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Sheldon, other roads to be widened



Motorist snagged on signpost

STRONG WINDS AND FREEZING TEMPERATURES hampered local travelers Monday and Tuesday. Two school buses were reported in ditches off Napier Road Monday afternoon. Scores of cars slid off icy Canton and

Plymouth township roads, and local officials reported scores of fender-benders. The vehicle above apparently slid into the street pole at the intersection of Warren and Lilley roads in Canton. (Crier photo by Bill Bresler.)

School secretaries sign pact

After eight months of negotiations, the Plymouth-Canton School District and its secretaries have settled on a contract.

Signed by negotiators from both sides around noon Monday and approved by the Board of Education that evening, the two-

year contract gives the 76 secretaries a five per cent pay increase this year, effective July 1, 1977, and a seven per cent increase next year, effective July 1, 1978.

The secretaries will also receive a one per cent increase for hours worked from July 1, 1976 and June 30, 1977.

This back pay will cover a rise in the cost of living during that time covered in a "review of economic conditions" clause in the secretaries' old contract, but not acted on by the schools, according to Louise Gates, president of the Plymouth-Canton Association of Educational Secretaries.

A cost living adjustment is also in the new contract. The secretaries will receive an additional one cent per hour for each 4/10 of a point by which the July, '78 Consumers Price Index for the Metropolitan Detroit area exceeds the same index for July 1, 1977.

The one per cent cost-of-living increase from 1976-77 and the five per cent increase effective July 1, 1977, will be paid "as soon as possible," according to the agreement.

Mrs. Gates said she was happy with the agreement and

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The congested two-lane stretch of Sheldon Road between Ann Arbor Trail and Joy, soon to be even busier with the opening later this year of the M-14 expressway, will be widened to five lanes in a \$1.9 million project recently approved by the Wayne County Road Commission.

The road commission has allocated some \$27.6 million for a major, county-wide road construction and resurfacing program, and a large share of it will be spent in the Plymouth-Canton area.

"We are extremely anxious to have many of the proposed projects started by early spring," said Joseph M. Herron, the commission's acting chairman.

Other improvements are also planned:

*Hines Drive, to be widened by four feet along its entire length, with the addition of paved asphalt shoulders at a cost of slightly more than \$1 million.

*The intersection of Lilley and Ann Arbor Trail and Mill and Main in the City of Plymouth will be widened and improved at a cost of about \$807,000.

*Haggerty Road between Ford and Cherry Hill, now a teeth-rattling, two-lane stretch of dirt road, will be paved and widened to five lanes of asphalt at a cost of about \$1 million.

*Beck Road in Plymouth Township, currently gravel, will be paved and widened between Five Mile and North Territorial in anticipation of M-14 exit traffic with a five-lane intersection scheduled for Beck and North Territorial Road.

*The Beck Road railroad crossing between Five Mile and North Territorial will be improved.

*The Haggerty Road intersection with Ford will be improved at a cost of \$676,000.

*Ridge Road will get a new bridge over Fellows Creek, at a cost of \$75,400.

*Ridge will be widened at the Lower Rouge River Bridge at a cost of \$92,500.

*A wider bridge will be built on Lotz Road over Fellows Creek at a cost of \$86,000, along with a larger culvert and wider shoulders on Lotz at the Barker Drain, at a cost of \$23,000.

Hoben: lack of buses causes delays

BY CHAS CHILD
About 10 new buses and \$12,000 to \$18,000 is needed to solve the Plymouth-Canton School District's transportation problems, Superintendent Mike Hoben said Monday night.

Numerous complaints about bus delays have been received, Hoben said, due mainly to a shortage of buses causing "double-tripping."

A bus picking up a load of kids and then returning to the same school to take another load home is double-tripping.

"We are one of the last school districts in the state to use double tripping," Hoben said, "and to avoid it we'll need 10 more buses."

At Gallimore, for example, four buses make eight trips and delays from 12 to 48 minutes

have been reported throughout the district, the Superintendent said.

Although a shortage of buses causes delays, the general traffic congestion caused by inadequate roads is another cause of kids getting home late, said Hoben.

The Extended School Year (ESY) program at five elementary schools and one middle school has also caused transportation problems since the four tracks changing require a new bus schedule every 15 days.

Hoben said he is working closely with Ecotran, the company which uses a computer to plan the district's bussing, to solve the problems and his final recommendations will be ready for action by the Board of Education at its next meeting on Feb. 22.

Who'll replace Royce? County choice awaited

Wayne County Commissioner Royce Smith has announced his resignation effective Jan. 23 from the Board of Commissioners. At that time, he will assume his new post as head of the county Department of Public Works.

Because the Board of Commissioners is not expected to name a successor to Smith for another month, an election may not have to be held for a successor until the next regular election, the Aug. 8 general primary.

According to county officials, state law requires a special election only if the appointment is made more than 180 days before the next election.

Last night's cage results...pg. 20

Canton OKs school for reserve cops

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BY DONNA LOMAS
As of Monday, nine as yet
uncertified Canton reserve offi-

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cers began attending a training session at Madonna College in Livonia. Following a decision last Tuesday by the Canton Board of Trustees to empower Chief Walter MacGregor to send uncertified officers to the class "at his discretion," the board rescinded a motion made months ago that gave MacGregor no such power.

"We hired him to use his judgment and we should let him use it," said Trustee Brian Schwall. The vote was unani-

mous, with the exception of Treasurer Ann Bradley dissenting. Trustee Robert Myers was absent.

Mrs. Bradley objected because Donald Tillman, a Canton Township employe and part-time officer, would be attending the class and she said there could be a "conflict between the two jobs in the future."

Trustee Lynne Goldsmith said to reporters following the meeting that MacGregor had sent a letter to Supervisor

Harold Stein on Dec. 6 saying it was "essential that the Police Department have the authority to send certified and non-certified officers to the training school without board approval."

Mrs. Goldsmith said the Canton Trustees never received the letter until the Jan. 3 meeting.

Chief MacGregor said "At the time I wrote the letter, it did not seem appropriate for distribution."

MacGregor said it seemed inappropriate because it looked then as if the township and the Canton Police Officer's Association (CPOA) attorneys were close to a settlement on whether Canton reserve officers could apply for Canton police full-time jobs.

"It was not my intent to subvert the information from the trustees," MacGregor declared. "I considered the negotiations from the two attorneys and thought it (letter) would throw a monkey wrench into the situation."

MacGregor seemed pleased with the decision of the board, saying "there is no way I want to wait to train these people (part-time and uncertified officers)."

The class will last until March 3. Canton was allowed (because of limited class space) to send nine officers, all uncertified. They are: Donald La Framboise, Donald Tillman, John Longridge, Gerald Mexgoda, Gordon Stevens, John Sherwin, James Hanna, William Britcher and Vincent Chan.

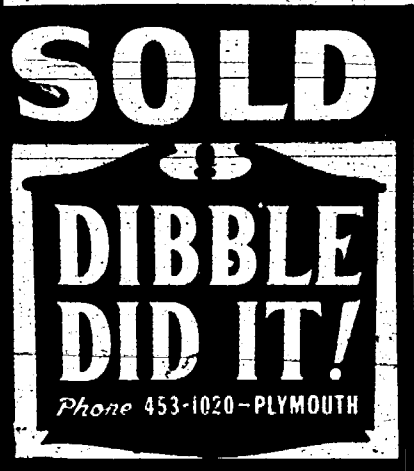
When the course is completed, each officer will have 256 hours basic police training, plus 56 additional first aid hours, MacGregor said. The eight remaining officers will be able to attend another session later.

"He's got responsibility and not authority, but the decision changed that" said Stein. "He needs the authority to steer it (the police department)."

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Homes sold faster last year in Plymouth and Plymouth Township than in any other area suburban communities, according to a survey by the United Northwest Realtor's Association (UNRA).

The newly-released survey revealed that 78.3 per cent of all local listings sold, a significantly higher percentage than in any other surrounding area.

Both Canton and Plymouth placed in the top ten in number of homes sold in the past year. Leading all communities was Livonia with 1,849 sales, while Canton tied with West Bloomfield at 612 units sold. Plymouth was the 10th on the list with 529 sales.

Canton placed ninth in value of total sales, with \$29 million, for an average sale price of \$50,630, according to the UNRA report.

State wants Ford Rd. ideas

Representatives from the Michigan State Highway Department will be on hand from 4 to 8 p.m. today - Jan. 11 - to answer questions and listen to suggestions from Canton residents and officials on what improvements should be done to Ford Road.

The meeting is not a hearing, but only to determine what residents and local officials think should be done to improve Ford Road, Canton Supervisor Harold Stein said.

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PLYMOUTH TOWNSHIP rescue workers struggled for 20 minutes to extricate a Monroe County man early Saturday morning from the wreckage of his small car. (Crier photo by Bill Bresler.)

Cannon tapped as 1st 'inspector'



Inspector Rod Cannon

The number two spot in the Plymouth Police Department Monday will be assumed by a new man with a new title.

The retirement this week of Assistant Chief Loren Johnson has set in motion a wave of promotions announced by Chief Tim Ford.

Replacing Johnson as the department's second-in-command will be Lt. Rod Cannon, who will hold the position of "Police Inspector," a newly-created administrative title of a rank equivalent to assistant chief. A 20-year veteran with the department, Cannon, 43, is a graduate of Wayne High School.

Named a lieutenant to fill the vacancy left by Cannon's appointment will be Sgt. Bob Commire, who has been a member of the department's detective bureau in recent years. Commire, 37, joined the force in 1966. He is a graduate of Lowrey High School in Dearborn.

Officer Anne Herndon, the department's first regular female police officer, has begun a probationary period as patrol

officer, having joined the department last fall as community service officer. A new community service officer, Terry Tatro, is currently in training at Madonna College.

Johnson, a Northville Township resident, is retiring after 35 years with the department. He was named assistant chief in 1959 and before that was the department's first sergeant.

Twp. crash kills man

A 26-year old Monroe County man was killed early Saturday morning after he failed to yield and ran a red light at Ann Arbor Trail and Haggerty roads, Wayne County Sheriff's deputies report.

Raymond C. Moody, 26, of Newport, Mi., was southbound on Haggerty Road at 2:20 a.m. Saturday when he failed to stop for a flashing red light. Lt. Russell Gregory

of the Sheriff's Department said. Moody's car, a 1973 Chevrolet Vega, was struck by a 1970 Oldsmobile westbound on Ann Arbor Trail driven by Douglas Macintosh, 18, of Canton.

He was dead on arrival at St. Mary's Hospital, Lt. Gregory said. He was the only passenger in his car. Macintosh and his brother, a passenger, had no

visible injuries, Gregory said. They were told to seek their own medical assistance.

According to Plymouth Township Fire Chief Jim Gignac, the township rescue squad used Canton Township's 'jaws of life' rescue tool to free Moody from the vehicle.

Township firefighters will soon have 'jaws' of their own, thanks to a gift from the Burroughs Corp.

Canton cops assaulted

A Livonia man has been charged with assaulting a Canton police officer following a squabble on Bart Street in Holiday Park Dec. 29, Canton police report.

Robert Lee Simmers, 24, is scheduled to appear for a preliminary hearing in 35th District Court Jan. 23. He has been charged with forcible assault on a police officer, a two year misdemeanor.

At 9:43 p.m. Dec. 29, Officers Sam Natoli and Kathy Petres responded to a call from Peter Bundarin of 39564 Bart Street. Police said that when Canton police arrived, Simmers was seated in a 1977 Chevrolet van in the Bart Street driveway.

Simmers opened his van door and pinned Officer Petres between the Canton police car and his van, police said, then got back into the van, shifted into park and freed the woman officer.

According to Chief Walter MacGregor, the officers detained Simmers to get his name and

"other pertinent information." Simmers "seemed incoherent at the time" officers questioned him, the report notes.

Canton Officer Kathy Jean Petres was punched in the stomach and Officer Leonard Bush was struck on the head with a flashlight, police said. Officer Bush received six stitches for the wound and Officer Petres was x-rayed at the hospital and released.

Maureen Filarecki, a waitress at the Rusty Nail Bar on Ford Road, came out of the house and said to officers "let him go," according to the report.

Bundarin, an unsuccessful candidate two years ago for the Supervisor's seat in Canton, is the owner of the house on Bart Street. He said Ms. Filarecki was, at the time, a houseguest.

According to the police report, the following took place: Simmers drove west three houses, then backed up and began to yell at Ms. Filarecki, who was standing in the street.

The report says Simmers claimed the officers were

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Lights due for courts at CEP

Four of the 14 tennis courts and CEP will be lighted this spring.

The bid to install the lights and construct a parking lot between the tennis courts and football field at CEP was awarded Monday night to the Mardon Construction Co. of Southgate by the Board of Education.

The board also awarded a bid to construct a free-standing maintenance and storage build-

ing near the football field and to build storage additions at Smith and Starkweather elementary schools.

The cost of the parking lot and the lights will be \$75,000. Tennis players who want to play at night will be able to turn on the lights by inserting coins in a meter box at the courts. The work will probably be done by May of this year, a school spokesman said.

The cost of the storage additions at Smith and Starkweather - \$32,764 and \$37,120, respectively - ignited a small controversy.

The additions will store tractors and flammable liquids which the state fire marshal prohibits inside school buildings.

Despite the danger, Trustee Dick Arlen said, "Why spend so much money to protect only \$4,000 to \$5,000 worth of equipment."

New construction boosts value of property in Twp.

The value of new construction last year in Plymouth Township jumped nearly 30 per cent above the level of 1976.

According to the township building department, building permit valuations in 1977 totaled more than \$22.6 million, compared to \$17.6 million in 1976. Township permit and ins-

pection fee revenues climbed from \$122,607 in 1976 to \$165,608 last year.

A total of 402 single-family dwelling permits were issued in 1977, with three industrial permits, one multiple-dwelling, and seven commercial. Some 30 swimming pools were built, along with 398 garages.

Schools set instrument rental fee

The Plymouth-Canton Board of Education voted last Monday to charge a \$20 non-returnable fee for sixth graders using a school owned musical instrument.

Trustee Joe Gray cast the only "no" vote, saying the schools should not be in the instrument business. "If the student really wants to play, he can rent an instrument from a store. We made a mistake getting into the instrument business in the first place," he said.

The board action followed a ruling by the schools' attorney that the \$20 charge would not violate a state law that required school districts to provide free textbooks.

Mishap claims truck, salt

The City DPW lost a truck load of salt and the truck bed itself Sunday evening as the truck was beginning to salt roads in the city.

City DPW director Ken Vogras said the DPW driver was making a turn at Starkweather and Main Streets when a spindle in the rear end of the truck broke loose.

The salt in the truck bed spilled out and the bed itself clipped the driving cab of the DPW truck, said Vogras.

The driver of the truck pulled a muscle in his shoulder but was otherwise not hurt, Vogras said.

"It looks to me like the truck is totaled," Vogras said. He estimated the value of the truck at \$8,500.

Jaycees seek local 'outstanding man'

The Plymouth Jaycees are seeking nominations for their Outstanding Young Man of the Year Award. The winner will be honored at the annual Distinguished Service Award Banquet Jan. 20 at the Mayflower Meeting House.

Area clubs and residents are encouraged to submit their nominations. Nominees must be young men between the ages of 21 and 35 who have contributed to make Plymouth a

better place to live in 1977. The event will be one of the highlights of Jaycee Week, which is Jan. 15 through 31. Nominations will be judged by local citizens and civic leaders.

Completed nomination forms should be sent to the Plymouth Jaycees, Mike Lane, 665 Powderhorn Dr., Canton, 48187. Lt. Governor James Damman will speak at the banquet, according to the Jaycees.

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 WITH HIS MOCCASIN-SHOD feet against the desk, George Lawton leans back in a characteristic pose to reflect on his years as a Plymouth City Commissioner, a Canton Township Planning Commissioner and a Plymouth-Canton School Board member. He resigned from the school board Monday night. (Crier photo by Bill Bresler.)

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Lawton leaves school board

BY W. EDWARD WENDOVER
 The George Lawton Era is ending.

Few public servants have been as deeply involved with the entire Plymouth-Canton Community as Lawton had prior to his resignation from the Plymouth-Canton School Board Monday night.

Certainly, few if any public office holders have served in major roles for three of our four local governmental units. (To say nothing of other activities.)

In 1962, Lawton was elected to a four-year term on the Plymouth City Commission. The same year, he was named outstanding young man of the year by the Plymouth Jaycees.

During his term on the city commission, Lawton found himself in the middle of the first of many hot issues for the community — a water fight.

He, and others like former City Commissioner Arch Vallier, fought the switch from Plymouth's own well water system to the Detroit water system. "The cost of water now seems

to bear us out," he said.

In 1966 Lawton suffered the only election defeat of his political life. He ran fifth for four seats on the Plymouth City Commission in the topsyturvy race which saw the city charter's land ownership qualification clause for commissioners thrown out by the courts.

The following year he and his family moved to a farm in Canton where they still are known as some of the best sheep raisers in the area.

In June, 1970, Lawton was elected to the Plymouth-Canton School Board on the heels of the district's first teachers' strike in 1969. Later that year he was also appointed to the Canton Planning Commission.

The following year, Lawton was in the midst of another major controversy — he was one of the four school board members present at the meeting where School Superintendent Jim Rossman was fired by a 4-0 vote. Throughout the 1970s, as the school district grew by leaps and bounds, Lawton and the other school trustees faced

many major issues.

Through it all, Lawton was a leader on the board. He served as school board president in 1972-73 but was always known for quietly sitting back and calmly debating the issues.

The growth kept Lawton in the thick of things on the Canton Planning Commission as well. He served as chairman of the commission during much of the controversial Mocerri Project (a regional shopping center proposed for Joy and Sheldon Roads) rezoning requests. He presided over the huge — and often unruly — turnouts at those public hearings, where the first organized opposition to rapid community growth was spawned.

He resigned from the planning commission in March, 1973 after the township board, which he felt was initially telling the planners to proceed with Mocerri, backed away from approval in light of the overwhelming show of opposition.

Lawton drew much criticism while serving as a planning commissioner during the Mocerri controversy.

At the same time, the growth issue was making a turmoil of school district affairs, and under his other hat, he too sat in a hot seat.

Some critics and soothsayers thought Lawton would not be reelected in 1974 to the school board. He won reelection by running second behind another liberal board member, Marcia Borowski (who recently resigned

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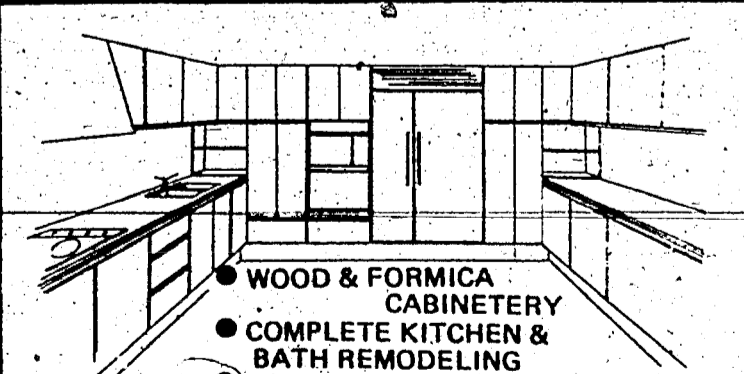
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Schools review random selection at CEP

BY CHAS CHILD

The method by which students are assigned to either Canton or Salem High School -

random selection - will be reviewed at a Board of Education workshop Feb. 6.

Several parents said they were

unhappy with their child's assignments at Monday's board meeting and the workshop discussion was arranged after the board split three to three on whether to accept a routine report from school administrators on the controversial policy.

One of the disappointed parents, Mrs. Shirley Roberts of 43112 Ironsides Court in Canton, said if her request for reassignment of her son from Canton to Salem is not granted she will take legal action.

Voting to accept the report on random selection were President Thomas Yack, Vice President Dick Arlen and Trustee Carol Davis. Treasurer Steve Harper and Trustees Flossie

Tonda and Joe Gray voted "no."

Under the present policy, middle school students with siblings at one of the high schools can choose to go to that school. Only eldest children don't get a choice and are assigned either Canton or Salem by computer.

Tonda said this policy discriminates against only or eldest children. "They don't get equal treatment," she said.

Agreeing with this position was Mrs. Roberts, whose son is an eighth grader at Pioneer Middle School. "He will be the only child in my neighborhood going to Canton. I have nothing against Canton but all his friends are going to Salem and he identifies with Salem."

She said she will take legal action if her request for a transfer is denied.

The staff report that was not accepted reported that 41 eighth-grade students had requested a transfer. Yack said this number (less than four per cent of those assigned) was not very large. Harper disagreed, saying that the 41 represented "just the tip of the iceberg" of discontent against random selection.

"I've always been opposed to random selection," said Gray. "It breaks up the neighborhood school concept."

The Feb. 6 workshop will be held at the school district's administrative offices, 474 S. Harvey, at 7:30 p.m.

Twp. offers loans

Qualified residents of three Plymouth Township neighborhoods can now get low-interest loans to make repairs on their homes. Township Supervisor Tom Notebaert has announced.

According to the supervisor, a program administered by the township and funded by the Federal Department of Housing and Urban Development enables a family of four, for example, with a maximum income of \$14,600 annually to borrow up to \$5,000 at three per cent interest.

Residents of three subdivisions, Green Meadows, Phoenix Park and Robinson, may apply. Green Meadows is the area bounded by Ann Arbor Road on the north, Joy on the south, Sheldon on the west and Main on the east. Phoenix Park is the Five Mile Road and Schoolcraft area, and Robinson Sub is north of Ann Arbor Trail and east of Haggerty.

Said Notebaert, "The program is designed to help people maintain the value of their property by making it easy to upgrade." He said the loan procedure, through the Ann Arbor Road branch of the First National Bank of Plymouth, is a simple one.

A \$1,000 loan, for example, would be repaid at a rate of \$16.55 per month for 60 months, he noted, adding, "It makes it pretty nice if you need to put in a new furnace or something."

Senior Citizens may be eligible for grants under the program as well as loans. For more details, contact Notebaert at Plymouth Township Hall, 453-3840.

Schools seek candidate for Lawton's board seat

Persons interested in filling the Board of Education vacated by George Lawton have one week to file their applications.

Letters of interest must be sent to the Plymouth-Canton board office no later than 5 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 18.

According to rules adopted by the board Monday night, applicants must be registered voters and the letters of interest must include the reasons for wanting to serve on the board.

The board will interview the interested persons on Jan. 25 and 26, although those who interviewed for the spot Trustee Carol Davis filled will not be required to be reinterviewed.

The trustee chosen will serve until the next general school board election, at which time the seat will be filled by election.

On Jan. 30, the new member will be chosen at a special meeting of the board.

Who changed district?

Northeastern Plymouth Township voters got a bit of a surprise recently when their mail contained a pamphlet mailed at taxpayer expense - from State Representative Jack Kirksey.

Who?

It's no surprise that no one in Plymouth Township knew the name since Kirksey's district, the 35th, does not include any of the Plymouth area. He represents Livonia, Northville and Northville Township.

The mailing is done by a private company which has mixed up the district's boundaries before.

State Representative for most of Plymouth Township is Roy Smith. One small corner of the township is represented by Tom Brown, whose district includes Canton.

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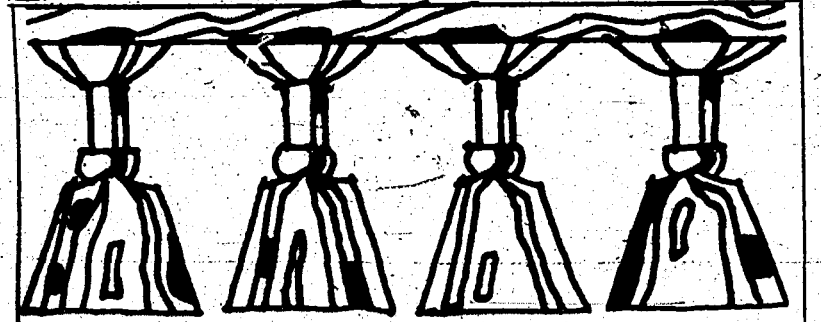
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Schools gained from his wisdom

Loss of Lawton weakens board

We can't replace George Lawton.

As anyone who has ever attended a Plymouth-Canton board of Education meeting could attest, Lawton's resignation means the loss of a wise and independent voice in school affairs.

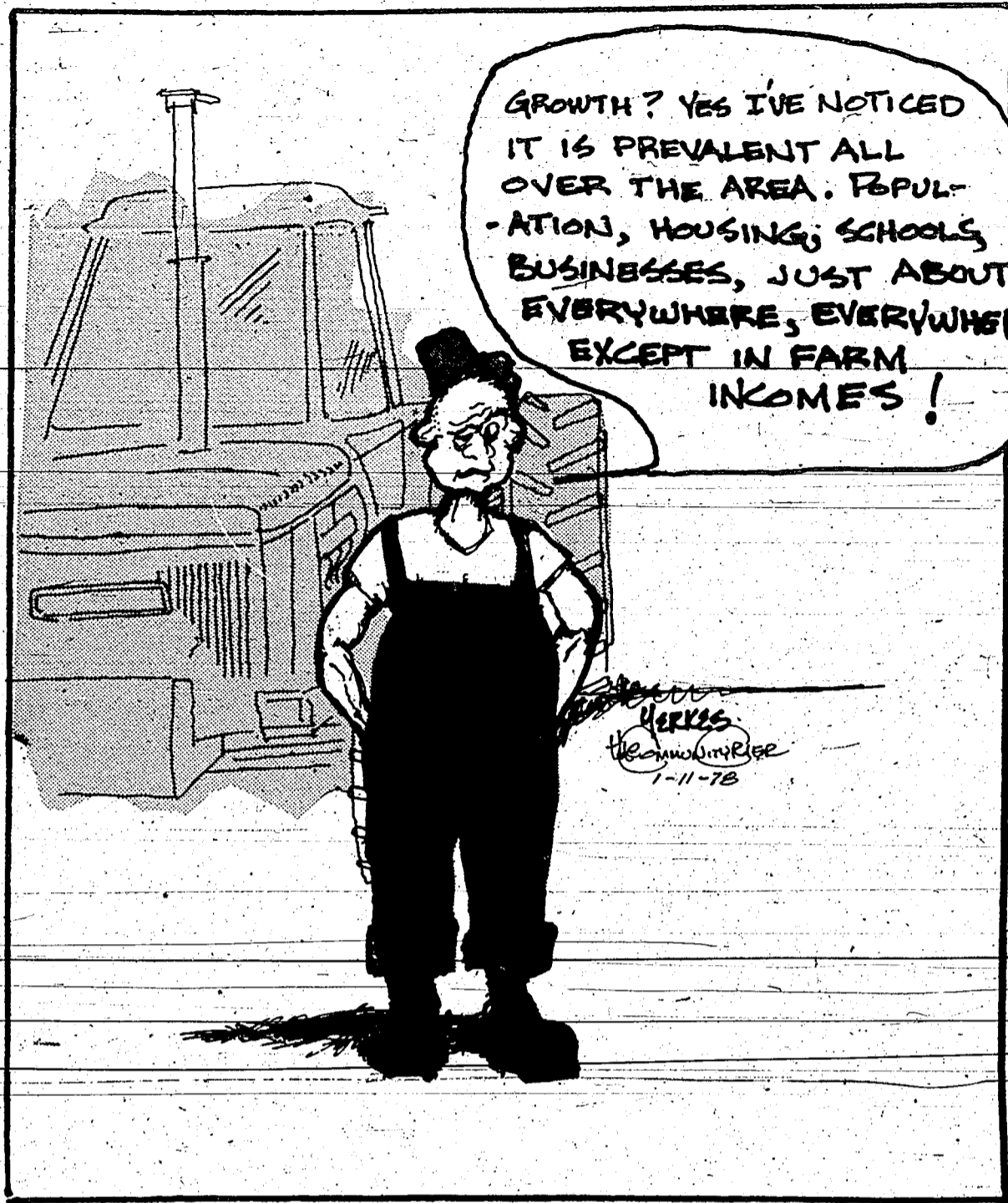
It's more than just experience—although George has served on the board longer than any of the present members—it's the foresight to see beyond the emotional issues which may arouse passions one moment and leave bad decisions behind the next.

He owed his election, and re-election, to no interest group or special segment of the community. He owed it to people who may not always have agreed with him, but always respected the stands he took and knew he could be counted on not to take the easy way out.

With other former board members, such as Marda Benson and Marcia Borowski, Lawton made the board a lively place, always open to new ideas.

The board won't be the same without George, but if it's a place where common sense can still prevail -- and where new ideas can get a hearing—it is in no small way his legacy.

—THE COMMUNITY CRIER



Tractor 'parade' tests policy

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By W. Edward WENDOVER



It's not often that national issues are brought to the forefront of local debate, but last week's farmers protest has done just that. And raised a local sore spot too.

While our community's rapid change to wall-to-wall subdivisions erases many memories of the way things used to be, there are still many farmers out there and their plight is second to none among the country's agrarians.

The battle over controlling growth in the Plymouth-Canton Community has often made our farmers out to be villains. Some blame the farmers here for profiteering by selling their land to speculators who in turn sell to developers.

Actually, it is a "chicken and the egg" question. With the escalating property taxes needed to fund the increased governmental services for a greater population and inflation, farming has become less and less profitable for Plymouth-Canton area farmers. And if you can't pay the mortgage, you sell your land. (And certainly the worth of the land has increased dramatically).

The situation has left our farmers in even worse shape economically than most of the nation's farmers who are protesting current national farm policies.

If our farmers are either forced or lured out by the economy, more subdivisions will inevitably sprout up to replace the cornfields.

This issue affects our community even more than at the grocery store.

There was another interesting local issue raised by the farmer's tractor parade downtown last week. They didn't first obtain a "parade" permit from the city.

A very nervous and surprised city police department was chagrined by that fact and made a point to complain about it.

Agreed, advance notification could have made the whole thing a bit more orderly and even more effective for the farmers, as suggested by Police Chief Timothy Ford.

But Ford was wrong on one point — he said the city has always been cooperative on such things.

If he was speaking for his

reign (and a good one it has been), he is correct.

However, prior to his coming here, the city was less than fair in its administration of "parade" permits. Under the mayoralty of Jim Houk (now a city commissioner again — when he can make it to a meeting) the city granted permits for "American" activities like July Fourth parades, but was reluctant to do so for such "unAmerican" activities as war protests. What would that commission have said about the farmers' protest? What about this commission?

And even today, the city's parade permit ordinance is mentioned only for protests like the farmers.

Current city "policy" allows the city manager to grant approval for "parades" or activities lasting only one day. For example, the chamber of commerce need only give a quick call to Fred Yockey and say, "Santa's arriving tomorrow" or "It's Fowl Festival time" and get approval for parading around town. Would the same be true for farm price protesters, war protesters or annexation protesters? It remains to be seen.

If the city's going to complain about "Parade" permits — as it did with the farmers — it should enforce its own ordinance for one and all alike.

If you are fighting mad...



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Swimmers grateful

EDITOR:

Thank you for your coverage of the formation of the Plymouth-Canton Junior Swim Team. Your publicity has been a great help in making this

venture a success. We have over 50 families involved and are growing every day. Thanks again.

NORMA J. WOCHNA
Secretary, Plymouth-Canton
Jr. Swim Club

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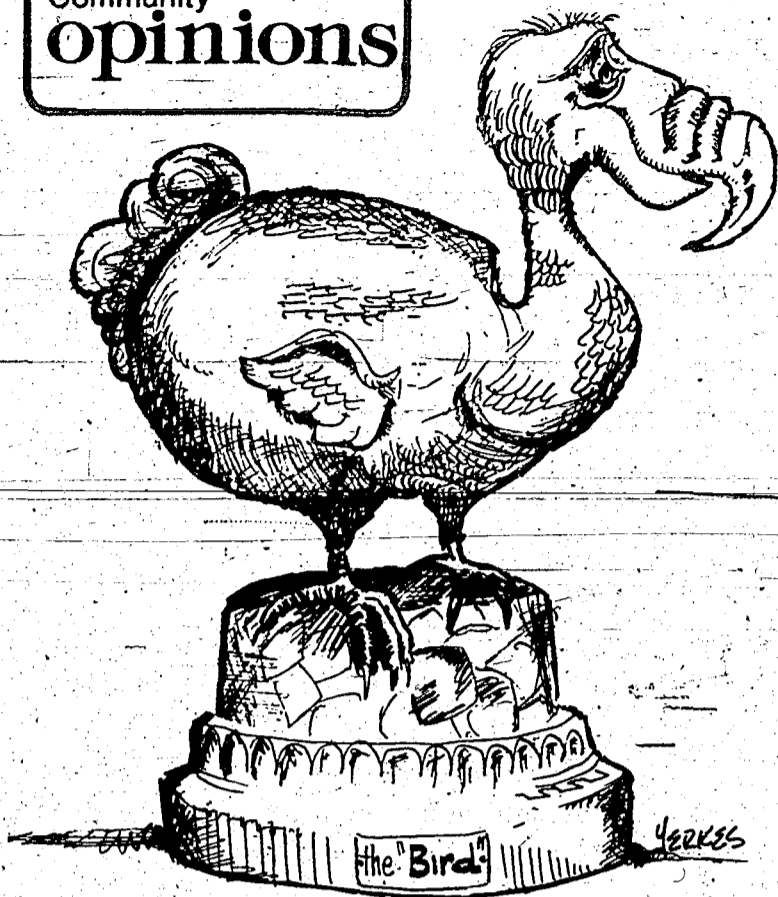
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Community Opinions



City corner gets 'Bird'

EDITOR:

I'd like to give the bird to the Farmer-Starkweather intersection.

As long as parking is allowed on Starkweather (especially large trucks) a traffic signal is needed.

Under the present conditions, during peak traffic periods, it is a harrowing experience to cross, or turn onto Starkweather.

J. DECLARKE
PLYMOUTH

DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE who deserves the Bird Award from our cartoonist? We'd like to hear your suggestion. We suspect there's no shortage of candidates, and if you come up with deserving recipients, our cartoonist has promised to give the Bird as often as necessary. Let's hear from you. Write The Crier at 572 S. Harvey, Plymouth.

Salem cage fans get short shrift from light

EDITOR:

I would like to bring to the attention of the Plymouth or Canton traffic authorities the terrible jam-up that clogs the intersection of Joy and Canton Roads after Salem basketball games.

The light at the intersection

stays green for only seconds to east-bound Joy Road traffic pouring out of the Salem parking lot.

Either an officer should be assigned to handle the problem or the light should be altered to give more "green" to the huge out-flow from the game on Joy.

AN AVID ROCK FAN

Army says thanks to all

EDITOR:

We at the Salvation Army would like to express our sincere appreciation to the Plymouth community for their warm and generous support during the past year. We are privileged to give service to individuals and families at Christmas and during the year because so many friends are willing to stand with us.

We are convinced that this community has and will benefit because they have shared with others and because they have shared willingly and cheerfully.

BILL HARFOOT
LIEUTENANT

LWV studies land use

EDITOR:

The Canton Committee of the Plymouth, Canton, Novi and Northville League of Women Voters as a part of their continuing land use study has examined the need for revisions to the ordinance in Canton Township relating to signs and has reached the following consensus:

A unit of government definitely needs an ordinance relating to signs. Attractive signage can be an asset to a community. With a well-planned and enforceable ordinance, signs can perform the necessary services of providing business identification; aiding the growth and prosperity of the business community; enhancing the quality of life for residents and visitors; providing aesthetically pleasing visual communications.

However, uncontrolled sign usage can have a detrimental effect on a community. The absence of restrictions on size, height, placement, and construction of signs can create hazardous traffic conditions; endanger the health, safety, and welfare of the people; decrease the overall effectiveness of the signs; contribute to deterioration of the business community and adjacent areas.

In order to insure the highest quality visual environment for a community, rules and regulations should be formulated with all facets of the community considered. This is a function of the local government.

As with any well-written ordinance, an ordinance relating to signs should include a glossary which clearly defines the terms found within the ordinance, a workable system for enforcement of the ordinance, and a suggested timetable for periodic review of all facets of the ordinance.

Study has shown that the most effective and clearly defined sign ordinances use a format related to zoning districts and include regulations concerning height of the sign (grade level should be used as a basis for determining height of the sign), total face area of the sign, placement, construction specifications.

A useful tool to increase the effectiveness of each individual sign is limiting the number of message units used per sign.

Restrictions on size, height, lighting and placement, while being proportionately related to the size of the building, may have to be modified so as not to infringe on the rights of adjacent zoning districts.

In order to minimize visual pollution, the use of off-premise, roof, and right angle signs should be discouraged. Billboard use should be restricted to local businesses and products manufactured within the community.

ly pleasing signage. For example, a sign constructed of natural materials and incorporating landscaping into its design would be eligible for certain concessions.

Sign design and landscaping plans should be considered at the time of site plan approval for the most effective usage of a sign ordinance.

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PCAC offers macrame

The Plymouth Community Arts Council (PCAC) is offering five-week classes in basketry and macrame beginning Monday, Jan. 16, in the PCAC office located on Main St.

Mrs. Theresa Ohno and Mrs. Grace Kabel will conduct several workshops during which students may choose to do either macrame or basketry. There will be a \$12.50 charge for each class.

On Jan. 16 Mrs. Ohno will conduct a workshop from 7 until 9 p.m. She will teach two additional workshops starting on Weds. Jan. 18 from 9 a.m. until noon and from 7 to 9 p.m.

Mrs. Kabel begins her workshops on Tuesday, Jan. 17, from 10 a.m. until noon and from 1 to 3 p.m.

Those interested can register by calling the PCAC office, 455-5260, from 9 a.m. until noon Monday through Thursday.

Stirton cashes in

ANDREW STIRTON, son of Ned and Carol Stirton of Plymouth, has been collecting unusual banks and cash registers for five years. He slowly accumulated his collection from catalogues and antique shops. Some registers have hands reaching out of its boxes and one even has a tin skeleton reaching out of its grave to grab the pennies. (Crier photo by Hank Meijer)

'Santa' thanks all

Gene "Santa" Reeves extends his thanks to all his helpers at the Plymouth State Home and Training School Christmas Party.

"A big thanks to The Crier," Reeves said, "and the Canton Plymouth Jaycees.

"Also, thanks to Frank Mc Murray of Canton, the Canton Chamber of Commerce, Sen. William Faust, Ben Korn, Rita Kulzsa, the Warren Jaycee Auxiliary, Russ Kettleston, Royce Smith, the Canton Lions, DRew and Nancy Rentz of Canton, James Hayes and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Carpenter of Farmington Hills.

"A special thanks to 96-year old Clara Cleland who knitted 30 afghans," said Reeves. "She's been doing it for years," he said of the Detroit east-side resident.

"Thanks, also to the Westland Jaycees, Mason Ludlow of Canton and Sheldon Futnick of Canton," said Reeves.

Luther honor

The Plymouth-Canton School District will commemorate the life of Martin Luther King, Jr., on Monday, Jan. 16.

The day was set aside by the Board of Education Monday night. It will not be a holiday.

Jacket swiped

Plymouth Police report a girl's ski jacket was taken from a locker at Central Middle School last Friday. The jacket is valued at \$80 and is described as lime green with blue and green stripes in front.

Clinic delayed

The hypertension screening clinic scheduled for Jan. 5 and 7 of last week at New Towne Plaza in Canton has been re-scheduled to mid-February.

Read The Crier for the upcoming times and place.

What's happening

PLYMOUTH HISTORICAL SOCIETY MEETS

The Plymouth Historical will meet Thursday, Jan. 12 at 7:30 p.m. at the Museum building, 155 S. Main on the lower level. Clarence Moore will present a program entitled "Australia with the Moores". Guests are welcome.

CANTON SENIORS MEET

The Canton senior citizens will meet Thursday, Jan. 12 at 12:30 p.m. at St. Michael's Church on Sheldon and Warren. Call Dale Hall about details 459-3333. Please bring a sack lunch. The program and senior activities are open to all seniors.

LATE REGISTRATION FOR WINTER SEMESTER

Late registration for winter semester classes at Schoolcraft College can be completed through Jan. 18. Classes began Jan. 7, however individuals can register in the auxiliary in the Waterman Campus Center Jan. 11 through 18 from 8:30 to 11 a.m., 1 to 3:30 p.m., and 6 to 7:30 p.m. There are no evening hours on Friday, Jan. 13. A late fee of \$2.50 per class for part-time students is required. Full-time students pay a total charge of \$10. Complete information is available at 591-6400 ext. 340.

LAKEPOINTE FARM AND GARDEN MEET

The Lakepointe Village Branch of the National Farm and Garden Assoc. will hold their Jan. 12th meeting in the library at Farrand School. Evening Chairman is Donna Keough. The program, entitled "Beauty under Glass" will be a demonstration and workshop on framing pressed and dried flowers. Speakers will be branch members, Holly Pedersen, Judy Sharrar and Barbara Schendel.

CANTON REC CIRCUS TRIP

Kids from Canton Township Schools who are interested in seeing lions, tigers, clowns and other stars under the Big Top can attend the Canton Township Parks & Recreation trips to the Shrine Circus. The first will be Wednesday, Feb. 8 and the second on Wednesday, Feb. 15. For the Feb. 8 trip we will be leaving from Eriksson Elementary school at 12:30 p.m. and return by 5:30 p.m. Feb. 15 meet at Field Elementary School. Leaving and returning will be the same times as the Feb. 8 trip. Both trips will be taken by bus, the cost will be \$2.35 per child. Call 397-2777 for details.

GIRL SCOUT MAGIC SHOW

Jan. 14 from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. the Girl Scouts will hold a magic show to promote their cookie sale. The show will be in the Salem High School Auditorium. At their Jan. 18 meeting at West Middle School from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. Trooper Darrell Seering of the Michigan State Police will speak on "Rape - Woman's Self Defense", and "Child Molestation."

PLYMOUTH ROCK & MINERAL SOCIETY

The Plymouth Rock and Mineral Society meets on the second Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at the Cultural Center.

KARATE AT CANTON REC

Karate is held on Wednesdays and Thursdays at 8 p.m. in the Recreation Center. Begins any Wednesday. Age eight and up, \$30 for 10 weeks. It is taught by Black Belt Sam Santilli. Register at first class.

AFTERNOON CROSS-COUNTRY SKI CLUB

Canton Township Parks & Recreation Department is now sponsoring a Cross Country Ski Club trip to Kensington Metro Park Thursday, Jan. 12. The group will leave at 11 a.m. from the Recreation Hall and return at 5 p.m. The trip will be taken in Recreation Vans and it is recommended that you bring a bag lunch and hot drinks. Children must be accompanied by parents. The cost is \$4.50 and this includes rental of skis, boots, and poles. If you have your own equipment, the trip is free. This is the first of a series of Ski Club trips to be held on these proposed dates: Jan. 12, 19, 26. Feb. 2, 9, 16, 23. March 2, 9. To register call the Canton Recreation office at 397-2777.

DOG OBEDIENCE

Canton Township Parks and Recreation Department is again offering Dog Obedience Classes beginning Jan. 24. The class will be held on Tuesdays at 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. in the Recreation Center, 44237 Michigan Ave. corner of Sheldon Rd. The cost is \$25 for 10 weeks. There is a class minimum of 15. The class will once again be taught by Hugh Maclean.

ACRYLIC PAINTING CLASS

A beginning acrylic painting class will start on Monday, Jan. 30, from 7 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. No background in art or painting is required. Learn to paint and create your own pictures each meeting. For more information contact the Plymouth Recreation Department at 455-6620.

CROSS COUNTRY SKIING CLINIC

There will be two cross country skiing clinics sponsored by Plymouth Recreation in January. The first will be held Tuesday evening, Jan. 12 from 7-9:30 p.m. The second clinic will be offered on Thursday evening, Jan. 26 from 7-9:30 p.m. The fee is \$5 per person, payable one week in advance of the clinic at the Plymouth Parks and Recreation Department Office. Equipment provided.

Beginning Hatha Yoga for adults will start Monday, Jan. 30 from 1-2:30 p.m. Advanced Hatha Yoga for adults will begin on Tuesday, Jan. 31 from 1-2:30 p.m. Contact the Recreation Department for more information at 455-6620.

The Phoenix Gallery

Snow mobiles stolen

Two snowmobiles and their trailer were stolen last week from Edmond Damar, 40006 Cambridge, Canton, State Police report.

Damar told the police they were stolen from the parking lot of his apartment building some time between 10 p.m. Thursday and 8 a.m. Friday.

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What's happening

GUITAR LESSONS

The Canton Township Parks & Recreation Department will be presenting Guitar Lessons for third graders and up. Classes begin on Jan. 20 and will be held every Friday at 7 p.m. in the Miller School Music Room. Cost for lessons will be \$26 for 11 weeks. Sign up at School on Jan. 20, from 6 to 7 p.m. Lessons will be taught by Richard Lytwyniuk.

BE SLIMMER FOR SPRING

Only have three short months to lose the extra weight gained at Christmas! The friendly members at Canton TOPS give inspiration to everyone to shed those extra pounds. The meetings are every Thursday at 7:15 p.m. at Miller School on Hanford Rd. Public is welcome. For details call 455-8224.

TOM SAWYER

The Plymouth Theater Guild will present the musical "Tom Sawyer," on two upcoming weekends: Jan. 20, 21 and 27, 28. The shows on the 20th and 27th will start at 8 p.m. and the 21st and 28th shows will start at 2 p.m. The musicals will be at Central Middle School.

MACLD MEETS JAN. 18

The Plymouth-Canton-Northville Chapter of the Michigan Association for Children with Learning Disabilities (MACLD) will present as guest speaker, Dr. Prem P. Dua, M.D., at its fourth meeting held at 7:30 p.m., Jan. 18, in Pioneer Middle School's cafeteria. The topic for discussion will be "The Hyperactive Child." The MACLD meeting is free and open to the public.

PANCAKE BREAKFAST

On the first Sunday of every month, the Mayflower VFW Auxiliary No. 6695 holds a pancake breakfast at 1426 N. Mill St., Plymouth.

GROWTHWORKS PAPER PICK UP

If you have newspapers to pick up, call Growthworks at 455-4090 or 455-4095. They will pick up your old newspapers at your home.

AFTER SCHOOL REC PROGRAM

Dodgeball, kickball, relay races, and pillow polo. These are just a few of the games played at After School Recreation. These games are limited to Canton Elementary Students only. Come and have fun at these locations: Miller Elementary - Mondays at 3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.; Field Elementary - Tuesdays at 4 p.m. to 5 p.m.; Hulsing Elementary - Thursdays at 3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.; Eriksson Elementary - Fridays at 4 p.m. to 5 p.m.

WOMEN'S REC. NIGHT VOLLEYBALL

The Canton Township Parks & Recreation Department is sponsoring a Women's Recreation Night Volleyball. The cost is \$5 per 10 week session and it is held on Wednesdays from 6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. at Field Elementary School.

CANTON'S SUNDAY SCHOOL BEGINS

The Faith Community Church will begin a Sunday Church School program Jan. 15, at 9:15 a.m. at Pioneer Middle School, 46081 Ann Arbor Rd. Classes will be offered for three year olds through sixth graders, and will include fun activities and projects, puzzles and games, singing, and learning and applying concepts from the Bible. The school is open to all children in the Canton-Plymouth community, regardless of church background. They may be enrolled by calling the pastor, Rev. Darryl Bell, at 459-2199, or by just coming to the session on Sunday.

WESLEYAN CHURCH HOSTS SPEAKER

Robert Thompson of Dearborn, will be the speaker at the Plymouth Wesleyan Church, Sunday, Jan. 15. Mr. and Mrs. Thompson served the church as the first pastors when the church was first organized in 1962. He will speak at both the 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. services. The public is invited to hear Mr. Thompson.

DUPLICATE BRIDGE

Duplicate Bridge will meet every Tuesday evening at 7:30 p.m. and on Wednesday afternoons from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Cultural Center. Novice to advanced are welcome.

COMMUNITY CHORUS

Community Chorus, men's and women's choral group meets Tuesday at 8 p.m. in the vocal room at East Middle School, 1042 S. Mill.

PARTY BRIDGE

Party Bridge takes place at the Cultural Center on Thursday from 1-4 p.m.

PAINT FOR FUN

Paint for fun invites those who are interested in oil painting to meet each Thursday from 1-3:30 p.m. at the Cultural Center. This class is free to all who attend. Contact Fred Prussing at 455-8894. NO FEE!!!!

FOLK DANCE CLUB

The Folk Dance Club will meet Friday evenings at 7:30 p.m. at Bird School, 220 Sheldon Rd. This Recreation Department sponsored group is open to people of all ages, from novices through adults from novice to experienced. Contact Joe Azbil at 455-0163.

CHESS CLUB

The Chess Club meets every Tuesday evening from 7:30-11:30 p.m. at the Cultural Center. Novice to advanced players are invited to attend. Free instruction provided to beginners. For more information contact Conrad Drake at 397-1881.

High-priced blender filched

A \$50 food blender was reported taken from the back seat of a car parked at the Taco Bell restaurant last Friday, Plymouth Police report.

Two "suspicious" young men between the ages of 16 and 17 were seen near the car, police said. One wore a sheepskin coat and the other wore a blue down jacket with a leather-type cowboy hat, police said.

WSDP features AAUW

WSDP, 88.1 FM will feature Parameters today. Andy Melin and Leanne Lamphear are the hosts.

Once again this year, WSDP will broadcast the program, "Got A Minute To Save" by the American Association of University Women (AAUW). The program is about economical tips on time, energy or money.

WSDP will air the programs every Tuesday and Thursday at 1:45 and 3:45 p.m. If any listeners have any tips of their own and would like to contribute them, write to: American Association of University Women, C/O WSDP, 46181 Joy Rd., Plymouth, MI 48170; or call the station at 453-3100, Ext. 266 or 267.

Leche meets

A series of four meetings on breastfeeding will begin at 8 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 18, in the home of Margaret Mazur, 227 N. Rogers, Northville, sponsored by the Plymouth-Northville La Leche League.

The first session will deal with the advantages of breastfeeding to the mother and baby. Expectant mothers and mothers with nursing babies are welcome as are other interested persons. Subsequent meetings at the same time and place will be on Feb. 15, March 15 and April 19.

La Leche, which is Spanish for 'the milk,' is a nonprofit organization which encourages "good mothering through breastfeeding." There is no fee for attending the series.

For information, call Charlene Frellick, 349-2840.

The group also sponsors a morning series led by Millie Conway, (455-6115), and Kay Williams, (455-1840).

Goodfellows succeed

Canton Goodfellows report that their second venture at selling Goodfellows papers for needy children in Canton was "successful."

The first weekend the Goodfellows Newsboys sold papers they only sold half as much as they did in 1976, according to Kenn Witt of the Goodfellows. He said freezing weather that weekend may have been the reason.



Miller new LWV leader

KARI MILLER (right) will be the new League of Women Voters president for Plymouth, Canton, Northville and Novi. She will succeed Neva Carter (left) who is resigning because of a move. Mrs. Miller, a resident of Plymouth, has been a member of the League for five years and has served as first vice president, voters service chairperson and membership chairperson. (Crier photo by Hank Meijer).

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Canton Rec keeps seniors busy

THE COMMUNITY CRIER: January 11, 1978

BY PHYLLIS REDFERN
 Becoming a senior citizen can be the beginning of a great experience for those living in Canton. Dale Hall, and Delores Edwards, Canton Senior Citizen Coordinators, spend many hours each week planning activities for the three senior clubs now in Canton.

The theme of the Canton Seniors is, "Caring and Sharing" and according to Mrs. Hall there is an over abundance of both.

"They have the willingness to do anything for us and they appreciate everything we do for them," she said.

Mrs. Hall thinks it is important for seniors to have companionship with their peers. "When you are busy, your mind stays young and active," she noted.

"I love coming to work", said Mrs. Edwards, who has been working with Canton seniors since October. She commented on how the willingness of everyone to share the work load.

Mrs. Hall has had three and a half years experience in senior citizen planning. She and her husband, George have been married 32 years and

have four children and six grandchildren.

Mrs. Edwards has a degree in teaching. She and her husband, Ken, have two children and are expecting their first grandchild next month.

Along with the weekly meetings is an arts and crafts group which meets every Wednesday at 1 p.m. at the Recreation Hall on Michigan Avenue, said Mrs. Hall. Monday mornings at 9:30 those interested in bowling meet. Also during the month many seniors get together for cards, shuffleboard and special trips (either sightseeing or shopping).

This month said Mrs. Hall they are planning four trips to

Schoolcraft College to acquaint the seniors with courses that might be of interest to them.

Two kitchen bands have recently been organized to add a little fun and music to their lives. According to Mrs. Edwards "they are fantastic. We played at a nursing home and have calls to play at other places."

One of the big events planned for the year is the "All Senior Revue" which will be per-

formed April 14 and 15 at Canton High School. The talent show is open to all Canton seniors.

"We encourage everyone to join in the fun" commented Mrs. Hall. Instead of parents and grandparents watching the little ones on stage, it will be a great chance for children and grandchildren to watch their grandmas and grandpas perform, she declared.

Many services are provided for Canton seniors according to the two coordinators. Wayne County sponsors a hot lunch program every week day for those 60 and over at the Recreation Center. A 24-hour advance reservation is needed, plus a 50 cent donation.

There is a referral service which helps people with taxes, clothing and housing problems. According to Mrs. Hall, Canton has a need for senior citizen housing.

"Most people in our area are not in financial need," said Mrs. Hall, "but we find help for those who need it."

A senior citizen discount service was recently started by the Canton Chamber of Commerce and the township parks and recreation dept. To qualify, you must be at least 55 years of age and live in Canton.

The Senior Citizens Club started six years ago and now meets every Friday at 12:30 in the recreation center on Michigan Ave. The meetings are open to any Canton resident 50 years of age or older.

The North Canton Area Club is a new club just getting start-

the Crier's friends & neighbors



DALE HALL AND DELORES EDWARDS
 Canton Recreation Directors

ed. They meet every Thursday at 12:30 at St. Michael's Church, 7000 Sheldon Rd. All seniors are invited to bring a sack lunch and join them. Coffee, tea and cookies will be furnished.

According to Mrs. Hall, the senior citizens will have full use of the recreation hall once the new administration building is finished.

"We have 250 very active, vibrant seniors enjoying our activities and hopefully new people will be joining us," she said.

According to Mrs. Hall, the senior citizens will have full

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Canton panel taps McMurray

Frank McMurray, 38, of Canton was appointed by the Canton Township Board Tuesday to serve on the township's Planning Commission.

Township trustees Lynne Goldsmith and Brian Schwall voted against McMurray's appointment, who will now replace Robert Miller, whose term has expired on the commission.

Goldsmith said McMurray's business interests in the township would represent a possible conflict when it came to deci-

sions on the planning commission.

"I think the Canton Chamber of Commerce will control the Planning Commission at this time," said Schwall. "It isn't Frank alone, it's more than one person."

Schwall is a member of the planning commission. Other members are Robert Padgett, chairman; Joyce Willis; Bart Berg; Robert Shefferley (recently appointed to take the

place of Gus Matzo, who resigned before his term expired); and Dick Kirchgatter.



FRANK McMURRAY

Bresler, Farhat engaged



William J. Bresler of Plymouth and Susan E. Farhat of Westland have announced their engagement. A June 24 wedding is planned.

Bresler, son of William F. and Amelia Bresler of Lansing, is The Crier photo editor.

Ms. Farhat, daughter of Edward and Elizabeth Farhat of Westland, works for the Community Commission on Drug Abuse in Westland.

Both are 1977 graduates of Michigan State University.

The couple plan to live in Plymouth following their marriage.

SUSAN FARHAT AND BILL BRESLER

Crier names new ad director



DEE MATASICH

Dolice "Dee" Matasich has been appointed advertising director of The Community Crier, publisher Hank Meijer announced Monday.

"We are pleased Dee has

joined us," said Meijer. "With her background and experience in advertising, we're confident we can serve the expanding Plymouth-Canton market even more effectively."

Mrs. Matasich comes to The Crier following a year at The Lapeer County Press as a display advertising counselor.

Before that, she was classified advertising manager for the Antioch Center Publication in Kansas City, Mo.

The new Crier advertising director's background includes retail advertising writing for New York agencies. She is a graduate of the University of Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Matasich lives in Ypsilanti with her husband, Joe, and daughter, Kristen.



IT ISN'T DUELING TUBAS, IT'S the rehearsal for the upcoming 13th annual "Variety Is" show presented by the seven bands at Centennial Educational Park. This year, the performance will be held Friday

and Saturday night at Salem High School auditorium. Everyone is welcome to attend the musical performances, which will include selections from all the bands at CEP. (Crier photo by Bill Bresler.)

Band plans gala

CEP's 'Variety Is...' on the way

The 13th annual Centennial Educational Park (CEP) "Variety Is" band show will be this weekend, Friday and Saturday at 8 p.m. in the Salem High School auditorium.

The seven CEP marching, symphony, stage, concert and varsity bands will all perform for the Plymouth-Canton audience in a musical and fun-filled evening, according to a band spokesperson.

On Friday and Saturday the marching band, the symphony band and the stage band, directed by James Griffith, CEP band director, will perform. On Friday, the Salem Varsity Band, directed by Tom Brownlee, assistant conductor at CEP will play along with the Canton Concert Band, directed by Griffith.

On Saturday night, Brownlee will conduct the Salem Concert Band and the Canton Varsity Band.

The Symphony Band will perform "The Magic of Disney" a piece for band, chorus and narration. The narration will be done by Dennis McVitte.

Salem senior Betty Delano will conduct "The Pine of the Appian Way" by Ottorino Respighi. She plays tenor sax in the symphony band and alto sax in the marching band.

The finale will feature the marching band performing highlights from last fall's marching season.

Tickets are available from all band members and at the door preceding the Friday and Saturday evening performances.

Prices are: \$1 for senior citizens, \$1.50 for any age student; \$2 for adults; \$6 for a family up to six members.



PAMELA AND JAMES MASON

Pam Adams marries James Mason here

Pamela Jean Adams of Plymouth and James I. Mason, formerly of Plymouth were married in a candlelight ceremony at First Baptist Church in Plymouth Dec. 17.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Adams of Jener Street in Plymouth. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Mason of Horton, formerly of Plymouth.

Dr. G. Douglas Routledge of Calvary Baptist and Dr. William Stahl officiated at the wedding.

The bride wore a white Quiana jersey dress, with a beaded yoke bodice with Venice lace at the cuffs and hem. Her bouquet was a cascade arrangement of red roses, holly and baby's breath.

Matron of honor was Sandy

Bessert, maid of honor was Shelley Brinkman. Bridesmaids were Charmayne Brinso, Jill Gerkey, Gale Sokol and Pam Wood. The attendants wore wine-colored Quiana dresses with cowl necklines. Each carried crystal goblets with red roses and holly and lighted candles. Flower girl was Kimberly Bessert, niece of the bride.

Best men were Tom Mason and Paul Wilson. Ushers included Mark Kraay, John Adams, Jeff Adams, Gary Glanville, Paul Carroll and Al Hendrickson.

The couple travelled to Toronto following the wedding. They both attend Michigan State University and will live in Lansing.

Schools organize PACTS

PACTS, a citizens advisory group meaning parents, administrators, citizens, teachers and students, that will help the Plymouth-Canton School District make long-range policy decisions on a variety of topics

will hold its first meeting Wednesday, Feb. 1 at 7:30 p.m.

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Representatives from each school in the district will discuss and help write recommendations on issues like curriculum, planning for growth and transportation.

The meeting is the first of eight such Wednesday meetings in February and March.

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The dull, winter months are here again but don't let it get you down. If your back can't handle tobogganing and your leg is still mending from last year's skiing accident, how about building a snowman or a quiet walk on a beautiful snowy evening?

When your fingers and toes are numb and you've had enough exercise for one day, it's time for a cup of hot chocolate next to a warm, crackling fire. No better time than now to haul out one of those half-finished craft projects that you started last summer. Like the wall hanging started last July (a nice Christmas present for Aunt Betty). Well, there's only 347 days left till next Christmas.

Jill Hochloski doesn't have to worry about craft projects to keep her busy. A senior majoring in chemistry at Michigan State University, Jill recently received a \$9,000 per year scholarship for graduate study at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hochloski of Amelia in Plymouth.

Patrick J. Lenaghan was recently promoted to Captain in the Infantry. He graduated from Plymouth High School in 1969 and from Eastern Michigan University in 1974. Last March he received the Army Commendation Metal in Germany for his part in testing missile systems.

He is presently home on leave with his wife, the former Patricia Bosman. He will be reporting to Advanced Artillery School at Fort Sill, Oklahoma the end of January.

Mrs. Esther Hulsing of Plymouth will be the guest speaker when the Alpha Omicron Pi celebrate Founders Day, Jan. 21. The meeting will be held at 11:30 a.m. at Topinka's Restaurant in Redford. Members of the Northwest Suburban Alumnae Chapter may make reservations with Mrs. William O'Shea, 35979 Middleboro, Livonia.

Alpha Omicron Pi Sorority was founded at Barnard College, N.Y., Jan. 2, 1897. It supports the Arthritis Foundation.

The Plymouth-Canton Association for the Academically Talented will meet Jan. 11 at 8 p.m. at West Middle School. Mr. Rick Olenchak, coordinator for the gifted program will speak on "What can our school district do for the gifted child?"

Mrs. Ezra Kotonour of Plymouth was a co hostess at the John Sackett Chapter, DAR meeting Jan. 9. In honor of National Defense Month, Mrs. Urbin Stufin, a past regent from Plymouth, showed the film "The Price of Peace and Freedom".

The Plymouth-Northville-Canton Association of Girl Scouts will meet Wednesday, Jan. 18 from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. at West Middle School. The guest speaker will be Trooper Darrell Serring from the Mich. State Police. His topic will be "Rape - Women's Self-Defense". Election of delegates to the council will also take place that evening.

The annual Girl Scout Cookie sale will run for two weeks beginning Jan. 30. Make sure you get your order in by Feb. 12.

Parnell E. Johnson, Jr. of Northern street has been awarded a diploma from the ICS School of Air Conditioning, Heating and Refrigeration in Scranton, Pennsylvania for the successful completion of a career training program.

Mark L. Lazarcheff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore L. Lazarcheff of Plymouth has been promoted to Cadet Private First Class at Howe Military School. Cadet Lazarcheff, a first year student at Howe, is in the tenth grade.

BY W. EDWARD WENDOVER

Six alternatives to meeting the needs for senior citizen housing have been proposed by the City of Plymouth's Blue Ribbon Study Committee on the Aging.

The options, and the rest of the committee's report, will be discussed by the city commission at its Feb. 6 meeting which begins at 7:30 p.m. in City Hall, 201 S. Main St. Copies of the report are available at City Hall and at the Dunning-Hough Library.

In its 39-page report, which has been in progress since last February, the study group included information from its door-to-door survey of Plymouth senior citizens, reviews of available resources and services for seniors, including the Council on Aging and the city's Housing Commission, and the alternative housing options.

Some 18 community organizations' representatives took part in the study, which was first established by the city commission on Dec. 20, 1976 following the defeat of a tax abatement proposal for a proposed senior citizen high rise building across from Kellogg Park.

The Blue Ribbon Committee recommended the building of a 100-unit cooperative housing development as "the best way to meet the current need."

In its survey of senior citizens, some 214 residents were polled with 93 indicating a specific desire for housing. The other 121 respondents "want to remain in their homes but will need a variety of in-home support services," the report said.

The committee suggested that "the future demand for this type of housing will probably increase after the benefits of the initial development become apparent."

In order of priority, the committee recommended the following alternatives to providing senior citizen housing:

*Cooperative management and financing of a new project which would allow the residents to actually own and operate their own project. Funding could come from local financial institutions, private sources or federal programs. One large or several smaller projects could be built under such a cooperative arrangement.

*Rent allowance or subsidy, under federal programs, would involve existing landlords and dwellings in the community. This option would have no direct cost to the local community but would not group senior residents together in one area where it would be easier to provide services to them.

*Expansion of the existing city-owned Tonquish Creek Manor could add up to 55 more units and ease the six-year waiting period there that currently exists. This would have the benefit of requiring few changes in the existing management of the facility but such an addition could take two years time.

*Using the Michigan State Housing Development Authority, without any direct local costs, to finance a project. One drawback is that there is little local control and the state usually favors larger projects.

*Local bonding would provide much local control and could still qualify for rental subsidies although local costs would be high.

*The "Do Nothing Option" was also suggested "because of the fact that it is an option." The disadvantage of such an approach, said the committee, is "senior citizens will be unable to find relief for their housing needs in the City of Plymouth and therefore will either be forced to leave the community or to remain in their present situation." The advantage to the option, the committee said, is its low cost.

Geake: Drinking age must go up

State Sen. Bob Geake, whose district includes the City of Plymouth and Plymouth Township, told members of the Plymouth Optimists Club Monday that Michigan's legal drinking age should be raised. He urged that move as a top priority for the Michigan Legislature when it convenes its 1978 session today.

Geake brought up the July accident in which six local teenagers were killed, citing it as a reminder that the drinking age should be raised and strictly enforced.

He also commented on the poor business climate of the state, stating the need for reforms in the areas of workers'

compensation and unemployment compensation, as well as additional relief to small businesses in their Single Business Tax.

"I can't seem to remember the last time I heard someone say the business climate in Michigan was good. And if the legislature doesn't act on some major issues along the lines of business taxes, workers' compensation and unemployment compensation this coming session, our business climate may go from very bad to worse," he said. "I strongly support the elimination of voluntary quitters from the unemployment compensation rolls. It makes no sense at all to give money to people who quit their jobs willingly."

He called the 1977 session one of major compromise, and noted accomplishments in the areas of State Police patrols of Detroit freeways, Single Business Tax reform, utility assis-

tance for low income people and senior citizens, denial of bail for violent criminals and the passage of a child pornography law.

Chill at college

The Forum Building at Schoolcraft College is closed until physical plant workers at the college can restore power to the building, college officials say. Classes held in the building are scheduled to be held elsewhere on campus, a college spokesperson said.

A power transformer blew up, said the spokesperson, and there is no electricity, light or heat in the building. "It's probably as cold in there as it is outside," said Pat Perez of Schoolcraft.

Officials at the college could not give a definite date when power would be restored to the building.

Correction

The Bradbury Condominiums pictured in last week's Crier are in Plymouth Township, not Canton Township, as reported.

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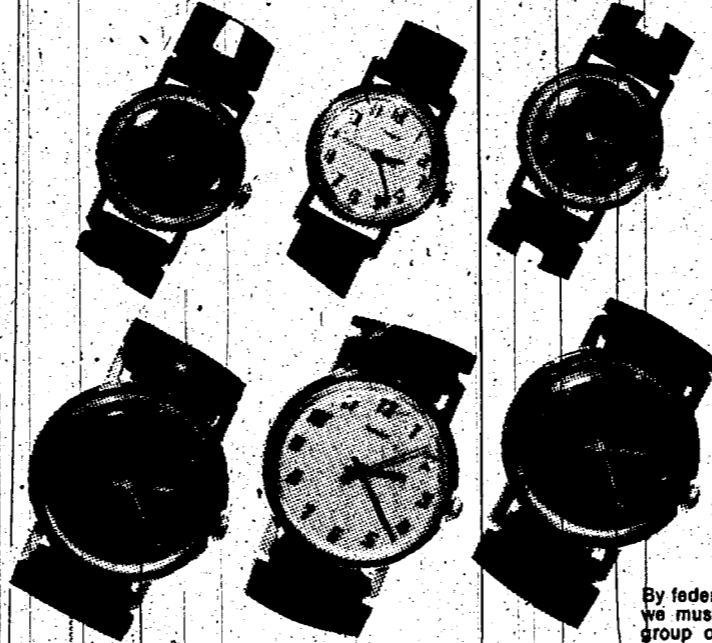
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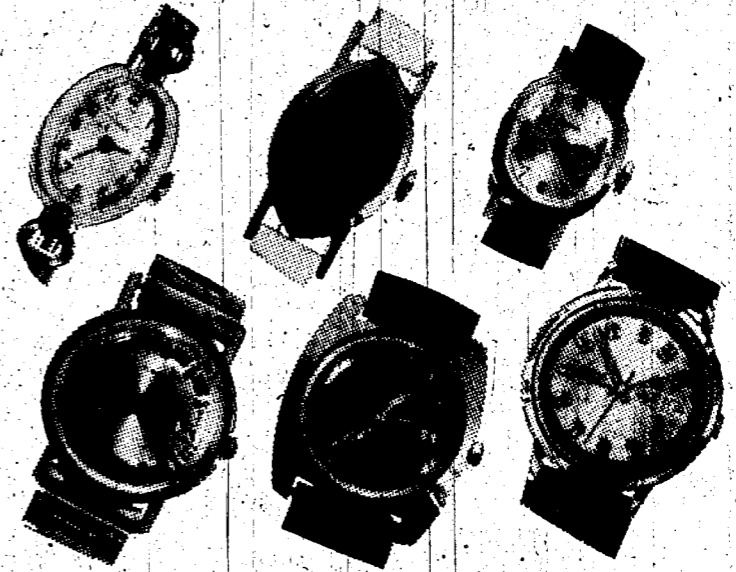
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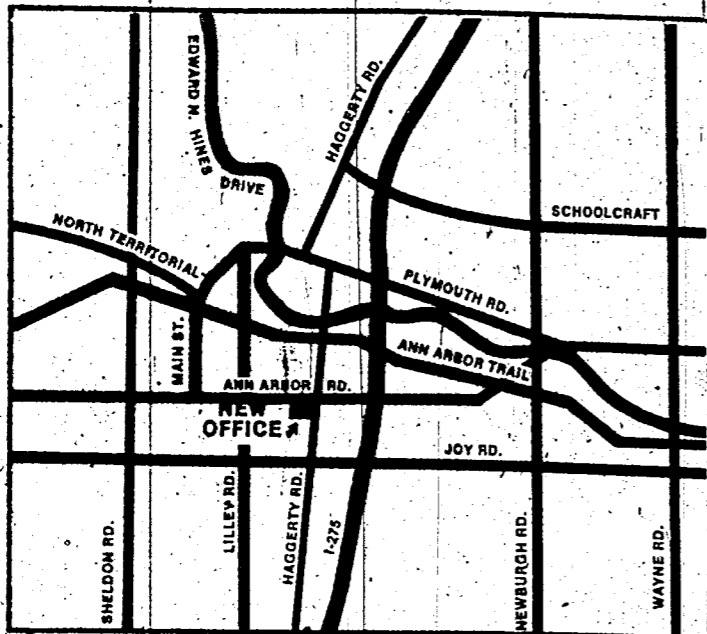
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Schools, secretaries reach agreement on contract

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"anxious to get rolling" and back to normal.

With the pay increases and back pay, the secretaries were granted a dental plan for which the school district will pay the \$120 yearly premium, and the insurance company and the secretary will split the dentists' bill. "Our dental plan is not as complete as the teachers' but it's a beginning," Mrs. Gates said. The school district also

agreed to review pay levels of some jobs.

Mrs. Gates said this clause will cover the complaints secretaries of elementary school principals who are not on the same pay level of secretaries of principals of middle and high schools.

Also, secretaries working on the Extended School Year (ESY) program also want their pay levels reviewed, Mrs. Gates noted.

The schools and the secretaries also agreed to review the question of whether the work day should be extended to eight hours.

Most secretaries work seven and one-half hours now and the extra half-hour per day would mean extra pay, according to Mrs. Gates.

The school district also said they would collect dues for the secretaries' association through payroll deduction.

The negotiations have taken so long because the schools are in a tight fiscal situation, said Assistant Superintendent Norm Kee.

Before the agreement, the secretaries' pay ranged from a low of \$3.83 per hour to a high of \$5.49. Due to a misunderstanding, the low figure was incorrectly reported in last week's Crier.



Woman falls out of car

A WOMAN FROM Northville fell out of a car travelling east-bound on Plymouth Road near Mill Street last Wednesday, Plymouth Police report. Theresa M. St. Thomas of Ridge fell out of the car after the car door opened and struck her head on the pavement, police report. She was taken to St. Mary's Hospital for treatment. (Photo by Brian Watkins)

Cops hurt in scuffle

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threatening him. He attacked Officer Natoli and attempted to get Natoli's gun from his holster, police said.

He then turned and struck Petres in the stomach with his

fist, knocking her to the ground, and went back to Natoli and tried again to get his gun. Simmers, according to the report, did not get the gun, but ripped the stitching on Natoli's leather holster.

During the scuffle, Simmers got Officer Petres' flashlight and tried to hit both officers with it, the report states.

At that time, back-up Canton Officers Leonard Bush and George Sharp arrived and Simmers attacked them, the report says, striking Officer Bush on top of his head with the flashlight.

Simmers was taken to Wayne County General Hospital where he refused treatment for bruises obtained during the scuffle, said Chief MacGregor.

Responding to a remark attributed to Ms. Filarecki that the handling of the incident by the Canton Officers was "inept", MacGregor said, "I disagree with her statement."

"I thought they (the police) did an exemplary job," said Bundarin.

Simmers was released on \$1,000 personal bond with the stipulation he would not see or visit Ms. Filarecki at either her Livonia home or the Bart Street address.

Gun stolen from local resident

A .22 caliber, nickel-plated revolver was reported missing after a Plymouth resident returned home from a trip Sunday and found his home ransacked and the gun gone.

According to City of Plymouth Police, Gerald Pinkerton of Fairground Street returned home from a vacation with his family to find his home broken into. Police said the house was ransacked, but the only item reported missing was the revolver.

The burglar broke glass in a window in the side door, reached in and unlocked the door, police said.

The gun was valued at \$100 and had the serial number 2062597 etched on it, according to police.

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Community deaths

Horace Truesdell dies, was lifetime resident

Horace W. Truesdell, 75, of 1260 Ann Arbor Trail, Plymouth, died Jan. 3 in Greenbriar Nursing Home in Howell. Funeral services were held at Schrader Funeral Home in Plymouth with the Rev. Philip Rodgers Magee officiating. Burial was in Riverside Cemetery.

Mr. Truesdell was part of the pioneer Truesdell family that settled in Plymouth around the 1830's. His great-great uncle, Charles Truesdell, set aside a parcel of land on his farm in Plymouth Township where Truesdell School would later be built. Mr. Truesdell was born on the Napier Road farm his father, Fred Owen Truesdell owned.

Mr. Truesdell is survived by his son, Raymond of Troy; sisters, Mrs. Vella Snare of Toledo, Ohio, Miss Irene Truesdell of Plymouth; brothers,

Kenneth Truesdell of Plymouth, Howard Truesdell of Adrian and two grandchildren.

He was a lifetime resident of Plymouth and was a press operator for Ford Motor Co. He was a member of the First United Presbyterian Church of Plymouth.

Behler

Viola May Behler, 81, of 256 Irvin Street, Plymouth, died Jan. 4 at Hendry Convalescent Center. Funeral services were held at Schrader Funeral Home with the Rev. Samuel F. Stout officiating. Burial was in Riverside Cemetery.

Mrs. Behler is survived by sons, Dale and Richard of Plymouth; daughter, Mrs. Virginia Hitt of Plymouth; sisters, Mrs. Vivian Goebel of Plymouth; seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

She was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Plymouth.

Burrell

Brian Dale Burrell, 20, of 8585 Chubb Road, Salem township, died Jan. 3 in Salem. Funeral services were held at Schrader Funeral Home with the Rev. James R. Dillon officiating. Burial was in Riverside Cemetery, Plymouth.

Mr. Burrell is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dale T. Burrell; sister, Laura Burrell; grandfather, Hayes Burrell of Plymouth; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Rotarius of Cohoctah.

He was a lifetime resident of Salem and a student. Mr. Burrell was a member of the Landmark Baptist Church, in Plymouth.

Riddell

Helen Edith Riddell, 75, of 11980 AppleTree Drive, Plymouth Township, died Jan. 3 in Plymouth. Funeral services were held at Schrader Funeral Home with the Rev. Philip Rodgers Magee officiating. Burial was in Grand Lawn Cemetery, Detroit.

Mrs. Riddell is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Joan Wehmeyer of Plymouth; sister, Mrs. Lydia Schroeder of Manitowec, Wis.; brother, Mr. Lauri Osterburg of Kalamazoo and four grandchildren.

She was a long time resident of Plymouth Township and the owner of an optometric company. Mrs. Riddell was a member of the First United Presbyterian Church of Plymouth.

How should city spend Fed funds

Only one person, Pat Hahn of Old Village, spoke up at last week's City of Plymouth Public Hearing on the Community Development Program.

She asked that the city use some of the \$100,000 it receives under the program to further improve the Old Village area. Mrs. Hahn asked the city to consider building a landscaped walkway connecting the new Cannon Park with the Old Village square, more street lighting and improved entrance ways to Old Village.

A second public hearing - and action by the City Commission on the program - will come at the commission meeting on Feb. 6.

At that time, the city administration will also submit a proposal on the program, said City Manager Fred Yockey.

Plymouth Township and Canton were scheduled to hold the first of their two public hearings on the Community Development program last night.



PLYMOUTH TOWNSHIP Fire Chief Jim Gignac (center) receives a check for \$4,633 from Burroughs Corporation Industrial Relations Manager Richard Loranger (left) and General Manager Eugene L. Merlino (right). The check was to go towards the cost of the township's purchase of a 'jaws of life' - a power rescue tool used in prying auto accident victims wedged in cars. (Crier photo by Bill Bresler.)

Twp. gets water line funds

Some \$99,000 in Federal Block Grant funds have been allocated to Plymouth Township to rehabilitate water lines in the Green Meadows subdivision east of Sheldon Road between Ann Arbor Road and Joy, Supervisor Tom Notebaert has announced.

He said the grant would enable the township to complete the first phase of improvements in the water lines in the area, with another Block Grant being sought to expand the project.

Gymnastics, anyone?

If you need to pick up a few courses to get your high school diploma, or just want to take a general recreation course, Plymouth-Canton Continuing Education probably has what you want.

Registration for all courses in the program began Jan. 9 and will continue until the specific offerings begin.

Part of the Plymouth-Canton School District, Continuing Education also offers recreation courses - including swimming, ballet, boating and gymnastics - for children.

Courses in the adult leisure time and recreation program include bridge, childbirth preparation, flower arranging, modern jazz dance and many others.

There is a fee for the general recreation courses, but the academic courses to help a student earn his high school diploma are free.

Besides these classes, Continuing Education is also offering one-day mini-courses in a variety of subjects for those who don't have time to attend weekly sessions.

For information on the complete list of offerings and how to register, call 459-1180.



HENDRY CONVALESCENT CENTER in Plymouth Township recently decided to end its care for state Medicaid patients. The convalescent center's directors said increasing costs

and no help from the State Health Department forced them to the move. (Crier photo by Chas Child.)

Medicaid patients dropped

BY DONNA LOMAS

Saying increased costs and lack of help from the State Health Department are the reasons, Hendry Convalescent Center will gradually phase out 42 Medicaid patients now in its convalescent facility on Haggerty Road in Plymouth Township.

"Unfortunately, there is no way to keep state patients in here, especially with the new minimum wage increase," said John Hendry, Administrator of Hendry Convalescent Center. "We have notified patients families so they could make arrangements to move them to another facility."

So far, 10 patients and their families have been notified of the move in a letter from Hendry. The letter notes that the State of Michigan requires a nursing home give 21 days notice if they wish a patient moved.

Hendry said no patient was being "thrown out in the cold." He said the convalescent center was working with patient's families to give them enough time to re-locate. He added that the convalescent center had been losing money for a long time on Medicaid patients.

"The entire process will take about six months," said Charles Herbert, Hendry Center's assistant administrator. "It was a hard decision to make. We stopped admitting Medicaid patients a year and a half ago. If the state would only pay us what it costs in care, it would be fine - then they could stay."

Hendry said the convalescent center is reimbursed \$24.55 per day by the state for each Medicaid patient. However, he said, depending on the care a patient receives at the Hendry Center, costs run from \$30 to \$40 a day.

"You can't even get a hotel room for \$24.55 nowadays," he said. "It was an awful hard decision. What is the state going to do to help us? They aren't doing a darn thing."

"We can't cut our budget," said Hendry. "Sixty percent is our labor. You need people."

"No one on the staff knows who is Medicaid or who pays privately," Hendry added. "Everyone is treated the same, everyone has use of same facilities and medical care."

"We won't reduce the care. It's unbelievable to think you could reduce the care at the money the state is offering."

At least one family with a Medicaid patient at Hendry Convalescent Center is unhappy about the move.

Dr. Donald Davies, a dentist in Plymouth, says he got a letter last Tuesday and is "upset to learn she (his mother)

is being kicked out.

"I went over there and spoke to Mr. Herbert and he said 'that's the way it was,'" said Dr. Davies. "I tried to call Mr. Hendry several times and the operator always said he was unavailable. Finally, the girl on the phone said he was unavailable to me," Davies added.

"They were curt and unfriendly to me," he said. "I can't afford to keep her there."

I don't know where to send her, a lot of homes won't accept Medicaid patients."

"We're not mad at anyone," said Herbert. "The trauma of transferring a patient is more on the family than on the patient."

"The old people are the pawns in this," said Hendry. "It isn't their fault they are here. Why don't the families go to Lansing and get mad at them, not at us. Lansing creates the laws."

Anne Olmstead of the Michigan Department of Social Services said several homes were deciding to "go private."

"It is their decision," she said. "If you can afford it you get excellent care."

"They (Hendry's) do give excellent care," she noted. "It is the only home where pie is served. It is an exceptionally good home! No one has ever complained, relatives or patients, about the care from Hendry. He (Hendry) keeps a strong arm on his staff."

"It is a shame, though," added Mrs. Olmstead. "Many have been there for five years or more."

Canton forms senior citizen advice group

A Senior Citizens Advisory Council was unanimously voted on by the Canton Board of Trustees last week.

Supervisor Harold Stein said the Council would be appointed by him. The Council, said Stein, would help the Canton board in future decisions "The board may be faced with in the future" concerning senior citizens.

The Canton Senior Citizens Advisory Council would be in liason with the Senior Citizen Coordinator, said Stein.

Auto wash coin stolen

Thieves used a drill and a wrench to break into three coin boxes at Plymouth Auto Wash on the night of Jan. 2, State Police report.

Between \$200 and \$400 were reported stolen from the stalls at 805 Ann Arbor Road.



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FRIDAY
Hamburger on a bun, relishes, vegetable, cheese stick, fruit cup.

BIRD MONDAY
Tomato soup, toasted cheese sandwich, toll house bar, fruit cup.

TUESDAY
Pizza burger, green beans, fruit cup, brownie.

WEDNESDAY
Hamburger gravy, over mashed potatoes, hot roll, fruit cup.

THURSDAY
Hot dog on a bun, catsup, mustard, buttered hot vegetable, fruit cup, chocolate cake.

FRIDAY
Macaroni & cheese, buttered hot vegetable, french bread, jello with topping.

ERIKSSON MONDAY
Vegetable soup, turkey sandwich, fruit cup, toll bar.

TUESDAY
Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, bread and butter, fruit cup, cookie.

WEDNESDAY
Goulash, tossed salad, fruit cup, cake.

THURSDAY
Hot dog on a bun, relishes, vegetable, fruit cup, cookie.

FRIDAY
Turkey noodle casserole, hot roll, vegetable, fruit cup.

FARRAND MONDAY
Grilled cheese sandwich, tomato soup, cake, fruit.

TUESDAY
Sloppy joe on bun, buttered vegetables, cake, fruit.

WEDNESDAY
Spaghetti w/meat sauce, cinnamon rolls, buttered vegetables, fruit.

THURSDAY
Hot dog on bun, mustard or catsup, buttered vegetables, cookie, fruit.

FRIDAY
Pizza w/meat and cheese, buttered vegetables, cake, fruit.

FIEGEL MONDAY
Chicken noodle soup, peanut butter & jelly sandwich, fruit, carrot, celery stick.

TUESDAY
Hot dog on bun, mustard, catsup, vegetables or sauerkraut, fruit, brownie.

WEDNESDAY
Hamburger gravy over mashed potatoes, hot roll, fruit, carrot stick.

THURSDAY
Chicken salad sandwiches, vegetables, cheese stick, fruit, peanut butter bar.

FRIDAY
Tacos with trimmings, buttered bread, vegetables, fruit, cookie.

FIELD MONDAY
Hot roast beef sandwich w/gravy, green vegetable, fruit.

TUESDAY
Hot dog on bun, relishes, baked beans, fruit, cake.

WEDNESDAY
Ravioli w/cheese, salad, hot roll, butter, fruit.

THURSDAY
Turkey & gravy o/mashed potatoes, peas, bread, butter, cookie.

FRIDAY
PIZZA DAY

GALLIMORE MONDAY
Cheeseburger o/bun, catsup, mustard & pickles, buttered wax beans, fruit, cake.

TUESDAY
Chili, peanut butter sand., fruit, cookie.

WEDNESDAY
Hamburger gravy o/mashed potatoes, hot rolls, jello, cake.

THURSDAY
Hot dog on/bun, catsup or mustard, buttered corn, fruit, cake.

FRIDAY
Pizza bun, buttered green beans, peaches, tollhouse bar.

HULSING MONDAY
Grilled cheese sandwich, whole kernel corn, diced pears, peanutbutter cookie.

TUESDAY
½ day - NO LUNCH

WEDNESDAY
Spaghetti w/meat sauce, bread sticks, tossed salad, chocolate cup cake, pineapple cup.

THURSDAY
Hot dog on roll, relishes, french fries, chilled fruit cup, sugar cookie.

FRIDAY
Pizza w/meat & cheese, buttered mixed vegetable, vanilla pudding, diced peaches.

ISBISTER MONDAY
Chili, crackers, peanut butter sandwich, peaches, cookie.

TUESDAY
Hamburger and noodle casserole, french bread, spinach, fruited, gelatin.

WEDNESDAY
Roast beef in gravy, mashed potato



Pioneer students - if the soup arrives on your tray cold Tuesday, try to hold back the complaints. Remember as you sip you are enjoying a culinary delight known as vichyssoise or in kids terms - 'cold potato soup'.

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Everyone can enjoy "two great tastes" in one dessert at West on Thursday: the cooks have put chocolate on your banana cake.

TUESDAY
toes, buttered biscuit, orange juice, chocolate pudding.

THURSDAY
Hot dog on bun, baked beans, apple sauce, cake.

FRIDAY
Fish patty, buttered bread, corn, fruit cup, peanut butter cookie.

MILLER MONDAY
Chicken & gravy, whipped potatoes, fruit cocktail, bread, butter.

TUESDAY
Frank on a bun, baked beans, pears, tollhouse bar.

WEDNESDAY
Twirly spaghetti, green beans, bread, butter, chocolate pudding.

THURSDAY
Super submarine sandwich, buttered vegetable, fruit compote, golden marble cake.

FRIDAY
PIZZA DAY

SMITH MONDAY
Sloppy joe on bun, tater tots, apple sauce, cookie.

TUESDAY
Hamburger on bun, mustard or catsup, corn, cookie, orange juice.

WEDNESDAY
Fish sticks, tarter sauce, buttered bread, peas, cookie, peaches.

THURSDAY
Hot dog on bun, mustard or catsup, french fries, jello with fruit, cheese sticks, cake.

FRIDAY
Oven fried chicken, mashed potatoes & gravy, roll and jelly, mixed fruit, cookie.

STARKWEATHER MONDAY
Chicken noodle soup, peanut butter & jelly sandwich, fruit cup, bars.

TUESDAY
Spaghetti with meat sauce, french bread, fruit cup, cookies.

WEDNESDAY
Grilled cheese sandwich, green beans, fruit cup, cake.

THURSDAY
Meat Loaf, potatoes & gravy, buttered rolls, fruit cup, cake.

FRIDAY
Hot dog, tater tots, fruit cup, cookie.

TANGER MONDAY
Macaroni & cheese, hot roll with butter, buttered green beans, chilled mixed fruit.

TUESDAY
Tacos, w/trimmings, hot vegetable, hot bread, butter, Benjamin Franklin Fruit Treat.

WEDNESDAY
Hamburger gravy o/mashed potatoes, bread sticks, jello, fruit.

THURSDAY
Hot dog on bun, relishes, confetti salad, choice of fresh fruit, roasted peanuts.

FRIDAY
Pizza w/cheese, corn, chilled pears, cookie.

CENTRAL MIDDLE MONDAY
Homemade bean soup, hot dog, relishes, vegetable sticks, fruit cup.

Hamburger on bun, pickles, buttered corn, fruit.

WEDNESDAY
Oven fried chicken, mashed potatoes, peas, cranberry sauce, french bread.

THURSDAY
Do-it-yourself tacos (2), vegetable, fruit.

FRIDAY
Inservice Day - NO SCHOOL

EAST MIDDLE MONDAY
Hot dog on bun, relishes, corn, fruit, banana cake.

TUESDAY
Sloppy joe on bun, green beans, fruit, cookie.

WEDNESDAY
Turkey roll, rolls and butter, mashed potatoes and gravy, fruit, oatmeal cake.

THURSDAY
Hamburger on bun, relishes, french fries, fruit or pudding, brownie bar.

FRIDAY
Fish sandwich, tarter sauce, peas and carrots, fruit, peanut butter cookie.

PIONEER MONDAY
Chicken in gravy or stuffed green peppers, cabbage & carrot salad, home-made roll & butter, fruit.

TUESDAY
Home-made chicken veg. or potato soup with crackers, sloppy joe on bun, choice of fruit, cookie.

WEDNESDAY
Tacos (Do-It-Yourself) Home-made roll & butter, buttered sauerkraut, Bernik cake.

THURSDAY
Pizza with meat & cheese, buttered corn, choice of fruit, cookie.

FRIDAY
Macaroni & cheese or goulash, home-made roll & butter, tossed salad, fruit.

WEST MONDAY
Beef-a-toni, green beans, bread sticks, choice of fruit.

TUESDAY
Stacked turkey sandwich, french fries, peaches or pears, cake.

WEDNESDAY
Pizza with meat and cheese, apple sauce, yellow cake.

THURSDAY
Hamburgers with trimmings, french fries, choice of fruit, chocolate banana cake.

FRIDAY
NO SCHOOL

SALEM-CANTON MONDAY
Hamburger gravy, mashed potatoes, vegetable, jello.

TUESDAY
Hot ham & cheese, pickles slices, vegetable soup, chips, assorted fruit.

WEDNESDAY
Goulash or Macaroni & cheese, salad, hot roll, butter, jello.

THURSDAY
Sloppy joe on bun, pickle, vegetable, chips, fruit.

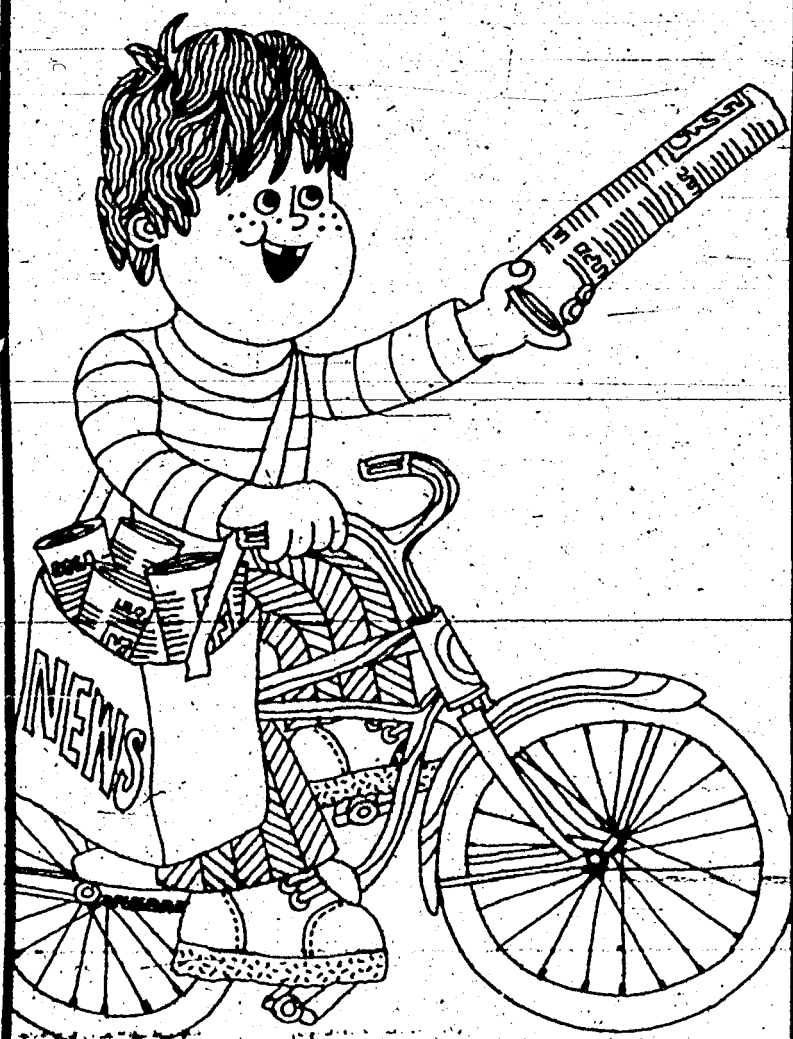
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Fish on bun, potatoes, vegetables, jello

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City's first woman cop no rookie to police work

BY DONNA LOMAS

Anne Herndon may be a newcomer to the City of Plymouth Police Department, but she's no rookie to police work.

The city's newest police officer worked on regular street patrol in Detroit for two years and did undercover work on the vice squad in Detroit. The 27 year-old police woman also worked in the Youth Section of the Detroit Police Department, where she received her initial police experience.

"I was part of a first experiment in Detroit to mix male and female classes," she said.

"It was a three-fold adjustment. Both the department and male rookies were getting used to 24 female rookies and we were getting used to them."

"The girls were trained like the men were," she said. "We had the physical training, the shotgun and the tear gas - the same training."

Mrs. Herndon says she was first introduced to police work while attending the University of Detroit. At 21, she was eligible for field placement with the Detroit Police and in 1973, after her training, she began working.

She is the first "real" woman police officer the City of Plymouth has ever hired. "Real" means with the training, certification and experience of a professional cop.

"Mrs. Herndon is altogether a totally qualified individual," said Chief Tim Ford when she was hired recently as the new Community Service Officer (CSO) for the city. "She is also, incidentally, a woman."

That seems to be where Officer Herndon wants the emphasis to be - police officer first, woman second.

The attention she has received because of the woman-police officer combination seems to embarrass her, but she



PLYMOUTH PATROL OFFICER Anne Herndon and Officer Robert Hendry on patrol in downtown Plymouth. Herndon was hired as the city's first certified woman officer last month. (Crier photo by Bill Bresler.)

acknowledges it.

"Everyone has to adjust," she said. "I am not the type to come barreling in and expect things to be done differently. It's a different setting, but it's the same type of adjustment as it was in Detroit: everyone has to adjust to each other."

But there are some differences that set her adjustment apart from other CSO's who have learned the ropes in Plymouth - like trying to find a right size in a police officer's hat and jacket, and making sure that the lockerroom is clear before she changes into uniform.

Officer Herndon came to Plymouth because she wanted her police career to become more service-oriented.

"I'm interested in learning more about service-oriented areas that will complement my police training in criminal

areas," she said. "It's nice to have time to do that."

Officer Herndon has been "walking a beat" downtown and has spent some time in the detective bureau, as well as patrolling by police cruiser on some shifts.

"It's been a little bit of everything, so far," she said.

Mrs. Herndon also sings with a professional singing group that produces a fully-choreographed, family-type show.

"It's just a bunch of people with careers who enjoy a professional outlet," the dark-haired officer said. "It's a nice pop music show with 12 singers and three musicians."

How does she sum up her new locale?

"Detroit was a good, positive thing for me," she said. "Plymouth will be positive, too. I like it."

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Lawton leaves school board

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and was replaced by Carol Davis, nominated by school board conservatives).

Since his reelection to the board, the board's complexion has changed dramatically. (It was the inevitable product of the community's rapid growth.)

"The most notable thing I see since I've been in public life, is the default of the people most qualified to run for public office in this community," Lawton said.

In his resignation letter, Lawton concludes, "... my hope is that many more of our qualified citizens will involve themselves in this area of our community life."

What does the future hold for Lawton?

For one thing, he was just appointed as a six-year member on Canton's new Economic Development Board. That role is nothing new, since he had served two years as president of the Plymouth Chamber of Commerce. While with the Plymouth Chamber, Lawton was

one of several local business and industrial leaders who organized the Industrial Development Corporation (IDC) "to turn the town around."

IDC was created to help the town recover from its loss of the Daisy Air Rifle Co., which moved to Arkansas. "The company-owned town had lost its company," Lawton recalled.

But most of Lawton's time (when he's not delivering lambs at 3 a.m. in one of his barns) is taken up with the Plymouth Community Federal Credit Union which arose from the ashes of the Daisy Air Rifle Credit Union in 1958.

In the last five years, the credit union has doubled in size, expanded its building, added drive-in service and opened a branch in Northville. Lawton can often be seen mowing the lawn, running errands or supervising the remodeling job at the credit union.

With Lawton's credit union office being located between the Plymouth-Canton School District offices and The Community

Crier building, critics joked about a tunnel into the school superintendent's office (occupied by his long-time friend John M. Hoben) and a pipeline into the newspaper's editorial offices. (Editor's note: No pipeline has been found into The Crier's editorial offices, and if there's a tunnel, it's not shown on the city engineering maps.)

Lawton will mark his 20th year with the credit union this June.

"I've seen a lot of changes - some good, some bad," he said. "I really have enjoyed it."

"I really don't know what direction I'll take now, but I'll continue to be active from a somewhat different angle. There are misgivings about leaving before the end of the term, but I've got so many things in the fire," he explained.

Even Lawton's resignation was in character. His decision was made before Christmas, but he held off, he said, because he didn't want to worry the other board members about having to fill his vacancy during the holidays.

Rocks nipped in thriller, 49-46

THE COMMUNITY CRIER: January 11, 1978

Beaten by Canton in the final minute three weeks ago, Livonia Bentley turned the tables on Plymouth and handed Salem its first loss of the season last night, 49-46, on the Rocks' court.

The Suburban Eight race is certainly in the early stages, but the Bulldogs have a small

leg up on Salem since the next meeting between the two will be at Bentley.

The Rocks had a three point lead with about three minutes to go, but a quick inside pass gave Chris Bollin an easy lay-up, and a fall-away jumper by Bentley's high scorer, Eric Thorderson, gave the Bulldogs the winning margin.

A turnover and a missed shot in the last minute foiled Salem's chances for victory.

Although Bentley had a considerable height advantage, the Rock guards penetrated well, but many crucial shots failed to fall.

Tom Ellinghausen, who led Salem with 17 points, sat out much of the fourth quarter with foul trouble and Salem missed his height.

Bentley is now 4-0 in the league and Salem's record falls to 4-1. Overall, the Rocks are 8-1.

John Broderick tallied nine points and Rich Hewlett added eight for Salem.

The score was tied 26-26 at halftime in the seesaw defensive struggle. The Rocks would have gone into the lockerroom behind if Tom Ellinghausen hadn't made a pretty three-point play as time ran out in the second period.

Chief cagers roll, 78-61

Starting slowly, the Canton Chiefs picked up momentum in a strong second quarter last night and went on to outrun a sluggish Farmington High basketball squad 78-61 on the victors' floor.

Junior guard Butch King, hitting consistently from outside, led all Canton scorers with 21 points, followed by Russ Mandle with 16 and Randy Reinas and Kurt Herbert with 11 each.

The Chiefs carried a 37-24 lead into the second half, held on at 50-44 after three quarters, and, as Coach Casey Cavell substituted freely in the waning moments, rolled up a 17-point margin.

"It was nice to have a cushion for a change," said Cavell, who put every healthy Chief into action.

The win evened Canton's season mark at 4-4, while non-league foe Farmington slumped to 3-7.

Jr. baseball meeting set

The Plymouth-Canton Junior Baseball League will hold an open meeting on Jan. 11, in Room 100 of Canton High School at 7:30 p.m.

The league needs parent volunteers to organize this year's program and anyone interested in participating is encouraged to attend this meeting.

Last year's returning managers and anyone interested in becoming a manager is asked to call: 'A' League, Jerry Stevens 453-0950; 'B' League, Vern Parks 455-4084; 'G' League, Bob Hodge 453-6975; 'E' and 'F' Leagues, John Anderson 453-2427.

Registration this year will be held on March 4, 11, 18 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the Canton High School cafeteria. There are maximum numbers of players established for each League, so register early!

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CANTON'S Brent Eckles (10) goes up for the lay-up while teammate Russ Mandle (foreground) fights for rebounding position in Canton's victory over Northville Friday. (Crier photo by Bill Bresler.)

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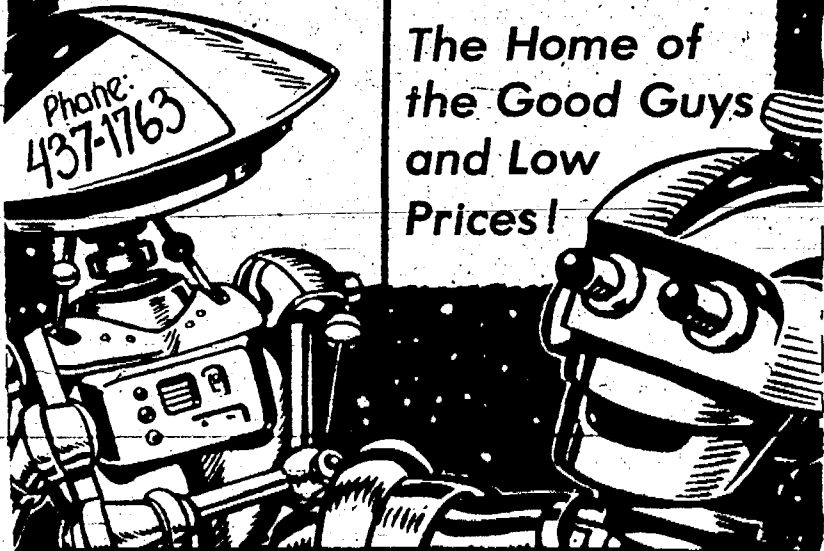
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Chiefs blow past N'ville

Canton's Butch King's 12 fourth-quarter points blew open a seesaw contest and the Chiefs went on to defeat Northville Friday, 61-50.

The Chiefs who have had their problems this year keeping control of a tight game in the final minutes looked in command Friday.

Using a delay offense in the final four minutes, Canton increased a five-point lead (52-47) to the 11-point bulge at the final buzzer.

King's hot hand was the main factor in the charge. The junior guard hit three field goals from about 10 feet and then sank six of six shots from the free throw line to account for the 12 points.

His hot shooting came after sitting out the third quarter since he had earlier accumulated four fouls.

Although the Chiefs used some good shooting at the end to pull away, Canton Coach Casey Cavell credited the team's defense with the victory.

"We controlled the game with defense," he said, "and we didn't foul near the end." Also, we were cold offensively early and the defense kept us in."

Northville lead at halftime, 28-25.

Right behind King in scoring was Randy Rienas with 16. Rob Mandle had seven and Brent Eckles chipped in six.

The victory puts the Chiefs in a tie for first place in the Western Six League with Waterford Mott, both with 2-1 records.

And the top spot will be on the line Friday when Canton travels to Waterford to take on the Corsairs. "They use both a fast break and a control offense, and they have an all-league forward in Kevin Heatherington."

Overall, Chiefs are 3-4, not including last night's contest with Farmington.

Rama chosen Titan Toddler

Andy Rama, a fifth grader at Bird Elementary School in Plymouth, has been named to the "Titan Toddlers," a group of 15 Detroit area youngsters that will perform at halftime at all University of Detroit

Selected at a tryout attended by more than 100 eight, nine and ten-year olds, the group will perform a nine-minute routine to the tune of "Sweet Georgia Brown" at all Titan home games.

Salem thrashes Trenton

The Rocks probably wanted a sterner test Friday from Trenton to prepare for Bentley and Belleville this week, but they're not complaining too much.

Salem annihilated Trenton 91-42 in a game in which the Trojans never had a chance. The Rocks' defense continually forced them into poor shots and Trenton didn't try to slow the game down to keep it close.

"I don't think they played very well," said Salem Coach Fred Thoman who started substituting heavily in the second quarter.

Eleven Rocks scored points, led by Tom Ellinghausen's 24 and Steve Horton's 16.

The Trojans were so stymied by the Rocks' defense that their first field goal didn't come until almost half way into the first quarter, at 4:11. By that time they were down by 11 and at the end of the first quarter the score was 17-5.

The Rocks didn't hold back either and build up a 31-8 lead into the second quarter.

Trenton tried to play catch-up with fast breaks but numerous bad passes and forced shots only allowed Salem to increase their already embarrassing lead.

The satisfyingly long list of Plymouth scorers goes like this: John Broderich, 11; Rich Hewlett, 8; Kevin Kelliher, 8; Mike Christie, 6; Matt Etienne, 5; Bob Hissom, 5; Dave Monk, 4; Doug Agnew, 2, and Barry Owens, 2.

The Salem junior varsity also won, 57-50.

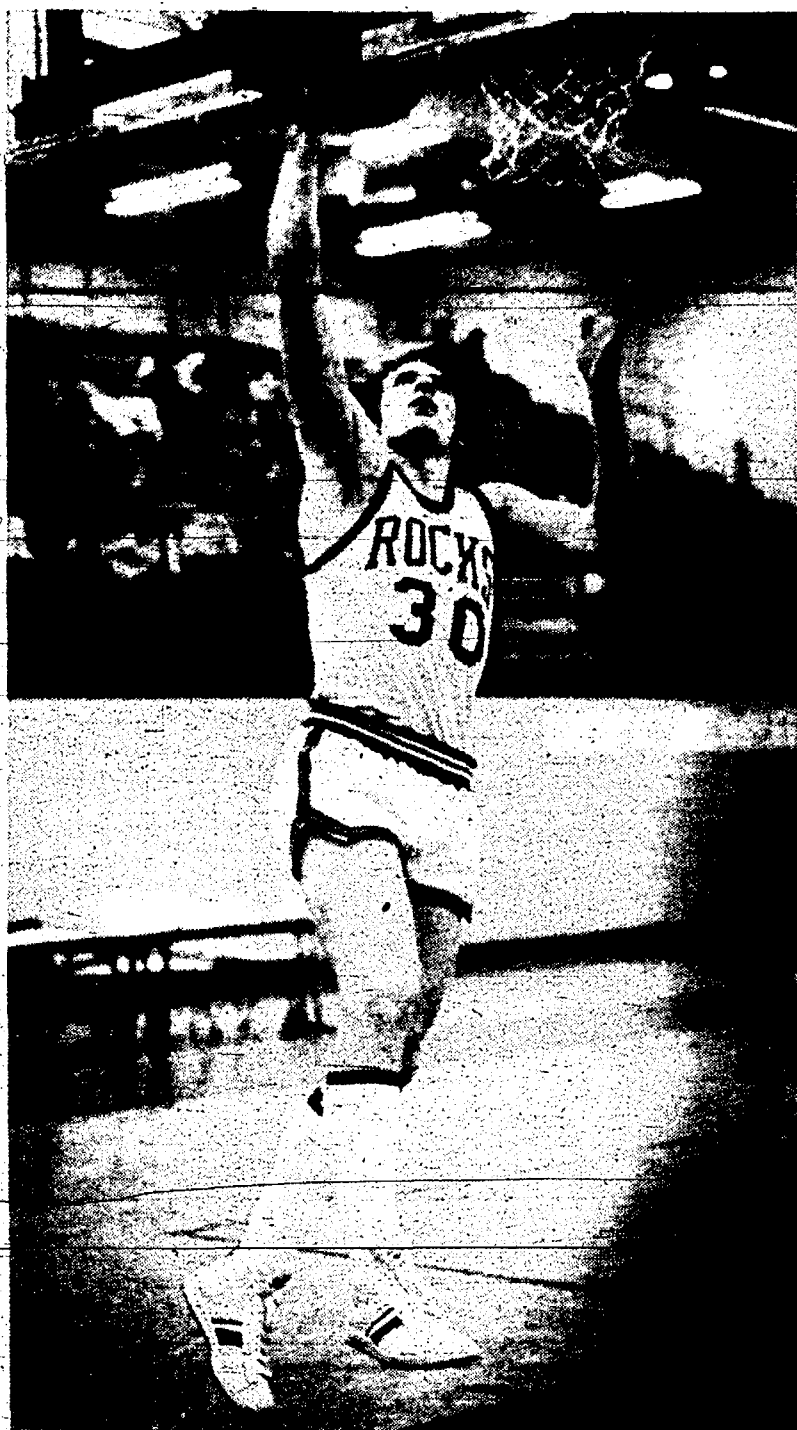
Friday the Rocks face one of their sternest tests all season as they go up against Belleville on the Tigers' court.

The Rocks have only beaten Belleville on their court once in the last four years although the two teams have split their annual two-games series in each of those years.

An added twist to the game

is that it falls on Friday, the 13th. For whom this will mean bad luck, time will tell.

After the victory over Trenton, the Rocks were 8-0 on the season.



ROCK guard Rich Hewlett drives for a easy lay up in the Rocks' easy win over Trenton Friday. (Crier photo by Bill Bresler.)

Rock boosters to meet

The Blue Chapter of Plymouth-Canton Booster Club will meet on Wednesday, Jan. 18 at 8 p.m. in the Salem Cafeteria.

The guest speaker for this evening's meeting will be Brian Gilles, Salem varsity baseball coach, who will review and answer questions about the baseball program at Salem High School.

All parents and fans interested in Salem sports activities are encouraged to join

us. Please call Jack Christie, 453-2406, for additional information.

Jr. cagers to play at Chief halftime

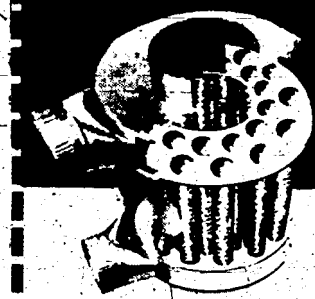
During halftime of the Canton-Harrison basketball game on Jan. 20, a team from the girls' third and fourth grade league of the Plymouth-Canton Junior Basketball Association will play an exhibition contest.



HANDS UP. Canton's Doug Smith (12) gets ready to grab a loose ball in action Friday against Northville. Randy Rinas (20) is also in on the play. (Crier photo by Bill Bresler.)

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Grace in action: Girl gymnasts prepare routines for new season

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A new varsity sport at Canton will make its debut Monday — girls gymnastics.

Girls interested in the sport could play on a recreation team at the school last year, but gymnastics has been upgraded to full varsity status and the team will play in the Western

Six. Coach Barb Wynne has three gymnasts from last year's rec team who look to be the mainstays of the upcoming campaign: Ledah Schrader, Leslie Bublin and Katy Heaton.

Bublin will probably be Canton's strongest all-around gymnast, with her strong events

being uneven bars and floor exercise, Wynne said.

Routines on the uneven bars require a lot of strength and endurance. The performer must often support her whole body weight with her hands and arms.

The floor exercise is a 60 second to 90 second routine of dance and tumbling accompanied by music.

Schrader is also strong all-around, with strong suits in floor exercise and balance beam.

A series of moves and positions on a narrow beam, the event requires excellent balance combined with coordination and grace.

Sophomore Heaton's specialties will be floor exercise and balance beam and vaulting.

"Vaulting requires good speed and a lot of guts to charge the horse and do the tricks," Wynne said. "The girls have to be dynamic and fearless."

Scoring of the events is similar to diving with both difficulty and execution taken into account.

Also seeing a lot of action for the Chiefs this season will be two ex-cheerleaders — Kathy Kiefer and Robin Radoye. Both will concentrate on vaulting and floor exercise.

Two girls are working on the uneven bars: Joan Hemingway and Anita Hulack; while Maureen Horahan's strength will be in the floor exercise.

Rounding out the team are Robbie George, Chris Eschker, Heather Hawkins, Kelly Harvey and Kim Hoffman.

Wynne, a native of Burnsville, Minn., competed on the Indian State gymnastics team and later worked as an assistant coach for her alma mater.

She is in her fourth year teaching physical education at CEP and has coached gymnastics at the Livonia YMCA for the last four years.



CANTON GYMNAST Katy Heaton works on her form in practice for the upcoming season. This is the first year for varsity gymnastics at CEP. (Crier photo by Bill Bresler.)



LEDAH SCHRADER of Canton does a leap off the balance beam. (Crier photo by Bill Bresler.)

Icers enjoy Sweden

Although the Plymouth Juniors went to Sweden to play hockey last week, the trip was much more than a series of games.

The Americans, aged 17-19, visited homes, saw the sights, met people, and for many, heard a foreign language for the first time.

"The best part was staying in Swedish homes," said Coach Pat O'Connell. "The people were fantastic."

Unfortunately, the Juniors didn't do as well on the ice rink as they did in meeting new people. The team lost all five of its games to local Swedish teams.

"We were totally out-classed," O'Connell said. "In fact, after the first game, many Swedish players skated for us."

The tour lasted from Dec. 16 through Jan. 5.

Tennis in winter?

Considering the weather recently, it seems a little odd to report a tennis match, but members of the Salem boys and girls tennis teams played in the first annual Chippewa Racquet Club Tennis Tournament this weekend.

Curt Schultz battled to the finals of the tourney but was defeated by Ann Arbor Huron's John Kamizar, 7-6, 6-4.

A number of teams participated, including Ann Arbor Huron, Ann Arbor Pioneer, and Ypsilanti, although no team scores were kept.

In other boys singles, Bob Braun lost to a netter from Huron in the quarter finals, 6-1, 6-3; Scott Crespo lost

in the consolation finals, 7-5, 6-3, to an opponent from Ypsilanti; and Craig Stevens lost in the quarter finals to a Pioneer player, 6-3, 6-0.

In girls singles, Kathy Horton lost in the semifinals to a Pioneer opponent, 6-0, 6-2; and Betsy Moon lost in the quarterfinals to another Pioneer girl, 6-4, 6-2.

In mixed doubles, Stevens and Horton lost in the quarterfinals to Huron, 6-3, 6-3 and Scott Crespo and Clarisse Hartnett lost to a pair from Huron, 6-2, 6-2.

Also, Schultz and Renee Braun lost in the semifinals, also to a Huron duo, 6-3, 6-1.

Chief volleyballers win opener

Being the first game of the season, the Canton volleyball team naturally didn't know quite what to expect.

Add that to an opponent with an unorthodox style — Farmington Harrison — and you've got some extra grey hairs on the coach's head.

Fortunately, the Chiefs edged the Hawks 17-15 in the first game and game back to smother them in the second, 15-4.

"They played a strange game," Coach Cindy Burnstein said. "They did things like spike from the last row and often not use three hits to get

the ball over. These things threw us off. It took awhile to adjust."

The Chiefs also had a serving problem because the contest was played with leather balls, not synthetic ones which they were used to in practice.

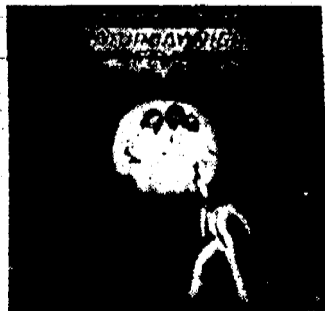
Kathy Sochacki overcame the serving problem, though, to score seven points in a row. "She had a great day serving," her coach said.

"Laurie Beck also had an excellent day all-around," Burnstein said. "She was very imaginative with her fakes and had some excellent spikes and serves."

"We still need some more teamwork," Burnstein said. We need confidence to play our game and not be shaken."

Since Harrison is in the Western-Six, the Chiefs are not only 1-0 on the year, but 1-0 in the league.

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Canton grapplers hurting

With four grapplers on the sick or injured list, the Canton wrestling team is definitely behind the eight ball.

Craig Lee, Scott Collings, Steve Penar and George Hamblin are all out of the line up and the result was a 45-21 loss to Waterford Mott Thursday and a lackluster showing in the Schoolcraft Invitational Friday and Saturday.

Kyle Heaton was the lone bright spot for the Chiefs, placing fourth in the 145-pound weight class.

His fourth was the highest a Canton wrestler has ever placed in the annual Schoolcraft affair, one of the major tournaments of the year.

Heaton drew a bye in the

first round and then went on to score two pins.

The second pin came in a match against a Wayne opponent who had a 9-2 lead going into the third period.

In his third match, however, Heaton lost a heartbreaker to a Bay City Western wrestler, 6-5. The Chief was ahead, 5-4, with five seconds on the clock, but his opponent scored a near fall for two points for the difference.

Heaton won his next match, 7-6, but lost in the consolation finals, 14-7, for fourth place.

No other Chief placed, although Dave Marsh won two matches and Dennis Howell, one.

Against Waterford Mott on Thursday, four Plymouth wrestlers won, although three of them came by pins.

At 100 pounds, Tommy Herral pinned Mott's Eric Lockhart at 4:53 to up his season record to 17-7. He has thus surpassed by two the record for most wins by a sophomore (15) set by Scott Collins.

Jeff Rey at 134 pounds pinned Brad Boyle at 3:03. Rey's record now stands at 15-6.

Another bright spot for the Chiefs was Sophomore Paul Mooney's pin of Rick Hendershot at 180 pounds. The win was especially impressive because Mooney was wrestling up a weight class.

"He's doing a heck of a job," Canton Coach Dan Chrenko said. "He's coming on strong."

At heavyweight Chuck Walker scored a one-point escape with one second on the clock to tally a 6-5 win over Mark Vance.

Warm-up, bowlers

The Canton Township Parks and Recreation Department in connection with the Super Bowl is now sponsoring the first Annual 45-15 Bowling Tournament. There will be participation patches and first place trophies given in all divisions.

If you have any questions, please contact the Recreation office at 397-2777.

Chief JV wins

The Canton junior varsity volleyball team lost its opening contest Thursday, 15-2, 9-15, 15-8, to Farmington Harrison.



SALEM GRAPPLER Roger Penix, right, in action Thursday against Livonia Bentley. (Crier photo by Bill Bresler.)

Dasher pins four at S'craft

After losing his first match in the Schoolcraft Invitational, Salem Heavyweight Bob Dasher stormed back through the consolation rounds to take third place and win the trophy for the most pins in the last time.

Overall, the Rocks finished fifth, their best ever showing in the 29-team field, which by any standard is one of the toughest in the state.

Dasher was defeated by Stu Hixom of Birmingham Groves in his first match, but on his way back from the upset he pinned four opponents. He even whipped Hixom on his way to a third place finish.

Three other Rocks won the consolation finals to take thirds: Jeff Brown, Steve Ernst and Rene Leist.

At 98 pounds, Brown beat the tourney's second seed from Thurston, but lost in the semifinals to a John Glenn wrestler, 14-12.

Brown staged an awesome comeback in the 14-12 loss, since he had spotted the Glenn opponent an 8-0 lead.

In the next round he pinned a grappler from Wayne Memorial, at 1:15, and beat Tom Arsenault of Thurston in overtime in the consolation finals for third place.

Overall, Thurston finished sixth in the meet, so the Rocks avenged a razor-thin loss to them in the recent Canton Christmas Tournament.

At 112 pounds, Ernst won his first three matches, but lost fell in the semifinals. Bouncing back, however, the sixth-seeded Ernst battled to a victory in the consolation finals.

Leist, in the 119-pound bracket, also won his first three matches but lost to Buddy Alot of Thurston in the semis. A 7-2 victory over a grappler

from Clarenceville sewed up third place for Leist, however.

Jimmy Ross, en route to a fifth place finish, lost to Mike Hindmarch of Annapolis, last year's state champion, by a slim one point, 6-5. Prior to that he won his first three matches.

In one of the toughest weight class in the tourney, 165 pounds, Wally Brown won two matches, but failed to place.

Bruce Piper at 178 pounds, finished sixth. "Bruce's weight class was also very tough," said Salem Coach Ron Krueger. Perennial power Wayne Memorial won the invitational, followed by John Glenn, Bay City Western, Ypsilanti and Salem.

Thursday, the Rocks thrashed lowly Bentley, 69-3. Eleven Salem grapplers scored pins in the Suburban Eight contest.

Junior basketball standings

January 7, 1978
BOYS "AAA"

Jazz	5-0
Suns	3-0
Lakers	2-1
Bucks	2-2
Celtics	1-3
Spurs	1-3
Warriors	1-3
Pistons	0-3

WEEKS RESULTS:
Suns 67, Celtics 62; Jazz 68, Spurs 39; Bucks 53, Warriors 51; Jazz 43, Warriors 38; Spurs 63, Bucks 47; Lakers 52, Pistons 51.

GIRLS "AAA"

Jets	3-0
Jays	2-1
Astors	0-2
Flames	0-2

WEEKS RESULTS:
Jets 46, Jays 32.

GIRLS "AA"

Stars	3-0
Hornets	2-1
Wings	1-2
Angels	0-3

WEEKS RESULTS:
Stars 19, Angels 17; Hornets 32, Wings 20.

BOYS "B"

National

Mustangs	4-0
Trojans	4-0
Pistons	3-1
76ers	2-2
Darts	2-2
Bulls	2-2
Warriors	1-3
Chargers	1-3
Nats	1-3
Royals	0-4

American

Bullets	3-1
Lakers	3-1
Sonics	3-1
Hawks	2-2
Bulldogs	2-2
Cougars	2-2
Rocks	2-2
Stags	2-2
Knicks	1-3
Celtics	0-4

WEEKS RESULTS:
Bullets 36, Hawks 33; Mustangs 32, Pistons 27; Cougars 25, Celtics 20; Trojans 40, Nats 32; Stags 35, Rocks 28; Darts 41, Royals 18; Lakers 57, Sonics 35; 76ers 38, Bulls 31; Bulldogs 50, Knicks 40; Warriors 40, Chargers 4.

BOYS "AA"

Spartans	1-0
Gophers	1-0

Hawkeys	1-0
Wolverines	1-0
Wildcats	0-1
Badgers	0-1
Buckeyes	0-1
Hoosiers	0-1

BOYS "A"

American

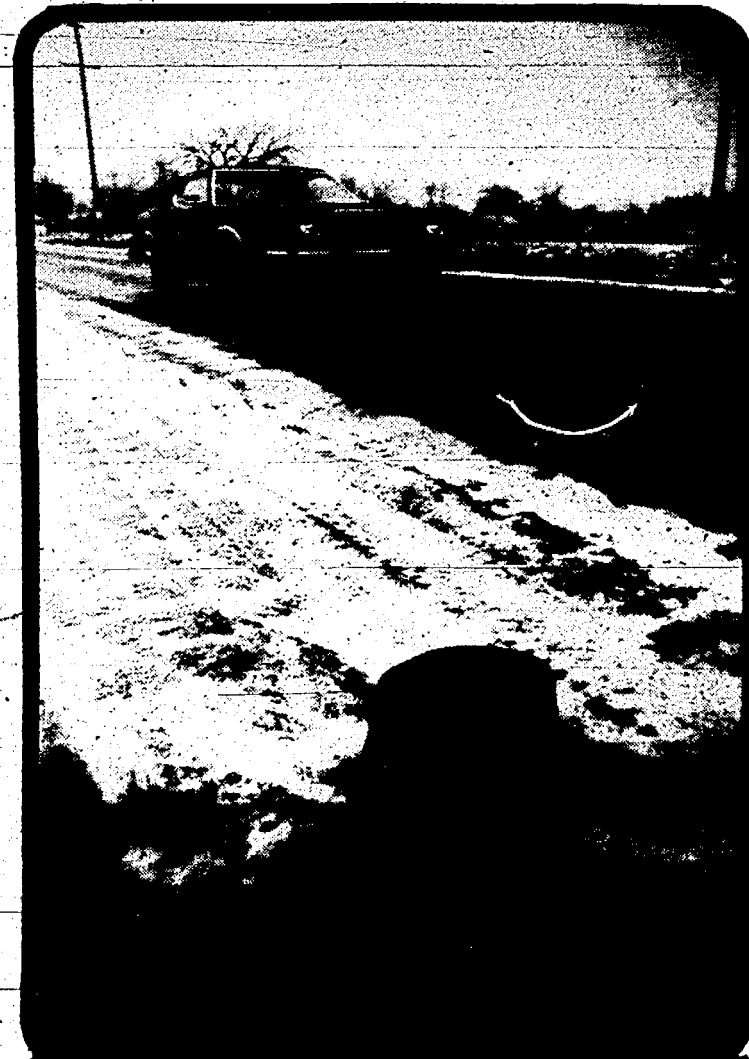
Chargers	3-1
Pistons	3-1
Knicks	2-1
Rocks	2-1
Bullets	2-2
76ers	1-3
Mustangs	0-4

National

Celtics	3-1
Royals	3-1
Warriors	3-1
Cougars	2-2
Lakers	1-3
Nats	1-3
Stags	1-3

GIRLS "B"

Angels	4-0
Flyers	3-1
76ers	3-1
T-Birds	2-2
Apollos	2-2
Hornets	2-2
Dolphins	2-2
Blues	1-3
Stars	1-3
Wings	0-4



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Rocks nip Braves

With the score tied 79-79, going into the last event, Salem's 400-yard freestyle relay team touched first to give the Rocks a 89-83 victory over Ypsilanti Thursday.

The team of Mike Etienne, Craig Hoffman, Jeff Harris and Craig Finley did the damage to Ypsi in the event, but Salem also finished third in the 400 freestyle relay to put icing on the cake.

The third place squad consisted of Charlie Spurlock, Scott Plagens, David Hopper and Tom Rubadue.

Chief spikers win

The Chiefs won their second volleyball game in a row Monday night, whipping Livonia Franklin, 15-7, 15-3.

Kelly Heaton played well, scoring on some powerful spikes and tallying 10 points on serves.

"It was a good meet for us," Coach Chuck Olson said. "A real morale builder."

The anchormen in the winning 400 relay, Finley, won other two events.

He took the 200-yard individual medley in a time of 2:09.9, and the 100-yard backstroke, 1:02.2.

Also in the 200 IM, Rob Kuebler finished third and Bob Simone copped fourth. Behind Finley in the 100 backstroke were Bruce Harwood (third), and Jeff Little (fifth).

Mike Etienne pulled off an unusual pair of victories in the 50-yard freestyle and the 500-yard freestyle. "I had to juggle the lineups a bit and Mike ended up at both the short and long-distance races," said Olson.

Rubadue did well overall, taking a first in the 200-yard freestyle and a second in the 100-yard freestyle.

In other events, Kuebler won the 100-yard butterfly in a time of :60.5 and Harwood took fourth, 1:07.8.

In the 100-yard breaststroke, Simone touched second, Harris was third and David Tsiang was fifth.

Behind one of the best, if not the best diving teams in the state, the Rocks finished fourth and fifth. Jim LaRich was fourth with 183.7 points and John Atkinson was fifth with 137.45.



CANTON'S Troy Haarala stroking to a Redford Union. The Chiefs whipped Redford third place in the 500-yard freestyle against Redford, 102-67. (Crier photo by Bill Bresler.)

Canton tankers swamp R.U.

The Canton swim team continued to roll, overwhelming Redford Union by a score of 102-67 on Thursday.

The victory moved their record to 3-0 overall.

"It was an incredibly easy meet," said coach Bill Faunce, "it was good experience for some of our younger swimmers."

Faunce moved some of his regular swimmers into different events to make opening for his freshman and sophomores. The Chiefs still dominated the meet with seven first place finishes.

Sophomore Paul Pederson turned in another good performance, picking up two firsts in the 100 and 200-yard freestyles with times of 52.8 and 1:51.1.

Dave Tanner also won two events starting off with a 24.0 in the 50 freestyle and a 5:29.5 in the 500 freestyle setting a new pool record.

The Chiefs made it a grand slam in the 500 freestyle with Keith Greenleaf finishing second with a 5:59.0 and Troy Haarala finishing third, turning in a 6:02.8. Both Pederson and Tanner do not regularly swim those events.

The 200 medley relay team of Bob Cline, Rick Flynn, Steve Wood and Doug Hetu finished on top turning in a 1:54.5.

Cline finished first in the 200-yard individual medley with a 2:14.0 and second in the 100 breaststroke with a 1:09.9 effort. Wood recorded his best time in the 100 fly for a 58.0 first place finish.

Mike Gaab took seconds in the 200 I.M. and 100 backstroke with times of 2:23.1 and 1:09.1 respectively, and in diving Steve Gray finished with a 150.9 point total for a second place.

The Chiefs have been working hard after their Christmas break with practices going twice a day, before and after school.

"Our swimmers are now going between eight and ten

thousand yards a day," said Faunce.

The Chiefs host league foe Northville on Thursday in what would be their toughest dual meet of the season.

"Many of the events should be real close. I expect it to go right down to the wire," said the Canton mentor.

The meet begins at 7 p.m. in the Canton pool.



STEVE WOOD, en route to winning the 100-yard butterfly for Canton against Redford Union Thursday. (Crier photo by Bill Bresler.)

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	Salem vs. Belleville	T	6:30
Tues., Jan. 17	Canton vs. Annapolis	H	6:30
	Salem vs. Edsel Ford	T	6:30
VOLLEYBALL			
Wed., Jan. 11	Salem vs. Thurston	T	7
	Canton vs. W.L. Western	H	7
Mon., Jan. 16	Salem vs. Ypsilanti	H	7
	Canton vs. Waterford Mott	T	6:15
SWIMMING			
Thur., Jan. 12	Salem vs. Edsel Ford	T	7:30
	Canton vs. Northville	H	7
Tues., Jan. 17	Canton vs. Harrison	T	7:30
WRESTLING			
Thur., Jan. 12	Salem vs. Trenton	T	6:30
	Canton vs. Northville	H	6:30
Sat., Jan. 14	Salem & Canton - Plymouth Invitational	Salem	11 a.m.
Tues., Jan. 17	Salem - Annapolis	T	6:30 p.m.
	Double Dual		
	Canton - Robichaud	T	6:30
	Triangular Meet	T	6:30
GYMNASTICS			
Mon., Jan. 16	Canton vs. W.L. Central	T	7

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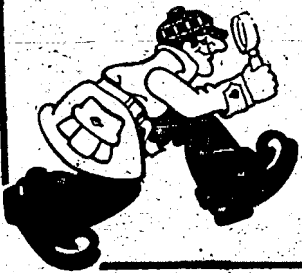
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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS

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A second public hearing will be held on January 24, 1978, at which time the Township Board will announce the Community Development projects to be submitted to the Wayne County Office of Program Development and Coordination.

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JOHN W. FLODIN
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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON BOARD PROCEEDINGS

A regular meeting of the Township Board of the Charter Township of Canton was held on Tuesday, December 13, 1977, at 7:00 p.m. at 128 Canton Center Road.

Present: Bradley, Daley, Flodin, Myers, Schwall, Stein
Absent: Goldsmith

The following items were added to the agenda:

1. Establish position of Grants Person and determine qualifications and method of selection.
2. Presentation of Rules for Police Department.

A motion was made by Bradley and supported by Myers and unanimously carried to accept the agenda.

A motion was made by Bradley and supported by Schwall to approve the minutes of the meeting of December 6th, 1977 as corrected.

A motion was made by Stein and supported by Myers and unanimously carried that the following people be appointed to the Building Board of Appeals:

Robert Wade - 5 Year Term
Robert Huth - 4 Year Term
Tom Stevenson - 3 Year Term
Francis Mitchell - 2 Year Term
Bruce Lanyoe - 1 Year Term

A motion was made by Stein and supported by Bradley and unanimously carried that the following people be appointed to the Canton Township Electrical Board:

Carl Trouteaud
Francis Mitchell
Melvyn G. Keshishian

A motion was made by Myers and supported by Schwall and unanimously carried to adopt the Mobile Home Ordinance No. 75, which was introduced and tabled on November 1, 1977, and published on November 30, 1977.

A motion was made by Stein and supported by Bradley and unanimously carried to award the bid for 1000 5/8" X 3/4" water meters to Rockwell International.

A motion was made by Flodin and supported by Schwall and unanimously carried to approve the split of Lot No. 3 of Canton Industrial Park No. 1.

A motion was made by Stein and supported by Schwall and unanimously carried to approve the site plan of Canton Machine Products located on Lot 4, Canton Industrial Park, with the addition of Handicapped Parking spaces.

A motion was made by Stein and supported by Myers and unanimously carried to refer the Noise Abatement Ordinance back to the Ordinance Department for additional information.

A motion was made by Stein and supported by Schwall and unanimously carried to establish the date of December 20th for a public hearing on the request to establish a Plant Rehabilitation District at 44052 Yost Road, under the provisions of Act 198 of 1974.

A motion was made by Stein and supported by Myers and unanimously carried to table the proposed ordinance to control operation of Mechanical Amusement Devices.

A motion was made by Stein and supported by Schwall and unanimously carried to accept the proposal and approve the increase in planning services performed by Impact, and recommended for approval by the township Finance Director.

A motion was made by Stein and supported by Bradley and unanimously carried to hold the next regular township Board meeting on Tuesday, December 20, 1977 in lieu of December 27.

A motion was made by Flodin and supported by Stein to approve the request for a Class C Liquor License at 41275 Ford Road.
Yes: Daley, Flodin, Stein
No: Myers, Schwall, Bradley
The motion failed.

A motion was made by Stein and supported by Bradley and unanimously carried to accept the resignation of Mr. Gus Matzo from the Planning Commission.

A motion was made by Stein and supported by Bradley and unanimously carried to appoint Robert J. Shefferley to fill out the remainder of Mr. Matzo's Planning Commission term to 12/31/77, and also to be appointed to a three-year term to the Planning Commission ending 12/31/80.

A motion was made by Daley and supported by Bradley and unanimously carried to approve the job description for the Parks and Recreation Superintendent, and to advertise and test for the position.

The proposed Rules and Regulations for the Canton Police Department from the Chief of Police were received by the Board.

A motion was made by Schwall and supported by Bradley and unanimously carried that an oral interview team consisting of the three people recommended by the Supervisor in his letter dated December 13, 1977 be set up, and follow their recommendations for filling the position of Grants Coordinator, since the Michigan Municipal League are not prepared for testing for this type of position.

The proposed Subdivision Control Ordinance will be considered for action at the next meeting.

A motion was made by Schwall and supported by Bradley and unanimously carried to adjourn at 7:50 p.m.

HAROLD STEIN SUPERVISOR
JOHN W. FLODIN CLERK

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

Notice is hereby given that a regular meeting of the Zoning Board of Appeals will be held on Thursday, January 19, 1978 at 7:00 p.m. to consider the following:

1. Consider the request of Marcello Building Company to build two houses at 49275 and 49365 Hanford, tabled for additional information on September 7, 1977.
2. Consider request for permission to raise cattle in residential area, 190 Haggerty Road, tabled at meeting of September 7, 1977.
3. Consider request for variance in sign ordinance to allow 20 square feet sign on property located on the east side of Lilley between Warren and Joy Roads and request for sign to advertise industrial property on the east side of I-275 south of Koppernick.
4. Consider request to operate a used car sales at 44625 Michigan.
5. Consider request for variance in front yard set back at 1609 Heritage Drive, Lot 156, Century Farms Subdivision, due to a surveying error.
6. Consider request for property split at 49850 Mott Road.
7. Consider request for variance in sign ordinance to erect two signs at Tamarack Green Apartment Complex, located on the west side of Lotz Road, north of Michigan.
8. Consider request for variance in sign ordinance to erect a sign at 8525 Lilley Road.
9. Consider request for variance in rear yard requirements to permit erection of a porch enclosure at 7737 Embassy, Lot 437, Sunflower Village Subdivision.
10. Consider request for variance in sign ordinance to permit erection of three signs on property located on the northwest corner of Michigan and Canton Center Roads.
11. Consider request for variance in side yard requirements to permit construction of attached garage at 42357 Addison, Franklin Square Subdivision.
12. Consider request from Smokler Building Company for permission to erect a temporary sign to sell eight models in Shiloh Subdivision.
13. Consider request for variance in rear yard requirements on Lot 25, Sunflower Village Subdivision No. 1.
14. To consider any other business that may come before the board.

JOHN W. FLODIN
TOWNSHIP CLERK

TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH BOARD OF TRUSTEES - REGULAR MEETING
DECEMBER 27, 1977

The meeting was called to order at 8:02 p.m. by Supervisor Notebaert, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance. Mr. Richard Gornick and Mrs. Helen Richardson were absent.

Mr. Breen moved that the minutes of the regular meeting of December 13, 1977 be approved as amended. Supported by Mrs. Fidge and carried with two abstentions.

Mr. Breen moved approval of the list of bills in the grand total of \$99,251.48. Supported by Mr. West and carried unanimously on a roll call vote.

CLUSTER HOUSING ORDINANCE

Mr. Breen moved to submit this proposed amendment to the BOCA Basic Building Code for review and possible adoption in accordance with the recommendation of the Chief Building Inspector, and the drafting of the proposed amendment by the Township Attorney. Supported by Mrs. Fidge and carried with Mrs. Kenyon abstaining as she had not had a chance to review Mr. Briggs's proposed amendment.

Mrs. Fidge moved approval of the Cluster Housing Ordinance and the adoption thereof. Supported by Mr. West and carried unanimously.

Mr. Breen moved the Ordinance LIII (53) pertaining to the parking of commercial vehicles be adopted and the proper publication be authorized. Supported by Mr. West and carried unanimously.

ACCEPTANCE OF CLEMONS SANITARY SEWER

Mr. West moved approval of the \$603.69 increase in the final contract price, final payment to Franciosi-Fanelli, Inc., in the amount of \$7,373.05 and of final acceptance of the Clemons Sanitary Sewer by the Township of Plymouth. Supported by Mr. Millington and carried unanimously.

Mr. Breen moved approval of the request of the Clerk for transfer of funds. Supported by Mrs. Fidge and carried unanimously.

James Gignac, Fire Chief - requesting approval to purchase 5 inch hose and adapter. Mr. Breen moved to table this item until the next Board Meeting which is January 10, 1978. Supported by Mrs. Fidge and carried unanimously.

Mrs. Kenyon moved approval of the Planning Commission's recommendation to grant the land split as requested by Mr. Luvisch - application No. 388. Supported by Mr. West and carried unanimously.

Mr. West moved to adjourn the meeting, supported by Mr. Breen.

Supervisor Notebaert adjourned the meeting at 8:50 p.m.

Approved: THOMAS G. NOTEBAERT
Respectfully submitted: MARY ELLEN KENYON DEPUTY CLERK

These minutes are a synopsis. Cassette Tapes of the meeting are on file in the Clerk's office.

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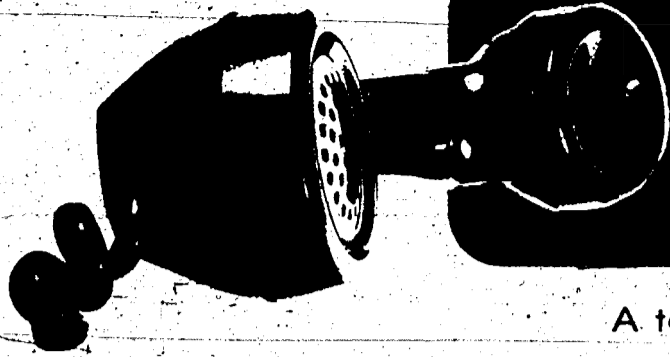
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