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HELPS WORKERS:

Bowling Green State University students working their way through college at a part-time job may not have to work quite so hard, thanks to a \$20,000 gift from a Plymouth couple.

Ellen and Robert Thompson of Plymouth have added the \$20,000 to a fund they previously endowed to create scholarships for students who hold part-time jobs. The Thompsons said they made the unusual stipulation for their gift because they can identify with the average student who has to work during the academic year.

"My husband and I both worked while we were at Bowling Green, and we were grateful for the extra income the jobs provided," said Ellen Thompson. "We felt a scholarship was our way of saying 'thanks' to Bowling Green and a way to encourage working students."

The Robert and Ellen Bowen Thompson Scholarship has been awarded annually since 1982 to one or two rising seniors to assist with their instructional and general fees.

A REGIONALIST: Abe A. Munfah of Plymouth Township has been elected to the Southeast Michigan Council of Governments Executive Committee. Munfah, a professional engineer and member of the Plymouth Township Board of Trustees, is a principal and vice president of administration with the consulting firm of Ayres, Lewis, Norris & May Inc., Ann Arbor. He will represent townships in Wayne County on the executive committee of SEMCOG.

SEMGOC is an organization established to review and formulate regional policies. Munfah said it is "quite exciting to be elected to the executive committee of the regional council at this time when southeastern Michigan is entering a critical phase of changing economic conditions and climates."

COMMEMORATIVE QUILT: Sharon Holton of Plymouth Township, commissioned by Valley Properties of Farmington, has completed a special quilt commemorating the Michigan sesquicentennial.

The full-size quilt, depicting historical characteristics of Michigan, is on display in the lobby of the Capitol Park Hotel, Lansing. During a fund-raiser given for Gov. James Blanchard by the hotel owners — Rod Sabourin and Bruce Case — Holton was congratulated for her creativity and talent. An artist and teacher in the Plymouth community, she also is an active member of Trinity Presbyterian Church.

TOP TEACHER: The Ezra Parker chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution recently honored Scott Beaman, history teacher at Plymouth Salem High School, as its Outstanding American History Teacher.

Beaman has a master's degree and is working toward a doctorate from the University of Michigan. He has taught classes in American history, United States government, and modern European history. Beaman created the advanced placement American history class and has taught it for 15 years. He offers his students extracurricular experiences such as weeklong summer trips to Washington, D.C., Williamsburg and Boston. For the past several years the trip has included walking the "Freedom Trail" around Boston.

School tax rate vote Tuesday

A special election will be held Tuesday to decide a millage renewal for Plymouth-Canton Community Schools.

Two proposals will be on the ballot — the first to renew 10.36 mills, the second to seek approval to levy the authorized levy.

The polls will be open from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. E.J. McClendon, school board president, stresses that neither involves a millage increase.

The first proposal asks permission to continue levying a portion of the millage already being collected," he said Friday, "and the second

seeks approval to levy the full millage already authorized by voters.

PROPOSAL I, if approved would allow the renewal of 10.36 mills (\$10.36 per \$1,000 state equalized valuation or SEV) for 10 years. The 10.36 mills is now being levied.

The renewal represents 28 percent of the school district's total operating budget. If defeated, the district would lose almost \$11 million.

If approved, the renewal in itself would not result in any tax increase.

The 10.86 mills expired in 1986, and voters must approve continuing school taxes at the current rate.

PROPOSAL II is the result of the Headlee Amendment to the Michigan Constitution.

The Headlee amendment provides school districts and municipalities must get voter approval to collect its full authorized levy whenever the value of the property in the district increases faster than the cost of living.

Since the Headlee amendment was passed, the school district has had to seek voter approval twice to collect the full authorized levy. In 1980 approval was given; in 1981, it was denied.

The district collects taxes of 37 mills and would continue to if both proposals were approved.

School officials aren't sure yet how much they would have to reduce the tax rate by if Proposal II does not pass because they don't yet know the district's total value. Municipalities don't have to report their SEV totals until March 1 and so the district won't know how much SEV exceeds cost of living until sometime after that.

ESTIMATES ARE that the district will have to reduce the 37 mills by between a quarter to a half mill if Proposal II is defeated.

For 1986-87 the district's operating budget will be \$12 million. Of that \$41 million is raised by the 37 mills. State taxes provide \$10 million, and federal taxes provide \$1 million.

The school district's financial attorneys advised placing Proposal II on Tuesday's ballot, said Ray Hoedel, associate superintendent for business. The advantage of passing the proposal now, Hoedel said, is that it allows the district to collect the full levy for the summer tax collections.

The polls will be open Tuesday at regular school district voting locations in school buildings.



BILL BRESLER, Staff Photographer

Your tax dollars at work

While county road crews work on Edward Hines Park, this crew of migratory workers are cleaning up litter along the bikepath — or, so it seems. This view of our Canada goose

friends was taken in Hines Park along the roadside by Wilcox Lake in Plymouth. Last week's warmer weather at least made it a bit easier for our friends to find food.

Smoking rules burn firefighters

By Doug Funke
staff writer

The irony was rich. James Haar, president of the Plymouth Township Firefighters Association, appeared before the township board last week asking for designated smoking areas inside the two stations for on-duty firefighters.

The board declined to act. A state law now in effect prohibits smoking in government buildings except for enclosed private offices generally not open to the public.

The law also provides for designating smoking areas in public buildings, but township powers that be

have chosen to limit smoking to private offices.

On-duty firefighters don't have private offices.

Firefighters must remain in the stations on 24-hour duty shifts to answer telephones and monitor radio communications, Haar said. Sometimes, only one man is working out of Station 2 on Wilcox Road.

"Out of 12 guys, we have four smokers," Haar said. "It's a change in working conditions and should be negotiated."

"I WAS hoping to get a little talking going," Haar said of his appearance before the board. "Obvi-

ously they didn't want to listen or weren't interested."

A grievance was filed and denied. An appeal then was taken, to Supervisor Maurice Breen.

"By non-action, I guess I've ruled," Breen said. "If they have a real bitch, they should file an unfair labor practice."

"I think those who are smokers are pressuring him. I think it's a non issue."

"We can designate. We chose not to designate," he said.

The union and township have a date this Wednesday to begin contract negotiations again over a pact

that expired almost a year ago.

One tentative agreement already has fallen through.

The designated smoking area issue "might come into play," Haar said, but "it's definitely not one of our top priorities at all."

And what of Breen's suggestion to file an unfair labor practice over the township's limited smoking policy?

"We're going to contact our attorney. Whatever he advises us, we'll go from there," Haar said.

Smoking areas have been designated in fire stations in the city of Plymouth and Canton Township.

Tee fee Township hikes golf course costs

It will cost golfers a little more green to play on Hilltop greens and fairways at certain times this season.

The course, 6,416 yards, par 70, is owned by Plymouth Township and leased to a private operator.

John Jawor, who operates the course, recommended the new rates.

Township residents will be charged \$7 for nine holes and \$9 for 18 holes weekdays.

On weekends and holidays, the charges will be \$8.50 for nine and \$11.50 for 18 holes.

Non residents will pay 50 cents more for nine holes and \$1 more for 18 on weekdays, weekends

and holidays.

Golfers 62 and older can play nine holes for \$6 and 18 holes for \$7 weekdays by starting before 2 p.m.

Golfers 17 and younger can play nine holes for \$5 and 18 holes for \$6 weekdays by teeing off before noon.

Residency doesn't matter for the special senior and junior rates.

The Plymouth Township Board has approved the new rates. The board also expressed a desire for Jawor to make improvements at the course including benches at tee areas.

Hilltop is on Powell Road at Ann Arbor Trail

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JAMES J. MURRAY SR.

Funeral services for Mr. Murray, 79, of Plymouth Township were held recently in the Drayton Avenue Presbyterian Church in Ferndale with the Rev. Peter Bower officiating. Local arrangements were made by Schrader Funeral Home in Plymouth. Memorial contributions may be made to the Alzheimer's Disease and Related Disorders Association of 17251 W 12 Mile, Suite 102, Southfield 48076, the Salvation Army, Boy Scouts, or to the charity of the donor's choice.

Mr. Murray, who died Feb. 3 in Garden City, was born in Portland, Ore., and came to Detroit after graduating from Oregon State University in 1930 with a degree in mechanical engineering. He was board chairman of Murray Equipment Co., which was formed in 1946 in Detroit to manufacture special made-to-order conveyor equipment now used nationwide. He owned several patents for some of this equipment. He was trained as a sales engineer by American Standard, Detroit. He was a member of Ferndale Lodge 506 F & A.M., Scottish Rite, and Moslem Shrine. He was a non-professional member of Sigma Delta Chi, an honorary journalistic fraternity. For many years he was a scout leader in Ferndale.

Survivors include: wife, Elizabeth; sons, James of Brighton and William of Troy; daughters, Ellen Chamrelain of Beafort, S.C., and Margaret Wolf of Levering, Mich.; sister, Frances Barker of Great Falls, Mont.; and nine grandchildren.

ESTHER E. HOUGHTON

Funeral services for Mrs. Houghton, 95, of Plymouth were held recently in Ross B. Northrop & Son Funeral Home in Northville with burial at Grand Lawn Cemetery. Officiating was the Rev. William M. Stahl. Memorial contributions may be made to the First Baptist Church of Plymouth.

Mrs. Houghton, who died Feb. 9 in St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, was born in Sand Hill, Mich., and moved from Redford to Plymouth in 1966. She was a homemaker and a member of the First Baptist Church of Plymouth.

JOSEPHINE VETTESE

Funeral services for Mrs. Vettese, 66, of Plymouth were held recently in St. Kenneth Catholic Church with burial at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Southfield. Officiating was the Rev. Christopher Welsh.

Mrs. Vettese, who died Jan. 21 in St. Mary Hospital, Livonia, was a retired assembler at Burroughs Corp. She was a member of St. Kenneth Catholic Church. Survivors include husband, Ralph; son, George of Richland, Wash.; daughter, Patricia Metz of Rochester; four sisters; two brothers; eight grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

RUTH H. COVELL

Funeral services for Mrs. Covell, 82, of Grand Ledge, Mich., were held recently in Schrader Funeral Home with burial at Riverside Cemetery, Plymouth. Officiating was the Rev. Gary Seymour. Memorial contributions may be made to the Alzheimer's Disease Association, P.O. Box 1713, Ann Arbor 48106.

Mrs. Covell, who died Feb. 4 in East Lansing, was born in Detroit and had moved to Plymouth in 1920. She was a Michigan Bell employee for 30 years, retiring in 1965. She was a charter member of St. John Episcopal Church of Plymouth, was a member of St. Margaret Altar Guild, and a member of the Telephone Pioneers Club. She started the hot lunch program at Starkweather Elementary School in Old Village during World War II. She is survived by a daughter, Brenda Hinshaw of Grand Ledge, three grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

FRANK M. LOOMIS

Funeral services for Mr. Loomis, 70, of Orchard Lake, formerly of Plymouth, were held recently at Godhardt-Tomlinson Funeral Home, Keego Harbor, with burial at White Chapel Cemetery, Troy. Memorial contributions may be made to the Oakland Humane Society, 19601 Mount Elliot, Detroit 48234.

Mr. Loomis, who died Feb. 9, was a longtime Plymouth resident who had been employed by the Ford Tractor Division of Ford Motor Co. Survivors include wife, Phyllis; sister, Rosemary Rea of Birmingham; brother, James of Ft. Wayne, Ind.; and a grandson.

WILLIAM F. CLEMONS

Private services for Mr. Clemons, 82, formerly of Birmingham, were held recently at Fort Rosecrans National Cemetery, San Diego. Memorial contributions may be made to Alzheimer's Disease, 70 East Lake Street, Chicago 60601.

Mr. Clemons, who died Feb. 5 in Laguna Niguel, Calif., was born in Royal Oak. He was employed in the metal finishing industry for 40 years. Mr. Clemons served in the Navy during World War II and the Korean War.

Survivors are his wife, Martha; sons, Doug, David, Mark, Scott; brother, Ruth Clemons of Plymouth; sisters, Elaine Dietrich of Farmington; Marie Beauchamp of Allen

Park, Barbara Rapson of Canton, brother, Douglas of Canton, and five grandchildren.

CATHERINE PUTICH

Funeral services for Mrs. Putich, 79, of Wayne were held recently in Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church with burial at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery. Officiating was the Rev. Kevin O'Doherty.

Mrs. Putich, who died Feb. 1, was born in Yugoslavia. She was a homemaker and a member of Our Lady of Grace Church. Survivors include: son, Joseph of Seattle; daughters, Catherine Basel of Redford and Mary Hoehn of Canton; three sisters and 14 grandchildren.

FLANDER HAMLIN

Funeral services for Mr. Hamlin, 87, of Salem Township were held recently in the Plymouth Church of the Nazarene with burial at Oakland Hills Cemetery, Novi. Officiating was the Rev. Mark Barnes with local arrangements made by Lambert-Vermeulen Funeral Home, Plymouth.

Mr. Hamlin, who died Feb. 11 at home, was born in Bloomfield, Ind. A retired automotive steel recorder, he was a member of the Plymouth Church of the Nazarene. Survivors include wife, Anna; daughter, Avis Walker of Plymouth; sons, Merle of Plymouth, Dean of Plymouth, and Paul of Birmingham; sister, Grace Helms of Spencer, Ind.; 14 grandchildren; and 14 great-grandchildren.

FLORENCE PUGH

Funeral services for Mrs. Pugh, 79, of Westland were held recently in Schrader Funeral Home with burial at Barnsville Cemetery, Hamilton, Ark. Officiating was the Rev. Floyd Henderson. Memorial contributions may be made to the Church of God of Plymouth.

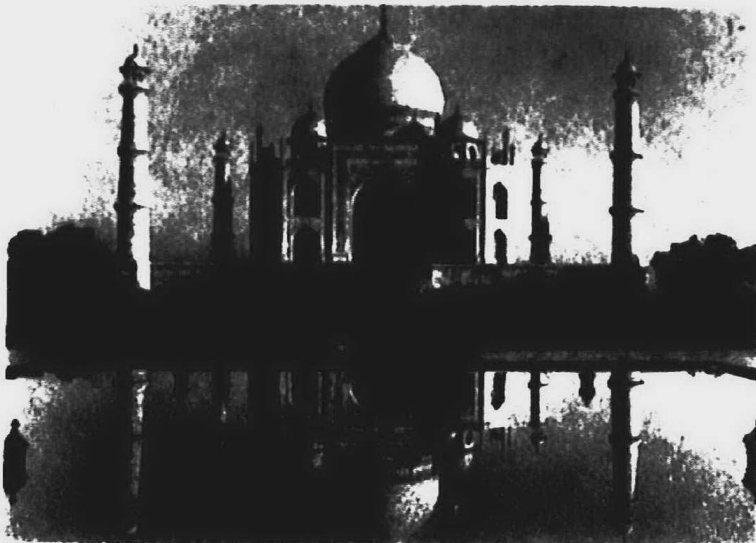
Mrs. Pugh, who died Feb. 11 in Dearborn, was born in Alabama. She was a member of the Church of God of Plymouth. Survivors include daughter, Betty Little of Plymouth; three grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

India will be highlighted this month at the Travel Adventure Series sponsored by the Plymouth Kiwanis Foundation.

This month's travelogue series will begin at 8 p.m. Wednesday in

the auditorium of Plymouth Salem High School on Joy just west of Canton Center Road.

The series is a fund-raiser for the Plymouth Kiwanis Club and the Kiwanis Club of Colonial Plymouth.



The Taj Mahal, the tomb of the Empress Mumtaz Mahal, has been the symbol of India for more than three centuries. This view is from Frank Klicar's "India."

PRESENTING "India" will be Frank Klicar who since the mid 1940s has visited 60 countries on six continents.

A native of Chicago, Klicar earned a bachelor of science degree in zoology from Roosevelt University in 1964.

After attending graduate school, he served four years as a Naval officer in Europe and the Far East, including a tour of duty in Vietnam. He entered the film lecture field in 1967 while a Navy public relations officer.

He since has produced several full-length documentaries.

WHEN NOT on the lecture circuit, Klicar works as a public relations consultant for conservation and environmental organization and remains active in the U.S. Naval Reserve.

Klicar's wife Ann, a sales-marketing executive and photographer, as-

sists in the production of the films.

Part one of Wednesday night's film includes scenes from Bombay, the nature of Hindulism, Madras and the beginnings of British India, the tomb of St. Thomas the Apostle, crocodiles and cobras, early Hindu temples, the erotic temples of Khajuraho, Maduri (the city of shrines), schools of sculpture and classical dance, village industries developed by Gandhi, the spice merchants of Malabar, harvesting coffee and tea, wildlife conservation, fishing villages and the sacred River Ganges.

Part two takes the viewer to the Punjab, home of the Sikhs, the Golden Temple of Amritsar, Rajasthan and its princely palaces, a school for gem cutters, cave temples, to Kashmir the playground of emperors, the British influence at Lucknow, India's educational system, Calcutta, old and new Delhi, monuments of Gandhi, the art of peitra dura inlay, and the story of the Taj Mahal.

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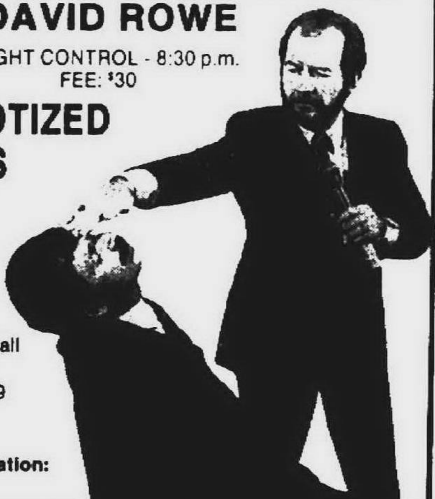
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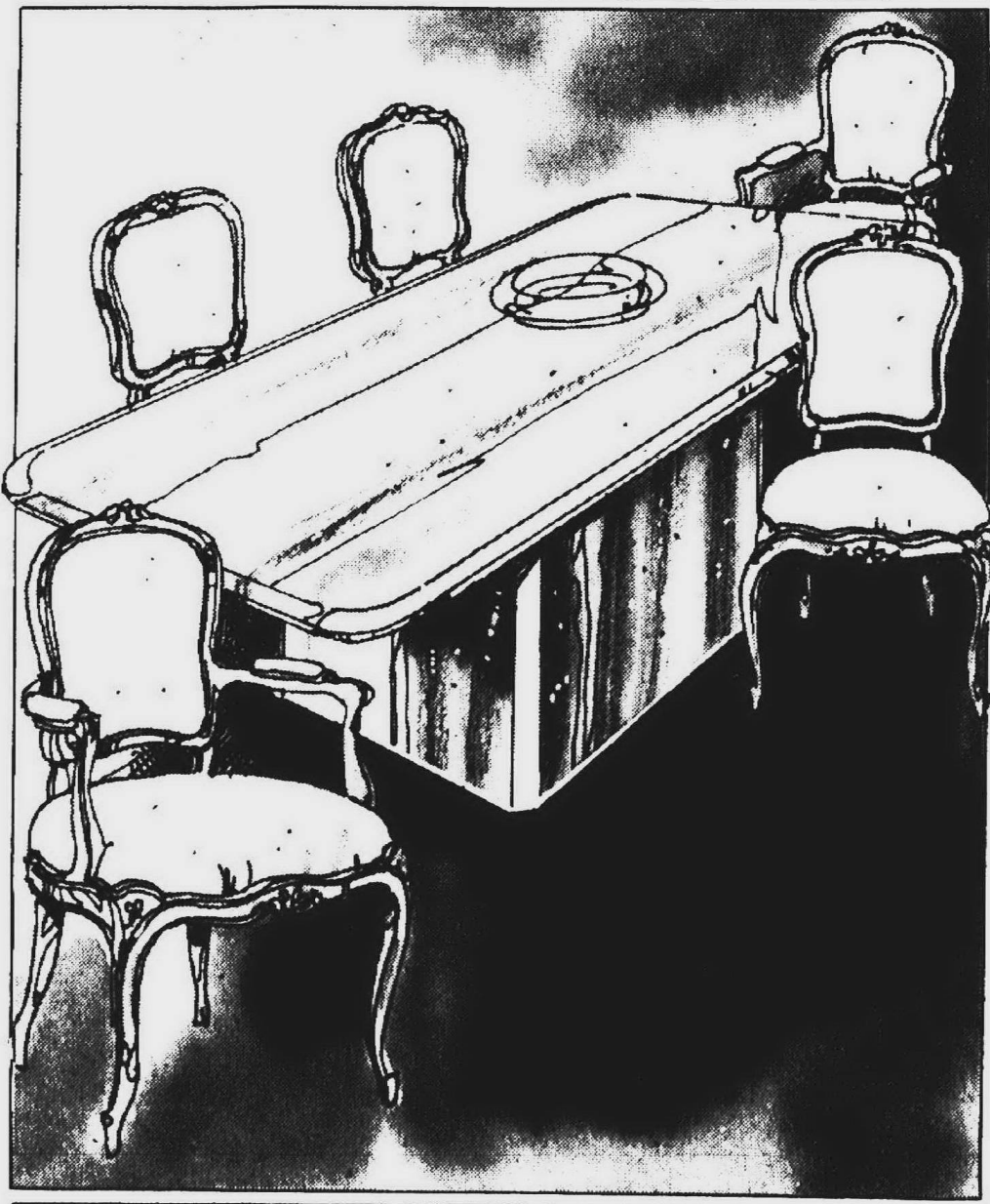
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Yearly wages

Top school administrators earn more than \$60,000

By Doug Funke
staff writer

The top four administrators for the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools now have annual base salaries in excess of \$60,000.

Superintendent John M. Hoben, not surprisingly, heads the list with a yearly salary of \$79,516. The district also provides Hoben with a \$6,000 car allowance annually plus mileage reimbursement for business trips.

Raymond Hoedel, associate superintendent for business, has a base salary of \$64,076. Michael Homes, assistant superintendent for instruction, and Norman Kee, assistant superintendent for employee relations, each has a base salary of \$62,146.

Hoedel, Homes and Kee also receive mileage reimbursement.

Dale Goby, director of transportation, has a base salary of \$52,384 and Dan Menghini, director of maintenance and operations, \$46,772.

THOSE INDIVIDUALS, as well as all other administrators in the district, receive annual longevity bonuses of \$250 to \$500 depending on

length of service if they have at least 10 years with the district.

Kee provided the figures. Nearly 820 Plymouth-Canton teachers, counselors and other certified staff are represented by the Michigan Education Association, the largest union in the district.

A teacher with a bachelor's degree and no experience would now hire in at \$18,696 per year, a master's degree and no experience, \$20,454.

A teacher with a bachelor's degree and five years experience is now paid \$25,543, a master's degree and five years, \$28,459.

A teacher with a bachelor's degree and 10 years experience is now paid \$32,889, a master's degree and 10 years, \$36,295.

THERE ARE other step levels. A majority of teachers can't be found in any single level, Kee said. Fewer than half hold master's degrees.

A teacher's work year consists of 39 weeks.

Teachers also receive annual longevity pay ranging from \$250 to \$750 based on years of service after 15 years.

'Superintendent John M. Hoben, not surprisingly, heads the list with a yearly salary of \$79,516. The district also provides Hoben with a \$6,000 car allowance annually plus mileage reimbursement for business trips.'

Teachers with at least 10 years of service receive a bonus of \$100 per year of service up to \$3,000 at retirement.

Custodial and maintenance employees also are represented by an arm of the MEA. There are about 130 in the unit, the second largest in the district.

Pay rates, based on job classification, now range from \$11.67 to \$7.69 per hour.

Five bonus vacation days can be earned with perfect attendance, fewer with more absences.

EDUCATIONAL AIDES who assist in classrooms, lunchrooms, libraries, offices and on playgrounds also are represented by the MEA. This union group, third largest in the district, has 106 members, Kee said.

Their hourly pay rate now ranges from \$6.17 for study hall aides to \$4.61 for library aides. Teacher/office aides are paid \$5.01 per hour.

Secretaries, numbering about 97, form the fourth largest unionized employee group in the district, Kee said. They're represented as the Plymouth-Canton Association of Educational Office Personnel.

Secretaries, depending on classification and years of service, are now paid \$10.00 to \$8.78 per hour.

Secretaries also receive annual longevity pay of 1 to 5 percent of wages after seven years. They can earn two extra vacation days per year with perfect attendance.

Secretaries also receive the same retirement bonus as teachers.

THE DISTRICT'S bus drivers, special education monitors and mechanics are represented by The Transportation Employees Association.

A first-year driver now makes \$7.75 per hour, all others \$9.04. Hourly pay for special ed monitors ranges from \$6.17 to \$4.80. Mechanics are paid \$11.28 to \$5.20.

About 75 cafeteria workers are represented by an arm of the MEA. Starting pay, depending on classification, ranges from \$6.44 to \$4.43 per hour. After two years, pay ranges from \$9.21 to \$4.83.

Longevity pay of \$100 to \$400 annually is paid after five years of service.

Principals, assistant principals, area coordinators, athletic directors

and directors of special education, vocational education and adult education are unionized under the Plymouth-Canton Administrators.

THEIR SALARIES are based on a factor that reflects the degree of difficulty of the administrative position and the experience of the administrator applied to a negotiated base amount.

Currently, high school principals pull down base salaries of \$48,723 to \$57,638, middle school principals from \$44,184 to \$52,543 and elementary principals from \$41,743 to \$49,916, Kee indicated.

Area coordinators have annual base salaries from \$41,199 to \$49,558, directors from \$41,796 to \$50,155, he reported.

Annual longevity bonuses of \$250 to \$500 are paid after 10 years service.

Non-union crossing guards are paid \$5.05 per hour in their first year, \$5.51 with one year of experience and \$6.13 with two or more years.

The school board gives final approval to all salaries and pay scales.

Local commitment needed in drug fight

By Susan Buck
staff writer

President Reagan's tight-fisted budget proposal to cut anti-drug spending has met with varied responses among Plymouth-Canton agency leaders who are involved in the fight against substance abuse.

Dollars are important, they say, but local commitment and resources go a long way, too.

Under the President's budget, aid to states and cities for drug treatment, education and law enforcement would be cut from \$875 million last year to \$100 million in the next fiscal year.

THE CUT would eliminate most of the federal anti-drug aid to cities and states that was approved as part of an omnibus drug bill last year.

"It would be nice to see that money but I didn't get too excited when it happened," said Dave Yagiela, executive director of Growth Works Inc., a youth assistance program in Plymouth. "I see funding extended

and taken back. I don't know what the motivation was" for Reagan's cutbacks.

"Federal money is often 'funny money.' It comes with restrictions, doesn't always fulfill the objectives set up in the first place and doesn't take into consideration what the community needs."

Growth Works operates several youth programs that deal with "the issues that inflict and affect young people" age 13-18 (diversion, alternative education and drugs). This includes an after-care drug relapse prevention program, which aids about 100 youth annually and is paid for out-of-pocket, and an employment assistance program.

Growth Works has been active in the community for the last 16 years, he said.

Yagiela said the agency has never seen any federal anti-drug money, and he doesn't believe any other area agency ever has either.

Growth Works receives money for its programs locally from the Plymouth-Canton Community Fund and Plym-

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Growth Works executive director

outh-Canton Schools, and it has an employment contract with the city, said Yagiela. Local money is more accountable than federal money, he added.

"In the metropolitan Detroit area, drugs are a big problem. There is a whole set of juvenile system problems that are interrelated with the drug problem."

MATT MURPHY, director of

Straight Inc., a private non-profit adolescent drug treatment program in Plymouth Township, had similar views.

"If people want help, they can usually get it if they are highly motivated. I recognize the fact that we have to do some belt-tightening."

He added that he does not favor the reduction of federal money for anti-drug programs but said that

Reagan's move does not affect Straight Inc., which he said operates on a self-help approach.

"Parents of our clients do a tremendous amount of fund raising. We don't have a gymnasium and color TVs like you see in some federally funded programs."

According to Murphy, Straight Inc. recently received a letter from the White House that commended the group for its self-help approach. The agency has 80-85 drug-addicted patients in treatment, averaging 120-130 patients per year some of which are referred elsewhere, he said.

"We're busier than ever now."

Last year Straight Inc., "graduated" 35 patients, Murphy said.

Neither Yagiela nor Murphy felt Reagan was necessarily backing away from his and First Lady Nancy Reagan's much verbalized "Just Say No" anti-drug campaign.

visitor and director of Plymouth Family Service, said Reagan's move will "limit the capacity to be creative with new programs."

Plymouth Family Service receives some financial support from the Plymouth Community Fund and some from patient fees for service, he said.

The Plymouth Community Fund donated \$76,000 to Growth Works and \$89,500 to Plymouth Family Service from its 1987 budget, according to Clarence DuCharme, executive director. DuCharme also is treasurer of the Plymouth-Canton Substance Abuse Task Force, which meets the second Friday of every month in the Canton Library conference room.

The Plymouth Community Fund also has donated \$12,500 to the Task Force in the last two years, he said.

(The Associated Press contributed to this report.)

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- 3 p.m. . . . BPW Present.
- 4 p.m. . . . Healthercise — An exercise show.
- 4:30 p.m. . . . Community Upbeat — Plymouth-Canton school teacher Sharon McDonald and Canton resident Denise Swope produce talk show on sports, schools, dance, law enforcement, community groups, and more.
- 5 p.m. . . . Northville Skateboard Contest.
- 6 p.m. . . . Totally Gospel.
- 6:30 p.m. . . . Masters of Dance — 9th annual dance concert.
- 7 p.m. . . . Milt Wilcox Show — Former Detroit Tiger pitcher Milt Wilcox and co-host Harry Katopodis interview sports and media celebrity guests.
- 7:30 p.m. . . . High School Sports — Plymouth Canton vs. Livonia Franklin in boys basketball, and Canton Chiefs vs. Franklin Patriots in girls volleyball.
- 9:30 p.m. . . . Omnicon Videotunes Live — Host Dave Daniele and Jim Leinbach.

TUESDAY (Feb. 17)

- 3 p.m. . . . The Americard — Classic movies.
- 4:30 p.m. . . . Judge Priest — Classic movies.
- 6 p.m. . . . History of NASA.
- 6:30 p.m. . . . Community Upbeat.
- 7 p.m. . . . Sports View — Hosts are radio sports personalities Ron Cameron and Bob Page.
- 7:30 p.m. . . . Cross Triv.
- 8 p.m. . . . Economic Club of Detroit.
- 9 p.m. . . . Darlene Myers Show.
- 9:30 p.m. . . . The Sandy Show — Host Sandy Preblich.

WEDNESDAY (Feb. 18)

- 3 p.m. . . . Beyond the Moon — Host Mike Best discusses the stars, planets, moon, and their relationships to each other.
- 3:30 p.m. . . . The Oasis.
- 4 p.m. . . . Darlene Myers Show.
- 4:30 p.m. . . . The Sandy Show.
- 5 p.m. . . . The American Scene — Contemporary soft rock and jazz band plays at a Canton park.

- 6 p.m. . . . Totally Gospel — Host T.J. Hemphill and Margurita Lloyd discuss gospel music.
- 6:30 p.m. . . . Masters of Dance.
- 7 p.m. . . . Milt Wilcox Show.
- 7:30 p.m. . . . High School Sports.
- 9:30 p.m. . . . Videotunes.

CHANNEL 15

MONDAY (Feb. 16)

- 3 p.m. . . . Human Images.
- 3:30 p.m. . . . Cooking With Cas — Chef Cas Wolyniec prepares a variety of his special collection of gourmet selections.
- 4 p.m. . . . People & Places — A production by the organization for cultural arts programming for Ann Arbor features local artists, non-profit organizations, community and religious groups, and educational institutional programming.
- 4:30 p.m. . . . Issues For a Nuclear Age — Individuals concerned about our nuclear fate discuss various aspects of the issue.
- 5 p.m. . . . Sports at the SAL — Basketball and floor hockey action.
- 6 p.m. . . . 1st Presbyterian of Northville Presents: "A Celebration."
- 7 p.m. . . . Omowale Cultural Society — West African music and dance.
- 8 p.m. . . . This is the Life — Real-life situations use a Biblical approach to solutions. Program produced by the Lutheran Church.
- 8:30 p.m. . . . Agape Christian Center — Singing, praise and worship service in Plymouth.
- 9:30 p.m. . . . Topics: Job Training & Employment — Emphasis on on-the-job training for laid-off workers and low-income persons.

TUESDAY (Feb. 17)

- 3 p.m. . . . Legislative Report — A public affairs program which takes a look at issues in Michigan. Presented by the House of Representatives.
- 3:30 p.m. . . . Canton Update — Canton Township Supervisor James Poole and Sandy Preblich talk about what's happen-

- ing in Canton.
- 4 p.m. . . . Madonna Magazine — Information about Madonna College.
- 4:30 p.m. . . . Celebration On Ice — Competition at Plymouth Cultural Center ice arena.
- 6 p.m. . . . Yugoslavian Variety Hour.
- 7 p.m. . . . The New Tax Law — Darlene Myers hosts two CPAs on new tax law.
- 8 p.m. . . . Live Call In With Christens Cable Talk.
- 9 p.m. . . . Off the Wall.
- 9:30 p.m. . . . Youth View.

WEDNESDAY (Feb. 18)

- 3 p.m. . . . Mustang Monthly.
- 3:30 p.m. . . . Omnicon Sports Scene — Jr. "A" Hockey with Hennessey Engineers vs. the Falcons.
- 5 p.m. . . . Michigan Journal — A public affairs program which takes a look at issues in Michigan. Presented by the Michigan Republicans. Hosted by Spencer Abraham, chairman of the Michigan Republican Party.
- 5:30 p.m. . . . Human Images.
- 6 p.m. . . . Canton Update.
- 6:30 p.m. . . . Out to Lunch.
- 7 p.m. . . . Omowale Cultural Society.
- 8 p.m. . . . MESC Job Show — A program produced by the Michigan Employment Security Commission to help unemployed persons gain insight on the job market. Also job listings in the state and local areas.
- 8:30 p.m. . . . Study in Scriptures.
- 9 p.m. . . . 1st Presbyterian Church of Northville: "A Celebration."

CHANNEL 10 CANTON TOWNSHIP

WEDNESDAY

- 3 p.m. . . . Canton Township Board meeting.

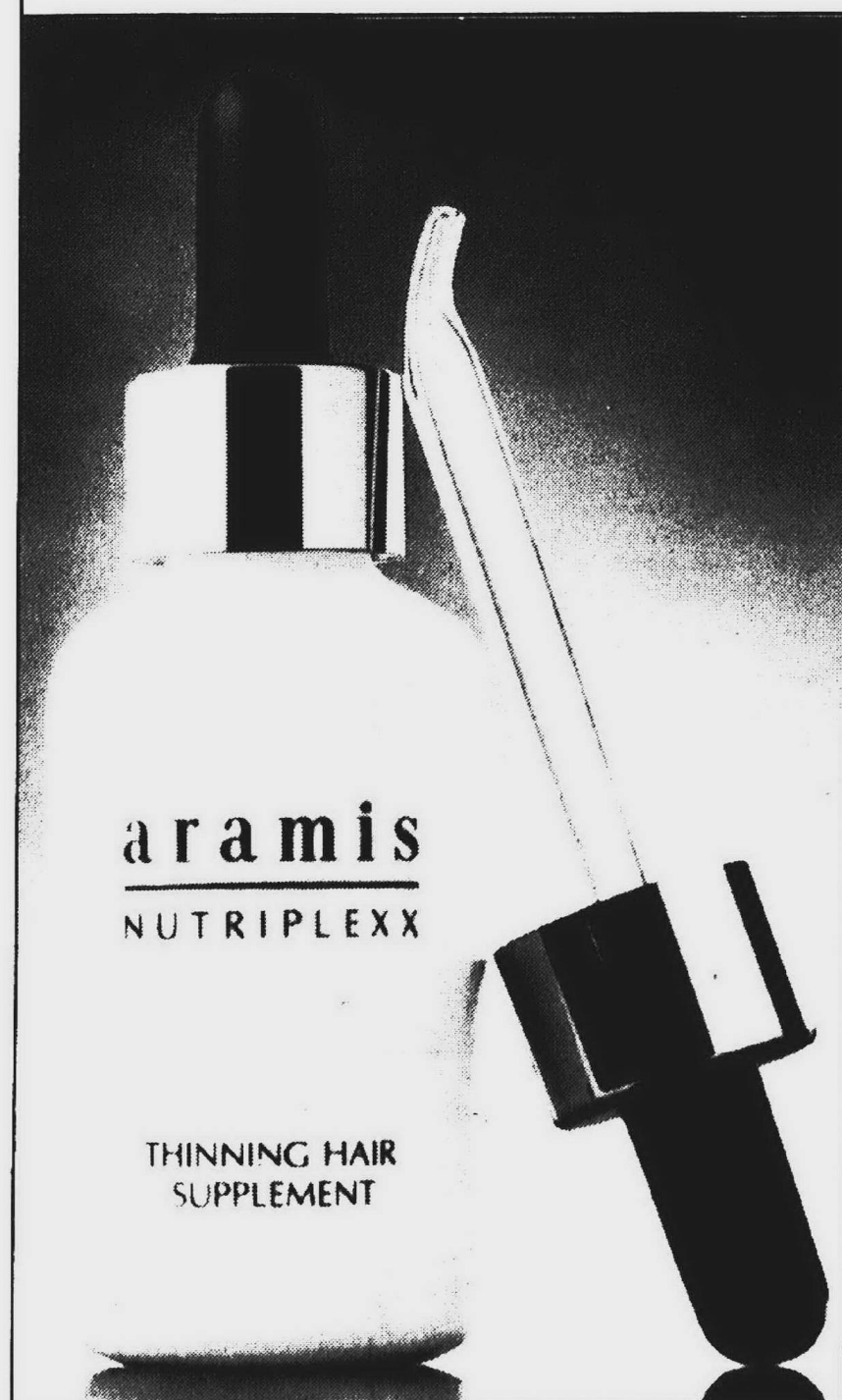
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- 6 p.m. . . . Canton Township Board meeting.

SATURDAYS

- 3 p.m. . . . Canton Township Board meeting.

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S-curve

Officials promise improvements for 'dangerous' roadway

By Diane Gale
staff writer

Conditions on a "dangerous" Cherry Hill stretch of road will be improved sometime this year, Wayne County officials promise.

The action is in response to the large number of accidents near an S-shaped curve west of Hix and east of Lots.

Last year the county widened the road, paved shoulders, erected guard rails and posted new signs in an effort to help drivers negotiate the curve.

But the work doesn't seem to be

enough for residents in the area. Citing numerous accidents, they say conditions are poor. Some residents have started a letter-writing campaign to local and county officials to complain.

"What I'm scared about is they'll wait until a bus gets it," said Joni Stachowski, who owns a home near the curve.

HER NEIGHBOR Sally Lysakowski said she won't let her children play in the family's front yard.

"I'm afraid if someone goes off the curve they'll end up on my front porch," Lysakowski said.

The posted speed on the road is 45 mph and there are no street lights.

"We know there's a problem, and we're trying to correct it," said Carol Steffanni, executive assistant in the office of the Wayne County Executive.

"We've driven down that road, and there shouldn't be a problem but there is," Steffanni said. "I think the problem is people are used to straight roads."

This year the county will review the following improvement options:

- Westland has requested the county widen Cherry Hill at Hix. The site is high priority in the 1987 county

budget for widening intersections, Steffanni said.

- A developer has proposed to widen Cherry Hill east of the S-curve.

- A business person has proposed construction work between the S-curve and Hix on Cherry Hill.

- The county is reviewing whether to straighten the curve somewhat.

"This is something that we're looking at and we're trying to resolve," she said. "We're hoping to see a change during the next construction season, which is this summer."

Although accident statistics were

unavailable, the number of crashes indicate there is a problem in that area.

From 1976 to 1986 there have been 10 accidents on Cherry Hill west of Surrey Heights in Westland. In Canton from 1981 through December 1985 there have been 19 accidents on Cherry Hill the quarter-mile west of the township line.

A man — who drove head-on into another car — was killed near the curve earlier this month. In January 1986 another man died near the site. There were two other fatalities in recent years. The four deaths occurred in Canton.

Residents in the area say smaller incidents — where cars are driven off the road — often go unreported.

Wayne County commissioner Milt Mack, D-Wayne, said: "I am confident they will solve the problem this year. I would anticipate seeing construction activity to correct it. It's difficult to say what they'll do at this time."

It's important to find the cause of the "high accident rate" so money isn't spent unnecessarily on changes that won't affect the problem, Mack said.

(Sue Mason contributed to this story.)

Former farmer celebrates 90th

By Mary Klemic
staff writer

Herman Rossow of Livonia can tell you about change.

Rossow, who celebrated his 90th birthday Sunday with 156 family members and friends at LeRight's Restaurant in Westland, has seen a lot of change. He left home at the age of 13, and his first job was picking up cattle and eggs from farmers. His route was bordered by Joy, Maple Drive, Greenfield and Northville.

"It was all farms at that time," Rossow said.

"I knew everybody in Livonia Township and Redford Township."

ROSSOW WAS born in Redford Township and has lived in Livonia, Redford, Plymouth and Northville all his life. He has lived in Livonia since 1951.

Rossow earned \$16 a month on his first job when he started. Seven years later, he was earning \$120 a month.

Permits up

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generating permit fee revenue of \$118,235.

Comparable figures for 1985 were \$2.3 million and \$32,273.

The number of permits issued those years in the city wasn't readily available.

Rossow's other jobs included work in a factory. He was a partner in a pool room in Redford for five or six years, until an exploding kerosene stove there put him out of business.

He went on to farming for 22 years, and had a farm in Plymouth where a Ford plant now stands. Rossow worked at Burroughs, and retired at the age of 65.

"I was never out of a job," Rossow said. "I always had work."

Rossow has been a lifelong member of the Salem United Church of Christ in Farmington. He enjoys bowling.

"I've had a lot of fun and a lot of bad luck too," Rossow said. "You just gotta do something."

Guests came from as far away as

Arizona and Florida to attend Rossow's birthday party.

"I've sure got a nice family," he said.

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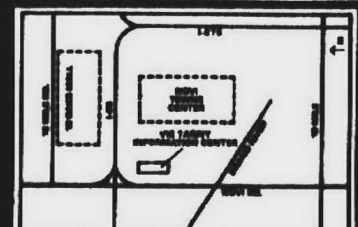
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Area schools divided on tax shift's merits

By Wayne Peal
staff writer

No local school districts would benefit from the state-supported \$3,000 minimum per-pupil expense outlined in a new tax proposal.

But that doesn't mean the proposal — which would raise the state sales tax to 6 percent while cutting property taxes — is without local support.

Even though all local districts currently spend more than \$3,000 per student, some local school officials — particularly those in small districts — see the proposal as a positive step toward equalizing education costs.

"Any type of tax reform that would reduce the inequity (of per-pupil spending) I'm in favor of," Clarenceville Superintendent Michael Shibley said.

OFFICIALS IN Redford Union, another of the area's smaller districts, have long advocated finding alternative funding sources.

While unfamiliar with the latest proposal, district officials said it was at least worth examining.

"Without having seen it, I would say we are generally supportive of any program that would move support away from the property tax," RU Superintendent Kenneth Erickson said. "We are not a property-rich district."

Officials from some larger school districts also hailed the proposal,

though doubted whether it would benefit them.

"Any increase in sales tax would go a long way toward equalizing funding," said Livonia Schools business director Michael Furlong. "But we're a long way from qualifying."

As an out-of-formula district, Livonia currently receives no state aid for general educational expenses.

But everyone was enthusiastic. Some school officials are looking for hidden traps.

"Our concern is that we haven't seen it yet," South Redford Superintendent Jan Jacobs said. "It could be something like the new federal tax law — something that sounds good at first but which causes concerns when you read all the way through it."

OTHERS DOUBT whether the sales tax increase would be the cure-all envisioned by its supporters.

"It looks to me like a tax shift," Wayne-Westland Superintendent Dennis O'Neill said. "A lot of people thought the lottery was going to be the answer, but it doesn't come close. We'll have to see whether this would."

Added Garden City Superintendent Michael Wilmot: "It's just one of many proposals out there. Any change could be a long time in coming."

Still others criticized the sales tax. "I don't believe the sales tax is a fair tax," Plymouth-Canton Superin-

'It's just one of many proposals out there.'

— Michael Wilmot
Garden City superintendent

tendent Michael Hoben said. "It's discriminatory in that the poor have to pay the same percentage as everyone else."

The tax proposal was contained in a Michigan Citizens Property Tax Commission study released Tuesday. The 15-member commission was appointed by Sen. Majority Leader John Engler, R-Mount Pleasant, to investigate property tax alternatives and methods to equalizing state education funding.

THE PROPOSED \$3,000 minimum per-pupil expenditure includes all costs — including teacher salaries — involved in proving a year's education to any particular student.

Districts with heavy industrial or commercial base generally spend more per pupil than less endowed communities.

Among local districts, per-pupil spending varies from Plymouth-Canton's \$3,159 per student to South Redford's \$4,517. Per pupil spending for most local schools falls within the \$3,300-\$3,600 range. (For figures, see related chart.)

The report also suggests asking voters to increase the state sales tax from 4 to 6 percent in return for property tax cuts. Supporters said average school taxes could be rolled back from 32 mills to 17-18 mills if the sales tax increase was approved.

The commission also suggested:

- Lowering Homestead Property Tax Credit income eligibility from \$73,650 to \$30,000.
- Studying whether tax abatements spur expansion and limiting business tax breaks seven years — rather than the current 12-year maximum — unless the development would have regional economic impact.

- Imposing mandatory education and recertification programs for tax assessors.

The commission concluded that the state has to overhaul the property tax system to decrease taxes while increasing per-pupil spending. No lawmakers sat on the commission.

Last week, the Michigan Board of Education and House Speaker Gary Owen set up their own committees

Local enrollment, spending

Here are enrollment and per-pupil spending figures for local schools.

name	students	per-student expense
Clarenceville	1,984	\$3,460
Garden City	7,139	\$3,654
Livonia	16,627	\$3,669
Plymouth-Canton	15,931	\$3,159
Redford Union	6,366	\$3,310
South Redford	2,953	\$4,517
Wayne-Westland	18,458	\$3,660

Figures are provided by the Wayne County Intermediate School District and by the districts themselves.

to study school financing.

Engler expects the legislature will evaluate the various proposals this fall. He added the group's recommendations do not necessarily reflect the beliefs of Senate Republicans.

"I'm not willing to be locked into a position . . . prematurely," he said. "I think there's some pretty bold rec-

ommendations."

Owen, who has spoken favorably about funding schools with sales tax, was cautious in assessing the commission's report.

"I'd have to take a closer look at it," the Ypsilanti Democrat said, noting that state sales tax is no longer deductible on federal income tax returns.

S'craft to honor young pianists

Schoolcraft College will hold its 15th annual piano honors recital Sunday, Feb. 22, in the college's liberal arts theater. The recital begins at 4 p.m. Admission is free.

Twenty-four pianists, selected from 65 applicants, will perform. The competition rewards excellence in young pianists from grade school

through high school age.

Three students, selected as the most outstanding within their classification, will receive cash awards and perform in a recital later this spring for the Detroit Musicians League and Livonia Piano Teachers Forum.

Local elementary school students

who will perform include: Rebecca Bauman and Freda Lynn, Bloomfield Hills; David Chan, Canton; Robbie Madera, Farmington Hills and David Smith, Southfield.

Junior high performers will include: Brandon Cagnon, Jonathan Hommes and Esther Yakiv, Farm-

ington Hills, and Madia Lynn, Bloomfield Hills.

High school performers will include: Laura Buszard, Livonia; Angie Chen and Jeanine Chen, Farmington; and Cheryl Rakish, Farmington Hills.

The college is at 18600 Haggerty, between Six and Seven Mile roads.

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WINNERS CIRCLE

BY LAURIE KIPP

M&L

The Michigan Lottery receives many questions on instant games. The following summary provides answers to the most frequently asked questions.

Q: Has the Instant Game prize structure changed?

A: Instant game players have requested more small prizes and a chance to win more frequently. Responding to their wishes, the Lottery has changed the prize structure of the current and next few instant games.

Q: How is it different?

A: Instead of putting a major amount into a million-dollar grand prize drawing, that money will go for smaller prizes to create more winners. For example, in the current game, "Doubling Dollars," the full prize total of nearly \$10 million will go to prizes from \$2 to \$1,000. The game beginning March 10, "Cash Deal," will also offer cash prizes of \$2 to \$1,000.

Q: How many Instant Game winners were there in the last fiscal year?

A: There were nearly 16 million cash winners whose prizes ranged from \$2 to \$100,000.

Q: Do you have a breakdown of those winners?

A: Yes. The majority of the wins ranged from \$2 to \$150. There were 323 players who won \$10,000 awards, 32 won \$20,000, 14 won prizes ranging between \$10,000 and \$20,000, 18 won \$50,000, while ten won \$100,000.

Q: How much money was won in all Lottery games including Instant Games?

A: In the last fiscal year, prizes won totalled \$481 million. This does not include the full value of large prizes paid over a 20-year period.

Q: How many of those prizes were for \$1 million or more?

A: There were 94 players or clubs who won such prizes, including five instant game grand prize winners who won \$1,000 a week for life, with a minimum of \$1 million.

Q: How is such a prize paid out?

A: As in all Lottery states, most major prizes in the Michigan Lottery are paid out over a 20-year period.

Q: What if a winner dies before the 20 years pass?

A: The Lottery ALWAYS pays out the full prize amount. The remainder of any prize is paid to the estate of the deceased winner.

For submitting the question that led to this column, Bertie V. Hutson of Wyandotte has been awarded 50 tickets in the current instant game, "Doubling Dollars."

If you have a Lottery question not yet covered in these monthly columns, send it to "Winners Circle," Michigan Lottery, P. O. Box 30077, Lansing, MI 48909.

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● SENIOR CHORE SERVICE

The Conference of Western Wayne Chore Program has been funded for 1987.

The program is funded by Senior Alliance and provides assistance with household maintenance tasks which may include leaf raking, snow removal, and grass cutting. Persons

must be age 60 or older and live in Canton, Plymouth or Plymouth Township. For more information call the chore program at 525-8690.

● JOB HELP

The Community Employment Service offered through Growth Works Inc. provides job search assistance to western Wayne County residents. Using a computer data base, job seekers are matched with local employment opportunities.

Those who wish to register with the Community Employment Service, and those employers with job openings, should call 455-4093. Growth Works is a non-profit, community-based organization.

● FREE JOB TRAINING

Free job training is available for Plymouth and Canton residents at

the Employment and Training Center, Wayne-Westland Community Schools, 36105 Marquette, just east of Newburgh in Westland.

There are openings in clerical/office practices, accounting/computing, electronics, restaurant occupations, auto repair, health occupations, printing occupations and building maintenance. People are eligible if they live in Wayne County (but not Detroit or downriver), are low income (including long-term unemployment) and are committed to seeking a full-time training-related job.

The educational funding for the program is provided by Wayne County Private Industry Council. For information, call 595-2314.

● FENCING CLUB

A free fencing club meets Thurs-

days at Field Elementary School, 1000 Haggerty, Canton Township. People with fencing experience desired. Contact Bruce Davis at 455-6418.

● TURNING POINT

If you need help solving a problem, need someone to listen, a referral or information about drugs and alcohol, counselors at Turning Point can help.

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● CANTON BEAUTIFIERS

The Canton Beautification Committee meets at 7 p.m. the second

Thursday of each month at Canton Township Hall, Canton Center Road south of Proctor.

● TOUGH LOVE

Tough Love, a self-help group for parents troubled by teenage behavior, meets at 7 p.m. Mondays in the Faith Community Church on Warren at Canton Center Road, Canton.

● NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH

The Plymouth Police Department is organizing a Neighborhood Watch program for city residents. Anyone interested in becoming involved in the program may call 453-8600 from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Friday. The program is a protection against residential break-ins and burglaries.

● SENIOR CITIZENS

The Senior Network will answer

questions and help solve problems for people 60 and older. The program, provided by the Out-Wayne County Area Council on Aging, has information about programs and services for older people. Call 422-1052 between 9:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. Monday-Friday.

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The Plymouth Community Council on Aging has senior handymen available to do work. Call 453-1234, 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

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● PARENTS' ROLE IN SEX ED

Monday, Feb. 16 — "The Parents' Role in Sex Education," a presentation and discussion with Dr. Mary Paonessa, will be held at 8 p.m. in the gym of Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic School on Penniman Avenue in Plymouth. All are welcome.

● CANTON BOOSTER CLUB

Monday, Feb. 16 — The Plymouth Canton High Booster Club will hold its quarterly meeting beginning at 7:30 p.m. in Room 108 of Canton High. Light refreshments will be served.

● EAST MIDDLE CONCERT

Wednesday, Feb. 18 — East Middle School will have its "Think Spring" concert, conducted by Paul Reeves, beginning at 7 p.m. at the school. There will be a home greenery raffle and refreshments after the concert.

● ACTIVATING PARENTS

Saturday, Feb. 21 — A workshop on "Activating Parents in the Special Education Process" will be presented from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at West Middle School, 44401 Ann Arbor Trail at Sheldon, Plymouth. The workshop is designed to help parents participate effectively in the planning, development and decision making for their handicapped children's education.

The workshop will help you: understand the law and your rights; obtain information on services, resources and programs available; become an educational advocate for your child; prepare for and participate in the Individual Educational Planning Committee process. To register for this free workshop, call Tom Lerchen at 729-4588. The workshop is co-sponsored by Plymouth-Canton Special Education Parent Advisory Committee and the Citizens Alliance to Uphold Special Education.

● PLYMOUTH STORYTIMES

Tuesday, Thursday, Feb. 24, 26 — Registration for March storytimes are being taken at the Dunning-Hough Library at 223 S. Main, Plymouth. Registration for toddlers ages 2-3½ will be at 10 a.m. Tuesday, Feb. 24, while registration for preschoolers ages 3½-5 will be at 10 a.m. Thursday, Feb. 26. Both storytimes will be four-week sessions, and parents must remain in the library during storytimes.

● ROLLER SKATING PARTY

Wednesday, Feb. 25 — Isbister Elementary School PTG is sponsoring a roller skating party during midwinter break from 1-3 p.m. at the Skatin' Station. Skate rental is \$1. No passes can be used but all are welcome.

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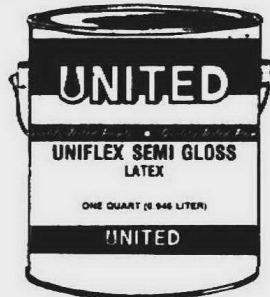
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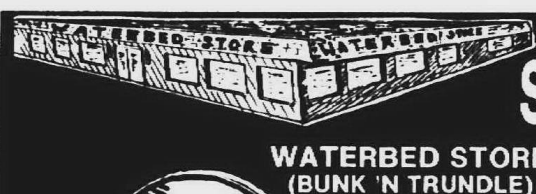
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Western Wayne council backs triple bunking

By Wayne Peal
staff writer

Will it be three's company in the new Wayne County Jail?
Sheriff Robert Ficano is stumping for triple bunking of prisoners, saying the 2½-year-old facility is filled to capacity.

According to Ficano, roughly 800 prisoners — including 500 felons — should have been housed at the jail since September, but weren't because space wasn't available.

Triple bunking, the sheriff said, is the quickest, most cost-effective, means of expanding jail capacity.

Agreeing with Ficano, the Council of Western Wayne endorsed triple bunking Friday. Council members said they would lobby state and county officials on the proposal's behalf. The council includes governmental representatives from Garden City, Livonia, Plymouth, Westland and Canton, Plymouth and Redford townships, among western Wayne County communities.

THE AMERICAN Civil Liberties Union, however, has criticized the proposal.

And at this point, it isn't certain whether state officials will agree with either group.

While an exact price tag hasn't been established, Ficano said it cost roughly \$350,000 when jail cells were recently converted for double bunking.

County commissioners would have to approve funding, though rejection from the Michigan Corrections Com-

mission would kill the plan. But Ficano said state Rep. Justine Barns, D-Westland, seeks an attorney general's opinion on whether state corrections officials can regulate the county facility.

Ficano acknowledged that triple bunking could increase prisoner assaults.

"There's always a possibility inmates may assault one another," he said. "But a lot of people in our jail are awaiting trial. That sometimes keeps them restrained. Once they've

been sentenced for 10-15 years, they probably feel they've got nothing to lose."

Prisoners with records of assaultive or homosexual behavior would be transferred to the old county jail — which features single-bunk cells — Ficano said.

Prisoners are not confined to their cells all day, according to the sheriff.

"Most people have a misperception of what happens in jail," he said. Prisoners are moved outside their cells during the day, Ficano said.

The new jail includes indoor and outdoor gymnasiums as well as recreation rooms on every other floor.

The third bunk would be placed along cells' rear walls, perpendicular to the other two bunks, Ficano said.

Jail overcrowding isn't expected to ease, however, the sheriff said. Detroit's new gun law, which requires mandatory sentences for offenders, and increased police protection in suburban areas should provide a steady flow of prisoners.



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In 1916, 104 men on the railroad's payroll were employed in and lived in Plymouth. Thirty men worked in the roundhouse and nine in the depot and freight house — all located in

the north end of town. Almost 40 section men also resided in Plymouth. The Plymouth payroll of the Pere Marquette in 1916 amounted to \$7,763 a month.

Two local freight train crews and six extra crews tied up here every night. Twenty extra train crews passed through Plymouth every 24 hours, getting their meals at the railroad restaurants here. Eighteen passenger trains were in and out of Plymouth, four ways, every day, giving the community a standard of train service that was never surpassed here and which began to diminish as the automobile began to elbow its way into the transportation scene.

On an average of 60 cars of livestock were fed in the Plymouth yards every week. All in all, the Mail noted that Pere Marquette officials were kindly disposed toward the community of Plymouth. Considering the employment and business the railroad brought to the village, it is safe to say that the feeling was reciprocated.

OF THE FOUR manufacturing firms along or near the tracks, the



past and present

Sam Hudson

Alter Motor Car Co. was covered in an earlier column.

Of the three remaining, the Markham firm was the first of the group to be established here and the first in the nation to produce and sell inexpensive "toy" rifles for use by boys. The founder of the firm, W.F. Markham, was born in England on Jan. 22, 1851, the year Nathaniel Hawthorne wrote "The House of Seven Gables."

The company Markham formed in Plymouth first produced wooden products including troughs and cisterns used for watering livestock. With that background, it is not surprising that the first air rifle he produced was made of wood.

Markham is said to have conceived the idea of using compressed air as an expelling force for

projectiles in a wooden rifle in 1880. His patent was not issued until August 1887 but he began making the guns in 1885, three years before Daisy got into the business.

His competitors at Daisy later tended to downplay Markham's achievement and his wooden air-gun. Charley Bennett called the rifle more of a nightmare than a dream. Cass Hough said it resembled anything but a gun and that many of Markham's neighbors said the patent should have gone to one of his workmen rather than to him. But other sources say that, although primitive by today's standards, the Markham air-gun was remarkably accurate.

Coello Hamilton described the Markham rifle to me when I interviewed him in 1967: "It was a wooden rifle with a brass cylinder. It had

a hinge at the end of the air chamber. You put a BB in and drew the plunger back to fire. It was a strong shooter."

MARKHAM'S WOODEN gun found favor with a large distributor in Chicago and it was thereafter called "the Chicago."

The firm continued to produce it long after those made of steel made their appearance. For reasons not pertinent to this article, in 1912 Phil Markham decided to pick up stakes and move to California.

On Dec. 31, 1912, he sold 90 percent of his stock in the Markham Co. to two of the principals in the Daisy Manufacturing Co., Edward C. Hough and Charles H. Bennett. But for some reason he retained 10 percent and the firm was still known as the Markham Air Rifle Company in 1916 when the Plymouth Mail issued its Booster Edition.

When Markham left for the west coast, he left E.S. Roe, vice president and superintendent of the firm, in charge. Evered V. Jolliffe was secretary and sales manager. Ernie Roe had been with Markham since the firm started; the Mail said he

was the "oldest man connected with the air-gun industry here" in 1916. The article took no note of the deal made with Hough and Bennett four years earlier — perhaps all of the principals had reasons for keeping it, under wraps.

Between the two firms they had 90 percent of the air rifle business in the world, and government officials might not have taken kindly to the transaction. In addition, Daisy may not have wanted the purchase made known in the trade. In his book, "It's A Daisy!," Cass Hough wrote that after Daisy got control of Markham's rifles made in the Markham plant, would be sold to Sears Roebuck & Co. and Montgomery Ward, but were not to be sold by Daisy.

Whatever the reason, both the Daisy and the Markham firms had separate ads in the Mail's 1916 Booster edition, and the article in the paper indicated that Phil Markham was still president of the firm bearing his name "although for the past three years he has been a resident of California."

(To be continued.)

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WEIGHT LOSS

Catherine McAuley Health Center will sponsor free introductory "Be Trim" sessions from 7:30 to 9 p.m. Monday, Feb. 16, and Wednesday, Feb. 18, at Arbor Health Building, 990 W. Ann Arbor Trail at Harvey, Plymouth. The free classes will illustrate a comprehensive approach to permanent weight loss. The focus will be on techniques to manage stress and other factors directly linked to successfully controlling weight problems.

CHEMICAL DEPENDENCY LECTURE

Neil Carolan, director of the chemical dependency program at Catherine McAuley Health Center, will discuss treatment options and program selection at the Chemical Dependency Lecture Series 7-8 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 17, in the education center of Catherine McAuley Health Center, 5301 E. Huron River Drive, Ann Arbor. The series is free.

SMOKING, WEIGHT CONTROL

A stop smoking and weight control clinic will be offered by Plymouth

Community Family YMCA Thursday, Feb. 19, at Plymouth Township Hall, Ann Arbor Road at Mill. The stop smoking session will begin at 6 p.m. and weight control at 8:30 p.m. Hypnosis is used in both sessions. The fee for each is \$30. For further information or to register, call the YMCA, 453-2904.

FREE HEALTH SCREENINGS

Catherine McAuley Health Centers offers free health screenings 1-5 p.m. Monday, Feb. 23, at Arbor Health Building, Ann Arbor Trail at Harvey. Hypertension screening will be offered 1-5 p.m. Hearing tests and hearing aid checks will be available 3-5 p.m. For information, call 455-5869.

ASTHMA, ALLERGY FORUM

An asthma and allergy information forum, sponsored by the Asthma and Allergy Foundation of America, will be presented 7-9 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 24, at the Catherine McAuley Health Center education center near St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. Cary Johnson, pharmacist and instructor at the University of Michigan, will speak on "What You've Always Wanted to Know About Medicines for Asthma."

WIDOWS TO SHARE

"The Second Time Around: Exploring Issues of Widowhood" is the topic of a free program from noon to 1 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 25, at Canton Recreation Center, Michigan Avenue at Sheldon. Participants will be invited to share stories about their loved ones and to talk about their experiences in beginning a new life. They also will discuss how they have dealt with loneliness. The program will be presented by Janet Zielasko of the office of health promotion, Catherine McAuley Health Center, Ann Arbor.

SURVIVORS SUPPORT GROUP

The Horizons Survivors Support Group, sponsored by Schrader Funeral Home of Plymouth and led by Diane M. O'Connor, staff grief specialist, will meet at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 27, at the Plymouth Historical Museum. The topic will be "Coping Strategy . . . Dealing With Suicide."

YOUNG ADULT AA

A new Young Adult AA group will meet at 7 p.m. each Sunday in Plymouth Township Hall at 42350 Ann Arbor Road at Mill. The meeting is for young adults only. For information, call 459-0176.

24-HOUR DRUG HOTLINE

A 24-hour drug assistance telephone line is being operated by Catherine McAuley Health Center. The number is 572-4300.

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When you call, request a free copy of the brochure "Could My Child be Using?"

FOOT CARE SERVICE

A foot care service for senior citizens in Plymouth is offered the second and fourth Thursday of each month 1-5 p.m. in the community room of the Arbor Health Building at Ann Arbor Trail and Harvey in Plymouth. The treatment includes foot assessment, soaks, nail trimming, pumicing, massage, education for proper hygiene, exercise and footwear. Appointments may be made in advance by calling 455-1908. A nominal fee will be charged at the time of the service.

HELP-A-HEART

Barb Kibler of Canton is chairwoman of the Help-A-Heart, Save a Label drive being conducted by The Ticker Club of Children's Hospital in Detroit. For each Heinz baby food, juice and instant food label turned in, 6 cents will be donated to the hospital for medical equipment. Labels may be mailed to: Barb Kibler, 1127 Canterbury Circle, Canton 48187. This will be an ongoing project.

POSTMASTECTOMY GROUP

ENCORE, the YWCA Postmastectomy Support Group, meets from 9 a.m. to noon Thursdays at the Forum Health Club, Maplewood at Ford in Westland. ENCORE stands for encouragement, normalcy, concerns, opportunity, reaching-out and energies revived. For additional information, call Cynthia Nichols at 561-4110 or Sharon Morris, 722-7329.

ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT

The Plymouth Family Support Group for the Alzheimer's Disease and Related Disorders Association will meet 1-3 p.m. on the first Wednesday of each month and 7-9 p.m. on the first Monday of each

month in the Arbor Health Building at Ann Arbor Trail and Harvey in Plymouth. Meetings are in the conference room and free to the public.

DRUG USE ASSESSMENT

A new substance abuse assessment service is being offered by the chemical dependency program at Catherine McAuley Health Center. For the assessment a trained counselor meets with the parents and their child. If the child has a drug or alcohol problem, the parents and the child will be given assistance in selecting the right treatment. For information, call 572-4308.

FOCUS ON LIVING

Focus on Living (with cancer) meetings are at 7:30 p.m. the first Wednesday of each month at St. Mary Hospital, Five Mile at Levan, Livonia. The self-help group is to bring together patients and family members who are experiencing problems as a result of living with cancer. A nurse consultant and other resource people lead discussions of mutual problems. The meetings are on the fourth floor of St. Mary Hospital.

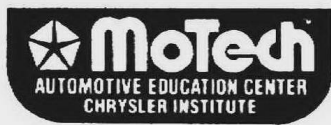
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This sequence of events was first described eighty years ago by Maurice Sudek.

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Chiefs soar in Western

By Chris McCosky
staff writer

There were 10 seconds left in the game.

Plymouth Canton's Tyrone Reeves hit Mike LaSota with a pretty pass underneath the Farmington Harrison basket. LaSota's hoop gave Canton a 65-56 lead and Tom Niemi finally accepted the victory.

"That's it. That's it, that's it, that's it," the Canton coach shouted while slapping five with everyone along the bench.

Sir Edmund Hillary probably said the same thing when he reached the top of Mount Everest.

In fact, Canton's 65-58 win at Harrison Friday night — a win that gave the Chiefs sole possession of first place in the Western Lakes Western Division — would have made old Sir Hillary proud. It was like climbing a steep mountain.

"Yes, I guess we climbed a bit of a mountain tonight. But we've played over adversity all season," Niemi said.

LET'S TALK adversity. Canton got into foul trouble early. The Chiefs were whistled for 17 fouls in the first half. Harrison was whistled for seven. By the fourth quarter, Canton had three players with four fouls and two others with three.

For the game, Harrison made 24 of 38 free throws. Canton made 11 of 13.

But the Chiefs, in effect, were getting two points for every free throw they gave up. The Chiefs made 27 field goals to Harrison's 17.

But foul trouble wasn't the only thing blocking the Chiefs Friday — there was a human mountain by the name of Brad Ridgeway to contend with. The 6-8 senior center scored 14 points for Harrison, blocked 10 shots and grabbed 11 rebounds.

The Hawks were very effective when they set up their half-court offense and kicked the ball inside to Ridgeway. Unfortunately for the Hawks, the Chiefs seldom allowed Harrison to set up.

"I think that was because of our inexperience," said Harrison coach Mike Teachman. "These guys, even our seniors, haven't played that much basketball. That stuff happens. We got out of our offense. Then we got frustrated. But Canton did a nice job. They saw that we took the middle away so they worked the ball around until they got an open shot."

AND CANTON didn't miss many open shots, particularly down the stretch. Much to Niemi's delight, it was players off his bench that were doing the scoring. Brad Carey (who should remind old-time Canton basketball fans of a young Scott Adler), Matt Littleton, Mike LaSota and David Foxworthy all contributed mightily.

WESTERN DIVISION BASKETBALL STANDINGS (League records only)

Plymouth Canton	9-5
Farmington Harrison	8-6
Livonia Churchill	7-7
Northville	6-8
W.L. Western	4-10
Livonia Franklin	1-13

"We work very hard to develop players in our program and we expect them to perform," Niemi said. "And tonight they did. They really did a job for us."

Canton led throughout the first half but Harrison took a 33-31 lead early in the third quarter. Jeff Anulewicz scored to tie the game, then Carey drained two long-range jumpers and Littleton hit a short jumper to put the Chiefs back in front 39-35.

Harrison retied the game at 39. But LaSota, Carey and Brian Paupore countered with baskets and Canton eventually took a 47-44 lead into the final quarter.

Canton, virtually ignoring Harrison's all-out pressure, never relinquished its lead in the fourth quarter.

"AT HALFTIME I really thought we had them," Teachman said. "They were in foul trouble and I thought we could really take it to them in the second half. But we didn't play very smart. We couldn't find their open shooters and we stopped taking the ball inside; we stopped doing the things that got them into foul trouble in the first half."

Said Niemi: "I thought we played excellent defense when we had to and I thought we showed excellent poise when Harrison took the lead. I'm really proud of the kids. We're like a family. Everyone of these guys played super tonight."

LaSota led Canton with 14 points. Carey notched 12. Starters Tyrone Reeves and Roger Trice were also effective. Reeves scored 10 points and dished out nine assists. Trice scored 11 points, grabbed 11 rebounds and checked Harrison sharpshooter Scott Bissell on just six points.

Harrison got 15 points from Chad Burgess and 14 from Gary Schwedt to supplement Ridgeway.

The victory gives Canton a one-game lead in the Western Division with two games left. The Chiefs, 9-5 in the league and 10-7 overall, host Livonia Stevenson Tuesday and Northville Friday.

The Hawks, 8-6 and 9-7 overall, travel to Walled Lake Central Tuesday and to Walled Lake Western Friday.

"We know that we have to play two very difficult teams next week," Niemi said. "This thing is far from over."



RANDY BORST/staff photographer

Rocks bash North

All Plymouth Salem needed was that strong first quarter.

That's just what the Rocks got against visiting North Farmington. They led 18-6 after one period, and against a team like North, which has struggled offensively all season, that was enough.

Salem played the Raiders evenly the rest of the way to win by that 12-point margin, 58-46, in a Western Lakes Activities Association basketball game Friday.

"We got the ball inside in the first quarter," said Salem coach Bob Brodie. "Then North packed it in."

But by then it was too late — the damage was done. The Raiders narrowed the gap to 32-25 at the half, but Salem outscored them 26-21 over the last two quarters to claim the victory.

Chuck Howard did most of the offensive damage for North, scoring 13 first-half points. But Brodie made a defensive adjustment at halftime, limiting Howard to just four second-half points and 17 for the game.

"We didn't allow Howard to drop step and shoot in the second half," said Brodie. "We did a real good job defensively. I'm happy with our defense — we're holding teams to 49 points a game."

Rick Taylor was a potent offensive force for the Rocks, pouring in 25 points and grabbing 14 rebounds. Mike Hale added 14 points. Rick Karcher contributed 12 for North.

The win lifted Salem to 15-2 overall and 13-1 in the WLAA. North fell to 6-10 overall and 5-9 in the WLAA.

STEVENSON 44, FARMINGTON 33: The one-two punch of Eric Johnson and Pete Mazzoni triggered a Livonia Stevenson scoring spree in the middle quarters, when the Spartans outpointed Farmington 33-14, Friday at Farmington.

Mazzoni netted 12 points, six coming in a 17-5 second-quarter Stevenson surge that put the Spartans ahead 23-12 at the half. Johnson, who finished with 17 points, netted six in the third quarter as the Spartans increased their lead to 41-21.

A 12-3 final-quarter Farmington rally wasn't enough. Andy Boden and Steve Howell each scored eight points for the Falcons (1-15 overall, 1-13 in the WLAA). Stevenson is 8-8 overall, 6-6 in the WLAA.

LAKES DIVISION BASKETBALL STANDINGS (League records only)

Westland John Glenn	14-0
Plymouth Salem	13-1
W.L. Central	9-5
Livonia Stevenson	7-7
North Farmington	5-9
Farmington	1-13

Big night

Jeff Anulewicz of Canton (top, crashing with teammate Roger Trice) and Mike Hale of Salem (below) were on top of some heavy action Friday night. Canton took over sole possession of first place in the Western Lakes Western Division with an impressive win at Farmington Harrison. Salem kept pace one step behind John Glenn in the Lakes Division with a home-court win against North Farmington.



BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

Chief tankers rule West; Raiders surprise Salem

Plymouth Canton swim coach Hooker Wellman refused to let his team dunk him in the pool after the Chiefs knocked off Farmington Harrison 108-64 Thursday.

The obligatory victory dunk generally accompanies a championship swim but Wellman didn't want to make a premature splash.

"We still have to beat Northville on Thursday," Wellman said.

Yeah, but for all intents and purposes his Chiefs clinched their first Western Lakes Western Division title with Thursday's win. At worst, the Chiefs would share the title with Harrison. And, even though Wellman put up a good fight, the Chiefs did finally toss their coach in the drink.

"I'm really pleased that the program is doing so well," Wellman said. "And I'm proud of the way these guys overcame five straight losses at the start of the season. The thing I'm concerned about is keeping this in perspective. I don't want them to get so up over this that they swim lousy at the league meet."

The Chiefs, in winning their seventh consecutive dual meet Thursday, swept three events against the Hawks.

Tom Hone (24.0), Frank Wisniewski (24.06) and Jim Walker (24.4) went 1-2-3 in the 50-yard freestyle. In diving, Brad Flowers (181.45), Keith Corley (181.35) and Bill Richter (155.30) went 1-2-3. Then in the 100 backstroke, Dean Roberts (1:00.1), Scott Swartzwelder (1:03.03) and Jim Riemenschneider (1:05.04) pulled off the sweep.

Roberts, the Chiefs' lone double winner, also captured

the 200 freestyle (1:53.3).

Wisniewski won the 100 free (53.18). Swartzwelder, Jeff Homan, Bryce Anderson and Walker won the 200 medley relay in 1:50.5.

Scott Farabee won two events for Harrison. He took the 200 individual medley (2:08.9) and the 100 butterfly (57.76). He also swam a leg in the Hawks' winning 400 freestyle relay (3:32.1).

Brian Fitzgerald won the 500 free (5:11.1) and Scott Walock won the 100 breaststroke (1:08.1).

Canton is 4-0 in the Western Division and 7-5 overall. The team will finish its dual meet season at Northville Thursday. Harrison falls to 3-1 in the division and 5-5 on the season.

NORTH FARMINGTON used eight first-place finishes to upend Plymouth Salem Thursday, 91-81, in a Lakes Division battle.

Mike Tumej and Jordy Greenstein won a pair of events each for North. Tumej won the 200 IM (2:01.3) and the 500 free (4:47.3). Greenstein won the 100 free (52.3) and the 100 breaststroke (1:07.2).

Andy Fretz won the 50 free (23.6) and Bruce Goins took the 100 butterfly (57.3). North also won both relays: the 200 medley in 1:47.4, and the 400 freestyle in 3:28.4.

Salem (8-3) got firsts from Phil Bocketti (1:53.6 in the 200 free), Kevin Tunich (194.3 in diving) and David Miller (1:00.8 in the 100 backstroke).

Plymouth Salem came into the meet ranked No. 2 in Observerland behind Livonia Stevenson. North was ranked No. 4.

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George's hustle-bustle ignites Britons

By C.J. Rieck
staff writer

To look at it now, one might think Ken George has had few problems in his first year at Albion College. The freshman from Farmington Harrison has earned a starting spot at point guard with the Britons' basketball team, and he's helped turn a team mired in mediocrity into a winner.

Sounds like a major accomplishment for such a young player. But there's more: George, in his spare time, works at the school newspaper; works at a local paper, the Albion Recorder; and fills in as a DJ for the campus radio station. Such a schedule keeps him on the go, and he still carries a 3.5 grade-point average.

Sounds like things sure come easy for George — unless you ask him.

"It was a tough transition from high school," he said of his court experiences. "It really took me awhile to adjust. You know, I'd look at it and think it's not that different."

"But all of these guys were real good high school players. Now I feel I can play on this level. I had some doubts about myself early on. It took a lot more work than I thought."

WHATEVER DOUBTS George had about his abilities are not shared

people in sports

by his coach, Mike Turner. Certainly not now. George has started five of the last six games for Albion; the Britons have won all six. Prior to Saturday's game at Adrian, they were 12-9 overall; their 6-3 mark in the Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association (MIAA) had them in the hunt for title.

The freshman was averaging eight points and 2.3 assists per game prior to Wednesday's 78-71 win at Olivet. George had eight points, four assists and four steals against Olivet. A solid performance but not as statistically bright as his previous two games: in Albion's 104-82 win over Alma, George totaled 20 points, six assists and two steals; and in the Britons' 89-84 upset of Calvin, the NCAA Division III's fifth-ranked team, he scored 15 points.

He's doing all Turner has asked, and a lot more than most of his freshmen predecessors.

"It's been a long time since we've had a freshman come in and start for us," said Turner. "At least four or five years. He's been a very sig-

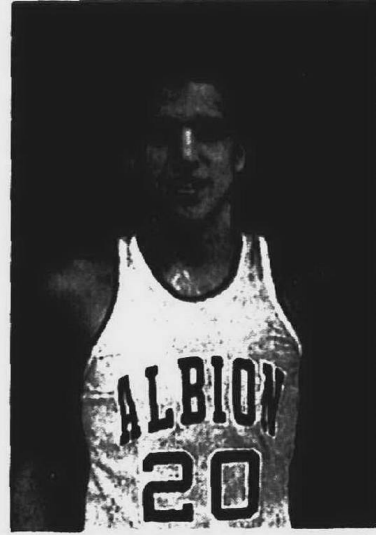
nificant factor in our turnaround. Ken's come a long way in a short period of time. When he does make a mistake now, I get all over him because I'm so surprised to see him make one."

ONE MAJOR talent that got George a starting berth was his shooting. He ranked second in the Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association (MIAA) in three-point shooting accuracy last week (52 percent).

George credits his teammates for his success from three-point range. "We've got some good inside players," he said. "I get it to them and if they can't shoot it, they kick it back out to me."

Of course, the strategy works both ways. The inside players benefit from his outside shooting. "(Defenses) can't double-down on the inside guys," explained George.

But George supplies more than shooting. Turner calls "his ability to provide leadership for our team" as his greatest contribution. It should



Ken George
Albion's shooter

come as no surprise, at Harrison, George averaged 14 points and 5.5 assists over two seasons. But perhaps more noteworthy, the Hawks were 32-10 with him at point guard.

If proof is needed that success breeds success, then George would make a superb example. He's carried his winning ways from Harrison to Albion.

basketball standings

The following are the standings for the Plymouth-Canton Junior Basketball Association as of Feb. 7.

BOYS B American Division		BOYS AAA	
Pacers	8-1	Warriors	4-1
Bulls	7-2	Pistons	3-2
Kings	6-3	Bucks	3-2
Knicks	5-4	Jazz	3-3
Pistons	5-4	Suns	1-6
Celtics	3-6		
Bulls	3-7		
Jazz	2-7		

Results: Jazz 67, Suns 66, Warriors 66, Bucks 60, Jazz 120, Bucks 78, Warriors 90, Pistons 65.

PLYMOUTH RECREATION MEN'S BASKETBALL LEAGUE Standings as of Feb. 5

Jonathan B. Pub.	5-0
Trading Post	5-0
Plymouth Rock	5-0
Artic Window	4-0
Team 13	2-1
Hydralink	2-2
Sidestreet I	2-3
Total Foods	2-3
Bandits	2-3
HMS&C	2-3
Mad Dogs	2-4
Plymouth Rock II	1-4
Sidestreet II	0-4
Domination	0-5

PLYMOUTH RECREATION COED VOLLEYBALL LEAGUE Standings as of Feb. 6

Team 4	61 points
Right Arms	54
Zurkey Lake	47
Wolf Quality	42
Lorien	33
Ace Service	31
ABC Top Soil	29
Team 8	29
Team 15	24
Team 13	21
Moeller 2	20
Moeller 1	19
Hewlett-Packard	11
Team 14	11
Team 7	7

sports shorts

SOFTBALL MEETING

The Canton Parks and Recreation Department is having two informational meetings for managers of its men's and women's softball leagues.

Managers from the men's leagues will meet at 10 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 28. Managers from the women's leagues will meet at 11 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 28.

The meetings will take place at the township administration building, 1150 S. Canton Center Road.

Entry fees, registration dates and times, contract and residency requirements will be among the topics discussed. Call 397-1000 for more information.

FINAL TEEN SKI TRIP

The last teen ski trip to Alpine Valley Ski Area sponsored by the

Canton Parks and Recreation Department is set for Friday, Feb. 27.

The cost is \$15 (\$9 for those with their own equipment). Supervision and transportation are provided by the recreation staff.

Call 397-1000 for more information.

CANTON S'BALL CENTER

Canton Softball Center is now accepting registrations for its 1987 softball season which will begin April 12. Men's, women's, coed and over-35 leagues are being offered. There also will be tournaments every weekend. Call 483-5600 for more information.

RUGGIERO NAMED TO ALL-ACADEMIC TEAM

Annette Ruggiero of Plymouth, a

1985 graduate of Farmington Hills Mercy, has been named to the High Country Athletic Conference all-academic basketball team.

Ruggiero, the starting point guard at Colorado State University, carries a 4.0 grade point average.

She was one of 31 CSU women athletes named all-academic from seven varsity sports.

SPRING RACQUETBALL

The Canton Parks and Recreation will sponsor a 10-week men's racquetball league at Rose Shores of Canton beginning Wednesday, March 4.

Cost is \$60 per player for the 10-week league. Court times are 7:30 and 8 p.m.

Call 397-5110 for more information.

CANTON SOCCER

Any girl (grade 9-12) interested in playing junior varsity or varsity soccer at Plymouth Canton High School this spring should contact Don Smith, 459-7686.

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Pontiac on May 5, 1987.

The legal description of properties to be offered for sale will be published on March 5, 1987, March 12, 1987 and March 19, 1987. In the Clarkston Reminder, Clarkston, MI.

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the week ahead

PREP BASKETBALL
Tuesday, Feb. 17
Liv. Churchill at Wald. John Glenn, 7:30 p.m.
Liv. Stevenson at Ply. Canton, 7:30 p.m.
Ply. Salem at Liv. Franklin, 7:30 p.m.
Farmington at Northville, 7:30 p.m.
Farm. Harrison at W.L. Western, 7:30 p.m.
Garden City at D.H. Crestwood, 7:30 p.m.
Harper Woods at Clarencville, 7:30 p.m.
Warren St. Anne at St. Agatha, 7:30 p.m.
Catholic League A-B Playoffs
O.L. St. Mary at Bishop Borgoes, 7:30 p.m.
Det. Servite at Catholic Cent., 7:30 p.m.
Thursday, Feb. 19
Farmington at N. Farmington, 7:30 p.m.
Friday, Feb. 20
Liv. Churchill at Liv. Franklin, 7:30 p.m.
W.L. Central at Liv. Stevenson, 7:30 p.m.
Ply. Salem at Wald. John Glenn, 7:30 p.m.
Northville at Ply. Canton, 7:30 p.m.
Farm. Harrison at W.L. Western, 7:30 p.m.
Wyandotte at Wayne Memorial, 7:30 p.m.
Redford Union at Garden City, 7:30 p.m.
Red. Thurston at D.H. Annapolis, 7:30 p.m.
Clarencville at Lutheran Univ., 7:30 p.m.
Ply. Christian at G.P. Univ.-Lippert, 7 p.m.
M.C. Holy Cross at St. Agatha, 7:30 p.m.
Sunday, Feb. 22
A-B quarterfinals at U-D's Callhan Hall, 2 p.m., 4 p.m., 6 p.m. and 8 p.m.

PREP HOCKEY
Wednesday, Feb. 18
Livonia Stevenson vs. Wyandotte, Liv. Franklin vs. South Lyon at Livonia's Edger Arena, 6 and 8 p.m.
Thursday, Feb. 19
Liv. Churchill at Southfield, 8 p.m.
Friday, Feb. 20
Liv. Churchill vs. Liv. Stevenson at Livonia's Edger Arena, 8 p.m.
Saturday, Feb. 21
Liv. Franklin vs. Milford High at Lakeland Ice Arena, 7 p.m.
Catholic Central vs. Flint Powers at Redford Ice Arena, 8 p.m.

MEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL
Wednesday, Feb. 18
Schoolcraft at Flint Mott CC, 7:30 p.m.
Saturday, Feb. 21
Schoolcraft at Owens Tech (Ohio), 2 p.m.

WOMEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL
Wednesday, Feb. 18
Flint Mott CC at Schoolcraft, 8 p.m.
Saturday, Feb. 21
Schoolcraft at Siena Hts. JV, noon.

North rolls

After having its 11-meet win streak stopped by Troy Monday, the North Farmington gymnastics team rebounded with a vengeance Thursday, walloping Walled Lake Central 135.3-98.56.

The Raiders lost to Troy by a narrow 3 margin, 128.8-128.2.

Kara Karhu and Lucine Toroyan were the top scorers for North on Thursday. Karhu won both the vault (8.9) and floor exercise (8.95).

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Lady Ocelots stay in chase

It's now-or-never time for Schoolcraft College's women's basketball team. Win now, no slip-ups allowed.

Armed with the knowledge that they must win the remainder of their games if they are going to earn part of an Eastern Conference title, the Lady Ocelots made no mistakes against visiting Highland Park CC Wednesday, dispatching the Lady Panthers 78-60.

The triumph improved SC's record to 17-4 overall and to 9-3 in the conference, one game behind front-runner Oakland CC. The Lady Ocelots played at OCC Saturday; details of that game will appear in Thursday's edition of the Observer.

"Defense was the name of the game," said SC coach Jack Grenan of the HPCC contest. "Defense is what cost us in our first loss against OCC. Hopefully, we're peaking at the right time."

The Lady Ocelots broke on top against HPCC, leading 39-32 at the half. Four SC players reached double-figures in scoring, led by Sharon Miller with 20 points (and 11 rebounds and three blocked shots). Tracy Ladouceur had 18 points, seven rebounds and two blocks, Sue Lubbe scored 13 points and Lisa Kline netted 12 points and eight boards.

SC finishes its regular season by hosting Mott CC Wednesday, then traveling to play Siena Heights J.V. team Saturday. The state tournament starts Feb. 24, with the final rounds to be at Glen Oaks CC.

Schoolcraft sports

SC'S MENS TEAM suffered its second-straight lopsided loss, as Eastern Conference leader Highland Park CC walloped the Ocelots 123-94 Wednesday at HPCC.

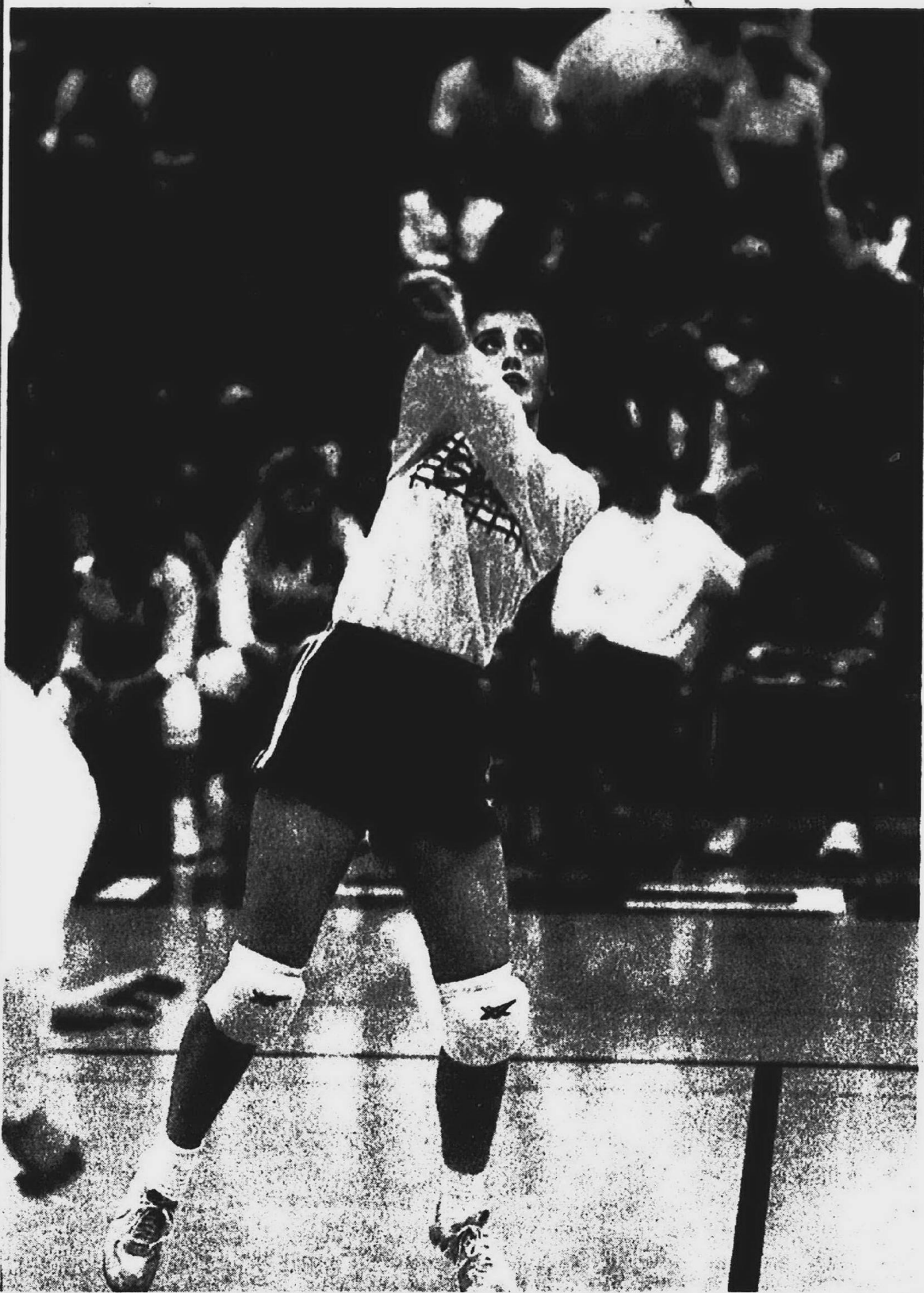
The turning point in the game came in the final minutes of the opening half. SC led 44-40 with 2:46 remaining, but the Panthers rallied before the intermission to outscore the Ocelots 17-2 and stake themselves to a 57-46 halftime edge. SC never got closer than 10 the rest of the game.

Five players reached double-figures in scoring for SC: Derrick Kearney (21), Les English (19), Desmond Steele (16), Zollie Stevens (14) and Jeff Vakratsis (13). HPCC also had five players in doubles, led by Antoine Williamson's 20 points, Doug James' 19 and Johnnie Bell's 16.

Rebounding was a major factor in the Panthers' victory; they had a commanding 48-30 advantage on the boards. In addition, all 13 of their players scored.

The defeat dropped SC to 6-8 in the conference and 9-15 overall. The Ocelots play at Mott CC Wednesday, then travel to Owens Tech for their regular-season finale Saturday.

Rocks serve loss to Falcons



Every volleyball team has a special rotation — a time during a match when all six players seem to be in the position best suited to their individual abilities.

Plymouth Salem was stuck in its special rotation for the better part of Wednesday's Western Lakes match against Farmington. The result was an impressive 15-10, 15-10 win for the Rocks.

Whenever Jessica Handley served, Jane Klaes and Denise Tackett manned the prime positions in the front row. That combination KO'd the Falcons. Handley was 16 of 17 on her serves with six aces. She served 12 of Salem's 15 points in game two. Tackett was 21 of 25 attacks at the net with six kills. Klaes added five kills.

"We're starting to communicate much better," Salem coach Betty Smith said. "They are finally starting to talk on the court. The pieces are finally starting to come together. We've played well our last three matches."

Monday, the Rocks battled Livonia Stevenson before bowing 15-13, 15-8.

The Rocks are 3-7 in the Western Lakes (2-6 in Lakes Division matches) and 5-10 on the season.

For Farmington (winless in the league), Tracy Jourden had a strong game at the net. Service errors and inconsistent service reception continue to plague the Falcons.

NORTH FARMINGTON, after a tough 15-13, 15-13 loss to Westland John Glenn Monday, came back to jolt powerful Walled Lake Central 15-13, 15-11 Wednesday night.

The win takes on greater significance considering the Raiders played without frontliners Terry Spengler (knee injury) and Suzi Butcher (flu).

"I guess you could say this was quite an upset," said North coach Sandy Lubieniecki. "Central has an outstanding team; but they came in a little flat. We took advantage of that. We really played well as a team."

North fell behind 10-2 in game two. Then the Raiders closed the gap to 10-7 setting the stage for some super serving by Kris McMinn. McMinn served seven straight points to rally the Raiders to victory. On the match, McMinn was 12 of 13 with seven ace serves.

RICK SMITH

Aimee Hayden and her Plymouth Salem volleyball team scored an impressive 15-10, 15-10 victory against Western Lakes foe Farmington Wednesday night.

Salem matmen roll against Ann Arbor

The Plymouth Salem wrestling team closed out another successful dual meet season Thursday by beating Ann Arbor Pioneer 32-25 and Ann Arbor Huron 50-12 in a double dual encounter.

Salem finishes with a 12-2 record, the losses administered by state powers Temperance-Bedford and Hazel Park.

Sean May (119), Dennis Dameron (126 and 132), Steve Burlison (145) and Chuck Graczyk won both their matches for the Rocks.

Against Pioneer, the Rocks pulled off a couple of surprises. May, normally a 112-pounder, wrestled at 119 and upset Pioneer's Ryan Palmais.

Going into the 185-pound match, the Rocks trailed 23-21. Mark Smith,

a junior varsity wrestler most of the year for Salem, pulled out a dramatic 7-7 tie at the buzzer. (Smith also won his match against Huron.) Graczyk won his match at 198 and freshman heavyweight Ray Brewer won on void to give the Rocks the win.

Another JV wrestler, 98-pounder Dan Cifaldi, won his match against Pioneer. Scott Contini (126 against Huron), Todd Bourlier (112 against Huron), Bill Atwell (132 against Pioneer), Mike Smith (138 against Huron), Lem Yeung (155 against Huron) and Brian Burlison (167 against Huron) were also winners for Salem.

The Rocks will host the Class A district tournament Saturday, Feb. 21.

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH "TAXES DUE" LEGAL NOTICE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the current Winter Taxes are due by February 17, 1987. These taxes may be paid either in person, in the Treasurer's office at Plymouth Township Hall or by mail (please allow 5 days for mail delivery).

The Plymouth Township Hall, located at 42350 Ann Arbor Road, is open Monday through Friday 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

MARY A. BROOKS
Treasurer

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The City of Plymouth, Michigan, will open sealed bids at 2:00 P.M. E.S.T., on Friday, February 20, 1987 in the Commission Chambers at 201 S. Main Street for:

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Notice is hereby given that the Canton Township Board of Review will meet on the following dates and times:

TUESDAY	March 3, 1987	8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY	March 4, 1987	8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.
THURSDAY	March 5, 1987	8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.
FRIDAY	March 6, 1987	8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.
SATURDAY	March 7, 1987	10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
MONDAY	March 9, 1987	8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.
TUESDAY	March 10, 1987	3:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

All persons protesting their assessments must complete petitions prior to appearing before the Board. A personal appearance is not required, however. Petitions may be obtained at the Township Assessor's Office, 1150 S. Canton Center Road as of February 16, 1987. Appearance before the Board is by appointment only. If you have any questions regarding the March Board of Review, you may call Peggy Farrell, Secretary to the Board of Review, at 397-1000, ext. 281.

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The Board of Review for the City of Plymouth will meet in the City Commission Chambers of the Municipal Building at 201 S. Main Street on:

TUESDAY, MARCH 3, 1987 FROM 12:00 NOON TO 6:00 P.M.
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4, 1987 FROM 3:00 P.M. TO 9:00 P.M.

The Board of Review is held on an annual basis, the first Tuesday after the first Monday in March, in compliance with Michigan State Law. The meetings provide an opportunity for taxpayers to present protests or suggestions relative to assessed values on local property.

A WRITTEN PETITION MUST BE SUBMITTED TO THE CITY ASSESSOR'S OFFICE BY MARCH 2, 1987. Petition forms can be obtained at the Office of the City Assessor located on the first floor of the Municipal Building. The Board of Review meetings will be held by "APPOINTMENT ONLY" after a written petition is submitted. Appointments will be scheduled February 23rd thru March 2nd, 1987.

Any PLYMOUTH RESIDENT (or his/her agent) must make a personal appearance before the Board of Review. For NON-RESIDENTS who own property located in Plymouth, a written petition will be considered.

In the City of Plymouth local assessments will be increased for the year of 1987: Residential + 6%; Commercial + 2.3%; Industrial and Personal Property will reflect no change. We are anticipating that on all local assessments the State Equalized Valuation and the TENTATIVE FACTOR to be 1.00.

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Roast Chicken With Jambalaya Rice

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- 1/4 cup chopped onion
- 1/4 cup chopped green pepper
- 1/4 cup chopped red pepper
- 1/8 teaspoon garlic salt
- 3 dashes hot pepper sauce
- 1/8 teaspoon thyme leaves
- 1 cup packaged enriched pre-cooked rice
- 1 cup chopped fresh tomatoes
- 4 chicken breast halves
- Pepper
- Butter or margarine

Combine broth, sausage, onion, green and red peppers, garlic salt, hot pepper sauce and thyme in a saucepan. Bring to a full boil. Stir in rice. Cover; remove from heat. Let stand 5 minutes. Stir in tomatoes.

Spoon rice mixture into bottom of 4 individual baking dishes. Sprinkle chicken lightly with pepper. Place chicken on top of rice mixture. Dot with butter and bake at 350° for 45 to 50 minutes until chicken is golden brown.

Makes 4 servings.

Stuffed Pork Loin

- 1/3 cup chopped scallions
- 1 garlic clove, minced
- 2 tablespoons oil
- 1 package (10 oz.) frozen chopped spinach, thawed
- 2 eggs, slightly beaten
- 1 package (6 oz.) stuffing mix with savory herbs
- 2-pound boneless pork loin, untied and flattened
- 1 cup apple butter

Saute scallions and garlic in oil until tender but not browned, about 2 minutes. Stir in spinach and cook until heated through.

Remove from heat and cool slightly. Stir in eggs, vegetable/seasoning packet and stuffing crumbs. Spread mixture evenly over inside of pork loin. Roll up and tie with twine.

Place in roasting pan and roast at 400° for 10 minutes. Remove from oven and coat meat with 1/4 cup of the apple butter; add 1/2 cup water to bottom of pan. Cover and roast at 350° for 45 minutes. Add more water if pan becomes dry during roasting. Remove from oven and spread remaining apple butter on meat and continue roasting uncovered 25 minutes longer or to an internal temperature of 160°. Let stand 15 minutes before slicing.

Makes 8 servings.

Lately, down-home American cooking has provided the culinary inspiration for some of America's best-known chefs. "The immense interest in American regional cuisine has given young American chefs the freedom to draw on their own culinary roots to come up with appealing new twists on classic American favorites," says Chef Blake Emerson Swihart, an Indiana native and graduate of The Culinary Institute of America.

"Re-experiencing foods that we loved as kids is a source of comfort for most of us," says the chef, in explaining the popularity of some of the foods that have been out of fashion until recently. "We all need a touch of nostalgia now and then to make it easier to cope in this increasingly complex world."

Chef Swihart combined his culinary training with his love for the foods his Indiana grandmother served at family gatherings to come up with an updated recipe for Stuffed Pork Loin.

Ideal fare for a cold-weather family supper, the pork loin is roasted with a savory herb and spinach stuffing and is glazed with apple butter. "Pork and apples are a traditional combination in Indiana's Amish country, where I grew up, and everyone in my family loved apple butter," says Chef Swihart.

"Although I love old-fashioned dishes, like most people today, I don't have the time for meal preparation that my grandmother had, so I rely on good-quality convenience foods to help save time when I cook," he says. For the pork loin, he uses frozen chopped spinach and packaged stuffing mix with savory herbs to make a quick and tasty stuffing which is spread over the inside of the pork loin before rolling, tying and roasting the meat.

Southern Louisiana cooking, with its Creole and Cajun influences, was the inspiration for another timesaving recipe of Chef Swihart, Roast Chicken with Jambalaya Rice.

The rice mixture, captures the smoky, spicy flavors favored by Louisiana cooks. In it, Polish sausage is used as a substitute for andouille, the Cajun smoked sausage.

The sausage, along with chopped onions, chopped red and green peppers, spices and hot pepper sauce, is added to chicken broth, which is brought to a boil. Minute rice is added to the broth and left to stand for 5 minutes. Then chopped tomatoes are added and the mixture is spooned into individual baking dishes. Chicken breast halves are placed on top and the dishes are baked in the oven until the chicken is golden brown. The result is an exceptionally flavorful concoction that could well become one of your own family classics.



Reducing recipes makes cooking for 2 easy

People who may be willing to make a healthy complete meal for others seldom put the same effort into cooking for themselves.

Just as with larger families, cooking for one or two requires advance planning to create tempting and nutritious meals. Get variety into meals. Try something new, especially if you're eating alone.

Most recipes are planned to serve four to six people. Many of these can be reduced to one-half or one-third to serve two people. It is often more advantageous to cut the recipe in half rather than thirds. Sometimes it's harder to work with the smaller amount. Cooking time may need to be shortened because of the smaller quantity in the pots and pans.

When you divide a recipe, translate the amounts into equivalent measures. For example, one-third cup can be divided easily if you know that it equals five tablespoons plus one teaspoon, or 16 teaspoons; half of this would be two tablespoons plus two teaspoons, or eight teaspoons.

When you figure these equivalents, rewrite the recipe or make notes in



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the margins for future reference. Most cookbooks will have a page of the equivalents listed.

One problem in division that may puzzle you is how to halve an egg. There are two ways of doing this: either use a very small egg or break the egg into a cup, beat slightly, then divide in half for your recipe. Cover the remainder and store in refrigerator for another dish.

Depending on the size of the egg, one egg usually yields about four tablespoons. A little more egg than the recipe calls for generally will not do any harm.

With yeast dough it is advisable to use a larger quantity of yeast. If the recipe calls for one yeast cake and

you are cutting it down to one-third or one-half, it would be wise to use the whole yeast cake or the greater part of it to hasten the process. Bread recipes that require no kneading are easier to handle in small quantities.

Buy carefully to avoid waste, save storage space, and make small-scale cooking and serving easy. As a quick buying guide for meat and poultry with lots of bones, you should figure one pound equals two servings. One pound of fish fillets or meat with a little bone makes three servings.

Instead of a large beef roast, buy a thick steak, roll and tie for roasting. Leftovers can always be used in another dish. Broiling is a quick and

easy method to use when preparing small quantities of meat.

Buy fresh cabbage, cauliflower, broccoli and brussel sprouts in regular amounts. Cut off or separate enough for one meal, cover and refrigerate the remainder to cook within a day or two. Larger size bags of frozen vegetables are excellent for one or more persons, pour out enough for one meal and return to the freezer.

Regular loaves of bread can be purchased and kept in the freezer. Keep a couple different kinds on hand to add variety to meals. To avoid soggy crust or bread, double wrap the loaf before freezing. Save the used plastic bread bag and slip the new loaf into that as a double thickness.

If desserts are a puzzle, make individual custard cups or a cup large enough to serve two. It's as easy to make one cup of custard or gelatin as it is to make a quart. Individual tarts can be made in muffin tins or as turnovers that are just large enough to serve one or two people and add variation in form.

Leftovers can be a problem when

cooking for one or two. Many recipes can be made in full amounts and leftovers reheated for several days.

Freeze leftover meat and casseroles in individual containers for convenient cooking later. Stir a few tablespoons of sour cream into heated leftover gravy to give it new zest or use a dash of curry in gravy for a new tasty treat.

Leftover vegetables can be "recycled" successfully by adding some diced cheese to melt into a delicious glaze. Add leftover corn kernels to pancake batter to make corn cakes or fritters. Mix bread crumbs or croutons with a little melted margarine or butter and sprinkle over vegetables to create a new interest. Freeze little packages of leftovers to use in soup or stew later.

Leftover cake can be broiled and then topped with ice cream or lemon sauce. Line a loaf pan or pie plate with strips of leftover cake, spread with softened ice cream; freeze. You have dessert ready when company drops in!

Use one recipe in different ways. Baking powder biscuit dough will make shortcake for one meal; toast-

ed biscuits for another; if rolled, bake flat, cover with cinnamon and sugar for a flat bread or rolled up to make a coffee cake. Pie doughs will make pies or tart shells for meat dishes or dessert.

If you don't enjoy eating solo, invite a friend or neighbor over at mealtime on a regular basis. Over-indulging is an easy trap to fall into when you are alone.

To avoid this, don't keep irresistible goodies around the house. If your recipe serves two or more, one serving should go on the plate and the rest stored in the refrigerator or freezer so you're not tempted to nibble.

Create interest in meals by using attractive place mats or trays. Choose a pleasant spot to eat, perhaps by a window. Pay attention to how the food looks on the plate. Whether you are cooking for one, two, or ten, food taste better if it looks good!

Lois Thieleke is a home economist with the Oakland County Cooperative Extension Service. Watch for her next column, "No Time for Breakfast."

Potatoes, cinnamon add 'welcome' flavor to bread

There is nothing like the fragrance of freshly baked bread wafting through the house to say "welcome" to family and friends. Especially if it's made with a mashed potato dough and coated with sugar and cinnamon like this Festive Potato Yeast Ring.

Mashed potato flakes is the convenient ingredient that makes the difference in this unique yeast bread. No more bothering to peel, cook and mash fresh potatoes to make a silky smooth dough.

The potato flakes are added directly from the package to the liquid ingredients. The yeast is stirred in, the flour kneaded in, and the dough is ready to rise and be shaped into individual rolls.

Each roll is dipped in melted butter and cinnamon-sugar coating, then layered in a tube or bundt pan. The bread bakes into a lovely loaf

that pulls apart in individual servings for easy eating.

FESTIVE POTATO YEAST RING

- 1/2 cup instant mashed potato flakes
- 2 cups milk
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1/2 cup butter or margarine
- 1/2 tsp. salt
- 1 pkg. active dry yeast
- 5 to 5 1/2 cups flour
- 1/2 tsp. baking soda
- 1 tsp. baking powder
- Coating:
- 1/4 cup chopped nuts
- 1/2 cup melted butter or margarine
- 3/4 cup sugar
- 1 tsp. cinnamon

Heat milk, sugar, butter and salt to simmering. Stir in potato flakes; then cool until warm to touch, about 115 degrees. Dissolve yeast in small

amount of warm mixture. Let stand 5 minutes, then add to potato mixture. Sift 5 cups flour with soda and baking powder. Add half of flour to potato mixture and beat until smooth. Add enough remaining flour mixture to make a smooth, soft dough. Knead on floured board 8-10 minutes. Place in buttered bowl. Cover and let rise in warm place until double (about 1 hour). Punch down; cover and let rest 10 minutes. Generously butter a 10-inch bundt or tube pan. Sprinkle nuts in bottom of pan. Form dough into about 28 balls, golf-ball size. Roll each in melted butter, then mixture of sugar and cinnamon. Layer in prepared pan and let rise in warmplace until double (about 1 hour). Bake at 350 degrees for 35 to 40 minutes. Cool in pan 15-20 minutes. Invert on rack; turn out of pan. Makes 1 (10-inch) loaf.

Pasta makes great munchies

(AP) — You'll never be able to stop with just one handful of this crunchy snack mix. To prevent spattering, drain the pasta well before frying.

SHAPELY PASTA SNACKS

- 6 ozs. corkscrew macaroni, little bows, wheels or other bite-size pasta
- Cooking oil for deep-fat frying
- 1 cup walnut halves, toasted
- 1/4 cup pumpkin seed, toasted
- 2 tbsp. margarine or butter, melted
- 1/4 cup grated Parmesan cheese
- 1 tsp. dried oregano, crushed
- 1/2 tsp. garlic salt

Cook pasta according to package directions; drain. Rinse with cold water; drain well. Heat 2 1/2 inches of cooking oil in a deep saucepan or deep-fat fryer to 365°F. Fry cooked pasta, about a dozen at a time, in deep hot oil 1 1/2 minutes or until browned, stirring to separate pieces. Remove with slotted spoon. Drain on paper towels. Repeat with remaining pasta. Turn into a bowl; add nuts

and pumpkin seed. Pour margarine over mixture in bowl; stir to coat. Combine Parmesan, oregano and garlic salt. Sprinkle over mixture in bowl; toss. Cool. Store in airtight container. Makes 6 cups, 12 servings.

Nutrition information per serving: 178 calories, 6 g protein, 13 g carbohydrates, 12 g fat, 2 mg cholesterol, 83 mg sodium.

Readers asked to send favorite muffin recipes

On Monday, March 2, the Observer & Eccentric will feature readers' muffin recipes in the food section.

Please send recipes by Wednesday, Feb. 25, to: Food Editor, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. All recipes should be typewritten and include name, address and telephone number.

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when squeezed. These "springy-firm" heads are perfect for lettuce cups, to cut into wedges or rafts or chunks, to tear into bite-size pieces, and for coarse shredding. Their outer leaves may be pulled off easily to put into sandwiches or to line salad bowls or plates.

1. At home, trim any leaves that may seem too coarse for salad use. Holding the head core-end down, whack it onto the kitchen counter. Then twist out the core with your fingers.

2. Cleanliness is characteristic of Iceberg lettuce. However, rinsing is recommended to restore moisture lost in transit. Hold the head, core-end up, under forcefully running water.

3. Then drain thoroughly, core-end down, in a rack or colander.

4. Store in refrigerator in tightly closed plastic bag. Make a habit of this simple procedure, and your Iceberg lettuce will always be crisp and "field fresh."

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Florence Lacey stars in "Evita," coming to the Birmingham Theatre.

● **DRAMA REVIVAL**
In celebration of National Women's History Month, in March, the Actors Alliance Theatre Company of Southfield will revive the critically acclaimed 1983 production of Nancy Beckett's "The Women Here Are No Different." The play follows six women from different walks of life as they reconstruct their lives at a shelter for abused women. Performances will be given Wednesdays-Sundays, March 11-22, at Smith Theatre on the Oakland Community College Orchard Ridge campus in Farmington Hills. The performances will be a benefit for the Women center on campus. To order tickets call the Actors Alliance at 642-1326.

● **COVER CONTEST**
A face to grace the cover of Metropolitan Detroit magazine's June 1987 "Best of Summer" issue is being sought. Contestants for the Cover Girl Search will vie any Thursday through March 12 at Streamers in Sterling Heights. Registration forms are available in the area at Executive Car Emporium of Birmingham and Couture Boutique of Farmington Hills.

● **DRAMA FINALS**
The Michigan Interscholastic Forensic Association's State High School Drama Finals will be held from noon to 6 p.m. Friday, Feb. 20, and 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 21, at the Smith Performing Arts Theatre on the Orchard Ridge Campus of Oakland Community College in Farmington Hills. Drama, comedy or musical comedy performances will be given by 12 students representing 12 Michigan high schools. A panel of judges will critique each presentation and select award winners. The event is open to the public without charge.

● **JAZZ BENEFIT**
The seventh annual Jazz Benefit Concert, featuring the James Tatum Trio Plus, will be held at 8 p.m. Wednesday, March 18, at Orchestra Hall in Detroit. Special guests include pianist Bess Bonnier and her trio, song stylist Conwell Carrington and the 20-member Murray Wright High School Chorus. Theme of the performance is

"A Jazz Celebration for Our Youth," with all proceeds going toward scholarships for the P.A.C.E. Performing Arts Summer Camp. Tickets range from \$5 for senior citizens to \$25 for patrons. Tickets may be purchased at the Orchestra Hall box office or by calling 831-3080.

● **ATTIC THEATRE**
"The Miss Firecracker Contest" by Pulitzer-Prize-winning playwright Beth Henley will be presented Friday, Feb. 27, through Sunday, March 22, at the Attic Theatre in Detroit. For reservations call 875-8284.

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● **MYSTERY WEEKEND**
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Flutist Alexander Zonjic and his Quartet play every Thursday-Saturday in February at Murdock's in Rochester. For more information call 852-0550.

Stars don't glitter in dull films

"I can't complain," says Benjamin Rasmick (Jason Miller), nominal head of the quarrelsome family whose affairs are the centerpiece of "Light of Day" (PG-13).

With all due respect to Rasmick, I can, and will, complain, about this poor excuse for entertainment, a motion picture that gives new meaning to the terms, "dull," "leaden" and "boring."

Throw in "confusing" and "poorly structured," and you have, as well, a good description of another major motion picture, "Black Widow" (R).

Both films feature major stars, Debra Winger and Michael J. Fox, and both films are remarkably weak, unpleasant experiences.

IT REALLY is quite amazing that people with the intelligence and business acumen to gather \$10 million or \$20 million to finance a motion picture aren't smart enough to produce a film that makes sense.

It may be difficult to entertain moviegoers, but it shouldn't be too hard to explain what happens in a story and why characters act as they do.

"Black Widow" and "Light of Day," however, quickly prove me wrong, with their poorly structured plots, unanswered questions and gaping loopholes. By comparison, swiss cheese looks solid.

The Rasmick family, whose maudlin melodrama clouds the "Light of Day," showcases rock star Joan Jett as sister Patti who can't get along with her mother, Jeanette (Gena Rowlands). While father Rasmick mopes around in terminal silence, brother Joe (Michael J. Fox) sporadically tries to keep things moving and prevent the family from congealing in a leaden mass of inactivity.

IN THE EVENINGS, Joe and Patti lead a rock band, playing bars in Cleveland to brighten their dull lives. That may not be the answer.

One of the reasons for mother-daughter antagonism is Patti's illegitimate son, Benji (Billy Sullivan). The film's biggest surprise, and most

exciting moment, comes near the end of this interminable two hours when Patti reveals the name of Benji's father. By that time no one cares. One of the film's problems is that the guilty party plays a major role in the plot, with few lines, very little screen time and no evidence of acting ability.

Some explanation for Patti's rebellion might have helped. It also would be nice to know why writer-director Paul Schrader thinks audiences care about a family of inept dullards with tedious friends.

The film could be shortened dramatically by directing actors to deliver their lines with some speed and energy and by eliminating extensive establishing shots in Cleveland. We've heard all the jokes about how dull it is there — second prize is two weeks in Toledo, so lets get on with it.

"LIGHT OF DAYS" numerous musical numbers have energy. If you like that sort of stuff, cut the rest of the film and play Michael J. Fox/Joan Jett rock numbers on MTV. Actually, I preferred the Elvis played during intermission.

"Black Widow," on the other hand, had potential, with interesting characters involved in tense, energetic activities. The potential was unfulfilled, and the film remains a prime example of confusion compounded by unexplained facts and irrelevant details and plot developments. Talk about swiss cheese . . .

Winger is an offbeat Justice Department investigator curious about mysterious deaths of wealthy, middle-aged men. As it turns out, Theresa Russell is the femme fatale who zips around the country seducing, marrying and murdering wealthy old goats after carefully rewriting their wills. This "Black Widow," however, is so clever that after the gentlemen die, the local coroners certify "natural causes."

Winger is obsessed with these deaths and takes a leave of absence to track down their perpetrator. Naturally, she does and, in one of film history's most confusing and



the movies
Dan Greenberg



Michael J. Fox is Joe Rasmick, a Cleveland factory worker, who leads a rock band by night, in "Light of Day."

least comprehensible denouements, traps the "Black Widow."

THE FILM, which was faltering all the way, falls completely on its face at this ridiculous ending. Neither space nor energy permit a detailed explanation of the foolishness with which the plot terminates.

The fascination of old men for young, sensuous women, the "Black Widow's" obsession for money, Debra Winger's intense need to track and destroy evil, and the attraction

of two very different women for each other — all these powerful motivations are glossed over or left unexplored.

"Black Widow" and "Light of Day" both deserve contempt. Only by voting at the box office can you send a message to producers who think that liberal doses of slick images and rock music are the only secrets of success. Save your money, and don't support filmmakers unwilling, or unable, to tell understandable, entertaining stories.

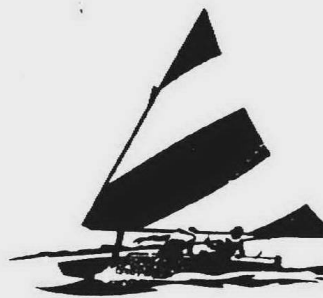
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ADAMS

The class of 1977 is planning a 10-year reunion for Saturday, July 4. For more information, call 651-5508.

ATHENS

The Troy Athens class of 1977 will have a 10-year class reunion Saturday, March 28. Help is needed in locating former classmates. For more information, call Joyce at 652-0268.

BARN THEATER

The Barn Theater Performing Arts Group of Oakland University will have a 20-year inclusive reunion Friday, July 31. For more information, call Class Reunions at 469-1410.

BENEDICTINE

The class of 1967 will hold its 20-year reunion Saturday, Sept. 19. For more information, call Bob Lulek, 522-6619, or Marianne (Hodge) Fox, 698-9549.

BERKLEY

The class of June 1946 is looking for class members for a reunion tentatively set for June. For more information, call 282-8717, 548-3847 or 546-3332.

The classes of January and June 1961 and January 1962 will have a reunion Friday, March 28. For more information, call Class Reunions at 469-1410.

BIRMINGHAM GROVES

The class of 1967 will have a 20-year reunion Saturday, Aug. 8, at the Kingsley Inn in Bloomfield Hills. For more information, call Julie (Farb) Love at 855-9843.

BISHOP BORGESS

The class of 1977 will have a 10-year reunion Friday, Sept. 25. For more information, call Pat (Erpled-ling) Horgan at 522-0359.

CASS TECH

The classes of 1941-45 will have a reunion in Southern California Thursday through Sunday, June 25-28. For more information, contact Bernard Elbinger, 18800 Sears Lane, Fort Bragg, Calif. 95437. Or call (707) 964-3548.

CLARENCEVILLE

The Clarenceville School District is looking for former district students and employees to add to the sesquicentennial invitation list. A four-day celebration is planned for June. For more information, call 473-8905.

CODY

The class of January 1967 is planning a 20-year reunion for Saturday, March 14, at the Karas House, 23632 Plymouth, Redford Township. For more information, call Camille at 879-6547 or Linda at 292-9748.

The class of 1977 will have a 10-year reunion Saturday, July 11. For more information, call Joan Kutylowski at 565-8322.

COOLEY

The class of 1957 plans a 30-year reunion. For more information, call Sue at 274-1629 or Linda at 645-9599.

The class of 1962 is planning a 25-year reunion. For more information, call 553-7363 or 471-3896.

CRESTWOOD

The class of 1967 will have a 20-year reunion in October. For more information, call Class Reunions at 469-1410.

DENBY

The January and June classes of 1937 are planning a 50-year reunion. Graduates of 1936 and 1938 also may attend. For more information, call Millie (Tobin) Harrison at 866-6457 or Bill Albus at 535-2192.

The classes of January and June 1948 are planning a class reunion. For more information, call Norinne (Gabbana) Manzon at 777-1310 or Marianne (Singer) Smith at 773-1009. Information may be sent to Norinne Manzon at 17938 Nine Mile, East Detroit 48021.

DETROIT EASTERN

Detroit Eastern High School class of 1941 is looking for classmates for a reunion. Write to P.O. Box 1362, Bertley, Mich. 48072.

The classes of 1955-57 will have a reunion Friday, May 1. For more information, call Class Reunions at 469-1410.

EAST DETROIT

The class of 1967 will have a 20-year reunion Saturday, July 11. For more information, write East Detroit High School Class of 1967 Reunion c/o Kimberly Jewelers, 775 Big Beaver Road West, Suite 113, Troy 48064. Or call 362-0202.

EDSEL FORD

The class of January 1966 will have a 21-year reunion. For more information, call Pam Brundage-Stonepainter at 288-3980.

The class of June 1967 will have a 20-year reunion Saturday, Aug. 15. For more information, call Marie (Major) Tolonen, 525-3624, or Alice (Paynter) Sada, 277-0631.

FERNDALE LINCOLN

The class of 1937 is planning a 50-year reunion. For more information, call Pat (Price) Newton at 681-0963, Dorothy (Bone) Ager at 545-1233, Ruth (Kotowski) Kuxhaus at 542-4168 or Winnie (Hunt) Findlay at 643-7444.

GARDEN CITY WEST

The class of 1967 will have a 20-year reunion Saturday, July 18, at the Holiday Inn in Farmington Hills. For more information, call Bob Gajda at 326-8044 or Renee Hensley at 722-4849.

HAZEL PARK

The class of 1942 is planning a 45-year reunion. Send information to Bill Gibson, Hoover Elementary School, 2372 Hoover, Hazel Park 48030. Or call Roberta (Cook) Baran at 547-8780 or Emma (Skinner) Makinen at 553-2156.

MACKENZIE

The class of 1938 (January and June) is planning a 50-year reunion. For more information, contact Marion (Teclu) Brodie at 3668 S. Shimmans Circle, Auburn Hills 48057. Or call 373-8414. Or call Vera Koepeke Rowden at 532-6375, Shirley Craig Young at 255-9824 or Margaret Humm Kasenow at 532-7395.

Anyone from the class of 1939 interested in getting together for a class reunion may call Aaron Friedman at 549-4400.

The January and June classes of 1969 will have a reunion in the spring. For more information, call Virginia Fine Vahlbusch at 591-1987.

The classes of January and June 1962 will have a 25-year reunion Saturday, June 6. For more information, call after 6 p.m. Claudia (Gehrer) Colatruglio at 522-5270 or Martha (Simatos) Schultz at 427-9663.

MELVINDALE

The class of June 1955 will have a reunion at 6 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 22, at Accents-Don Carlos Restaurant, 2542 Oakwood, Melvindale. For more information, call Beverly (Casetta) Burroughs at 464-8868.

MOTHER OF OUR SAVIOR

The grade school class of 1970 and the high school class of 1974 are planning a reunion for the summer. For more information, call 474-8205 or 541-0525.

NORTHVILLE

The class of 1938 is planning a 50-year reunion. For more information, call Gwen Marburger at 349-0524 or Leona Leavenworth at 455-2523.

Members of the class of 1967 are needed in order to plan a 20-year reunion. For more information, call Elaine (McLean) Hawkins at 477-9375.

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The class of 1967 is looking for classmates' addresses. For more information, call Mary at 453-3696 or Pat at 459-0436. Or write to Class of '67, 134 N. Holbrook, Plymouth 48170.

PONTIAC

The January and June classes of 1947 are planning a 40-year reunion for Saturday, Sept. 12. Names and addresses of class members are needed. Send to Class of 1947, P.O. Box 313, Pontiac 48056.

REDFORD

The classes of January and June 1937 are planning a 50-year reunion for the fall. For more information, call Jack Livingstone at 532-1121 or Hurst Wulf at 464-4443 or 622-3968.

REDFORD THURSTON

The class of 1967 will have a 20-year reunion Saturday, Aug. 1, at the Plymouth Hilton. For more information, call 937-8736 or 937-9362.

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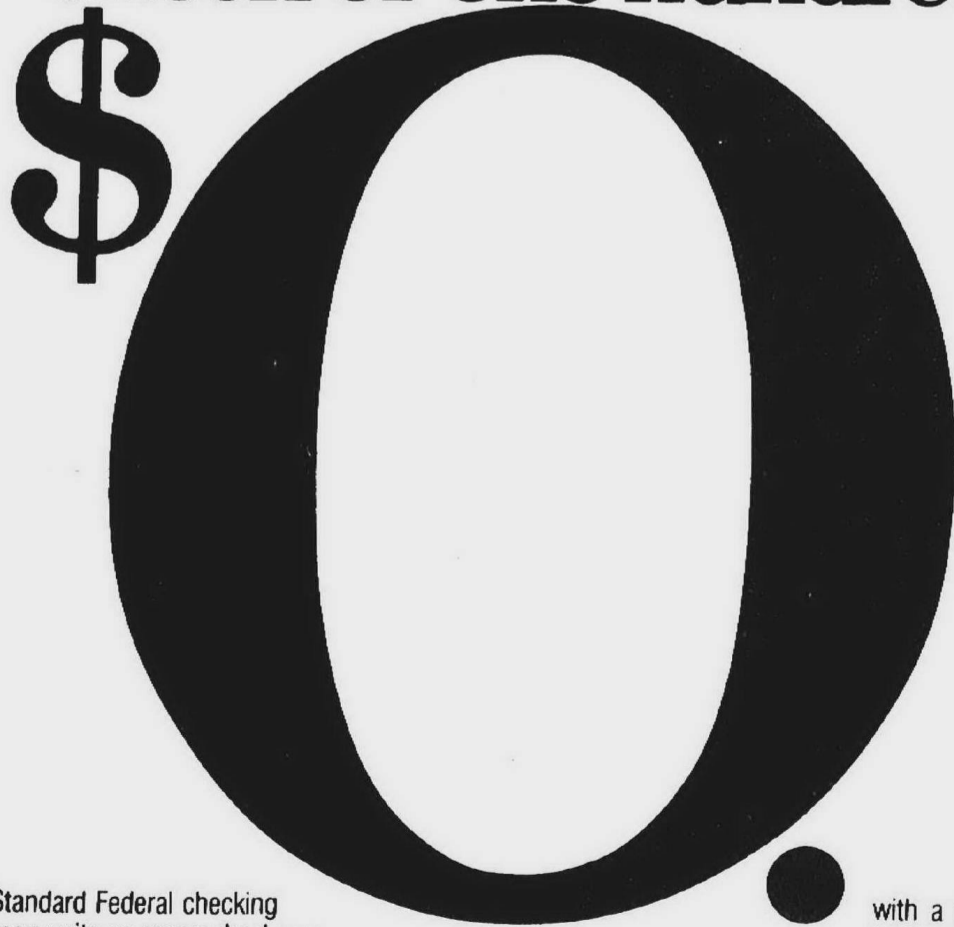
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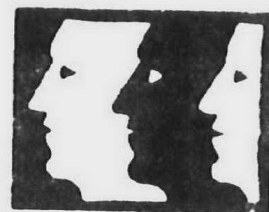
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ALTHOUGH THEY were a bit nervous, the young performers let their talent shine through.

The singers, pianists, violinists and dancers performed Thursday afternoon during competition for the student fine arts awards offered by the Plymouth Community Arts Council. The competition for students in sixth through ninth grades was held in the Little Theater of Plymouth Canton High School.

"The caliber of the work was excellent," said Margaret Smith, chairwoman for the awards program. "There's a lot of talent in this community."

Some of the students are as young as 11 or 12, but they nevertheless show considerable talent, she said.

"It's amazing. The pianists were extraordinary, we thought."

In addition to Thursday afternoon's performances, some student



Augie Raschke warms up in a hallway at Plymouth Canton High School before her ballet performance.

contestants competed in the areas of art, creative writing and poetry. Those areas had been judged ahead of time, Smith said.

A total of 65 students participated in the program this year.

THE AWARDS program is designed to encourage students in that age group to continue with their work in the arts, said Smith, who coordinated the program with the help of co-chairwoman Mary Corridore.

"It's the age where so many tend to give up," Smith said. Performing helps the students become more confident.

"The more you perform in front of others, the easier it becomes."

The students were competing for cash awards, with a total of \$1,000 to be presented.

Those who coordinated the program hope to announce the winners this week. They'd also like to see more students participate in the future.

"It's growing in numbers and that's wonderful," Smith said. "We hope to have even more next year."

Both Smith and Corridore were a bit tired after Thursday's student competition.

"We both commented how drained we felt," Smith said. "They only had to perform once. We had to go through it 34 times."

Those who coordinate the program hope that the student winners will use the cash awards to continue their arts studies. Although putting the program together is a great deal of work, it's also enjoyable for the PCAC volunteers.

"It takes some planning, but it was certainly a gratifying committee on which to serve," Smith said.

It's certainly possible that at least one of the participants will go on to do great things in the arts and become famous.

"They'll say they got their start at the Canton Little Theater," she said.



Vocal music judges Millie Everson (left) and Brenda Krachenberg take a break and look over the artwork submitted by student contestants.



Jennifer Hunter sings "Fa-Ra-Ra-Boom-De-Ay."



Lance Loisel plays his own composition, "Ausdruck."

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clubs in action

GOOD CITIZENS

The Sarah Ann Cochrane Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will meet at 12:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 16, for a tea at St. John's Episcopal Church on Sheldon Road in Plymouth. DAR members will honor local high school "Good Citizens." Women who are eligible for the DAR may attend. For additional information, call 453-4425.

DANCE GROUP

The St. Thomas a Becket Women's Club will sponsor the dance group "The Versatiles" at the 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 18, meeting. The meeting will be held in the lower level of the church, at Lilley and Gherry Hill roads in Canton. All women of the parish, their neighbors and friends may attend.

PHOENIX GROUP

The Phoenix Divorce Support Groups for women are sponsored by the YWCA of Western Wayne County. Discussion focuses on legal and financial issues, concerns of single parents, social relationships, personal needs/options and opportunities. Cynthia Nichols will lead the discussions. New members may attend. Meetings are held 7:30-9 p.m. the third Thursday of each month at Geneva Presbyterian Church, 5835 N. Sheldon, Canton (in the small structure near the parking lot). Semi-monthly meetings are held 7:30-9 p.m. the first and third week of the month at St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Room 22, 27475 Five Mile, Livonia. At 7:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 16, Phyllis Wordhouse will discuss financial planning and investments. That meeting will be held at St. Paul's Presbyterian Church in Livonia. For additional information, call Cynthia Nichols, 561-4110.

REGISTERED NURSES

The Plymouth Registered Nurses will meet at 7:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 16, at Plymouth Township Hall, 2350 E. Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth. The speaker will be registered nurse Rosanne Accioli, who will discuss "Nursing Assessment of a Patient's Mental Health." This will be the first meeting of the year. Area nurses may attend.

ORIENTATION

The Plymouth Childbirth Education Association is offering a Lamaze orientation class at 7:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 16, at Newburg United Methodist Church, 36500 Ann Arbor Trail, Livonia. This will be an introduction to the Lamaze birth technique. It will feature a birth film, "Saturday's Children." There is a \$1 per person charge at the door. For additional information, call 459-7477.

MOMS OF TWINS

The Western Wayne County Mothers of Twins Club will meet at 8 p.m. Monday, Feb. 16, at Holy Cross Lutheran Church, 30650 Six Mile Road, between Middlebelt and Merriman in Livonia. A teacher from the Livonia Public Schools will discuss preparing children for school. For additional information on the meeting or on the organization, call Marilyn Coleman, 728-7144.

THEATRE GUILD

The Plymouth Theatre Guild will hold auditions for the spring show, "A Thousand Clowns," a comedy by Herb Gardner. Auditions will be held Tuesday, Feb. 17, immediately following the organization's general meeting at 7:30 p.m., and at 7 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 18, in the cafeteria of Central Middle School, Plymouth. Six roles will be cast, including four men, one woman and one boy (age 10-14). Show dates will be May 8, 9, 15 and 16. Those who are interested in auditioning or in helping out with the production may attend. For additional information, call 451-0037.

REFUNDERS

The Refunders Club will meet at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 18, at the Plymouth Grange Hall, 273 Union St., Plymouth. Those attending should bring refund forms, proofs of purchase and complete deals to trade. New members may attend.

PLYMOUTH-CANTON PWP

Plymouth-Canton Parents Without Partners will meet at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 18, for an orientation for new members. For additional information, call 455-3851.

CARD PARTY

The Catholic Central Mothers' Club will hold its annual Valentine card party at 8 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 18, in the cafeteria/auditorium of Catholic Central High School in Redford Township. Donation is \$4 per person. Desserts will be served. There will be door prizes. For reservations, call Dolores Baharah, 538-4888, or Peggy Boland, 255-7677. Tickets may also be purchased at the door.

LOCAL AAUW

The Plymouth branch, American Association of University Women, will meet at 12:30 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 19, at the home of Nancy Vernon. Doris Burton, a longtime volunteer at the Detroit Institute of Arts, will discuss "What to Look for in a Work of Art." Reservations are requested. For membership information, call 453-6115.

CANTON GOP

The Canton Republican Club will meet at 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 19, at the Canton Historical Museum. The museum is at 1150 S. Canton Center Road, Canton.

INSTALLATION

Plymouth-Canton Parents Without Partners will meet at 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 19, at Fellows Creek Golf Club, on Lotz Road north of Michigan Avenue and east of I-275 in Canton. The meeting will include installation of officers, followed by a dance. Price is \$2, \$3 after 9:30 p.m. For additional information, call Ellen, 455-3851.

WESTSIDE

Westside Singles will hold a dance from 8 p.m. to 2 a.m. Friday, Feb. 20, at Roma's of Livonia, on Schoolcraft Road west of Inkster Road. Music will be by D & G Recordings. The dance is for those age 21 and older. Dressy attire should be worn (no jeans). For additional information, call the hotline, 562-3160.

BETHANY

Bethany Plymouth/Canton will meet at 8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 21. The organization meets the third Saturday of each month at St. Ken-

neth Church, on Haggerty Road south of Five Mile Road in Plymouth. The Saturday, Feb. 21, speaker will be Patricia Smith, an attorney. For additional information, call 981-1274 or 981-1365.

JAYCEES

People between the ages of 18 and 35 may attend a Plymouth Jaycees open house at 7 p.m. Monday, Feb. 23. Those who are interested may call 455-5481 for the location and additional information. Men and women who are interested in becoming Jaycees need not be Plymouth residents.

DIVORCE GROUP

The Women's Divorce Support Group will meet at 7-9 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 24, at the Lower Waterman Campus Center conference room at Schoolcraft College, 18600 Haggerty Road, Livonia. The speaker, Sandy King, will discuss "Fiscal Fitness," the importance of establishing a financial future. King is an investment executive and a former displaced homemaker. Reservations are not required for the meeting. The support group is sponsored by

the Women's Resource Center at Schoolcraft College. It is for women who are separated, divorced, in the process of getting divorced or considering divorce. For additional information, call the Women's Resource Center, 591-6400 Ext. 430.

RETIRED PERSONS

The Plymouth-Northville chapter No. 1311, American Association of Retired Persons, will meet at noon Wednesday, Feb. 25, at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer St. Those attending should bring a sack lunch. Coffee and tea will be provided. Craig Kukuk, composer, guitarist and singer, will present a musical program. All senior citizens may attend.

OLDIES NIGHT

Westside Singles II will hold a dance for singles from 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Friday, Feb. 27, at the Livonia Elks Lodge, 31117 Plymouth Road, just east of Merriman in Livonia. This will be an "Oldies Night." The dance is for those age 21 and older. Dressy attire should be worn. Price is \$4. For additional information, call the hotline, 562-3170.

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EQUAL RIGHTS

Fathers for Equal Rights will meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 3, at the Alfred Noble branch of the Livonia Public Library, 32901 Plymouth Road, one block east of Farmington Road in Livonia. For additional information, call 354-3080.

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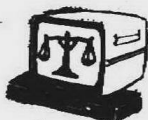
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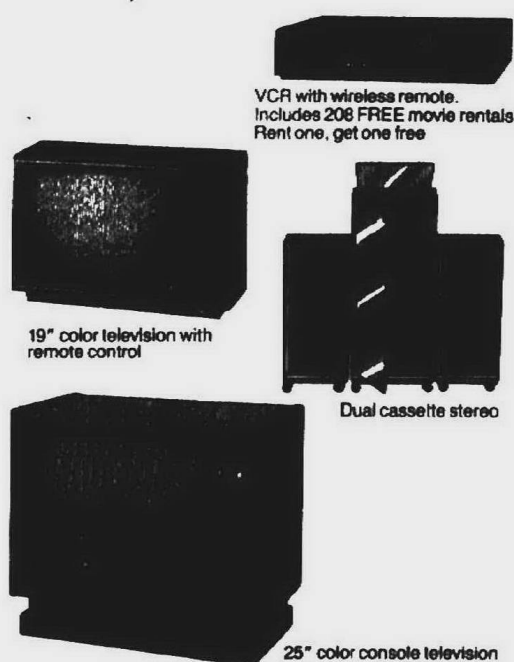
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page brunch at 11 a.m. Thursday, March 12, at the Plymouth Hilton Inn. Fashions will be by Nawrot Pendleton Shops. Pat McKevitt, Pendleton representative, will coordinate the show. A number of Pendleton items will be offered as raffle prizes. Ticket price is \$12. Tickets may be purchased at the Nawrot Pendleton Shop in Forest Place Mall, Plymouth.

THEATER FUN

Spotlight Players will hold a dinner theater benefit 7 p.m. Saturday, March 28, at the New Hawthorn Valley Country Club, Merriman and Warren in Westland. The show will be three one-act comedies. Ticket price is \$30 per person, with the event limited to 100 people. Attire is semi-formal. Proceeds from the benefit performance will go toward the building and general funds of the Spotlight Players. For additional information, call 729-6453 or 481-9431 (8 a.m. to 4 p.m.).

LUNCHEON TIME

Plans are under way for the 19th annual salad luncheon presented by the Lake Pointe Village Branch, Women's National Farm and Garden Association. The luncheon will be held Saturday, April 4, in the cafeteria of Plymouth Canton High School. Those who are interested in membership in the organization should call Jean, 420-2235.

AUCTION

Works of art and antiques are needed for the art and antique auction/sale of the University of Michigan Museum of Art. The event is scheduled for April 23-25. Those who wish to donate items for the event should contact Ann Spehar or Mary Jane Hogan, 764-0395. Donations are tax-deductible within the provisions of IRS regulations. The theme of this year's auction/sale is "The Fine Art of Discovery." Proceeds from the

event will become part of the museum's acquisition fund. The event is sponsored by the Friends of the University of Michigan Museum of Art.

STAR SPANGLED

Spotlight Players performances of Neil Simon's "Star Spangled Girl" will be May 1, 2, 8 and 9 at the auditorium of Wayne Memorial High School, Glenwood east of Wayne Road in Wayne. Doors open at 7:30 p.m., with an 8 p.m. curtain time. Ticket prices are \$4.50, \$3.50 for students and seniors. For additional information, call 729-6453.

PREVENTION

The Plymouth Canton Council for the Prevention of Child Abuse and Neglect meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Wednesday of each month. Meetings are held in the library of East Middle School, 1042 S. Mill St., Plymouth. For additional information, call Kathy Reilly, 459-2067.

TOUGHLOVE

Toughlove meets at 7 p.m. Mondays at the Faith Community Moravian Church, 46001 Warren Road, at Canton Center Road in Canton. Toughlove is a self-help group for parents troubled by teenage behavior.

TUESDAY SINGLES

Tuesday Night Singles meets Tuesday evenings at the Pittsfield Grange Hall on Ann Arbor/Saline Road, Ann Arbor. Dancing is a part of the fun. Married couples may attend. For additional information, call 971-4480.

CANTON HISTORY

The Canton Historical Museum is at 1150 S. Canton Center Road, Canton. Museum hours are 1-3 p.m. Tuesday and 1-4 p.m. Saturday. Regular meetings of the Canton Historical Society are held at 7:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month. For additional information, call 397-0088 during regular museum hours.

PREPARATION

Saturday classes designed for expectant couples planning to use birthing centers or birthing rooms are open for enrollment. Classes will run for seven weeks and will be held 9-11 a.m. at Riverside Park Church of God in Livonia. For enrollment information, call In Touch-Association for Pregnancy Enrichment and Childbirth Education, 595-6843, between 8 a.m. and 2 p.m.

WOMEN'S GROUPS

Plymouth Family Service is offering groups for women who wish to explore their drug/alcohol use or who want to recover from drug/alcohol problems. Fees are based on the ability to pay. For additional information, call Judith Darlington at Plymouth Family Service, 453-0890.

NURSERY SCHOOL

The Plymouth Children's Nursery, a cooperative nursery school in Canton, has several openings for 3- and 4-year-olds. For additional information, call Kathy Holbel, 397-2805.

CANTON JAYCEES

The Canton Jaycees have a new location for the general membership meetings, which are held at the Fellows Creek Golf Course clubhouse. Meetings are held at 7:30 p.m. the second Wednesday of each month. They are open to the public. Fellows Creek is on Lotz, north of Michigan Avenue in Canton.

BETHANY

Bethany Plymouth/Canton meets at 8 p.m. the third Saturday of each month at St. Kenneth Church, 14951 Haggerty, south of Five Mile, Plymouth. For additional information, call 981-1274 or 981-1365 after 6 p.m.

TOASTMASTERS

Motor City Speakeasy, a member of Toastmasters International, meets the second and fourth Monday of each month at O'Sheehan's in the

Highland Lakes Shopping Center, southeast corner of Seven Mile and Northville Road in Northville. Dinner is at 6 p.m., the meeting at 7 p.m. Motor City Speakeasy welcomes people who want to improve their speaking skills. For additional information, call 459-5759.

OPTIMISTS

Club meets at 7 p.m. the first and third Mondays of each month in the Miles Standish Room of the Mayflower Hotel in Plymouth. Plymouth and Canton residents may call 453-8547 for membership information.

CHORUS COOKBOOK

Plymouth Community Chorus cookbook, "All Our Best," is available at Plymouth Book World and from chorus members. Price is \$7.95.

FARM AND GARDEN

The Lake Pointe Women's National Farm and Garden Association has two cookbooks available from group members. A number of salads from the spring salad luncheon are included, along with other recipes submitted by the members. The price is \$5. For additional information, call Jean Pink, 453-2802.

CANTON WOMEN

The Canton Women's Club will meet 9-11 a.m. the first and fourth Thursday of the month at the Faith Community Moravian Church, 46001 Warren Road, west of Canton Center, Canton Township. New members may attend. The club is for women interested in being a part of cultural events, group discussion and recreational activities. The club is co-sponsored by the YWCA of Western Wayne County. For additional information, call Cynthia Nichols, area program director, at 561-4110.

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PLYMOUTH SENIORS

The Plymouth Township Seniors meet at the Friendship Station Club Hall, 42373 Schoolcraft, on the following days: Mondays from 10 a.m. to noon for euchre and pool, Tuesdays, 6:30-9:30 p.m. for pinocle, Fridays from 11:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. and 6:30-9:30 p.m. for bridge and pinocle. Seniors living in Plymouth Township or the city of Plymouth may attend. For additional information, call Helen Krupa, 459-6259.

DANCERS' COOKBOOK

The Polish Centennial Dancers of Plymouth cookbook, "Secrets from Centennial Cupboards," is available from group members. It features a number of Polish recipes, along with American recipes. The price is \$5. For additional information, call Kathy Floied, 459-7255.

FAMILIES ANONYMOUS

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

ST. JOHN NEUMANN SENIORS

The 50-Up Club meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the church on Warren Road, west of Sheldon. New members may attend. For information, call Betty Gruchala, president.

U.S. COAST GUARD AUXILIARY

United States Coast Guard Auxili-

ary Canton Flotilla 11-11 meets the fourth Tuesday of the month in Room 2519 Plymouth Salem High School, 46181 Joy, just west of Canton Center. The flotilla welcomes new members. Call Robert Kinsler; 455-2676, for information.

TAKE OFF POUNDS

TOPS Chapter 1236 meets every Thursday evening in Faith Community Church, 46001 Warren, Canton. Weigh-in starts at 6:30 p.m., with a meeting following, 7-8 p.m. For information, call 981-0446.

CIVIL AIR PATROL

Air Force Auxiliary Squadron 16-1 invites interested people to attend its weekly meetings, 6:30-10 p.m. Thursday, on the fourth floor of the main building, Willow Run Airport. Any U.S. citizen 13 or older may become a volunteer. For information, call Robert Eizen, commander, 326-9673.

TOPS MEETING

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) meets from 7:30-8:30 p.m. Wednesdays in Central Middle School, Main at Church, Plymouth. Ideas on weight reduction are discussed. For information, call 453-4756 or 453-1583.

CIVITAN CLUB

The Plymouth-Canton Civitan Club meets at 7 p.m. the third Thursday of each month at the Plymouth Elks Lodge. Civitan is an all-volunteer international service organization for men and women who want to be involved in community service projects, develop new friendships and become better informed about their city and nation. For additional information, call 453-2206 or 459-6464.

new voices

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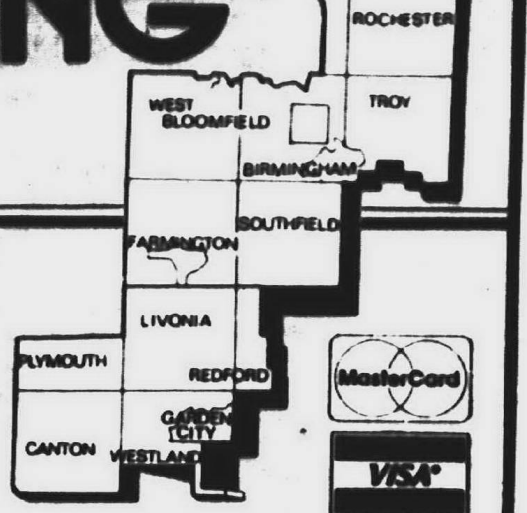
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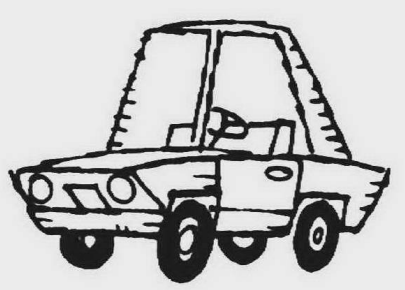
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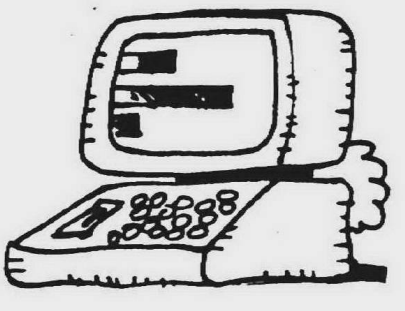
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