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"Guys and Dolls" on March 17, 18 and 19 at 8 p.m. in the Salem High School auditorium. Tickets are \$2.50 and can be purchased from cast members or at the door. (Left) Mike Corliss (Nathan Detroit) and Scott LaRiche (Sky Masterson) are the male leads. (Crier photos by Susan Sheiner.)



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Road patrols could go beyond June 30

BY KATHY KUENZER

A release last week by the Wayne County Public Safety and Judiciary Committee of the Board of Commissioners has raised the ire of Commissioner Royce Smith whose district includes Plymouth, Plymouth Township and Canton.

The committee said it had agreed to help townships make a "smooth transition" to other arrangements to replace the free protection now provided by the Wayne County Sheriffs and due to be withdrawn from township roads on June 30.

"I'm perturbed about the

release," said Smith, "because I'm not sure the patrols will be phased out. Several things that were not budgeted for this year have been added to the budget and the patrols could be one of them."

Smith said also that when the sheriff were given an arbitration award in July of 1974 that the arbitrator ruled that the services included in the 1974 contract, including the 28 member township patrol, would have to be maintained as long as a new contract could not be negotiated by the July 1, 1977 deadline.

"If the 1974 contract is extended and this goes into arbitration, it could be until next year before it's settled," says Smith.

In the meantime, Smith says he feels the 28 sheriffs deputies would not be pulled from the roads, nor would the sheriff's union want them pulled.

"The only thing the townships get from the county

for their \$9,755,000 is the sheriff's patrol," says Smith. "I'm going to do my damndest to see this gets put back into the budget."

Roy Berger, Director of the Wayne County Labor Relations Board, says if the new contract is not negotiated with the sheriffs by July 1 "we may find ourselves in compulsory arbitration."

"Depending on the number

of issues and the schedule of the arbitrator, it could take two to three weeks, or maybe months. But I'm the eternal optimist and hopefully we will reach an agreement before 1."

The Michigan Supreme Court recently refused to hear a township suit which would have asked that the Wayne County Sheriffs Department continue its patrols beyond the June 30 cut-off.

Teachers ask schools for 24-hour talks

Plymouth-Canton teachers voted unanimously Tuesday afternoon to ask school officials to join their team in round-the-clock bargaining until a contract is reached.

Responding to an offer made by The Community Crier several weeks ago to provide a motel room for a bargaining session, the Plymouth Education Assoc. (PEA) members adopted a resolution to ask the school board to join in 24-hour a day negotiations "until a contract is reached."

That offer, said PEA President Candi Reece, will be formally made to the school board Monday night at a special meeting the board called to discuss the upcoming

millage and bond issues.

Ms. Reece and Chief PEA Negotiator Derald McKinley told the teachers, meeting at the Penn Theater, that other measures such as a lawsuit and an unfair labor practice were also being studied by the PEA steering committee to bring the 11 months of contract talks to a head. McKinley and several PEA members who spoke at the meeting also told teachers to consider the possibility of a strike.

Plymouth-Canton Schools' 650 teachers have been working this year without a contract although many teachers are not participating in school-related, non-teaching functions.

School board tables anti-growth statement

BY CHAS. CHILD

A motion to notify the Plymouth-Canton Community that the quality of education is being threatened by the "rapid and uncontrolled growth" in the area was tabled by the School Board Monday night.

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Chase ends in crash

A JOYRIDE ENDED IN A CRASH for four Salem High School students last Thursday when their van, which police say

was stolen, hit a tree following a chase by Plymouth police. See story, Pg. 4. (Crier photo by W. Edward Wendover).

McDonald, Geake eye Senate seat

BY W. EDWARD WENDOVER

With next Wednesday's 14th District State Senate election close at hand, the major candidates, Republican Robert Geake and Democrat Pat McDonald debated the issues Tuesday before two Plymouth audiences.

Minimum sentencing for criminals, gun control, raising the legal drinking age, high school competency exams and PBB food contamination were the major issues splitting the two candidates in discussions before a government class at Canton High School (the largest audience to hear the candidates during this race) and the Plymouth Community

Chamber of Commerce program luncheon.

In both campaign appearances, McDonald and Geake, fielded questions on the issues in addition to delivering preceding remarks. Hector McGregor, the American Independent Party candidate in the race, also spoke at the cham-

ber luncheon.

Voters in the 14th State Senate - which includes all of Plymouth, Northville, Livonia and the townships of Plymouth, Northville and Redford - will next Wednesday elect a replacement for former State Sen. Carl Pursell who was

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Williams trial to begin April 6

Friday, April 6, has been set as the tentative date for the beginning of the trial of Marvin Earl Williams who has been charged with first degree murder in the slaying of Carolyn Kovacs, a 20-year-old Livonia woman who was killed while on duty as a night

clerk in the Red Roof Inn in Plymouth Township.

Williams, who is being held without bond, waived his Wayne County Circuit Court pre-trial examination scheduled for March 11. He will stand trial in the courtroom of Judge Roland Olzark.

Good luck, Joe Crissey!

A Plymouth boy will go to New York for the first in a series of operations to correct a rare and crippling disease next week.

Joe Crissey, 12, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crissey, 346 Blunk, Plymouth, is a victim of distonia muscularum deformens or "distonia," a severe neurological disorder.

Joe will be operated in St. Barnabas Hospital in New York City. The operation he will undergo was developed by Dr. Irving Cooper, a St. Barnaba's neurosurgeon noted for his

work with neurological disorders. Dr. Cooper was recently profiled on the CBS-TV program "Who's Who."

Joe's mother, Jan, said that the doctor's have offered no assurances about the outcome of the operation.

"No, no assurances whatsoever," said Mrs. Crissey. "Just 'We'll do what we can and no promises.' They've told us that they've had about an 85 per cent improvement factor, but they don't want to make us mad by getting our hopes up."



M-14 path crosses gravesites

DENNIS NOSTRANT kneels near two tombstones at Sheldon and Shearer Roads he found recently which are in the path of the M-14 construction. Nostrant said he hoped some way can be found to preserve the stones of Nancy Shearer (dated 1862) and Erasmus Shearer (1877). According to Nostrant, who used to play in the area as a youngster, the Shearers lived in the green house facing Sheldon Road at Shearer Road which burned about eight years ago.

A message from
Patrick J. McDonald

**Don't vote Wednesday,
March 23 until you
know my positions:
PBB**

Representative Geake voted against the institution of a house investigative committee which exposed both negligence and a cover-up in the PBB scandal.

I support every effort to reveal the dangers of PBB and provide restitution to those who have been so tragically affected by it.

Single Business Tax

Representative Geake voted for this tax which has discouraged new economic growth and placed heavy burdens on the small businesses. The tax has also forced increases in school and municipal taxes. Only large corporations have benefitted.

I am going to Lansing to repeal the single business tax.

Consumer Protection

Representative Geake supported a piece of legislation which allowed pharmacists the option of supplying generic drugs or higher priced brand name drugs.

I support strict state controls on drug labelling to provide the most effective, inexpensive medication in this age of rising medical costs.

Political Reform

At first glance, Representative Geake's record on political reform looks good. But closer examination reveals voting for several amendments which have destroyed the implementation and intent of laws instituting political reform.

I intend to work for political reform measures as well as openness and honesty in the operation of all state departments.

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Township budget shows decrease

The new Plymouth Township budget has been set for the 1977-1978 year—and the figures show it is some \$19,000 less than last year's. Total expenditures will amount to \$1,237 million as compared to a \$1,218 million figure from 1976-77, says township Supervisor Tom Notebaert.

lection fee on late taxes, which would have amounted to some \$94,000 in projected revenues. "Other revenues in shared state revenues will make up the difference," Notebaert explained. "The small business tax and other general taxes will help. And I think the people will be pleased not to have the collection fee."

"We pared everything to the bone, but I think we covered everything," said Notebaert. "Our clerk's budget has been cut by some \$7,000. The supervisor's and treasurer's budgets are up a little and with our new firemen's contract, that item will be up, too." Notebaert also announced that the township is eliminating the one per cent col-

Notebaert said there were no funds available in the budget for police protection but that he was studying all of the options available to the township before possibly coming to the taxpayers with a millage proposal to pay for necessary protection.



CEP kids show their colors

SALEM ARTISTS PRACTICE THEIR COLORING SKILLS whilst preparing for the Civitan "Color My Community" contest, which runs till mid-April. Present are, from

left to right: Laura Atwood, Lori Szabla, Civitan contest judge Jane Dugan, realtor Mike Caffrey, and Nina Pappas. (Crier photo by Susan Sheiner).

Attorney General gives OK to G'stein ZBA

BY KATHY KUENZER
Michigan Attorney General Frank Kelley has given his opinion that the Canton Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA) appointed by former Supervisor Bob Greenstein was legally constituted even though a new zoning ordinance allowing for the five-member panel had not been passed in the township before the appointments were made. Addressed to State Sen. William Faust (D-Westland) who requested the opinion on behalf of members of the Greenstein appointed ZBA, the letter stated that the change in the law pertaining to the number of ZBA members "required immediate implementation of the state law by the appointment of five new members to the (ZBA)." Further, the attorney general said "the action mandated by the legislature did not require a change in the ordinance."

Greenstein appointed the five-member panel shortly before leaving office in November. His appointments included himself, Jim Donahue, John Burdziak, Bob Miller and Tom Quinn. Greenstein said he believed the change in the law which increased the minimum number of ZBA members from three to five for townships of more than 5,000 population, automatically required that a ZBA be appointed and that no ordinance change was necessary before the appointments were made. When Canton Supervisor Harold Stein took office, however, he sought the opinion of township attorney William Sempliner who said the Greenstein ZBA appointments were not in compliance with the township law since no change in the zoning ordinance had been made incorporating the new law.

Stein then appointed five new members including planning commission chairman Bob Padgett, Trustee Eugene Daley, Cathy Prince, Gary Sands and William Gilmore. Kelley's opinion also addressed itself to the question of whether or not the zoning ordinance, to be amended, must be given public hearings as with other zoning ordinance; to be amended, must be given public hearings as with other zoning ordinance changes. "Normally a township board may not amend an ordinance without following the procedures established in the Township Rural Zoning Act," said Kelley, "however, because the appointment of five

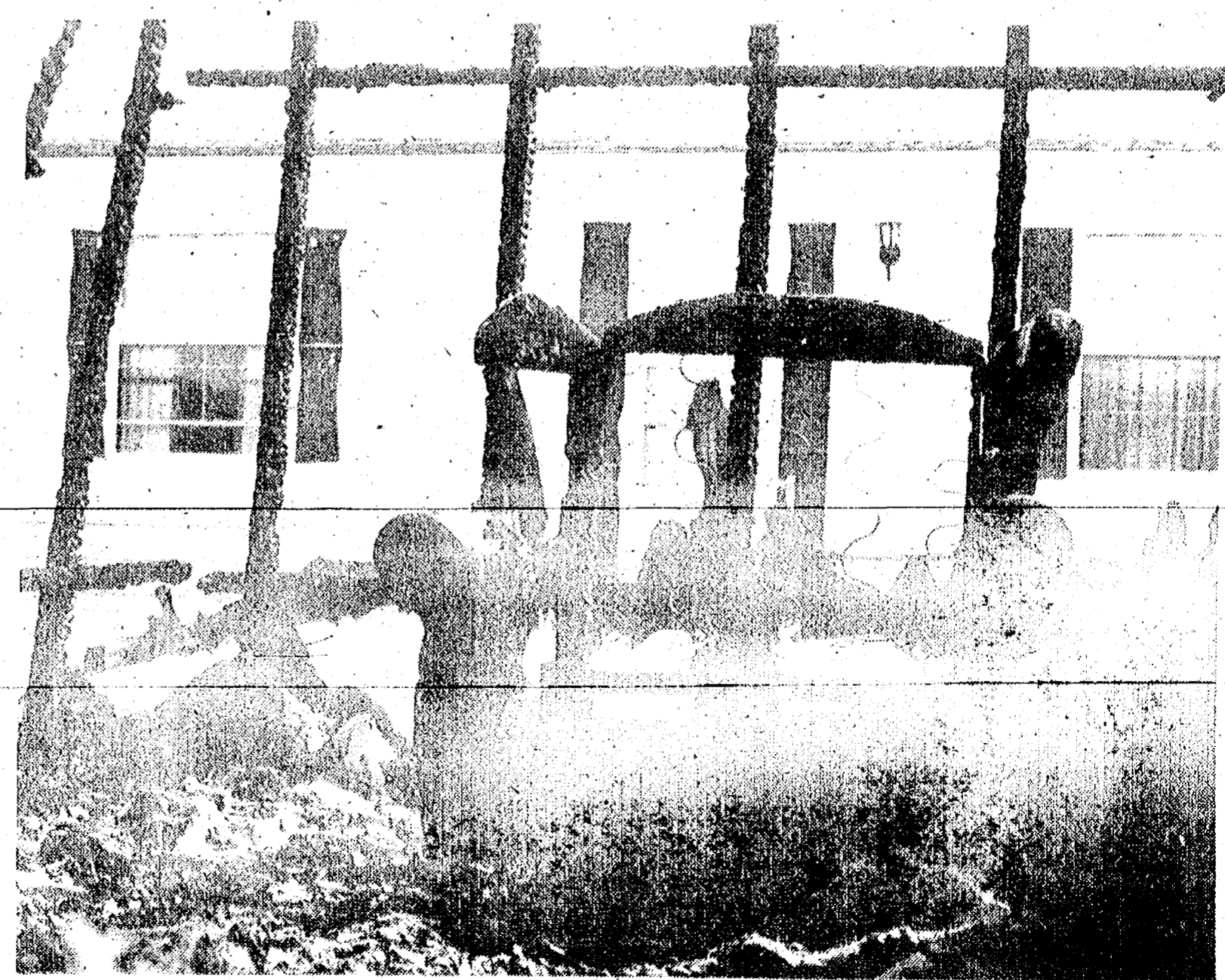
persons to the township ZBA under the authority of 1976 PA 131 were properly appointed, the subsequent amendment to the zoning ordinance does not affect their appointment." Donahue, chairman of the former ZBA, said he was "relieved" at the attorney general's opinion. "I am very disgusted with Stein for not listening to us about this," he said. "I am happy, though, because it approaches it." Donahue said a meeting of the ZBA of which he is a member has been called for Wednesday, March 30, in the Township Meeting Hall. Clerk John Flodin said he was surprised at Kelley's opinion.

"I don't know what will be done about it," he said. "This is an opinion from the chief attorney of the state and it disagrees with our own attorney's opinion. It's definitely a matter that demands the township board's attention." Greenstein told The Crier that because of Kelley's opinion "I'm forced to condemn in the strongest possible terms, the actions of Harold Stein. In refusing to get a second attorney's opinion after I publicly warned him at a township board meeting that the attorney's opinion he had was in error, he refused and has conducted himself in this and most other matters lately as if he were a dictator and not responsible to any laws at all."

Man dies in early morning trailer fire

A man died and a Plymouth Township Fireman was injured in this mobile home fire early last Friday morning in Plymouth Hills Park on Ridge Road. Plymouth Township Fire Chief James Gignac says a mobile home owned by Luther "Dean" Williams was reported burning at 6:26 a.m. and two pumpers and two rescue units were dispatched to the fire. Williams escaped with only minor injuries after being warned by a smoke detector in the house, but another man, whose identity is being withheld pending positive identification by Wayne County Sheriffs detectives, died in the blaze. Estimated damage to the mobile home and its contents was \$21,500. An adjacent mobile home also sustained

heat damage. Gignac said Fireman Orville Henning suffered a broken wrist while fighting the fire. A neighbor who asked not to be identified said Williams pounded on her door at 6:30 a.m. asking someone to call the police and fire departments. "Williams was running all around the house, where his friend was asleep," she said. "My husband tried to wake the guy up." She said that when Williams came into their home "he sat here and worried and cried that his friend had got killed." The cause of the blaze has not been determined and is under investigation by the State Police Fire Marshall's office and the Plymouth Township Fire Department.



AN AS YET UNIDENTIFIED MAN DIED early Friday morning when fire gutted a Plymouth Township mobile home. An adjacent home also received heat damage

to shutters (left), but one man escaped serious injury in the blaze. (Crier photo by Susan Sheiner.)

Canton gets land title for lease extension

BY KATHY KUENZER

In exchange for clear title on 15 acres of property on which to build the new Canton Civic Center, the Canton Board of Trustees last week voted to extend the lease of the Folker's Nursery for one more year.

The township and Folker had originally agreed that the nursery business would be off the land by August of 1977 but Folker, the owner, has asked that he be allowed to extend the lease period to August, 1978 in return for clear title of the portion of the 68-acre site required for the new \$2.7 million civic building Canton will begin building in April.

The request was made to the board through Canton Clerk John Flodin who said Folker wanted the extension but that "any material not sold (by August, 1978) will be left on the property."

"He is letting us have the land sooner than we asked," said Flodin.

In order to build on the 15-acre site before officially owning the land Canton must have clear title to the property. As of March the township still owed some \$179,000 on the entire parcel.

All seven of the board members voted to accept the Folker offer, but after the meeting Trustee Bob Myers asked meeting secretary Doris Kelly to change his vote to a "no" because he felt he had voted incorrectly.

"I voted against the site and in order to remain consistent I should have voted against the deal with Folker," said Myers. "I am sure that for me to change my vote officially the other board members would have to agree to allow me to do so—and I doubt they'll do that."

Myers has opposed the acceptance of the \$2.7 million federal grant for the building, saying the maintenance and operations cost would be prohibitive.



Kids and kites have fun

JAPANESE KITES CELEBRATE SPRING in the library of Isbister Elementary School. The kites were made by 5th grade library assistants (left to right) Carol DePriest,

Annette Solean, Wendy Tod, Gillian Lyon, and Linda Beale with the aid of Isbister librarian Jean Knowles. (Crier photo by Susan Sheiner).

Four arrested after van chase

Four Salem High School students are being referred to Juvenile Court in connection with an accident involving a stolen van last Thursday.

Police chased the van at high speed through Plymouth's street until it crashed near Smith Elementary School only moments before the school let youngsters out for the lunch hour. "Thank God for small favors," said Smith Principal Bill Lutz, who was at the scene, when he learned of the close call.

Plymouth Police report that a brown 1975 Dodge van was reported missing at 11 a.m. Patrolman R. E. White said he spotted the vehicle at 11:11 a.m. at the intersection of Church and Main. White says he caught up with the vehicle at Ann Arbor Trail and Forest where he signalled the car to stop with a siren and flashing lights. Police say the van then accelerated heading southbound on Forest and through a stop sign at Wing before heading westbound on Carol and through stop sign at Harvey.

Police say the van then went through a stop sign at McKinley, turned southbound through another Carol Street stop sign and a Hartsough Street stop sign before turning eastbound at Ross where it lost control. Police report that the van bounced off a Ross Street curb, slid sideways and turned over and out of control before it ran into a large tree in front of 1167 Ross.

Police arrested all four subjects at the scene.

Police report that one girl received head injuries and one boy had contusions of the right leg. They were taken to St. Mary Hospital, treated and released. Police say the other boy and girl were released to their parents. All four were 14-years-old. None had a driver's license.

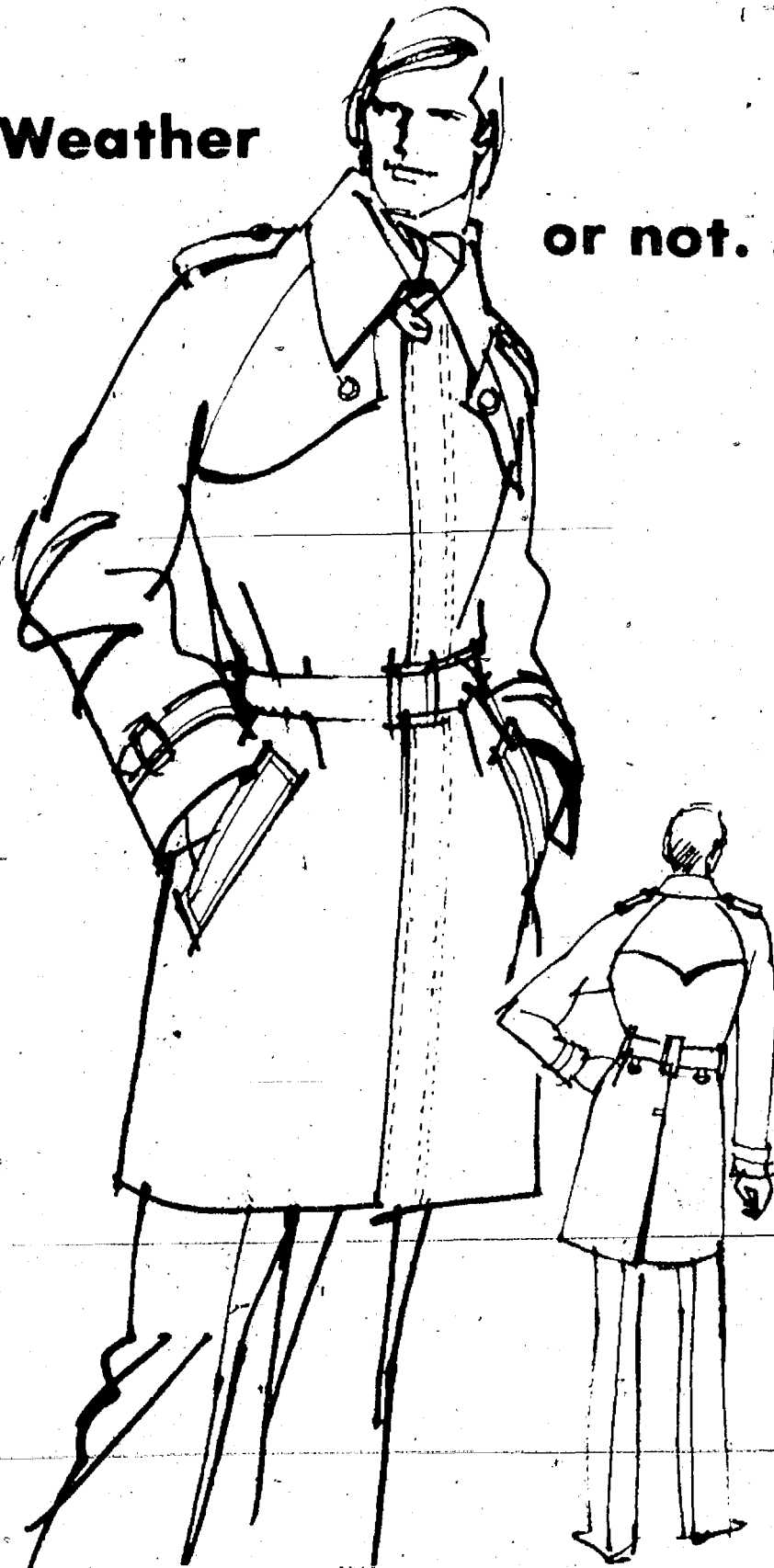
Police report that the owner of the van, Anthony Piscopink of 4466 4th St. Wayne, an employee at M. Powell and Sons, 110 Ann Arbor Rd., arrived at work at 8 a.m. and parked on the S. Mill Street side of the business where he forgot to take the keys out of the ignition.

Mrs. Nea Stotaruk, of 4532 Columbus, Wayne, an employee at Powell, says she noticed the van was missing at 9 a.m., but because she thought Piscopink was out she didn't report the loss.

Piscopink noticed the van's absence at 11 a.m. and called police.

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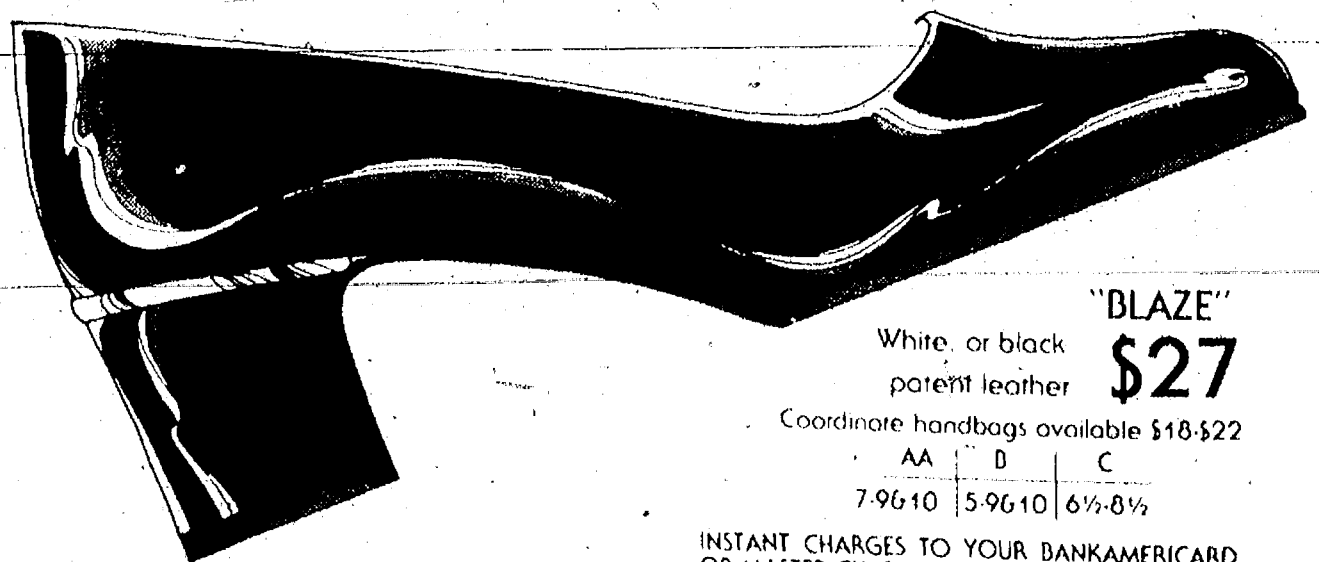
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TAXES

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EDUCATION

We must provide an educational system that will adequately prepare out children to qualify for a good productive job. I strongly support measures that will improve the quality of public education. I am in favor of providing sufficient funding to expand our present system to create new programs that will keep step with our changing world. I have supported and will continue to support, the allocation of all state lottery proceeds to support education.

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BOB GEAKE YOUR STATE SENATOR

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McDonald for State Senator

As is usual in the time between a primary and the subsequent general election, the two major candidates in the 14th State Senatorial contest have spent the past weeks trying to woo each other's supporters by sounding more and more like each other.

After one candidate sends out a release on crime, so does the other. And so it goes back and forth.

The last month has shown Republican Robert Geake to be a hard campaigner who is extremely interested in carrying Plymouth and Plymouth Township. Democrat Pat McDonald, on the other hand, has done little here.

But we cannot equate campaigning for votes with genuine interest in the voters' welfare, and thus can give little extra credit to Geake although McDonald's campaign is certainly disappointing.

Based on the issues, we can see no demonstrable change in the relative positions of Geake and McDonald since the primary except Geake's handwashing of his former support of the single business tax. We seriously doubt Geake would have had such a change of heart were he not seeking a promotion.

McDonald, supervisor of Redford Township, has throughout the campaign raised a voice for Wayne County's forgotten territories - the suburbs. We feel he would best represent our district in the State Senate and give him our endorsement although his opponent may be termed qualified.

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Women thank Crier

Editor:

Thank you for the thorough coverage you gave the Women's Resource Center in your feature article on March 2. Ann Kane was delighted and very proud to be "in print" with her daughter.

It was a pleasure meeting you and introducing you to the Women's Resource Center.

Your interest in what we are doing is very evident in your article and will, we are certain, stimulate a similar interest in the Plymouth, Canton and Plymouth Township residents.

PEGGY MEYER, STUDENT INTERN

Women's Resource Center
JEAN CHRISTENSEN,
ASSISTANT

Women's Programs & Services

New taxes stifle business

Editor:

Yes, I am fighting mad. I just received new Un-equalized valuation with an increase of some \$2,800. Where will this unreasonableness all stop?

It seems that our over zealous authorities are striving to drive all the businesses away from our most delightfully city, with their extreme taxation and fewer services, and are now doing the same with the home owners who they expect to carry the bulk of the load.

I have been a citizen of Plymouth since 1965 and have seen my tax load increase from \$401.37 to \$1,162.75; so called equalized assessment from \$8021 to \$19,410. Oh, yes, a \$962 special assessment was also thrown in for good measure to pay the

cost of tearing up our street and then replacing same with curbs. I am very sure I never had a chance to vote on this project.

We vote on various millages and if there is a NO vote our so called officials throw out the old scare tactics and then return us to the polls hoping enough of the populace will become disgusted enough to stay away and they will be able to sell the new increased millage.

In the past few millage votes that were rejected, I don't believe even once did our Civil servants attempt to operate in accordance with the will of the people, but took immediate steps to try for another vote.

I have talked with several of my neighbors and we all

Voters in Plymouth and Plymouth Township are reminded to go to the polls next Wednesday.

The vacancy in the 14th District of the State Senate will be filled then and the primary election, held a month ago, produced scant turnouts. Don't let someone else chose your leader - or if you do, don't complain.

Also at the polls next Wednesday, Plymouth Heights (the

de facto city which includes all Plymouth Township residents living east of McClumpha Road) will elect another charter commission to write yet another charter as the latest episode of the move to block annexation by the City of Plymouth.

There are nine seats on the charter commission - and only six candidates running. This means the other three spots can be filled by write-in

votes and we suggest you think of a Plymouth Heights resident who could do the job and organize a quick write-in campaign.

If, on the other hand, you believe the whole thing is a charade, we suggest you write in "Tucker" a Plymouth Township dog who is opposed to the Plymouth Heights move. Maybe she'll win and point the whole thing up for the charade that it is.

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Include 45-15 in contract

Editor:

In recent weeks you may have read in the local press information or rationale in support of the "45-15" ESY program in the Plymouth-Canton Schools.

Briefly, this concept strives to maximize facility utilization and provide a more efficient and effective assignment of professional staff.

The primary purpose of this message is to clarify the position of the Plymouth Education Association regarding numerous staffing adjustments, increased numbers of students, and the use of several other buildings in addition to Miller Elementary School where the pilot program began.

Specifically, the PEA will provide input for, participate in formation of guidelines for effective implementation of, and provided professional services, ONLY if such 45-15 ESY expansion is an integral, negotiated part of a new contract (master agreement) which fully guarantees the rights and privileges of both parties.

Publicized plans of administrators and/or school board have been interpreted in the minds of some citizens as automatic and inevitable. We assume that the board fully realized the legal and other possible ramifications which such dictatorial and irrational

actions will produce. Unilateral plans whether developed and proposed by either the PEA or the administration, are totally unacceptable.

Labor groups are not gifted with unlimited patience or tolerance. We hope to be able to maintain the uninterrupted service we have provided to Plymouth students. However, as obstacles grow and settlement of the contract is delayed, further disillusionment among the teachers accelerates.

We face a stone-walling school board which acts in con-

cert with other county school boards to deny their teachers an equitable contract settlement. Public awareness of the local situation must increase.

The PEA is composed of nearly 700 teachers charged with guiding the growth and development of several thousands of youngsters. We are public employees, but we are not servants willing to sit idly by and be manipulated as puppets on a string.

PEA Steering Committee
JOHN RYDER, BILL GRIMMER, CO-CHAIRMEN

Plymouth fantasy: senior citizens only

Editor:

Fantasy Headline - "City of Plymouth becomes an Adult only Community"

Think about it and the affect it could have on all the good things we want to do for our Senior Citizens and reduce taxes.

Based on the last census approximately 69% of the city population is over the age of 18 years. Assuming the Fantasy becomes a reality here are some thought starter -

* Inasmuch as, in time, the city of Plymouth would have no children in the school system we would withdraw the cities two square miles from the school district. This

action alone would greatly reduce taxes.

* Orient our business and social activities to the adult age group.

* City administration and services could be reduced based on adult only needs

* Use and expand current school buildings within the City for adult type civic and social functions.

* Adult only City would be unique in the area and could increase property value.

As I said, this is a Fantasy, but it would answer the questions on how do we help the senior citizen and how will we ever reduce taxes.

E. MARTIN

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Spring brings politics--and yawns



By W. EDWARD WENDOVER



Maybe it's just the Spring weather, but it seems there's a lot of politicking going on.

Of course it could be also: Congress may be ordering a recount of the Carl Pursell - Ed Pierce race. If Carl, Plymouth's second Congressman, lost his apparent 344 vote victory amidst the 190, 439 votes cast, he could have a short term in Washington, D.C. And he's already resigned his State Senate seat and painted his Congressional office.

With the Senate election next Wednesday, March 23, the state Dems and GOPs are out in force on the campaign trail. Bob Geake, the Republican contender to follow in Carl Pursell's shoes, is hitting Plymouth and Plymouth Township hard with a phone and advertising campaign. He figures this area is crucial for him to offset the Democratic eastern end of the 14th Senate District.

State Senate Majority

Leader William Faust, whose district includes Canton, said all the Democratic Party Hesinas would be brought in to help Pat McDonald in the general election -- and there's no evidence (at least in our end of the district) that they're keeping that promise.

The voter turnout will be the key -- don't expect much here, although Redford Township should swamp the polls because there's a senior citizen housing referendum on the ballot there (now you see why Geake is working so hard here).

Don't count on the local races here to draw out a vote. Local races here? Sure, you remember -- Plymouth Heights Charter Commissioners are up for election in that de facto city of Plymouth Township east of McClumpha Road.

There was so little interest in keeping this costly smoke-screen to annexation alive that only six folks filed for the nine charter seats. That means that if write-in votes don't elect three more Plymouth a renewal millage passed -- maintaining taxes at the same level -- the recent controversies and unsettled teachers contracts may be a stumbling block. That's particularly true when you consider how close the last millage vote was even on its second try.

So it's entirely possible that both the building bond issue and the millage renewal may be on the June ballot along with the only school board seat up for election.

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That could spell even more doom since the June-13 ballot will have .8 mill Schoolcraft College tax increase proposal as well. Voters tend to tighten up purse strings all around when barraged by mill-Heights residents -- those positions will be filled by appointment.

Perhaps it's time they realize that the Plymouth Heights charter is as outdated as the old law it was filed under. It probably would no longer block annexation and it certainly doesn't seem like many people are interested in it, if they can't even get enough candidates.

Also fanning the political flames are the schools.

Although there are no seats up for election at the April 23 special election, they're so many things happening at the moment, the politics are rampant.

With the expansion of year round school (45-15), the switch to random assignment of students to the high schools (instead of by geographical area) and the unsettled teachers' contract, folks are hopping.

If the schools can pass the proposed \$30 million bond issue on April 23 -- it will be a miracle. Certainly the fact that the school board held a special election early, shows that defeat is expected, even by school officials.

The operating millage renewal question is another story. While there should normally be no problem in getting

age requests. (The recent assessment hikes in the city and the SEV factors increasing in the townships won't make taxpayers any more jovial at the polls either -- even though that's not the schools' fault.)

And you'd better believe that single school board seat will cause some stirring. E. J. McClendon, whose seat is up, said he hasn't decided whether to stand again for it. You may recall that when he was elected to his term four years ago he was immediately elected president of the school board -- an unheard of move that gives some insight into school board power politics lately.

E.J.'s seat is crucial because it represents the swing vote on the board. With E. J., Dick (whichever way the audience goes) Arlen, Flossie Tonda and Joe Gray supporting Gray's exceptionally undistinguished term as president (he can't even figure out the agenda notice how he has School Supt. John M. Hoben sit next to him to help him figure out what to do next). The liberal-

moderate members on the board, George Lawton, Marcia Borowski and Tom Yack (the conservative in sheep's clothing) would like to see ANYBODY ELSE as board president and will no doubt either try to get someone else elected to the seat or convince E. J. of the folly of his placing his personal dislike of Ms. Borowski over getting a good board president (or at least one who doesn't say, "I don't hear no nos," or "So it be.")

The Concerned Parents are searching for a winning candidate to keep the board conservative dominance. They stand to lose out if the McClendon seat goes to a liberal -- or if E. J. wins again but abandons Gray's follies -- but can't gain any additional power of the board.

It should be a good race even though a single seat isn't usually that important. As the swing vote on the board, E. J.'s spot could be hot.

Maybe all this is a figment of a newspaperman's imagination, or maybe it's not politics -- just spring fever.

School board defies logic

Editor:

The Plymouth-Canton School Board continues to amaze everyone with their own brand of logic.

They build schools with no inside walls for classrooms; they won't give teachers a raise, but do to a select few administrators; and now they want to confuse our kids with a random selection for the two high schools. What this means is that a lot of school-time friends will be torn apart

and thrown into the CEF jungle almost as strangers from a distant land.

Even the counselors agree that the ninth grade adjustment is especially tough for the kids and they need all the help they can get.

But for the school board this is the easy way out. If I could get anyone to listen to me, I would say leave us alone; - our school system is bad enough without making it worse!

CHUCK CHILDS

Don't knock soccer until it proves itself

Editor:

Your article regarding the Western Suburban Soccer Leagues' proposal to divide teams by abilities into A and B divisions was, I felt, a little premature in condemning the system before it gets a chance to prove itself one way or the other.

This action was taken by the W.S.S.L. in an attempt to alleviate the frustrations which are showing up amongst skilled and unskilled players when they are thrown together into the same team, as a result of the Random selection method which has been used prior to this season. The unskilled player will now have a chance to compete on equal terms with players having similar abilities, which should make for a much more enjoyable game for them.

It must be pointed out that the A and B system will be on a trial basis only, and will affect only boys of the older age groups. If unsuccessful it will be modified accordingly.

A well known English soccer coach once said boys learn the game first by playing, second by watching professionals, and third - and a very poor third it is - by listening to coaches. I believe

this to be true. So our first objective is to play all players as much as possible, and I think the A and B divisions will fulfill this. The Monday night soccer haves on TV takes care of the second point, which leaves the coaches to do the best they can, even though they are a poor third.

I can assure you however, that the Western Suburban Soccer League gives much thought as to how best we can serve the interests of all players in the League, and we hope that we do give the good, the bad, and even the ugly an equal crack.

DAVID MONK,
Secretary - W.S.S.L.

Picky, picky

Editor:

In answer to the letter in The Crier from Mr. Peter Lamar Gabbert: What do you expect Mr. Harold Stein to accomplish in less than four months in office?

Build a castle in Spain? If a certain few antagonists would quit their nit-picking I'm sure Mr. Stein could then get on with the township's business.

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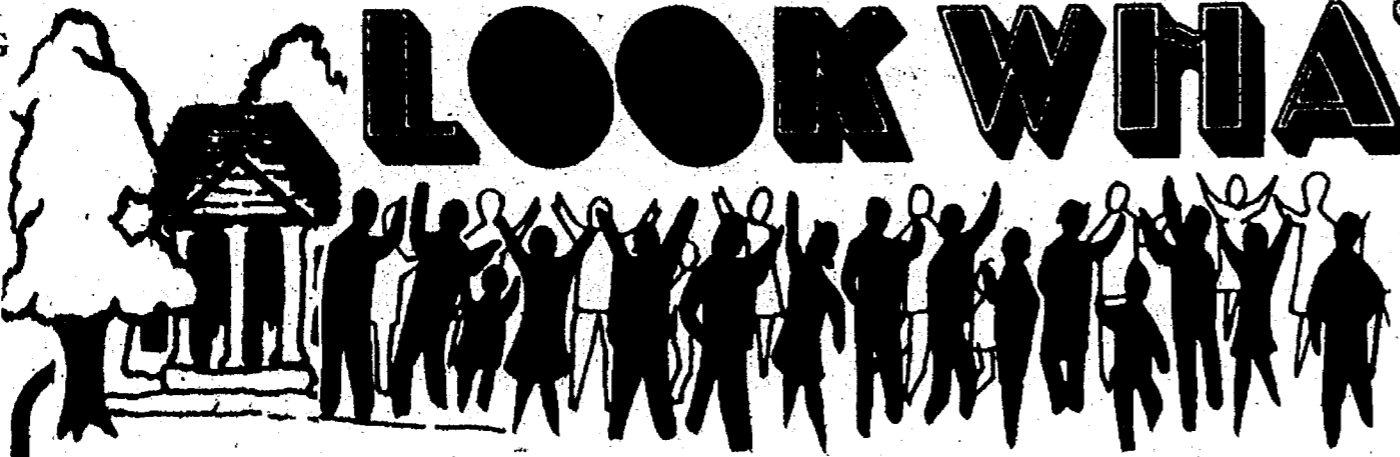


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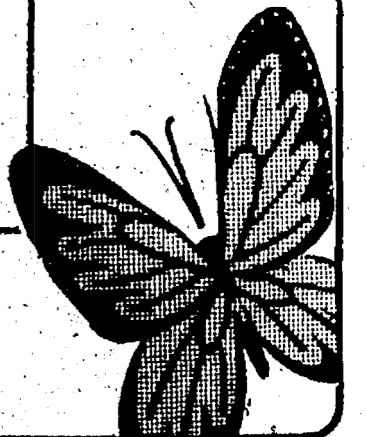
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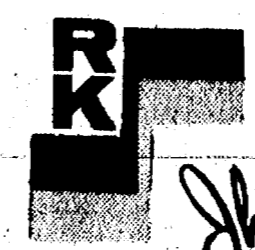


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Spring Concert

The Schoolcraft College String Quartet will begin its Spring Concert season on Wednesday, March 23, at 8 p.m. in the Waterman Campus Center.

Music major Lisa Toth of Plymouth will play the violin while Brian Bennett, also of Plymouth, will play the cello in a repertoire that features the works of Beethoven, Debussy, Dvorak, Pachelbel, and Schubert.

Local performances can be arranged at no charge by calling 591-6400, ext. 342.

Correction

There was a mistake in last week's article, "City passes parking policy."

In that article, the reporter said that remarks directed to Kirk Lorenz, manager of the Mayflower Hotel, concerning parking were made by Jack Wilcox.

This is not true and the reporter regrets this error.

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What's happening

CO-OP NURSERY

The Willow Creek Co-op Nursery at 5835 Sheldon Rd. in Canton, is taking applications for three and four-year-olds for the fall term beginning in September. Interested persons can call 722-8125.

NOW SELF DEFENSE

There will be a meeting of the Northwest Wayne County chapter of the National Organization for Women on Friday, March 18 at 7:30 p.m. and will be held at the Senior Citizens Activites Center, 15218 Farmington Rd. corner of Five Mile, Livonia. The program will be a self-defense workshop, with JoAnn Spiro teaching simple methods of escape. The people who come are asked to wear loose, comfortable clothing so that they can take part in the workshop.

EASTER EGG DECORATING

Free Ukrainian Easter Egg' Decorating classes will be held on Saturday, March 19 at 10 a.m. to Noon and from 12:30 to 2:30 on the upper level. Bring along two raw eggs, a candle and a candle holder. The cost of supplies, which includes dye, beeswax, a stylist and informational sheet, is \$1.50. Marge Wichorek from the Ukrainian community will teach the classes. Make reservations by calling 348 9280.

KIDS' DISPLAYS

"The Week of the Young Child" will be celebrated at Northville Square, Friday and Saturday, March 25, and 26, 10:30 to 4:30 each day. Nursery schools from around the Northville-Livonia-Plymouth areas will be there featuring display and activities for the children.

SPRING CONCERT

The Plymouth Canton High School Vocal Music Department under the direction of Betty Weideman will present their Spring Concert on Tuesday, March 22, 7:30 p.m. in the Canton Auditorium. The mixed Chorus, Madrigal Singers, Girls Glee Club, Swing Ensemble, Ninth Grade Chorus and the Concert Choir will perform. Admission is free.

CHILDREN WITH LEARNING DISABILITIES

The Plymouth-Northville Chapter for children with learning disabilities will meet Wednesday, March 16 at Pioneer Middle School. Andrea Brown, a supervisor of learning disabilities in the Detroit Public Schools, will speak on "What's Happening in Special Education?" Any interested parent or professional is welcome free of charge.

UNITED DEMOCRATIC CLUB OF CANTON

Canton residents are invited to attend the club's membership drive meeting Thursday, March 24, 8 p.m., at UAW Local 735, 48055 Michigan Ave., near Beck. Canton Supervisor Harold Stein and Royce Smith, Wayne County commissioner, will speak.

TOASTMASTERS

Three Detroit-area Toastmasters clubs will compete against the host Motor City Speakeasy Club of Plymouth to choose the area's best speaker. The public is invited. Call Harry J. Wheaton, 455-1136, for more information.

WAYNE COUNTY NUTRITION PROGRAM

The Wayne County Office on Aging offers a Nutrition Program Monday through Friday at 12 noon at Tonquish Creek Manor, 1160 Sheridan. This program offers a well-balanced meal for senior citizens. Reservations may be made at the site or by calling the Plymouth Recreation Department at 455-6620. Transportation is now available through the YMCA by calling 453-2968. The program is free but a 50 cent donation is appreciated.

BEER CAN COLLECTORS

The Strohs Fire-brewed Chapter of Beer Can Collectors will hold a trading session on Sunday, March 20, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer St.

AAUW BOOK SALE

Books, magazines and sheet music are still needed by the American Association of University Women for their annual book sale in May. Donations may be dropped off at the Dunning-Hough Library or pick-up service is available by calling Judy Morgan at 453-6099.

LEARN TO SEE AT AAUW

Michael Church, one of Michigan's best known figures in the creative and cultural arts, is the featured speaker for the March 17 meeting of the Plymouth Branch of the American Assoc. of University Women. Church's approach, "an exercise message in self appreciation and self renewal" is a slide presentation that encourages being more alert and using vision to its fullest capacity. "Why half live—why not learn to SEE?" Church is an accomplished artist, photographer, writer, and musician.

PILGRIM GARDEN CLUB

The Pilgrim Garden Club will meet on March 24, at 7:30 p.m. in the Hulsing Elementary School Media Center. Laverne McGurk will speak on "The Everlasting Garden."

STARKWEATHER SCHOOL BIRTHDAY

On May 8th, Starkweather Elementary School will celebrate its 50th birthday with a re-dedication and an open house. Persons who would like to loan pictures or mementoes of Starkweather School should call either the school at 453-1830 or Orlean Heidel at 453-7576 after 3 p.m.

What's happening

BACKYARD GARDENING CLASS

Schoolcraft College will offer an eight-week course entitled "Backyard Gardening" beginning March 22. Scheduled through community services the course will meet on Tuesdays from 7 to 10 p.m. in Room 475 of the Liberal Arts Building. Tuition for residents is \$19.50 and non-residents pay \$39. Individuals may register or obtain further information by calling 591-6400, extension 264. Schoolcraft College is located at 18600 Haggerty Rd. in Livonia.

CEP PARENT COFFEE

A Parent Coffee will be held on Tuesday, March 22, at 7:30 p.m. in the Canton High School cafeteria. All CEP parents are invited to attend. Any topic can be discussed. For further information, call Charlotte Petro at 455-0238.

PLYMOUTH GOODFELLOWS TO MEET

The Plymouth Goodfellows will meet tonight at 7:30 p.m. in the Plymouth Fire Hall. The election of new officers will take place at this meeting.

DINE AT 'PLAZA SUITE'

The Schoolcraft College Cabaret Theatre will present Neil Simon's "Plaza Suite" at 8 p.m. on March 18, 19, 25, 26 and April 12. The cabaret tradition of serving hors d'oeuvres will begin at 6:45 p.m. Tickets are \$1.25 and available at the College Bookstore. For further information, call 591-6400, ext. 342.

ART SALE

The Willow Creek Co-Op Nursery will hold an Art Sale on Friday, March 18, at the Geneva United Presbyterian Church, 5835 Sheldon Rd., Canton. Tickets are \$1 and available at the door. For further information call Kathy Rodriguez at 981-0652.

BUY AND SELL

The Western Wayne County Mothers of Twins Club will hold a Buy and Sell on Saturday, March 19, at the St. Matthew Lutheran Church, 5885 Venoy, Westland, from 1-4 p.m. For information call Norma Shriner at 427-7654.

LIONS GO GREEN

The Plymouth Lions Club will meet on Thursday, March 17, at 6:30 p.m. in the Mayflower Hotel. Lions McCarthy and Gallagher will help celebrate the wearing o'green with a St. Patrick's Day menu of corned beef, cabbage and green beer.

DAR MEETING.

The Sarah Ann Cochrane Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution will have their March 21st Luncheon meeting at Lake Pointe Club House, Shadywood Drive, Plymouth. Winners of the chapter's American history essay contest will speak. Call Mrs. Marjorie Bain, 453-3562, for more information.

RETIRED PERSONS MEET

The Plymouth/Northville Chapter of the American Assoc. of Retired Persons, (AARP) will meet Wednesday, March 23 at the Plymouth Presbyterian Church. A sack lunch at noon will be followed by a sing-along, a short business meeting and a film entitled, "2001" presented by Michigan Bell. The Tax Aide team will explain tax changes and help with income tax returns, after the meeting. Visitors welcome. For more information, call Harriet Gibson, 349-0621.

WSDP COMEDY AND JAZZ SHOW

Starting March 16th WSDP's Comedy and Jazz Show, normally heard on Fridays from 6 to 8 p.m., will be moving to Wednesday night from 6 to 8.

SMITH SCHOOL MARDI GRAS

Friends and neighbors of Smith School are invited to the annual Mardi Gras to be held Saturday March 26 from 5 to 9 p.m. Come join in the gait and enjoy the games, prizes, and food. A drawing will be held for a bicycle and a 40 channel CB radio among other numerous items.

U-M WOMEN'S CENTER

Jeanne Halpern will discuss "Image Making in Biography: How Form and Style Affect the Way We See a Life" on Tuesday, March 22, at the University of Michigan Center for Continuing Education of Women. A brown bag lunch will be held from noon to 1 p.m. All interested persons are welcome. For further information call 763-1353.

SUMMER FIGURE SKATING SCHOOL

Registration for summer figure skating school will be held on Saturday, March 26 from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Plymouth Cultural Center. The session will run from July 11 to September 2. For more information contact the Plymouth Recreation Department at 455-6620.

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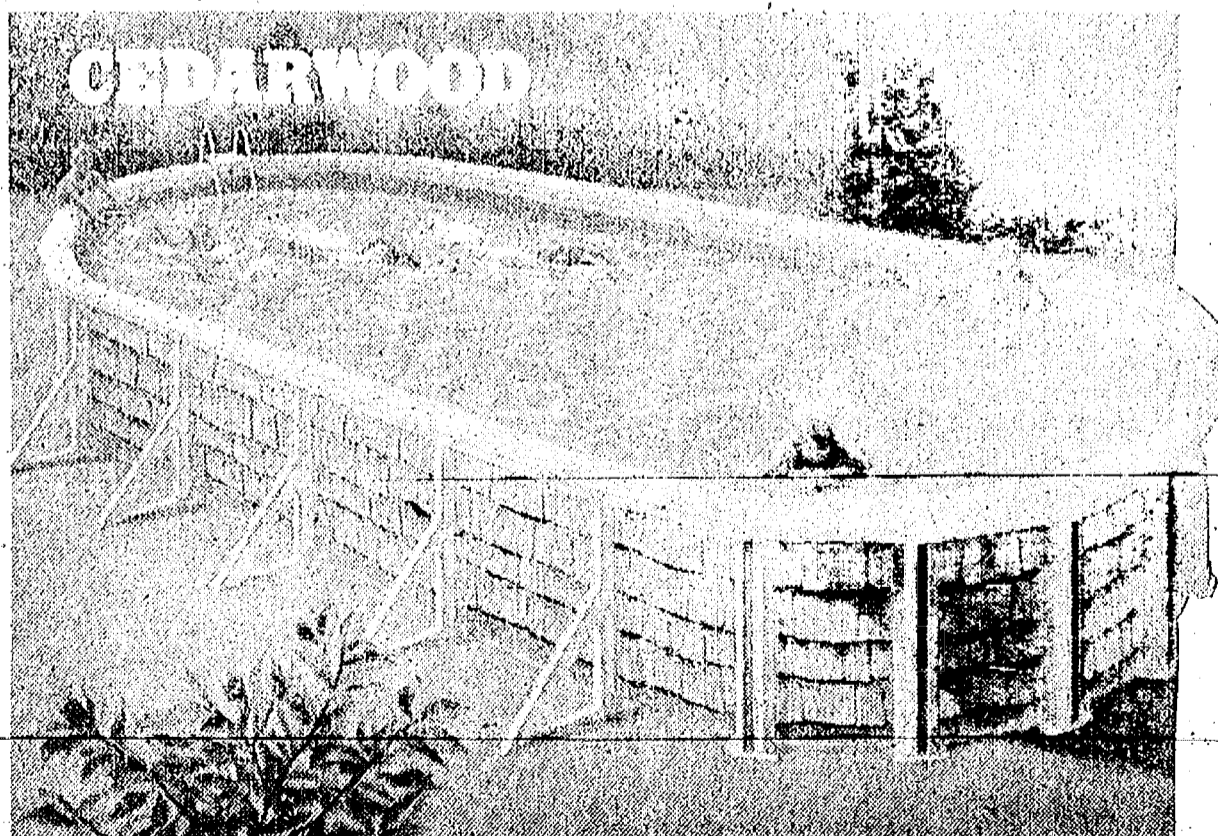
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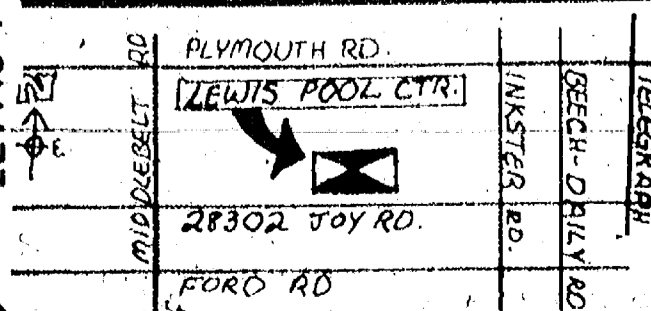
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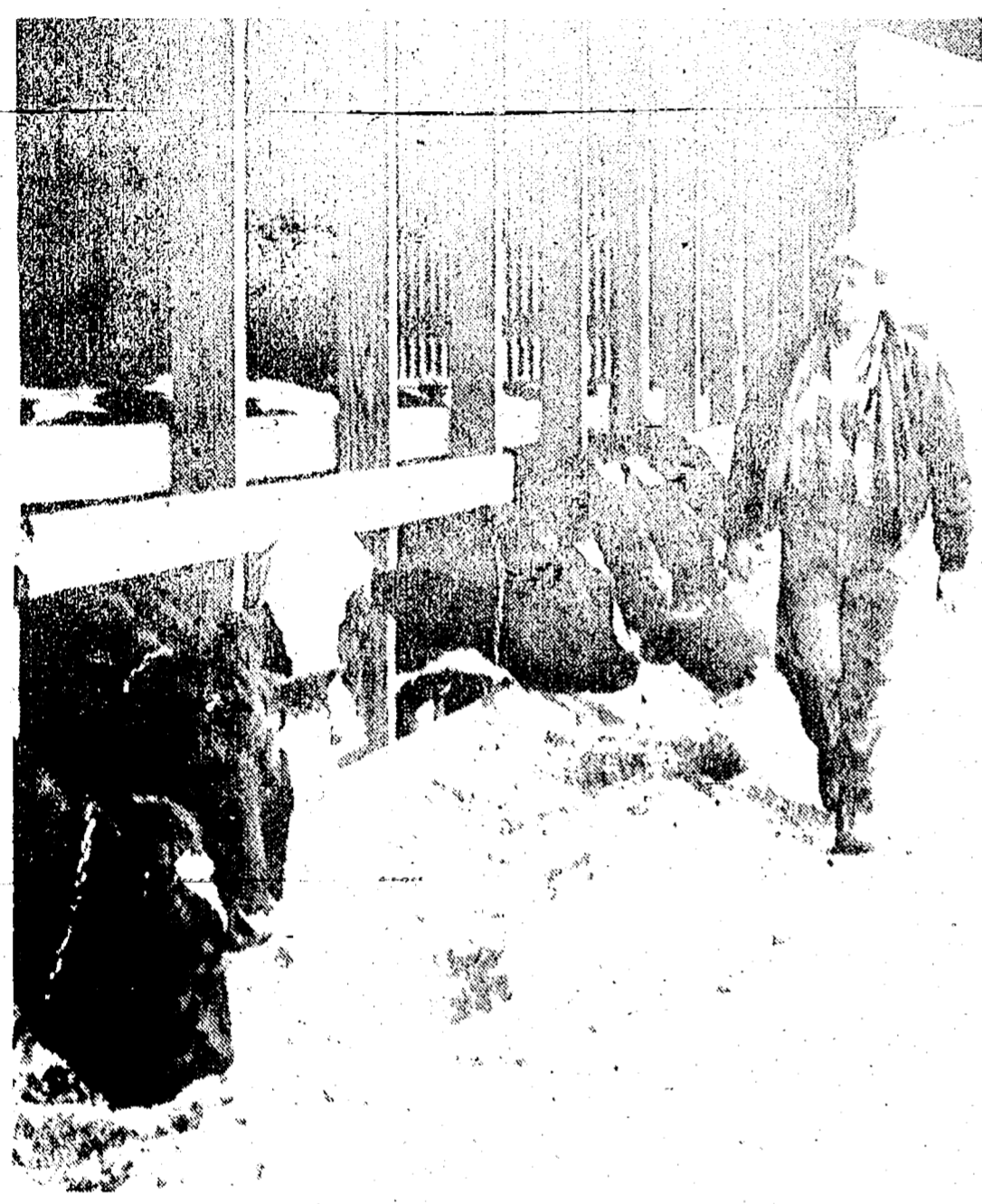
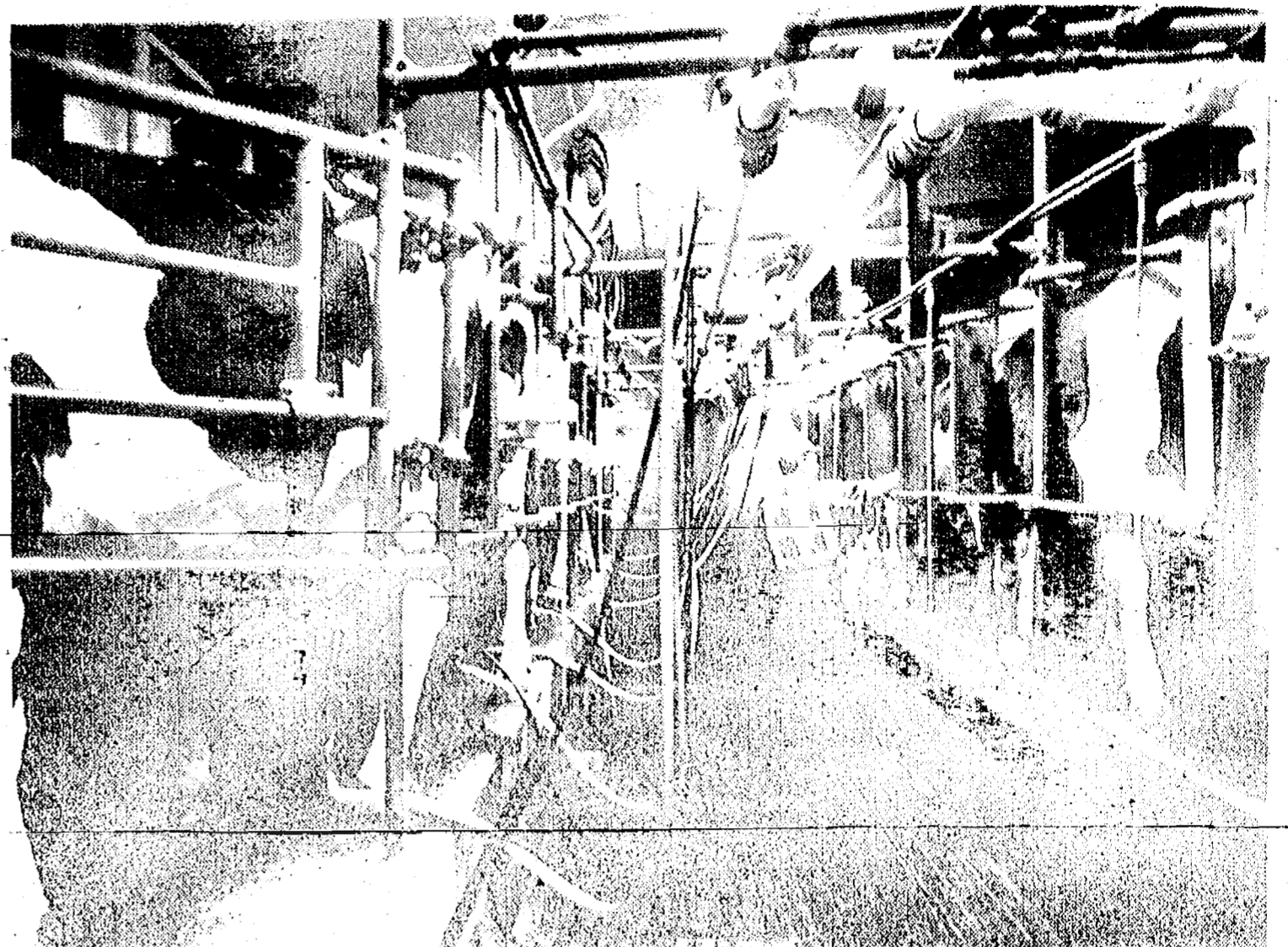
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Dairy farming in Canton--



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BY SUSAN SHEINER
Ninety years ago the Gills family of Canton bought 1,300 acres of farm land and started a good old fashioned farm with cows, sheep, horses, chickens, and pigs.

Today Gills' two great grandsons, Don and Stan run a modern dairy farm on the same land. The brothers have been partners since 1958, shortly after their father died. He left them a dairy farm with 70 cows. Since that time, the number has grown to 780 heads of Holstein cow. Four hundred and thirty are milking and the remainder are heifers (have not yet given birth), and recent mothers who are waiting out a six week "dry period"

Don Gills grins as he asks visitors if they would like to see the bull. It is not big, nor black, nor strong, yet it is a costly investment. Tucked in a corner of his pen is a metal

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frigerated truck to a dairy. The Gills farm produces an average of 50 pounds of milk each day.

"There aren't too many of us (dairy farmers) around," Don Gills said. He speculates high land prices and taxes are discouraging people from dairy farming. "It is also hard to get away. You are always tied down with a dairy farm," he said. Gills has avoided that problem by having a partnership with a number of farm workers, and a shift system. Don's son Ron and Stan's son Tom are part of the force on the Gills farm.

Don Gills did not always plan on being a dairy farmer. "My father made me an offer to go into the dairy business when I was 22. I thought there were easier ways to make a living, so I turned him down. He made me another offer when I was 24. I decided to take it. I guess it just gets in your blood."



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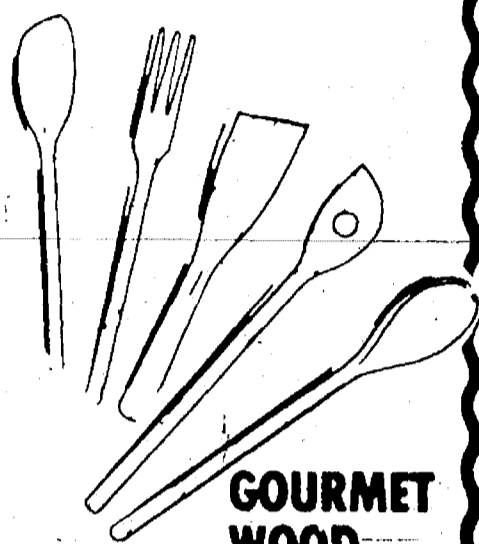




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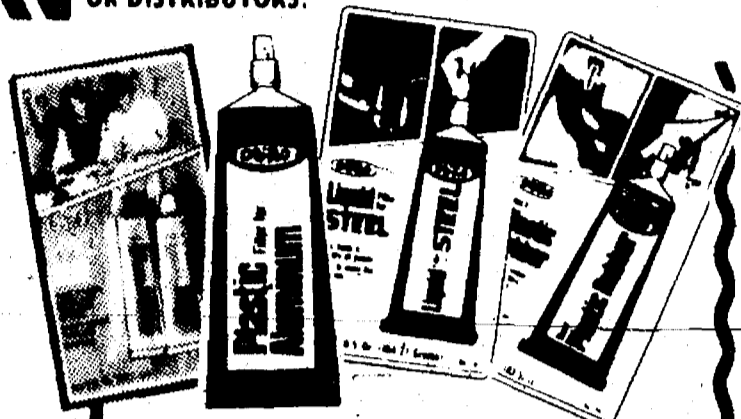
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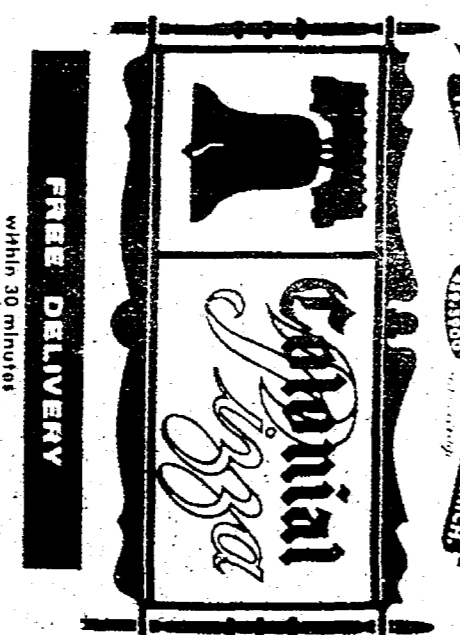
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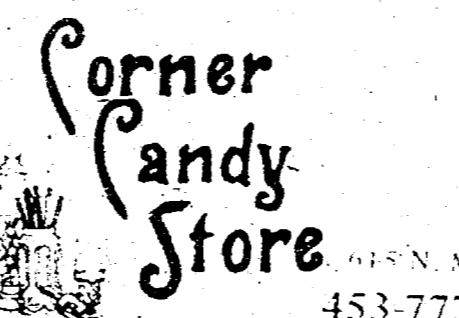
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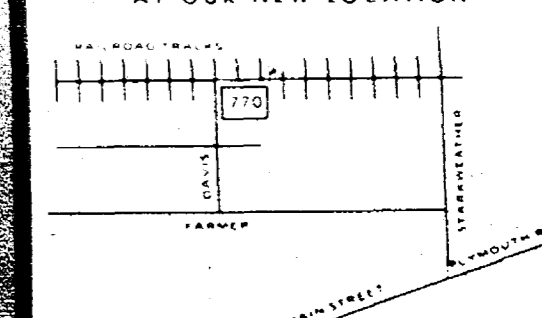
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Desserts are interesting, especially if you're on a diet, however. Allen will have 'dessert' on Monday, fruit cobbler on Tuesday, and fruit the rest of the week. Bird likes fruit too, and will serve it all week, with chocolate pudding on Thursday for a break. Farrand loves cake, and every school has their own version of rice krispies, marshmallows and candy chips.

Let 'em eat cake, I'll stick to my crummy diet and try to remember hot fudge over celery sticks isn't good as it sounds.

MARCH 21 - MARCH 25
ALLEN
Monday
Beef barley soup, peanut butter jelly sandwich, fruit cup, dessert, milk
Tuesday
Sloppy Joes, vegetable, fruit cobbler, milk
Wednesday
Pizza, green beans, fruit cup, milk
Thursday
Hot dog, bun, catsup, mustard, vegetable, fruit cup, potato stix, milk
Friday
Hot beef sandwich, vegetable, fruit, cup, milk
BIRD
Monday
Jelly & Peanut butter sandwich, chicken noodle soup, tollhouse bar, fruit, milk
Tuesday
Pizza burger, pickle slices, corn fruit, milk
Wednesday
Beef, gravy, potatoes, roll, cranberry sauce, fruit, milk
Thursday
Hot dog, bun, vegetables, chocolate pudding, cookie, milk
Friday
Fish sticks, tartar sauce, french bread, vegetables, fruit, dessert, milk
Central Middle
Monday
Hamburger, bun, pickle slice, green beans, fruit cocktail cake, milk
Tuesday
Hot Dog, bun, relishes, corn, fruit, cookie, milk

Wednesday
Fried Chicken, potatoes, gravy, green beans, cranberry sauce, bread, milk
Thursday
Homemade Chili, crackers, peanut butter sandwich, fruit, cake, milk
Friday
Fish Sandwich, bun, fries, fruit, milk (Bread and Peanut Butter served at all meals)
ERIKSSON
Monday
Homemade chicken soup, peanut butter and Jelly Sandwich, fruit butterscotch bar, milk
Tuesday
Hamburger or Cheeseburger, relish vegetable, fruit, brownie, milk
Wednesday
Goulash, roll, vegetable, fruited gelatin, milk
Thursday
Hot Dog, bun, relishes, vegetable, fruit, cookie, milk
Friday
Turkey, gravy, potatoes, bread and butter, fruit, frosted cake, milk
FARRAND
Monday
Submarine sandwich, vegetables, cake, fruit, milk
Tuesday
Sliced Turkey, potatoes, gravy, jello w/fruit, rolls, cake, milk
Wednesday
Hot dog, bun, relishes, vegetables, cookie, fruit, milk
Thursday
Beef, gravy, potatoes, vegetables, rolls, cake, fruit, milk
Friday
Pizza, vegetables, chocolate cake, fruit, milk

FIGEL
Monday
Vegetable soup, grilled cheese, fruit, peanut butter bar, milk
Tuesday
Hot dog, bun, mustard, catsup, candied sweet potatoes or sauerkraut, fruit, cookie, milk
Wednesday
Chicken, gravy, potatoes, roll, carrot stix, fruit, milk
Thursday
Grilled cheese, pickle slices, vegetable, fruit, peanut cup, milk
Friday
Untidy Joes, bun, pickle, vegetables, fruit, brownie, milk
FIELD
Monday
Sloppy Joe, bun, fries, Orange Smile, cookie, milk
Tuesday
Fried Chicken, potatoes, gravy, peas, bread, butter, pudding, milk
Wednesday
Spaghet, salad fruit jello, Cinnamon roll, milk
Thursday
Submarine Sandwich, vegetable, beef soup, crackers, fruit, milk
Friday
Hamburger, bun, vegetable, potato sticks, fruit, milk
GALLIMORE
Monday
Toasted Cheese sandwich, tomato soup, fruit, cookie, milk
Tuesday
Submarine sandwich, green beans, fruit, cake, milk
Wednesday
Turkey w/gravy, potatoes, rolls, jello, cake, milk
Thursday
Hot dog, bun, catsup, mustard, corn, apple sauce, cake, milk
Friday
Pizza, wax beans, fruit, brownie, milk
HULSING
Monday
Meat Loaf, gravy, potatoes, roll, butter, fruit, peas, carrots, milk
Tuesday
Beef-A-Roni, green beans, roll, butter, peaches, chocolate chip cookie, milk
Wednesday
Pizza, mixed vegetables, fruited gelatin, milk
Thursday
Hot dog, roll, relishes, fries, pineapple chunks, brownie, milk
Friday
Turkey, gravy, potatoes, vegetable roll, butter, frosted Applesauce cake, milk
ISBISTER
Monday
Bean soup, crackers, cheese stick, peanut butter sandwich, peas, chocolate cake, milk
Tuesday
Hamburg & Noodle Casserole, bread, butter, peas, applesauce, peanut butter cookie and milk
Wednesday
Sliced Turkey, potatoes, biscuit, butter, cranberries, jello, fruit, milk

Thursday
Hot dog, bun, fries, peaches, cookie, milk
Friday
Toasted Cheese Sandwich, green beans, fruit, potatoe
MILLER
Monday
Grilled Cheese sandwich, fries, fruit cookie, milk
Tuesday
Frankfurter, bun, catsup, mustard, pork & beans, peaches, cake, cheese stick, milk
Wednesday
Hamburger gravy, potatoes, roll, butter fruit, milk
Thursday
Sloppy Joe, bun, corn, fruit, cookie, milk
Friday
Pizza Day
SMITH
Monday
Toasted Cheese Sandwich, peas, pears, cookie, milk
Tuesday
Hamburger, bun, mustard, catsup, tater tots, peaches, cookie, milk
Wednesday
Beef, gravy, potatoes, roll, pineapple, cookie, milk
Thursday
Hot dog, bun, mustard, catsup, relish, fries, jello with fruit, cheese stick, cake, milk
Friday
Lasagna, bread, butter, corn, apple sauce, cookie, milk
STARKWEATHER
Monday
Chicken soup, peanut butter & Jelly sandwich, fruit, cake, milk
Tuesday
Roast Beef Gravy, potatoes, rolls fruit, cookie, milk
Wednesday
Grilled Cheese Sandwich, green beans, fruit, cookie, milk
Thursday
Turkey, gravy, potatoes, butter, bread, fruit, cake, milk

Friday
Sloppy Joes, fries, fruit, cookie, milk
TANGER
Monday
Grilled Cheese sandwich, pickle slices, apple sauce, vegetable, peanut butter bar, milk
Tuesday
Taco, fries, fruit, bread pudding, milk
Wednesday
Salisbury steak, gravy, potatoes, jello, fruit, graham cracker, milk
Thursday
Hot Dog, bun, or chili dog, relishes, vegetable, apple kisp, milk
Friday
Ravioli, roll, fruit, vegetable, milk
EAST MIDDLE
Monday
Turkey roll, potatoes, gravy, biscuit, butter, fruit, brownie bar, milk
Tuesday
Hot dog, bun, relishes, corn, fruit, cookie, milk
Wednesday
Pizza, OJ, green beans, apple crunch, milk
Thursday
Hamburger, relishes, fries, fruit, cowboy cookie, milk
Friday
Tomato soup, crackers, grilled cheese sandwich, celery, carrot sticks, tollhouse bar, milk
PIONEER MIDDLE
Monday
Spaghetti, roll, butter, green beans, fruit, milk
Tuesday
Hamburger or Cheeseburger, fries, fruit, cookie, milk
Wednesday
Meat, gravy, potatoes, roll, butter, vegetable, fruit, milk
Thursday
Pizza, corn, fruit, cookie, milk
Friday
Grilled cheese sandwich or peanut butter & Jelly, cream of tomato soup, fruit, brownie, milk
WEST MIDDLE
Monday
Spaghetti, green beans, fruit, coffee cake, milk
Tuesday
Sloppy Joe, corn, pineapple or pears chocolate chip cookies, milk
Wednesday
Hot sliced turkey, gravy, potatoes, broccoli, biscuits, strawberry fruit jello, milk
Thursday
Hamburgers, trimmings, fries, fruit juices, orange cake, milk
Friday
Fishwich, tartar sauce, catsup, hash browns, fruit, peanut butter crinkles, milk
PLYMOUTH SALEM
PLYMOUTH CANTON
Monday
Hamburger gravy, potatoes, vegetable, roll, butter, jello, milk
Tuesday
Bar-B-Q, Potato Chips, vegetable OJ, fruits, milk
Wednesday
Goulash, macaroni, cheese, vegetable, roll, butter, jello, milk
Thursday
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Friday
Fish, bun, potatoes, vegetable, jello, milk

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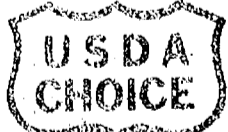
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CEP student election finals

Voting machines were used last week when CEP (Centennial Educational Park) students cast their votes for student council and class officers.

Canton Senior officers are: Doug Smith-president Kevin O'Connor-vice-president; Mary Riffe-secretary; and Joan Paoley-treasurer. Canton senior student council representatives are: Debbie Tompkins, Harry Robman, Bernie Jovenally, Jackie Renaud, Beverly King, and Jill Moorehead.

Canton Junior officers are: Jay McKinley-president; Janet Ley-vice-president; Sue Sobczynski-secretary; and Leslie Bublin-treasurer. Junior student Council representatives are: Marty Schendel, Richard Fliescher, Laura Nagel, Lynn McAllister Chris Pink, and Vickie Michler.

Canton Sophomore officers are: Marisa Bagnasco-president Becky Long-vice-president; Jane McCourt-secretary; and Chris Perchard-treasurer. Sophomore Student Council representatives are: Bruce Ruttenberg, Pam Schipani, Sue Farewell, Carrie Kitchen, and Carol McCuly.

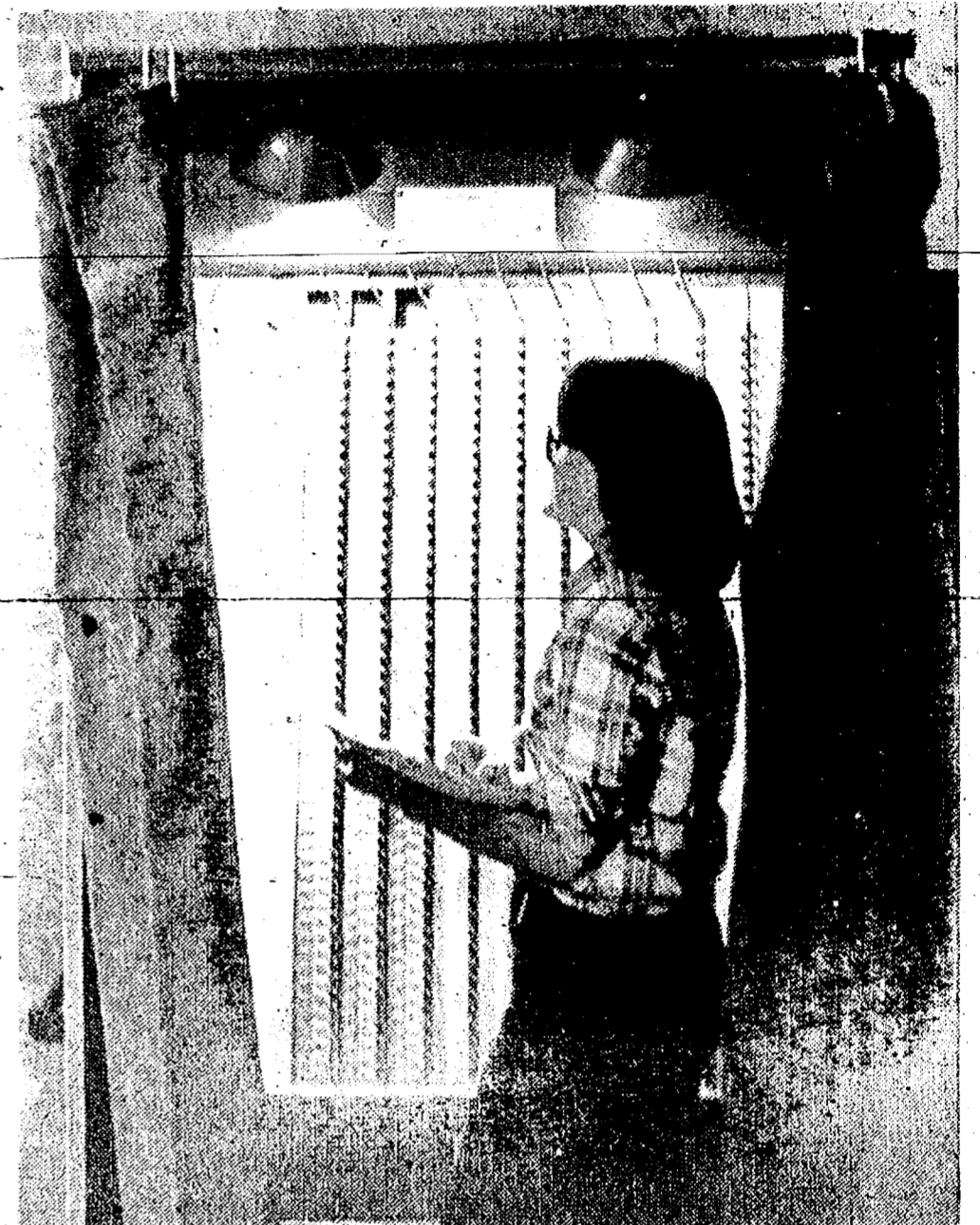
Salem Senior officers are: Paul Lerove-president; Diane Allen-vice-president; Dee Bosler-secretary; and Barb Sartori-treasurer. Senior representatives are: Jeff Ivey, Mary Marsh, Penni Strautz, Beth Goldman, Jana Powell, and Bob Hissom.

Salem Junior officers are: Sue Parker-president; Sharon Roberts-vice-president; Sue Sparling-secretary; and Laura Ashlee-treasurer. Salem Junior representatives are: Cindy Willkens, Judy Skotzke, Jay

Finch, Patti Scefferly, Steve Settles, and Shelly McKelvey.

Salem Sophomore officers are: Beth Szilagy-president; Mary Ellen Lamphear-vice-president; Laurie Brown-secre-


tary and Lisa Bishop-treasurer. Salem Sophomore representatives are: Kathy Benson, Laura Skrobecki, Kim Harnes, Dana Hartor, Tracy Trullard, and Kathy Weber.



VOIING MACHINES were used for the first time last week as CEP students cast their votes for school officers. Inspecting the machine is student Barb Sartori. (Crier photo by W. Edward Wendover.)

Tales out of school

News from Salem and Canton High Schools
BY SANDY HAWLEY



Claude Brown will be making music in Canton High School again.

From March 28 till May 26 Claude Brown, a former student of Canton, will be teaching a class titled "Fundamentals of Music-Analysis and Synthesis". It will be taught on Monday and Thursday from 7-9 p.m. in the Canton Little Theater. The cost is \$16 for 16 classes.

Claude will be teaching various types of music, but not in the typical way.

"When I taught class two years ago, I taught it in a chronological method. I found out the most efficient method is by showing similarities in new forms with past forms," says Claude.

Some of the subjects Claude will teach are Romanticism into Cliche, Clich today, Spirituality in art, African and Eskimo primitive music, electronic music, and more.

"Clay and Trent, who were teachers at the Bauhaus, felt what was very important was to be able to show relationships between different art forms, such as the laws of music, painting, sculpture, or whatever," Claude said.

"For example, in painting there are certain laws of balance, color, and all these laws have to be taken into consideration-not only to paint, but in order to be able to analyze a work of art, to be able to understand what's going on."

"What I'm going to do is show students that there are laws of inheritance in almost any work of art. Many times these laws that apply to music are very similar to those in painting, sculpture or another art form."

One thing Claude will be trying to do is to get people to understand and appreciate 20th century art forms. "A lot of what is going on in the 20th century, is breaking away from the past forms, and trying to establish a new form based on very simple laws, things that are based upon the simple geometric forms."

"The painters are trying to break away from representationalism, the photographic image. They were much more concerned with color, than faces or still lifes. It is the same thing that is going on in music."

Claude went to Canton three years ago. He has played piano for five years and at present, is attending F.M.U.

Motion fails to remove Thompson

A motion to remove Canton Building Inspector Chuck Thompson from his role as director of the Canton Police Department failed last week because of the lack of a second from another member of the Canton Board of Trustees.

The motion came from Trustee Bob Myers, who said it should be done because "we now have a police commission."

Myers' recommendation received no support, however, and Trustee Brian Schwall called it "totally premature."

Thompson, who was appointed by the board in January to the director's post, said later he would "have to resign by the first of May anyway" because one of his deputy building inspectors would be in military training during that month and there was "no way" he could handle both jobs himself.

Thompson's police appointment was opposed originally by Myers, Flodin and Ms. Goldsmith.

Dehoco chief to resign

Martha Wheeler, superintendent of the Women's Division of Dehoco in Plymouth Township, has submitted her resignation from that post effective April 2.

Ms. Wheeler says she cited "personal reason" for her departure and added that she is "not by residence or experience a Michigan person."

A spokesman in the office of Perry Johnson, director of the Michigan Department of Corrections in Lansing, said the department will consider first people who are within the corrections department who are eligible to replace Ms. Wheeler.


"Certainly we will consider the present deputy superintendent and we would like to name a female if at all possible," said Bob Brown from the Lansing office Monday.

Dehoco has been plagued by escapes for several months and a recent disturbance at the facility was staged by inmates demanding better services.



Debra named

DEBRA BECKINGTON has been named Salem High School's 1976-77 General Mills Family Leader of Tomorrow. She won the honor by competing with other seniors in a written knowledge and attitude test on Dec. 7. She will receive a certificate from General Mills, sponsor of the annual scholarship program, and becomes eligible for state and national honors. As a school winner Debra will be in competition for the State Family Leader of Tomorrow. A \$1,500 college scholarship is awarded the winner and a grant of \$500 goes to the runner up.



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Break out the champagne or the beer or whatever. It's time to toast this year's upcoming brides and grooms. A salute to the couple who have made that big decision, and to all the moms and dads who are turning gray over wedding plans. The showers and parties are all so exciting, as the count down of days is about to begin.

The Crier staff honored its assistant editor, Donna Lomas and her fiance Russ Bonner at a pot luck shower last Thursday night. The surprise shower was held at the home of Fran and Bob Hennings. Joining in the festivities were Cynthia Trevino, Cary Skogland, Dan Harriman, Dennis (Doc) O'Connor, Melanie Robinson, Ed and Jen Wendover, Kathy and Dick Kuenzer, Kathy and Ron Bauer, Mike Carne, Susan Sheiner, Zygi Goldenberg, Phyllis and Steve Redfern, Susan Nicholas, and Terri Hennings.

The Plymouth Symphony League is hosting an Art Auction Friday evening, March 25. It will be held at the Cultural Center, 525 Farmer in Plymouth. The champagne preview starts at 7:30 with the auction beginning at 8:30. Tickets are \$1.50 and may be purchased at Green's in Northville, Beitner's, Heide's, Plymouth Book World, Audette's, and the Statice Shop in Plymouth. Tickets will also be available at the door.

Original oils, lithographs, wood cuts, and metal sculptures will be featured by such artists as Dali, Rockwell, Hibel, Mingolia, Bragg, plus many new talents. The values of the art will range from \$5 to \$500 with a large selection falling in the \$10 to \$100 price range. A valuable door prize will be awarded.

The show is being co-ordinated by The Gallery Art Center in conjunction with the Vivace and Crescendo symphony groups. Evelyn Funk and Dorothy McGettigan of the Vivace's, and Laura Kolb and Mary Haut of the Crescendo's are co-chairpersons. Assisting them are Diane Mabrey, Barbara Tait, Martha Brown, Kay Krokltis, Kay Swain, Jo Ellen Odom, Stephanie Miller, and Fran Lang.

Don and Mary Jo Johnson of Canton hosted a going away party for their parents Aubrey and Eva Emery. They are returning to Mayfield, Ky. after living in the Detroit area for 31 years. Mr. Emery recently retired from Anchor Conveyor Co., Millwright Local 1102. Attending the party were the Emery's sons and their wives, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Emery of Ferndale and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Emery of Grosse Pointe Woods. Other relatives saying their farewells were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wilson, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Williams.

Kathy Piasta of Plymouth was a big help to the Plymouth Newcomers last week as she stepped in at the last minute to model at the fashion show. Kathy spent a couple of busy days having her hair styled and trying on clothes, and she came out looking glamorous.

John and Cindy Bida of Hartsough are the proud parents of a baby girl born March 8 at Garden City Hospital. Jill Elizabeth weighed in at 9 lbs. 4 oz. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bida (mayor of Plymouth), and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Adams.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Regis M. Buckley on the birth of their son Regis Michael Buckley II on March 3. Regis is the first grandchild for Mr. and Mrs. Chester Smietacz of Plymouth, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Buckley of Redford.

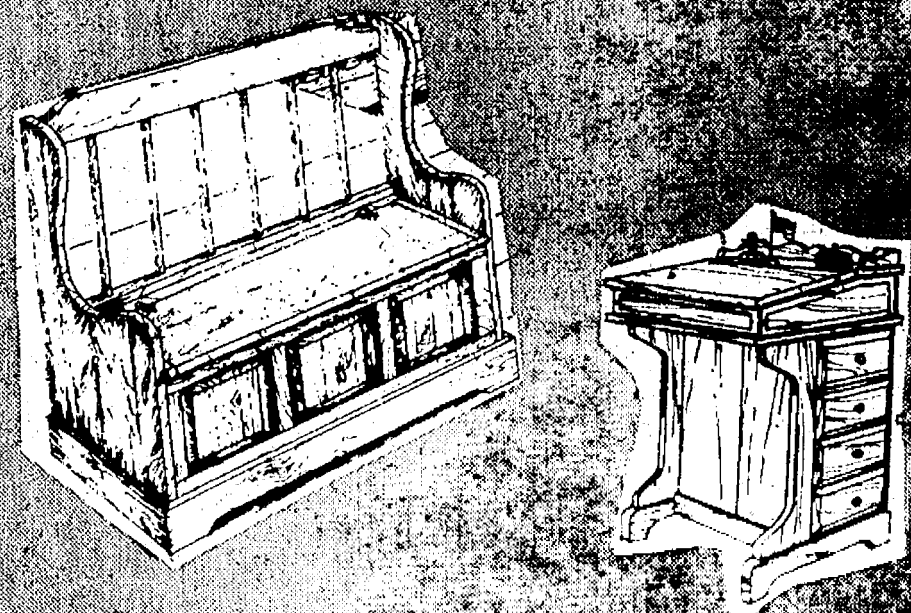
Rhea Dunbar of Plymouth is the Young Sophisticats' lucky local winner in the Cruise-into-Spring Sweepstakes Contest sponsored by Vicky Vaughn and Toni Todd. As a local winner Rhea won a beautiful Vicky Vaughn Dress and a chance to be the National Grand Prize winner of a Caribbean Cruise for two on the luxury liner Cunard Countess.

Kenn, Linda and Skippy Christopher attended Tucker's fourth birthday party Saturday.



SAMPLING CHAMPAGNE that will be served at the Plymouth Symphony League's Art Auction are (left) Evelyn Funk and Dorothy McGettigan from the Vivace group. The auction will be held Saturday evening at 7:30 p.m. at the Cultural Center. (Crier photo by Susan Sheiner)

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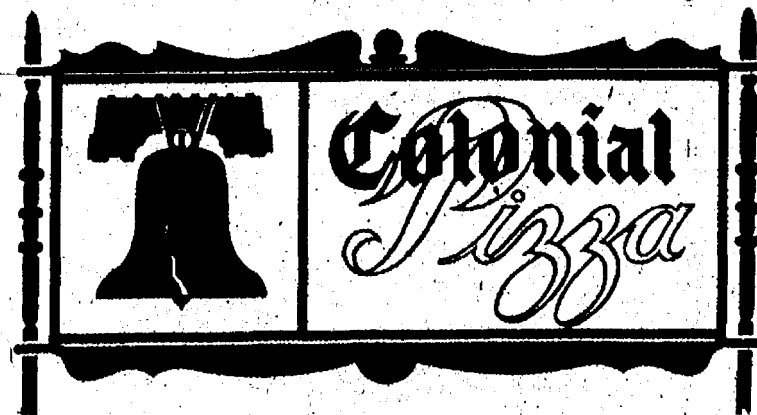
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City delays rent aid decision

BY SUSAN NICHOLAS

By a vote of five to two the City Commission decided at a special meeting Monday to postpone a decision on applying for housing and rent subsidies through HUD (the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development).

The vote came on a resolution submitted by Commissioner Norbert Battermann which delayed action on the matter until March 21, or at the latest—March 28. Applications for the HUD program are due on March 31.

The commission vote defeated an earlier resolution submitted by Commissioners Beverly McAninch and John Moehle — who called the special meeting — which would have approved of the application for rent subsidies that night.

The decision to table the resolution was reached only after a lengthy debate between commissioners and the public.

Commissioner Moehle first asked whether or not the application should be submitted by the City Commission or the Housing Commission.

"I understand there may be a technicality involved as to whether or not the Housing Commission should submit a formal application," said Moehle.

"As I understand it, the application for these particular units should receive an application from both the Housing Commission and the City Commission," said City Manager Fred Yockey.

However, Mark Wollenweber, assistant city manager, said the housing commission was told of the rent subsidies program on short notice.

"We received nothing from the county until Feb. 24," said Wollenweber. "We didn't get the application until Feb. 25."

Mayor Joe Bida questioned whether or not the proposed 35 units were for senior citizens only. "I don't think the material specifies 35 units just for senior citizens," said Bida.

Moehle then replied that the program would help people on low incomes.

"This is an opportunity to assist those people on low incomes whether they rent an apartment or a house so they do not spend more than 25 per cent of their income on housing," said Moehle.

"What they're saying is that people who do not own their own homes in Plymouth can be helped," added McAninch.

"Could you clarify what these 35 units mean?" asked Jack Wilcox, whose Penninan Avenue lot was the proposed site of a senior citizens high rise project rejected by city voters.

"It means that existing low-income housing can receive rent subsidies," replied Bida.

Then Wollenweber noted that the "Section 8" program was different from the "Section 8" MSHDA (Michigan State Housing Development Authority) senior citizen program.

"There is a difference between the Section 8 MSHDA project and this Section 8," said Wollenweber. "That was Section 8 senior

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Higher city taxes bring swift reaction

BY CHAS. CHILD

City property owners have been swift to challenge the higher taxes they've been assessed this year.

Not since 1968-69 has the city's Board of Review taken more petitions, according to City Assessor Ken Way. The Board is a two-member panel that hears resident's petitions challenging the city's judgment of how much their property is worth.

Frederich Hoeprich of 1133 Sutherland, a former Bendix engineer, said, "I'm retired. When the taxes go up, I can't go to my boss and get a raise."

The assessment on city residential property went up approximately 17 per cent. This figure is Way's judgment of how much, on the average, residential property values have risen in the midst of the expanding Plymouth area. It was applied to all residential property in the city.

Commercial property assessments, however, were reduced approximately 12 per cent and industrial property assessments are down about six per cent.

Way said the state of Michigan has raised from \$500 to \$1,200 the amount of the refund available to retired property owners, such as Hoeprich.

Another petitioner said, "I realize there has to be an increase but I wonder why it has to be this much. She said she was "frustrated" because she moved to Plymouth recently thinking the taxes were going to be relatively low. "I also wonder where the money will go," she added.

A petitioner who didn't want to be identified said, "I blame the real estate agents. They're trying to make it a bedroom community and only the rich need apply."

Way said the Board of Review is so swamped with petitions that it will be towards the end of the month before they finish reviewing them all. Extra sessions of the review board have been scheduled to handle the many petitions.

Glimpse at yesterday



THE OLD PERFECTION LAUNDRY on Wing Street was remodeled from two cement block buildings and a frame house. The new building also added a second story. Several small shops replaced the laundry. These photos belong to the building's owner, Corey, and were submitted by Greg Green of Green's Glass, which occupies the east end of the building.

Rapid growth argued

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The board's decision to table came despite strong statements for and against the resolution.

The growth will continue to "sap the community of its ability and desire" to provide tax money and "deprive the community of educational stability," said Marcia Borowski in presenting the motion.

Board member George Lawton opposed the resolution, saying he wanted to see some evidence showing how growth harms the quality of education. He also said he was also not sure that growth in Plymouth and Canton Townships was uncontrolled.

"The board has the responsibility to educate," said board secretary Flossie Tonda. "If we do a poor job, then we can't blame another unit of government."

E. J. McClendon, vice president of the board, said the motion was good because "apparently some people are unaware how difficult it is to provide quality with such growth."

President of the board, Joe Gray, said he had "Mixed emotions" on the resolution, although he said, "growth was good for the economy but made it difficult for the schools."

Community deaths

Ross

Kathleen Bray Ross, 78, of Knoxville, Tenn., formerly of Livonia, died March 4 in Knoxville. Funeral services were held at the Schrader Funeral Home, Rev. Fr. Robert

S. Shank, Jr., officiating. Burial was at Riverside Cemetery, Plymouth.

Mrs. Ross is survived by a son, Gordon Ross of California; a sister, Mrs. George Bentley of Detroit; a brother, Harold Bray of Florida, and five grandchildren.

Recreational Vehicle Life

by Earl Rafferty



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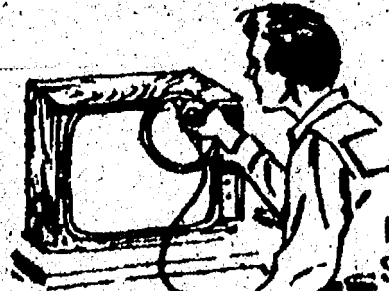
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City argues rent subsidies

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citizens and this is Section 8 family, which can include senior citizens."

Housing Commission Chairman Bill Silvis then expanded on how the housing commission was handling the application thus far.

"The Housing commission did meet on this and we will review it," said Silvis. "We are in the process of filling out the application. The possible area of controversy is the porportion of senior citizens housing to family housing."

"We didn't have anything to go on with this short notice. So, we have decided on 30 senior citizen units and five family units."

Batterman raised objections to having the city commission consider the application.

"I'd like to make a couple of comments here," said Battermann. "Number One,

"I think special meetings like this are a waste of the taxpayers' money. I think this meeting is kind of a grandstand play and I'm sorry it happened."

Commissioner Mark Child agreed with Battermann.

"I'd like to echo those sentiments," said Childs, "but I'm glad to see that the other two commissioners McAninch and Moehle are finally taking an interest in senior citizens."

"Well, some of the comments made do not warrant a reply," said Moehle. "My concern is that we do not miss the boat again and that we make a careful application. Now, the Section 8 subsidies have been known for almost a year. Whether or not the Housing commission of the City commission prepares this is a small point, but it is an important that the city commission express its wishes on the matter."

Commissioner Tom Turner asked for a recommendation from the housing commission.

"I think we ought to have a specific recommendation from the people we have charged with this responsibility," said Turner.

Again, Commissioner Moehle urged haste.

"I don't think we should prepare this under the last minute gun," said Moehle. "Recall: we prepared the Tonquish Manor application at the last minute."

Turner then asked what the housing commission's recommendation would be.

"Our recommendation is that we apply on the basis

of 30 and five -- 30 senior citizen units and five family units," said Silvis. "It was indicated to us that some balance between family units be included."

Planning Commissioner Tex Thoman rose and said that while he approved of the program he thought the city should be careful in its approach.

"I just have one concern," said Thoman. "First of all, I think it's a great program and we should be very careful about how we approach. Remember, we thought the block grant program would be a great boon for senior citizens."

"Most of our senior citizens are not in rentals; they are in their own place of residence. While I disagree with John (Moehle) on many things I think his idea of tax relief for senior citizens was very good, but that is not being offered here. So I think we should go ahead with it and make it as broad as possible," Thoman said.

The possibility of a spec-

ial meeting was then discussed.

"Do we have to hold a special meeting?" asked Turner.

"Unless you instruct us to prepare the application and file, but if you want to see the application before it goes to HUD it is my understanding that you have to hold a special meeting," said Yockey.

Turner then said that he felt that passing the resolution would be a mistake.

"I think passing this right now would be like signing a blank check," said Turner. "Conceptually I'm in favor of it-as I think everyone here is - but I wouldn't want to tie the hands of the housing commission."

Batterman then moved to have the city commission consider the application next Monday, if ready. If not, it would be handled March 28. It passed with McAninch and Moehle voting "no."

"I think the people of Plymouth now know that, yes, there are housing alternatives in Plymouth," said Moehle after the vote.

Bond vote meeting set


An informational meeting about the millage renewal and bond issue for the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools will be held at Canton High School ON Monday, March 21, at 7:30 p.m.

The Board of Education will discuss the April 23 election issues. An opportunity will be provided for questions from the audience.

Bus provided for hearing

Anyone interested in the Wayne County Board of Commissioner's decision on the proposed Northville State Prison may ride a free bus to the board's meeting at the City-County Building, Thursday, March 17, at 2 p.m.

The bus will leave at 12:30 p.m. from Northville Square, Main St. at Sheldon Rd.



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BY WILLIAM DECKER
REALTOR

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Ground broken for church

GROUNDBREAKING for a new Baptist Church at 44815 Cherry Hill in Canton was held Feb. 20. The future Maranatha Baptist Church will have an auditorium, gymnasium, classrooms and an office complex, as depicted in this artist's drawing. The \$300,000 facility will be able to accommodate 400 persons.



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Salem spikers honored

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Sports

**Finley is All American,
Harris places in State**

BY MATT NORRIS

Salem tanker Ron Finley capped a successful career at the state finals Saturday, winning a first place in the backstroke event and one fourth place. The senior gained All-American status in a qualifying backstroke heat Friday.

Canton High also had a swimmer in the finals at Michigan State, as Kevin Harris took eighth place in the 100 yard freestyle. The meet was won by Ann Arbor Pioneer with 172 total points.

Finley entered the backstroke final seeded second, because his preliminary time was one-hundredth of a second behind Mark Strohl of Pioneer. Both tankers swam slower in the final race, but their times of :53.41 and :53.42 qualified the two for All-America standing. Finley, who was second place in the backstroke last year, won the final in :54.15 seconds.

Finley was also seeded second in the finals of the 200 yard freestyle, where he placed fourth. The senior led during the first half of the race, only to finish four-tenths of a second behind the winner.

Harris finished eighth in the 100 yard freestyle with a time of :48.90 seconds. The captain of the Canton team cut a full second off his previous best time at MSU in the 100 free, and improved by two seconds in the 200 free, placing thirteenth.

Canton and Salem also sent relay teams in the 400 freestyle relay race. Although both teams set school records in the preliminary heats, neither qualified for the final race. Rock tankers Ron Finley, Craig Finley, Mike Etienne, and Tom Rubadue placed 18th in the state with a 3:22.3 clocking. The Canton quartet of Harris, Steve Wood, Dave Tanner, and Jamie Greenwood finished 21st in 3:24.1.

The Plymouth swimmers were up against very stiff competition Saturday, as four state records were broken and one was tied. All eight schools of the Suburban Eight were represented in East Lansing, while only three teams from the Western Six had swimmers in heats.

**Four middle schools
host first mat tourney**

Don't forget - this is the week the first annual Plymouth Middle School Wrestling Tournament will happen. It will be at East Middle School this Saturday, March 19 and weigh in will begin at approximately 10 a.m. Wrestling action will start at 11 a.m. and go throughout the day. Admission is free to the public.

Dan Riggs, a teacher at East Middle School and three other middle school teachers from West, Pioneer and Central organized the tournament to promote the sport of wrestling on the middle school level. The Plymouth Canton school district does not have

a structured middle school wrestling program, and Riggs, the junior varsity instructor for wrestling at Canton High feels this tournament is a good way to inform and develop community interest in the sport wrestling.

Qualifying matches within each of the four participating middle schools have chosen two boys from 15 weight classes to participate in the tournament Saturday.

Approximately 240 boys will participate in the wrestling tourney. Ribbons will be awarded to first, second and third place winners in each weight class.

**Plymouth
gymnasts
edged by
Warren**

The Plymouth Gymnastics Club lost by a narrow 1.1 point margin to Warren gymnast at a non-league meet at the new Phase III building recently. Plymouth was a close second with 146.5 points.

Jill Moorehead, a junior at Canton High School, was first in the vault competition, first in floor exercise, second on bars, and fourth on the beam. She won first place in all-around gymnastics.

Wendy Gray won first place on the beam, fourth place in floor exercise, fifth on the vault and placed seventh all around. Denise Ceravolo was second on the beam, sixth on the bars, sixth in floor exercise and sixth all-around.

Two other members of the Plymouth Gymnastics Club, Laura Michalik and Cheryl Newport, competed but did not place.

**Side Street,
W. Schutz
tangle in
City playoffs**

The regular season champ Side Street Pub tangled with Wagenschutz in city playoffs last Monday. A tremendous team effort by Wagenschutz produced a high-scoring 84-73 triumph over Side Street. Paving the way for Wagenschutz was Mark Falvo, who dropped in 23, Steve Robb with 20, Brent Boegler had 16 and Russ Olsen 14. For Side Street, Rick Neu led all scorers with a fine 29 point performance.

Despite the loss, Side Street will represent Plymouth in the State Tournament the weekend of March 25, 26, and 27 at Central Michigan University in Mt. Pleasant. The victory moved Wagenschutz into the championship round of the city playoffs against the winner of the Century 21 Air-Tite Insulators Game.

The second game Monday evening matched Century 21 and Air-Tite Insulators. From the opening tip the lead changed hands a couple of times early in the contest and at the half Century 21 maintained a 33-32 lead. Century opened up a 10 point lead after three quarters and hung on for a 75-67 victory. Bob Kellman played his best game of the season as he scored 21 points and was a standout of defense. Charlie Wolfe scored 20 point for Air-Tite and K.C. Jones added 17.



THE SALEM GIRLS SPIKERS took John Glenn by storm in volleyball district playoffs last Saturday. Their next goal is to the Schoolcraft final games this Saturday. (Crier photos by Susan Sheiner.)



Rock spikers upset district foes, S'craft finals next

BY DONNA LOMAS

The Salem girls volleyball team upset district foes in volleyball action Saturday to enable them to travel to Schoolcraft College this Saturday for the final championship games.

The Rocks, who finished their regular season of play with a 12-3 overall record and stand 7-1 in the Suburban Eight League, are sharing the Sub-8 crown with Dearborn Pioneers.

The Rocks entered the Suburban Eight contest in first place one point ahead of Dearborn, but by the end of the days action, both were equal with 12 points. It is the first time in the Salem girls volleyball six year history that they have won the Suburban Eight crown.

Bentley held second place, followed by Edsel Ford, Redford Union, Belleville, Trenton and Allen Park.

The Rocks first game Saturday was against Northville, whom they easily defeated in two games out of three. The Rocks won the first by two points, 16-14, lost the second, 15-12 and bounced back to stash the third game, 15-4.

Facing John Glenn in the second match, Salem won two games easily from the surprisingly weak Glenn squad, 15-3, 15-2.

"We worked hard all season," said Salem coach Brian Gilles "The team wanted to win and went at it."

"We weren't believing in ourselves a few weeks ago, but now we have so much confidence, no one quits."

Gilles praised the excellent playing of spikers Peg Moore, Cheri Levielle, Kathy Dillon and Karen Prikosovits as well as the shooting of Sandy Ezzo and Karen Horton.

"We are really coming around," said Gilles. "We're very happy right now to be playing Saturday (in the finals.)"

"We've played consistent volleyball with no let down. This is the year we wanted to win."

The final games at Schoolcraft College on Haggerty Road will begin at 11 a.m. this Saturday. Last year, an estimated 2,500 people showed up to watch the final and the Salem volleyball team

hopes some local support will show up Saturday.

For a modest admission price (under \$2) you can see a day's worth of volleyball and cheer the Salem girls team on to victory.

A record-breaking season for CEP grapplers

The Salem and Canton wrestling team had record breaking seasons this year, with Salem compiling its best win-loss record in dual meets, 12-3-1 and Canton sending its first contender to the state meet.

Salem placed second in the Suburban Eight League, and heavyweight Dave Champion broke all previous records he held at Salem. Champion now holds the season and career records for most pins, victories and team points. A senior, he finished his high school career with a 78-21-3 record.

Canton senior Bill Heedum now holds Canton's record for consecutive victories with nine. He holds the record of four consecutive pins for the Chiefs.

Salem's Rene Leist, a junior, holds the junior class record with 18 pins this season. Frosh Randy Vippermann took five consecutive pins this season for a new record.

The Chiefs' Scott Collins holds the Canton record for most pins, points and victories in both season and career. The Chiefs made a new dual meet record this year winning seven.

The following is the final Canton and Salem-varsity wrestling records for the 1976-77 season:

Scott Collins (C)	38	9	0
Dave Champion (S)	35	5	2
Rene Leist (S)	30	12	1
Bill Heedum (C)	28	13	0
Kyle Heaton (C)	26	13	1
Craig Lee (C)	26	14	0
Randy Vippermann (S)	24	14	0
Jeff Fidge (S)	22	9	1
Carl McNulty (S)	22	14	0
Steve Ernst (S)	20	15	0
Jim Ross (S)	20	9	0
Chuck Walker (C)	18	12	0
Mark Bartlett (C)	17	15	0
Terry Clifton (C)	16	13	0
Jerry Ottenhoff (S)	15	15	0
Tom Chiatalls (S)	13	8	1
Scott Cauldwell (C)	12	10	0
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All kids are champs in PCJBAA

The Plymouth Canton Basketball Assoc. (PCJBAA) held the first of its two season banquets last Monday night - and if the success of their program were measured by exuberance, they'd win hands down.

Several hundred young players, coaches, parents, high school referees, and even a high school cooking class participated in the annual PCJBAA banquet, the reward for a season of hard work and learning about the sport and ideals of PCJBAA basketball.

The purpose of the PCJBAA is to promote leadership training in area youngsters and area adults as well, according to the PCJBAA manual.

Their goals encompass a variety of objectives from ensuring that every single player will play one quarter of a game to the goal of keeping registration fees as low as possible so that anyone can join.

So no one is ever a loser on the PCJBAA court - the way the 'game' is played, everyone comes out a winner.

Crier photos

by

Susan Sheiner



Senate hopefuls debate

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elected to U.S. Congress in November last year.

On the minimum sentencing for criminals, both Geake and McDonalds want tougher sentences by McDonalds favors allowing for "judicial discretion" in each case.

On gun control, Geake says barring the public from the right to bear arms would produce "a disarmed honest populace." McDonald said he would be supportive of gun control attempts.

On raising the drinking age, McDonald is opposed and his opponent is in favor of raising the age by one year each year until it is back to 21.

On requiring graduating high school seniors to take competency exams, Geake opposes measure - "I don't care how good a guy working on my car can read" - and his foe says such tests would "provide some measurement of students...and the educational system" but opposes using them for graduating criteria.

On the PBB livestock poisoning issue, McDonald attacked Geake for not voting earlier to solve the situation. Geake responded saying he had favored one bill which compensated farmers for damaged stock but that his vote against last summer's bill on investigating the situation came because "an investigation was already going forward."

The two candidates opposed locating a state prison on the Sheldon Road site of the Wayne County Boys' Training School and they both favored a proposed bill which would protect charter townships from piecemeal annexation.

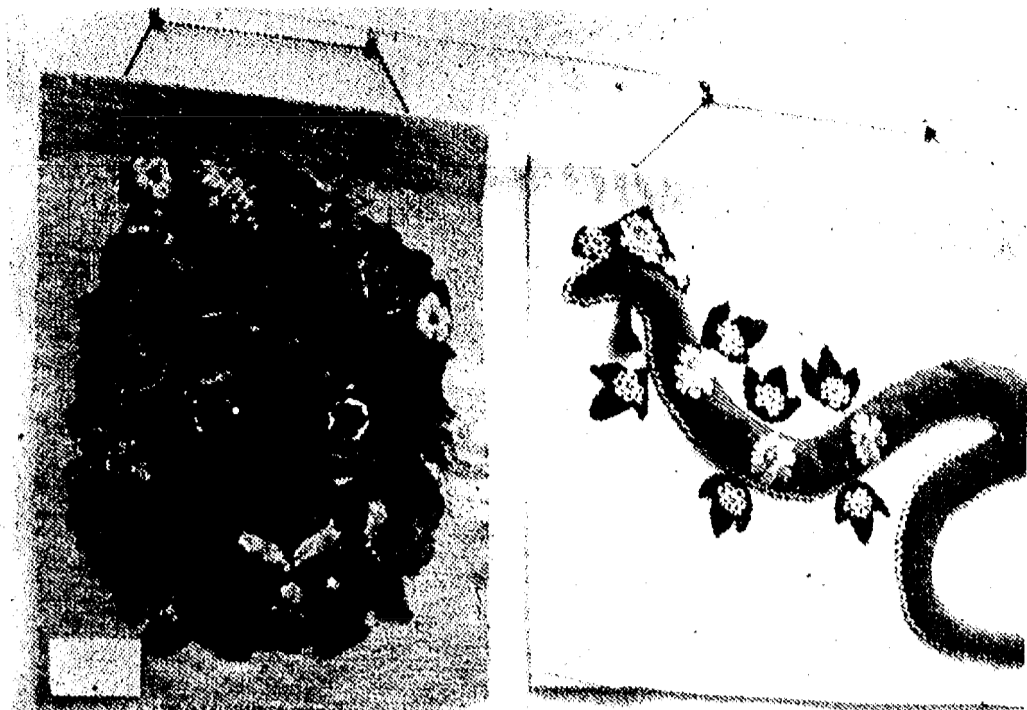
McGregor said he opposed the way police give out parking tickets and that airplanes fly over houses. He said crime was the major issue of the campaign and advocated turning all state, county and

local police agencies into one force.

Both candidates said they wanted reform of the single business tax. Geake said his stand had changed - he voted in favor of the bill - because the tax proved to be something other than expected. "That effect could have been foreseen if the proper study had been done," McDonald countered.

McDonald also criticized Geake's legislative record of the last two years. He said that of 14 bills Geake introduced, only two passed and none of them dealt with important issues. Geake counted that many of his bills were aimed at revision of the state mental health codes - which the State Senate rejected - and that he did not believe that a legislator's purpose was to "see how many popular bills you can get your name on."

Civic Searchlight, a voters guide service for Wayne County, last week rated both McDonald and Geake as "qualified and Geake as preferred."



Collages for kids

"FABRIC FANTASY FROM CHILDREN'S BOOKS" is the title of an exhibit of needlepoint collages on display this month in the Dunning-Hough Library. The collages, which recreate scenes from popular children's stories are the work of the Needlethreaders, a Detroit-area women's group. (Crier photo by Susan Sheiner).

W. Schutz wins 63-50

Cont. from Pg. 22

The City Championship Game pitted winners Wagenschutz and Century 21. During the regular season Century 21 defeated Wagenschutz twice by scores of 85-61 and 70-62. But Wednesday evening Wagenschutz blasted Century 21. An inspired team effort paced by Russ Olsen's 21 points gave Wagenschutz the City Playoff trophy and a 63-58 win.

The game was close from the opening tip with Century 21 leading 17-14 after the first quarter and Wagenschutz up by a 35-31 count at halftime. The team traded buckets throughout the third quarter as Wagenschutz maintained a 50-44 lead after three.

Along with Russ Olsen's 21 points the Wagenschutz scoring was as follows: Mark Falvo had 13, Brent Boegler 11, Bob Willette 10, and Steve Robb 8.

Century 21 was paced by George McDowell's 16 point performance, Bob Kellman had 13, Dan Moore 10, Dave Yeager eight, Tom Davis seven, and Jim McKendry had four points.

Correction

A headline in a Crier sports story on volleyball, recently reported that the Salem girls spikers had lost to the Brighton squad. The headline was in error, the Salem spikers did win the match against Brighton.

PCJ BAA final tourney results

PLYMOUTH/CANTON JUNIOR BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION TOURNAMENT RESULTS
Girls "B" League

Semi-Final Round:
Angels 40, T-Birds 36; 76ers 51, Dolphins 36

Finals:
*Angels 44, 76ers 40
Girls "A" League

Semi-Final Round
Wings 31, Blues 26; Angels 49, Apollos 38

Finals:
*Wings 25, Angels 20
Boys "B" League

QuarterFinal Round:
Hawks 44, Lakers 42; Bullets 48, Celtics 30; Bulls 53, Knicks 37; Mustangs 60, Cougars 37;

Semi-Final Round:

Hawks 34, Bullets 32; Mustangs 38, Bulls 28;

Finals:
*Mustangs 41, Hawks 36
Boys "A" League

Quarterfinal Round:
Pistons 36, Royals 33; Cougars 46, Sonics 43; Charges 47, Warriors 29; Rocks 46, Celtics 41

Semi-Final Round:
Cougars 36, Pistons 26; Rocks 29, Charges 27

Finals:
*Cougars 35, Rocks 34
Boys "AA" League

Semi Final Round:
Badgers 46, Buckeyes 34; Gophers 54, Wildcats 45

Finals:
*Badgers 40, Gophers 38

traded baskets and with 52 seconds to play Boegler was fouled and made both ends of a one-and-one free throw situation to end the scoring and give Wagenschutz a 63-50 triumph.

HOME OWNERS

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\$3,000-\$30,000

Money for any reason. Anyone who owns or is buying their home can qualify. No application fee.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS
The Board of Education of Plymouth Community School District invites the submission of sealed bids on ART & INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS for use in the schools of the district. Bids will be received until 3:00 P.M. on the 28th day of March, 1977, at Board of Education, 454 S. Harvey St., Plymouth, Michigan at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read. Specifications and bid form may be obtained at the Purchasing Office. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. Any bid submitted will be binding for thirty days subsequent to the date of bid opening.

BOARD OF EDUCATION
PLYMOUTH COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
By Flossie Tonda
Secretary

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
The Board of Education of Plymouth-Canton Community Schools invites the submission of sealed bids on ECONOLINE PARCEL DELIVERY VAN E-350 for use in the schools of the district. Bids will be received until 3:00 P.M. on the 16th day of March, 1977, at Board of Education, 454 S. Harvey, Plymouth, Michigan at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read. Specifications and bid form may be obtained at the Purchasing Office. The right to reject any and/or all bids is reserved. Any bid submitted will be binding for thirty days subsequent to the date of bid opening.

BOARD OF EDUCATION
PLYMOUTH COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
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NOTICE TO BIDDERS
CITY OF PLYMOUTH, MICHIGAN

Notice is hereby given that the City of Plymouth, Michigan, will receive sealed bids up to 2:00 P.M., E.S.T., Thursday, March 24, 1977, for the following:

SOFTBALL FIELD FLOODLIGHTING SYSTEM

Specifications, Proposal Forms and other Contract Documents may be obtained at the office of the City Clerk during regular office hours. A deposit in the amount of \$15.00 will be required for the Electrical plans and specifications and will be refunded upon return of plans and specifications in good order within ten (10) days after bid opening. The City Commission reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, in whole or in part, and to waive any irregularities. Address bids to:

Paul V. Brumfield
City Clerk
201 S. Main Street
Plymouth, Michigan 48170

in a sealed envelope bearing the inscription "BID ON FLOODEIGHTING SYSTEM."

Paul V. Brumfield
City Clerk

Publish: March 16, 1977

Elegant living is yours in this tastefully styled spacious 3500 sq. ft. colonial on acre of land in Beautiful Beacon Hill in Plymouth Twp. Four bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, formal dining room, family room, heated sun room, attached 2 car garage, priced at \$159,000.

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PLYMOUTH

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DEADLINE MONDAY

LOST AND FOUND

Found prescription glasses in blue case, on Foxthron, in Canton, Call 459-0001.

BAKE SALE

Country Store bazaar and Bake Sale. Sat. March 19. from 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. 41671 West 10 Mile, Novi Methodist Church.

SITUATIONS WANTED

Housecleaning \$25 for six hour day 459-8292.

SERVICES

Income tax preparation, accounting student with six years experience. By appointment only. 455-4368.

ROSS OFFICE SERVICE

Typing, cassette dictation, 24 hr. phone, message services (no hook up fee) 459-5151.

MAKE UP CONSULTATION

Let me help you select just the rights shades of make up, lipsticks, etc. Let me show you a more beautiful you. Fran's Cosmetic Salon. 455-9106.

FOR RENT

For rent, sleeping rooms, downtown Plymouth. Must have references. Phone 453-0215.

APARTMENT FOR RENT

4 room one bedroom, furnished apartment, ideal location, Plymouth area, 453-7629.

Leasing a new luxury one bedroom apartment near downtown Plymouth. Private entrance deluxe built ins. 736 Church St. \$300 Call after 5 p.m. 453-2763 or 453-7167.

ARTICLES FOR SALE

HIDDEN TREASURES THRIFT SHOP - Like new, mens womens, and childrens. clothing, furniture, draperies, bedspreads and household items, etc. at bargain prices. Stop in and browse. 849 Penniman across from the Plymouth Post Office. Open 10 a.m. Close Wednesdays.

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HELP WANTED

Babysitter wanted days in my home approximately 20 hrs. week. 453 - 4826 after 3:30.

Babysitter - housekeeper mature woman to care for one toddler and, keep house. Must have own transportation 7:30 - 5:30 p.m. M - F. Northville Area phone 851-6600 Mrs. Kuzio.

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Experienced cooks and waitresses. Afternoon shift apply Egg Castle Restuarant. 42400 Ford Rd. 459-0770.

WITT SERVICES

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Recent experience NOT necessary. Assignment in ALL areas. For your convenience we have 7 interviewing offices.

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 Dearborn Troy
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Call 967-0336 for the office nearest you.

HELP WANTED

Losing the budget race? Help your income keep up with your outgo - through pleasant part time work. Contact local AMWAY distributor. Call 459-9120 for interview.

Need money? Distributors wanted part time, full time. Shaklee Products. 459-1879.

TEMPORARY ASSIGNMENT packagers. Must be 18 years of age or older. Plymouth area. Call WITT SERVICES at 967-0336 for interview.

PUT THE KIDS THROUGH COLLEGE THE EASY WAY
 You don't have to scrimp to send them off to college. Become an Avon Representative and make the tuition money you need selling quality products. Call for details now. 291-7862.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Board of Education of Plymouth-Canton Community Schools invites the submission of sealed bids on LOCKERS (Pioneer Middle) for use in the schools of the district. Bids will be received until 10:00 A.M. on the 23rd day of March, 1977, at Board of Education, 454 S. Harvey, Plymouth, Michigan at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read. Specifications and bid form may be obtained at the Purchasing Office. The right to reject any and/or all bids is reserved. Any bid submitted will be binding for thirty days subsequent to the date of bid opening.

BOARD OF EDUCATION
 PLYMOUTH-CANTON COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
 By Flosie Londa

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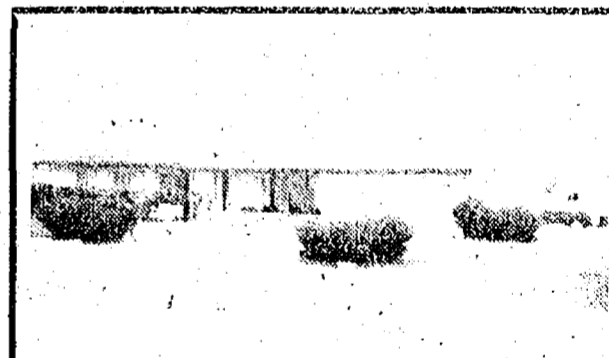
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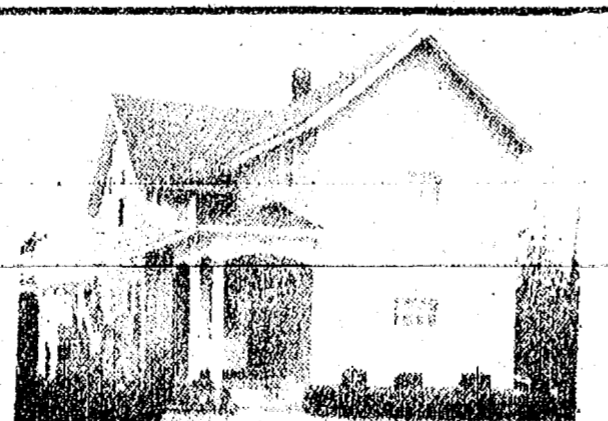
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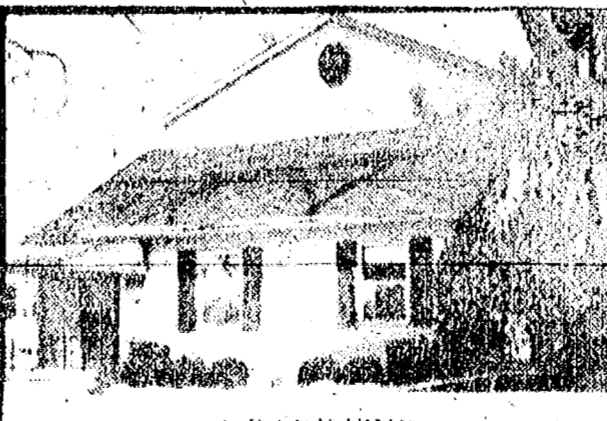
ROBERT BAKE, REALTORS
 453-8200



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986 CHURCH, PLYMOUTH - A drive by this eye catching two story and you'll want full particulars. Exterior completely redone - just as nice inside. Presently utilized as a two family home. May convert to one family. 4 bedrooms, 2 baths. Clean, dry basement. 2 car garage. Walk to town and schools. \$43,000.

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To RN and LPN for full and part time positions on the midnight shift in a supervisory capacity over patient care in a progressive extended care facility. Ample parking, easy on and off I-94 expressway. Apply at VanBuren Convalescent Center 697-8051 between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Immediate Openings for RN and LPN Apply in person West Trail Nursing Home 395 West Ann Arbor Trail.

Secretary Gal Friday. Typing bookkeeping, short hand preferred. Plymouth-Livonia area. Phone for appointment. 284-5110.

Part time teacher's aide to transport and supervise school age students. Must be at least 25 years of age, have a station wagon or van, a safe driving record, a valid Michigan driver's license and be eligible for a chauffeur's license. Plymouth Canton community Schools, Mr. Harold Gaertner, 453-3100 ext.367.

Run out of money before you run out of month? Turn the tables with extra income. The AMWAY way. Get the whole story - phone 455-9132.

VEHICLES FOR SALE

'73 Vega Hatch back, 47,000 miles, well maintained, AM radio, standard 3 speed, transmission call 453-2297.

1976 Pontiac Astre station wagon, automatic, power steering, power brakes, air, under 7,500 miles. 459-0618.

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1973 Ford, LTD Brougham. 2 door, all acces. stereo, air, fine condition, excellent, mileage, 453-3929.

1973 Yamaha, Enduro 175 Street or trail \$375, Call 453-2297.

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Ford Squire Wagon, '73 All power A/C AM/FM stereo. 455-2676.

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Storybook Gardens Nursery 42290 Five Mile Rd. Plymouth has openings for 3-5 yr. olds. For information call 453 1572.

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CURIOSITIES

Dave puts a clean edge on knives and scissors at the Pan Handler Forest Place Mall Fri. 2-5 p.m.

Want to look younger? Call for a NON SURGICAL FACE LIFT demonstration. Fran's Cosmetics Salon. 455-9106.

CURIOSITIES

Happy 10th Birthday Debbie. Love Mom, Dad and Ron.

Rumor has it the VFW candidate is way ahead with votes for the legs contest being held in connection with the follies. Plymouth-Canton businesses have responded with great enthusiasm with merchandise for the prize bar to be held April 1 and 2 during the Follies. Everything from a tennis club family membership to 1 pound of ground beef or a gift certificate for ice cream.

CP - you're my stairway to heaven. Love, FA.

CURIOSITIES

Bored? Would you like a six month paid training trip south and a guaranteed job upon your return. Call 722-9500 or 1-468-6208.

Happy Birthday Alice - 65 and holding so well.

Happy Birthday Bob.

THANK YOU to all the great (yea, great!) friends and Crier staffers for the wonderful surprise shower. Russ and Donna.

PUBLIC NOTICE TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH

Notice is hereby given that the Township of Plymouth will hold a PUBLIC FORUM to discuss the "pros" and "cons" of General Law Townships vs. Charter Township.

The PUBLIC FORUM will be held at the Plymouth Township Hall, 42350 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth Township on Saturday, March 26, 1977 from 9:00 A.M. to 12:00 noon

Members of the committee will be present to respond to any questions the citizenry may wish to ask.

Helen I. Richardson
Plymouth Township Clerk

PUBLISH: March 16, 1977

NOTICE TO BIDDERS CITY OF PLYMOUTH, MICHIGAN

Notice is hereby given that the City of Plymouth, Michigan, will receive sealed bids up to 2:00 P.M., E.S.T., Wednesday, March 23, 1977, for:

ONE (1) NEW 1977 ONE-TON DUMP TRUCK

Specifications are available at the office of the City Clerk during regular office hours.

The City Commission reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, in whole or in part, and to waive any irregularities. Address bids to:

Paul V. Brumfield
City Clerk

201 S. Main Street
Plymouth, Michigan 48170

in a sealed envelope bearing the inscription "BID FOR ONE-TON DUMP TRUCK"

Paul V. Brumfield
City Clerk

Publish: March 16, 1977



POSTING AND FILING OF CITY COMMISSION MINUTES CITY OF PLYMOUTH, MICHIGAN

Notice is hereby given that on the 15th day of March, 1977, true copies of the minutes of the regular meeting of the City Commission held on Monday, February 28, 1977, at 7:30 P.M., were posted on the official bulletin boards of the City of Plymouth, located at the Southeast corner of the intersection of S. Main Street and Penniman Avenue; the Southeast corner of the intersection of Starkweather Avenue and W. Liberty Street; the South entrance of the Central Parking Lot facing S. Harvey Street, and also on the bulletin board in the City Hall at 201 S. Main Street. These minutes are posted in accordance with Section 5.11 of the City Charter for the benefit and information of all interested citizens of the City of Plymouth.

Paul V. Brumfield, City Clerk

Publish: March 16, 1977

Plymouth Township Minutes

The meeting was called to order at 8:03 P.M., with all members present.

Mr. Gornick moved approval of the minutes of the regular meeting of February 22, 1977 as submitted. Supported by Mrs. Fidge and carried unanimously.

Mr. Millington moved to approve the payment of bills in the total amended amount of \$176,569.28. Supported by Mr. West. All members voting "Approval"

John Vos, Attorney, Re: A request from Darwin E. Snyder to waive the site plan review fees in the amount of \$945.00 for Multiple Housing.

Mrs. Fidge moved to deny the request to waive the site plan review fee in the amount of \$945.00 as it would establish a precedent and the fee schedule had been adopted with consideration given to the amount of land involved in the request by having acreage charges along with the flat fee. Supported by Mr. Gornick and carried unanimously.

Mr. Stevens and Mr. Parks were present and representing the Junior Baseball League. They were requesting the Board to provide sand to fill and bring Diamond No. 3 up to grade and to provide fencing for all three diamonds.

Mrs. Richardson moved that the Plymouth-Canton Junior Baseball League be given the permission to use the lighted baseball fields at the Township's Recreation site from May 1 through July 31, 1977 and that the supervisor be authorized to contact the members of the Recreation Commission as to future improvements on the diamonds and report back within thirty days. Supported by Mrs. Fidge.

Mr. Millington moved to commit the Township to snow fence for all the diamonds and to improve the condition of Diamond No. 3. Supported by Mr. Gornick. A roll call vote was as follows: Yes: F. Millington, T. Notebaert, L. Fidge, R. Gornick, M. Breen, J. West. No: H. Richardson Mrs. Richardson explained her "no" vote stating that she felt that Mr. Anulewicz had offered his assistance on a "gratis" basis for planning the recreation

area as well as the members of the Recreation Committee and thirty day wait would not create a hardship on the Little League, nor the Township. The motion carried 6-1. The question was called on the amended motion and carried unanimously.

Joseph West, Treasurer, Re: Requesting the Board's permission to pay the Brender-Hamill bill in the amount of \$652.00 for work completed on Lot 18 in Gould Industrial Park. Mr. West stated that the Township had made many efforts to collect this bill from the owner of the property, the tenant, as well as the Contractor who did the work, but with no success, therefore, his recommendation was to pay said bill.

Mr. Breen moved approval to pay the Brender-Hamill bill in the amount of \$652.00 Supported by Mr. Gornick and carried unanimously.

James E. Gigna, Fire Chief, Re: Requesting permission for Sgt. F. Honke, Senior Firefighter Larry Groth and himself to attend the 28th International Arson Investigators Seminar in Lansing, Michigan on May 1 through May 6, 1977 at a cost not exceed \$195.00. Mr. Notebaert commented that Mr. Gignac had been in his office at 5:00 P.M. and had recalculated his time and it would require two days overtime. Discussion followed as to why the Township should pay overtime and how they could have more control. Mr. Breen moved to allow attendance at the Seminar in Lansing, inasmuch as it does not cause overtime and said cost not to exceed \$195.00. Supported by Mr. West and carried unanimously. Mr. Breen moved approval of the Clerk's request for transfer of funds. Supported by Mr. West and carried unanimously.

Mr. Breen moved to adjourn the meeting. Supported by Mr. Gornick. Supervisor Notebaert adjourned the meeting at 9:53 P.M.

Approved, Respectfully submitted,
Thomas G. Notebaert, Helen I. Richardson,
Supervisor Clerk

These minutes are a synopsis. Original Minutes are on file in the Clerk's Office.

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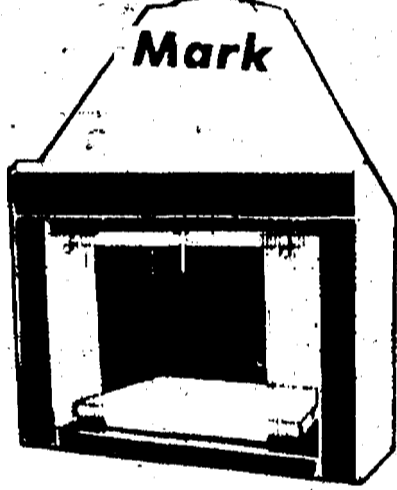
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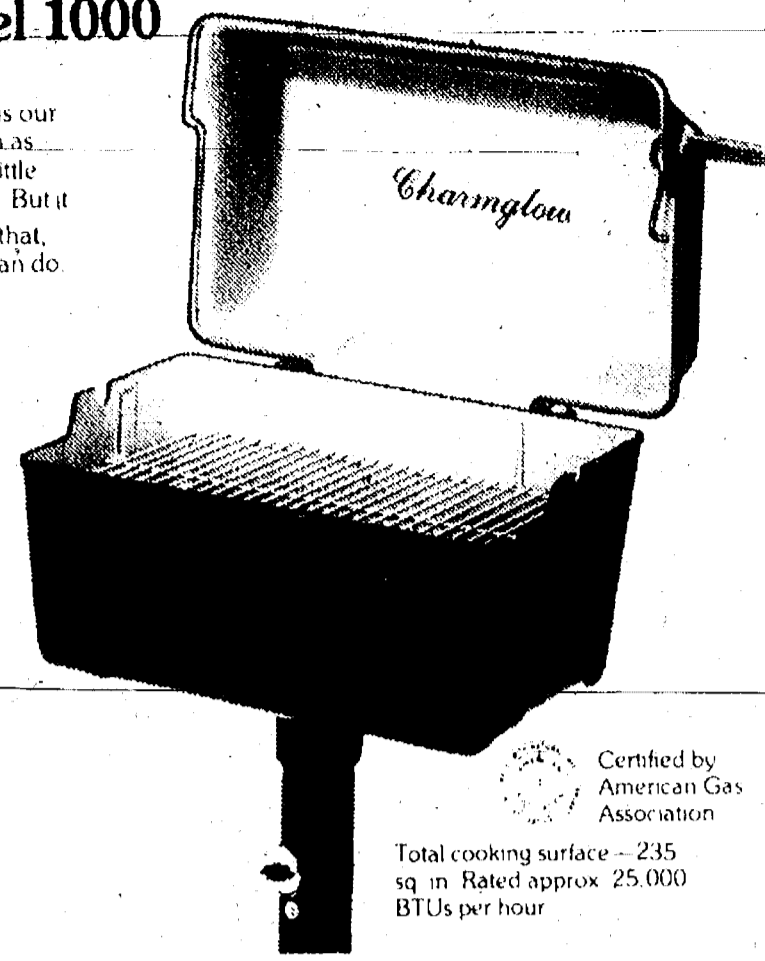
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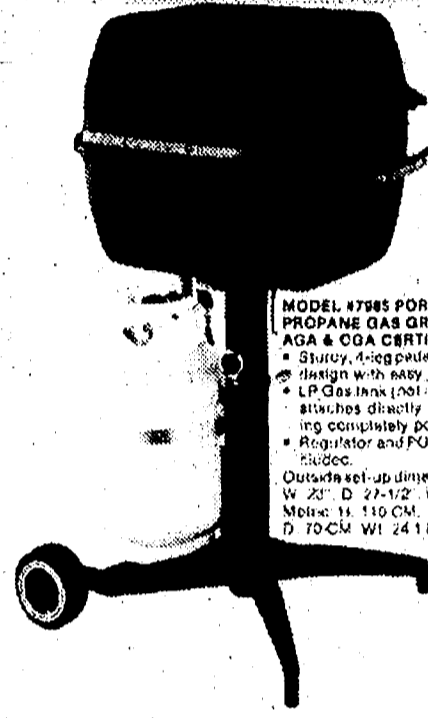
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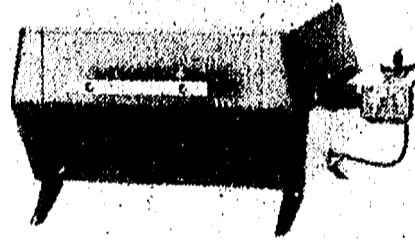


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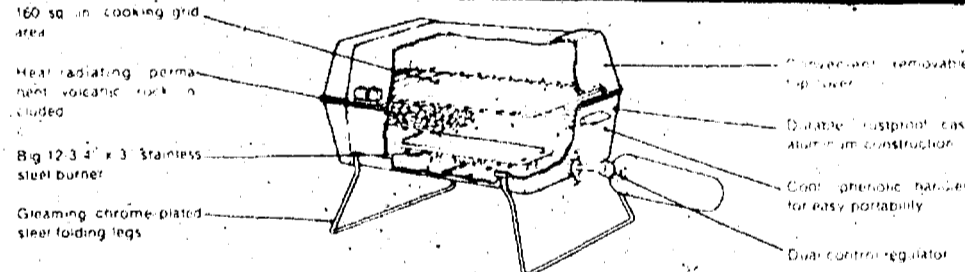
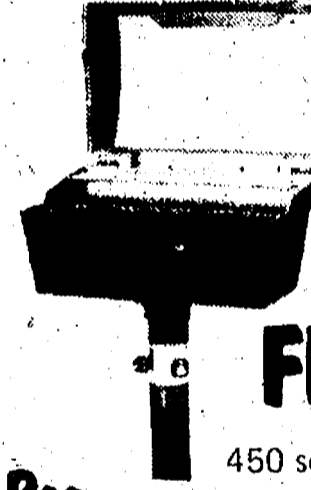
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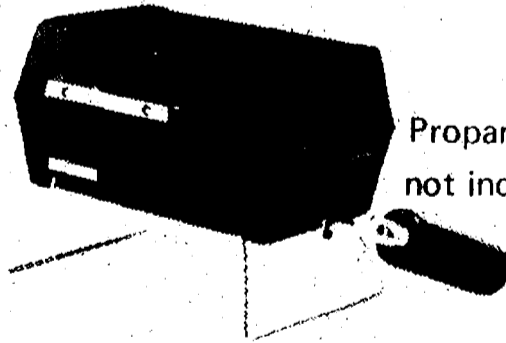
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