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# Hotel, Bank Planning \$1 Million Development

BY W. EDWARD WENDOVER

"It's only the tip of the iceberg."

That was how Ralph Lorenz, owner of the Mayflower Hotel, and Charles Heidt, president of the First National Bank of Plymouth, described their recent downtown developments.

Heidt's bank, which opened two weeks ago, and Lorenz's new motel unit, scheduled to open in mid-December, are only the beginning, they say, of what will be a \$1 million development in the area bounded by the Mayflower Meeting House and Main, Wing and Deer streets.

The development, which would be built by the Lorenz family, would include a central, colonial - style building for the bank of at least 10,000 sq. ft.

"But this could grow in size," Heidt added.

In addition, the tentative plans now call for a "downtown living" project.

Originally, the project was to have included two office buildings on each side of the central bank building. But that idea has been dropped, Lorenz said, because of the difficulty of providing adequate parking (legal requirements could be met) and the uncertainties of commercial office space rental.

In addition, Lorenz said, there is a need for "downtown living.

"Living in the downtown area is a key to its survival," the hotel owner said. "And there are a lot of people who have no place to go (for living downtown). It's that simple."

He said that while plans for the living units have not been drawn up yet, he envisions a plan that would have maintenance of the units under the auspices of the hotel.

Although the plans for the development have not been formally presented to the city, Hedit and Lorenz did discuss the bank building and original office buildings proposals informally with the city commission and the city planning commission some months ago.

Since the formal revised plans have not been developed yet and must be submitted to the city for approval, it is unknown how much time it will take develop the block.

But Heidt estimated that construction of the central bank building could be completed within 12-15 months of the groundbreaking.

# A Toll Road?

A back alley became Plymouth's newest street Monday night by action of the city commission.

Joppa Place – the alley that partially encircles the Central Parking Lot – will become the street address for merchants and upper story residents in

buildings along Penniman, Main and Ann Arbor Trail whose doors open on the alley.

The new street bears the name given to one of the original Plymouth settlements in the early 19th Century and is, in effect, the city's only toll road, as it is accessible only through the gates of the Central Lot.



## On the Move

WINDING ITS WAY around town last week was this house, which originally sat on Ann Arbor Trail by Elizabeth and now rests on Blunk north of Junction. City police had to stop

traffic as the house moved down Ann Arbor Trail to Union, to Penniman, to Main, to Theodore, to Farmer, to Karmada, to Junction. (Staff photo by W. Edward Wendover)

# Goodfellows Seek Help

Insuring that there's "no kiddle without a Christmas" isn't an easy task for the Plymouth Goodfellows.

As they prepare for their 36th year of insuring that the holiday spirit enters every home, Plymouth Goodfellow President Robert Fitzner has asked for more help.

Additional "goodfellows (and women)" are sought to help with the traditional newspaper sale to be held on the weekend of Dec. 14, Fitzner said.

It may seem that seeking women members is something new in light of "women's lib"—but it is nothing new to the Plymouth Goodfellows. The

picture of the 1946 local Goodfellows – posed in front of the old City Hall – shows that three women participated that year.

For some reason, it always snows on the day of the Goodfellow paper sale, Fitzner pointed out, but that doesn't

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"CHRISTMAS IN PLYMOUTH," a special section on the Yule Season in our community, will appear in next week's edition of The Community Crier. Due to the Thankagiving holiday next Thursday, all deadlines for next week's edition have been moved up to Saturday — our offices will be open that day but will be closed Thankagiving Day.



MEIJER THRIFTY ACRES — 45001 FORD RD. AT CANTON CENTER RD.

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# Canton Leads in School Tax Delinquency



SECOND GRADERS in Ann Depa's class at Smith Elementary School are learning how the Indians made clay jewelry and pottery in earthen kilns. The class dug clay out of the ground and baked it in pits dug into the earth for charcoal fires. When completed, the class will have hand-made beads to wear. (Staff photo).

# Attorney Finds New Canton Budget Legal

BY KATHY KUENZER

The question of whether or not Canton's \$1.48 million budget for 1975 is legal has been resolved. In a letter to outgoing supervisor Phil Dingledey, John H. Bauckham, attorney for the Michigan Association of

# Holdup 'Victim' Sentenced

Charles L. Patrick, 17, of Westland, was sentenced Nov. 1 to 45 days in the Detroit House of Corrections after he was found guilty of reporting a fictitious crime to a police officer in September when he told State Police that a bandit had robbed him at gunpoint while he was working at the Marathon gas station, 15255 Sheldon Road.

The station manager reported to police that on the night of the robbery he and Patrick were closing the station when he noticed a bulge in the attendant's pocket.

According to police reports, Patrick told him that he had forgotten about the money (\$100) and that it belonged to the station, Townships, declared that in his opinion the budget was legitimate.

The board of trustees approved the budget after a public hearing Oct. 31 without making copies available for public examination at township offices at least seven days before the hearing, as required by state law.

The Michigan statute also states, however, that the township's budget must be approved by Nov. 1, which left the board the choice of waiting the requisite seven days and approving the budget after Nov. 1, or approving the budget before Nov. 1 without the seven-day notice.

After the board took the latter alternative, there was much conjecture about the wisdom and legality of their choice.

In his letter to Dingledey, Bauckham stated, that "to thwart the governmental functions of a township on the basis of such an immaterial and unsubstantial technical error would certainly be contrary to public health, safety and welfare and would serve no real public purpose."

Trustee James Poole read Bauckham's letter last week at a meeting of the township board, BY HANK MEIJER

With nearly eight months elapsed since the deadline for filing property taxes without penalty, a number of Plymouth community school district property owners — including some of its larger taxpayers — have yet to come to terms with the county treasurer.

According to Ray Hoedel, assistant superintendent for business, and School Board Treasurer Thomas Yack, the delinquency rate is higher in Canton Township than in other areas of the district.

While more than 90 per cent of school taxes were paid by March 1 in the City of Plymouth and Plymouth Township, Canton lagged behind, with only about 86 per cent of its school taxes paid.

Delinquent taxpayers violate no law. They have nearly three years to pay their taxes, which increase under a four per cent delinquency penalty and one-half of one per cent per month interest.

Yack noted at the last school board meeting, however, that the penalty charge is far lower than current interest rates, providing some large taxpayers with a profitable loophole which allows them to invest the money during the penalty period at a high interest rate, 12 per cent for example. This makes it profitable to invest the money at the high rate and take the four per cent penalty later.

"They're following the letter of the law, but not really the spirit of the law," Yack said of corporations which might consider the practice.

The school board passed a resolution last week expressing its support for legislation that would raise the penalty rate to discourage the withholding of tax payments for profit.

Board members stressed that some delinquency provisions must be maintained to protect individual residents who through hardship cannot afford to pay their tax bills on time.

While not singling out specific taxpayers, Yack charged that corporations with larger tax bills are more likely to take advantage of the lower delinquency rate.

Whatever their motives, he expressed particular concern over the possibility that apartment dwellers who expect their school taxes to be included in their rent might in effect be deprived of their right to pay taxes if an apartment owner withheld his payment.

"That's an individual decision," he said. "When you're in an apartment complex you haven't got anything to say." He termed such circumstances a "moral" issue.

According to Yack, if larger taxpayers were quicker to pay their taxes it would also "help us (the schools) out in terms of budgeting."

"I'd like to recieve 100 per cent of our taxes," Hoedel said.

County tax rolls show that as of Monday, Nov. 18, Sterling Homes Inc., owners of the Deer Creek Park Apartments properties, still owe the schools about \$86,000 — by far the largest outstanding single amount in the district.

The firm paid the bulk of its 1973 tax bill on time. The remaining taxes reflect the schools' share of property taxes on a section of property valued at more than \$2.4 million. The total valuation of all the Deer Creek property is \$6.5 million, which, according to school officials, makes it the fourth largest taxpayer in the district after Burroughs, Western Electric and Ford Motor Co.

Plymouth Township pays the largest portion of district school taxes, with 45 per cent, of the total. Canton pays 29 per cent, the City of Plymouth 20 per cent, Northville Township 1.6

per cent and Washtenaw County's Salem and Superior Townships smaller fractions.

Because of recent legislation, Michigan counties can choose an alternative method of collecting school taxes. Washtenaw County has exercised the option borrowing against its expected revenues to pay the schools their tax share and collect delinquency penalties itself when the late taxes finally come in.

Thus, the schools have already received 100 per cent of their tax money due from Salem and Superior township portions of the district.

# DPW Chief Suspended

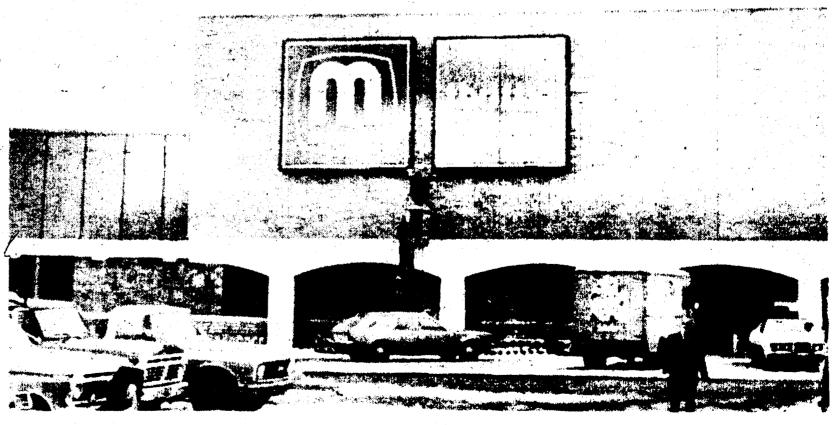
Ken Vogras, head of the city's DPW Dept., has been suspended without pay for two weeks by City Manager Fred L. Yockey.

According to Yockey, Vogras was suspended for authorizing a \$7,900 seal coating job without taking formal bids. The city charter requires all expenditures of more than \$1,000 to be put out for bids except in cases of emergency.

"He (Vogras) really thought it was an emergency because he wanted to get the seal coating (in Riverside Cemetery) done this fall," Yockey said. "But he's been warned about this before."

Vogras, who will report back to work next Tuesday, told The Community Crier, "It was my fault; I just wanted to get the work done."

The DPW head's decision on the scal coating came to light on Nov. 6 when he wrote a letter to Yockey asking that the paving company be paid for the "emergency" job. Vogras took price quotes from several companies before authorizing the job, Yockey said.



# Meijer Thrifty Acres Opens

MEIJER THRIFTY ACRES, the Plymouth-Canton community's newest and largest department-food store complex, opened its doors Tuesday morning even as workmen were putting on the finishing touches inside.

The grand opening any picket lines around the parking lot however, as members of the Retail Clerks' International Assoc. protested for recognition of their union. The clarks at the store are currently represented by the Consolidated Independent Union. (Staff photo)

# Santa Coming, Retailers Set Yule Hours

Extended Christmas business hours will begin Friday for many Plymouth merchants.

The retail committee of the Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce suggests that merchants open from 9:30 a.m. to 9 p.m. The committee suggests that those who prefer to open on Sunday operate from noon to 5 p.m.

The annual tree lighting ceremony in Kellogg Park will be held Friday, Nov. 29 at 7:30 p.m. Christmas carols will highlight the event. Santa will arrive in town Saturday, Nov. 30 at noon at his house, now under construction at the corner of Wing and Forest.



SOME HUNTERS travel far North for deer season and have to wait several days for a chance to bag their buck, but not so for Bob White of 6139 Courtland Drive in Canton. He shot this deer on the first day of the season in South Lyon, but had to go back the next day to pick up the track and find the buck.

#### IT'S HAYES-ING TIME AGAIN



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YOUR LOCAL BUCKEYES

# What's Happening

The PLYMOUTH SENIOR CITIZEN CLUB is offering a mystery shopping trip. All seniors and their friends are welcome. The group will leave from city hall, Tuesday, Nov. 26 at 9 a.m. and will return about 5 p.m. The price is \$4. Provide your own lunch. For more information call 453-0799 or 453-2904.

Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church will host a BENEFIT DANCE for the mentally retarded Friday, Nov. 22 from 6 to 11 p.m. Poster children will be there, as well as live music by the John Needham Group. Disc jockey Bill Gable will emcee the event, which will be held in the school gym. Admission is \$1 stag, \$1.50 drag.

The First Annual CHRISTMAS ARTS AND CRAFTS SHOW will be held Dec. 6-8 at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer St. Hours are 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. on Friday and Saturday and 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Sunday. There is no admission fee. More than 30 exhibitors and dealers will be on hand with a wide range of items including leather, hand-made dolls, stuffed animals, stained leaded glass, applique quilts, Scandinavian arts and crafts, porcelain, pottery, painting, ecology boxes, candles, knitting, crocheting and other displays. There still may be openings for displaying items. For table space, persons may contact the Plymouth Department of Parks and Recreation, which is the sponsor of the show. Persons may contact the office at 525 Farmer St. or phone 455-6620.

The Plymouth Youth Center, 271 S. Main, will host a workshop on NATURAL FOODS Tuesday, Nov. 26 at 7:30 p.m. The seminar will be the first in a series of workshops on survival in a technological society.

Bob Stearns, an ecology expert from Oakland University, will speak on FUTURE SHOCK at the Plymouth Youth Center Saturday, Nov. 23 at 7:30 p.m. The center is at 271 S. Main.

ALCOHOLISM AMONG YOUNG PEOPLE will be the topic of a Plymouth Youth Center workshop tomorrow (Thursday) at 7:30 p.m. at the center, 271 S. Main. A member of Alcoholics Anonymous will speak on methods used by AA and the prevalence of alcohol and drug abuse among adults and juveniles will be discussed.

A Thanksgiving program by students will highlight tonight's (Wednesday's) meeting of the MILLER SCHOOL PTO at 7:30 p.m. at the school, 43721 Hanford. At this first meeting members will vote on by-laws. The Miller staff will also be introduced.

St. John's Episcopal Church will hold its CHRISTMAS FAIR Friday, Nov. 22 from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. and Saturday, Nov. 23 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the church, 574 S. Sheldon Road. In addition to crafts, toys and decorations, the fair will offer snacks and dinner on Friday and a luncheon on Saturday. Pony rides will highlight children's activities on Saturday, with babysitting provided by the church. A door prize will also be awarded.

The Truesdell School Mothers' Club will, hold a BAKE-CRAFT-PLANT-RUMMAGE SALE Friday, Nov. 22 from 6 to 9 p.m. and Saturday, Nov. 23 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the school, 1036 Haggerty Road, just south of Cherry Hill.

The ALLEN SCHOOL PTO is collecting Campbell Soup and bean product lables to use to get playground equipment for the school. The labels may be dropped off at the school office or at Wrigley's on Ann Arbor Road near Haggerty. The PTO is also sponsoring the sale of Goodfellow dolls, which will be on display at the building.

The December meeting of the CANTON TOWNSHIP NEWCOMERS CLUB will feature a Christmas tea and an ornament making session. The meeting will be held on Wednesday, Dec. 4, at 7 p.m. in the Pioneer Middle School Auditorium, 46081 W. Ann Arbor Road. Representatives of the Newcomers' crafts groups will demonstrate ornament making and help members make their own. All new Canton residents are invited.

Thanksgiving Eve service will be held Wednesday, Nov. 27 at 7:30 p.m. at the Plymouth First United Methodist Church, North Territorial near Sheldon. This hour of praise and thanks, with the eighth grade Sunday school class participating, recaptures the Thanksgiving of the Pilgrims. The offering is for relief of hunger and tragedy. Everyone is cordially invited.

Plymouth's American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars will jointly sponsor a PANCAKE AND SAUSAGE BENEFIT Saturday, Nov. 23, from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. The event will be held at the VFW hall on Lilley Road and tickets will be \$1.75 per person and \$1.25 for children under 12. Tickets may be purchased in advance at the VFW hall any evening, at the Legion hall on Friday evening, or by contacting either of the post commanders, Bob Finley and Bob McElroy, or at the door. All proceeds will go to the Olson family in an effort to assist them in their battle of mounting medical bills for Leslie. Leslie's father, Gerald, is a member of both the Legion and VFW.

Canton Township Recreation invites all township residents to join the CANTON SKI CLUB. The club will be skiing at Alpine Valley on Wednesday nights. Prices will be, two tickets, \$3.50; rentals, \$3; lessons, \$1. A bus fee will be charged weekly. Interested residents young and old should contact the Recreation Department before the end of November. A weekend ski trip is possible if enough people are interested. For information call 722-1121.

# What's Happening

The Plymouth-Salem state champion football team will be honored at a FOOTBALL BANQUET Wednesday, Nov. 20, at 6:30 p.m. at the Plymouth Elks Club on Ann Arbor Road. Parents of varsity, JV and freshman team members as well as the general public are invited to attend. Tickets are \$4 per person and may be purchased at the athletic office at Plymouth-Canton High School. Reservations may be made by calling Mrs. Baker at 453-3100, ext. 373.

Newburgh United Methodist Church, 36500 Ann Arbor Trail, will host a CRAFT FAIR AND BAZAAR, Nov. 22-23. The event will run from noon to 9 p.m. Friday and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission is 50 cents. An antique show, for which a \$1 admission will be charged, will also be held.

Ths PLYMOUTH SYMPHONY LEAGUE'S ANNUAL CHRISTMAS BALL is set for Friday, Dec. 6. Tickets are \$30 per couple, which includes dinner and dancing. The event will be held at the Barton Hills Country Club in Ann Arbor. Cocktails begin at 7 p.m., with dinner at 8 and dancing at 9. There is a limit of 110 tickets. For tickets contact Mrs. Thomas Turner, 1300 Linden, or Mrs. Richard Pierce, 1095 Roosevelt. General chairmen for the event are Mrs. A.H. Miller and Mrs. Al Heindryckx.

Child psychiatrist Dr. James Sonnega of Plymouth will address the Plymouth - Northville chapter of the MICHIGAN ASSN. FOR CHILDREN WITH LEARNING DISABILITIES on the "Limits of Learning: Emotional Problems of Children," Wednesday, Nov. 20 at 7:30 p.m. in the cafeteria at Pioneer Middle School, 46081 Ann Arbor Road.

Our Lady of Good Counsel Recital Series continues with an ORGAN RECITAL by Alan G. Cook on Sunday, Nov. 24, at 7:30 p.m. Mr. Cook is organist at OLGC and is completing a doctorate in organ performance at the University of Michigan. His program, which is free and open to the public, will include works by J. S. Bach, Frescobaldi, Mozart, Franck, and Messiaen. An offering will be received.

Centennial Educational Park will begin a new facet of its vocational child care program in December. Under the direction of Mrs. Mary Beth Koss, the high school students will instigate a program for preschoolers age three and four. The program will operate as a type of NURSERY SCHOOL from 8 to 10 a.m. beginning Dec. 2. Parents who are interested in the possibility of enrolling their preschoolers should contact Mrs. Koss at 453-3100, ext. 340, between 9:30 and 10:30 daily or after 3 p.m.

The MAYFLOWER GARDEN CLUB of Plymouth will hold its monthly meeting Thursday, Nov. 21, at 10 a.m., at the home of Catherine Lewis, 48085 Colony Farms Circle. Her co-hostess will be Ruth Quinn. The project will be a corn husk workshop.

Thursday, Nov. 21 the AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN (AAUW) will hold its monthly meeting at Middle School West in Plymouth. The coffee hour starts at 7:30, followed by a craft workshop. Members will be able to participate in making one of three different projects under the direction of the AAUW Arts and Crafts group.

#### Fred Reiman Sr. Dies Nov. 7

Frederick J. Reiman, Sr., 65, of Wolverine, formelry of Plymouth, died Nov. 7 at his home. Services were held at graveside with Rev. G. Douglas Routledge of Calvary Baptist Church officiating.

Mr. Reiman was survived by his son, Frederick, Jr. of Livonia; daughter, Mrs. Jacqueline Roberts of Garden City; brother, Russell of Detroit; sisters, Rachel Reiman of Plymouth and Mrs. Mildred Fullerton of Indian River; seven grandchildren and one greatgrandchild.

He was a retired engineer for the Wayne County Road Commission. He was also a member of Calvary Baptist Church, FOE - Northville and F & AM No. 47 of Plymouth.

#### William Bates Dies Nov. 11

William M. Bates, 60, of 40627 Newport Dr., Plymouth Township, died Nov. 11 in Sinai Hospital. Services were held in Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church with Fr. William McKinnon officiating. Burial was in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

He is survived by his wife, Mary; daughter, Mrs. Claudia Piotrowski of Hamtramck; son, Gary of Hamtramck; two sisters and six grandchildren.

Mr. Bates, a native of Illinois, was an automotive pattern maker and a former sergeant on the Wayne County Road Patrol.

He was a member of Alhambra Club, Galicia No. 77; Cardinal Mooney Council No. 3577 of the Knights of Columbus

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# Elizabeth Smith Dies Nov. 9

Elizabeth A. Smith, 75, of 49404 Oak St., Plymouth Township, died Nov. 9 in the Hendry Convalescent Center. Services were held in Schrader Funeral Home with Rev. Phillip Rogers Magee of First United Presbyterian Church officiating. Burial was in Riverside Cemetery.

Survivors are her husband, Clyde Smith; daughters, Mrs. Winifred Dorset and Mrs. Beverly Everson, both of Plymouth; sisters, Miss Laverne Sly and Mrs. Dorothy MacKenzie, both of Plymouth; five grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Smith was a member of First United Presbyterian Church and of the Order of the Eastern Star.

#### Elva Kisse Dies

Elva Mae Kisse, of 46375 Warren Road, Canton, died Nov. 9 in the Cambridge Nursing Centre after a long illness. Services were held in Our Lady of Good Counsel Church Catholic with Fr. Robert Keller officiating. Burial was in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

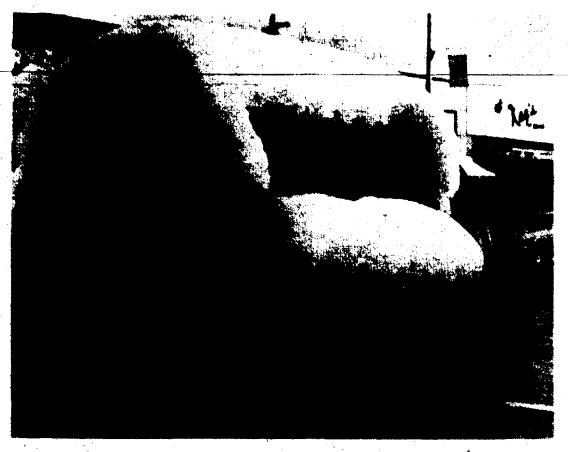
Survivors are her husband, Thomas; daughter, Mrs. Marilyn Filipek of Madison Heights; sisters, Mrs. Allen Strong of Caseville, Mrs. Edward Relitz of Tipton and Mrs. Douglas DeMond of Ypsilanti; and five grandchildren.

She was a resident of the area for 45 years and a member of Our Lady of Good Counsel Church and the Rosemary Altar Society.









THE FIRST SNOW lent a touch of grace to even the most codinary objects for a few hours last week in downtown Plymouth. While most of it melted quickly and the season's first snowmen withered soon after, the winter interlude reminded motorists that snow tires and antifreeze shouldn't be put off much longer. Studs aren't legal until December, but shovels, scrapers and maybe a broom in the trunk might come in handy any day now.

# Letters

Editor:

Interested in the future generations.

It seems and it is apparent that some of the officials at our city hall — "White House" have been giving our citizens — property and business owners — your most precious gems, the voters, a walk down the Primrose Path.

The foremost and very important question asked by many concerned people.

What has happened to all the dreams or plans that were formulated for "Old Village"?

Plans for beautification renovating and parking for the area.

The business people in "Old Village" are earnest, honest and sincere workers. A breed of humanity you should be proud, exist, working together for the betterment of their community—spiritual and material.

It's a shame that we have a few within the city government who have their eyes, ears and mouth closed.

Can't they face reality or vision for the future?

You can't do for one part of the city and completely forget the other. In unification — working together and becoming whole — there is power.

The money that was spent for the plans too must have been enormous. Who feathered whose nest.

Somewhere in the thousands. Oh!!! What pity.

May I give you a concrete, constructive suggestion. Pray!!!

June Elizabeth Wilmet

Editor:

Good luck to the new Plymouth Community Crier organization. It is our hope that you will continue to prosper and to fill the great need for a truly community-oriented newspaper.

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# A Rose By Any Name...

In an unanimous action Monday night the city commission created a street from a nondescript back alley and still adjourned in time to see Sonny Corleone gunned down in the conclusion of The Godfather.

Like a sow's ear transformed overnight to a silk purse, a nameless stretch of pavement may become one of the city's most notable addresses.

Giving an identity to the alley, which serves as an access route from Ann Arbor Trail to the Central Parking Lot, was much more than a whimsical addition to city street maps, however.

The move has its practical aspects. A handful of businesses in buildings which face Penniman, Main and Ann Arbor Trail actually open onto the alley — now to be known as "Joppa Place." Similarly, several residents are renovating lofts in upper stories of those buildings as apartments.

Until now, neither the merchants nor the residents have been able to get mail deliveries at their doors, as the post office could only deliver to the Penniman, Main or Ann Arbor Trail addresses. Joppa Place gives

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them street numbers they can call their own.

The name itself adds touch of history to the downtown area. According to Tex Thomann, a resident of one of the Joppa Place lofts and a member of the planning commission, modern Plymouth grew up around two different crossroads which were settled in the early 19th Century.

One of the settlements was Podunk, a cluster of buildings at the corner of what is now Main and Ann Arbor Trail. Why not call the alley Podunk Place? "We passed by that one," Thomann said.

The other settlement was

Joppa, located near the present corner of Main and Mill Streets.

Joppa Place is also distinctive because it's the city's only toll road — one of two access routes for cars entering the Central Lot — so drivers who want to cruise it will have to pay by the hour.

Beyond its unusual characteristics and historical background, Joppa Place is important for what it can become—a symbol of what a few imaginative people, like the loft residents—can do to make the central business district an inviting, colorful and ultimately habitable place.

A new Joppa.

-HANK MEIJER

#### With Malice Toward None

# One-Sign Campaign



BY W. EdWAld

WENDOVER

Now that the newly-elected township officials are taking office today, I have a confession to make.

While many know this column for its barbs about politics, I must now reveal that I too fell prey to the lure of the ballot box.

Not just as a voter — I was a candidate. The elections are over so I can reveal my fall into the circus of politics (in Salem Township).

This was not my first bout in the follies; I ran for township trustee two years ago and lost then, too. (This year I was much closer however — I lost by 100 votes.)

My candidacy apparently wasn't well known to most people — particularly the voters of Salem Township. But what can you expect from a one-sign campaign?

Since my father is a frustrated poet, he suggested I use Burma Shave signs for my campaign. He composed all kinds of jingles like:

Listen birds,
These signs cost money.
So roost a while,
But don't get funny.
Wendover for trustee.
or

To 55, You can't vote If you're not alive.

Wendover for trustee.

Please hold your speed

The sign idea really caught on when we decided that the Burma Shave theme could garner votes if I pledged to shave off my beard when elected.

(We thought that might overcome Salem township voters' reluctance to elect a hippie - looking fellow to their board.)

But only one sign ever got finished. It leaned precariously on the fence post on our corner.

The campaign centered around a single issue — the township dump operation. (They hope to pile garbage 250 feet in the air, cover it with dirt and make it into a ski hill.)

I guess the voters didn't care — I lost again.

This paper doesn't cover Salem Township politics but I thought you might be interested to know that although I often lambaste the politicians, even I can fall prey to the lure of public office.

I took it seriously, but at least not so seriously as to go crazy about it.

In particular, my good friend Bob Greenstein has often complained that my cynicism towards politics is unhealthy. Now Bob knows that I succumbed to the political follies which I had always criticized.

But at least I only put up one sign.

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### Plymouth School Lunch Menu

ALLEN ELEMENTARY MONDAY, NOVEMBER 25 Vegetable beef soup, peanut butter and jelly sandwich, fruit cup, toll bar,

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 26 Ravioli, buttered corn bread, buttered vegetable, jello with fruit,

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 27 Hot dogs on a bun, relishes, buttered vegetable, fruit cup, cookie, milk.

BIRD
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 25
Chicken noodle soup, peanut butter
and honey sandwich, tollhouse bar,
fruit cup, milk,
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 26
Pizza-burger, buttered vegetables,
pickles, fruit cup, chocolate
cake milk

cake, milk.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 27 Hot dog on a bun, buttered vegetables, fruit cup, dessert, milk.

CENTRAL ELEMENTARY & MIDDLE SCHOOLS

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 25 Chicken noodle soup, peanut butter and jelly sandwich, fruit cup, toll house bar, milk.
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 26

Beef ravioli, buttered corn, apple sauce, hot cinnamon roll, milk. WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 27 Tacos with lettuce and cheese, buttered asparagus, jello, cookies,

FARRAND MONDAY, NOVEMBER 25 Grilled cheese sandwich, cream of tomato soup, peanut butter bar, fruit cup and milk.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 26 Chicken in gravy over hot mashed potatoes, pickle slices, hot buttered

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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 26 Sloppy Joe, orange juice, buttered corn, cookie and milk.

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WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 27 Open face hot turkey sandwich, mashed potatoes w/gravy, applesauce or cranberry sauce, milk.

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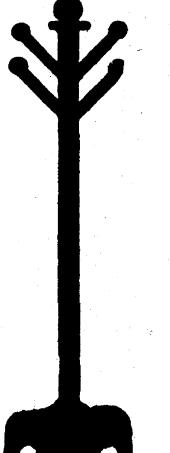
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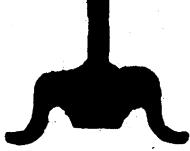
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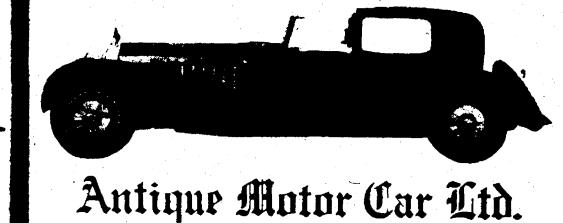
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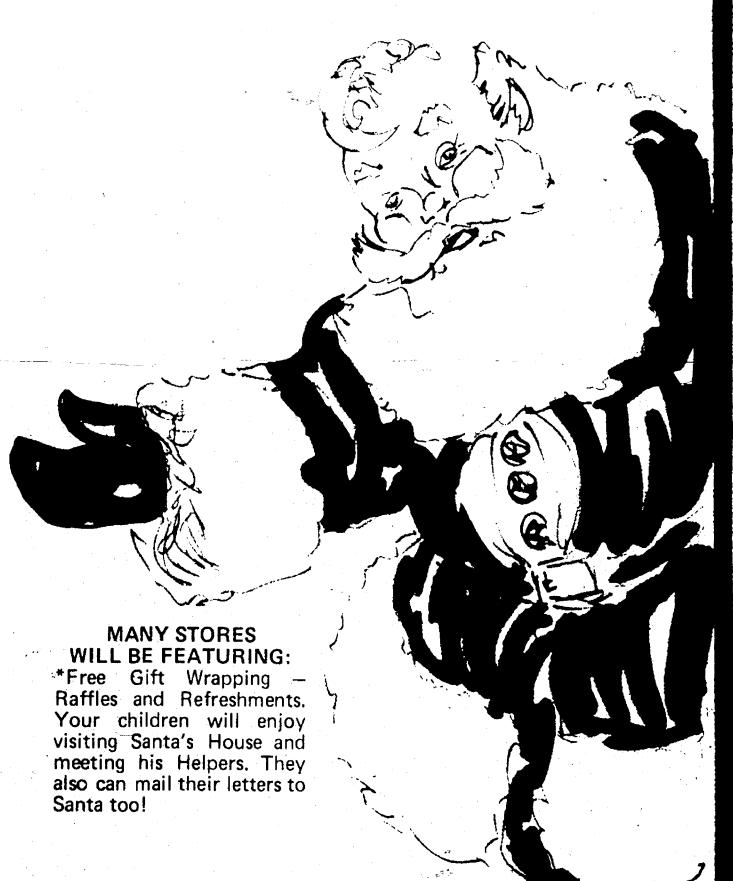
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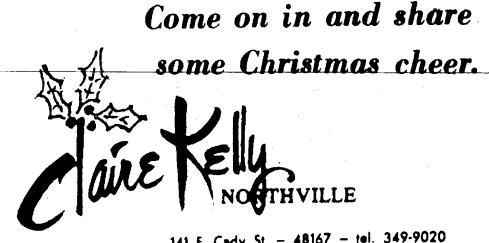
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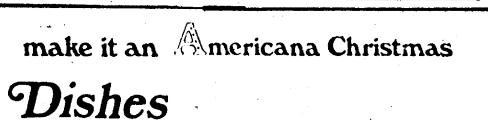
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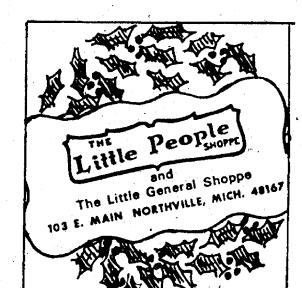


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# Our House-Youth Inc. Join Hands

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Our House, a crisis center which offers "Buzzline" crisis counseling over the telephone and on a walk-in basis, has also started a free medical clinic and a legal aid clinic.

In addition, Our House offers drug overdose aid and coordinates a parents' group and volunteer training programs. It is housed at 185 S. Harvey St. and its phone is 455-4900.

Youth Inc. offers lesiure time activities, a learning center and employment and art programs. The Youth Center also runs a value clarification seminar and coordinates a food co-op.

The Youth Center is currently located at 271 S. Main St., but is looking for a permanent location since the Oberver & Eccentric Newspapers, which owns the building, has notified the city that the building is for sale.

Youth Inc.'s phone number is 455-4090.

The complete merger has not been worked out yet.

"Both boards have passed resolutions saying this is our intent but they haven't met jointly yet," said Tom DeMott, director of Our House.

Dale Yagiela, Youth Inc. director, said the merger "is the best way to handle the needs and to build a broader base of community support."

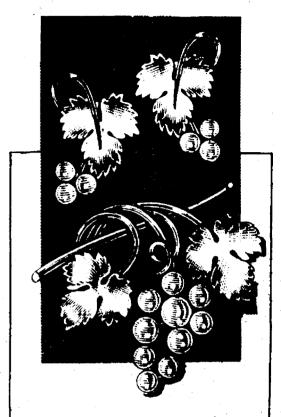
"We're generating a larger constituency," DeMott explained.

"If a person comes in contact with one component," he added, "it's going to be lot easier to get in touch with the other services under the merger."

"I'm really excited about this thing," Yagiela said.

One of the first items of business, the directors said, will be applying for a youth program grant from the Wayne County Juvenile Facility Network, which administers federal

This, Yagiela said, could help overcome the funding problems which Youth Inc. has always





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#### funding. Canton Denies Rezoning

#### BY KATHY KUENZER

An appeal on a previously denied request to rezone land at the southwest corner of Joy and Sheldon Roads has been turned down by Canton's Board of Trustees.

Brookville Associates, developers of the land, requested that 20 acres south of Joy Road just west of Sheldon be rezoned from allowing only 150 multiple units and seven acres of office to C-2 general business.

The developers said that such rezoning would enable them to encourage the Wayne County Road Commission to speed up improvements on Joy and further down Sheldon. The board agreed, however, that too many questions remained about

#### commission because of lack of response from the road commission that it would support improvements in the

the project and that promises for

road development in the near

future were not concrete enough.

The rezoning was denied before by the planning

# Things are happening at Main & Wing

# Minerals Displayed

The rock and mineral collection of Mrs. Dunbar Davis was on display recently in the library at Plymouth-Salem High School.

Mrs. Davis, wife of Judge Dunbar Davis, has amassed sizable collection from around the country. She came to the Centennial Educational Park at the invitation of earth science teacher John Birk.

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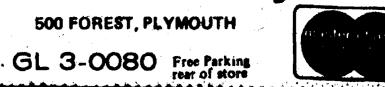
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# Plymouth Goodfellows Seek Help

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On Christmas Eve the Goodfellows make their deliveries to make certain that every child in the Plymouth Community has a happy Christmas.

The funds collected by the Plymouth Goodfellows through their annual newspaper sale are used to provide dinners, clothing and other items in addition to childrens' toys.

"No money goes to administration costs," Fitzner explained. "Every penny we collect is given those who are needy and qualified."

Fitzner said that anyone wishing to help the Goodfellows can call him' (453-7078 or 453-6800) or the city's fire station.

#### Truck Hits Train

Harvey Stock, 46, of Hamburg, received a traffic citation late Friday night when his pick-up collided with a C & O switch engine moving south at the Farmer Street crossing.

Stock told Plymouth police that he was travelling west on Farmer when his brakes failed as he approached the tracks. Both truck and train were moving at less than five miles per hour and no injuries were reported.

#### Bruce Mirto Is Honored

Woodmen Accident and Life Company has announced that of its 600 representatives, Bruce F. Mirto of Plymouth, Michigan, was one of the top five producers in the sale of life insurance for the month of October, 1974.

Mirto is a member of the Company's Southeast Michigan Agency in Plymouth.

#### C&O Charged With Delays

Plymouth police reported that C & O trains blocked crossings at both Ann Arbor Trail and S. Mill Street far beyond the fiveminute limit Friday night.

A 25-minute delay was reported at Ann Arbor Trail, while a Plymouth policeman reported that he timed the blinking switches on South Mill at 44 minutes.

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# Canton Girl Cagers Bounce Mott 60-38

#### **BY DENNIS O'CONNOR**

After losing its first three games of the season, the Plymouth-Canton girls basketball team has come to life, winning its last five games in a row.

The girls' latest victory came Thursday as they overwhelmed Western Six League opponent Waterford Mott 60-38.

The first quarter of play ended in a 10-10 tie, but the Chiefs' soon came to life in front of the home crowd. They outscored their opponents 15-7 in the second stanza, taking an eight-point lead at the half, 25-17.

Sparked by the third quarter hustle of guard Sue Myrtle, the Chiefs literally blew the Mott cagers back to where they came from. Sue scored 10 of her game-high 25 points in that quarter, pacing the Chiefs to a 21-7 scoring advantage that increased their lead to 46-24.

In the final quarter Coach

Mike McCauley cleared his bench as every girl saw action. The biggest margin the Chiefs possessed was a 30-point spread in the middle of the third period.

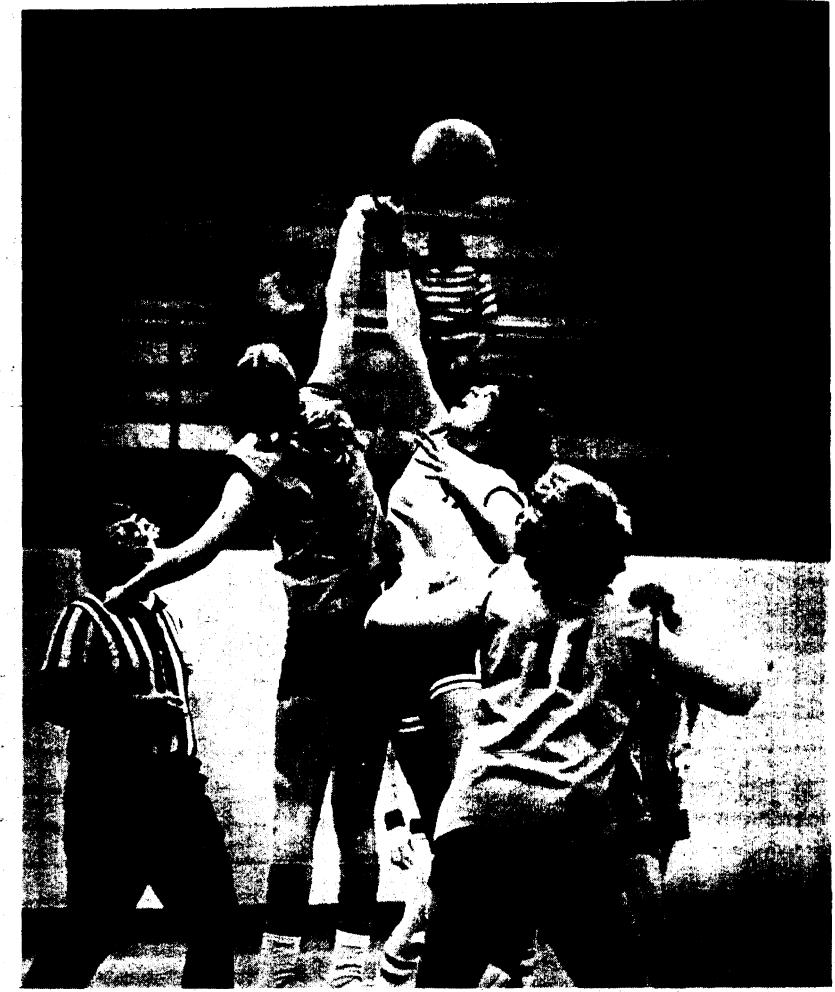
Along with Myrtle's 25, Ellen Doran popped in 11 and center Jenny Diehl added with 10.

The Chiefs' next game will be a State tournament contest Saturday at St. Mary of Redford in Detroit. Game time is 8:30 p.m.

The Canton girls junior varsity squad also continued its winning ways, clowning the Mott JV 35-27 in a prelude to the varsity

Coach Pat O'Donnell likewise was able to empty his bench as a sticky full court press wiped Mott out early.

The Canton JV grabbed an early lead and kept control. A 14-2 first period margin increased to 29-7 in the middle of the second, telling the story of the game's eventual outcome.



PLYMOUTH-CANTON'S Kathy Stevens (with glasses) goes up for the jump ball with

Waterford-Mott's Sue Morris in Thursday's fifth win in a row for the "Squaws." The Canton women beat Mott 60-38. (Staff photo).

# Doc's Corner

by Dennis O'Connor

#### **BY DENNIS O'CONNOR**

The excitement of a busy and rewarding fall sports season is rapidly coming to an end for Plymouth-Salem and Plymouth-Canton.

The highlight of autumn was given to us by Tom Moshimer and his Plymouth-Salem Rock football team. The Rocks thrilled all their fans in the community when they roared to an undefeated (9-0) season. Along with this great accomplishment (which hadn't been achieved in 22 years) Plymouth also won its first Suburban Eight League title since 1963.

The success of the Rocks received state recognition, as Plymouth was named number one in the Metro West area and NUMBER ONE IN THE STATE OF MICHIGAN by the Michigan High School Athletic Association.

Plymouth-Salem's golf team

continued its winning ways this year as the 1973 Michigan Class A champions won the Sub-8 crown for their second year in a row. In state tournament competition Plymouth golfers won their regional and placed 11th among all Michigan Class A high schools.

Plymouth-Salem's girls tennis team finished second in league play and showed much improvement over last year's record.

Two very youthful teams, Plymouth-Salem boys cross-country and girls swimming, started their seasons slowly but were winners by the end of the year. They should be strong contenders in 1975.

Over at Plymouth-Canton, the football squad entered its second season of varsity competition. The team improved on its last place (0-5) finish in the Western Six League a year ago as Coach Jim Muneio's crew took second in the league (3-2) behind state power Farmington Harrison.

The golf team also fared wellthis season, ending the year a runner-up to Northville in the league match.

The cross-country and girls tennis teams had record-breaking seasons as they displayed much dedication throughout the year.

A good combination of freshmen and sophomores along with some experienced swimmers gave Canton a swim team that was improving its times almost daily.

Canton's freshman football team brought Chief fans their first unbeaten year ever, as they wound up with a perfect 6-0 season.

To all the teams of the past season, I compliment them and their coaches and wish them good luck in 1975.

#### Coverage Shifts

As the fall sports season comes to a close, the Plymouth Community Crier sports section will now be turning to the upcoming winter sports scene in the Plymouth schools.

Included in the winter coverage will be detailed reports on the varsity basketball teams from both Plymouth-Salem and Plymouth-Canton High Schools. Play of the reserve teams (junior varsity and freshmen) will also be reported.

Boys varsity swimming and wrestling teams will also be included in our coverage.

Come January of the new year, the girls will enter the scene in volley ball action.



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The league emphasizes development of skills, sportsmanship and enjoyment.

Anyone seeking further information should contact Day Abram at 455-1275 or Bob Roth at 453-0539.

### Salem, Canton Cagers Debut Tuesday

No sooner does the football season end, then basketball is ready to take over. Tuesday night (Nov. 26) both varsity basketball teams, along with their junior varsity squads, will be opening their seasons.

Plymouth-Salem, defending Suburban Eight League champ, will be active in a non-league home game against Walled Lake Central. The Rocks are coached by Fred Thomann, who is entering his third year at the

The Plymouth-Canton Chiefs will be on the road for their opener as they travel to Woodhaven. The Chiefs are directed by second year varsity. coach Casev Cavell.

The Salem JV's starting time is 6 p.m., with Canton JV's going at 6:30 p.m. Both varsity games will follow, with approximate starting times of 8 p.m.

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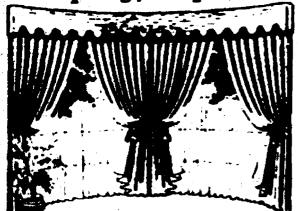
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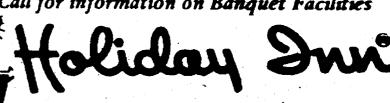
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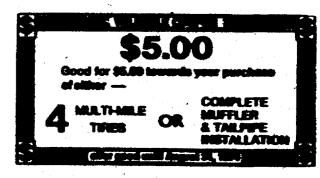
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Seventh graders will take the test during second semester.

#### **Armed Robbery** Suspect Caught

Donald R. Ausmus, 21, of 10801 North Territorial, was arraigned Friday in 35th District Court on charges that he robbed the Cracker Barrel Party Store, 40522 Ann Arbor Trail, of an undisclosed amount of cash on the night of Nov. 7.

Ausmus entered a plea of not guilty. Bond was set at \$75,000, with an examination scheduled for Monday, Nov. 25.

Employees of the party store told State Police that a bandit matching the supect's description entered the store at night wearing a blonde wig and a Halloween mask and carrying a sawed - off shotgun.

According to State Police, two male employees who were in the store at the time were forced into the beer cooler while the robber escaped.

### Gas Station Burglarized

According to police reports, a set of radial tires valued at \$240 was stolen late Friday night or early Saturday morning from Weber's Gulf Service, 307 Stark weather.

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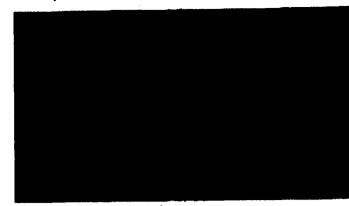
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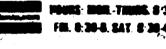
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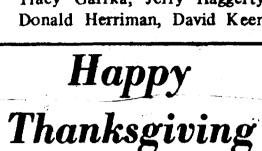
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