheduled in Plymouth Township and the City of Plymouth to give residents the opportunity to recommend how nearly \$300,000 in federal money should be spent locally.

The township board will entertain citizen comments next Tuesday, Jan. 28, on the allocation of an estimated \$213,000 of federal revenue sharing funds. The money — \$86,500 unspent from previous years and an expected \$126,800 to be received — can be put to any use.

The City Commission will listen to comments Monday, Feb. 17, on the allocation of an estimated \$64,500 in Community Development Block Grant funds. This money must be targeted for projects, purchases or programs in moderate- to low-income areas.

Both hearings have been set for 7:30 p.m.

Township and city administrators recommend that persons submit their suggestions before the hearing dates so elected officials who make the final decisions can fully study the proposals.

THE TOWNSHIP board will likely adopt the revenue-sharing budget the night of the hearing, said Supervisor Maurice Breen.

Breen, who can be contacted at 453-2671, said he hasn't yet fully developed a proposal for spending the federal revenue sharing money.

"We never have used it for the operating budget. We've never had a heavy reliance on it other than capital purchases," he said.

"We've funded a fire truck... tornado warning sirens, First Step (a temporary shelter for victims of spouse abuse), Safety Town (a child safety program), Plymouth Council on Aging,

chore service programs through Senior Alliance and senior van transportation," he added.

While hearings will proceed assuming available funds of \$213,000, Breen said he wouldn't be surprised if the actual federal appropriation for 1986 were closer to \$75,000 than \$100,000.

The federal revenue sharing program may end entirely after that, he added.

"EVERY INDICATION is that Congress doesn't have the votes to continue after this year. You don't know. We hear it's a prime candidate to be cut."

Community Development Block Grant suggestions must generally be geared toward Old Village or senior programming because that money must be directed to moderate- or low-income areas.

City administrators will present their recommendations to the City

Commission Feb. 3. The commission will take its time studying information from the Feb. 17 hearing before making a decision, said Paul Sincok, assistant to the city manager.

Although public comment is encouraged, about \$53,000 already has been tentatively committed to purchases or projects as part of a three-year plan,

Sincok said.

That includes \$25,000 for an emergency response vehicle and equipment, \$18,000 for a senior transportation program, \$6,400 for administrative expenses, \$2,500 for Safety Town and \$2,000 for the senior citizen newsletter.

Changes, though possible, aren't really likely, said Sincok, who can be

reached at 453-1234.

"At this time, we're meeting with department heads to see if there's programs we can shoot into that direction," Sincok said.

There also is some question about the funding future of the Community Development Block Grant program at the federal level, Sincok said.

## High court hears case

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"We thought the issue was clear, but the circuit court has muddied the waters," he said.

Bill Albertson of the law firm of Clark, Hardy, Lewis, Fine and Pollard, which is representing the Plymouth-Canton district, said he was looking for a Supreme Court decision around July 1.

"We're saying that the anniversary date of his hiring should be the determining factor," said Albertson. "If he was hired Oct. 3, then he should qualify for tenure on Oct. 3, two years later."

Wax of the law firm of Levin, Levin, Garvett and Dill is representing Bruhan. He was unavailable for comment when attempts were made to reach him Tuesday.

## carrier of the month Plymouth

Eileen Malley, daughter of Marilyn and James Malley of Plymouth, has been named Carrier of the Month by the Plymouth Observer. Eileen, 13, an Observer news carrier since May 1984, is an eighth grader at Central Middle School in Plymouth. Her favorite subjects in school include chorus and science and her hobbies are reading, ice skating and swimming. She is a member of the Plymouth Ski Club, Plymouth-Canton soccer and basketball associations. Her future plans include attending college.

Eileen Malley



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## Cooper helps kids

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"The kids either take or give back a piece of me. There is a lot of gratification, but then there are some heart-breaks, too.

"Some students come back to visit and I learn they have made a success of their lives.

"But on the other hand we sometimes have the discouraging job of telling a youth they are through as far as the program goes. There are just some that can't be turned around, which is a shame."

He added, however, that in the majority of cases they can make the kids change their ways and straighten out their lives. This he has learned over the past 10 years in which time he has counseled hundreds of youths.

"I really like working with young people and their parents. Working for

a school district offered me the best chance to realize my dream."

Cooper said he continues to look forward to being in a position where he can do counseling work.

"This is the most important goal. And although I know I can't help every young person in our classes, I know at least I've been able to help quite a few."

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Four taping dates have been set aside at Omnicom's studio, 8465 Ronda Drive, Canton, to allow for taping the valentine videos. A variety of backdrops will be provided but participants are encouraged to also bring along appropriate props such as a rose or stuffed animal. The valentine senders might even want to be creative and dress up in some thematic costume for the taping.

Tapings are set for 1-5 p.m. Saturdays, Jan. 25 and Feb. 1, 5-8 p.m. Wednesdays, Jan. 29, and 3-8 p.m. Feb. 5. Six valentine video tapings will be scheduled per half hour and senders will need to call to reserve a time slot. Messages should be no more than two minutes and may be read, or recited from memory.

Anyone wishing to have a taped copy of their valentine video taping should bring along a VHS or Beta tape to the

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Anyone wishing to have a final edited copy or even the raw footage after the taping session will be charged an additional amount. Only one free copy can be made.

The video valentines will air between noon and 8 p.m. the week of Feb. 10-14. Each sender will be assigned to a time slot so they can know about when their valentines will air. Time slot information will be given out on the day of taping.

Groups also may wish to tape a message, such as a class sending their greetings to their teacher. Special group rates are available. There will be an additional 50 cents charge for each person over five in a group.

Omnicom and the Community Fund hope to make this an annual event and encourage lovers, friends, family members, co-workers and everyone to sign up.

Anyone with questions, or wishing to reserve a taping time slot, should call the Omnicom programming department at 459-7331 or 459-7335.

## Stella opens office

Dr. Philip J. Stella has opened an office in the Arbor Health Building, Ann Arbor Trail at Harvey, Plymouth. Stella, an oncologist, specializes in the treatment of cancer and is on staff at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. Stella, 34, earned his undergraduate degree at the University of Michigan and his medical degree at Michigan State University. In 1983 he was appointed an instructor in oncology at the Mayo Medical School in Rochester, Minn., and the next year worked as a volunteer for Mother Theresa of Calcutta.



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# Music theory, TAG classes set at S'craft

Schoolcraft College's music department will offer theory classes for pre-college-age students in response to requests from area piano teachers.

The classes run seven Saturdays from Jan. 25 to March 15. They are designed to tutor students preparing for the Michigan Music Teachers Association achievement tests. The course is available to transfer students and non-piano students.

Registration is 1-2:30 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 25, in F-300 of the Forum Building

on campus at 18600 Haggerty, Livonia. Cost is \$28.

**WALK-IN** registration for Schoolcraft's TAG (talented and gifted) classes in Adventures in Learning will be 1-7 p.m. Monday and Tuesday, Jan. 27-28, in the registration center on campus.

Classes are open to students ages 6 and 15. There are openings in all classes. A course list is available from the college at 591-6400 Ext. 410.

**NURSING CAREER** day will be hosted from noon to 3 p.m. Friday, Feb. 7, by sophomore associate degree nursing students. The fourth annual seminar is open to all nursing students and nurses.

Representatives from the University of Michigan, Michigan State, Wayne State, Eastern Michigan, Madonna College and Mercy College will answer questions and discuss baccalaureate programs for registered and licensed practical nurses.

Recruiters from health-care facilities will provide information on current job opportunities for registered and licensed practical nurses.

**COSMETOLOGY** salon ownership and management will be taught in a two-day seminar Feb. 16-17. Seminars will run from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on campus.

They are designed for salon owners, professional hairdressers and graduating cosmetology students. They will

cover procedures, equipment selection and computer salon development service.

Fee is \$125. Enrollment is limited. For registration information, call Schoolcraft's community services office at 591-6400 Ext. 409.

A \$6,000 grant for prisoner training has been given to Schoolcraft by the Community Foundation for Southeastern Michigan. Funds will support a 12-week pilot session for training prison-

ers to become custodial service representatives.

**BEIJING** Medical University in China has thanked Schoolcraft for a gift of books, videocassettes and tapes, according to Larry Ordowski, Schoolcraft's assistant dean of liberal arts.

Helen Dembicki, a part-time English instructor at Schoolcraft, presented the Beijing English department 10 texts, 12 tapes and a videocassette by biology professor Grover Niergarth called "The Compound for Life."

## excursions

### ● DENNIS DAY IN FRANKENMUTH

Plymouth Active Senior Elks are going to Frankenmuth to see the "Dennis Day Show" in the Bavarian Inn on March 4. Tour includes bus transportation, the show, a family-style chicken dinner at the Bavarian Inn, and a time for shopping including a stop at Bonner's. Charge is \$32 per person. Make checks payable to Express Travel and mail to 17421 Telegraph, Detroit, Mich. 48219. Space is limited so reserve early. If questions, call Ray Lampron at 981-6060 or Express Travel at 534-0450.

### ● CAMPBELL SOUP TOUR

The Plymouth Active Senior Elks on March 25 will take a tour of the Campbell Soup Factory, Napoleon, Ohio. The charge of \$24 per person includes bus transportation, the tour, a sit-down lunch of salad, chicken, potatoes, dessert and beverage at Empire Restaurant, and a stop at the Libby-Owens Glass enroute home. Reservations on a first-come basis; later applicants will be put on a waiting list. Make checks payable to Express Travel and mail to Express Travel, 17421 Telegraph, Detroit, Mich. 48219. For information, call 534-0450.

### ● ANN ARBOR DAY TRIP

The Plymouth Active Senior Elks are taking a guided tour of the Ann Arbor area, including the University of Michigan campus, on April 9. The package includes a sit-down lunch at the "Old German" and sing-alongs with a player of the "bones." Charge is \$28.75 per person. For information, call Ray Lampron at 981-6060 or Express Travel at 534-0450. Make checks payable to Express Travel and mail to Lampron at 6406 Pickwick Drive, Canton 48187. Reserve early.

### ● 'Y' TRAVELERS

The Y Travelers offers a variety of trips to satisfy a wide range of interests. A prerequisite is to be a YMCA member in good standing. For information on trips, call 453-2904. Some of the upcoming trips include:

- April 24-28, the Pocomos/Philadelphia/New York trip at \$449 per person based on double occupancy.
- May 11 to Westgate Dinner Theater in Toledo for "The King and I."
- May 24-26 weekend to Baby Grand Hotel, Portage Point, \$309 per person based on double occupancy.
- Aug. 24-30 Door County/Wisconsin Dell Trip, \$499 per person based on double occupancy.

## neighbors on cable

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- 7:30 p.m. . . . IRS: How to Prepare Forms, Part III - Covers 1040, schedules A & B.
- 8:30 p.m. . . . Community Upbeat - A program on many of the activities in Plymouth, Canton, Northville and nearby communities.
- 9 p.m. . . . Off the Wall - Seldom seen music videos. Hosted by Ron Moore, a Christian music veteran. A mixture of videos and short comedic sketches examining modern problems and philosophies with a satirical twist.
- 9:30 p.m. . . . Family Living - A series by Lutheran TV.

### SATURDAY (Jan. 25)

- noon . . . '86 Michigan Competitive Figure Skating.
- 1:30 p.m. . . . Hamburg Orchestra.
- 3 p.m. . . . Canton Senior Kitchen Band.
- 4 p.m. . . . The Suzuki Method.
- 5 p.m. . . . Sunny Scandinavia.
- 5:30 p.m. . . . The Need To Know - A special presentation on travel.
- 6 p.m. . . . Canton Senior Kitchen Band.
- 7 p.m. . . . '86 Michigan Competitive Figure Skating.
- 8:30 p.m. . . . Off the Wall.
- 9 p.m. . . . Keifer-Lee Live - Northville High Schools students present their own brand of humor and talk show entertainment.

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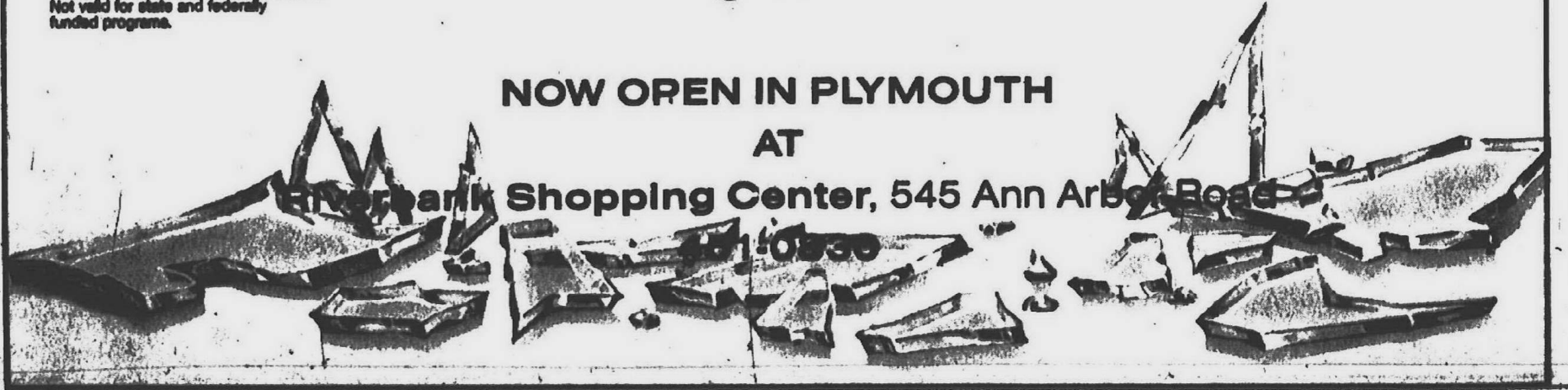
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### ● OLDTIME SQUARE DANCING

The City of Plymouth Parks and Recreation Department will be offering beginning square dancing for adults 55 and older beginning Feb. 3. Each dance session will be 7:30-9:30 p.m. Mondays in the Plymouth Cultural Center at 525 Farmer, Plymouth. Frankie Moran will be the caller. The charge is \$1 per session. For information, call the recreation department at 455-6620.

### ● ORAL MAJORITY TOASTMASTERS

The Oral Majority Toastmasters is a club where members can learn how to express their ideas, opinions, and aspirations at a weekly dinner meeting beginning 5:45 p.m. each Tuesday in the banquet room of Denny's restaurant at Ann Arbor Road and I-275 in Plymouth. For reservations or information, call Phyllis Sullivan at 455-1635.

### ● GREEK LANGUAGE LESSONS

If you are interested in learning the Greek language, lessons are being offered at the Nativity of the Virgin Mary Greek Orthodox Church at 39851 W. Five Mile in Plymouth. Lessons will be 7-9 p.m. Wednesdays. For more information, call 420-0131 between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. Monday through Friday.

### ● VOLUNTEER TRAINING

Turning Point, a non-profit community service of Growth Works Inc., 271 S. Main, Plymouth, is conducting volunteer recruitment and training to prepare volunteers for Crisis Phone intervention and phone line counseling. The training covers communication, empathy listening, building and bonding relationships, brokerage skills, crisis intervention, depression management, loss and grief, alcohol and substance abuse, and problem-solving methods.

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### ● BOY SCOUT TROOP 1539

Plymouth-Canton Boy Scout Troop 1539 meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first, second and fourth Thursdays of each month in Fiegel Elementary School, Joy and I-275. For information, call Don Cimo at 455-5378 or Doug Taylor at 455-1891.

### ● FREE PRESCHOOL

Are you the parent of a 3- or 4-year-old? Are you in a low-income bracket? Are you a foster parent or do you have a handicapped child? If you can show proof of any of the above, you still have time to enroll for this excellent free program designed for the family. Plymouth-Canton Head Start needs 3-year-olds and your child may qualify for this free preschool experience. For information, call 451-6656.

### ● MEN'S OPEN HOUSE

The gym at the Plymouth Salvation Army Community Center will be open 7-10 p.m. for an informal pickup game of basketball on a first-come basis. Fees are \$1 per night for members, \$1.50 for non-members.

### ● TEEN 3 ON 3 BASKETBALL

A teen 3-on-3 boys basketball league is being sponsored by the Salvation Army Community Center, Main just south of Ann Arbor Road in Plymouth. The league will run through March with games 4-7 p.m. Wednesdays. Ages are 13-18 (or high school) only. For more information, call Jeff Beachum at 453-5464.

### ● CANTON TOPS

Canton TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) No. 1236 meets each Thursday at Faith Community Church on Warren Road just west of Canton Center Road. Weigh-in is at 6:30 p.m. with the meeting 7-8 p.m. The group is open to teens, men and women. Open enrollment is taking place. Call 455-2656 or 459-5212 evenings.

### ● ISSHINRYU KARATE

Isshinryu Karate classes are 8 to 9:30 p.m. Wednesdays and Thursdays at the Canton Recreation Center on Michigan Avenue at Sheldon for people ages 9-50. Fee is \$35 per person for 10 weeks. Canton Parks and Recreation is sponsoring karate lessons for all levels. Sam Santilli, 5th-degree black belt, will instruct all ages. Register at the recreation center in person before classes on Wednesday or Thursday. Registration is continuous. For more information, call the recreation department at 397-1000 Ext. 212 between 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

### ● AFTER-SCHOOL RECREATION

A daily recreational opportunity is being offered for elementary and high school students at the Plymouth Salvation Army Community Center, Main Street just south of Ann Arbor Road. Open every weekday 3 to 5:30 p.m. is the center's gym for basketball, floor hockey, gymnastics and a game room which includes foosball tables, pool tables, weights, a pingpong table, and bumper pool. Arts and crafts also available. Free.

### ● VOLUNTEERS SOUGHT

Canton Care Council, an affiliate of the Ann Arbor-based Community Councils Association, is seeking volunteers interested in enhancing the quality of life for nursing home residents. Volunteers serve on the council, which meets once a month to plan social, service or educational activities for residents at Canton Care Center. The time commitment is three to six hours per month. For more information, contact Kathy Belisle at 981-2382.

### ● SPECIAL EDUCATION SERVICES

Preprimary special education services for children 6 and younger are available through Plymouth-Canton Community Schools. If you have a child who may be mentally or emotionally impaired, have a physical or visual disability, or a hearing or speech impairment or learning disability, call the Infant and Preschool Special Education Program at Farrand Elementary School, 451-6610, for information.

### ● OPEN SKATING

The winter open skating schedule at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer, is as follows: Mondays, 1 to 2:45 p.m. and 7-8 p.m.; Tuesdays and

Thursdays, 8:30-10:40 a.m., 1-2:50 p.m. and 3:50-5:20 p.m.; Wednesdays, 1-2:50 p.m.; Fridays, 8:30-10:40 a.m. and 1-2:45 p.m.; and Sundays, 2-3:20 p.m. and 3:30-4:50 p.m. Fees are \$1.25 for adults, \$1 for children and skate rental is 50 cents. For further information, contact the recreation department at 455-6620.

### ● GENEALOGY INSTRUCTION

Is there a skeleton in your closet? Would you like to find out? Join Canton Seniors 12:30-3 p.m. Tuesdays at the Canton Recreation Center and get help tracing your family tree. A genealogy instructor will give individual attention and assistance. Also included are field trips and informational speakers. The class is free and high school CT credit may be earned. For information, call the Canton Seniors at 387-1000, Ext. 278.

### ● PARENT/CHILD GUIDE PROGRAMS

If you like camping, canoeing, making crafts, and learning about American Indians, you will like the Y Indian Guide programs. The charge of \$30 includes a family membership in the Plymouth Community Family YMCA. The programs include: Indian Guides, fathers and sons, ages 5 and older; Indian Maidens, mothers and daughters, ages 5 and older; Indian Princess, fathers and daughters, ages 5 and older; Indian Braves, mothers and sons, ages 5 and older. Interested parents may come to the YMCA office at 248 S. Union, Plymouth, to sign up between 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. For information, call 453-2904.

### ● CANTON HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Canton Historical Society at 7:30 p.m. meets the second Thursday of each month in the Canton Historical Society Museum on Canton Center Road at Proctor.

### ● MINOR HOME REPAIRS

The Conference of Western Wayne Minor Home Repair Program has been funded through Senior Alliance Inc. for fiscal year 1985. The program assists homeowners 60 and older with minor home repair tasks. For information, call 525-8690.

### ● YMCA LEADERS CLUB

The Plymouth Community Family YMCA is sponsoring a YMCA Leaders Club to help youth function as leaders or assistants. Many activities will be scheduled this year such as campouts, community projects, fund-raising projects, trips. Needed are youth who want to expand their knowledge of the YMCA and have fun. For information, call 453-2904.

### ● RAINBOW CHILD CARE

The Friendly Rainbow Child Care & Learning Center is accepting registration fall sessions. Classes are available for children ages 2½ to 12. The center, 42290 Five Mile at Bradner in Plymouth,

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## Registration time for city classes

Registrations are being accepted for leisure-time classes being offered by City of Plymouth Parks and Recreation.

A special registration has been scheduled for 5-7 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 29. Persons also may sign up for classes from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer.

Almost all classes will begin the week of Feb. 3.

● Arts & Crafts will be offered for ages 5-12 from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. Mondays for eight weeks in the Cultural Center.

● Persons can learn the basic skills of golf from the professional staff at Oasis Golf Center. Practice clubs are available and lessons will be held under the dome.

One session for ages 6-12 will be 6:30-7:30 p.m. Mondays and for ages 13 and older 7:30-8:30 p.m. Mondays, both for a period of four weeks.

● Judo and karate will be offered for 12 weeks on Thursdays at various times according to age. This session is under way but may be joined late.

● Basic ballet positions will be taught on Wednesdays at various times according to age levels for 11 weeks at the Cultural Center. Emphasis will be on rhythm and movement for the younger dancer.

● Modern jazz will be taught 7-7:30 p.m. Wednesdays for ages 7-12 for 11 weeks in the Cultural Center.

● Tap lessons will be 5:30-6 p.m. Wednesdays for ages 6-8 and 6:30-7 p.m. Wednesdays for ages 9-12 in the Cultural Center.

● A one-day cross country ski clinic will be Feb. 8 for ages 12 and older at Mayberry State Park, Eight Mile and Beck. Lessons will be 9-11 a.m. The charge is \$12 with skis provided or \$10 to persons who bring their own skis.

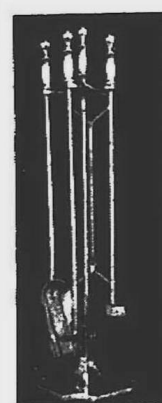
● Ski lessons for beginners, advanced beginners and intermediates will be offered at Riverview Highlands at \$36 for four lessons. The charge includes lift tickets and rental equipment. The second series of lessons begins Feb. 3. For exact times and dates, call the recreation department at 455-6620.

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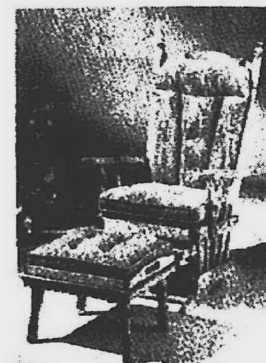
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# Alarmed sheriff asks 52 deputies be restored

By Tim Richard  
staff writer

Sheriff Robert A. Ficano wants voters to put the heat on their local Wayne County commissioners to restore 52 officers in his department.

"I've bitten my tongue long enough," said Ficano, charging his department had become "a pawn" in a prolonged political battle between County Executive William Lucas and the 15-member commission.

Ficano was supported by Lee Landes, the Livonian who is spokesman for Mothers Against Drunk Driving, and Don Cox, president of the union local, which represents deputies and sergeants and which is suing the county to seek restoration of the jobs.

LAYOFF NOTICES are due to go out Jan. 26 to 33 of his officers, said Ficano of Livonia.

The commission is due to meet Jan.

23. Chairman John Hertel, D-Harper Woods, said the money would be forthcoming, and Ficano had no reason to worry.

The battle started when the commission made seven cuts in Lucas' budget, believing the executive's revenue estimates were low.

Four cuts directly affect the executive: his controversial chief of staff, his public relations staff, his bodyguards and his travel allowance. Politically, there is almost no chance the commission will restore them.

Three cuts affect public services: the Sheriff's Department, the Parks and Recreation Division and the Economic Development Corporation. Informally, commissioners agreed these would be restored as much as possible.

That was Ficano's understanding, too: "People would wink and say 'don't worry.'"

POLITICS IS a factor, Ficano said.

Lucas is a Democrat-turned-Republican and eyeing the governor's office, while the commission is 14-1 Democratic. Commission Chairman Hertel is exploring a race for executive. Ficano, too, is eyeing the executive race.

Hertel said in a phone interview that "so far politics is completely out of it. The Sheriff's Department will be a priority."

But with action at the commission level almost at a standstill, Ficano is worried and Tuesday called in the media, Cox and Landes.

Ficano said money is available from 1) \$15,000 in concessions in the deputies' contract and 2) revenue from a contract with the U.S. Marshall to house federal prisoners.

"THESE CUTS definitely will impair public safety," the sheriff said. The

\$1.5 million in sheriff's cuts would eliminate 52 positions:

• Park patrols — 21 officers, serving largely Hines Park in Northville, Plymouth, Livonia, Westland, Garden City and Dearborn Heights, and Elizabeth Park on the Detroit River at Trenton. The park patrol would be cut to eight. Last year officers issued 2,000 violations and helped make Hines Park, in particular, "family oriented."

• Drunk driving task force — six officers. "They made 1,301 arrests," said Ficano. "Those were potential casualties."

• Felony warrant squad — five officers. Last year they issued 2,500 warrants and arrested 750 "wanted" persons.

HERTEL SAID the budget matter could be resolved as early as Jan. 23,

certainly by mid-February. "In this season, there are no serious problems in the parks," he said, adding that the drunk driving problem peaked in the Christmas season.

"Two weeks — that's not going to affect the citizens of this county," Hertel said, adding:

"I told him the first or second week of December what would take place. I told him the timetable."

COX, PRESIDENT of Local 502 of the Service Employees International Union, AFL-CIO, bargaining agent for the deputies and sergeants, said the union Tuesday filed suit in Wayne Circuit Court over the layoffs.

"We are asking an injunction to prevent the layoffs," said Cox. Defendants

are Lucas, the commission and Ficano. "There is clear contractual language. The OUI (drunk driving) warrant squad and park patrol shall be created and funded for the life of this agreement. The reopened agreement expires July 1."

"This (the budget cut) is a clear violation," Cox said.

While 52 positions are eliminated by the budget, only 33 layoffs actually would result because 19 persons could be absorbed into vacant slots, Ficano said.

LANDES, KNOWN statewide as a spokesman against drunk driving, said he's worried that even if the layoffs are temporary, morale would suffer in the drunk driving task force.

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Arkansas and Texas are celebrating 150th anniversaries, and Tennessee is celebrating Homecoming '86. All three are sending out the message to expatriates and visitors: Y'all come back now!

It is only a few years since we celebrated our bicentennial as a nation. Now the states, one by one, are celebrating their own anniversaries. Michigan's turn won't come until next year, but many Michigan residents are really down-homers with a thin layer of Yankee veneer.

**ARKANSAS**, once called the Bear State, is already flying its red-white-and-blue starred flag over a series of sesquicentennial events in the capitol city of Little Rock and in towns from the Mississippi River to the borders of Oklahoma and Texas.

Arkansas was the 25th state to be admitted to the union. Celebrations will include everything from art fairs and flower shows to hoe-downs and quilting bees, along with festivals that celebrate the diverse ethnic character of the pioneers.



**Iris Jones**  
contributing travel writer

A highlight will be the Arkansas Sesquicentennial Play, which tours the state from March 3 through May 30, capturing the issues that faced the state's settlers as they marched toward statehood in 1836.

The focal point of the year will be June 13-15 when simultaneous commemorative observances will be held statewide to honor the 150th birthday.



Photos/MICKY JONES

It's going to be almost a year-long celebration for Texas and Arkansas this year. Music, parades, shows, parties and special events of all kinds will play a strong part. At the top left is a typical event for Arkansas' Ozark Folk Center — a guitar pickin' contest. The wagon train will be a familiar sight in Texas as scenes of the Old West are re-created. Wandering musical groups such as this one in San Antonio (left) will add color and atmosphere to Texas cities during the celebrations.

Austin has planned more than 100 historical, musical and entertainment events for that city alone. Every city and town has been planning parades, printing song books, sponsoring contests and planning festivities.

Hikers, canoers, boaters and bicycle riders are only a few of the enthusiasts taking part in The Great Texas Crossing, with the longest expedition following the 1,100-mile route of the Trans Texas Trail.

**HOUSTON HAS** built a new museum of Texas History and Technology to trace the 465-year heritage of Texas by using a "time machine" that makes three-dimensional displays come to life.

Texas is holding the Birthday Party of the Century in the capital city of Austin Feb. 20 through March 2, launched from the steps of the state capitol building by Prince Charles.

the Texas Sesquicentennial Commission, Box 1986, Austin, Texas, 78767.

**TENNESSEE** became a state in 1796, so its a long way past its 150th birthday. It will celebrate its bicentennial in ten years. In the meantime, Tennessee is calling its celebration Homecoming '86.

Communities all over the state are planning festivals, some of them with original fund raising ideas.

In Soddy-Daisy, residents were flying high on plane rides sponsored by the area council; they could see their home town from a new point of view for only five cents for each pound of body weight. In Afton, each person in town is being asked to contribute a penny for every year of their age.

There will be 2000 fairs statewide this year in the Volunteer State, so named for its record in furnishing volunteers for the War of 1812 and the Mexican War. Expect everything from art shows, beauty pageants and chattering suppers to Senior Citizen days and lecture series.

Contact Tennessee Homecoming '86, 18th Floor, James K. Polk Building, Nashville, Tennessee, 37219.

## Guidebooks can help make travel easier

**Iris Jones**  
special writer

Travelers can make it easier for themselves if they read about travel before making decisions. Here are some guidebooks which could prove to be useful:

"Passport: to Europe's Small Hotels and Inns" by Beverly Beyer. It lists 850 lodgings in 23 countries and has tips on car rental rates, Eurail passes and other travel bargains. This is a handy purse or pocket-sized book. Available by writing: Passport Publications, Box 24684B, Los Angeles, CA 90024. Include a check for \$5.95 for a single copy and \$1.50 for postage and handling.

"Lost and Found in Australia" by John McDermott. It describes, among other things, the availability of desert safaris by bus and whitewater safaris by "rubber duck" or houseboating, wine-tasting, kangaroo "bangtail" watching and festivals.

With color pictures, maps and

good humor the author lets you plan a different trip. Timely because the America's Cup sailing races are coming to Perth in 1987.

Before you go to the Old West, see Alice Cromie's book "Tour Guide to the Old West," published by Times Books. Each of the Western States is covered by chapters that include information on historical sites, old forts, battlegrounds and hints of legends surrounding characters of the early days. Available in local bookstores or from Times Books, Three Park Ave., N.Y., N.Y. 10016.

A different kind of western experience is offered in the "Movie Lover's Guide to Hollywood," by Richard Alleman, one of the travel editors at Vogue Magazine.

This book gives a "gossipy insider's" look at more than 300 surviving Los Angeles sites that have played a role in the movie capitol's history — the secret location of "Dynasty's" Carrington Mansion and Ronald Reagan's first rooms in Hollywood, for example.

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### Board cool to park task force

Plymouth Township officials don't think much about a plan to study alternative ways to fund the county parks system.

The township board has emphasized the point by urging the county board of commissioners and County Executive William Lucas to fund the parks from current tax dollars rather than establishing a task force to look at other ways to foot the bill.

"You can tell the county is broke again. They want us to ante up," said Supervisor Maurice Breen. "If we do endorse the task force they say everyone is unanimously behind this and the next thing you're supporting a one-mill tax increase.

"I always have suspicions about a blue ribbon committee," Breen said. "They always seem to beat the drum for additional taxes."

County Commissioner W. Curt Boller, who represents several down-river communities, asked for the township's reaction to a task force. A resolution circulated by Boller cites a reduction of \$500,000 in the county parks and recreation budget for 1988 in calling for the study committee.

"Us not going forward doesn't mean they're not going to do it," Breen said.

The Wayne County parks system includes Hines Park.

### for your information

Continued from Page 1

provides child care, preschool experiences, drop-in and after-school programs. Experiences are varied according to age and ability. For information, call Markita Gottschalk or Janet Mason at 420-0495 and 420-0489.

#### ● SUBURBAN CHILDREN'S CO-OP

Suburban Children's Co-op Nursery now is accepting applications for the 1988-89 school year. Classes meet on Monday and Thursday mornings for 3-year-olds, on Tuesday and Friday mornings for 4-year-olds. For information, call Diane Klemmer at 453-1054 or Ann Gignac at 464-0344.

#### ● SENIOR NUTRITION PROGRAMS

Out-Wayne County Human Services Inc. provides to senior citizens age 60 or older, or to the spouse of a senior 60 or older, a hot noon meal five days a week for a suggested donation of \$1. Menus include such items as roast beef, chop suey, chicken, vegetables, fruit and desserts.

Home-delivered meals also are provided for seniors who are homebound. Volunteers deliver the meals directly to the client. Reservations for meals must be made 24 hours in advance. For further information, or if you are interested in volunteering to deliver home meals, call 422-2602. The Senior Nutrition Program sites in this area are:

Canton Township Recreation Center, 44237 Michigan Ave., Canton 48188;  
Tonquish Creek Manor, 1160 Sheridan, Plymouth 48170.

#### ● HELPING ADULTS READ

Plymouth-Canton Community Education can help adults read. For more information, about

Adult Basic Education, call 451-6556 or 451-6664. Open enrollment. Students can begin classes at any time.

#### ● NEW HORIZONS

New Horizons, a sharing exchange for mothers, will meet the second and fourth Fridays of each month 9:30-11:30 a.m. at Faith Moravian Community Church, 46001 Warren west of Canton Center Road. For information, call Mary at 456-9221.

#### ● EMERGENCY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Plymouth Township Office of Emergency Preparedness needs volunteers to be trained in skills that will be used during an emergency or disaster. Training includes damage assessment, shelter management, first aid, emergency operating center support, and service weather spotting.

Training meetings are held from 9 a.m. to noon on the fourth Saturday of each month in Plymouth Township Hall at Ann Arbor Road and Mill. Township residency is not required. All training is free.

#### ● WANTED: CIVIC RADIO HELP

Plymouth Area REACT Team (PART) is looking for members for emergency radio communication (no experience necessary) and other community

programs. All residents from Plymouth, Canton, Northville and surrounding areas are invited. The group meets at 8 p.m. the second Thursday of each month at Plymouth Township Hall, Mill at Ann Arbor Road. For more information, call 455-9999-453-7641.

#### ● TRIDE WITH US

Plymouth Area Citizen's Team (FACT) is looking for members. Take a ride with a FACT member and see how the team of volunteers works. For more information, call 456-7654.

### WSDP / 88.1

(WSDP-FM 88.1 is the student-operated radio station at Plymouth Centennial Educational Park (CEP).)

**MONDAY (Jan. 27)**  
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5:05 p.m. . . . Family Health.

#### PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

**THURSDAY (Jan. 23)**  
4:05 p.m. . . . This Day In History.  
5:05 p.m. . . . Family Health.  
8-10 p.m. . . . 88 Escape with Geoffrey B.

**TUESDAY (Jan. 28)**  
4:05 p.m. . . . This Day In History.  
5:05 p.m. . . . Family Health.  
6:10 p.m. . . . Family Report - Parent to parent.

#### FRIDAY (Jan. 24)

4:05 p.m. . . . This Day In History.  
5:05 p.m. . . . Family Health.  
6:10 p.m. . . . CEP Sports Weekly - Host Dan Johnston.  
7:30 p.m. . . . Basketball Game of Week - Plymouth Canton vs. Northville.

**WEDNESDAY (Jan. 29)**  
4:05 p.m. . . . This Day In History.  
5:05 p.m. . . . Family Health.  
6:10 p.m. . . . Community Focus - Host Noelle Torrance.

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# S'craft likes aid increase but says millage still needed

College leaders are happy Gov. James J. Blanchard is continuing his budget emphasis on education. But despite Blanchard's 5.5 percent recommended increase, they are uncertain what it means to them.

"I'm pleased education is still a high priority," said Schoolcraft College President Richard McDowell.

"We (community colleges) have helped this state with economic development by training and re-training employees. I'm pleased the governor recognizes our role.

"But we still will need our millage," added McDowell. Schoolcraft is asking voters March 24 to approve a half-mill (50 cents per \$1,000 of state equalized valuation) property tax increase. It would be used mainly for physical plant, equipment and faculty upgrading.

McDowell noted that Schoolcraft usually "comes out of the low end of the range" in any formula for community college funding. Thus, a 5.5 percent increase for all 29 two-year col-

leges may amount only to 4% percent for the northwestern Wayne County institution.

"Last year it was 5.5 percent, too, but there was 4.75 to 5 percent for Schoolcraft," he said.

Of Schoolcraft's \$18.5 million operating budget this year, \$6.1 million — about one-third — will come from the state. The rest comes from property taxes and tuition.

McDowell said community colleges are due for \$50,000 in construction money, although that is usually consid-

ered a token amount for planning and engineering.

"Everyone in the state will get \$50,000. We submit a list of projects (for state funding). There's a lot of repair stuff, a lot of catch-up," he said. Community colleges in recent years haven't been getting state money for construction.

AS SOON AS Blanchard's Jan. 15 announcement was made, Wayne State University President David Adamany was praising it.

"I'm impressed at the high priority Gov. Blanchard has given to higher education for the fourth straight year," Adamany said. "His intention to increase state financial support for higher education is especially meaningful this year when state revenues are expected to be tight because of lower automobile sales and reduction in the income tax rate.

"Even though lower revenues will require an \$11 million overall reduction in state spending next year, the governor has recommended a 5.5-percent increase for higher education," he said.

One measure was increased voter support of millage requests. Other Runkel examples:

- State aid to schools rose 11.7 percent last year and 46 percent in the three previous years.
- 68 per cent of Michigan school districts qualified for so-called "incentive funding" by providing students a minimum of a six-hour day at the high-school level.
- Higher education appropriations rose 13 percent for four-year colleges and universities and 10 percent for community colleges.
- Student financial aid rose 37 percent.
- The State Board of Education toughed teacher certification requirements.
- Student achievement scores rose in both reading and math.

## Florist's work is never done

By W.W. Edgar  
staff writer

It may be surprising to learn as you drive about the Plymouth community that the busiest places are the nurseries where the beautiful flowers are raised and cared for.

Sure, as you pass them, they look deserted. The windows and floors are cold and look frozen. The snow outside is piled up. But inside there is a busy humming as plans are made for next year and even as far ahead as Christmas of 1987.

"This is the time we have to work, and work hard," said Mrs. Joseph Graye of the Graye Nursery at Lilley and Joy in Plymouth, "and if we aren't ready for spring we would be in trouble financially."

As she spoke, all aisles in the glass building were lined with all sorts of trays and other materials used to hold the pots and give the seeds and seedling a chance to grow.

"Sure, it looks like a cold place but we must keep it heated during the winter. And the costs are high," she said.

MRS. GRAYE was working on a flat of seedlings. The flowers would not be ready until next May. The soil was a special type that would help in the growing of the plants and flowers for the spring days when flowers are good items on the market.

Among the flats in which she and her daughter were working were wax begonias which must be ready by May.

The most interesting thing to the

neophyte in flowers was the flats where the blooms were to be ready for Christmas of 1987. In this group were cyclamens.

And, Mrs. Graye explained, if they didn't hurry at this season of the year when the ground is covered with ice and snow, they wouldn't be ready at Christmas time in 1987.

Among the flowers now being readied for the spring trade were wax begonias, and the others that are planted in December for sale in May and June.

Of course the aisles are filled with the more popular spring flowers such as petunias and snap dragons. And they are there by the hundreds.

THE BIG JOB is to watch the calendar and work on the flowers that are the early plants for your flower gardens. Later on, the geraniums are due to flower and the home flower gardens will take on the beauty of spring.

With all of this work inside what appears to be covered with ice, the place must be kept warm.

The Graye greenhouse is heated during the winter by gas. It replaced coal which became too expensive.

The Graye greenhouse is one of the oldest in the country. It was built for and opened by her father away back in 1915 and it has been a family activity through the years. A few years ago Joseph Graye died, but Mrs. Graye now feels she must keep the place going.

It is a matter of family pride. She is well known throughout the Plymouth community and knows many of the customers by name as they enter.

### from our readers

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### Hospice thanks the Newcomers

To the editor:

On behalf of the Board of Directors of Hospice Support Services Inc., our patients and families, and all of our volunteers I want to publicly thank the Canton Newcomers for its generous gift to Hospice Support Services.

Thanks to the contributions of the Newcomer members and the business community of both Plymouth and Canton, the Canton Newcomers' Charity Auction raised \$1,060 for our hospice organization.

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gram to bring physical and emotional support to those living with terminal illness.

Since our organization is an all-volunteer group, we rely on such gifts to continue our services to those in need of hospice care. In the truest sense, behind each physical act of caring and emotional support service is the hands of those who remember us with financial support.

Since I am a resident of Canton, I felt the need to offer this expression of gratitude so that others in our community might be made aware.

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## Gibson precedent has fans wondering

WITH winter's sharp winds biting you these mornings, it is difficult to believe that the baseball players soon will be heading to "spring" training camp for what is certain to be an interesting season.

During winter, the big league players held the stage with their demands for long-term contracts and unbelievable salaries. The time has come for the owners to take the center of attention. And that is what will make it interesting.

For instance, fans now will keep their eyes on Kirk Gibson to see if he is earning a million-dollar salary. He had better come through.

You can imagine the roar of the fans if he fails to hit with men in scoring position. During the World Series, Gibson jumped with glee when his home run decided the issue. He'll have to jump a lot of times this season to earn his paychecks.

THE REAL shock will come when the owners start renewed action. It will not be surprising to see them take action to eliminate long-term contracts.

In fact, Bill LaJoie, general manager of the Tigers, already has stated that one- and two-year contracts will be in vogue.

Owners will not be on the defensive any more, as was the case with Gibson. He stuck it out to the last minute to demand a five-year pact. Finally he settled for three years, but he possibly put an end to long-term pacts, regardless of how good he plays in the coming season.

Gibson's demand for more money and a five-year pact to play right field was a poor example of the fellow he followed in the toughest part of the playing field.

### the stroller W.W. Edgar

WHEN AL Kaline was there, he received \$90,000. When he was offered \$100,000, Kaline refused it, claiming he was not worth it.

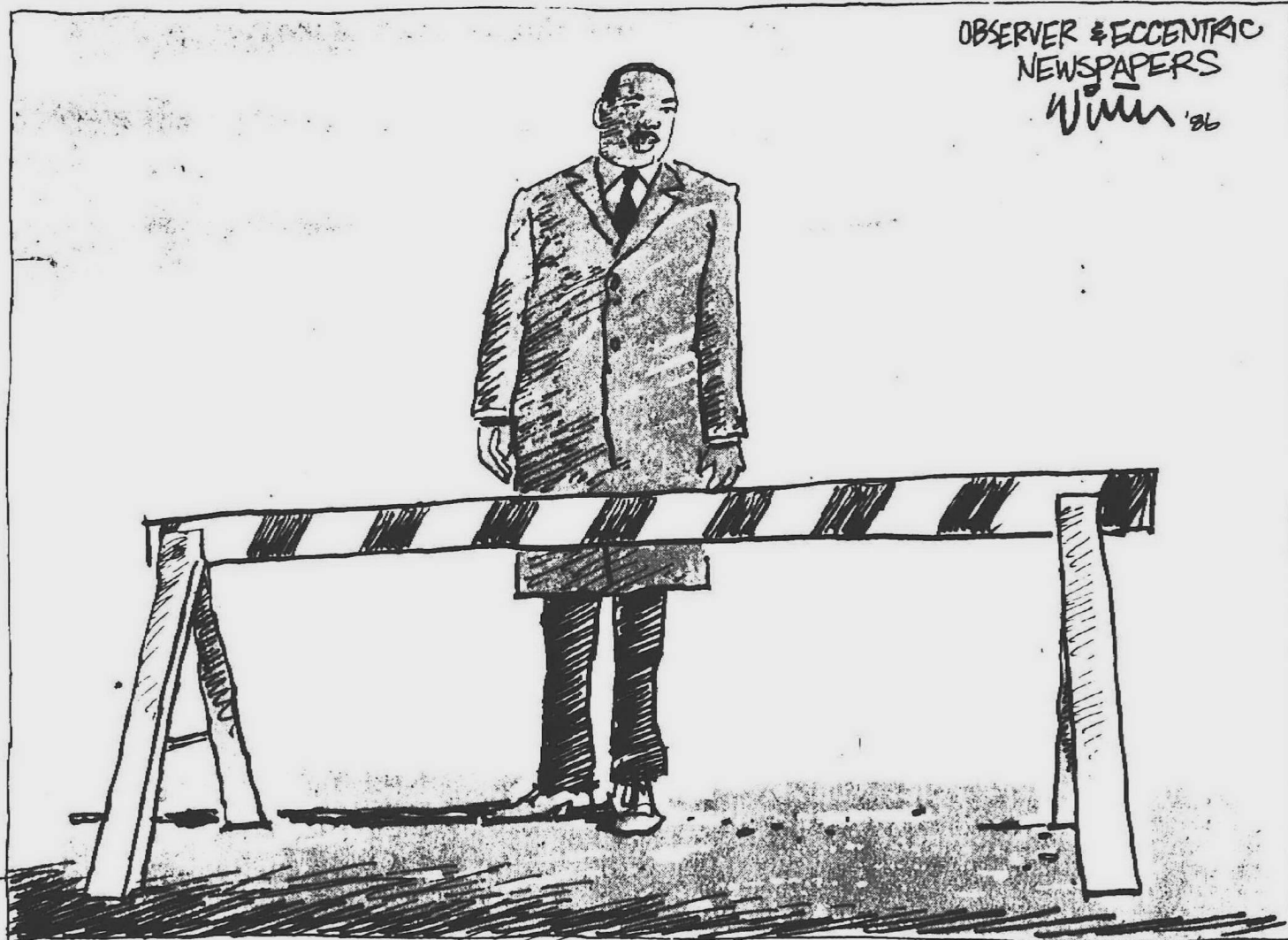
Can you imagine a fellow turning down a \$10,000-a-year raise? Well, Kaline did, and will long be remembered. Gibson will be long remembered, too, for greediness.

Take a look at the record books, and you'll find few players who graciously accepted short-term contracts. Even Babe Ruth never complained about his paycheck. And he deserved what he got — and more.

But it will be fun at the next owners' meeting to see how far back they will go to make up for the demands they received since the close of last season. Don't be surprised if they place two-year limits on the pacts hereafter.

BACK IN 1909 when the Detroit Tigers won their third straight pennant, owner Frank Navin refused to grant any raises. He argued that attendance didn't permit it. And his word stuck.

You might find some more Navins when contract time comes again. Whatever happens, the players have brought it on themselves.



## Sweet dreams for equality

### REMEMBER DR. KING?

*I fine tune the focus on the projector.*

There we are, a couple of college kids from the University of Detroit. It's March 14, 1968, and we're covering Dr. Martin Luther King's speech at the Grosse Pointe High School auditorium for the Varsity News.

Donald Lobsinger, chairman of a right-wing fringe group called Breakthrough, uses his pickets to block easy access to the auditorium. We walk up and down the line, looking for an opening. Finding none, we lower our heads and charge across.

There's Dr. King, standing all alone on stage. There must be thousands of people in here. And look at their faces. Boy, if looks could kill . . .

*The film rolls forward three weeks to April 4, 1968.*

OH, MY GOD. They killed him. What's that? Oh, sure. We can blow up my pictures to go with the story.

But, why kill a dreamer? Murder doesn't erase a dream for equality. It only creates a nightmare.

*I hit the fast-forward button on the projector. It takes nearly 18 years, but the nation finally celebrates its first holiday honoring Dr. King.*

Nearly a thousand people fill Southfield's pavilion. Black and white, young



Sandra Armbruster

and old. They even run out of chairs.

The speakers talked of dreams, of dedication, love and freedom.

We are "instruments of peace," says Dr. William Anderson, an adviser to Dr. King.

We join hands, raising our voices, our arms and our vision skyward. Grownups brush their eyes while singing "the truth shall make us free." Bodies rock gently as we join Southfield/Lathrup student Gary Bokas in singing "Let there be peace on earth."

For one long, glorious moment, the dream is alive.

YET WHILE there is a celebration in Southfield, the city government refuses to co-sponsor the celebration, saying it doesn't want to set a precedent. Elsewhere in the metropolitan area, our national celebration of Dr. King's birthday passes without much notice.

School districts in our circulation area pay little attention. Bloomfield Hills had newspaper clippings displayed near school media centers. West Bloomfield schools

had packets of information available to all high school students. Farmington schools left the observance up to individual principals. Plymouth/Canton school officials said they've held programs in the past, but did nothing Monday.

In Westland where blacks still live south of Michigan Avenue but there are no black elected officials in the city or schools, officials occupied themselves with a millage election.

The cities in our area, almost all white, uniformly ignored the holiday. Tiny Orchard Lake Village rescheduled its council meeting.

HOW FAR we've come; how far we have left to go.

"As long as Ronald Reagan turns back the clocks on affirmative action and gives comfort to the Ku Klux Klan, we've got some work to do," says Anderson.

"As long as there is apartheid, anti-semitism and oppression in Central America, we've got some work to do."

"As long as there is segregation and discrimination and opportunities denied . . . we've got some work to do."

*I unplug the projector.*

Anderson's words still ring in my ears. "King is dead, but it is not finished."

"The dream lives on, and we can make it become reality if we stand together, hand-in-hand."

## Dearborn: no easy solutions

COMMUNITY LEADERS throughout the metropolitan area are beginning to look at Dearborn and wonder what lies ahead.

An attempt by black leaders to rescind the effect of a city ordinance barring non-Dearbornites from city parks has hit a stone wall.

Newly installed mayor Mike Guido so far refuses to sign an agreement that would tell all that Dearborn will not enforce its controversial ordinance.

There is some prospect of rallies, marches and attempts to test the parks ordinance this summer. Black and civil rights organizations are attempting to boycott Dearborn businesses.

DEARBORN, WHICH for years enjoyed a special status among Detroit suburbs, is a city in trouble. City officials from other nearby communities are wondering if it can happen to them.

The move against Dearborn was caused by three or four people intent on proving that a city neighboring Detroit could not deliberately bar non-Detroiters, specifically blacks, from its community, city officials contend.

They wish the problem would somehow go away with a compromise and a kind of a wink that says, "Yes, we have the ordinance, but we aren't going to pay attention to it."



Bob Wisler

THOSE PUSHING for a written agreement won't buy the wink.

Dearborn officials are caught in a trap, however. The controversial parks ordinance was an election-year proposal that most Dearborn politicians didn't want to have anything to do with.

Dearborn's mayor for the eight years previous to Guido, John O'Reilly, shunned the parks issue. Dearborn's police chief said it couldn't be enforced. One Dearborn councilman pushed to get the proposal on the ballot and citizens approved it.

Mayor Guido was conducting a different kind of campaign en route to a victory, which cost \$135,000. One of Guido's strategists devised a campaign that focused on the "Arab problem."

DEARBORN, A city with only a handful of blacks, has the largest Arab population in the United States and Dearborn's white majority is not too happy about it. Guido in his campaign literature promised to do something about it.

It almost seems that the present ad-

ministration is paying for the faults of previous administrations, a kind of Biblical handing down of the sins of the fathers.

For more than 20 years, Orville Hubbard was Dearborn's government. He kept his job and immense favor with the public by keeping Dearborn clean and white.

No matter what the present day administrators say, Dearborn had a history of deliberately excluding blacks. Those who tried to move into the city were badgered and troubled until they left. Hubbard wanted it that way.

WHILE HUBBARD barred the front door an Arab population came in the back door and this relatively poorer class is seen as a source of social problems.

At the same time, Dearborn's subsidized ride is over. For many years residents received better than average services while paying a lower than average city tax. The Ford Motor Co., with its headquarters and giant plant in Dearborn, paid the lion's share, willingly.

But times change. Ford protested its tax share and the courts upheld the contention that the city was soaking the auto giant to subsidize the rest of the city. The tax rate is changing.

For Dearborn residents, the clamor over the parks obscures other problems. It's sure to get worse before it gets better.

### from our readers

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## French students come in March

To the Editor:

On behalf of our visiting French students, Plymouth-Canton Community Schools Back to Back Exchange Program would like to thank several of our business and community members for their generous contributions.

A class of 10-12-year-old French children will be visiting Plymouth-Canton March 3-24. This will be followed by a class of similar Plymouth-Canton children visiting Montmorency, France, April 7-28.

Contributions are only used for educational field trips for our French visitors. Supporters of the cultural exchange program include local businesses and industry, and individuals such as John Casblancas, James M. Carney, Esther Hulsing, E. Owen Pollack and Earl Dean Swartzweiler. The Plymouth Historical Museum also has issued an invitation for a visit by the French children.

The children will present a program to the community during their stay in March. More information will be forthcoming. Contributions still are needed and appreciated. It is hoped that the initial cultural exchange program will be very successful and will become a regular educational opportunity for our students.

Anyone wishing to support it may send their contribution payable to "Plymouth-Canton Back to Back Program," care of George Dodson, Smith School, 1298 McKinley, Plymouth Mich. 48170. For more information, contact Nancy Vernon at 455-7153.

Cathy Darling,  
Plymouth

## Upset about BB-gun vandals

To the Editor:

Actually this isn't a letter to the editor but rather a letter addressing the person or persons who enjoy joy-riding around Plymouth and the surrounding cities with a pellet gun and breaking car windows.

Have you ever stopped to think of the damage you are doing with your so-called "fun?" Not only the damage to property but the cost to innocent people who park their cars on the streets of Plymouth. My car is one of the many cars that line the streets of Plymouth.

Someone broke the driver's window of my car. I don't know how other people feel about it, and there were many others, but I'm downright mad. Not everyone can af-

ford to replace car windows. I for one certainly can't, being a college student, and there are many older residents of our city.

Maybe you should stop and think how you would feel if someone broke your car windows.

Mary A. Landreth,  
Plymouth

## Upset over street lighting

To the editor:

As a regular traveler of northbound I-275 to eastbound I-96 to Detroit in the pre-dawn, I am appalled that the State Highway Department would have installed strategically located Texas-Tower-type lighting and then use only a small amount of this lighting.

This entire interchange (I-275, I-96 and M-14) could be the most efficient and safe in the state but, as it presently exists, it is not only a bottleneck but a source of many unnecessary accidents.

Also, Ann Arbor Road between Haggerty and Lilley has very, very poor lighting — especially in the area of the railroad crossing. Many accidents, even fatalities, have occurred in this area.

M. Gerou,  
Plymouth

## Pupils protest pigeon poison

To the editor:

My third-grade class had occasion to discuss the poisoning of pigeons in Plymouth the other day. Our class collected \$68 to send to the Humane Society before Christmas and we were greatly distressed to hear of the plan to poison the pigeons.

Not only is it very inhumane to poison any living thing in this way but what of the other birds that will die, too. We are hoping you will have room to publish one student's letter which expresses so well our feelings on this matter.

Cynthia Baker  
3rd Grade Teacher  
Smith School

Dear City Commissioners:

Do you think you please could find another way of getting rid of the pigeons or another way of getting the pigeons out of the buildings (please don't kill them). It's not right to kill something. What if other kinds of birds came and ate the pigeon bird seed. Then they would die for no reason. In books it says that living things are worth more than all the money in the world. Please don't poison the pigeons.

Matt Lee



# Business, long life go together, at least for flies

One organism seems to thrive by "burning the candle at both ends."  
 A Wayne State University researcher has drawn this and other conclusions about aging from his test animals, fruit flies, and he believes some of these may eventually prove true for humans.  
 "Flies and people are clearly very different and yet we use the same genes to do similar things," said Wayne State biological science professor Robert Arking.  
 The Troy resident is studying aging, one fundamental biological trait that is likely controlled by the same genes in all organisms.  
**SCIENTISTS STUDY** flies instead of humans, however, because they can compare

new fly generations every few months.  
 According to Arking's research, the longer-lived fruit flies have higher metabolic rates, or burn energy faster, than their shorter-lived counterparts.  
 "Husbanding your calories is not a recipe for longevity," he said.  
 "We have also determined that the long-lived strains do not age at a slower rate, but rather that they significantly delay the time of the onset of senescence, or aging," Arking explained.  
 "When the flies start to age, they age just as fast as the shorter-lived flies. But they put off the start of aging. In human terms, it's as if they hit 35 and hold for 30 years."

**HIS CONCLUSIONS** about longer-lived specimens having higher metabolic rates dash one implication of the popular theory that every organism has a constant amount of energy available to it during its lifetime.  
 Thus, the theory states, the higher the metabolic rate, the shorter the lifetime.  
 "This appears to be true when one compares different species such as an elephant and a shrew," Arking said, "and it was assumed to hold true of the differences in lifespan that we see within any one species."  
 "It was such a plausible idea that phrases about that theory have even made it into our language — such as 'burning the candle at both ends.'"

"We have proved that part of the theory wrong," Arking said. "Our long-lived animals are healthier and have a 30 percent higher daily metabolic rate," he said. "They lay more eggs — five times as many — and egg-laying is an energetically very-expensive process for them. Yet they live 60 percent longer."  
 "We are not sure exactly what they are doing, except that their higher metabolism is due to yet unknown genetic changes."  
 "The exciting thing will be to find out just how these genetic changes have altered the physiology of the animals so that they are able to be so healthy, so active, so long-lived."

both associate biology professors at Wayne, began studying aging through fruit flies more than six years ago.  
 "Although many believed it couldn't be done, they succeeded in producing a long-lived strain of fruit flies. In 1984, Arking and Luckinbill diverged to study different aspects of aging, with Arking taking the genetic and molecular approach.  
 "We constructed these strains so that we could critically test certain popular theories of aging," said Arking. "Because such testing is crucial if we are ever to understand what it is that actually controls the aging process."  
 Arking and his student assistants are also peering into the process that initiates aging.

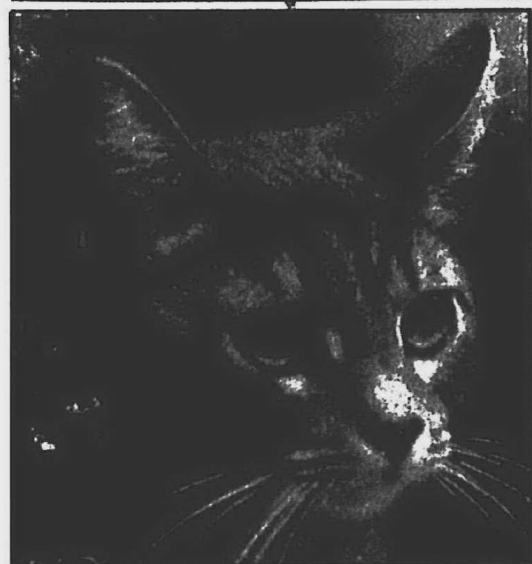
ARKING AND colleague Leo S. Luckinbill,

## nature

### Tracking winter for fun

By Timothy Nowicki  
 special writer

WHEN TEMPERATURES drop below freezing and the howling wind creates a below-zero chill factor, it becomes difficult to motivate yourself to wander through woods or open fields.  
 On days like that, the best thing to do is put an extra log in the wood burner and read a good book. And if you want a recommendation, I suggest Edwin Way Teale's "Wandering Through Winter."  
 It is the last of four Teale wrote about his travels through each season across America. He and his wife traveled "North with the Spring," took a "Journey into Summer" and followed "Autumn Across America." After devoting 15 years to their completion, Teale was awarded a Pulitzer Prize.  
**EACH TRIP** was carefully planned so that they could experience many interesting natural events.  
 We start our wander through winter on Dec. 21 at San Diego Bay in California. As time passes and pages are turned, we travel 20,000 miles and end on March 20 near Caribou, Maine.  
 Teale shares his experience searching for hibernating poorwills. We learn the recipe for sumac lemonade. We learn about the bird with "eyelashes" and many more interesting subjects.  
 He reviews the plight of the endangered whooping cranes in Texas, and he relates theories as to why one Illinois city has a large, perpetuating population of albino squirrels.  
 Teale carefully researched all the events and species he saw. He conveys accurate information in a non-technical manner.  
**ALL SIGHTS** and sounds they encountered are described by a writer with an insatiable curiosity and incredible powers of observation. It is rare to find such a combination — a talented naturalist with the ability to convey his observations and awe for the wonders of nature.  
 Edwin Way Teale wrote or edited several books during his career. Many can be found in paperback at your local bookstore.  
 So, if you don't want to walk the winter snow, "Wander Through Winter" with Edwin Way Teale.



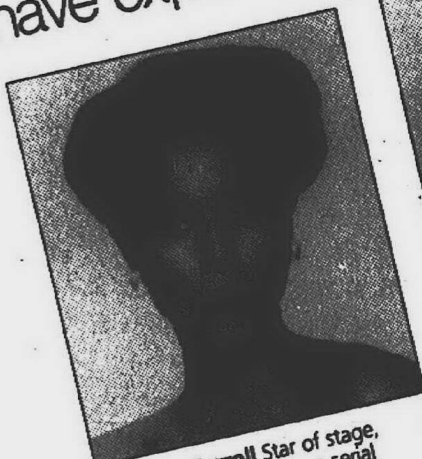
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### Pets of week

Available for adoption are: Bessie, a female, 11-month-old, grey Tiger cat; and Duke, a 4-month-old female mixed German Shepherd who weighs about 30 pounds. Both pets were found wandering and turned over to the Michigan Humane Society's Kindness Center, 37255 Marquette Road, Westland. Contact the center (Phone 721-7300) for more information on either of pets or on other pets available at the Kindness Center.



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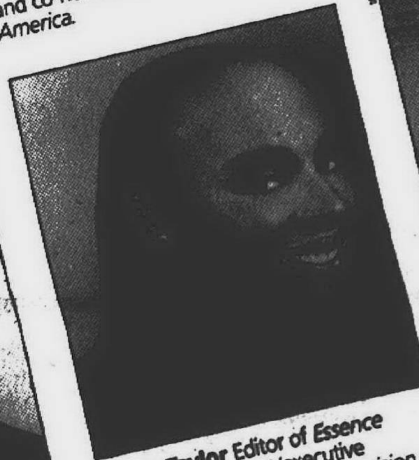
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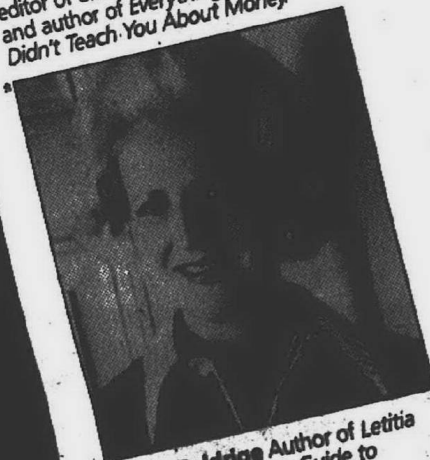
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**from our readers**

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**Many kinds of discrimination**

To the editor:  
Aren't you tired of the word "discrimination?" Personally, I'm up to my eyeballs with it!  
This is the favorite word for persons, and I have to say mostly "blacks," for their reason for not having opportunities to do this or that — blaming these non-opportunities on national figures or whatever.

WHAT TRIGGERED this disgust one more time today was J.P. McCarthy's "Focus" show with his guest, Dr. Arthur Johnson.  
Now I respect this man. But his attitude about President Reagan not doing

anything for the "blacks" really popped my cork.

You don't have to be a dummy to realize that the ratio of whites to blacks in the U.S. is still much greater. I don't condone how blacks were treated in past history . . . but while listening to this show, I realized I hadn't had the opportunity to attend formal college because my parents couldn't afford it. I immediately went to work upon graduation from high school. Never really gave it much thought at the time — it wasn't anyone's fault, it was our personal circumstances.

What blacks (and minorities) fail to realize is that one-on-one there are as many whites who could call themselves deprived. The difference has nothing to do with the color or race today. Our country has advanced to high standards in education and technology with innumerable opportunities for everyone.

We're continually encouraged to pursue these opportunities by getting off our butts and going for it.

It's a little more difficult to go places without money, true, but there are so many opportunities open to all of us. I have no problem at all working with either a black or white person or a minority as long as they're an individual in themselves.

It all boils down to education and/or experience. Experience is really our best teacher, but when you're young you don't have the experience so you're obligated to go for the education. It's difficult sometimes for college graduates to find good jobs because they have no "experience." On the other hand, sometimes it's just as difficult because a person has the experience but no formal education. The employer has to use a gut feeling when hiring either the young or the older person.

That is when he/she doesn't have to strictly adhere to the ratio system.

I'VE SWAYED from my point and consternation over the word "discrimination."

If you want something bad enough today, the opportunity is there for you regardless of race or color — and you will be remunerated for your abilities and determination. And, if I might add, perhaps more so now that the pendulum has swung the other way if you're black or a minority.

There are just as many unfortunate whites out there — perhaps even more — with little or no opportunity to fulfill their dreams. Perhaps they're from downright indigent families. Our welfare rolls are full of people — some deserving of federal aid due to poor health, physical or mental handicaps, etc. There is help for these people who seek and want it bad enough. But there are also a lot of persons on welfare who prefer to sit back and blame their situations on "discrimination" who are as

able as you and I to earn their own keep.

THIS WEEK commemorates Dr. Martin Luther King's birthday.

Dr. King is to be admired for his efforts to bring about social, political and economic rights to blacks and lifting black hopes and self-esteem . . . They've come a long way and rightly so. But now the word "discrimination" has been overused and they no longer have the market on it. I don't think this is what Dr. King was after.

However, we've gotten so involved with ratios and percentages of whites vs. blacks, males vs. females, in filling the job market today that we've overlooked the most important factor — the person who is the most qualified and has earned his/her respective right to any available job he/she seeks.

Age is another barrier which opens up a totally different can of worms — a subject for another day but a prominent "discrimination" problem.

Beverly Howarth  
Plymouth Township

**Pigeons have rights too**

To the editor:  
Animals have rights, too.

Where is the justice in condemning a wild creature to an agonizing death simply because they are acting and functioning naturally?

Where is the charity in always trying to remove, control or destroy things of nature just because they may affect our pocketbooks some? (Are material things really more important?)

Where is the wisdom in spending \$2,200 on an inhumane solution that at best is temporary?

City commissioners, please reconsider your plan of action in regard to the pigeons in Plymouth.

C.H. Baker  
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# Suburban Life

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## Artist seeks recognition for painters of the wild

By Dennis Coffman  
staff writer

Robert Bateman, one of the world's greatest wildlife artists, has been waging a one-man campaign to remove the prefix "wildlife" from the word "artist."

"I hate the prefix 'wildlife' in front of a painter," he said. "It's like calling Gary Cooper a cowboy actor when his best role was 'Sergeant York.'"

Bateman, a boyish-looking 55, claims his work has carried him through some of the same artistic periods as has the work of other artists.

The Canadian artist's style had been realist, then abstract expressionist until, in 1963, he saw the work of U.S. painter Andrew Wyeth and returned to realism.

HIS WORK sells for up to \$80,000 a copy. He painted Canada's only gift to Prince Charles of Great Britain. Another painting, golden-crowned kinglet, was a gift to the late Princess Grace of Monaco.

Yet, though his paintings have been displayed in the Royal Ontario Museum and the Smithsonian Institute, Bateman is still miffed at curators of art museums who have largely ignored him.

Bateman's new Canadian duck stamp print has been placed on sale, along with other of the artist's works, at Wild Wings in Plymouth and (when it opens later this year) in Birmingham.

The artist visited the Plymouth store last fall. He'd surely be pleased at all the excitement created during the Plymouth Ice Sculpture Spectacular, which features many carvings of wildlife.

"When I was 18, I was starting to think of myself as an artist, not necessarily a professional but somebody who was seriously interested in art, and I wanted to paint as artists painted."

"So I borrowed books from the library and read art magazines and visited art galleries. But in none of these did I see any art with animals in it. If you remember, in the 1940s and 1950s, you did not see art with wildlife in it framed and hanging on the walls of galleries. You sometimes saw it in

magazines or in calendars but never shown as Art with a capital A.

"WELL, I was interested in Art, so I dropped animal art like a hot potato, and I also turned against detail in my work. I thought, if you can do some-

thing with three strokes, then you're an idiot to spend 300 doing the same thing.

"You should try to capture the essence. If you take a piece of the natural world, whether it's a big landscape or a little piece of bark, and look at it in

abstract terms of curves and tones and contrasts and color and shape, it opens up a tremendous new range of possibilities. Just learning to look at things from an abstract point of view had a big impact on me. And so I entered my impressionist phase.

"My discovery of the work of Andrew Wyeth in 1962 was a revelation in many ways. Here was a wonderful abstract artist who painted the real surface of the real world.

"I had been committed to abstract art, but his work showed me that con-

temporary representational painting could express artistic imagination in a profound and serious way. The tones, shapes and patterns in his pictures seemed to touch something elemental in me, and they set off a reverberation that I still feel more than 20 years later.

"They also gave me, as great painting should, new eyes. I saw things about me in a fresh way; old farm buildings or the corner of a field or a fence took on wonderful new qualities."

He has been called a great painter by Ken Brynaert, executive vice president of the Canadian Wildlife Federation.

"People attracted to his work are not necessarily wildlife enthusiasts, but through his work come to a special understanding of nature," said Brynaert.

CANADIAN PAINTER Ken Danby said, "I think his work is terrific. Robert Bateman should have full marks for synthesizing the art of a painter with the creation of so-called wildlife art. And he has a fine grasp of space, design and composition."

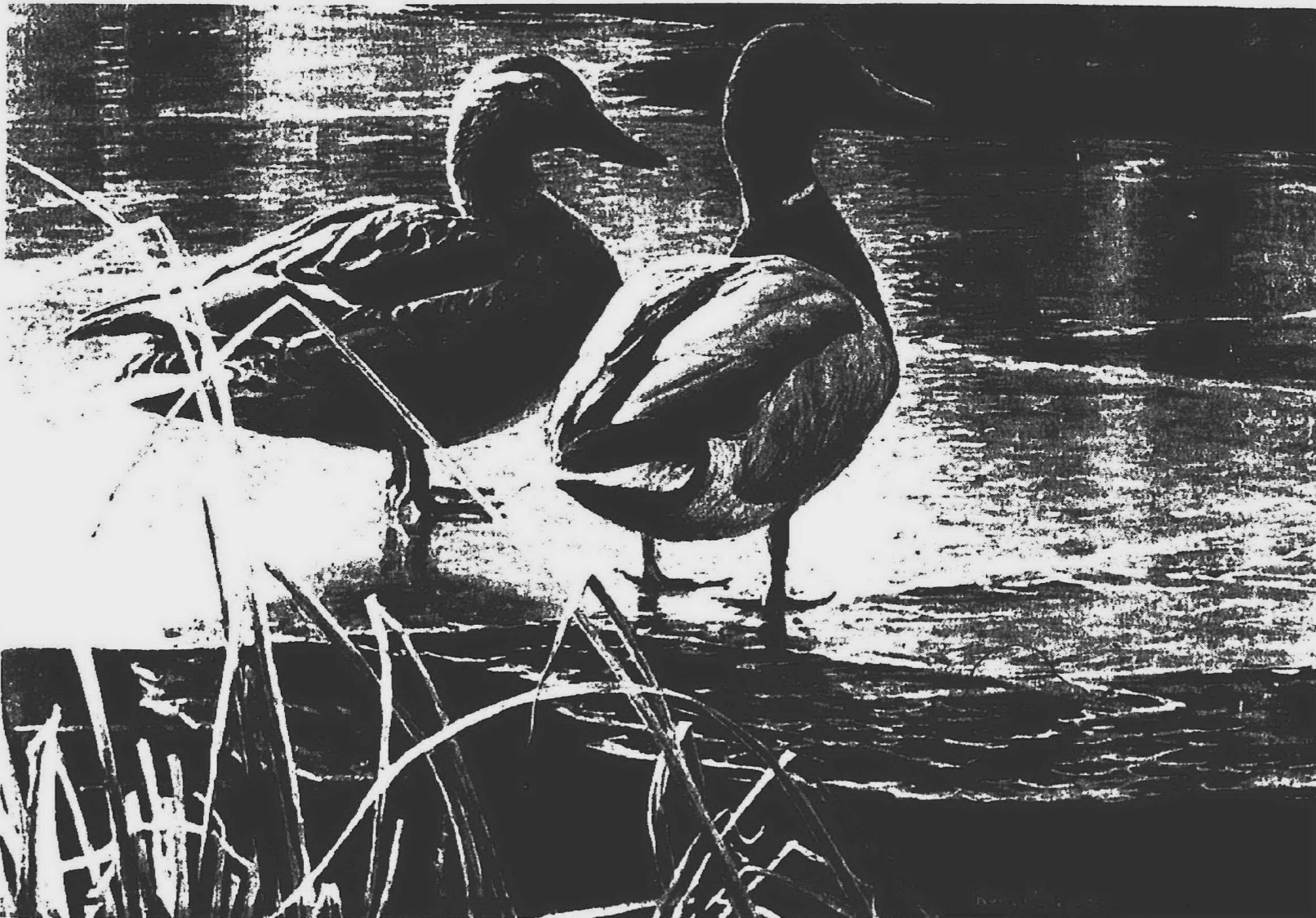
Yet Bateman still has his detractors. "Let's just say there's a difference between super-realism and life," said painter Harold Town.

"He has a certain technical talent but does not say anything with it," said painter Carl Schaefer. "His birds and animals do not move. They're bloodless. Lifeless."

Maybe those kinds of opinions are responsible for the fact that Bateman has never been shown in the Canadian National Gallery or the Art Gallery of Ontario.

Most of his work has been shown in museums of natural history. "I'm aware that popularity with the public is a cross I have to bear with the art world," said Bateman, "that there must be something wrong with it if the public likes it."

Regardless of what the purists may say, few have ever discounted his ability to paint wildlife.



Mallard Pair in Early Winter, by Robert Bateman, is Canada's first federal conservation stamp print for the benefit of Wildlife Habitat Canada, a national non-profit organization dedicated to the conservation, restoration and enhancement of habitat for wildlife. Bateman, a recent visitor to Plymouth, has this and other work on display at Wild Wings.

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## Duck prints gain favor among collectors

Collecting duck prints and stamps as a series gained popularity in the middle 1960s.

Duck stamps resemble large postal stamps and are required by the federal and state governments to be placed on duck hunting licenses. They cost about \$4 each.

Designers of the duck stamps work from full-size paintings or drawings. These "prints" are then sold by galleries, such as Wild Wings, Plymouth.

Wild Wings has framed sets that include the stamp and the print.

The latest addition to its inventory of duck print and stamp sets is the work of Robert Bateman.

HIS NEW Canadian duck stamp and print is the first released by the Canadian government which, like the United States, now requires its hunters to affix the stamp on hunting licenses.

Funds collected by the sale of the stamps go toward maintaining wildlife refuges.

The limited printings, such as those of Bateman, can gain in value. Bateman's framed Canadian duck stamp and print set sells for \$139.

In the late 1920s, the United States was losing millions of acres of wetlands that were drained for farming and hit by drought.

Because the wetlands are the natural habitat for waterfowl, the nation also was losing its birds.

The Migratory Bird Conservation Act, passed in 1929, allowed the federal government to acquire sanctuaries. It then passed the Migratory Bird Hunting Stamp Act, which required every hunter 16 and older to have a duck stamp while hunting waterfowl.

THE REVENUE from the sale of the stamps funded the wetlands conservation program.

The post office began selling the stamps in 1934 (\$50,000 at \$1 each). Total sales of the stamps are now more than \$210 million. More than two million are sold annually.

Top wildlife artists submit designs for the stamps every year, making it the largest art competition sponsored by the federal government. About 3,000 entries are received yearly.

The prints began to be sold in 1934, but only a few hundred prints exist from the 1934-1980 period. Complete duck print sets covering those years, of which only about 55 exist, now sell for \$70,000 to \$100,000. Their original purchase price for all the sets for those years, was less than \$1,700.

About 1,000 of each print is issued,

each in full color, although the 1980 stamp, by David Maass, grew to more than 12,000 prints.

COLLECTING the prints can be financially, as well as aesthetically, rewarding, but value is determined by the completeness of a set.

Their value could increase, as the United States and Canada move toward

a greater appreciation of wildlife and so-called wildlife artists.

Regardless of the worth of the duck prints, the stamps that were made from them have had an undeniable impact on the preservation of wetlands.

Bateman, who designed the 1985 duck stamp and print for the United States and the 1985 stamp and print for Canada (to be issued in 1986), visited

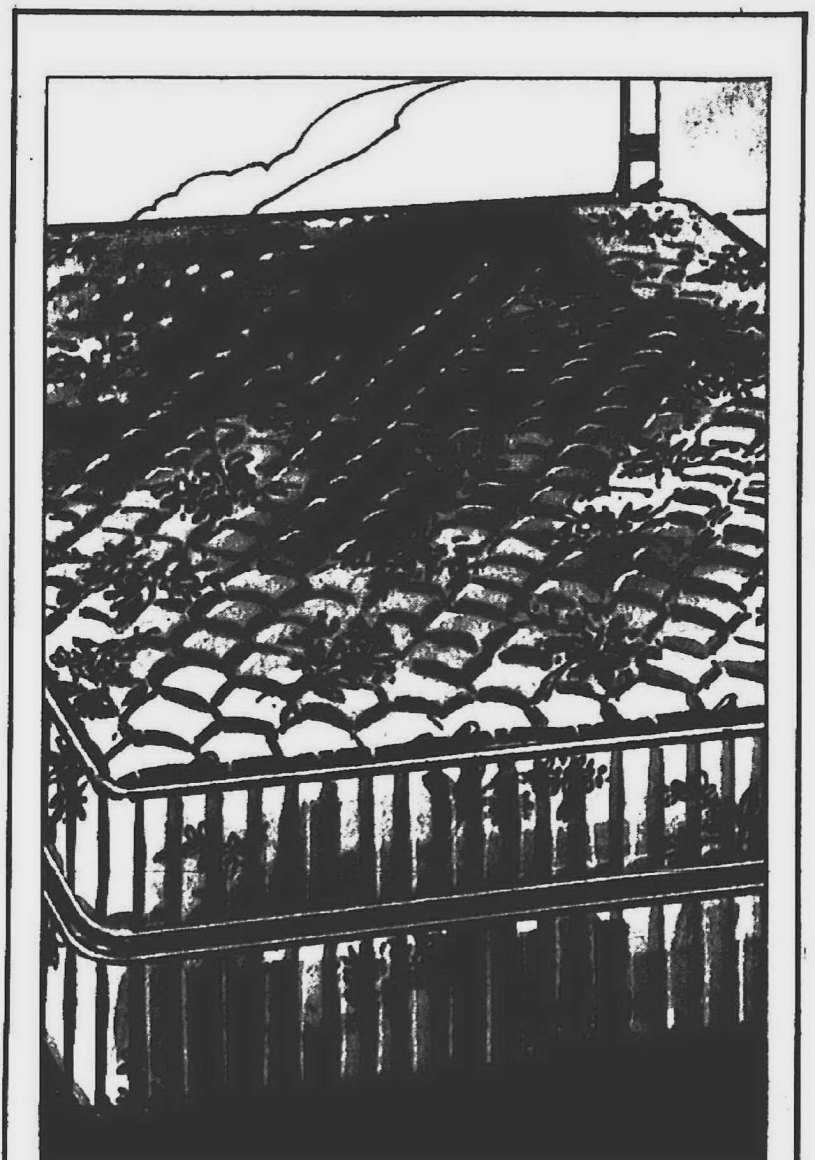
Plymouth in the fall of 1985.

Bateman is known for his contributions to the preservation of wildlife. His Giant Panda print, limited to 5,000 copies, sold for \$245. But the artist donated \$100 of that to the World Wildlife Fund to help save the panda.

Information about Bateman, as well as wildlife prints, can be obtained at Wild Wings, Plymouth.



Robert Bateman, who prefers to be called a painter of the natural world, rather than a wildlife artist, has created prints to be used on United States and Canadian duck hunting license stamps. The prints and stamps are becoming collectors' items.



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One more time!  
I want to thank everyone who has phoned me about the recent columns recalling 1985. I'm very glad to know you are enjoying your second visit with last year's activities, and the names of those who brought them to you.

Feedback is very important, especially when it's favorable.  
NOW IT WAS time for the McGuires to dash off on a vacation to the Wisconsin Dells. We practically lived every splash and splash with them and, if nothing else, it aroused a keen interest for me to take a trip there myself. After all, if Danny and Nancy can survive happily with their two young children, Danny, 9, and Stephanie, 7, I can handle it with my biggies.

Why do I even think these things? How quickly I forget the last trip to Kentucky and on to Georgia. How could I so easily forget the traveling "Can-I" syndrome? And why is it that my children whiz right past hungry to starving to death? Whatever happened to stopping for a bite? I guess these are more of the questions to be placed in my upcoming novel, "Unanswered Questions of Our Time." As we leave the McGuire family winding down the Wisconsin River in their amphibious Duck, we must rush over to Superbowl on Ford Rd. for "Good Ol' Days."

This is the time the whole family can bowl, and eat all day long, without much damage to Dad's wallet. With hot dogs and bowling only 25 cents each, it's a great way to spend a hot August weekend, especially when it's air conditioned inside.

Meanwhile, Wayne County was treating us to the first good old-fashioned Air Show we have seen in years. What a delight as every type of aircraft imaginable swooped down and around our heads. They were from Willow Run air-

port — practically in our own backyards.

SON AL competed in the Detroit Police Renaissance Classic and came in 65th overall and 3rd in his age group. He runs both track and cross country for Plymouth Canton High School, divisional champions last season under the direction of Coach Hayes.

NOW IT IS time for St. John Neumann to have a parish picnic. The weather is wonderful, the games are fun, the food great and everyone has a wonderful time.

Although many, many people pitched in and worked at one function or another, the primary task force engineered the whole affair. Debbie Skotak and Lauri Keifer, with teen representatives Debbie Borke and John Sheridan all worked under the co-direction of John and Phyllis Kownacki, Jim and Joanie Walling with the Rev. Edward Baldwin as counsel.

I strongly recommend you not miss it this year. This was a very special occasion, not only because everything was donated by wonderful people, but because the teen-agers were major contributors to the success of the whole affair.

ANOTHER annual event you should attend is the Historical Society Ice Cream Social, including the Arts and Crafts Fair. After you enjoy a healthy serving of Cloverdale Ice Cream, you can stroll through all the arts and crafts exhibits and pick up a hot dog, caramel corn or just a cooling drink of ice cold pop. Don't forget to visit the Historical Museum and on your way to pick up some of the freshest, most delicious corn and cantaloupe in Michigan — at bargain prices, too.

Remember, Canton is the largest

producer of stalk-to-mouth sweet corn in the whole country. (A little trivia to make you proud.)

THE KARPINSKI family was off and running to Boston Mass. this time.

They visited the usual attractions along the way — the Witch House and the Witch Dungeon — as well as some educational ones, JFK Library, the USS Constitution, Plymouth Plantation and the Mayflower II. The latter is not a hotel but a replica of the original ship.

Then it was on to Niagara Falls and Marineland, which included Dragon Mountain, naturally. They even rode the incline train and marveled at the falls at night. That's but to mention a few of the sights. I forgot to mention Plymouth Rock. I wonder if I can get the Karpinskis to adopt me?

IT WAS OUR honor to host the World Championship Men's Slo-pitch USSSA Tournament for industrial teams, 60 teams in all. The site was the brand new Canton Softball Center on Michigan Avenue, a beautiful center with marvelous food, now boasting a paved parking lot. It represents a large capital investment in Canton and I hope we make use of its 12 diamonds and nine

batting cages. If you have any questions about the use of the center or restaurant hours call 483-5600.

IT WAS ABOUT now that I tried to get everyone involved in one of the many drives or fund-raisers to help a lady in distress. This particular campaign sponsored by Amercian Airlines had absolutely wonderful prizes including two tickets to any domestic AA city, including Hawaii. (I didn't win. Oh I tried, but I didn't win.)

Actually, a gentleman named Gerald Tyler won my passes but I'll try again.

TALK ABOUT winning, the next story is about a couple of the biggest — Jake and Mary Dingeldey. They celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary in grand style — a surprise party with loads and loads of friends and family and they didn't know a thing about it. I

love it! Given by their sneaky children Doug, Theresa, Carol and Jimmy, their friends and various family members. It was definitely the kind of event they will not forget soon.

But big events are nothing new to Mary and Jake. They celebrate everything with a party and every year they have a huge chicken barbecue that fills their yard with swimmers, volleyball nets and delicious chicken.

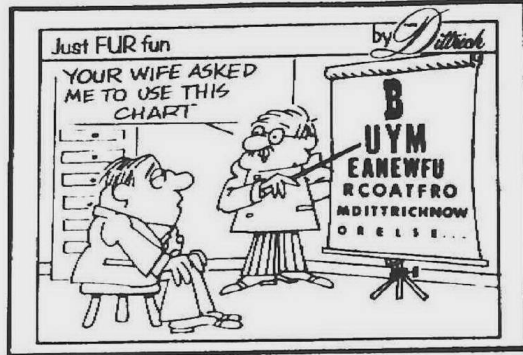
AS THE LOCAL TV channels were bringing us 10 minutes here and there of coverage of the State Fair, Omnicom was providing 27 hours of live coverage of the Plymouth Fall Festival.

And what a festival it was! They had everything, including the hottest day of the year. Remember the heat? We had personnel dropping all over the place. It was a miracle that the equipment

stayed in operation, and we stayed 'til the air during the incredible heat wave!

This miracle, I am told, was brought to us by chief programming engineer Jim Leinbach and he was assisted by Chris Carlson. The entire Omnicom staff marveled at the work done by these two. I was impressed by the on-camera people who kept their cool bringing you the blow-by-blow action as it appeared throughout the festival. J.P. McCarthy of "Single Touch," Debbie Silverman of the "Food Chain," Sharoff Pettit from "Spotlight on YOU," Sud Dueby of "Single Touch," along with me, from the "Sandy Show" and "Canton Update."

We had professional help, I must add. Omnicom staffers joined us on-air to co-anchor the entire festival — Ron Garlington, Maria Holmes, Pat McLaughlin and Susan Skubick.



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**Grozenski-Price**

Nancy Louise Grozenski of Garden City and Mark Price of Plymouth plan an August wedding at St. Raphael Catholic Church in Garden City.

She is the daughter of Thomas and Rita Grozenski of Garden City. He is the son of Robert and Marie Price of Plymouth.

The bride-to-be graduated from Garden City West High School in 1979. She is majoring in computer programming at Schoolcraft College and is employed by Photon Sources Inc. in Livonia.

Her fiancé graduated from Dearborn Fordson High School in 1979. He is employed by Photon Sources Inc.

**Christofferson-Tull**

Judith Lynn Christofferson of Canton and Sean Michael Tull of Canton have announced their engagement.

She is the daughter of Patricia Ano of Canton and Jim Christofferson of Carman, Ill.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tull of Shelbyville, Ill.

A June 14 wedding is planned.

The bride-to-be is a 1983 graduate of Canton High School and is employed by Designer Depot, Livonia.

Her fiancé is a Shelbyville High School graduate and is employed as a systems engineer with PMX Inc., Livonia.

**How to submit news**

News of clubs, service organizations, engagements, weddings and wedding anniversaries are printed without cost in the Suburban Life Section of the Plymouth Observer and Canton Observer newspapers.

News items may be dropped off or mailed to the office at 489 S. Main St., Plymouth 48170. Special forms are available for club news, engagements, weddings and 50th wedding anniversary announcements.

Black and white pictures are preferred as they reproduce more clearly than color photographs. A self-addressed, stamped envelope assures return of the pictures, or, they can be

picked up at the office a week after they have been published. Mail should be addressed to the attention of Elinor Graham, Suburban Life editor.

Activities of more major scope than regular club meetings may warrant more extensive coverage and a photograph. Call the newspaper, 459-2700, well in advance of the event to permit scheduling a photograph.

Breaking news stories (and we appreciate telephone calls on these) like fires, accidents, etc., receive on-the-spot coverage.

Other events, planned far in advance, should be announced a week or so before the actual date.

**German-American Club hosts Fasching Party**

Fasching, Germany's version of France's Mardi Gras, will be celebrated Saturday, Feb. 8, at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer. The German-American Club of Plymouth invites residents of all ethnic backgrounds to attend the pre-Lenten event.

In some parts of Germany, Fasching is a weeklong celebration with shops and offices closing down for the duration. Merchants donate food and wine and there is constant partying with snake dances in the streets. The local Fasching party will be condensed into a single evening, beginning at 8 p.m. and closing at 1 a.m.

Food and drink will be authentic German fare. Dinner will be available until 10 p.m. and there will be cheese,

ham, cake, coffee, and tartars — open-faced sandwiches of seasoned ground meat. Admission is \$4.50 per person.

MUSIC FOR dancing, singing and entertainment will be provided by The Echoes, a band from Ohio.

Although costumes are not required for the German-American Club's party, they add to the fun and color of the evening. Prizes will be awarded for best costumes and members of the local and neighboring clubs put a lot of imagination and time into the selection of their apparel for the Fasching Party.

Fritz Sanders of Livonia, club president, and the whole membership combine their efforts in planning the party, usually a sell-out. For information or reservations, call 425-0449 or 459-4261.



**Tuggle-Albert**

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Tuggle of Smock Road, Northville, announce the engagement of their daughter, Roseann, to U.S. Army Capt. Reid H. Albert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Albert of Elm Street, Plymouth. The bride-elect is a 1982 graduate of Ladywood High School and is employed as a marketing narrator for General Motors at national auto shows. Her fiancé is a member of the U.S. Special Forces, stationed at Ft. Bragg, N.C. He graduated from Plymouth Salem High School in 1977 and from Central Michigan University with a bachelor or science degree.

They plan a late summer wedding.



Walter Scherer, as Prince Charles, served beer at a recent Fasching party.



**Cloutier-Wells**

Carol Ann Cloutier and Mark Alan Wells were married recently in the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, Plymouth Ward.

The bride is the daughter of Roger and Catherine Cloutier of Plymouth. The bridegroom is the son of Marie VanVleck of Plymouth and Harvey Wells of Alabama.

Maid of honor was the bride's sister, Cheryl Kurlovich. Best man was the groom's brother, Tony. Attendants were Marcie Culter, Cathie Cloutier, Tracey Fletcher, Rhonda Cloutier, Tony Henry, Karl Heindrich, Gary Cloutier and Mark Morley.

The bride wore a satin gown accented by embroidered French lace and pearls. She carried a bouquet of white and lavender roses. Attendants were dressed in lavender satin gowns and grey tuxedos.

Bishop Michael Beldon performed the wedding ceremony. A reception was held immediately following the ceremony at the Northville American Legion Hall.

The couple honeymooned in North-ern Michigan and live in Plymouth.



**Osterday-Melnik**

Julie Rene Osterday of Canton and Eugene Peter Melnik of Canton were married recently in St. John's Ukrainian Catholic Church.

She is the daughter of Gilbert and Nancy Osterday. He is the son of Joe and Geri Melnik.

The bride is a 1985 graduate of Eastern Michigan University and is employed by Oliver Realty Inc.

The bridegroom is attending Madonna College and is employed by Electronic Data Systems.

MAID OF honor was Annetis Osterday; bridesmaids were Rita Zennie, Julie McDonald, Jackie Hilliard and Nori Barnes; junior bridesmaid was Lisa Vidak; and flower girl was Jillian McDonald.

Best man was Joe Melnik; groomsmen were Craig Osterday, Paul Osterday, Joe Osterday and Rick Johnson; ring bearer was Eric Osterday.

The bride wore a satin bodice with puffed satin sleeves. The rest of the dress was taffeta with pink flowers and white cascading roses.



**Hudsons mark 53 years**

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Hudson, of Plymouth, observed their 53rd wedding anniversary Dec. 27.

They have two sons, Richard and Jack; a daughter, Joyce Finney; seven grandchildren; and one great grandson.

**Veterinarian honored**

Dr. Steven Leininger, Plymouth veterinarian, was honored recently for his outstanding contributions to the Southeast Michigan Veterinary Medical Association at a special dinner that included members of all area veterinary groups.

Leininger has guided the association's continuing education program for nearly a decade.

Leininger is a 1966 graduate of Purdue University. He owns the Plymouth Veterinary Hospital with his wife, Dr. Mary Beth Leininger.

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## clubs in action

### ● SUNSHINE GARDEN CLUB

Sunshine Garden Club, member of the Federated Garden Clubs of Michigan, will meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 28, at the home of Pat Andersen, 15599 Lakeside. Guest speaker Grover Neirgarth of Schoolcraft College will present "Attracting Birds to Your Home." For more information, call 455-7410.

### ● CHRISTIAN SINGLES

Group sponsored by First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth will meet for brunch at 10 a.m. Sunday, Feb. 2, at the church. Those who plan to attend are asked to call 453-6464.

### ● FRIENDS OF MATTHAEI BOTANICAL GARDENS LOBBY SALE

Friends will have their monthly lobby sale 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, Feb. 1 and 2, at the gardens, 1800 N. Dixboro, Ann Arbor. Plants, linen towels, botanical serving trays, wooden containers, gift wrap, wooden and hand-painted birds, pottery, ceramic pomanders, gardens T-shirts, tote bags and much more will be offered for sale. February lobby exhibit will be Versatile Wood, with examples of state woods and woods from all over the world as well as their uses. Outdoor trail walks and lobby exhibit are free. Fee for conservatory is adults, \$1; senior citizens, 75 cents; and children, 50 cents. Garden grounds are open from 8 a.m. to sunset.

### ● AMERICAN LEGION

Passage-Gayde Post of the American Legion will meet at noon Sunday, Feb. 2, at 173 N. Main Street. For information, call the post hotline, 453-9494, or the post adjutant, 495-1633.

### ● LAMAZE SERIES

Plymouth Childbirth Education Association will offer a seven-week Lamaze series beginning 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, Jan. 23, in Newburg Methodist Church, 36500 Ann Arbor Trail, Livonia, and 8 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 28, in Faith Community Church, 46001 Warren, Canton. For information and to register, call 459-7477.

### ● SINGLE PARENTS DAY

The Women's Resource Center of Schoolcraft College will hold a Single Parents Day Saturday, Jan. 25, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Waterman Campus Center, Schoolcraft College, Livonia. It is intended for but not limited to single parents and is designed to help single parents deal more effectively with the problems of everyday life and learn more about the concerns common to all single parents and families and explore objective solutions. Guest speaker will be Leslie Charles, founder of Training Works Inc. The \$10 fee includes a light lunch. For information, call 591-6400 Ext. 430.

### ● MOMS AND TOTS

The Moms and Tots will meet 11 a.m. Monday, Jan. 27, at the House of Fudge, sponsored by the Canton Newcomers. There will be demonstrations and samples. For information, call 459-8386.

### ● SINGLES CLUB

The Spinnaker Singles Club, sponsored by the First Presbyterian Church of Northville, will view the movie "The Gods Must Be Crazy" at the Ann Arbor Theatre Friday, Jan. 31, at 7:30 p.m. The group will meet at the church and ride by van. There will be food and discussion following the film.

### ● COMIC FABLE

The Spotlight Players will present the play, "The Madwoman of Chaillot" Jan. 31, Feb. 1, 7 and 8 at the John Glenn High School auditorium, Westland, at 8 p.m. The story revolves around an eccentric woman and her attempts to save her town from destruction by developers. For information, call 429-4971.

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### ● TRIVIA CHASE

The Canton Newcomers will sponsor a couples function 8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 1, in a member's house. The fee is \$2 per couple and includes a trivia game party. For information, call 981-3844 by Jan. 29.

### ● CHILDREN'S BALLET

Leah Szafran, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Szafran of Plymouth, and Jennifer Baggozi, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Baggozi of Canton, will perform in the third annual Children's Ballet Theatre production of "Mother Goose" in Plymouth-Canton High School Saturday, Feb. 1 at 7:30 p.m. The ballet theater was founded in 1982 by Karen Milligan to showcase talented actors between the ages of 8 and 15.

### ● NURSERY

The Plymouth Children's Cooperative Nursery School, Warren and Haggerty, Canton, will hold its spring open houses 1-3 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 2, and Sunday, Feb. 9. Applications for the 1986-87 school term, which begins in September, will be available. For information, call 981-1707 or 455-5298.

### ● 60-PLUS LUNCHEON

Senior citizens may attend the monthly potluck luncheon at noon, Feb. 3, in the fellowship hall of First United Methodist Church of Plymouth. Bring a food dish to pass and table service. Harry Roebuck will show slides of his recent trip through England and Scotland.

### ● CULINARY SHOW

The Plymouth Newcomers Club luncheon, to be held 11:30 a.m. Friday, Feb. 7, in the Schoolcraft College department of culinary arts, Livonia, will feature a chef's demonstration. Tickets are \$8. For reservations, call 451-0796.

### ● PROGRESSIVE DINNER

The Plymouth Newcomers Club will hold a progressive dinner at 6:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 8, for \$10 a couple. For information, call 420-2099.

### ● COUPLES NIGHT OUT

The Canton Newcomers will hold a couples night out Saturday, Feb. 8. Under the Eagle in Hamtramck. For information, call 459-1797.

### ● HISTORICAL BUFFS

The Plymouth Historical Society will hold a regular meeting at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 13, at 155 S. Main, Plymouth. Bruce Scott will show slides of "Erie Canal Revisited." For information, 455-8940.

### ● WOMAN'S FARM, GARDEN GROUP

The Lake Pointe Village Branch of the National Farm and Garden Association will meet in the Farrand School library Feb. 13 at 7:30 p.m. Nancy Stone, of the Ecology Center of Ann Arbor, will host the program "Don't Poison the One You Love." For information call 453-3905.

### ● BOTANICAL GARDENS

The Huron Valley Rose Society will meet 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 14, in the auditorium of the Matthei Botanical Gardens, 1800 N. Dixboro Road, Ann Arbor. There will be a review of books worth reading on a winter's night, on the subject of roses. Consulting rosari-

ans will answer questions. For information, call 994-1955.

### ● FAMILIES ANONYMOUS

Families Anonymous, a self-help program for relatives and friends concerned with drug abuse or behavioral problems, will meet 8 p.m. Thursdays in St. John Neumann Catholic Church, 44800 Warren in Canton.

### ● VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR AARP TAX RETURN PROGRAM

Volunteers are needed to help senior citizens fill out their tax returns. Classes are planned the first two weeks in

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# Artist specializes in natural habitat subjects

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"If I could paint like another wildlife artist it would be Robert Bateman," said artist-naturalist Roger Tory Peterson, probably the best-known American wildlife painter. "His paintings have a third-dimensional activity, a movement in space, that many wildlife artists fail to master."

BATEMAN'S exhibitions sell out immediately. Galleries that show his works set up drawings for his paintings, even though some of them, such as the American bald eagle, cost \$50,000.

Potential buyers place their names

for the paintings they want. A drawing is made for each picture and the winner gets the first chance to buy it.

Bateman once went to Sweden to see the work of Bruno Liljefors, the Swedish impressionist whose greatest work was done on wildlife subjects.

At the museum of art in Godesburg, he was happy to see Liljefors' paintings of wild animals sharing the walls with the works of Matisse, Picasso, Delacroix and Daumier.

But after Bateman showed the museum curator photographs of his work and suggested that they be brought to Sweden to be displayed, the curator said, "If you paint railways, you show in a railway museum. If you show in a marine museum. If you

paint natural history you show in a natural history museum."

Bateman thought, "Yes, and if you paint wine bottles and guitars, you show in a wine bottle and guitar museum."

BATEMAN BELIEVES discrimination against wildlife subjects goes back to the beginning of the Christian era.

"There have been virtually no wild animals shown in the mainstream of Western art," he said. He pointed out that other cultures, including Chinese, Egyptian, Assyrian, African, Sumerian and Greek, have had wild animals in their art forms.

The exceptions, he said, exist. They include Durer's hare and Rembrandt's elephant.

"But for the most part, they are shown hanging up by the feet with a bunch of grapes, or as some kind of horrible quarry that you're trying to exterminate. They're never shown with respect, eye to eye."

The negative attitude toward animals changed in the 19th century, he said, after Darwin's discoveries, when animals became interesting.

He said that 19th Century Impressionism, in which subject matter is irrelevant to the worth of art, should have liberated the wildlife artist, but it didn't.

Bateman wishes that when people

look at his art, they would not categorize it as wildlife art, but would look at how the painting is put together and at whether it has anything to say.

"When I am at work painting a wildlife subject, I find myself almost unconsciously entering into the life of the animal, imagining its own perception of itself and the world. I have always been attracted to intimate scenes — a few square yards of seemingly ordinary field or forest floor or scrubland that are filled with variety and complexity if you look carefully.

"I AVOID allowing the main elements in my paintings to compete. When there is an animal subject, either it or the surrounding landscape predominates.

"Sometimes, I will hide a little bird or a butterfly or even a bear can in one of my paintings — something which is important but which might not be noticed at first or even second glance. I usually give a wildlife subject a full habitat with a specific dynamic force in the overall composition. However, I also admire clean, simple portraiture, as in some of the horse paintings of the 18th-century English artist George Stubbs."

BATEMAN SAID in all great art, there is a balance between variety and harmony.

"I consider it a principle of life itself that the more finely you are tuned in to its details, the more fully you can appreciate it. It seems to me that enjoying nature means being able to identify things and to appreciate differences and distinctions, to be interested in the particular and to delve in the details," said Bateman.

"I generally like life to go on around me and just to keep working right through it. I'd find it boring to be tucked away alone in some ivory tower.

"I've got no special alchemy or secret techniques. I'm fairly oblivious and single-minded when I'm painting, but the work is intuitive, not verbal, and so I can often talk to visitors or people on the telephone and still keep working.

"I think an artist should be completely open to ideas and inspiration the whole time, right to the very last minute. Sometimes it's fun when a painting is coming along well, but sometimes it's drudgery.

"There are times when it's really frustrating, when I'm just wallowing or feel I'm out on some kind of foggy plain with no idea which way I should be going or what the painting will be like when I finish. It's never a complete

mystery, since I have the idea that started the painting, but in most of my paintings, there are a lot of surprises as I go along.

"WHAT I AM interested in is the complexity of the world, and what I find so exciting are the differences and distinctions between things. I could represent a group of trees with a grey mass that I could put on with a roller in 25 seconds, but for me, that's not enough. I want to pay homage to these trees, and I want you to know what kind of trees they are.

"I've wiped out an entire week's work, scraped it off with a razor blade, painted over it and started again. When I'm working on a picture, I have all kinds of thoughts and ideas about what I'm going to paint tomorrow and the day after tomorrow and next week.

"I doubt if I will ever run out of ideas. And I can't imagine not painting or drawing. I paint or draw because I have an urge to do it. This urge is not necessarily pleasurable. In fact, it's often frustrating, but I seem to have been born with it.

"Painting is as full of surprise and complexity for me as is the world of nature, and that is why I expect to continue in this way for as long as I am able to hold a brush."

## clubs in action

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January to train the volunteers for the program sponsored by the local chapter of the American Association of Retired Persons. The free tax-help sessions will begin in February and run for 10 weeks through April 15. Volunteers pledge four hours per week of their time. For information or to volunteer, call Marion Elton, 455-1980.

**CIVITAN ESSAY CONTEST**  
Plymouth-Canton Civitan Citizenship Essay Contest is in progress and will continue until deadline date of March 15. All high school students in the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools area are eligible to compete. The topic is "Is There Too Much Sex and Violence in the Youth-Oriented Record and Video Cassette Market?" First prize, \$100; second, \$50; and third, \$25. Information available at Plymouth Canton and Salem high schools general offices, or call Joe Henshaw, contest chairman, 451-6821, or 453-7569.

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**MOMS AND TOTS MORNING PLAY**  
A Morning Play Group for Moms and Tots sponsored by the Canton Newcomers will be on the fourth Friday of each month in members' homes. Sit back and relax over coffee with other mothers of infants and preschoolers while they play. For reservations and more information, call Linda, 981-0727.

**CANTON JAYCEES INVITE NEW MEMBERS**  
The Canton Jaycees encourages all men and women 18-35, who are interested in leadership training, personal growth and management skills, to attend the monthly general membership meetings. Group meets at 7:30 p.m. the

second Wednesday of each month at the Roman Forum Restaurant, Ford Road. For more information, call Patti Kelly, 721-3959.

**VFW PANCAKE BREAKFAST**  
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• Tuesdays, Tonquish Creek Manor, 1160 Sheridan, Plymouth, Feb. 4 through April 15.

• Wednesdays, Feb. 5 through April 9, Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer.

• Thursdays, Feb. 6 through April 10, Dunning-Hough Library, Main Street next to Plymouth City Hall.

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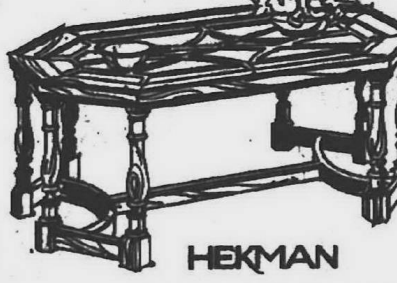
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6:15 P.M. - Church Dinner  
Wednesday  
7:00 P.M. - Mid-Week Prayer

Ronald E. Cary, Pastor 261-6950

**TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
23800 WEST CHICAGO, REDFORD MICHIGAN  
PHONE 255-3333  
Rev. Truman Dollar, Pastor

SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:00 AM  
MORNING WORSHIP 11:00 AM  
EVENING WORSHIP 6:30 PM  
WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY 7:15 PM

This Week's Message:  
Guest Speaker  
Dr. W. E. Dowell  
Springfield, Mo.

NURSERY CARE PROVIDED

SERVICES INTERPRETED FOR THE DEAF

ONE OF AMERICA'S LEADING EVANGELISTIC CENTERS WITH A BIBLE TEACHING MINISTRY

REV. TRUMAN DOLLAR

**EPISCOPAL**

**Saint Andrew's Episcopal Church**  
16380 Hubbard Road Livonia, Michigan 48154  
421-8451

Wednesday 9:30 a.m. - Holy Eucharist  
Saturday 8:00 p.m. - Holy Eucharist  
Sunday 7:45 a.m. - Holy Eucharist  
9:00 a.m. - Christian Education for all ages  
10:30 a.m. - Holy Eucharist  
Sunday Morning - Nursery Care Available

The Rev. Kenneth A. Baker, Rector  
The Rev. Gary H. Gwynne, Vicar  
The Rev. Emily Gwynne, Organist

**HOLY SPIRIT LIVONIA**  
9063 Newburgh Rd.  
Livonia  
591-0211 522-0821

SERVICES  
9:00 A.M. Holy Eucharist  
10:30 A.M. Holy Eucharist & Church School

The Rev. Emily Gwynne

## LUTHERAN MISSOURI SYNOD

**CHRIST OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
14175 Farmington Rd. (Just N. of Schoolcraft)  
Phone: 522-6830

LUTHER A. WERTH, PASTOR

SUNDAY WORSHIP 8:30 & 11:00 A.M.  
Sunday School & Bible Class 9:45 A.M.  
Week Day School, Pre-School, Kindergarten

TUNE IN THE LUTHERAN HOUR, 8:30 A.M. SUNDAY-WXYT-AM RADIO (1270)

**St. Paul's Lutheran Missouri Synod**  
20805 Middlebelt at 8 Mile  
Farmington Hills - 474-0675

The Rev. Ralph E. Unger Pastor  
Rev. Carl E. Mast Pastoral Assistant

SATURDAY WORSHIP 8 P.M.  
SUNDAY WORSHIP 8:30 & 11 AM  
SUN. SCHOOL/BIBLE CLASSES 10 AM  
CHRISTIAN SCHOOL  
Grades K-8  
Randy Zielinski, Principal  
474-2488

**HOSANNA TABOR LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
9900 Levee - So Redford  
937-2424

Rev. Roy Prochaska  
Rev. Glenn Kopper

Sunday Worship  
8:30 & 11:00 A.M.  
Sunday School and Bible Classes  
9:45 A.M.  
Monday Evening 7:00 P.M.  
Christian School Grades K-8  
Robert Schultz, Principal  
937-2233

**LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE RISEN CHRIST**  
Missouri Synod  
46250 ANN ARBOR ROAD  
PLYMOUTH

Kenneth Zielke Pastor  
453-5252 453-1099

EARLY SERVICE 8:30 A.M.  
Sun. Sch. & Bible Classes  
9:45 to 10:45 A.M.  
LATE SERVICE 11:00 A.M.

**GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH MISSOURI SYNOD**  
25630 GRAND RIVER at BEECH DALY  
REDFORD TWP.  
SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:15 & 11:00 A.M.

Rev. Victor F. Halboth, Jr. Pastor  
Mr. James Mol, Parish Asst.  
Rev. Thomas Weber, Pastoral Asst.  
Rev. V.F. Halboth, Sr., Pastor Emeritus

Nursery Provided

**ST. MATTHEW LUTHERAN Church & School**  
5885 Venoey  
1 Blk. N. of Ford Rd., Westland  
425-0260

Ralph Fischer, Pastor  
Gary D. Headopohl, Asst. Pastor

Divine Worship 8 & 11 a.m.  
Bible Class & SS 9:30 a.m.  
Monday Evening Service 7:30 p.m.

## LUTHERAN (English Synod A.E.L.C.)

**FAITH LUTHERAN**  
30000 Five Mile Road  
East Livonia  
421-7240

HOLY COMMUNION  
8:15 & 10:45 A.M.  
Nursery Available  
Bible Class 9:30 A.M.  
Tuesday School K-8  
4:15 P.M.  
Education Office  
421-7389

**HOLY TRINITY**  
39020 West Five Mile Road  
West Livonia  
464-0211

WORSHIP SERVICES  
8:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.  
Nursery Available  
Sunday School - All Ages  
9:45 a.m.  
Wed. Classes  
8:45 p.m.  
WELCOME

## FIRST APOSTOLIC LUTHERAN CHURCH

**FIRST APOSTOLIC LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
16326 Halsted Rd. at 11 Mile  
Farmington Hills, Michigan

SERVICES 10:30 A.M. Every Sunday  
7:00 P.M. 1st & 3rd Sunday of each month

Sunday School 9:15 A.M. Sept.-May  
Bible Class 7:45 p.m. Tues. Sept. - May  
Song Service Last Sunday of each month Sept.-May

## LUTHERAN WISCONSIN

**Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Churches WISCONSIN LUTHERAN RADIO HOUR**  
WCAR 1090 SUNDAY 10:30 A M

In Livonia - St. Paul Ev. Lutheran Church,  
17810 Farmington Rd.  
Pastor Winfred Koelpl - 261-8759  
Church Services 8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

In Plymouth - St. Peter Ev. Lutheran Church,  
1343 Penniman Ave.  
Pastor Leonard Koeninger - 453-3393  
Worship Services 8 & 10:30 a.m. + Sunday School 9:15 a.m.

In Redford Township - Lola Park  
Ev. Lutheran Church,  
14750 Kinkoch  
Pastor Edward Zell - 532-8655  
Worship Services 8:30 a.m. & 11 a.m. + Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

## CHURCHES OF CHRIST

"A Caring & Sharing Church"  
**LIVONIA**  
5431 Merriman Rd.  
SUNDAY WORSHIP  
11:00 AM & 6:00 PM

Rob Robinson Minister

427-8743

**GARDEN CITY**  
1457 Middlebelt Rd  
SUNDAY WORSHIP  
11 a.m & 6 p.m.  
Bible School 10 a.m.  
Wed 7:30 p.m. Worship

Ministers: Dennis Swindle & Lamar Matthews

422-8660

**SALEM UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
33434 Oakland  
Farmington, MI 474-8880

Jr. Church & Worship 10:45 A.M.  
Church School 9:30 A.M.  
Barrier-Free Sanctuary  
Nursery Provided  
REV. LEE W. TYLER  
Pastor  
REV. CARL H. SCHULTZ  
Pastor Emeritus  
PARSONAGE 477-6478  
"YOU ARE WELCOME"

**UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST**

**NATIVITY CHURCH**  
Henry Ruff at West Chicago  
Livonia  
421-5406

WORSHIP & CHURCH SCHOOL  
10:00 A.M.  
Dr. Michael H. Carter, an

**CHURCH OF THE SAVIOR**  
Temporarily Meeting at MADONNA COLLEGE  
36600 Schoolcraft at Levan

WORSHIP SERVICE 9:30 A.M.  
Nursery Available  
SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:45 A.M.

REV. GERALD DYKSTRA, Pastor 464-6122

**Christ Community Church of Canton**  
981-0460

Meeting at: Canton High School  
Canton Center at Joy  
Worship 10:00 A.M.  
Fellowship - Youth Clubs - Choir  
Bible Study  
Reformed Church in America

## CHRIST THE KING LUTHERAN CHURCH

**CHRIST THE KING LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
9300 Farmington Rd. Livonia  
421-0129 Worship 421-0748

8:15 & 11:00 A.M.  
Church School 9:30 A.M.  
Rev. Richard A. Martzon

Pastor Jerry Yarnell  
Rev. Ted Grotjohn  
Worship 8:00 & 11:00 A.M.  
Drexel Morton - Intern Pastor  
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.  
Wednesday Evening Teaching  
7:00-8:00 P.M.  
Nursery Provided

**RESURRECTION LUTHERAN**  
8850 Newburgh at Joy Livonia  
427-9575

Mertin E. Jacobs, Pastor  
Worship 10:30 A.M.  
Sunday School 9:15 A.M.

**DETROIT LAESTADIAN CONGREGATION**  
290 Fairground at Ann Arbor Trail - Plymouth

Donald W. Lahti, Pastor  
471-1316  
Sunday School  
9:30 a.m.  
Sunday Worship  
11:00 a.m.

Bible Class-Tues. 7:30 p.m.  
Finnish language service scheduled monthly on third Sunday at 11:00 a.m.

**MEMORIAL CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
(Christian Church)  
35475 Five Mile Rd.  
454-6722

MARK MCGILVREY, Minister  
CHUCK EMMERT  
Youth Minister  
BIBLE SCHOOL  
(All ages) 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.  
Evening Worship & Youth Meetings  
6:30 p.m.

**CENTRAL CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
38900 West Eleven Mile  
(Opp. Drake & Halsted)  
Farmington Hills

Bible Study 7:00 a.m.  
Worship 10:00 a.m.  
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
6:00 P.M.  
Wed. Bible Class 7:30 p.m.  
Nursery Provided All Services  
Rev. Gary Lutz 674-6922

## PRESBYTERIAN

**WARD EVANGELICAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Farmington and Six Mile Rd. 422-1150

Worship and Sunday School - 8:30, 10:00 and 11:30 A.M.

"I BELIEVE"  
Dr. Bartlett L. Hess

YOUTH MEMBERSHIP RECEPTION  
7:00 P.M.

"GROWING UP WHOLE IN A BREAKING DOWN WORLD"  
Dr. Kevin Leman Film Series  
Wednesday, 7:00 P.M. - SCHOOL OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION  
(Activities for All Ages)

Sunday Service Broadcast  
9:30 a.m., WMUZ-FM 103.5

Nursery Provided at All Services

**ST. PAUL'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (U.S.A.)**  
27475 Five Mile Rd. (at Inkster) 422-1470

Sunday, 9:30 & 11:00 A.M. Worship & Church School

"SUPER SUNDAY"  
Dr. Whittledge

Tuesday, 9:30 A.M. New Life Bible Study  
Wed. Bible Study - 9:30 A.M. & 7:30 P.M.

Dr. W. F. Whittledge Rev. P.R. Irwin Rev. K.R. Thoresen

**TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

10101 W. Ann Arbor Rd., Plymouth  
at Gotfredson & Ann Arbor Rd.

Sunday School for all ages 9:45 a.m.

Worship Services  
and Junior Church - 8:30 & 11:00 a.m.  
Rev. William C. Moore - Pastor  
William T. Branham, Asst. Pastor

Nursery Provided Phone 459-9550

**ROSEDALE GARDENS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (U.S.A.)**  
Hubbard at W. Chicago - 422-0494

Gerald R. Cobleigh Pastor,  
Elizabeth Gilliam Interim Assistant Pastor

WORSHIP SERVICE 10:30 A.M.

"THE BODY AT WORK"  
Church School (Nursery-12th) 10:30 A.M.

**VILLAGE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
25350 W. Six Mile, Redford  
(btw. Beech Daly & Telegraph)

Rev. Robert M. Barcus 534-7730  
Worship 10:00 A.M. - Church School 11:15 A.M.

The Rev. Lowell Witkozi preaching  
Thursday-Weekday Program For All  
Thursday Bible Study 7:00 P.M.  
People Growing In Faith And Love

## UNITED METHODIST

**ST. MATTHEWS UNITED METHODIST**  
30900 Six Mile Rd.  
(Bet Merriman & Middlebelt)

David T. Strong, Minister  
422-6038

10:00 A.M. Worship Service  
10:00 A.M. Church School  
(3 Yrs. - 8th Grade)  
10:00 A.M. Jr. & Sr. High Class  
11:15 A.M. Adult Study Class  
Nursery Provided

**ALDRSGATE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
(Redford Township)  
10000 BEECH DALY ROAD  
Between Plymouth and West Chicago

MINISTERS  
M. CLEMENT PARR, RANDY J. WHITCOMB  
9:30 & 11:00 A.M. Worship Service

"THE TRANSFORMING POWER OF CHRIST"  
9:30 A.M. Nursery Care & Adult Church School  
11:00 A.M. Nursery thru Senior High Church School  
Minister of Music, Ruth Hadley Turner

**NARDIN PARK UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
29887 West Eleven Mile Road  
Just West of Middlebelt Farmington Hills

476-8800  
WORSHIP 9:15 & 11 A.M.

Rev. Bob Morley preaching

Dr. William A. Ritter, Pastor  
Rev. George Kilbourn  
Rev. David R. Strobe, Assoc. Pastor  
Judy May, Dir. of Christian Ed.  
Mr. Melvin Rookus, Dir. of Music  
Singles Ministry, Rev. Strobe

**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF PLYMOUTH**  
45201 N. Territorial Rd. 453-5280

9:15 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. Worship & Church School  
(Nursery - 12th)

Ministers John N. Grantell, Larry J. Werbl, Dr. Frederick Vosburg

**NEWBURGH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
36500 Ann Arbor Trail  
Livonia's Oldest Church  
Church School and Worship

422-0149  
9:15 & 11:00 A.M.

"SOMETHING TO DEPEND ON"  
Rev. Ed Coley

Ministers  
Edward C. Coley, Roy Forsyth  
Nursery Provided

**CHRISTADELPHIAN**

Christadelphians  
Cordially invite you to:  
Lecture  
"THE BIBLE - THE ONLY DIVINE AUTHORITY"  
Sun. Feb. 16, 2:15 p.m.  
Sun. March 13, 2:15 p.m.  
Sun. March 20, 2:15 p.m.  
Sun. March 27, 2:15 p.m.  
Christadelphians  
2870 Parkside, Livonia, MI 48150  
PHONE: 422-7076

## EVANGELICAL COVENANT CHURCH OF AMERICA

**FAITH COVENANT CHURCH**

Michael A. Halleen Pastor  
Thomas C. Grundstrom Associate Pastor

35415 W. 14 Mile (at Drake)  
Farmington Hills  
681-9191

Making Faith A Way Of Life

SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:30 A.M.  
WORSHIP SERVICE 10:45 A.M.  
EVENING SERVICE 6:00 P.M.

Child Care and Nursery Provided



# Spotlight on Lincoln

## Show gives Abe's spiritual side

"An Evening with Abraham Lincoln," a one-man show written and performed by Jack Bradford, will be performed at the Trinity House, on the northwest corner of Six Mile and I-275 in Livonia. The performances will be at 8 p.m. Fridays and Saturday, Jan. 24 and 25, 31 and Feb. 1, 7 and 8. Tickets are \$4 and are available by reservation only by calling 464-6302. Trinity House is sponsored by Trinity Baptist Church.

By Richard Lech  
staff writer

**A**N OUTWARD resemblance to Abraham Lincoln spurred Jack Bradford to study the inner man.

"I wore this beard for 10 years and began to develop this Lincoln complex," Bradford said. "After so many cases of mistaken identity I began to study him."

Bradford has used his studies for the basis of his upcoming one-man show on Lincoln at Livonia's Trinity House. The hour-and-20-minute show calls for more than 50 scene changes and almost as many mood changes, Bradford said.

The show takes Lincoln from his early schooling to his study of law, his first brushes with politics, his courtship of Mary Todd, election to Congress, his presidency during the most turbulent time in American history and his assassination — an event that Lincoln foresaw.

BRADFORD, WHO is a family and marriage counselor when not portraying the 16th president, said his show is an attempt to bring across the much-neglected spiritual side of Lincoln.

"As I studied Lincoln, two aspects came through: his towering intellect

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— Jack Bradford

and his ability to change and grow," Bradford said. "Underlying all this is his spiritual quality that seemed to give him that single-minded quality, that drive and determination."

While often disparaged by his opponents as a "free-thinker and atheist," Lincoln was in fact a deeply religious man who knew much of the Bible by heart, Bradford said. Bradford characterized Lincoln's second inaugural address as being "almost like a theological treatise."

"Of all the presidents, he made it respectable to speak of God in human affairs."

Yet Lincoln, whose faith deepened in the last few years of his life, saw religion not as a source of comfort but as a way of determining the sometimes terrible Will of God, Bradford said. As Lincoln scholar Stephen B. Oates put it, Lincoln was a religious fatalist who "maintained that nothing could hinder the designs of Providence, that whatever would be would be and people could do nothing about it."

LINCOLN SAW the terrible slaughter of the Civil War — more than half a million men killed — as God's punishment on the nation for tolerating the evil of slavery, Bradford said.

As the war dragged on, Lincoln began to see himself as "God's humble instrument" to wipe out that evil. But he also believed that, like Moses, he

would not live to see his people delivered.

"He began to think, why should he escape the judgment? There was blood on his hands too," Bradford said.

"He read the passage where God didn't allow Moses to pass on to the Promised Land. He got the idea that he was not going to see the days of peace, that he was going to be asked to die for his nation's sake."

"I choose not to think that he was deluded," Bradford said. "He always was completely sane and aware of what he was doing."

Lincoln's faith allowed him to deal with tragedies such as the death of his son Willie and the tremendous obstacles of the war and the enmity of his enemies from both the North and the South.

THE INTERMISSION to Bradford's play comes when Lincoln was about to leave his Springfield, Ill., home to assume the presidency.

"It's a very emotional moment. He's leaving Springfield, we know he will never return. He was going to Washington in the most critical time in our history. When he got there, six states had already succeeded, and the North was badly divided."

Lincoln's main goal at the start of the war was to preserve the union, with slavery intact if necessary. He saw this country as a unique experiment in popular government, Bradford said. If the union were split, the Declaration of Independence's protection of individual

rights would be nullified and any man might be subject to despotism and slavery.

"If it had not been for Lincoln, the South might have been able to go its own way, and who knows what might have happened," Bradford said.

YET AS the war progressed Lincoln also increasingly heard a voice saying "let my people go." He made his own personal revulsion against slavery a part of the war's goals when he signed the Emancipation Proclamation.

Lincoln scoffed at those who said slavery was good for the slaves, who otherwise might not be able to fend for themselves.

"As Lincoln said, 'If that be the good, it's the only good that no man seeks for himself.'"

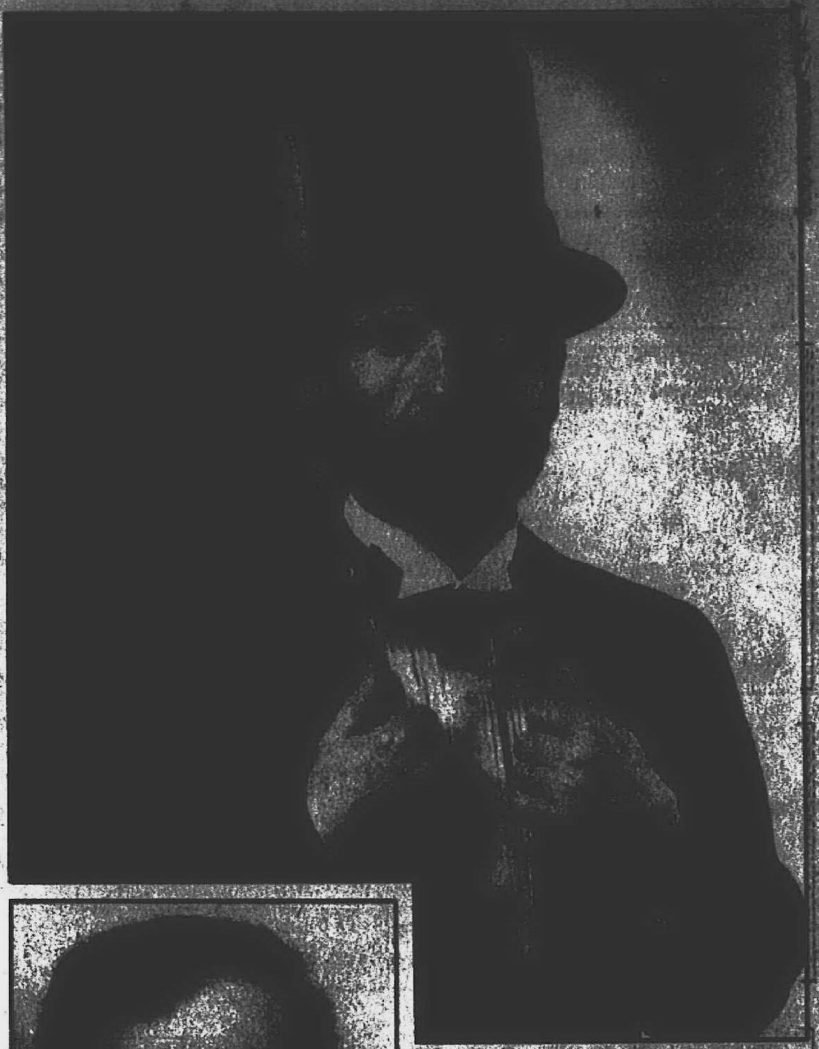
Lincoln's celebrated sense of humor also will be much a part of Bradford's show. Melancholy by nature, Lincoln used humor to combat his own depression, Bradford said.

FOR THE SHOW, Bradford will dye his light-colored beard black and don top hat and period suit. Bradford has played Lincoln several times in the past, including putting on a smaller version of his one-man show last year at the Grecian Center in Southgate.

Bradford said he tackled the role because he's always looking for new interests and challenges. Some of his past interests have included marathon running and working with religious camps.

A family counselor with the Wayne County Circuit Court in Westland, Bradford is one of the founding members and the first president of the Michigan Council for Family and Divorce Mediation. He is a resident of Royal Oak.

Bradford said his play is not an attempt to "propagandize" about Lincoln, but is an effort to try to plumb at least some of the depths of this extremely complicated man.



Jack Bradford will don top hat and old-fashioned garb to portray the 16th president in the one-man show "An Evening with Abraham Lincoln." The picture at left shows how Bradford appears in real life.

ART EMANUELE/staff photographer

# Your Invitation to Worship

ASSEMBLIES OF GOD

### CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY CHURCH

41355 Six Mile Northville • 348-9030  
Larry Frick, Sr. Pastor  
Steve Lehmann, Assoc. Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Services 11:00 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Family Night 7:00 p.m.  
Nursery Available • Schools: Pre-School - 9th

### Brightmoor Tabernacle

Assemblies of God  
26555 Franklin Rd. • Southfield MI  
(1-696 & Telegraph - West of Holiday Inn)  
A Charismatic Church where people of many denominations worship together  
Morning Worship - 8 A.M. & 11 A.M.  
Sunday School - 9:45 A.M.  
Celebration of Praise - 6:30 P.M.  
7:30 P.M. Wed. Adult, Youth & Children  
Ministry To The Deaf - Sunday  
Nursery provided at all services  
THOMAS E. TRASK, PASTOR

### BETHEL MISSIONARY ASSEMBLY OF GOD

8900 Middlebelt Rd.  
Livonia • 421-9140  
REV. JOHN ROY, PASTOR

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Evangelist Service 6:30 p.m.  
Wed. Family Night Service 7:00 p.m.

### TRI-CITY ASSEMBLY OF GOD

2100 Hannan Rd., Canton  
721-9222  
Dawn, Michigan Ave. & Palmer  
Sunday School 8:45 A.M.  
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.  
Evening Worship 6:00 P.M.  
Wed. Family Night 7:00 P.M.  
REV. RICHARD LINDERMAN, PASTOR

### CATHOLIC CHURCHES

### ST. JOHN NEUMANN Parish

44900 Warren Road  
Canton  
455-5910

Fr. Edward J. Baldwin  
Pastor

Masses  
Sat. 5:00 and 6:30 pm  
Sun. 8 am, 9:30 am  
11:00 am and 12:30 pm

### ST. THOMAS BECKET Parish

555 LILLEY RD., CANTON  
981-1333

Fr. Ernest M. Porcari  
Pastor

Masses:  
Sat. 4:30 PM  
Sun. 8:00 AM  
10:00 AM  
12:00 Noon

### CHRISTIAN FAMILY CHURCH

Novi Community Bldg.  
28400 Novi Rd.  
(near I-96)

SUNDAY WORSHIP  
10:00 a.m.

REV. LEO J. SAUCIANSKI  
Pastor

### NON-DEMINATIONAL

A Full Gospel Church

### the lord's house

36924 Ann Arbor Trail at Newburgh  
PASTOR JACK FORSYTH • 522-8463

Sunday School 10:00 A.M. Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.  
Evening Service 7:00 P.M. Wednesday Service 7:00 P.M.  
Royal Rangers & Missions

Come Worship the Lord freely with us.  
Children's Ministry at Every Service  
Visitors Always Welcome!

# NEW LIFE



SERVICES:  
Sunday 10:00 a.m.  
6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

J.E. KARI, Ph.D., Pastor  
Phone 422-LIFE

### NEW LIFE COMMUNITY CHURCH

New Life Christian Academy, K-12  
34645 Cowan Road • Westland, MI 48185

## church bulletin

### CHRISTIAN EDUCATORS

The Livonia Christian Educators will have a prayer breakfast at 6:30 a.m. Friday, Jan. 24, at the Denny's Restaurant at 7725 Wayne, at Cowan, Westland. The guest speaker will be Jim English, a social studies teacher at Livonia Franklin High School.

### BETHEL BAPTIST TEMPLE

Bethel Baptist Temple in Livonia will celebrate its 12th anniversary on Sunday, Feb. 2. The Martin Family Singers will perform a special musical celebration at the 10 and 11 a.m. services. Everyone who attends will

receive a free souvenir. The church is at 29475 W. Six Mile. For more information, contact the church's pastor, the Rev. H.L. Petty, at 525-2664 or 261-9276.

### ST. ANDREW EPISCOPAL

Robin Sullivan, the hostess of a local Christian radio show, will be the guest speaker at this month's meeting of St. Andrew's Episcopal Women. The program will begin at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 28, with the celebration of the Holy Eucharist. The musical group Restoration also will perform. A dessert fellowship will follow the program. The church is

at 16360 Hubbard, between Five Mile and Six Mile, Livonia.

### UNIVERSALIST-UNITARIAN

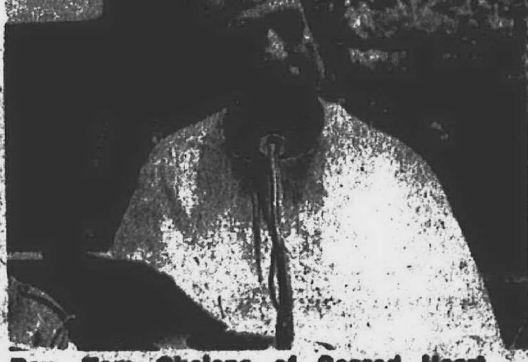
The Universalist-Unitarian Church of Farmington Hills has worship services at 10 a.m. Sundays from September through June. Coffee and conversation immediately follow the service. The church is at 26301 Halsted, between Grand River Avenue and 11 Mile. For more information, call 478-7272.

### FAIRLANE ASSEMBLY

The Rev. Fred Smolchuck, mission-

ary to the Soviet Union and the Ukraine, will be the guest speaker at Fairlane Assembly of God at the 8, 9:45 and 11:30 a.m. worship services Sunday, Jan. 26. Smolchuck, who has held various district-level positions with Assemblies of God, last summer completed his third missionary trip to the USSR and the Ukraine. He teaches, preaches and conducts seminars for local ministers in those countries.

Fairlane Assembly is at 22575 Ann Arbor Trail, one light east of Telegraph and one block south of Warren Avenue, Dearborn Heights.



Rev. Tom Chelona of Sacred Heart Church, Livonia, leads a prayer service at Livonia Mall.

## Prayer week services

Livonia and Redford churches are observing Prayer for Christian Unity Week with public praise services and pulpits exchanges.

In Livonia, the last in a series of three public prayer services will be conducted at 12:15 p.m. tomorrow at the Livonia Mall.

Highlighting the Redford observance in the pulpits exchanges Sunday as follows: Rev. John Ferris of Rice Memorial United Memorial Church will be at St. Agatha Catholic Church; Rev. Lowell Wilkerson of Trinity Church of the Brethren will be at Village Presbyterian Church; Rev. Barbara Koch of Good Shepherd Lutheran will be at Lola Valley United Methodist Church; Rev. Jim West of Augsburg Lutheran will be at Rice Memorial United Methodist Church; Rev. John Wallace of Lola Valley United Methodist will be at Trinity Church; the Rev. Bob Barcus of Village Presbyterian will be at Augsburg Lutheran; and Rev. Tom Rice of St. Agatha's will be at Good Shepherd Lutheran.

Involved in the pulpit switch marking Prayer for Christian Unity week in Redford Township are the Revs. Lowell Wilkerson (left), John Ferris, John Wallace and Barbara Koch.



## medical briefs/helpline

### ● FREE HEALTH SCREENINGS

Catherine McAuley Health Center invites the community to free health screenings 1-5 p.m. Monday, Jan. 27, at the Arbor Health Building, 990 Ann Arbor Trail at Harvey, Plymouth. Screenings will be offered for blood pressure and hearing. Health risks appraisals will be available.

### ● QUIT SMOKING

FreshStart, a quit-smoking program, will be offered at St. Mary Hospital at 5 Mile and Levan in Livonia, from 7:30 to 9 p.m. Tuesday/Wednesday, Jan. 28-29. The series, co-sponsored by the American Cancer Society, will be in the first-floor nursing classroom at the hospital. There is no charge but preregistration is requested. To register, call 464-4800, Ext. 2313. FreshStart deals with smoking as a chemical addiction, as a habit, and as a psychological dependency. The program also offers suggestions on dealing with weight control and stress management.

### ● GROWING OLDER

Registrations now are being accepted for a series of six weekly classes for

persons with aging parents or other loved ones beginning 7 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 28, at Plymouth Canton High School on Canton Center Road just south of Joy. Topics will include normal aging, memory loss, Alzheimer's Disease, communicating with the older adult, health promotion, legal considerations, and community resources. For further information, call Plymouth-Canton Community Schools at 451-6660.

### ● CANCER INFORMATION

"Everything You Always Wanted to Know About Cancer But Were Afraid to Ask . . ." — A free 2 1/4-hour cancer information session sponsored by Annapolis Hospital — will be held from 9 to 11:30 a.m. and from 1 to 3:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 8, and from 8 to 8:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 10, in the Wayne Community Center at Howe and Annapolis in the City of Wayne. The newest at-home colorectal cancer screening kits will be available for \$1.50. Enrollment limited. Register by Jan. 31 by calling 467-4570.

### ● BETTER BREATHING

Better breathing classes for adults

with respiratory problems will begin Tuesday, Feb. 11. Sponsored by the Center for Asthma, Emphysema and Allergic Disorders, the series offers breathing exercises, informal discussion and education. Registration is limited. For more information, call 353-2270.

### ● BLOOD PRESSURE CLINICS

A series of three classes on high blood pressure will be presented beginning Feb. 12 at St. Mary Hospital in Livonia. A registered nurse will discuss medical information about high blood pressure, a dietitian will cover dietary management and a pharmacist will speak about high blood pressure medications. Classes are open to the public at a charge of \$5 per person or \$7.50 per couple to cover printed material. The classes will begin at 7 p.m. in the hospital auditorium on Wednesdays, Feb. 12, 19, 26. Register in person or by calling 464-4800, ext. 2314.

### ● HOLISTIC HEALTH

"Holistic Health: Caring For Yourself" is scheduled for 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 20, at Madonna College.

The workshop is an introduction to holistic concepts for persons wanting to take an active role in promoting their own health and well-being. The fee is \$15. For information or to register, call 591-5188.

### ● MENTAL HEALTH 'BUDDIES'

Persons who have been frequently hospitalized for mental health problems and are living in Plymouth, Canton, Northville, Livonia or Redford are eligible for a new "Buddies Program" for outpatient community mental health operated by Suburban West Community Center, 875 S. Main, Plymouth, with main office at 11667 Beech Daly, Redford. Former clients who have demonstrated successful adjustment in the community serve as "buddies," providing assistance in handling crises and achieving personal goals. To receive further information about the program, call Suburban West Community Center, 937-9500 or 981-2665.

### ● CRISIS COUNSELING

If you want help in solving a problem, are looking for a referral, or need information about drugs or alcohol,

counselors at Turning Point Counseling and Crisis Intervention Center can help. Counselors are available 6:30 to 10:30 p.m. Monday-Friday. Other hours are available by appointment. Phone 455-4900.

Turning Point is a non-profit community service of Growth Works Inc., which offers crisis intervention and counseling.

### ● DIABETIC SUPPORT

A Diabetic Support Group will begin meeting 7-8 p.m. the third Monday of each month at Oakwood Hospital Canton Center at Warren and Canton Center roads in Canton.

### ● BLOOD PRESSURE CHECKS

Free blood-pressure checks are offered by members of the Volunteer Guild of Oakwood Hospital Canton Center 6-8 p.m. Tuesdays in the main lobby of the hospital at Warren and Canton Center roads in Canton.

### ● HOSPICE VOLUNTEERS

Hospice of Washtenaw is a program

of Amicare Home Health Services, Inc., a non-profit agency which trains and utilizes volunteers in the care and support of the terminally ill and their families. Volunteers are vital in serving families who are caring for loved ones at home. Families are given support in home care through supportive care tasks such as transportation, errands, chores, friendly visiting, recreational activities, and relief care. Volunteers also assist the program in public speaking, office assistance, newsletter staff, and resource materials library. To learn more about Hospice of Washtenaw, attend the information meeting at 4 p.m. Jan. 21, at 3765 Plaza Drive, Ann Arbor. For more information, call 995-1995.

### ● RED CROSS VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Adult Red Cross volunteers are needed at St. Mary Hospital, Levan and Five Mile, Livonia. Day and evening hours are available for anyone interested in helping hospital personnel and patients. For information, call the Red Cross at 422-2787.

## Jobs in state at high

Employment in Michigan reached its second-highest level in history during 1985 as the number of workers with jobs averaged more than 3.9 million.

"During 1985, the average number of employed workers in the state rose by 63,000 to a six-year high of 3,934,000," said Richard Simmons Jr., director of the Michigan Employment Security Commission.

"Michigan's employment peaked in 1979 when it averaged a record 3,979,000," he said.

ALTHOUGH unemployment in Michigan increased among blacks and black teens in 1985, labor force conditions for all groups in the state have improved since 1982, Simmons said.

As employment improved, so did the state's jobless rate, which fell to an average of 9.9 percent last year. That was more than a full percentage point below the 1984 average of 11.2 percent and 5.6 percent below the 1982 peak average of 15.5 percent.

It was the first time that Michigan's annual average unemployment rate has been in single digits since 1979, when it averaged 7.8 percent.

SOME DETAILS of the MESCC report for 1985:

- The largest job gains occurred among men as their employment total grew by 45,000 to 2,225,000.

- Employment among women rose at a slower pace to 1,709,000, an increase of 18,000.

- The number of women in Michigan's work force actually declined by 3,000 to 1,909,000.

- Among whites 16 years of age and older, unemployment declined from 9.1 percent in 1984 to 7.6 percent in 1985.

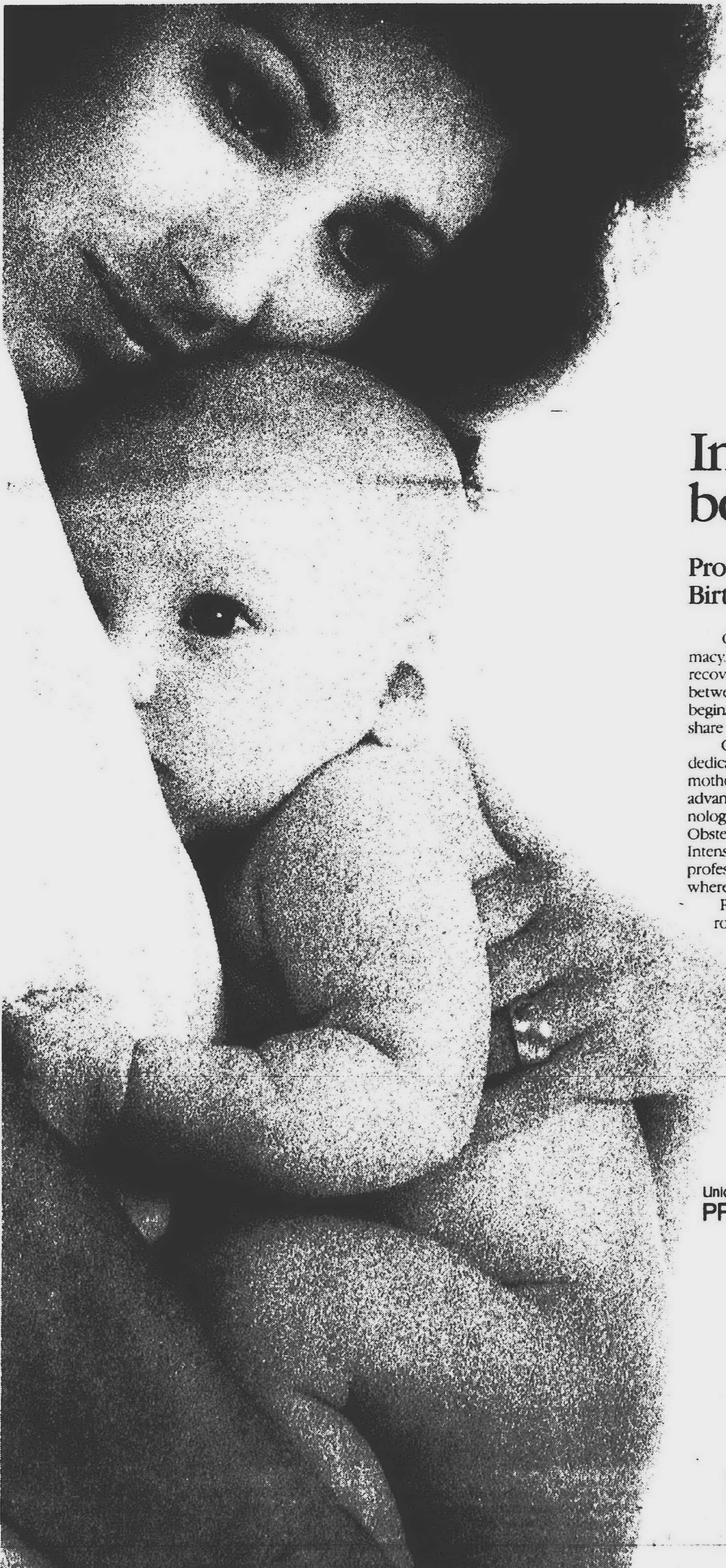
- Among blacks in the same age group, unemployment increased by 0.9 percent to 27.8 percent from 26.9 percent in 1984.

- Overall teen-age unemployment fell in 1985 to 22.2 percent from 24.5 percent in 1984.

- The jobless rate for black teens in the state increased to 57.7 percent from 51.6 percent in 1984. Black teens in the work force grew by 2,000 to 53,000.

THE MAJORITY of Michigan's new jobs — four out of five — were developed in the service-producing sector of the economy.

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## NCAA ruling looks good, means little

SO FAR, the new NCAA ruling designed to make students out of college athletes has been called:

- Racially motivated;
- A boon to Division II, III, NAIA and junior colleges;
- A travesty that will affect thousands of high school seniors;
- An end to colleges' acceptance, and eventual abuse, of a student for his athletic abilities.

### IT WILL PROBABLY result in:

- Several court cases;
- No significant change in small college and junior college programs;
- More cheating that the NCAA won't be able to keep up with;
- More abuses that the NCAA won't be able to keep up with.

THAT'S WHAT HAPPENS when athletes-turned-athletic-directors (which nearly all athletic directors are) can't handle their programs, forcing the NCAA to appeal to college presidents to intervene.

See what scholars do to our fun and games? They try to make it proper, with high-and-mighty talk about college athletes being students first.

They send delegates to the NCAA and a new law is passed, calling for strict compliance by all Division I schools to academic standards. Students must have a 2.0 grade point and score 700 on the SAT or 15 on the ACT tests.

These scholars figure that's fair, considering most colleges have far more stringent requirements for everyday students. But black leaders say no, and their argument has merit.

"Suppose I told you I was going to go out and cop a deuce and a quarter," said Schoolcraft College men's basketball coach Rocky Watkins. "Or my dad said he was going to lay a new crib. Would you know what I was talking about?"

No. But black kids would. "They've talked a whole different vernacular all their lives," explained Watkins. "If those (SAT and ACT) tests were written the way these guys talk every day, they'd pass."

WATKINS AND OTHER blacks opposed to the new ruling don't like the use of the tests in the requirements. Besides the language problem, they say a kid could have one bad day and his future would be damned.

I find the latter complaint a bit harsh. There's no limit to how many times someone can take either test, but if understanding what's written is a problem I don't see why adjustments in the test can't be made.

The real question is, will the new ruling make a difference? Will thousands of high school athletes be forced to attend junior colleges because of academic deficiencies?

Hah! Think about it — if a major university has a shot at a Terry Mills, Michigan's premier prep basketball player, do you think it will let him get away because of poor grades?

Be realistic. University officials read where Georgetown University made \$12 million during Patrick Ewing's four-year stay. You think they'll let an athlete of his caliber escape? They'll find someone to take his tests for him if it means a shot at \$12 million.

SO MUCH for Division II, III and NAIA schools getting a bigger share of quality athletes. Besides, colleges like Orchard Lake St. Mary's and Oakland University already maintain academic standards more strict than those just adopted by the NCAA.

Other small schools, like Ferris State, Wayne State and Saginaw Valley State, which admit athletes in non-degree programs like WSU's College of Lifelong Learning, will soon have a rule stating all athletes must complete 12 hours per semester aimed at an academic degree.

Junior colleges won't benefit much, either. Watkins — who had four players go academically ineligible this month — has found little use for athletes who have no serious desire to be students.

"I'm not going after any of those guys," he said. "I'm not going to waste my time."

And yet, despite arguments against it, the proposal had to be adopted. It is too idealistic to be voted down.

THE PROBLEMS won't be addressed sufficiently. A better solution to helping athletes plagued by learning problems would be that suggested by Oakland Community College men's basketball coach Tom McPhillips.

"I think they should give the kid three years of eligibility in junior college," he said. "The first year he can take remedial classes, designed to get his skills up to par with other college students. Then he can enter the regular college program."

Letting him play basketball all three years would serve as an inducement, McPhillips explained.

Watkins disagrees. "It would end up benefiting the (JC) athletic program more than the kid. I think it would ultimately be abused by the coaches."

So the question persists: What is the answer to stopping college athletic abuses?

Enforcement, first of all. Proposals like this read nice, but unless they're enforced what good are they? The NCAA has enough recruiting and gambling ruminations to investigate. Now it will be further handicapped.

Can the NCAA keep pace? Doubtful. Not if a college has a shot at making \$12 million. Where there's a windfall like that, there will be a way to get it — without getting caught.



RANDY BORST/staff photographer

Harrison's Rod Sarceovich (No. 41) beats Salem's Antonio Diaz (No. 40) to the basket during the Hawks' win Tuesday night.

## Shorthanded Rocks ripped

By Chris McCosky staff writer

The scoreboard clock at Farmington Harrison went dead with eight seconds left in the basketball game Tuesday night.

Plymouth Salem coach Bob Brodie met Harrison coach Mike Teachman in front of the scorer's table and said, "You forfeit, we win."

No such luck. In an early-season battle between the divisional frontrunners in the Western Lakes Activities Association, Harrison stymied a depleted Salem team 68-55.

The victory is Harrison's ninth straight this season (seventh in the conference), which ties a school record for consecutive wins. The win also increases Harrison's Western Division lead to two games over Northville, who lost to John Glenn Tuesday.

"They are hard," Brodie said of the Hawks. "They are aggressive, they've got the shooters — they're a real nice ballclub. The thing that impresses me is that they work so hard, lots of intensity. We play with a lot of intensity, we go to the floor, but they are awfully tough."

IN SALEM'S defense, three starters were missing from the lineup. Tony Moore was out with a fractured ankle, Tom D'Angelo with an illness and Jeff Justice with a knee injury. The Rocks dressed eight players.

Harrison was without starter Jeff Hoskow (flu), but as Teachman said: "They were obviously hurting more than we were."

As is generally the case, defense keyed Harrison's win. The Hawks, despite giving up nearly three inches per man across the front line, kept Salem away from the basket with a ferociously tight-compact zone. The Rocks got off just nine shots from within the free throw lane in the first half and got just three offensive rebounds.

"The would take just six shots total in the fatal third quarter."

"We did not shoot the ball well from the perimeter," Brodie said. "They kept packing in their zone giving us great outside opportunities. If we can't make the shots, they're going to keep packing it in."



SAID TEACHMAN: "The guy that did that (keep Salem away from the basket) was Rod Sarceovich. He played an outstanding game. He's intelligent and he knows how to cut off the passing lanes. This team knows no fear. We tell them they're going against a bigger team, they don't care."

The game was close throughout the first half. Harrison built up a 27-18 lead midway through the second quarter, but Salem scored nine straight points and trailed 29-27 at the half. The lights went out on the visitors, for all intents and purposes, in the third quarter.

WHILE THE Rocks struggled to get off a shot, Harrison at one point outscored them 20-3.

Leading the charge for Harrison was the CC-exported backcourt combination of Ken George and Billy Otto. The two Catholic Central transfers combined for 32 points and 14 assists on the night. George scored 20 points with six assists. Otto, making his first appearance for the Hawks, scored 12 points and added eight assists.

Sarceovich tallied 16 points on the night, 11-for-12 from the free throw line. Scott Bissell added 10.

Salem fought back valiantly in the final quarter behind the spirited play of Paul Makara and Mike Hale. But, the Rocks could only get as close as nine points.

Hale led all scorers with 23 points. Bryan Kearis scored 14 and Makara added nine (all in the final quarter).

"Mike Hale was just super for them," Teachman said. "He did everything they needed him to do. Don't be fooled by the large score tonight. Salem will be heard from in this league."

The Rocks are now 5-3 in the confer-

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## Chiefs take 3rd at Civitan meet

By Larry O'Connor staff writer

Stevensville Lakeshore made a long trek to the Plymouth Canton-Civitan Invitational Wrestling Tournament Saturday.

But the state-ranked Lancers had a short run through the eight-team field at the tourney, winning with 212½ team points. Host Canton checked in third with 109 points behind runner-up Belleville's 111.

After gazing at the champion Lakeshore squad (ranked No. 1 in Class B), Canton coach Rick Menoch isn't complaining.

"We've been placing really well," Menoch said. "We were just two points out of (second); it was a very good tournament."

Livonia Franklin (81 team points) and Livonia Stevenson (88) finished seventh and eighth, respectively.

The Chiefs had six wrestlers place at the invitational, but Dave Dunford's upset of Lakeshore's Jason Cluff in the 114-pound match was the highlight. Dunford took a 12-8 decision over Cluff.

ANOTHER LAKESHORE wrestler was Tim Birely's victim as the Canton grappler took first place in the 121-pound bout. Birely posted a 10-2 decision over Lakeshore's Dave Strejc.

Jay Pollard (147) finished second for the Chiefs while Tom Flores (100), Tom Brenner (107) and Mike Wallace (185) all took third.

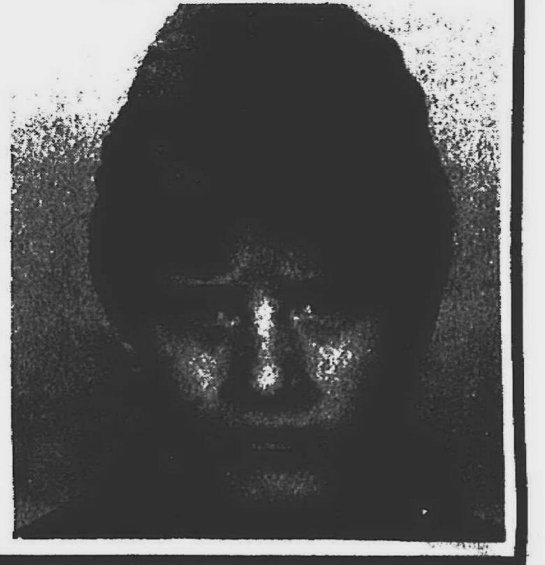
For Franklin, Tim Downey (114), Craig Lapanowski (128) and Kevin Chisolm (147) placed third. Joe Radabaugh (169) was fourth.

"Overall, I thought we did really well," Patriots coach Ted Canty said. "We're a young team, and we placed four guys in the top four."

Stevenson, which finished eighth, had six wrestlers place.

Dave Wojelchowski (107) came in second after losing to Belleville's Bishar James in the finals, 8-3. Third-place finishes for the Spartans included Tom Tokarz (140) and John Econoumou (167). Pat Berry (147) and Vern Schipper (200) placed third.

"My kids are young and wrestled quite well," Stevenson coach Don Berg said.



### Record chaser

Plymouth Salem wrestler Dave Dameron is closing in on a host of school records. Most notably, he is seeking the team's longstanding career win mark held by Jeff Brown. Dameron needs one more victory to tie the mark of 128 career wins. He is likely to equal and top the record Saturday as Salem competes in the Mount Clemens Invitational. Story on Page 3C.

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# Rocks, Chiefs cruise to victory in pool

Plymouth Salem rocked and rolled Tuesday to a 111-61 romp over visiting Livonia Franklin in a Western Lakes dual swim meet.

The Rocks grabbed all but four events at the meet as they raised their record to 4-1. Salem took both the 200-yard medley and 400-yard freestyle relay events.

In the 200 medley, it was Don Harwood, Kevin Gackenbach, Tony Atwell and Kevin Zarow won in 1:47.9. Zarow, Harwood, Phil Bocketti and Mike Gibbons took the 400 free in 3:33.2. Jeff Anderson was the Rocks double

winner of the meet. Anderson grabbed firsts in the 50-yard freestyle and the 500-yard freestyle. He won the 50 free in 24.2 and claimed first in the 500 free in 5:23.7.

Bryan Madigan was an individual double winner for the Patriots. Madigan won the 200-yard freestyle in 1:52.1 and the 100-yard freestyle in 50.4.

Other individual winners for Franklin included Bill Govier in diving (2:38.15) and Dave Goralski in the 100-yard breaststroke (1:03.7).

Individual firsts for the Rocks included Rick Cummings in the 200-yard

## swimming

Individual medley (2:14), Jamie Dunn in the 100-yard butterfly (58.1) and Dave Miller in the 100-yard backstroke (1:01.1).

CANTON 98, FARMINGTON 76: The visiting Chiefs gave the Falcons the fits Tuesday in their Western Lakes dual meet triumph. Farmington ran a string of five-

straight firsts midway in the meet before Plymouth Canton stormed back to take the 100 breaststroke and the 400 free relay. Rob Tiplady captured the 100 breaststroke in 1:11.4.

The foursome of Frank Wisniewski, Tom Hone, Steve Schwinn and Dean Roberts won the 400 free relay in 3:40.5 for the Chiefs.

Farmington took the 200 medley relay as Doug Riccio, Brad Moore, Jim Vlk and Chris Inch won in 1:49.9.

Individual double winners for the Falcons included Inch who won the 200 free (1:56.89) and the 500 free (5:09.68). Vlk took both the 50 free (23.09) and the 100 free (52.66).

Moore won the 100 butterfly (1:01.73) and Riccio claimed the 100 backstroke (1:00.1) for Farmington's other firsts.

Roberts, who won the 200 IM (2:14.8), and Andy Flowers took diving (272.3) to round out Canton's other firsts. The Chiefs are 4-3 in dual meets; the

Falcons are 2-6. On Thursday, Canton dunked Westland John Glenn, 101-70, as Flower set a pool record in diving at 281.15. Roberts won both the 200 IM (2:16.5) and 100 backstroke (1:01.6).

REDFORD CC 55, EDESEL FORD 28: On Tuesday, the host Shamrocks dumped on the Thunderbirds in a big way to claim a dual-meet win.

Redford Catholic Central (7-1) claimed seven firsts as John Kovach was an individual double winner.

## sports shorts

### TEEN SKI TRIP

The Canton Parks and Recreation Department is sponsoring a ski trip to the Alpine Valley Ski Area Friday, Feb. 7. All transportation and supervision will be provided by the department.

The cost is \$15 for those without equipment, \$8 for those with. Call 397-1000 for more information.

### GROUNDHOG CLASSIC

The seventh annual Canton Parks and Recreation Department's Groundhog Day Classic six-pitch softball tournament is set for Saturday, Jan. 25, at Griffin Park.

The outdoor tournament pits softball teams against each other and the elements — the tourney will be canceled only in the event of sunny, beautiful weather.

A 16-inch orange softball will be used. The cost is \$30 per team. Call 397-1000 for registration details.

### SOCCER SIGNUP

Registration for the Plymouth Parks and Recreation Department's spring soccer league will take place from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. through Jan. 31 at the Plymouth Cultural Center.

Boys and girls ages 5-18 are eligible to participate (birth certificates required). The cost is \$25 per player. League play begins in April. Call 455-6620 for more information.

## basketball

The following are the standings for the Plymouth-Canton Junior Basketball Association through Jan. 18. c-denotes 1986 league champions.

### BOYS A (Final)

American	9-1
c-Spurs	8-2
Knicks	7-3
Jazz	4-6
Pacers	4-6
Lakers	3-7
Chiefs	2-8

### National

c-Bullets	10-0
Pistons	7-3
Kings	7-3
Celtics	4-6
Hawks	1-9
Suns	1-9

Results: Knicks 58, Chiefs 47; Spurs 55, Jazz 35; Lakers 39, Pacers 38; Bullets 40, Pistons 35; Kings 50, Suns 38

### GIRLS AA (Final)

c-Strikers	11-0
Celtics	5-6
Flames	5-6
Hawks	5-6
Robins	4-7
Jets	3-8

Results: Astros 21, Hawks 20; Robins 40, Jets 27; Strikers 40, Flames 30  
c-denotes 1986 league champion.

### BOYS AA

Celtics	12-1
Lakers	9-4
Pistons	6-7
Jazz	5-8
Spurs	4-9
Knicks	3-10

Results: Celtics 88, Lakers 84; Jazz 93, Pistons 73; Knicks 75, Spurs 74; Lakers 85, Knicks 83; Pistons 64, Spurs 62; Celtics 68, Jazz 66

### BOYS AAA

Spurs	7-1
Bucks	5-3
Pistons	4-4
Jazz	0-8

Results: Spurs 51, Pistons 36; Bucks 81, Jazz 64; Pistons 64, Jazz 62; Spurs 57, Bucks 48

### GIRLS B (Final)

c-T-Birds	7-1
c-Dolphins	7-1
Magics	4-4
Blues	4-4
Wings	2-8
76ers	0-8

Results: Magics 17, Blues 16; Dolphins 39, T-Birds 31.

### BOYS B

Knicks	7-1
Kings	6-2
Celtics	6-2
Suns	4-4
Jazz	4-4
Bulls	4-4
Pistons	2-6
Pacers	0-8

### National

Sonics	8-0
76ers	8-0
Bullets	6-2
Lakers	6-2
Bucks	4-4
Hawks	3-6
Horns	1-7
Spurs	1-7
Knicks	0-8

Results: Spurs 40, Rockets 36; Bulls 37, Pistons 36; Sonics 93, Bucks 88; 76ers 88, Rockets 88; Knicks 37, Pistons 31; Jazz 47, Bulls 36; Kings 88, Suns 88; Lakers 84, Spurs 80; Celtics 85, Pistons 80; Bucks 47, Hawks 38.

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# Injury bug hits area gymnasts

By Chris McCosky  
staff writer

**J**ACKIE HUFF is a fearless competitor. A gymnastics trick has not been invented that she wouldn't try. Her gummy talent helped her become an All-Area gymnast last year for Plymouth Salem.

Her gummy talent, though, is responsible for her absence in Salem's first four meets of the season.

Huff, on the first event of Salem's first meet of the season, attempted a trick on vault she had never tried in competition before — a Tsukahara. She under-rotated the first in-air twist and came down hard on the backs of her ankles. A bone was chipped. Her coach said she was lucky both ankles weren't broken.

Huff's injury was the first of a legion of gymnastics-injuries recorded so far in a season that has not reached its midpoint.

- Virtually every team has been struck:
- North Farmington — Lisa Brundle (knee).
  - Plymouth Salem — Huff (ankle), Sylvia Moran (broken back), Vikki Johns (knee), Jenny Breed (hyper-extended elbow).
  - Farmington Harrison — Jody Solomon (back).
  - Plymouth Canton — Megan McGow (ankle), Shelly Ludwig (knee), Maureen McLean (arm, finger), Apryl Mosakowski (thumb), Debbie Bork (stomach, back), Brenda Perry (ankle), Lisa DeJong (tailbone), Andrea Lenagan (broken foot).
  - Troy Athens — Janice Greff (broken ankle).
  - Troy — Laura Sienkiewicz (ankle), Karen Janus (broken ankle).

AT THE DEARBORN Invitational Saturday, an East Lansing gymnast, while performing a back handspring during her floor exercise, dislocated her elbow. It was a move she had done countless times. This time her elbow gave out. Her season, and perhaps her gymnastics career, is over.

"I have seen more injuries this season than I have in 15 years of coaching combined," Canton coach John Cunningham said.

It's no wonder, then, that the NCAA lists women's gymnastics (along with men's lacrosse) as having the second highest injury rate among collegiate sports. Wrestling, with approximately 10 injuries per 1,000 athletes, is on top. Gymnastics and lacrosse are tied for second with eight injuries per

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1,000 athletes. Football is fourth with seven injuries per 1,000.

There are several theories for the sudden injury rash.

Larry Nassar, a graduate assistant athletic trainer, has been involved with the North Farmington gymnastics program for the past eight years. He believes that gymnasts are not in proper condition to perform the level of gymnastics tricks they are attempting.

"THE GIRLS are in shape," he said. "But they are not in proper gymnastics condition. They are throwing harder and harder tricks as their skill level increases, and their bodies are simply not ready to handle the torque and the force that is generated."

Nassar believes in order to cut down on the injuries, gymnasts need an off-season weight training program to increase strength in vulnerable areas such as the ankles, back and arms.

"I made up a preseason workout for all the girls at North," Nassar said. "They barely went through it. None of them did."

Nassar also cites improper stretching techniques and a lack of warm-up time for encouraging injury. "There is a proper way of producing flexibility," he said. "When you stretch, you should hold the stretch for at least 20 seconds. Most of the girls do it for 10 seconds. That does nothing."

"Also, gymnasts should break a sweat during their warm-up period. Once you break a sweat, then you are ready to stretch."

MOST COACHES agree fundamentally with Nassar. But several aren't ready to blame the injuries on a lack of conditioning.

"I don't want to debunk what (Nassar) said, but our kids are in shape," Cunningham said. "Our injuries haven't happened because the kids are doing tricks that are too dangerous. Basically, our injuries have been flukes. Megan McGow hit the edge of the mat on her landing and rolled her ankle. Shelly Ludwig made a perfect vault, but she went higher than she was used to and ripped her knee on the landing."

"Collectively, none of my injuries have happened because they are doing things beyond their capabilities."

What about Jackie Huff's injury? Was she ready to throw a Tsukahara on vault?

"That's what scares me," Cunningham said. "I've seen Jackie do the most unbelievable Tsuk, she can do a double Tsuk. I've spotted her in practice and she does the prettiest Tsuk I've ever seen. But in a meet, it's different. I don't know if you lose concentration or confidence, but the spotter is not there in the meet."

NORTH FARMINGTON coach Mary Glitz: "Part of the injury problem is that the tricks are getting harder — the girls feel they have to do them to compete. But mostly, the accidents are freaky; you don't know what causes them. That girl from East Lansing must have done a million back handsprings."

"Most coaches will not push kids to do something they are not capable of."

The Michigan High School Athletic Association has upgraded the scoring system in high school gymnastics. It has added a high superior requirement, which is worth .3 point.

"The only thing the upgraded scoring system does is stimulate gymnasts to do harder tricks," Cunningham said. "But really, the high superior tricks aren't that difficult in terms of danger."

Kathi Kinsella, Salem coach, said: "When you get better, certainly there is a greater risk of injury. But that should be canceled out because the better you are, the better your body is conditioned to handle it."

COACHES WILL agree that they'd like to see their athletes stretch and warm up more.

"I'd say that 30 to 50 percent of it (injuries) is that the kids don't warm up properly. I showed them how, but they don't believe me. They think their bodies will carry them through. But it's difficult to hop out of a cold bus and be ready to perform in 15 minutes," Kinsella said.

It is safe to conclude that some injuries are caused by improper conditioning and others by bad luck. In either case, it would be prudent for gymnasts to heed Nassar's suggestions for lessening the potential of injury: begin and maintain a strength program during the off-season and take additional care during pre-meet warm-ups.

# Dameron streak survives losses

The Plymouth Salem wrestling team's string of consecutive wins came to a crashing halt Tuesday.

But Dave Dameron's pursuit of the Salem record for most career wins carries on. The 126-pound grappler collected two wins as the host Rocks lost dual meets to Hazel Park, 34-30, and to Temperance Bedford, 32-27.

Dameron, who has 127 career wins, needs only one more to tie the school mark of 128. He could break the record this Saturday when the Rocks travel to Mount Clemens for a tournament.

Tuesday, Dameron closed the gap with a 17-2 technical pin against Hazel Park. He also scored a 6-2 decision over Bedford's Larry Manns in a 126-pound bout.

IN ADDITION to most career wins, Dameron could also break both the

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Salem season and career records for pins.

His brother, Dennis, was able to garner a pin against Hazel Park in the 112-pound class. Jamie Wozniak collected Salem's other pin against Hazel Park in the 198-pound division.

Other Rocks wins came on decisions by Lem Yeung (167) and Richard Johnson (heavyweight).

Against Bedford, the Rocks had pins from Tim Ott (151) and Bryan Wheble (147). Kevin Freeman (134), Kirk Rentz (140), and Wozniak (290) all won on decisions. Johnson battled to a 1-1 draw in his heavyweight match.

# Depleted Rocks win Monroe mat crown

With only 10 wrestlers available Saturday due to illness and injury, Plymouth Salem resembled a traveling M.A.S.H. clinic at the Monroe Invitational.

But the Rocks were still able to operate and close up on a first-place finish at the nine-team tourney.

Salem, down 15 points going into the consolation round, fought back with three wins in the finals to capture top honors with 151 team points.

David Dameron, Kevin Freeman and Kirk Rentz all took first place in their respective weight classes to lift the Rocks past runner-up Romulus, which had 144½ team points.

Dameron beat Romulus' Jim Schlener 17-5 in the 126-pound final. In the 132-pound championship, Free-

man came away with an 8-0 overtime win over Dundee's Tim Bomba. Kirk Rentz won the 198-pound title on a 12-6 decision over Ida's Steve Ball.

ROMULUS HAD six wrestlers make it to the championship round, but only one posted a win.

"To keep the entire team on the mat all year long is impossible," said Salem coach Ron Krueger. "This week (the injuries) happened to us. . . . It was real satisfying to win."

Salem was aided with second-place finishes by Dennis Dameron (112) and Bryan Wheble (148) and third places by Fred Calma (107), Chris Rye (155) and Richard Johnson (heavyweight). The Rocks have won three tournaments this season.

# Rocks overwhelmed by Raiders' power

What's gotten into this North Farmington gymnastics team?

Toiling for the first month of the season around the 125 team-scoring mark, the Raiders have suddenly found themselves scoring 130-plus per meet.

The Raiders hit the magic number Monday besting Plymouth Salem 130.5-121.65 in a battle of Western Lakes powers. North had tallied 130.4 in winning the Dearborn Invitational Saturday.

"The girls have added some new tricks, and they've got a lot more confidence in their routines," said North coach Mary Glitz.

Eileen Murtaugh, Lucine Toroyan and Kara Karhu — three names that are rapidly becoming synonymous with both North Farmington and Observerland gymnastics — paced the Raiders.

Toroyan won the uneven parallel bars (8.8) and the balance beam (8.75). She was third on vault (8.55) and tied Murtaugh for second on floor exercise (8.65).

MURTAUGH WON vault (9.0), placed third on bars (7.8) and tied for fifth with teammate Cindy Tijan on beam (7.6).

Karhu placed fourth on vault (8.3), fourth on bars (7.75), third on beam (8.2) and fourth on floor (8.55).

For Salem, still without injured All-Area performer Jackie Huff, Beth Raffail and Becky Talbot were the top scorers.

Talbot won the floor exercise with an 8.8. She was fifth on vault (8.05), second on bars (8.0) and fourth on beam (7.75).

Raffail placed second on vault (8.6), second on beam (8.3) and fifth on floor (8.3).

Salem's Sue Lally chipped in a fifth on bars (7.0).

The Raiders are 5-1 on the season. Salem dips to 2-2.

FARMINGTON raised its record to 2-2 on the season with a 113.3-111.85 win against Westland John Glenn Monday.

Freshman Jackie Daly had her best meet of the season, amassing a fine 34.7 all-around total. She won all four events scoring 8.85 on vault, 8.2 on bars, 8.95 on beam and 8.7 on floor.

Debbie Ford placed third on bars with a 7.15. Pam Goodhue was fourth with a 6.65.

Julie Lawton earned the Falcons a fourth on beam (6.8) and Michelle Weismeth was third on floor (7.8).

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## basketball standings

St. Agatha	2-2, 6-3
OL of Lakes	1-3, 5-5
St. Florian 0-4, 0-9	

METRO CONFERENCE	
Team	league, overall
Hartmanck	4-0, 10-0
Luth North	2-1, 4-5
Luth West	2-1, 4-5
Harper Woods	1-2, 6-2
Luth East	1-2, 3-7
B.H. Cranbrook	1-2, 1-5
Clarenceville	1-4, 3-6

NORTHWEST SUBURBAN	
Team	league, overall
Garden City	4-0, 7-3
Dearborn	2-2, 3-6
Woodhaven	2-2, 5-3
Edsel Ford	1-2, 4-6
Redford Union	0-2, 2-7

TRI-RIVER LEAGUE	
Team	league, overall
Melvindale	7-0, 9-1
Cherry Hill	6-1, 6-5
Troy	5-2, 6-2
Allen Park	3-4, 5-6
Crestwood	2-5, 2-7
Red Thurston	2-5, 2-8
Annapolis	1-5, 2-6
Southgate	1-5, 1-6

WOLVERINE A	
Team	league, overall
Wayne	6-0, 10-0
Wyandotte	5-2, 6-2
Monroe	4-3, 5-4
Belleville	4-3, 5-4
Fordson	3-4, 5-5
Lincoln Park	2-5, 3-6
Lincoln Park	0-7, 1-8

BASKETBALL STANDINGS WESTERN LAKES ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION	
Team	Lakes Division league, overall
Plymouth Salem	5-2, 6-4
John Glenn	5-2, 6-4
Farmington	4-3, 6-4
North Farmington	2-5, 4-5
W.L. Central	2-5, 3-8
Livonia Stevenson	1-6, 2-8
Western Division	
Farmington Harrison	7-0, 9-0
Northville	5-2, 6-3
Livonia Churchill	4-3, 6-4
Plymouth Canton	3-4, 4-6
W.L. Western	3-4, 4-6
Livonia Franklin	0-7, 0-8
CATHOLIC LEAGUE A-B Central Division	
Team	league, overall
De La Salle	5-0, 6-4
Catholic Central	4-1, 7-3
Bishop Gallagher	2-3, 5-5
Rishop Borgess	2-3, 4-5
Notre Dame	1-4, 4-6
Brother Rice	1-4, 3-6
C-D West Division	
Holy Rosary	4-0, 5-4
Gab Richard	3-1, 6-0

## swimming rankings

The following boys swim times are compiled weekly by Livonia Churchill swim coach Mense Tien. Swim coaches should update their times weekly by calling Tien between 2:30-4:30 p.m. Friday afternoon at 523-9231.

200-yard Medley Relay	
Team	state cut: 1:43.39
Catholic Central	1:40.2
Livonia Stevenson	1:45.7
Wayne Memorial	1:45.9
N. Farmington	1:47.5
Livonia Churchill	1:48.8
Livonia Franklin	1:50.7
Plymouth Canton	1:52.5
Farmington Harrison	1:54.4

200 Freestyle	
Team	state cut: 1:49.69
Mike Turney (North)	1:48.5
Bryan Madigan (Franklin)	1:50.1
Kevin Martin (Wayne)	1:51.1
Sean McDermott (CC)	1:51.7
Craig Burland (North)	1:53.1
Jeff Albert (Stevenson)	1:53.4
Dennis Ward (Stevenson)	1:53.5
Alex Afsari (CC)	1:55.4
Jeff Bolla (Harrison)	1:55.5
Steve Taormina (Stevenson)	1:55.5

200 Individual Medley	
Team	state cut: 2:04.19
Brian Sokol (Wayne)	2:00.1
Mike Turney (North)	2:02.1
John Kovach (CC)	2:03.2
Jeff Murphy (Stevenson)	2:08.5
Kevin Martin (Wayne)	2:09.7
John Sharnetski (Wayne)	2:10.1
Andy Jacobs (CC)	2:11.0
Jeff Albert (Stevenson)	2:11.5
Mark Papierski (Churchill)	2:11.7
Sean McDermott (CC)	2:12.3

50 Freestyle	
Team	state cut: 22.79
Dennis Ward (Stevenson)	22.4
Mike Buatti (North)	22.6
Jim Vlk (Farmington)	23.0
Jon Teal (CC)	23.2
John Sharnetski (Wayne)	23.2
Roger Coderre (Stevenson)	23.3
Dan Mannisto (North)	23.3
Chris Morasky (Stevenson)	23.5
Craig Burland (North)	23.5
Frank Piro (Churchill)	23.7
Eric Forton (CC)	23.7
Mike Turney (North)	23.7
Joe Saunders (Stevenson)	23.7

100 Backstroke	
Team	state cut: 57.70
John Kovach (CC)	55.2
Joe Saunders (Stevenson)	57.3
Kevin Martin (Wayne)	58.6
Mike Turney (North)	1:00.0
Mark Papierski (Churchill)	1:00.2
Jeff Murphy (Stevenson)	1:00.9
John Sharnetski (Wayne)	1:01.8
Dean Roberts (Canton)	1:02.5
Matt Hepburn (CC)	1:02.5
David Gram (Wayne)	1:02.5

100 Breaststroke	
Team	state cut: 1:03.49
Jim Surowiec (CC)	1:03.0
Dave Goraski (Franklin)	1:04.1
Tom Sayles (Harrison)	1:05.2
John Gilmore (Franklin)	1:05.3
Steve Taormina (Stevenson)	1:05.5
Phil Auzas (Harrison)	1:06.1
Dave Gram (Wayne)	1:07.4
Jeremy Finley (Churchill)	1:07.5
Jim Burnmeister (Stevenson)	1:07.7
Dave Adzema (Stevenson)	1:08.0

400 Freestyle Relay	
Team	state cut: 3:22.29
N. Farmington	3:23.4
Catholic Central	3:24.9
Livonia Stevenson	3:25.4
Wayne Memorial	3:30.1
Livonia Franklin	3:35.8
Farmington Harrison	3:41.7
Plymouth Canton	3:43.0
Livonia Churchill	3:46.6

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Team	state cut: 55.29
John Kovach (CC)	53.7
Joe Saunders (Stevenson)	54.8
Sean McDermott (CC)	55.5
Mike Turney (North)	56.0
Steve Taormina (Stevenson)	57.0
Jim Vlk (Farmington)	57.8
Eric Forton (CC)	58.4
Scott Farabee (Harrison)	58.5
Mike Barnes (Wayne)	58.5
Andy Jacobs (CC)	58.7

500 Freestyle	
Team	state cut: 4:59.09
Mike Turney (North)	4:55.0
Kevin Martin (Wayne)	4:56.4
Jeff Albert (Stevenson)	5:03.5
Sean McDermott (CC)	5:03.7
Craig Burland (North)	5:13.9
Chris Inch (Farmington)	5:15.04
Scott Farabee (Harrison)	5:17.2
John Kovach (CC)	5:18.0
Alex Afsari (CC)	5:18.1
Jeff Peterson (Churchill)	5:18.2

100 Backstroke	
Team	state cut: 57.70
John Kovach (CC)	55.2
Joe Saunders (Stevenson)	57.3
Kevin Martin (Wayne)	58.6
Mike Turney (North)	1:00.0
Mark Papierski (Churchill)	1:00.2
Jeff Murphy (Stevenson)	1:00.9
John Sharnetski (Wayne)	1:01.8
Dean Roberts (Canton)	1:02.5
Matt Hepburn (CC)	1:02.5
David Gram (Wayne)	1:02.5

100 Breaststroke	
Team	state cut: 1:03.49
Jim Surowiec (CC)	1:03.0
Dave Goraski (Franklin)	1:04.1
Tom Sayles (Harrison)	1:05.2
John Gilmore (Franklin)	1:05.3
Steve Taormina (Stevenson)	1:05.5
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## 17th annual CATHOLIC CENTRAL WRESTLING INVITATIONAL

**TEAM STANDINGS:** 1. Temperance-Bedford, 143 1/2 points; 2. Davison, 134; 3. Lansing Eastern, 120 1/2; 4. Redford Catholic Central, 106; 5. Grandville, 90 1/2; 6. Lansing Sexton, 70; 7. Bay City Western, 69; 8. Flint Northern, 65 1/2; 9. Birmingham Brother Rice, 65; 10. Milford Lakeland, 55 1/2; 11. Howell, 54 1/2; 12. Grand Lodge, 48 1/2; 13. Holt, 46 1/2; 14. Mount Clemens, 28; 15. Wayne Memorial, 21; 16. Flint Northwestern, 2; 17. Ann Arbor Pioneer, 0.

**CHAMPIONSHIP FINALS**  
 Heavyweight: Tom Barker (Grandville) dec. Kurt Kazayak (Rice), 8-5.  
 98 pounds: Randy Rowe (Bedford) dec. Greg Plaz (Grandville), 7-0 overtime.  
 105: Scott Marvin (Bedford) dec. Rob Flanders (Sexton), 3-0.  
 112: Tom Norris (Eastern) pinned Brad Smith (Davison), 5:28.  
 119: Anthony Crater (Flint Northern) p. Jason Wiebeck (CC), 3:25.  
 126: Mark Smith (Holt) dec. David Madrigal (Davison), 11-3 overtime.  
 132: Les Scane (Lakeland) dec. Ron Moore (Davison), 7-6.  
 138: Gino Chouinard (Eastern) dec. Mark Olds (Grand Lodge), 5-4.  
 145: Zac Pease (Bay City Western) dec. Roy Hall (Davison), 5-3.  
 155: Rocky Reagah (Davison) dec. Dave Bunce (Howell), 1-0.  
 167: Gary Rechsteiner (Bay City Western) dec. Dan Costell (Bedford), 11-0.

The following gymnastics statistics are compiled weekly by Observer sports editor Chris McCosky. Coaches should update their high scores with McCosky between 12 and 4 p.m. Mondays by calling 591-2300.

TEAM SCORES	
North Farmington	130.5
Plymouth Salem	124.9
Westland John Glenn	122.05
Farmington Harrison	121.25
Plymouth Canton	114.75
Farmington	106.75

VAULT	
Team	state qualifier: 7.7
Tana Burningham (Harrison)	9.25
Eileen Murtaugh (N. Farm)	9.05
Beth Rafail (Salem)	9.05
Lucine Toroyan (N. Farm)	8.9
Tracy Solomon (Harrison)	8.65
Jackie Daly (Farm)	8.6
Debbie Tomasko (Glenn)	8.5
Kara Karhu (N. Farm)	8.45
Jamie Lyons (Harrison)	8.4

UNEVEN BARS	
Team	state: 7.3
Lucine Toroyan (N. Farm)	8.8
Tana Burningham (Harrison)	8.5
Debbie Tomasko (Glenn)	8.4
Eileen Murtaugh (N. Farm)	8.3
Angela Temelko (Glenn)	8.25
Kara Karhu (N. Farm)	8.1
Tracy Solomon (Harrison)	8.1
Becky Talbot (Salem)	8.0
Beth Rafail (Salem)	7.9
Darcy Gignac (Canton)	7.5

FLOOR EXERCISE	
Team	state: 7.8
Eileen Murtaugh (N. Farm)	8.85

ALL-AROUND	
Lucine Toroyan (N. Farm)	34.75
Tana Burningham (Harrison)	34.15
Eileen Murtaugh (N. Farm)	33.9
Beth Rafail (Salem)	33.30
Debbie Tomasko (Glenn)	32.8
Kara Karhu (N. Farm)	32.8
Tracy Solomon (Harrison)	32.75
Becky Talbot (Salem)	32.40
Angela Temelko (Glenn)	32.35
Jackie Daly (Farm)	31.35
Darcy Gignac (Canton)	30.85
Jody Solomon (Harrison)	28.40

## rankings

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WRESTLING	
1. Catholic Central	5. Livonia Churchill
2. Plymouth Salem	
3. Garden City	
4. Wayne Memorial	
5. Farmington	

## BASKETBALL

1. Wayne Memorial	1. Livonia Stevenson
2. Farmington Harrison	2. Catholic Central
3. Catholic Central	3. Plymouth Salem
4. John Glenn	4. North Farmington
5. Garden City	5. Livonia Churchill

## BOYS SWIM

1. Livonia Stevenson	1. North Farmington
2. Catholic Central	2. Farmington Harrison
3. Plymouth Salem	3. Plymouth Salem

## GYMNASTICS

1. North Farmington
2. Farmington Harrison
3. Plymouth Salem

## COLLINS LIFTS HARVARD

Anna Collins is bringing fame to Harvard College for a reason other than academics. Not that the Crimson's recent success in women's basketball will ever rival the school's academic stature. But it is starting to make a name for itself, and Collins is a big reason. The junior from Livonia Franklin poured in 17 points in Harvard's recent 66-63 win over Dartmouth. The win pushed Harvard into a first-place tie with Dartmouth in the Ivy League at 8-4. Collins is scoring 7.1 points per game for the Crimson.

## wrestling

\*185: Dominic Macreno (Rice) dec. Kevin Vogel (Bedford), 15-4.  
 198: Dwayne Smith (Flint Northern) dec. Phil Abdo (Mount Clemens), 9-3.

198: Matt Takas (Grandville) dec. Judd Snyder (CC), 5-0.

## CIVITAN WRESTLING TOURNEY

Saturday at Plymouth Canton  
**TEAM STANDINGS:** 1. Stevensville Lakeshore, 212 1/2 points; 2. Belleville, 111; 3. Plymouth Canton, 109; 4. Oxford, 93; 5. Birmingham Seaholm, 91 1/2; 6. Southgate Anderson, 84; 7. Livonia Franklin, 81; 8. Livonia Stevenson, 68.  
**CHAMPIONSHIP MATCHES**  
 98 pounds: Dave Reed (Belleville) dec. Jason Cliff (Lakeshore), 10-9.  
 105: Bishar James (Belleville) dec. Dave Wojelchowski (Stevenson), 8-3.  
 112: Dave Dunford (Canton) dec. Jason Cliff (Lakeshore), 12-8.  
 119: Tim Birely (Canton) dec. Dave Strejc (Lakeshore), 10-2.  
 126: Ted Berry (Seaholm) pinned Tony Sidone (Southgate), 16-0.  
 132: Matt Duff (Lakeshore) dec. Scott Duffie (Oxford), 12-3.  
 138: Steve Ernst (Lakeshore) dec. Brian Eastman (Southgate), 4-0.  
 145: Tom Skewarp (Lakeshore) dec. Jay Pollard (Canton), 12-5.

## gymnastics

BALANCE BEAM	
Team	state: 7.3
Lucine Toroyan (N. Farm)	8.75
Eileen Murtaugh (N. Farm)	8.7
Beth Rafail (Salem)	8.65
Tana Burningham (Harrison)	8.6
Debbie Tomasko (Glenn)	8.5
Jackie Daly (Farm)	8.3
Kara Karhu (N. Farm)	8.2
Jody Solomon (Harrison)	8.2
Julie Jacob (Cville)	8.0
Tracy Solomon (Harrison)	7.95
Becky Talbot (Salem)	7.95
Lisa Sivkovich (Glenn)	7.9

## UNEVEN BARS

FLOOR EXERCISE	
Team	state: 7.8
Eileen Murtaugh (N. Farm)	8.85

## ALL-AROUND

Lucine Toroyan (N. Farm)	34.75
Tana Burningham (Harrison)	34.15
Eileen Murtaugh (N. Farm)	33.9
Beth Rafail (Salem)	33.30
Debbie Tomasko (Glenn)	32.8
Kara Karhu (N. Farm)	32.8
Tracy Solomon (Harrison)	32.75
Becky Talbot (Salem)	32.40
Angela Temelko (Glenn)	32.35
Jackie Daly (Farm)	31.35
Darcy Gignac (Canton)	30.85
Jody Solomon (Harrison)	28.40



# Hartnett ignites OLSM cagers

Any team mired in a losing trend knows what a relief it is when it ends. Orchard Lake St. Mary's college basketball team lost 16 of its first 18 games this season before turning it around last week with consecutive victories. The Eagles beat Spring Arbor 91-88 Jan. 13, then destroyed Concordia 76-58 Saturday. Both games were at OLSM.

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The modest win streak ended Monday at Northwood Institute, as the Northmen downed the Eagles 84-74. Erich Hartnett, a 6-foot-3 guard who's been switched to small forward, has been the difference for OLSM. The sophomore from Plymouth Salem has connected on 38 of 52 field goal attempts (73 percent) in the last four games and has scored better than 20 points in three of those.

AGAINST NORTHWOOD, Hartnett had 22 points, eight rebounds and four assists. Freshman Bob Bringman, who filled Hartnett's spot at off-guard, tallied 18 points and grabbed eight rebounds.

But errors cost the Eagles. They trailed 37-31 at the half and were down 10 with 10 minutes left before a rally allowed them to tie it at 59 with eight minutes to play.

Neither team scored for the next two minutes, and OLSM went cold down the stretch. Hartnett and Bringman both missed the front end in one-and-one free throw situations in the final two minutes.

But poor play from the Eagle big men hurt most. Starters Steve Kopicki and Mike Belczak combined for just 10 points and seven rebounds. Gary Pedersen had nine boards but missed

four layups and scored just four points. In all, OLSM missed 12 layups in the game. Defensively, the Eagles couldn't contain Northwood guards Fred Ashe (29 points, 12 of 14 from the floor) and Steve Simmons (23 points, 10 of 17).

AGAINST CONCORDIA, Hartnett canned 10 of 14 from the field to score 20 points. He also had eight rebounds and five assists. Kopicki collected 13 points and 13 rebounds, Bringman had 12 points and nine rebounds, Rod Scharboneau scored 11 points and Lance Davis dished out 11 assists.

OLSM was up 42-26 at the half and was never threatened, building leads up to 28 points in the second half.

In the win over Spring Arbor, Hartnett 37-31 at the half (nine of 12 from the floor), Bringman had 17, Scharboneau scored 16 and Kopicki gathered 14 and 13 rebounds. OLSM led by 19 at intermission (44-25) after hitting 75 percent of its shots in the first half, but folded down the stretch as Spring Arbor charged back.

The Eagles are now 7-17, with three wins added to its record after two forfeits by Madonna College and one by Jordan. Both schools dropped their programs. OLSM plays at Siena Heights Saturday and at Saginaw Valley State Monday.

# New-look S'craft tips Macomb CC

A few serious, to-the-heart-of-the-problem talks, a juggling of the lineup, and presto! — Schoolcraft College's mens basketball team produced a victory, ending a four-game drought against Eastern Conference foes.

True, the 80-70 win over Macomb Community College at SC Saturday didn't come against the creme of the community college cage crop. MCC was in as nearly as bad a shape as the Ocelots, having lost five players to academic problems. SC dropped three starters and a top sub to grades.

But a win's a win, and this one made the Ocelots 1-4 in the conference and 4-7 overall.

"What was different for us was that we really came together as a team," said SC coach Rocky Watkins. Proof was in a season-high 33 assists recorded by the Ocelots.

"WE HAD some serious talks and ironed out all of our problems," said Watkins. "We've got everything straightened out now. Everybody knows what's expected of them now."

SC led 38-31 at the half and never trailed. MCC, with only seven players, managed to close to within a half-dozen late in the game, but the Ocelots held off the late charge.

Which was an about-face from their previous conference outings, when SC blew leads in the final five minutes and lost. Part of the reason for the turnaround was switching Desmond Steele from point guard to off-guard and inserting Harold Martin at the point.

Steele had been plagued by turnovers, particularly in the late going. Martin proved much more efficient; he committed just one turnover while scoring 12 points and dishing out three assists. And Steele produced at the off-

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guard spot, contributing 12 points and seven assists.

BESIDES STARTING Martin in place of Steele, Watkins also benched Derrick Kearney, the team's top player, for missing a practice.

"He was playing off his talents and wasn't really pushing himself," said Watkins of Kearney. He said this practice was now policy: "I don't have a set lineup. Whoever's playing good will start."

With Steele and Kearney on the bench and Martin moved to the point, Watkins started Ron Leach and Les English at the forwards. Leach responded with a perfect shooting contest, hitting five-of-five floor shots and two free throws for 12 points. English added eight points and five assists.

Kearney came off the bench for 14 minutes of inspired play in the second half, contributing six points, nine rebounds and eight assists.

Don Edwards turned in his best performance of the season, pacing the balanced Ocelot attack with 14 points and 10 rebounds. Dwight Pooler also netted 10 points.

"I thought we played real well," said Watkins, noting his team's 17 turnovers, a reduction from the plus-20 recorded in each of the previous four losses. "I was very pleased."

Schoolcraft also hit 36 of 62 floor shots (58 percent) after making less than 40 percent in the previous losses.

# Canton runs away from N. Farmington

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ence, tied with John Glenn for the lead in the Lakes Division, and 6-3 overall.

CANTON 67, N. FARMINGTON 47: Four wins in five games for Plymouth Canton; one win in six for North Farmington.

Host Canton outscored North by 18 points at the free throw line, hitting 27 of 43 attempts. North was 9-of-28.

"We did an excellent job on our fast-break," said Canton coach Tom Niemi. "The kids played smart and patient. We played man-to-man defense most of the game and made them shoot from the outside."

Joel Mies led the Chiefs with 15 points. Jeff Lyle added 13. Dan Olaszewski pulled down 11 rebounds.

With Roger Trice and Tyrone Reeves doing the work defensively, North's

standout Rick Anderson was limited to eight points in the first half.

Anderson heated up in the second half and finished with 20 to lead all scorers. North's Paul Wahrman added 18.

Canton is 3-4 in the Western Lakes and 4-6 overall. North dips to 2-5 in the conference, 4-5 on the season.

PLYM. CHRISTIAN 76, ROEPER 58: Eight straight wins for the Plymouth Christian Eagles.

Pat McCarthy scored 25 and brother Jim McCarthy added 10 to pace the victors.

"We were a little concerned going in," said Eagles coach Jeff Cook. "We heard they were a good team. We were up for the game."

Plymouth Christian forced 26 turnovers which resulted in 29 points. Pat Gleason scored 17 for Roeper.

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# Domako lights up Big Sky

By Brad Emons  
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Ball State's loss has been Montana State's gain when the name Tom Domako is mentioned.

The 6-foot-8, 195-pound sophomore forward has made the most of his "second choice," reaping Big Sky Conference Player of the Week basketball honors for the second time in his young career, leading the Bobcats to a pair of impressive homecourt wins last weekend over Idaho State (83-70) and Weber State (95-78).

The Livonia Stevenson product originally committed to Ball State during his senior year of high school, only to have coach Al Brown ask Domako to renege on his choice. Brown said at the time he had made a mistake in offering Domako a scholarship, fearing his recruit would be unhappy if he attended the Indiana school.

Domako eventually landed in Bozeman, Montana, a move which apparently has turned out to be a blessing in disguise.

DOMAKO shot of 8 of 10 from the floor, 3 of 3 from the free-throw line, and made his only three-point attempt in a 22-point performance against Idaho State. But he made even a bigger impression grabbing a team-high 10 rebounds.

He came back the next night against Larry Farmer's (former UCLA coach) first-place Weber State club, making 6 of 8 from the field and 1 of 2 three-point shots in a 15-point, 11-rebound showing.

Domako became the first Montana State player in four years to notch double figures in rebounding in successive games.

According to MSU coach Stu Starner, Domako's role as a player has changed dramatically since last season.

"We needed some perimeter shooting and Tom helped us in that area quite a bit last year," Starner said. "But the biggest thing this year is rebounding. Tom has gotten the toughness that he didn't have before."

"We're a team that needs to rebound in order to run with the ball."

"Double figures (in rebounds) is pretty impressive."

MONTANA STATE is 6-9 overall and 2-2 in the conference. The Bobcats' record is deceptive in light of its tough non-league schedule which included LSU, Nebraska, California and Loyola-Marymount.

Starner believes his team will be in the hunt for the Big Sky title and possible NCAA berth.

"We're a young team that's coming along," he said. "And I think Tom is typical of the whole team. We started out playing well, but we didn't win. But we'll be there (challenging) the last few weeks. We play five of our last seven games at home."

Domako's stats are not bad for a sophomore: 10.6 points, 5.5 rebounds (team leader) and 3.2 assists per game. He's shooting 50 percent from the floor and 81 percent from the free-throw line.

"I've been shooting the ball real well and I think the last six games I've shot at least 50 percent," Domako said. "This year I can shoot off the dribble, whereas in high school I could shoot right over people because I was bigger than everybody else."

BUT DOMAKO says that shooting is not his top

priority these days. He's had to develop a more all-around game.

"Both games came together for me because I worked hard on the boards," he said. "It's just in the last few weeks that I've had more confidence. I can do a lot more since the season started."

Domako also has capped Starner's formula for success.

"We like to fast break," Domako said, "and we were losing because we weren't finishing off our opportunities and we were being out rebounded."

Starner said that when Domako arrived at Montana State, he was treated the same as any other recruit.

"Tom was typical of most high school seniors in that he was the big gun — like everyone else who came here," Starner said. "He had to develop the 'team' concept instead of the 'I' concept."

"He's been able to develop more team orientation and that's very critical."

DOMAKO SAYS that Starner can be demanding.

"He coaches a lot like Bobby Knight," Domako said. "He rewards people who play well. He's strict, a disciplinarian, but he's also a good person."

The marriage has been good for both player and coach.

"Tom got an opportunity here to play right away," said the MSU coach. "Ball State was bringing in a pair of junior college players and he might not have played. I saw him play and we knew he could help us."

Domako has made the adjustment playing away from home. He has adapted nicely to his environment.

# Schoenle making her mark at MSU

By C.J. Rieak  
staff writer

All it takes is a look at the list of best performances for Michigan State's women's swim team and a quick check of a room number to conclude that the Spartans' best hopes for the present and future reside in the same spot.

Maybe that's overstating it. After all, freshmen Mary Schoenle, from Livonia Stevenson, and Kelly Smyles, from Rochester Adams, aren't the only reasons the Spartans are suddenly a power to contend with in Big Ten swimming. MSU is 7-1 overall, 3-1 in the conference.

Schoenle only has the Spartans' season-best times in seven individual events. Included among those are three school records. And Smyles has the top Spartan clocking in two individual events.

Schoenle is also a member of the five relay teams with best times for the season. Smyles is in two.

THE ROOMMATES have emerged as the top achievers so far in the most talented group of swimmers ever recruited by Spartan swim coach Jennifer Parks.

"Usually, I spend my money and get a couple of good kids," said Parks, of her recruiting coup. "We'd only get a few good kids at a time. But (MSU athletic director Doug Weaver) said to me, 'If you ever see a really fine athlete, come to me.'"

Parks spotted one — Dyne Burrell, from Lansing. A heavy recruiting effort landed Burrell and eventually led to Schoenle's signing.

Schoenle was competing in the Class A state finals last March at MSU. She talked to Burrell, who said she was going to MSU. Then Schoenle saw former Stevenson teammate Mary Rozman win the Big Ten 50-yard freestyle title and, after talking to her, Schoenle's decision was made.

Schoenle had been leaning toward Iowa, but "after awhile I thought I'd rather stay close to home," she said. Parks, for one, is pleased with the decision. Schoenle has set Spartan school records in the 1,000 free (10:20.40), the 100 breaststroke (1:07.38) and the 200 individual medley (2:07.89).

SHE ALSO has MSU season bests in the 100 free (53.08), the 200 free (1:53.94), the 500 free (5:04.28) and the 200 breast (2:27.17).

"I didn't really know what I'd do," Schoenle said, who won the Class A 100 breast state title as a junior. "I kind of hoped I might be able to win a Big Ten title."

The difference between high school and college has been the competition — and not just in the meets.

"The practices here are more intense," Schoenle explained. "Everyone's fast. It makes a lot of difference. You push yourself much harder. Before (at Stevenson), I was swimming behind younger girls and I'd always be right

on top of them. Here, I have to work to keep up."

How much faster Schoenle will get can only be answered in time. She's still in heavy training and hasn't tapered or been rested.

"I think my IM time can get better," she said. "I'm working a lot on that."

SMYLES CAME to MSU along a different route. After winning the Class A 100 butterfly title in her sophomore and junior years at Adams, Smyles slumped to sixth as a senior.

She visited Bowling Green State, Miami of Ohio and University of Kentucky before deciding to attend MSU.

"I talked to my parents while making my decision," said Smyles. "They told me to go some place I'd be happy going to if I quit swimming. A lot of kids choose a school by its athletic reputation, which I don't think is right at all."

Smyles, who admitted she "wasn't as motivated" at the state meet her senior year, certainly is now, and for many of the same reasons Schoenle expressed.

"I love it here," Smyles said. "Everyone pushes everyone else in practice. In high school, I don't think people realized how fast fast is. People didn't really understand how fast I could go."

"After high school, I knew I had the

capabilities, I knew I could still swim fast and do better. That motivated me."

IT HAS, enough that Smyles has already sliced two seconds from her previous best in the 200 fly and has better times in the 100 fly and 200 IM than she did in her senior year.

Smyles has gone a team-best 58.44 in the 100 fly and 2:05.87 in the 200 fly. But another quality has emerged in her swimming that also pleased her.

"I've been consistent, a lot more consistent than I had been," Smyles said. "I set a goal to be under 2:12 in the 200 fly and under a minute in the 100 fly before the season, and I've done it."

"It means a lot, because it shows that my 2:05 in the 200 wasn't just luck. I've been keeping my times down."

SMYLES AND SCHOENLE didn't know each other except by reputation before meeting at MSU last summer. They decided to room together because, Smyles said, "we both wanted to room with athletes."

Swimmers, though, keep different hours than other athletes. Spartan practices are 6:10-7:30 a.m. and 4-6:30 p.m., "not including weight work," Smyles said.

# Rocks, Chiefs gird for tourney

Plymouth Salem volleyball coach Betty Smith hopes her team shakes the doldrums that have plagued it of late — the sooner the better.

"It's been ugly," the second-year coach said. "I hope we get it straightened out before Saturday."

On Saturday the Rocks play host in the second Plymouth Salem Invitational Volleyball Tournament. Twenty-two teams will gather at both Salem and Canton high schools. Pool play begins at 8 a.m. Semifinals will begin at 4 p.m.

Last Wednesday, the Rocks barely got by winless Canton, 15-5, 7-15, 15-12.

"We almost made history," Smith said. "A Salem team has never lost to Canton in volleyball."

Some spirited play by Canton's Diana Knickerbocker nearly put an end to the streak.

SALEM'S SHAKY play continued Monday. Walled Lake Central disposed of the Rocks 15-11, 15-9 in a Western Lakes match.

"Silly mistakes," Smith said. "We're trying to do too much. And our service reception has been a big downfall."

Lisa Madis and Jessica Handley have been bright spots for Salem. Madis has been an effective setter all season, and Handley is adept both at

## volleyball

the net and in the back row.

"Everybody has had their moments, but we just can't keep it going long enough," Smith said.

Salem is 2-2 in the Western Lakes, 2-4 overall.

Canton's 1986 losing streak hit four on Monday. Walled Lake Western knocked off the Chiefs 15-3, 15-13.

THE 22 teams scheduled to play in the Plymouth Invitational Saturday will be divided into four pools:

● Salem Pool A: Saline (defending-tourney champ), South Haven (Class B state champs in 1985), Pontiac, Catholic, Ann Arbor Gabriel Richard, and Salem.

● Salem Pool B: Livonia Ladywood, Ann Arbor Pioneer, Hazel Park, Dearborn, Yale and Walled Lake Western.

● Canton Pool A: Adrian, Garden City, Redford Union, Berkley, Brighton and Canton.

● Canton Pool B: Livonia Franklin, Ann Arbor Huron, Westland John Glenn, Crestwood and Warren Coussin.

# Club gymnasts place

Several members of the Farmington Gymnastics Center club gymnastics team fared well at the Sunrise Mens Invitational in Sylvania, Ohio last Sunday.

Mark Taube of Garden City placed fourth all-around (43.4) in the Class III-Division 4 category (ages 13-18). He placed first on the pommel horse with a 7.4.

Also in Class III-Division 4, Steve Strausberg of Novi placed fifth (42.2), Brian Longstreth of West Bloomfield placed sixth (42.0) and John Juliano of Farmington Hills placed eighth (41.4).

Robby Thomas of Bloomfield Hills won the vault in the Class II-Division 5

(13-15) with an 8.6 but didn't score all-around.

TODD OLSON of Plymouth (Class I, 16-18 age division) scored a fourth on floor exercise with an 8.6.

Doug Stibel of Canton placed eighth all-around (49.9) in Class III-Division 3 (10-12). He was second on high bar (9.3), third on still rings (8.7) and sixth on parallel bars (8.8).

Guy Miller of Livonia (Class IV-Division 2, 10-12) scored a second on pommel horse with an 8.3.

Kevin Szyembara of Livonia (Class IV-Division 1, 7-9) placed third on vault (9.4) and seventh on horse (8.5).

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The first Midwinter Bantam Major Classic Hockey Tournament will be played this weekend at the Compuware Oak Park Arena.

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The Notre Dame Hounds (Wilcox, Saskatchewan), Gloucester Rangers (Ottawa, Ontario), St. Leonard Cougars (St. Leonard, Montreal, Quebec), Brantford (Brantford, Ontario), Art Van (Detroit), G.P.D. (Detroit), New Jersey Rockets (Totowa, New Jersey), and Compuware (Detroit) are the participating teams.

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Please take notice that a public hearing will be held on Thursday, February 6, 1986 in the Commission Chambers at City Hall, 201 S. Main Street, Plymouth, Michigan. This meeting will be held to discuss the Recreation Master Plan.

All interested persons are invited to attend this meeting and will be given an opportunity to participate in the meeting.

CHARLES W. SKENE  
Director of Parks & Recreation

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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE: Applications are now being accepted for Plymouth Township Community Service Officers. For further details on how to apply, contact the Plymouth Township Police Department at 453-3869. Applications will be accepted through January 31, 1986.

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THE CITY OF PLYMOUTH ORDAINS:

Section 1. The Zoning Map, as adopted by Section 5.96 of Chapter 52 of the Code of the City of Plymouth, is hereby amended as follows:  
Lots 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688 and 690 of Assessor's Plymouth Plat No. 19, more commonly known as 281 and 311 Hamilton also 368, 376, 366, 412, 432 and 450 W. Ann Arbor Trail.

are rezoned from RM-1 Multiple Family to RM-2 Multiple Family.

Section 2. This ordinance shall become operative and effective on the 24th day of January, 1986.

Made, passed, and adopted by the City Commission of the City of Plymouth, Michigan, this 20th day of January, 1986.

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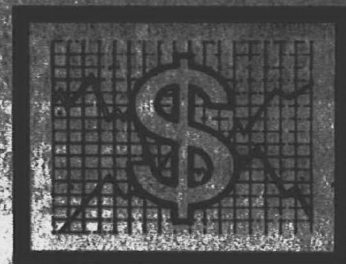
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# Business

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The program is designed to train people seriously interested in entering the financial services industry.

Today I am unveiling a very different educational workshop designed especially for those who want to take charge of their own financial future but are not able to acquire the background to achieve that objective.

Here are the essential features of this educational workshop. The contents of the workshop are strictly educational.

It consists of three sessions, each offered on a Thursday night. The workshop leaders are noted financial planners and other professionals who regularly serve their clients.

As the accompanying chart shows, the topics that will be covered are both essential and varied.

In short, we have developed this educational workshop to teach you — the non-expert — how to save money, take advantage of our tax laws, and provide a secure future for your family.

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A beginning of the year financial planning seminar will be conducted by the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers and the Coordinated Financial Planning staff. The seminar will be 7-9:30 p.m., Thursday, Feb. 13, at the Kingsley Inn, 1475 N. Woodward, Bloomfield Hills, in the Taverna Room.

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## Channel tunnel won't hurt firm

You wrote an article several months ago about Sea Containers Ltd. and said you thought it could sell at twice the \$30 it was then selling at in three to five years.

You made the point that the company had just bought the Sea-Link Ferry system from the British government and that it was expected to add handsomely to the company's earnings.

I see that as far as 1985 is concerned the company lost money on the Sea-Link operation and now a tunnel is going to be built between England and France.

That sounds to me like the end of the Sea-Link business and an end of your great idea. What do you have to say now?

I hope you haven't gone out and sold your Sea Containers stock. While the company hasn't done as well as it had hoped to do for 1985, it is still expected to be the second best year in the company's history.

It is important to keep in mind that the major part of the company's business is the leasing of marine containers worldwide. It leases the containers to ship operators, port authorities, railroads, truckers and others.

That is a very good business and is expected to grow.

THE SEA-LINK business was acquired in 1984. It was being operated by the British government, and Sea Containers believes it can do better.

It operates ferries all around the British Isles. The channel business is important, but not the total business by any means.

In fact, the company says the losses were caused in the part of the business serving the Channel Islands. It expects to have that part of the business at least breaking even this year.

The company has had a good record of operating its businesses profitably, and I would be inclined, at least for a while, to accept its statement that it will be able to operate the Sea-Link division profitably.

It does, of course, have to pay off the debt it undertook when it bought that operation from the British government.

AS FAR AS the effect of the proposed English Channel tunnel is concerned, there are two things to keep in mind.

Proposals to build such a tunnel have been made and abandoned several times in the last century. Should such a tunnel be built, it very likely would not be completed for a period of five to 10 years.

While the loss of the channel ferry business would be felt, there would be a long time to adjust to the change and make other plans.

In fact, a subsidiary of Sea Containers is one of the bidders on the building of the tunnel.

*Thomas E. O'Hara is chairman of the board of trustees of the National Association of Investors Corp. and editor of Better Investing magazine. O'Hara welcomes questions and comments but will answer them only through this column. Readers who send in questions on a general investment subject or on a corporation with broad investor interest and whose questions are used will receive a free, one-year subscription to Better Investing. O'Hara will send a free copy of Better Investing magazine or information about investment clubs to any reader requesting it. Send 50 cents for postage and write Today's Investor, P.O. Box 220, Royal Oak 48068.*

## business people



Williams



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Abdo

Michael G. Williams has been named senior vice president and general manager of Gail & Rice Productions in Livonia. Williams will be responsible for the overall operations of the talent and production division of Gail & Rice Productions.

Glen A. Molnar of Garden City and Richard V. Abdo of Livonia were honored by Ford Motor Co. with Henry Ford Technological awards. Molnar is a product materials engineer, Materials and Corrosion Protection Engineering, Body and chassis Engineering. Abdo is supervisor, North American Automobile Operations EFT/SFI Module, Product Engineering Office, Electrical and Electronics Division. Both received product engineering awards.

Joyce Michael has joined Van Born Clinic of family medicine. She grew up in Redford and received her bachelor's degree in nutrition from Michigan State University. She graduated from the Michigan State University medical school and completed her internship

and residency in family practice at Detroit Osteopathic Hospital.

Michael Burr of Livonia has set up a chiropractic practice in Livonia. He is a graduate of Livonia Stevenson High School. He graduated from the University of Michigan-Dearborn. Burr graduated cum laude from Sherman College of Straight Chiropractic, Spartanburg, S.C.

Please submit black-and-white photographs, if possible, for inclusion in the business people column. While we value the receipt of photographs, we are unable to use every photograph submitted. If you want your photograph returned, please enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope. Indicate in a margin on the front of the photograph that you want it returned. We will do our best to comply with your request. Send information to business editor, 36251 Schoolcraft Road, Livonia 48150. Please include city of residence and a daytime telephone number where information can be verified.

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### SYSTEMS PROJECT

A three-day conference, "Systems Project Management," will be held Feb. 3-5 in Novi. For more information, call Joe Dorey at 362-4950. The conference is sponsored by the Association for Systems Management.

### INVESTING SEMINAR

A free Bob Nurock-Dan Brinkel investment seminar begins at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 5, in Dearborn. The seminar topics will be stocks, bonds and interest rates. For more information, call Sharon, 855-3177. The seminar is sponsored by Roney & Co.

### DIRECT MAIL LETTERS

A workshop, "Writing an Effective Direct Mail Letter," will be offered from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 12, in Livonia. The workshop is priced at \$175. For more information, call Roger Opari of Opari & Co., 398-1200.

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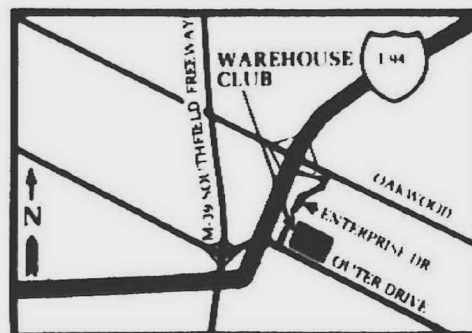
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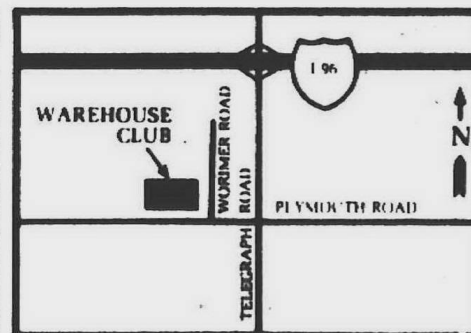
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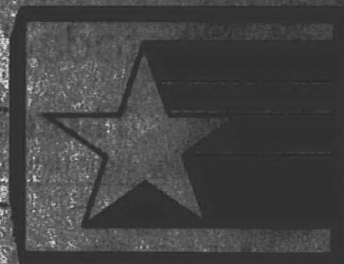
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# Entertainment

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## 'Fantasticks' has heart:



Cori Carrier (left) is Luisa, Anthony D. Lord is Matt, Buckner Gibbs is El Gallo, John Michael Manfredi is Mortimer and Wallace F. Smith

is Henry in the Actors Alliance production of "The Fantasticks," the world's longest-running musical.

## Actors Alliance does musical hit

Performances of "The Fantasticks," presented by the Actors Alliance Theatre Company, continue weekends through Sunday, Feb. 23, in Southfield. For ticket information call 642-1326.

### review

A MUSICAL calls for song and dance. Director Krista Manfredi underplays dance in this otherwise nicely staged production set against a backdrop of two outstretched parachutes.

By Cathie Breidenbach  
special writer

**T**HE FANTASTICKS by Tom Jones and Harvey Schmidt is the world's longest-running musical — for good reason. "Fantasticks" gives audiences characters they can take to heart, and it uses whimsical staging, good music and good humor to tackle the timeless dilemmas of love and parenthood.

The Actors Alliance Theatre Company's production presents a solid mid-American version of "Fantasticks," a classic musical that successfully mixes frivolity with a mellow dollop of seriousness.

Anthony Lord as Matt, the young man in love, sings with a fine, rich baritone and moves superbly on stage. As a dancer, he must have felt somewhat hemmed in by the limited choreography in the production.

The young lovers, Matt and Luisa, must meet secretly over a wall that runs between their backyards. In the Actor's Alliance production, the lovers tamely step up one step to speak to each other over the invisible wall. Shouldn't they scramble up and down ladders or some other invention to show the high-energy silliness of their young love? Such excess is a charm that goes with being young and idealistically in love.

The mute acts as an onstage prop person who never says a word. She can add whimsical color and graceful transitions when she's allowed to float or dance around the edges of the story. Manfredi underplays the mute (Maggie Wysocki) in this production by dressing her in dark, nondescript clothes and restricting her movements.

Although the director dwells on movement and dance, she excels at bringing out the humor in the play and uses well such small comic touches as the flick of El Gallo's neck scarf.

Buckner Gibbs as the gallant narrator, El Gallo, has a fine voice and an imposing presence. His El Gallo is wise, tender and all manner of good things. It's a prejudice, I admit, to want El Gallo to be an authority on the ways of the world and to be mysteriously exotic, too. An accent would help; almost any would do if it carries with it the aura of romantic places like Spain, France, or an island of the Caribbean.

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## Radio to help singles find love

A new radio show for metro-Detroit singles of all ages from 18 up will air 7-8 p.m. Saturdays beginning Feb. 15 on WPON (1480 AM).

Called "Valerie's Find Your Love," the show will be hosted by Valerie Hilsen of Bloomfield Hills, who also has another show on WPON, featuring celebrity interviews.

"Taped and live interviews of people telling what they're looking for

in a mate" will be the focal point of the new show, Hilsen said. She will interview the guests "just like I've done all through the years with the Fisher stars" (she is "Miss First Nighter" at Detroit's Fisher Theatre), but this time the emphasis will be on romance.

Guests will be identified only by first names and the community where they reside. Some guests may remain anonymous.

if they prefer not to give their names over the air.

LISTENERS may call in during the show if they wish to meet the person being interviewed, but no calls will be aired during the show. Instead, listeners will leave their name, phone number and other information that can be verified.

Between three and four guests will appear on

each show.

"Anyone interested in finding their love, or who wants to appear on the show, can call 642-2645 or write to P.O. Box 526, Bloomfield Hills, Mich. 48013," Hilsen said.

Guests on the show will be described as to age, such as "in the teens," "under 40" or "mature," for example. Their physical appearance may be described, but there will be "nothing negative" at

all" in the way this is done. "We want them to feel wonderful," she said.

She said the show will stay away from the sex area but perhaps describe "a sensuous person." The show is not for people just looking for a sex partner but for someone "definitely interested in meeting a good friend, a companion, someone who can add fun and laughter to their life."

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- **SPOTLIGHT PLAYERS**  
The play "The Madwoman of Chailot" will be presented by the Spotlight Players at 8 p.m. Fridays-Saturdays, Jan. 31 to Feb. 1 and Feb. 7-8, at the John Glenn High School Auditorium in Westland. The story revolves around an eccentric madwoman and her attempts to save her town from destruction by evil developers. Doors open at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are \$4.50 general admission and \$3.50 for students under 18 and seniors 62 and over. For further information, call 729-6453.
- **ARTS SHOWCASE**  
"Cavalcade of Magic" will be presented at 3 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 26, as the second attraction in the Livonia Arts Commission's 1986 Performing Arts Showcase, at 3 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 26, at Livonia City Hall Auditorium. The cavalcade features comedy, magic and illusions for all ages. Other shows in Series A include Michigan Opera Theatre at 3 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 9; Max Davey Singers, at 3 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 23, and the Maccombers at 3 p.m. Sunday, March 2. Individual tickets are \$3. For further information, call the Arts Hotline at 425-2327.
- **BALLET THEATER**  
The Children's Ballet Theatre, a performing company of dancers ages 9-15, will present "Mother Goose" at the Plymouth-Salem High School auditorium at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 1. Admission is \$3 for adults, \$2 for children. For further information, call 278-3254 or 278-4469.
- **AUDITIONS OPEN**  
Trinity House Theatre will hold auditions for the musical-drama "The Singer" from 6:30-10 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 28, in Livonia. Needed are musician-actors, especially on piano, guitar and recorder. There are roles for five males, four singing; two females, one singing, and one girl, 8-12 years old. For further information call 464-6302.
- **VALENTINE CONCERT**  
Phil Marcus Esser of Livonia and Barbara Bredius of Troy will present "Songs of the Heart" in concert on Valentine's Day weekend at the North Rosedale Park Community House in Detroit. Shows will be at 8:30 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Feb. 14-15, and 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 16. Admission is \$6. For ticket information, call 272-8099 or 532-4894.
- **STRAUSS BALL**  
The 39th Viennese Strauss Ball will be at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, in the Main Ballroom at Cobo Hall in Detroit. James J. Tamburini will conduct a 22-piece orchestra at the event, arranged by the Austrian Society of Greater Detroit. For more details or tickets, contact Walt Cortis of Livonia at 464-8861.
- **SCARBOROUGH FAIR**  
Exhibit booth space is available at the Scarborough (Arts & Crafts) Fair, to be held Saturday, March 22, at Cambridge Adult and Community Education Center in Garden City. The juried craft show will include spaces for artists and their work and for artists who wish to demonstrate their craft. For further information, call Donna J. Ellis, exhibitor chairwoman, at 422-7189.
- **WORLD PREMIERE**  
"Home from Harlem," by Alvin Auber, Wayne State University professor of English, will have its world premiere Friday, Jan. 24, at WSU's Bonstelle Theatre in Detroit. The play is a stage adaptation of Paul Laurence Dunbar's "The Sport of the Gods." For ticket information, call 577-2960.
- **LONDON, BROADWAY**  
"84 Charing Cross Road," a hit in London's West End and the Nederlander Theatre on Broadway, opens for its Detroit-area premiere at 8 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 30, at Meadow Brook Theatre on the Oakland University campus in Rochester Hills. The play was adapted by James Roose-Evans from Helene Hanf's best seller about an American TV scriptwriter and a British clerk in a London bookshop on Charing Cross Road. David Regal directs the drama starring Jeanne Arnold and Wil Love as the scriptwriter and the clerk. For ticket information, call the box office at 377-3300.

## Actors Alliance does all-around good show

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The accent's not crucial, but the romance is. Gibbs' all-American ways, pouncy, wearing suspenders and spouting down-home wisdom. They're at once petty and generous, fond of their children and eschewed by them. The fathers sing "Never Say No," a hilarious song that may not enjoy the fame of the poppy "Try to Remember" but never fails to bring grimaces of understanding from parents in the audience.

Cori Carrier looks the perfect Luisa with her long blond hair and Alice in Wonderland pinafore.

Wallace Smith, director of the Performing Arts Theatre at the Orchard Ridge Campus of Oakland Community College, is a delight as Henry, the dottering old actor who scrambles Shakespeare's most memorable lines and creates zany mahem with his sidekick, Mortimer.

John Michael Manfredi plays Mortimer, the delightfully demented American Indian with a British accent who thrives on playing flamboyant death scenes. Mortimer flops about the stage stealing the limelight as he hams up his ludicrous lying in this musical that won't quit charming audiences.



# Soprano, pianist appear at benefit

By Mary Jane Doerr  
special writer

Soprano Elizabeth Parcells has an exceptionally fine coloratura voice, gentle, graceful, with a beautiful quality in every range.

Her training is typical of many singers, though, highly technical with absolute integrity to the score and no solid breath support to give depth and fullness to the sound.

In a benefit concert last Saturday evening for Orchestra Hall, she appeared in a duo concert with New York pianist James Winn.

Parcells, a Grosse Pointe native, now makes her home in Frankfurt, Germany, where she is soloist at the Frankfurt Opera. The program included seven of the most difficult and beautiful coloratura solos composed in the last 200 years.

HIGHLIGHTING THE evening was the famous and difficult "Bell Song" from "Lakme" by Delibes.

Parcells approaches her music with a gentle, beautiful lyric quality that she can carry up to 2½ octaves above middle C without a sign of strain or becoming shrill.

Here is the type of voice that Mozart composed some of his arias for. It is completely flexible and moves easily over skips and jumps in the scale.

With this flowing quality Parcells' interpretation of Rossini's "Sera Te Musical" was particularly beautiful.

However, her coloratura voice doesn't lend itself to more dramatic pieces such as Debussy's "Quatre Chansons de Jeunesse." She doesn't have diversity in her voice to make

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these interesting. More differentiation is needed between the pianissimos and fortés, especially in the echo effects.

Parcells is effective when she expounds on music, as she did in her excellent program notes and in her unusual delivery of two contemporary pieces, "Caprice a une voix" by her friend, the French American composer, Betsy Jolas, and "Vocalise," by Michigan composer, Joseph Pehrson.

IN AN untraditional position in front of the piano keyboard Parcells sang both numbers a capella. The Jolas work was sung into the strings of the piano using the foot pedal to sustain a singing quality from the piano.

Parcells' encore was "Les oiseaux dans la charmille" from Act I of "Tales of Hoffmann." She sang the "doll" role with ease of voice and movement as it should be sung.

If Parcells, now in her mid 30s, would develop more depth and breath control, her programs would be greatly enhanced.

James Winn, pianist with the New York City Ballet, was one reason for the success of the concert. As accompanist he knew when the piano should be heard and when to blend in.

His solo, Rondo in D Major, by Mozart was elegant while "Scarbo" by Maurice Ravel, one of the difficult pieces in the piano repertoire, was stunning.

## Sesame Street Live is staged

Sesame Street Live will present the "Missing Bird Mystery" on stage Friday, Jan. 31, through Sunday, Feb. 16, at Cobo Arena in Detroit.

In the 90-minute production, Bid Bird is reported missing from 123 Sesame Street and the famous fowl's friends set out to find him.

Tickets are on sale at the Joe Louis Arena Box Office and all Ticket World Outlets. To order tickets by phone, call 567-7500. The Cobo Arena Box office will be open 1½ hours before show-time.

Bert, Ernie and Oscar are among other Sesame Street characters ap-

pearing in the show. The expedition will take a break from sleuthing to perform such songs as "Rubber Duckie," "People in Your Neighborhood" and "Sing."

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Joining the Sesame Street residents are a group of Jim Henson Muppets created especially for Sesame Street Live.

## second runs Hugh Gallagher

"The Searchers" (1956), 3:30 p.m. Saturday on Ch. 4. Originally 119 minutes. TV time slot: 150 minutes.

Some argue that this is the greatest western ever made. It is certainly a culmination of all the best that director John Ford brought to the screen. It is beautifully photographed, full of action and laced with sometimes corny but often winning humor. The character parts are well acted and give fullness to the story. More importantly, it is a thoughtful film about human relationships — both personal and racial. John Wayne gives one his finest performances as a man obsessed in his search for a niece kid-

### WHAT'S IT WORTH?

A ratings guide to the movies

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napped by Indians. The Wayne persona of the rugged individual, always on the outside of society, is handled brilliantly. Ford uses the film medium to show the contrasts between Indian society and white soci-

ety and between Wayne's outsider and the settlers. Ford often said he just made movies, he wasn't an artist. This film proves that he was. The final shot is one of the great moments in movies.  
Rating: \$4.

"WUSA" (1970), 1:30 Saturday night on Ch. 30. Originally 115 minutes. TV time slot: 120 minutes.

Paul Newman takes a plunge into political commentary in this often muddled movie. He plays a disc jockey at a right-wing New Orleans radio station who happens upon a sinister plot. The film drips with magnolia. What insights it offers about

right-wing politics are confused at best. Anthony Perkins gives one his usually bizarre performances.  
Rating: \$2.25.

"Monkey Business" (1959), 2 Wednesday night on Ch. 4. Originally 97 minutes.

This Howard Hawks gem has Cary Grant experimenting with youth serum on chimps. Grant, the beautiful Marilyn Monroe at her sweetest, Ginger Rogers and Charles Coburn have a good time in this romp and their enthusiasm carries over. Grant is a befuddled, shy, and very charming hero whose dedication to science is always being sabotaged.  
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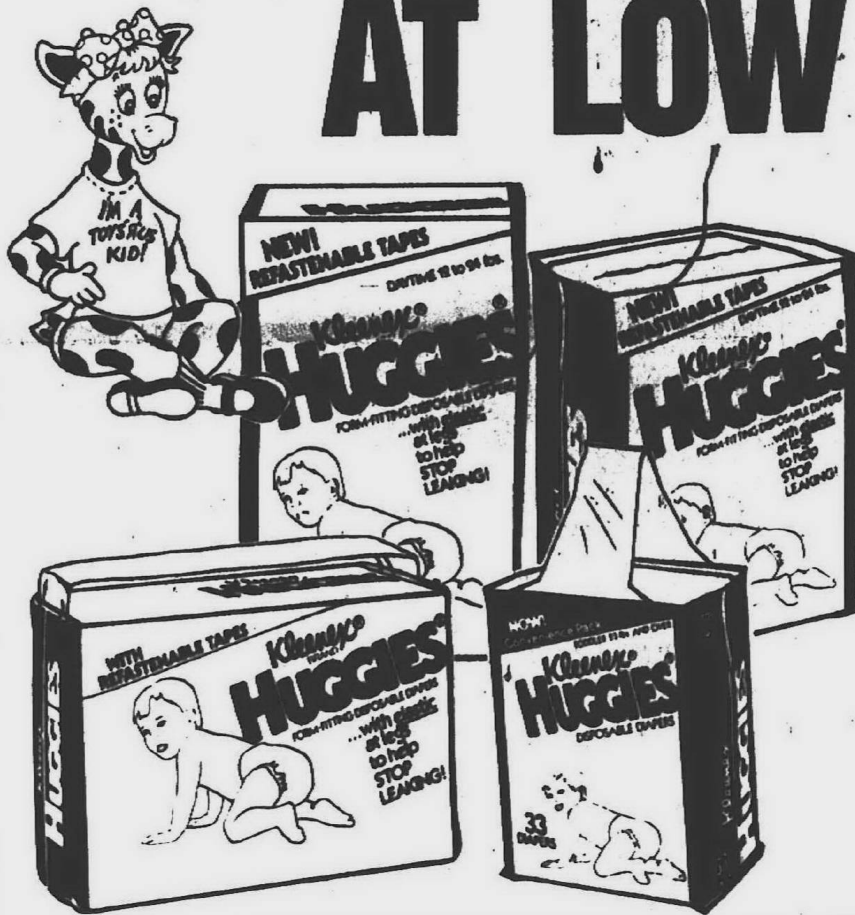
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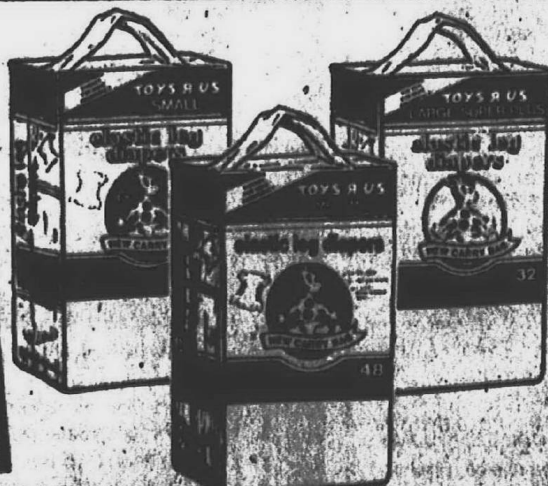
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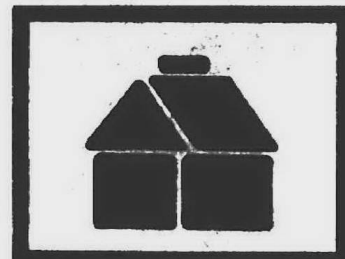
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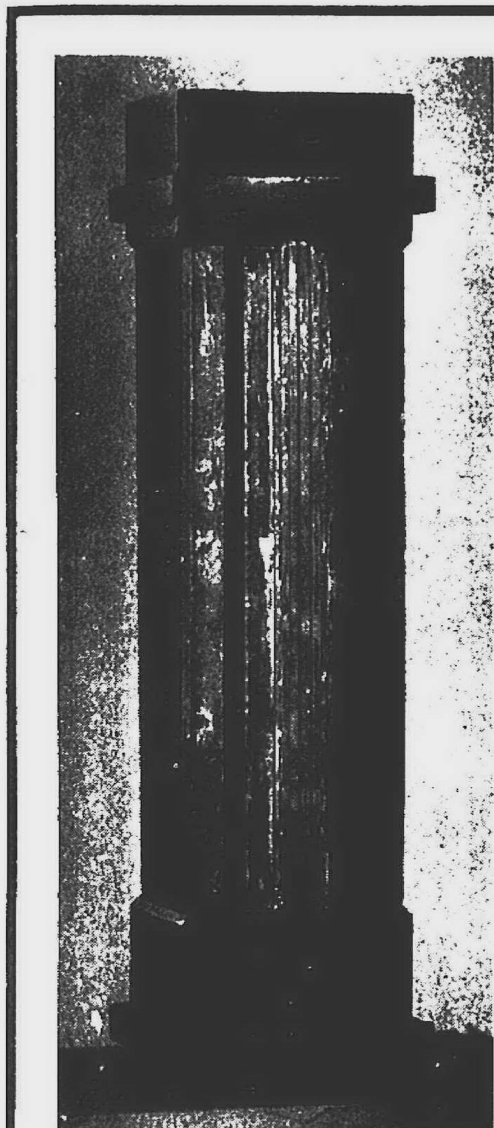
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Tower (left) by Wendy MacGaw of Farmington Hills is two feet high, steel covered with a bronze skin. MacGaw, Southfield-Lathrup High and Cranbrook Academy of Art graduate, has taught at CCS-College of Art and Design, Wayne and Detroit Institute of Arts.

STEPHEN CANTRELL/staff photographer

## Art Center revitalized

By Manon Melgaard  
special writer

With its elegant fin de siècle architecture, spaciousness, parquet floors and variable daylight streaming through the huge windows of the clerestory gallery, the Pontiac Art Center is not only one of the most charming in Michigan, but one of the liveliest.

This venerable institution, which provides a large and varied selection of classes in art, dance, music and creative writing, is also fortunate in having dedicated James Gilbert, exhibitions director, on the staff.

"We are not a museum, and in terms of an art gallery we are not a dungeon," quipped the modest, softly spoken Gilbert, who since his appointment in 1981 has reorganized the programming with the zeal of a Renaissance entrepreneur.

Although the center was far from moribund before he took over the position, Gilbert admitted that some of the programs were sorely in need of updating. He should know. Gilbert has been associated with the center for the last 10 years and while a member of the faculty, taught weaving and silk-screening.

ONE OF HIS many innovations has been to combine art shows with music, lectures, dance programs and poetry readings. "I think it is very important," he said, "to incorporate programs where the arts are mixed."

Bravo! His endeavors have led to diverse and stimulating programs (carefully planned a year ahead), including the popular "Lunch With Art," which takes place the third Tuesday of each month, accompanied by music or other forms of entertainment.

This month's exhibition (through January) is an eclectic blend of mixed media, with a collection of large, powerful and colorful oil paintings by Francine Rouleau and Jim Pujdowski in the main gallery.

ROULEAU'S EXPRESSIONIST paintings are the reflections of emotional states and environmental influences. Her human forms, quasi-representational, often grotesque, appear to be influenced by outside forces, which may be either threaten-

ing or benign. At times, the dominating presence of these elements (accentuated by heavy concentrations of paint), reduces the human figures into shadowy, barely discernible shapes. Interesting work — highly theatrical.

About his work, Pujdowski said, "Arriving at a rich image is my main concern."

This is particularly evident in this talented artist's explosive images of nature. For example, he uses fine brush strokes to dramatize a brilliant sunrise and transform his "Belle Isle Morning" into a lush, tropical-like island.

On the clerestory level are three of Wendy MacGaw's aesthetic, uncluttered, miniature (two-inch high) towers in steel, covered with a bronze skin.

THREE ACCOMPANYING drawings give the feeling of space and harmony that environ the buildings in an actual high-rise setting all of which makes one aware that MacGaw's concepts put to shame the rash of pseudo-classical monstrosities that seem to be springing up like Disneyland versions of Athens or Rome all over the country.

Sheree Rensel uses wood, handmade paper, plaster gauze and iridescent paint for her delicate, beautifully crafted sculptures, which combine an emotive quality, often with a biting edge.

"Message Brought by a Bird" is a compelling self-portrait by Gloria A. Joseph in ink, crayon and paint; striking too, is one of Sally Schluter's abstract paintings in light relief, in which a symmetrical, Picasso-like form is juxtaposed with two upstretched hands separated by a ladder (hands and ladders seem to be symbols that occur frequently in Schluter's work).

Finally, Lynne Avadenka's half-open boxes containing sections of cloister architecture, small figure paintings (including a skeleton) and hand-written messages, have the effect of a personal diary exposed.

Far from being a backwater, the revitalized Pontiac Art Center should definitely not be missed. Hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 47 Williams, Pontiac.



Jerry LeDuff holds a small African musical instrument, the sanza, sometimes called the thumb piano. Annette LeDuff demonstrates (right) the costumes she designed for Jennifer Noyer's choreography for "Collaborations II" at the Paradigm Dance Theatre next weekend. When the dancers come on stage, they are wearing the black hoods over the brightly ribboned sleeveless costumes.



## Partnership

### Couple share their love for the arts with the whole metropolitan area

By Corinne Abatt  
staff writer

A husband and wife team, Jerry and Annette LeDuff, are among the many talented people involved in "Collaborations II" at the Paradigm Dance Theatre of Harmonie Park, Friday, Jan. 31, through Sunday, Feb. 2.

This program of experimental dance brings together some of the fine talents in the metropolitan area in choreography, design and composition.

Jerry LeDuff is doing the music for "Antares — 420 Light Years" by Jennifer Noyer, and Annette designed the costumes.

The LeDuffs, who live in Southfield, just moved their jewelry studio, Ajour Ltd., to 800 N. Woodward, Birmingham. The third partner in the business is jewelry consultant, Sue Ann Valentine.

Both LeDuffs could probably have found equal success in a dozen or more career fields. In fact, he moves easily through a half dozen or so all the time. Each has a master's degree from Cranbrook Academy of Art, specializing in painting and drawing.

Both design jewelry. She's also a gemologist, having worked with her parents who owned a jewelry business in Rome.

LEDUFF WAS a design engineer for several automotive companies before he surprised family and acquaintances by going to Cranbrook for a master's in fine arts.

But then he also spent a lot of time in the Oakland University music department and was a percussionist with a university-based jazz group.

Combining his special interest in ancient music and the musical instruments of Africa with modern electronic music inspired him to coin a musical term — ethno-tronics.

The music he composed for "Antares — 420 Light Years" uses an electronic tape with him playing clay flutes on top of it.

Annette said when the four dancers come on stage for the 10-minute work, they will be wearing full, sheer, black, hooded garments.

As layers of garments are stripped off, she said, "The movements become very expressive of what's inside. The dance was done in August in Chene Park for the Michigan Architects convention, and it was almost like somebody stopped everything."

As to why her husband would spend so much time and energy composing and performing for a 10-minute dance segment, she said, "The music Jerry likes to perform isn't very commercial."

AND HE CHIMED in that music is a vital part of his life, he would be spending time on it anyway and there will be a video made of the performance.



In the hands of a master musician, the donno or talking drum of West Coast Africa, which Jerry LeDuff demonstrates, can parrot the native language. The supporting strands of gut on the side also are used to manipulate the sound.

He is also founder/director of the Detroit Percussion Arts Ensemble, has composed music for documentary films for the Canadian and Mexican broadcasting companies as well as for Noyer, the Paradigm Dance Company and Jessica Sinclair at Kingswood School Cranbrook.

He is a member of Storytellers, a threesome whose programs through Michigan Council for the Arts combine folklore, literature and music.

Annett LeDuff's interest in body adornment stretches beyond beautiful jewelry and precious stones to ethnic costumes, body painting, scarification, hairstyles and related aesthetics.

WHEN ASKED how they manage to keep all these interests in perspective, he said, with a smile, "I would say we never end up with nothing to do."

"We never watch TV," his wife said. "Jerry has his own music room with recording equipment in our home. We have a painting studio in the basement, and we have a design room for jewelry design."

LeDuff, who says he was always interested in music, has a collection of unusual African musical instruments, which he uses for his work as well as his own pleasure.

But he makes no claim to being able to play them as the masters in Africa do. The donno, or drum

from west coast Africa, can reproduce sounds from the local language in the hands of a master musician.

The thumb piano, a rather ordinary name for an unusual and ancient instrument, the sanza, has slim metal keys or strips of varying length, secured with a tight band over a square wooden resonator box.

IF THE LEDUFFS aren't talking about music, art, painting or dance, they are most likely discussing emeralds, rubies, rhodolite garnet from Afghanistan, amethysts or their latest exciting discovery, fancy cut stones by a third-generation stone cutter from Germany, Munsteiner. Instead of cutting and faceting, he shapes the stones into abstract forms.

LeDuff said of Munsteiner's work: "It is very innovative. So far, no one has been able to copy his style."

He held up a Munsteiner stone, the purple of the amethyst changing to off-white ametrine at one end. "This is the exciting thing that's happening in our business. It's very challenging to design around something as abstract as this."

But, that's the way the LeDuffs are, they thrive on challenges and derive great satisfactions from their involvement in so many phases of the arts.



# Tips are short cuts to prevent mistakes

By Dave Messing  
special writer

Maybe I'm psychic or maybe it's just her tone of voice. But, when Sandy calls, "honey?" from out of the kitchen with a question in her voice, I know I'm goin' on a little errand.

Honestly, she rarely asks me to run out for her, but that tone of voice is unmistakable.

You know that "I'm cookin' you a great meal, but I forgot one item and you better run out and get it for me cuz if I take the time to get it the whole meal will be ruined" tone of voice.

Well, Sandy forgot a head of lettuce, so on my way out the door I asked, "are there any tips for pickin' out a good head of lettuce?"

"Well, I guess you could look for a full one that's nice and green and feels pretty solid," she said.

So there I was at the corner fruit market standing elbow to elbow with three senior citizen ladies. I watched them carefully, so that I could pick up some tips on how they selected a head of lettuce.

ONE little lady kind of rolled it around while she pushed down on the head . . . so I rolled one.

Another lady thumped it . . . so I thumped it. The third lady held it in both hands and tightly clamped her fingers on the round little head . . . I didn't bother.

I didn't need to, the head I picked filled all the requirements and appeared to be exactly the head my wife would have picked. Full, round, green and solid.

Feeling quite like the "galloping gourmet" I headed home.

I confidently placed the head in the sink as I breezed through the kitchen.

Within a few seconds I again heard the same "honey?" come out of the kitchen.

"What now," I thought to myself impatiently. Then, before I could reply, a second "honey?" was followed by the question that totally disarmed me. "Why did you buy a head of cabbage when I sent you to buy a head of lettuce?"

"Oh . . . um . . . well," I said, trying to save face. "Cuz, I thought we could try making cole slaw!"

Well, when I went back to the market, I didn't roll it, thump it, squeeze it or anything. I just read lettuce and took one.

JUST THE same I love tips. Tips are short cuts and they are mistake savers. You know there are two ways to learn: "the hard way," which is from your own mistakes, and the easy way, which is from the mistakes of others.

A tip is sometimes the result of another's mistake or perhaps their search for and the discovery of a better way. So here are some tips that I have learned from friends, students, customers, readers and articles.

Here's one good tip that came from one of Livonia's great art teachers, no it's not me, it's John Wagner.

John is a good friend of mine. One day he shared this tip, that he read in a bimonthly publication called "step-by-step graphics."

## artifacts

**A tip is sometimes the result of another's mistake or perhaps their search for and the discovery of a better way.**

If your felt-tip markers seem too dry or feel like they are running out of ink, there is hope. What you do is first tape the cap onto the marker. Then tape the end of the felt tip marker to a piece of cord and spin it for a few revolutions. The centrifugal force from the spinning will force the ink toward the tip. This will increase the life of a marker up to 30 percent.

HERE'S ANOTHER good tip from the same article: airbrush clouds with polyester batting instead of using torn paper for clouds. The soft irregular outlines make excellent naturally soft looking clouds. You can even airbrush through the batting for different effects.

Here is one last tip: pen and ink repair. Every hand that ever held an ink or tech pen has inked the wrong line, smeared it or crossed over the line or, in other words, goofed.

If, however, you have a razor knife you can easily hide your mistake. First cut along the correct line. This will separate the "good" from the "goof." Then scrape the ink from the surface of the board or paper. Then erase the ink dust scrapings with a white rose eraser.

I will continue next week with more tips.

This is another in a series of lessons on art and drawing by special columnist David Messing. He has taught for 10 years and operates two art stores, Art Store and More, 16338 Middlebelt, Livonia, and 265 N. Main, Plymouth. Messing encourages questions and comments from readers. You may call him at 522-6311, write to him at his store or in care of the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 33203 Grand River, Farmington, Mich. 48024.



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**12 MILE**  
FROM \$550\*  
1 and 2 bedrooms, 1 and 2 baths, 700 sq. ft. finished basement, central air conditioning, security system. 364-9277.

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# CREATIVE LIVING CLASSIFIED REAL ESTATE



### 402 Furnished Apts. For Rent

**PLYMOUTH** Attractive, newly furnished 1 or 2 bedroom, well located. Adults no pets. Available now \$730 per month. 659-9697

**BLOOMFIELD LAKES APARTMENTS**

2 apartments available in a small private adult complex. Available Jan. 23. ONE BEDROOM \$575. TWO BEDROOM \$600.

Apartments include plush carpeting, drapes, decorative furniture by Globe Interiors, dishes, linens, silverware etc. TV and radio, washer & dryer on main floor. Heat & water included. G. E. air conditioning. 2nd bedroom can be used as office or den.

Ideal for executives or young business persons moving into area.

Beach privileges on Cass Lake

No Pets Allowed

Short term lease available to qualified applicants

2400 Frederick Blvd. 2 blk. N. of Orchard Lake Rd off Cass Lake Rd.

**FOR APPOINTMENT, PLEASE CALL**

601-9161-681-4309 334-3391

**ROYAL OAK** - large 1 bedroom executive apt. From \$600 per mo. Short term lease available. Includes dishes, color TV, call 1626-8pm

559-4326

**SOUTHFIELD** - Completely furnished 1 bedroom apartment for immediate occupancy \$515 per month includes gas heat & water. Flexible lease terms. Call days

357-3503

**TROY Somerset** - 1 bedroom executive apartment, completely furnished. Stereo, TV, microwave. Month to month lease, \$1,090 per month

443-8771

**7th WEEK**

Mayflower Motel

17729 Telegraph Road

Between 5 Mile & Grand River

### 404 Houses For Rent

3 bedrooms - A few vacant soon! Nice areas. Flexible lease terms. Call 324-1125, 443-1525, 443-1525

Kids-Pets O.K. RENTEX, 543-9735

**ALL QUALIFIED RENTALS**

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SHARE LISTINGS

845 Adams, Birmingham, Mich. 642-1410

**ATTRACTIVE 3 bedrooms** Kids - Pets O.K. Fireplace, carpet. A few New Areas! \$295 - \$425 - \$475 - \$550 - \$595

RENTEX, 543-9735

**AVAILABLE SOON**

2-3 BEDROOMS

**OK PARK SOUTHFIELD**

OK PARK, ROYAL OAK, BIRMINGHAM, FARMINGTON HILLS, PLYMOUTH, CANTON, DRBHN HTS. GARDEN CITY, HUNTERD, BIRMINGHAM, WESTLAND, WAYNE, BRIGHTON, ROCHESTER, CLAWSON, TROY

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**A D C VACANCIES**

1 - 3 bedrooms

8195 - 8235 - 8250 - 8275 - 8295

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**2 BEDROOMS - A Few Vacant Soon!**

Nice areas. Carpet, fenced, fireplace. \$315 - \$350 - \$375 - \$395 - \$415

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**BEVERLY HILLS** - 2 bedrooms, appliances, garage, fenced yard. No pets. Immediate occupancy. \$575 per mo. plus security. After 5 PM, 642-1180

**BEVERLY RANCH** - 2 bedrooms, 3 baths, family room, greenhouse. 3 car attached garage, full basement, 4 to 5 month lease. \$1,500 month.

Mary Savoie, 642-1180

**BIRMINGHAM AREA** Beautiful 4 bedroom 2 1/2 bath colonial, attached garage, fireplace, deck, available April. \$1,300 month plus security. 643-4877

**BIRMINGHAM** - In town spacious, immaculate home 3 or 4 bedrooms, 3 1/2 baths, hardwood floors throughout, all appliances, fireplace, basement, 3 car garage. No pets. Lease, security & ref. \$1250 month. 642-1180

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**BIRMINGHAM SCHOOLS** - Southfield 11 Mile, 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, fenced yard, screened porch, colonial, lots more 1950 month. Days 852-1333

**BIRMINGHAM** - 3 bedroom ranch, great location, nice backyard, occupancy Feb. 1st \$700 a month plus security deposit. 642-1180

**BIRMINGHAM** - 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, full kitchen, appliances & furniture. \$750 month. 642-1180

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**FAMILY STYLE** Home on Kids - Pets O.K. A Few Nice Areas \$350 - \$365 - \$385 - \$425 - \$440 - \$475 - \$575

RENTEX, 543-9735

**FARMINGTON** - Eight Mile/Hwy 28, 4 bedrooms, appliances, Great heat, carpet, Vacant. Adult. References and security. No pets. \$425. 476-0787

**FARMINGTON HILLS** - 4 bedroom colonial, 1st floor den, 1st floor laundry, 2 1/2 baths, formal dining room, 2 car garage, 3500 sq. ft. in executive area. \$1,300 month/negotiable. Century 21, Suburban, 349-1212 or 361-1823

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**TROY** - 3 bedroom brick ranch, family room, 1 1/2 bath, carpet, granite, basement, stove, refrigerator, attached garage. \$555 month. 1 year lease. 687-9500

**UPPER LONG LAKE** waterfront, beautiful executive hi-level ranch, on half acre, 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 bath, family room, wet bar, fireplace, 3/4 car garage. \$975. Lease/option. 681-3176

**WATERFORD** - Ranch-style, 3 large rooms & bath. Carpeted, fireplace, big room, lake privileges, shopping close. \$495. mo. + Security deposit. Call: Mr. D. or Mrs. Cooper, 625-6000

**W BLOOMFIELD** - 5000 sq. ft. colonial in prestigious W Bloomfield. Bloomfield Hills, 2 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, Call Mike after 5pm 683-2561

**WEST BLOOMFIELD** School district, 3 bedroom home, newly renovated. New kitchen, new bath, Cass Lake view. \$525 month. 474-4212

**WESTLAND** 2 bedroom, utility room, garage, appliances, carpet, granite, security deposit, references, no pets. 459-3280

**WHITE LAKEFRONT** beautiful 3 bedroom, 3 full bath in prime area for rent to mature people. No smokers. No pets. Owner lives on site. 443-6644

**W BLOOMFIELD** - 5 year old colonial, 4 bedrooms, den, family room, 3 1/2 baths, basement, 2 car garage, \$1,250 month. 459-3280

**W BLOOMFIELD** - 2 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, finished garage, Walled Lake schools. \$425 plus school. 642-5563

**W BLOOMFIELD** - Pine Lake beach & boat privileges. 3 bedroom ranch, new carpeting & drapes, family room with fireplace, basement, pool, storage shed. Call attached garage. \$1,066 monthly. 682-2318 or 685-1662

**10-11-13 MILE AREAS**

3 & 3 bedrooms, fireplace, carpet, appliances. Kids - Pets O.K. \$400 - \$450 - \$500 - \$535 - \$650

RENTEX, 543-9735

**406 Furnished Houses For Rent**

**CASS LAKE** - Waterfront, Bloomfield area. 1 bedroom home. Very nice, no children or pets. References & security. \$300 month. 682-3295 or 685-2852

**CRANBROOK** Village, 4 bedrooms, 3 or 4 mo. Lease. Family room fireplace, large kitchen, 2 car garage. \$1,000 monthly. Only Children O.K., no pets. 642-1630

**BIRMINGHAM** - 648 East Lincoln, 3 bedroom unit, one upstairs, one ground floor. Appliances furnished. Laundry included. No pets. \$1,271 month. \$1,000 per month cash. Available immediately. Call 9am-4pm 651-5440

**BIRMINGHAM** - Older duplex, 1930s Farmington area, 1717 E. 17th, 2 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, basement, \$410. No pets. Agent. 478-7440

**NORWAYNE** Duplex, 3 bedroom, utility room, large kitchen, yard, clean & ready to move. \$525 per month plus security. 725-2647

**OPEN SUN 1-4**

Birmingham downtown duplex, 990 S. Bates \$430 mo plus utilities. 543-5411

**TWO BEDROOM** duplex, 1 1/2 baths, one car garage. Full basement. East Walled Lake area. Available now. \$525 plus utilities. 562-1930

**WESTLAND** duplex - Meritman & Palmer, 3 bedroom, large lot, \$525 plus security. 565-5668

**WESTLAND** duplex - Meritman & Palmer area, Van Reken 568-4702

**BIRMINGHAM/In-Town** 2 bedroom 1 1/2 bath upper unit of 2-family residence located at 754-754 Heurteaux, 3 blocks from downtown. Excellent location. Present tenant relocating out of state. Available no later than March 1st 1986. \$600 month. Terms call Mike at 642-1180. Call between 5pm-10pm Friday. 478-4141

**CANTON** - 3 bedroom upper unit. Private entrance, expressway near. Employed mature ladies or couple preferred. No pets. \$500 month. 387-0905

**LIVONIA** - large 2 bedroom lower flat, carpet, large yard, fireplace in living room, wood burning stove in family room. \$500 month. 459-1904

**412 Townhouses-Condos For Rent**

**A LAKEFRONT CONDO** - new 1 bedroom unit, complete kitchen, washer & dryer in unit, garage, 4 miles to Twelve Oaks Mall. Walled Lake, \$550 per mo. Immediate occupancy. Meadmanagement Inc. 851-9970

**ALL QUALIFIED RENTALS**

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SHARE LISTINGS 643-1630

845 Adams, Birmingham, Mich.

**LARGON HILLS** - convenient location, 2 1/2 bedroom, freshly painted, carpet, full kitchen, 2 car garage, month plus utilities & security. 644-8186

**AVAILABLE SOON**

1400 Sq. Ft. ranch townhouse, 3 baths, individual private entrance, carpeted, appliances, clubhouse and pool. \$675 per mo.

Also ranch Apt. available, \$650 mo.

**BIRMINGHAM CONDO** - E. of Adams, N. of Maple, 845 month, 50 sq. ft. studio, 1 bedroom, 1 bath, full bathroom, private entrance. 640-1190

**BIRMINGHAM CONDO** & townhouse for lease, available Mar. 1. \$650 & \$900. Call between 5-8. 642-1180

**BIRMINGHAM TOWNHOUSES** available for immediate occupancy 3 bedrooms, 1 bath, fireplace, pet friendly, central air, dishwasher, 2 car garage, \$675 per month. Call 644-1400

**BLOOMFIELD HILLS** Townhouse, Woodward & Long Lake, 3 bedroom, natural fireplace, full bathroom, hardwood floors, garage. Excluded setting. \$1,200 per month. 643-3295

**CLAWSON**

Spacious one bedroom condo with appliances \$285 per month. Main & 11th. 500 sq. ft. Call after 5pm. 685-0648

**DOWNTOWN PLYMOUTH**

3 bedroom townhouse, includes heat, \$650 month. No pets. 685-3422

### 412 Townhouses-Condos For Rent

**FARMINGTON HILLS** - Sub-lease approximately 900 sq. ft. 1 bedroom condo. Available immediately until Sept. 1. All appliances, washer/dryer included. Available \$618. Call 626-4334

**LAKE VILLAGE** 14 Mile, W. of Highway 2, 2 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, 2 car garage, 2 bedrooms, balcony, appliances, latched garage, fireplace, 1600 sq. ft. No pets. \$695/month. 641-2000

**LIVONIA** - 2 bedrooms, near Westland. No pets. \$600. Ask for Fred and Andy, Century 21, Gold House 478-0699 or 361-4790

**NEW IN-TOWN**

Very nice 2-3 bedroom Many Areas. 116-Pets O.K. RENTEX, 543-9735

**ROCHESTER CONDO** on the river, spacious 2 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath with carport, 2 bedrooms & best. \$714. Days 497-7771. Evenings 373-9213

**ROCHESTER HILLS**

2 1/2 BEDROOM CONDOS

2 1/2 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, full kitchen, appliances. Dining room, living room, basement. Garage. Shown by appointment.

**HOMAC MANAGEMENT**

652-1800

**SOUTHFIELD**

Stanford Townhouses

11 Mile - Inkster Rd.

**2 & 3 Bedroom Townhouses**

Designed For Family Living

Full basement, appliances including dishwasher and disposal. Carpeting, central air conditioning, swimming pool. Tennis courts and carports. Bike paths and designed playground for children.

**TOWNHOUSE**

Brick 2 bedrooms. A few areas. Stove, fridge, fireplace, carpet. Kids-Pets O.K. 642-1180

**TROY** - Northfield Hills, 2 bedroom ranch, full kitchen, 2 1/2 baths, pool, in-unit laundry, water, appliances, washer & dryer. \$700. 626-5948

**UNION LAKE** - New 2 bedroom 2 1/2 bath, laundry room, \$595. Call 13 - 9 - 9000

**HOMESTEAD** Condominium for rent. Glen Arbor, Michigan. On River looking out on Sleeping Bear Bay. Sleeps 1-6. Reasonable rates. Walks to Glen Arbor. 861-8390 or 844-1754

**HOMESTEAD** - luxury, 4 season Resort. Condo on Lake Michigan in Glen Arbor. 2 or 3 bedrooms, fireplace, downhill & country. 651-8917

**HOMESTEAD RESORT** - Glen Arbor. 2 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, full kitchen, full bathroom, full laundry, full garage. Accommodations for couple or group. Special rates Feb. 6-9 & Mar. 6-9. Call over 24 hours. 844-1754

**HOMESTEAD** - 2 bedroom, 2 bath, condo, sleeps 10, fireplace, country or downhill ski, week or weekends. Owner 494-9004

**LEELANAU CO** all downhill & 1/2 country for 1 or 2 bedrooms. Call 443-1180. Beachfront units at The Homestead. Brochure, a season rates. 517-851-7497

**MANISTEE COUNTY** - Ontonagon, 3 bedrooms, plus lot, furnished cottage on electric lake. \$1,200 per month. 844-1754

**MICHIGAN** Ski Country, near Boyne Highlands & Nobe Noh. Furnished condo, reasonable rates. 517-322-7997

**MYRTLE BEACH, S.C.**

2 & 3 bedroom condo, oceanfront, 3 pools. F. MacFarland, Days 644-8800. Evenings 754-9262