

Canton sues its own ZBA

BY CHAS CHILD

Local government often goes to court to settle differences, but Canton is the thick of an odd twist on that theme. The township administration filed last week against its own Zoning Board of Appeals.

The suit was filed to block a decision by the zoning board on Dec. 28 which granted a roof sign to a restaurant, the House of Woo, on Ford Road.

"The zoning board went above and beyond its authority," said Treasurer Jim Donahue. Roof signs are forbidden in Canton's sign ordinance.

However, Gary Sands, chairman of the five-member zoning

board, said that its power was not exceeded. "In case of hardship, the board has the power to vary the ordinance as long as the intent of the ordinance is followed," he said.

"On the restaurant's building there is no place for the sign to go (except the roof). There's no practical alternative," said Sands. "There will be no change in the silhouette of the building."

Donahue believes otherwise, however: "You have to have a superegood reason to grant a variance. The property must be worthless without a variance (from the sign ordinance) before the zoning board can

grant one."

Judge Charles Farmer of the Wayne County Circuit Court is scheduled to hear the case on Feb. 2. Sands said that the complaint filed against the zoning board asks the judge to answer questions about the board's authority.

"The lawsuit is regrettable, but maybe some type of legal action is the only way to solve this," he said. "However, I could envision a decision that wouldn't answer all the questions."

The township will pay the lawyers for both sides, said Sands.

After the zoning board granted the variance on Dec.

28, Donahue told the building department not to sign the necessary permit to the restaurant to erect the sign.

Sands said he was prepared to sign the permit himself, but Supervisor Noel Culbert obtained a restraining order from Circuit Court Judge William Cahalan on Jan. 15, a holiday (Martin Luther King Day).

This injunction blocks the zoning board's variance until it is settled in court.

"It's unfortunate we had to do it," said Culbert. "We could be wrong, and the zoning board could be right, but I feel we're right."

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Voters overwhelmingly OK millage

BY PATRICIA BARTOLD

Voters in the Plymouth-Canton school district supported a 6.5-mill-renewal bid by a 3 to 1 margin in a special election Thursday.

The final count showed 2,865 voters in favor of the renewal and 843 against it.

About 10 per cent of the estimated 38,000 registered voters in the district went to the polls.

"I believe the voters expressed their faith and confidence in us and I am pleased with the margin of acceptance by the voters," said Superintendent Mike Hoben.

The six-year renewal represents about 13 per cent of the district's operating budget and will insure funds from 1979 to 1984 for the district.

A poor voter turnout could be attributed to a lack of critical issues—such as a millage increase or trustees to elect to the school board—on the ballot, said Hoben.

Board of Education President Tom Yack called the

election results "super." He said he was not disappointed by the low turnout at the polls. Furthermore, he said, "We wanted the persons who are affected by the schools to show up at the polls and they did."

To pass the millage, an election committee focused on informing school employees and parents of the Jan. 18 election, said Yack.

A precinct - by - precinct breakdown of the voting shows:

Precinct	Spoiled	Yes	No
Cent. Mdl.	7	244	100
Gallimore	3	170	39
Isbister	3	230	84
Starkweather	2	114	70
Allen	0	233	97
West Middle	5	336	65
Farrand	3	283	93
Fiegel	2	176	59
Miller	4	229	33
Hulsing	3	219	59
Eriksson	0	127	34
Field	1	76	12
Canton High	0	260	65
Bird	3	138	33

Says Twp. union boss

Firemen aren't enough

The two firefighters hired by the Plymouth Township Board of Trustees two weeks ago, will not be enough to insure that the emergency phones will be handled at all times, said Chuck Van Vleck, president of the township firefighters union.

"It's a step in the right direction," said VanVleck, "but in a general alarm, both stations will empty of all regular firemen."

In this situation, the telephones will only be remanned when volunteers make it into the station. Supervisor Tom Notebaert has said that this interim period averages about eight minutes.

General alarms are called

for fires in homes and in industry, said VanVleck. During rescue runs or small fires like car fires, both stations will not empty, he said.

The township offered jobs to the three men on the civil service eligibility list, but one, Bruce Whitaker, has moved to Garden City, reducing the list to two.

"I can't believe hiring the men won't help," said Notebaert. "It will be the exception rather than the rule that the phones will be unmanned."

The supervisor said that the township plans to hire more full-time firefighters. He urged anyone interested to contact township offices.

The township is also looking for volunteer firefighters.



A 60-YEAR OLD resident of Ypsilanti was injured when a truck, driven by Willard Rowland, 23, also of Ypsilanti, ran a red light, said Canton police. Robert Diebold, 60, was

taken to Beyer Hospital in Ypsilanti. The accident occurred at the intersection of Canton Center and Geddes roads at about 9:10 a.m. Monday. (Crier photo by Chas Child.)

4 hitchhikers robbed

In what appears to be a recurring pattern, four persons in the Canton area have been recently robbed while taking rides from a group of young men, beaten, and left by the roadside, police report.

The first such robbery occurred Dec. 26, two more persons were beaten and robbed on Jan. 7, while the last victim was robbed early Monday morning.

After Brian Vogh of Wayne stuck his car in a ditch at Cherry Hill and Newburgh around 2:30 a.m. Monday

three men driving by offered him a ride, said Canton Det. Sgt. Larry Stewart.

He accepted, whereupon the three robbed him of \$46 and pushed him out of the car, said Stewart.

Claude Ouimet of Plymouth Road in Superior Township was similarly victimized on Jan. 7, said police. He was robbed of \$60 by five men who gave him a ride after his car became stuck in a ditch on Canton Center Road.

Also on that day, an 18-year-old Westland girl met a

group of five young men at Skateland West at Cherry Hill and Newburgh in Westland, said police. She left with them to go out for a drink, but they robbed her, punched her a few times and dropped her off at Vreeland and Prospect roads in Superior Township.

"All the crimes are similar but a little bit different, also," said Stewart. "The physical descriptions of the men don't match, but one or two are probably the same. But that's just a hypothesis."

Planners table plan Residents oppose new road

A plan to provide for a roadway along the rear of commercial properties on the north side of Ford Road between Lilley and Haggerty roads was tabled by the Canton Planning Commission Monday night.

Since these commercial properties are long and narrow

— about 1,300 feet long and averaging about 250 feet wide — it was proposed that the road be built to gain access to the rear portion of the strips. Now, commercial establishments use only the area of the properties close to Ford Road.

Some residents who abut

the rear of these strips, however, objected to the proposed road. "Landowners thought they would have woods, not industry, in their backyards when they bought their property," said one homeowner.

The commission tabled the proposal for further study.

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Snow Blues City needs more salt...

BY CHAS CHILD

The City of Plymouth is almost out of salt, and therefore is only spreading it on especially icy spots and stop sign areas.

"We're down to 10 tons (two dump truck loads), and we're saving it for emergencies," said Ken Vogras, director of the city's Department of Public Works.

"The roads are in good shape now, but if we get a big snow there'd be a problem," he said.

The shortage has two main causes, said Vogras. First, the barges which carry the salt across the Detroit River from Canada have been hampered by the ice on the river.

Second, the salt miners in Canada have been on strike. "I read today that the strike has been settled, so we'll probably get some salt later on this week," Vogras said Monday.

With the salt shortage, the city is not salting residential areas, unless there's an icy spot, said Vogras.

The city usually keeps about 200 tons of salt on hand, the limit of its storage capacity.

...Shovel those walks

"Merchants, clear your walks," is the message going out from the City of Plymouth.

Snowy sidewalks are "always a big problem. It's an annual event," said Police Chief Tim Ford. "The merchants are slow in clearing their walks."

Although police officers spent time last week warning businessmen to shovel their walks, no citations were issued,

said the chief. "Not yet, anyway," he added.

"Residents have also been slow in clearing their walks, but it's more important that the main walks of the city be safe," he said.

If cited for failure to clear the walks, a property owner could be subject to a \$500 fine. The city also has the authority to clear the walk itself and bill the property owner.

Fund to donate van

The YMCA of Plymouth, Canton and Northville received an \$5,000 grant from the Plymouth Community Fund Thursday for services for the elderly.

The bulk of the funds will maintain the van which transports seniors, while the rest

will aid homemaking visits to the elderly and other services, said Father Kenneth MacKinnon, president of the fund's board of directors.

"Funds from other sources to the Y were cut, so we decided the need was very evident for this extra money," said Fr. MacKinnon.



Betty Papin just arrived back from Las Vegas where she attended a National Cosmetologist Seminar.

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Schools face 7 expired employe contracts

BY PATRICIA BARTOLD
Negotiating teams representing the Plymouth-Canton school district were approved by the Board of Education Monday night.

These teams will be charged with hammering out seven new contracts with various employe groups whose contracts expire this summer. The groups include: teachers, cafeteria workers, secretaries, teachers' aides, bus drivers and workers, custodial workers, and school administrators.

Negotiating teams picked

An outside law firm will sit with the school district's team in working out a new contract with teachers, said Norm Kee assistant superintendent for employe relations. He acts as an information and liaison for the school district during negotiations.

The Detroit firm of Clark, Hardy, Lewis, Fine, and Asher,

P.C. was chosen as chief negotiators for the district with Dan White from finance; John Telford from secondary education; Barb Bowman from elementary education; Walt Bartnick from labor relations; and, special area consultants such as special education, athletics, etc.

Asked why the school

district asked to have an outside law firm sit at the negotiating table, Kee said, "With more than 800 teachers in the district, managing negotiations and the normal flow of work in the business office was too much."

Furthermore, he said his role as chief negotiator and assistant superintendent for employe relations conflicted.

Meanwhile, John Ryder, president of the Plymouth-Canton Education Association, said he was "disappointed to

see an outside firm named as part of the team."

The primary team for teachers' contract negotiations will be supported by a consultation team made up of Kee; Mike Hoben, superintendent; Ray Hoedel, assistant superintendent for business; and, Mike Homes, assistant superintendent for instruction.

In negotiating with the six other groups, Bartnick, assistant for labor relations in the district, was named as the
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Builder crackdown pondered

If a builder in Canton repeatedly fails to complete homes, should the township bar him from further construction?

Supervisor Noel Culbert thinks so and has asked the Board of Trustees to hire an attorney to draft an ordinance to permit it.

"It's a severe problem," said Culbert. "We have some builders who repeatedly present a problem." He declined to name them, however.

The supervisor said he contacted a lawyer in the Attorney General's office who informed him that such an ordinance would be proper if "it does not interfere with licensing and regulations of the State of Michigan."

Under the program, the township would withhold building permits or inspections from builders who don't complete repairs on new homes or who build "inadequate" homes.

The program would be administered by the township building department, said Culbert. "We would have to increase the staff," he said. "In fact, it is understaffed now."

The township would have to enforce the ordinance with discretion, he added. "It would be a matter of degree. If the builder repeatedly violated it, then you'd take action."

Culbert's recommendation was sent to the board Jan. 18.



Crier wins 5 awards

THE COMMUNITY CRIER was honored with five awards in the Michigan Press Association's 1978 newspaper contest. Crier Photo Editor Bill Bresler, above left, took first place in the Best News or Feature Picture category. The winning photo, right, was taken during Plymouth's flood in May. Put on the Associated Press wire, the photo was printed across the nation. Bresler and the Crier also finished second in Best Use of Pictures. Editor Chas Child, above right, who was sports editor during the contest's tenure, won a third prize for Sports Coverage. Other Crier honors include a third in Best Advertising Campaign (1978's Bridal Section) and third in Best Special Section (last year's Women's Section). All prizes were awarded in The Crier's category - weeklies throughout Michigan with more than 15,000 circulation.



Michigan's No.1 photo

New lots in Windsor approved

A request to rezone about six wooded acres around the corner of Morton-Taylor and Warren roads to permit 23 single-family lots was recommended for approval by the Canton Planning Commission Monday night.

The corner of the acreage, about one and one-half acres, will remain commercial.

As part of the motion granting Developer Dick Lewiston the single-family lots, the commission stipulated that a wall be built between the lots and the commercial property, the sidewalks along Morton-Taylor and Warren in Windsor Park subdivision be completed, and the area between the new lot sites and the two roads be landscaped.

A motion by Commissioner Dan Richardson that Lewiston set aside at least two of the 23 new lots for a tot park was defeated by the commission 6-1. Only Richardson voted "yes."

Lewiston did say, however, that he would try to preserve as many trees on the parcel as possible.

Construction of the addition to Windsor Park will probably begin in May, and Crescendo builders will erect the homes, he said.

The commission's recommendation to rezone the property from commercial designation to residential will be forwarded to the Board of Trustees for its approval.

Two Canton High youths charged with robbery

Two Canton High School youths are charged with the theft of about \$2,000 worth of stereo and sound equipment from Pioneer Middle School and about \$800-\$1,000 of industrial arts supplies from Canton High School.

The two boys, who are about 14 or 15 years old, are charged with receiving and concealing stolen property over \$100. Michigan State Police Trooper Darell Seering, who investigated the case with Trooper Jack McAllen, declined

to release their names. According to Seering, the two teenagers were apprehended on Dec. 21, 1978, after

police had questioned a third youth on an unrelated charge.

This youth admitted hearing that some of the equipment

was at another boy's house, said Seering. After checking the serial numbers on the equipment, Seering identified

it as stolen school property.

Pioneer Middle School equipment missing included: a black and gray cabinet speaker valued at about \$300 and a TAPCA anvil case with a three power amplifier and sound mixer valued at \$1,700.

Missing from Canton High School was: an industrial sander; a three-inch belt sander; an Acetylen torch and tank; four gram scales; and a welding torch and kit for plastics. The estimated value was \$800 to \$1,000.

Racquetball coming to city?

A Troy developer has approached the City of Plymouth about the possibility of building a 14-court racquetball center on Main Street.

City Engineer Ken West said that Carl Messer has

purchased property across Main from Kroger grocery store and asked about city codes and requirements.

If built, the project could nix a plan by City Manager Fred Yockey to construct an addition to the Cultural Cen-

ter to house racquetball courts.

"We can't have two," said Yockey. "I think more people would use the Cultural Center facility in the long run, but private enterprise is important."

City ponders solutions to parking crunch

BY W. EDWARD WENDOVER

Some 14 suggestions for improving the City of Plymouth's public parking system were endorsed in concept by the City Commission Monday night.

Among the proposals made by the city's parking commission and endorsed by the city commission were:

*Spreading the principal costs of property used for parking over a longer period of time.

*Crediting increases in the Central Business District (CBD) tax revenues through increased development to the parking fund. (City Commissioners Beverly McAninch and Mark Wehmeyer opposed this move.)

*Enforcing parking fees and fines more stringently, including the hiring of a parking ordinance enforcement officer using federal CETA funds.

*Crediting revenues from parking fines to the parking fund.

*Continuing the past policy of requiring parking "credits" from new businesses. (The city's ordinances relative to selling these parking credits is currently being changed.)

Those were some of the 20 suggestions made by the parking commission which, Monday night, was charged with developing a parking

system proposal which would be financially feasible.

Among the proposals from the parking commission which were not endorsed in concept by the city commission were:

*Requiring all employers in the CBD (including existing businesses) to provide employee parking or purchase non-prime spaces from the city for employee parking. City Attorney Chuck Lowe said there are legal difficulties in requiring existing businesses to comply with such a move.

*Renting parking spaces by special arrangement during off hours (such as the Central Lot for valet parking).

*Placing a five-year moratorium on the current city accounting practice of spreading city management charges across the parking fund like all other funds.

The parking commission was also asked to investigate the possibility of forming a parking authority for the city. Under Michigan law, such an authority could have taxing powers.

Harold Guenther, chairman of the parking commission, said the panel would study both the financial aspects of a system and the authority route further.

He told the city commission that the panel hoped to formulate a parking system which would be totally independent - "one we expect will pay its way."

Jim Jabara, vice chairman of the parking panel, said of the proposals given to the city commission, "We're trying to build something so the parking system can carry itself."

McAninch argued, in discussing several of the proposals, that the city's general fund would be hurt by removing parking revenues or by providing additional services for parking.

Jabara countered, "Everything that comes out of the general fund will come back many times over if the downtown develops as it has in the last five years."

Ralph Lorenz, owner of the Mayflower Hotel, asked the city to adopt a parking system that gives everyone "a fair shake." He said the current system "gives the red carpet treatment to one customer and the jail to another."

Margaret Wilson, owner of the Penn Theater and past president of the Plymouth Chamber of Commerce, said the chamber endorsed the parking commission's proposals. "Availability of adequate parking is vital to commercial expansion," the chamber's resolution said.



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Gambling to raise money for Old Village

Members of Plymouth's Old Village Association aren't millionaires but on Saturday night they held thousands.



Gambling the night away



Vegas in Plymouth

LAS VEGAS IN PLYMOUTH. Members of the Old Village Association brought a little of the Las Vegas action to the Plymouth Hilton on Saturday night as they gathered for the

millionaires party. Here black sharker Gary Stone deals some lucky and some not-so-lucky cards to players. (Crier photo by Steve Settles.)

ABOUT 250-300 persons gathered for Las Vegas Night at the Plymouth Hilton on Saturday. The event, sponsored by the Old Village Association, raised money to help support shops and commerce in Old Village. (Crier photo by Steve Settles).

Union movement growing in city?

Will the City of Plymouth's department heads unionize?

Such a move has been discussed, according to city department heads. However, no organizing cards were filed with the city.

City Manager Fred Yockey acknowledged that he had heard of the unionization discussions, but said, "We have resolved our problems. Everything is fine now."

Plymouth-Canton School District Administrators have formed a union and are currently serving under their first union-negotiated contract.

Tax help offered

Free tax assistance to senior citizens is offered by the Plymouth-Northville chapter of the American Association of Retired Persons.

President Fred Bradley said a team of 10 members has completed a four-day training course in the preparation of federal and state income taxes. After Feb. 1 a schedule of preparation dates will be released.

There will be no charge for this service and no appointments are necessary. Seniors can walk into a tax center after schedules are completed. For more information call Fred Bradley at 348-2909.

Lamps purloined

Lamps and shades worth about \$577 were stolen from the Wayside Gift Store, 820 Ann Arbor Tr., sometime between Jan. 7 and 16, police report.

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Millage renewal passes in low voter turnout

As school officials hoped, Plymouth-Canton voters passed a 6.5 millage renewal in Thursday's election.

But the voter turn-out was small and the number of voters who went to the polls is indicative of the tone of campaign. It was low-key.

The final tally showed 3,744 voters who represented about 10 per cent of registered voters in the district. Compare this figure to the more than 6,000 persons who voted in the April 27, 1978 election and the more than 9,000 voters in the June 12, 1978 election.

Why was the turn-out so poor?

An election committee, composed of 19 persons, gave out information about the millage renewal bid. Of this committee, 15 persons are employed in the Plymouth-Canton school district. Of the remaining four members, three of them have children who attend school in the district. The 19th member, Jackie Westbay, represented the League of Women Voters.

The committee emphasized three objectives in a report given to the Board of Education on Jan. 8. They were: "to emphasize renewal keeps the present millage rate . . . to emphasize a positive approach . . . to emphasize reaching parents and school employees."

To pass the millage, the committee sent a letter to parents and school employes explaining the renewal bid and then tucked voting reminders into school employes paychecks before the election.

This way of passing out information ignored citizens who aren't employed by the district or those without kids. Senior citizens, single persons, and married couples with kids either too old or too young to attend school were left out.

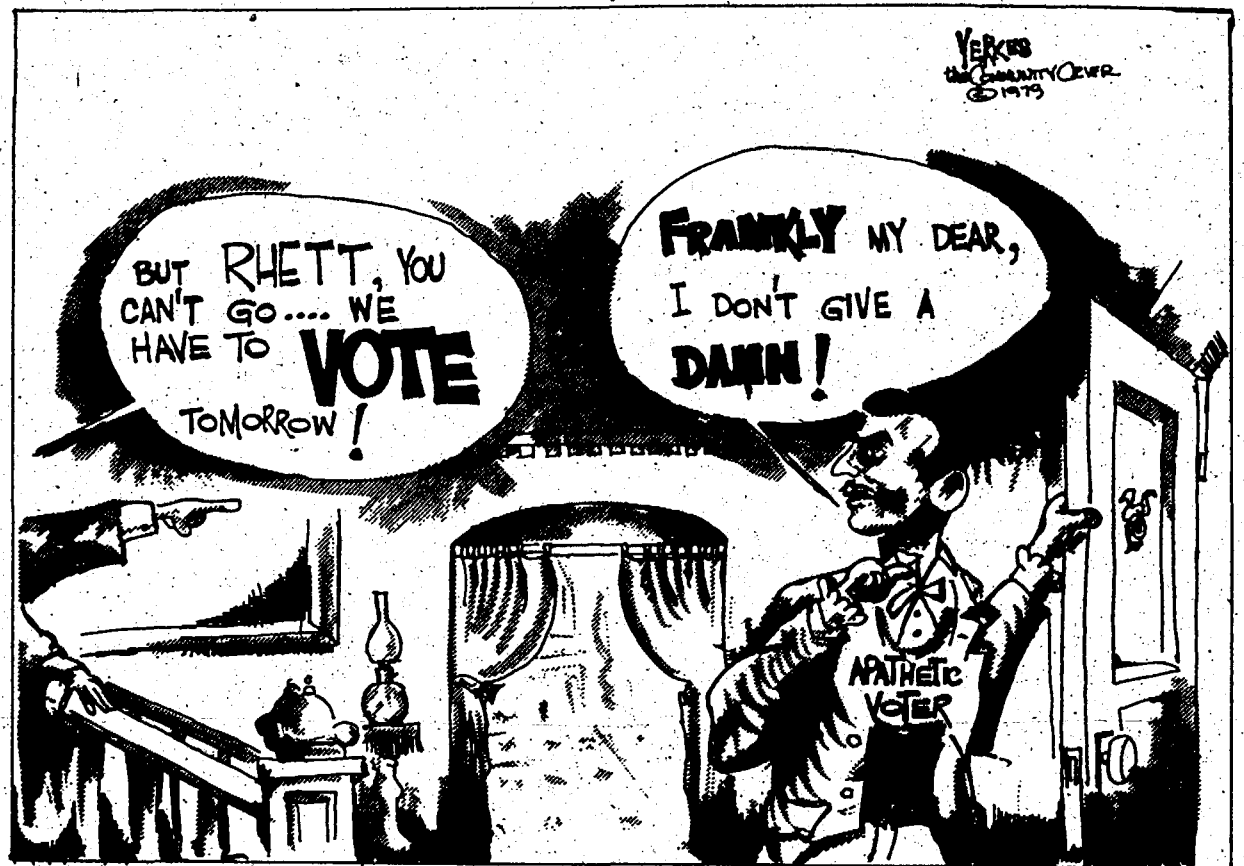
These persons are taxpayers too. They support schools with their taxdollars just as parents do. They deserve the same kind of information parents and employes received in the mail, through the Parent-Teacher Organization or in their paychecks.

Stacking the voting booths with parents and employes kept the chances for the renewal bid to succeed higher. After all, those two groups would be most directly affected by a cutback in programs and they are more sympathetic to a renewal bid.

However, support for the school district comes from every citizen and a renewal election committee should aim to reach every voter in the district - not just parents and employes.

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Did schools run limited campaign for 'yes' votes?



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Selfish kids in town?

EDITOR:

A great big "No Thank You" to the high school kids on my street.

These are the ones that walked right by me, noses in the air, while all I needed was a little push to get my car out of a snow bank. It use to be the kids on this street were thoughtful people. Now we have a lot of bad language and no thought for the other person.

I hope someone will help your mother when she gets into a tight spot and she doesn't run into the likes of you.

NAME WITHHELD BY REQUEST

Twp. plans questioned

EDITOR:

Regarding Plymouth Township's expansion of Township Hall, the following questions come to mind:

What is the scope of the renovation and addition?

What does the \$9,250 fee pay for? (Is the bid defined?)

Thirty-one and one-quarter weeks is long work period for \$9,250 fee.

For budget purposes what is the square foot cost of the addition and what systems are included?

The amount of differences in fees stated by various architects indicates information submitted to the architects was in variance or inadequate especially in view of the fact that the higher numbers come from very reputable firms.

I have no preference as to the selection of the architect but merely what the architect is doing for the township.

NAME WITHHELD BY REQUEST

Urban sprawl inevitable?

The Plymouth-Canton community, along with many other communities in the country, is attempting to manage urban sprawl. It is likely that this community will be faced with this problem more and more in the near future.

Up until now, Plymouth-Canton has struggled to keep the community small and rural. In that setting, the people in the community have a feeling of being in control of their own destinies. But, that is gradually changing.

With the new freeways that connect this community to the growing metro area and the rate at which real estate is being gobbled up for expansion, it will be harder and harder for Plymouth-Canton to remain independent.

Pressure from the outside is likely to increase in the near future. More and more, officials will be called upon to make decisions about development in the community that could in the long run change the face of the city.

With each new freeway or shopping mall come vast changes in the way we will live our lives in the future. This political and economic give and take will likely continue for some time.

While there is value in the community remaining small, which gives people a sense of control over their own lives, it is probably fighting a losing battle in the long run.

It would be nice to see small, independent communities survive in the face of expansion. But, the chances of that happening are slim. Social planners predict that by the 1990's if not sooner, giant cities will spread to connect large cities into vast urban complexes.

Already, we are heading towards a giant urban complex stretching all the way from Detroit to Flint and out to Lansing.

In the face of this change, the likelihood of small communities surviving is small indeed. Try as they may,

they will eventually be gobbled up into larger systems.

Although it does seem inevitable that we will all eventually live in giant urban complexes that will place greater demands on our freedom, it would be hoped that we would not totally lose our independence or freedom of choice.

It is ironic that urban development can bring greater freedom and comfort to people, but, it can also create a system so large that a person begins to feel like a mouse in a corner.

LARRY BOLENBAUGH

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Spa hurts neighborhood

EDITOR:

How by any stretch of the imagination can a Male Health Spa, be allowed as "Light Industry"? That is one of four businesses that have gone into a complex at the end of Irvin Street, and allowed by a Zoning Board of Appeals on Dec. 18.

The business was already operating! At that same board of appeals meeting a business-woman who was putting in a drapery and wallpaper shop on N. Mill Street was asking to put up a wood and shrubbery fence between her business and the home behind her instead of the concrete wall that is required by law in a business district.

But this complex of "light industry" doesn't have to erect anything but a chain link fence between it and the homes surrounding it. Further-

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more, they don't even have to erect that until spring.

This industrial complex does not have enough parking for the cars that frequent the 20 exercise stations in the Health Spa, much less any future businesses, but that doesn't seem to matter to the city. The males who frequent the spa can park on the street, or in the alley, all hours of the day and even after midnight.

There are many questions running through my mind about all this, but the most puzzling is why a supposedly new business would want to start in the remotest possible

north-west corner of the city instead of in the business district?

How have they attracted so much business so quickly, with no advertising, and not even a sign on the front of the building?

If that is the first business in that complex what will the other three be?

With that kind of neighbors, the only possible way to recoup the money I've invested in my home would be to rent or sell to a massage parlor or brothel and have the rest of the Eight Mile Road types in the same neighborhood.

Already there are two young males from the subdivision, ages approximately nine who are encouraged to hang around the business.

NAME WITHHELD BY REQUEST

Wake up, city residents

EDITOR:

I am a young mother, with a daughter five years old. I'm living temporarily with my mother, and I'm very frustrated by what has happened to this quiet residential neighborhood (Arthur Street in Plymouth).

When they began building an industrial complex behind her home, she was notified, and found to her dismay that the whole area from Farmer Street north to the C&O Railroad is zoned "Light Industry" and she was the only one of the homeowners in the area who showed up at the hearing.

Also the only homeowner who showed up for the Zoning Board of Appeals hearing, in December (I went with her

but my opinion doesn't count) when they OK'd an all male "Health Spa" which had already been installed and operating as the first business in the complex before they even held the zoning board of appeals. It was just a formality.

She also found that although business, no matter how dignified in the business district, are required by law to erect a concrete wall fence between themselves and any residential area adjoining their property, this "Light Industry" doesn't have to erect anything except a chain link fence between themselves and adjoining residences. Furthermore, they don't even have to erect that until spring. Why?

Let the other homeowners in the area north of Farmer, on Arthur, Adams, Ann, Blunk, Harvey, Irvin, Pacific, etc. beware, it could happen to you too.

You could wake up some morning and find they are building another complex to house businesses such as they have along the Eight Mile Strip, without any protection from the city, and not even a wall to protect your small children from the customers who roam in and outside the building at all hours.

Customers have been seen still in the area at 1:30 a.m. It's a flourishing business, in the remotest area of the city, without even having to advertise. Where are their customers coming from?

NAME WITHHELD BY REQUEST

(Editor's note: According to the city zoning map, light industry is designated north of Junction, not north of Farmer.)

ing trustee pay 200 per cent more. That also passed.

GARY ROBERTS

Is Culbert joking?

EDITOR:

Culbert, Greenstein, Donahue, where are you coming from?

Mr. Culbert makes statements that I can't believe, is he serious or joking? If he is joking, his timing is bad and not in good taste, you be the judge.

Directed to the business people of Canton, at the sign ordinance hearing, (Mr. Culbert opposes the new sign ordinance) Mr. Culbert, quote "we aren't shifting you, not tonight."

Mr. Culbert made remarks referring that the Canton seniors coordinator was babysitting the seniors.

Mr. Greenstein, the dictator or known as the Puppet Master. He wants no new business, no signs, don't help old businesses expand and no development. Let's be hard on process.

Mr. Donahue, the man who was going to cut spending, and was "mad as hell."

Mr. Donahue introduce rais-

Child's play

By Chas Child



When a problem arises in Canton, its officials have rarely hesitated to run to their lawyers to settle it, despite the hefty fees that follow. This legal reflex backed the township into a ridiculous predicament recently, however. Canton is in the peculiar position of suing itself.

The township administration is going to court to reverse a recent ruling by the Zoning Board of Appeals that granted a roof sign to a restaurant, The House of Woo.

"Roof signs are prohibited by our sign ordinance," said Supervisor Noel Culbert, a lawyer himself. "It's the principle of the thing."

Treasurer Jim Donahue had even stronger words: "The ZBA has repeatedly acted outside its authority. This is not the first time this has happened. Going to court is the only thing we can do."

Actually, it's not the only thing Culbert and Donahue can do. Running to the courtroom is a poor substitute for both the administration and the ZBA sitting down to work out a solution.

The administration says that the authority of the ZBA must be defined. But the court in this case will probably keep its ruling confined simply to whether or not the House of Woo should get a roof sign. Culbert and Donahue will be right back where they started, with no rules to guide the ZBA's actions.

No, Canton needs some old fashioned politicking, in the good sense of that word. Both sides need to sit down with a large pot of coffee and wrangle out their differences. The spirit of cooperation (a rare commodity in Canton politics) would be necessary, but in the end a solution may arise.

The alternative to this approach - the courts - is less sure, and more expensive.

WAW WITH ALICE

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By W. Edward WENDOVER



You should note, (with amazement), that you're reading your weekly edition of The Community Crier on time.

We paperfolk are accustomed to getting you the local news promptly every week and frequently forget just how many things can go wrong.

After last week, however, The Crier folk and Friends are fully reminded of how difficult it is to get out a newspaper.

You see, we moved The Crier to Main Street last week.

And even despite the complications of such a move, you're reading this week's paper on time. That, friends, is no small accomplishment.

Only through the super-human efforts of the following folks and through the patient understanding of their spouses, friends and lovers did we publish on schedule:

NON-STAFFERS: Jeff Horton, Ruth and Joe Eves, Mary Toth, Mark Ferraiuolo, Randy Williams, Brian Watkins, Kim Allen, Brian Arp, Alice Sonnenburg, Craig Brass, Don W. Bidwell, D.R. Bidwell, Lefty Bidwell, Bob Delaney, J. L. Hudson, Norm Ruehr, Jean Wendover, Jack England (et al), Gary Van Buren, Richard Steele, Cary Skoglund, Janet and M. David Campbell, Dave Campbell, Wendy Stowell and sons and Matt Norris.

STAFFERS who not only manned and womanned paint brushes but typewriters as well during the week were: Mike Carne, Bob Cameron, Chas Child, Phyllis Redfern, Melanie

Robinson, Bill Bresler, Fran Hennings, Pat Steele, Pat Bartold, Nancy Krebs, Cynthia Trevino, Diana Houle and Karen Sanchez.

Without the unselfish efforts of those folks, you may not have been reading your local newspaper right now.

It seems like a lot of folks asked, "The Crier is moving again?"

Granted, this is our third move in the less than five years we've been in publication - and believe us, it gets harder every time.

But The Crier's growth has necessitated larger and better quarters each year. Proudly, we were able this time to move into housing purchased for The Crier's needs in serving the community.

"Fleet Street", named after the legendary London street where the British press is headquartered, is located at 1226 S. Main St. (two blocks north of Ann Arbor Road) and will serve the needs of the community's media for years to come.

Watch for details of The Crier's upcoming open house or - if you don't want to wait - stop in when you're driving by. (Please don't mind our continuing to work out of cardboard boxes until we get settled.)

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Business is wary of plan to register Canton firms

BY CHAS CHILD

A proposed ordinance in Canton that would require all businesses to register with the township is drawing close scrutiny from the business community.

"I would be apprehensive about any licensing ordinance," said Mary Perna, president of the Canton Chamber of Commerce. "I wonder whether it will be used for restrictive purposes."

As tentatively proposed, the ordinance would bar any business from operating without a license issued by the township ordinance department and approved by the Board of Trustees.

The application for the license would require such information as: the full names, addresses, and telephone numbers and drivers license numbers of each officer if the applicant is a corporation; and "the nature, character and quality of the goods, wares, merchandise or services to be sold or offered for sale by the applicant in the township.

Also, the application would require the applicant or person conducting or managing applicant's business to state whether

he has been convicted of a crime, misdemeanor, or the violation of any municipal ordinance, and if so, full particulars in connection therewith."

Deputy Treasurer Maria Falkiewicz said that a registration of business is needed in case of emergencies. "If there is a fire, we would know who to contact.

However, Canton Fire Chief Mel Paulun said that his department already has a complete list of all the owners of businesses in the township.

"Licensing could enable us to inspect businesses to make sure the buildings are up to building and fire codes," said Ordinance Department Director Bruce Phillips, who prepared a report on the proposed ordinance.

"This could benefit both the businesses and residents who go into a store," he said. "They will know it's safe."

Besides requiring information about the merchants who want to move into the township, the proposed ordinance also prohibits businesses from selling "defective, faulty, incomplete or deteriorated

articles of merchandise, unless the goods are so represented to prospective customers."

If a merchant violated this provision, the license could be revoked. Also, if a merchant was found "conducting a business in an unlawful manner or in such manner as to constitute a breach of the peace or to constitute a menace to the health, morals, safety or welfare of the public," the license would be revoked.

"I wonder if the ordinance could be used to prevent someone in conflict with the township from doing business," said Perna. "Could it be used as leverage at any time?"

"Many businesses are already licensed by state and federal agencies, she said. "This might be a duplication and mean added costs for businesses."

Phillips said that the licensing fee has not been established. "It could start at \$5 and vary according to the business," he said.

The fine for violating any part of the ordinance, however, is \$500, according to the proposed law prepared by Phillips.



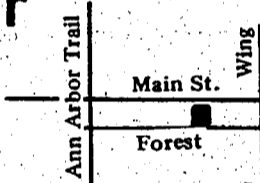
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School to end 10 min. later

Elementary school students in the Plymouth-Canton district will be dismissed 10 minutes later and lunch hours will be extended 10 minutes starting Monday, Jan. 29.

Salem and Canton high school students will begin and be dismissed five minutes later starting on Monday. However, schedules in the middle schools will remain unchanged. These changes will be announced in schools, said Norm Kee, assistant superintendent for employe relations.

The schedule changes were the result of a settlement agreement between the Plymouth-Canton Education Association and the Plymouth-

Canton Community Schools. The settlement was announced at the Board of Education meeting Monday night.

A third stipulation in the agreement states teachers must be in the building 15 minutes before classes and 15 minutes after their dismissal.

In August, teachers filed suit against the board after the starting and closing times of schools were changed without being negotiated in the teachers' contract first.

Following a ruling by Arbitrator Nathan Lipson stating that schedule changes would have to be negotiated, the two parties met with Lipson on Dec. 20.

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Scofflaws to get boot in city?

You'd better start paying those City of Plymouth parking tickets or you may get the boot.

The "boot," a large metal clamp which can be attached to the tire of frequently over-parked cars, is under study by the city administration.

One advantage of the device is that it's almost completely effective in catching the driver of the offending car, said Plymouth Police Chief Timothy Ford.

Currently, parking tickets (which are technically written to owners of vehicles) are often being dismissed by 35th District Judge Dunbar Davis when auto owners deny they were driving at the time of the offense, Ford said.

Several cities, including Ann Arbor, have tried the "boot," according to the city's parking commission, which gave its report Monday night. The parking panel recommended

the city investigate the "boot" as one way of cracking down on unpaid parking tickets.

The city commission agreed to study that idea among other enforcement measures.

Job workshop offered

Are you looking for a new job?

The Plymouth-Canton Community Education Department is offering a four-week workshop on job skills as part of their adult leisure time program. Beginning Feb. 6 and running for four consecutive Tuesday evenings from 7-9 p.m. at Canton High School, the job skills workshop will aim on assessing job goals,

writing a resume, completing an interview and finding and keeping a job.

For further information on the job skills workshop and other programs offered through the school district, visit the Community Education Office at Canton High School, 8415 Canton Center Road, Room 129, or call 459-1180.

Canton needs more industry --Culbert

THE COMMUNITY CRIER: January 24, 1979

BY CHAS CHILD

Canton is best known for its growing subdivisions. But Supervisor Noel Culbert would like to see more industry in the township.

"Our tax base is atrocious," said Culbert. With more industry, the tax burden could be

taken off the homeowners, he said.

"In Livonia, taxes are split 50-50 between industry and the residents. In Canton, it's 25-75 against the residents, and it's declining," said the supervisor.

To accomplish the goal of

luring industry into the township, Culbert said he plans to expand the activities of Canton's Economic Development Corporation (EDC).

An arm of the township government, the EDC can offer low-cost financing to businesses willing to move into

Canton or to present firms who want to expand their operations.

Culbert also wants to complete former Supervisor Harold Stein's efforts to develop the industrial park on Haggerty Road between Joy and Warren roads.

"I've knocked Harold in the past, but he was not all bad for the township. He should receive credit for his efforts to attract industry. He laid the foundation," said Culbert.

Stein instituted the township's EDC, and is its present-

chairman of its board. However, Culbert, who is now a board member of the EDC, said it is due to elect a new chairman at tonight's meeting.

Culbert also said that he plans to bring in experts to help plan Canton's industrial development. "I'm planning to contact Dan Andrews, who planned Livonia's industry," said he.

"Industry is fine as long as you put it in a good place," said the supervisor. "We have enough open space to plan what's going to happen."

Pursell gains key post

PLYMOUTH'S HOMETOWN CONGRESSMAN Carl Pursell has been appointed to the U.S. House of Representatives Appropriations Committee - one of the key committees in Congress. Pursell, who was overwhelmingly re-elected to his second term in November, will be one of two Republicans on the panel. The Plymouth Township representative said, "This is the realization of one of my major goals. I consider this to be an important development in effective representation for our southeastern Michigan area." Pursell formerly served on the Appropriations Committee of the Michigan Senate.



CARL PURSELL

Two Canton cops get breathalyzer degrees

Canton Police Officers Jim Hanna and John Sherwin both completed the breathalyzer course last week which raises the number of police breathalyzer operators to three in Canton.

The breathalyzer is an instrument designed to measure

the percentage of alcohol in a person's breath.

The five-day course, given at the Michigan State Police Academy, was completed on Friday, Jan. 12.

Sergeant Jerry Cox of Canton is already certified to operate the breathalyzer.

Dancing offered

Canton residents Bud and Bette Potts will begin two new dance classes in Canton. The basic ballroom class is for those who would like to learn to fox trot, waltz, two step, cha cha and tango. The round dance class is for those who would like to learn sequence dancing. Sponsored by the Canton Recreation Department, these classes are to begin Jan. 31 at Walker School on Michigan Avenue east of I-275. The ballroom class will be from 7 until 8 p.m. every Wednesday through May. Rounds will be from 8 until 9:30 p.m.

Schools ask for input

A public forum will be held by the Plymouth-Canton Board of Education from 7 to 8:30 p.m. on Monday, Jan. 29, at the board office, 454 S. Harvey St.

Anyone with a question,

comment or suggestion about school issues should attend the forum. The purpose of the

meeting is to answer questions from parents and other citizens and also hear their views.

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Salvation Army to celebrate Golden Anniversary Feb. 4, 5

friends & neighbors

BY PATRICIA BARTOLD
The name "Salvation Army" brings images of bell-ringers standing on cold, blustery street corners to mind. That image is accurate but incomplete.

On Feb. 4 and Feb. 5 the Salvation Army of Plymouth will celebrate its golden anniversary. The Plymouth Corps will host a golden jubilee concert given by the Dearborn Heights Corps Brass Band at the Church of the Nazarene in Plymouth on Sunday, Feb. 4. The concert begins at 2:30 p.m.

The following evening, the army will celebrate 50 years of service in the Plymouth community with a dinner at the Mayflower Meeting House at 6:30 p.m. Its purpose here is to "care for the spiritual and physical needs of the community," said Lieutenant Bill Harfoot, chief officer and minister.

How do they do that? Harfoot gave some examples: "It means giving Christmas baskets to 75 local families. It means picking up the hotel bill for a family whose home burned down. It means visiting residents at Tonquish Creek

Manor," he said. The army has at least six various programs from tiny tots care to senior volunteer service.

Beyond providing such physical support, the Salvation Army is a church which includes 25-30 families in its membership. The wall plaque records 62 persons who attended school there last Sunday.

It started as part of the Methodist movement but broke off about 1865. Its founder, William Booth, used a military-type conference as a decision-making group. The group retained military titles to express its dynamics and style, said Harfoot.

The military titles have remained throughout the years. An ordained minister immediately becomes a lieutenant. After five years, he becomes a captain and after 20 years he becomes a major, said Harfoot. Members are called soldiers.

Fifty years ago, Frank and Florence Wright started the Salvation Army in Plymouth. Today, Harfoot hopes to carry on that mission. The Salvation Army is located at 290 Fairground St. in Plymouth.




glimpse at yesterday

ADDRESSING INVITATIONS to the Salvation Army Silver Anniversary in 1954 were (from left to right): the H.J. Nicholls, Harvey Thomas and Helen Arnold. On Feb. 4 and Feb.

5, the Salvation Army in Plymouth will celebrate its 50th anniversary with a brass corps band concert and dinner. (Salvation Army photo)

Your Guide to Local Churches

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<p>The Colony Bible Fellowship (The Wesleyan Church) 42290 Five Mile Road Plymouth 420-0484 or 420-2898 Gary A. Curell, Pastor</p> <p>Sunday School 10 a.m. Worship Celebration 11 a.m. Gospel Inspirations 6:30 p.m.</p>	<p>Dixboro United Methodist 5221 Church Rd. Corner of Ann Arbor Rd. & Cherry Hill 665-5632 Rev. Hal Ferris 662-3645</p> <p>Church School 9-10 Worship 10:30-11:30</p>	<p>Central Baptist Temple 670 Church St. 455-7711 or 455-HELP Dr. Stan Jenkins, Pastor</p> <p>Sunday School 10 a.m. Sunday Services 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. Bible Study 7 p.m. Active Youth, Bus Ministry</p>	<p>Plymouth Church of the Nazarene 41550 E. Ann Arbor Tr. 453-1525 Carl R. Allen, Pastor</p> <p>Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Sunday Services 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Midweek Service (Wed.) 7 p.m.</p>
<p>Calvary Baptist Church 43065 Jay Road Canton 453-6749 or 455-0022 Dr. G. Douglas Routledge</p> <p>Bible School & Worship 9:45 & 11 a.m. Evening Evangel, 6 p.m.</p>	<p>Lutheran Church of the Risen Christ Missouri Synod 46250 W. Ann Arbor Rd. 1 Mile West of Sheldon 453-5252 Rev. Kenneth E. Zielke</p> <p>Sunday Services 9:00 & 10:45 Sunday School 9:00 a.m.</p>	<p>The Salvation Army 290 Fairground Plymouth 453-5464 Lt. Bill Harfoot</p> <p>Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.</p>	<p>First United Methodist Church 45201 N. Territorial 453-5280 Samuel F. Stout Frank Lyman, Jr. F.C. Vosburg</p> <p>9:30 & 11:00 Worship & Church School</p>
<p>People's Church Worshipping at Plymouth Canton High School 8415 Canton Center Road Canton, Michigan 981-0499 Rev. Harvey Heneveld, Pastor</p> <p>Morning Worship 10 a.m. Fellowship Hour and Sunday School following</p>	<p>Faith Community Church Meeting in Pioneer Middle School 46081 Ann Arbor Rd. Rev. Darryl Bell 459-2199</p> <p>Sunday School 9:15 a.m. Family Worship 10:30 a.m.</p>	<p>Landmark Baptist Church Fundamental Missionary Premillennial 11095 Haggerty Rd. betw. Ann Arbor Rd. & Ann Arbor Tr. Plymouth 453-9132 Rev. James R. Dillon</p> <p>Sunday School 10 a.m. Evangelistic Serv. 11 a.m. Even. Evang. Serv. 7 p.m. Wed. Bible Study 7 p.m.</p>	<p>First Church of Christ Scientist 1100 W. Ann Arbor Tr. Church & Reading Room 453-1676</p> <p>Church & Sunday School 10:30 - 11:30 a.m. Wed. Church 8-9 p.m.</p> <p>Reading Room In Forest Place Mall All Are Most Welcome</p>
<p>Tri City Assembly of God 2100 Hannan Rd. N. of Michigan Ave. 721-8832 Rev. E.W. Ralmer</p> <p>Morning Worship Serv. 11 a.m. Ministry to the Deaf Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Evangelistic Service 7 p.m.</p>			

tell it to phyllis



The joys of moving are just too numerous to count, and moving an office is almost as much fun as transferring a family from one house to another.

The last day in the old office is kind of sad as you remember all the adventures that happened there.

I also remember the morning, after a staff party, 30 school students showed up for a tour, and I forgot to tell the rest of the staff.

Then there was the time, when I was first learning how to take pictures, when I went out on an assignment and forgot to take the lens cap off the camera. That was almost as bad as the day someone else on the staff went out and took a whole roll of pictures - without any film.

Many people have walked through the doors of that old office. We've greeted politicians, club women, and boys and girls looking for a job delivering the paper. We've made a lot of friends, and managed to make a few people mad at times. Yes, there are many fond memories of things that happened in the big, white house on Harvey Street.

Fixing up the new office is exciting for everyone. Tearing down walls, building new walls, painting and staining, and just wait till you see my new office!

Just as the excitement is mounting, in walks the boss with all these "great ideas." It's just like the time you moved when you were a kid. You knew what you wanted your room to look like, but good ole dad had all those stupid ideas. In a household situation, mom can usually work around dad, but in an office situation - forget it.

Who in the heck cares whether every desk in the advertising department is the same color gray? When I become boss, I think we'll paint one orange, one purple, another one pink, and just to brighten things up a little, maybe we'll paint one lime green. (Anything has got to be better than army tank green.)

Moving is a royal pain in the neck (along with a few other places). It's hard to understand why it only takes a day to pack everything and six months to unpack and find things.

Now, if I could only find my desk and a typewriter. What do you mean do I know where a pen is? With 20 boxes of junk sitting around, how am I supposed to find a little thing like a pen?

Members of the Trailwood Garden Club enjoyed a presentation by Joyce Bauman on cooking with herbs. The talk, which also included the historical background and use of herbs, was presented last Monday at the home of Joy Hanson. Co-hostess for the evening were Ann Adams and Cathy Rinn.

The club is sponsoring a full scholarship for educators to spend a week at a conservation camp next summer. The camp is offered by Michigan Natural Resources at Higgins Lake, and is a two-hour college credit. For more information, call Jackie Binder at 453-7812.

Learning to communicate is the theme of a parent-student discussion group which will be held at West Middle School on Tuesday, Jan. 30, at 7:30. The discussion will give parents some ideas on how to handle young people, and will deal with some of the problems today's young people face. All students and parents in the Plymouth-Canton area are welcome to attend.

Upton guest pianist Sunday

The Plymouth Symphony Orchestra will present its family concert on Sunday, Jan. 28.

Guest artist will be Pianist Carla Upton, a 1974 graduate of Plymouth High School. She received her B.A. from University of Michigan in 1978 and is now working on her masters in piano performance which she hopes to receive this year.

At present, Carla is the pianist at Geneva United Presbyterian Church in Canton. This will be Carla's second appearance with the orchestra. In 1962 she played the youngest child in the "Sound of Music."

Tickets will be available at the door as well as Beitner's Jewelry, Heide's Flowers, Plymouth Book World, Arnoldt Williams Music, Inc., Canton and Audette's Office Supply. Prices are \$3.50; \$1.75 for senior citizens, and

students, K-12, will be admitted free. Baby sitting is provided for pre-schoolers by the Girl Scouts. Senior citizens bus pick-up will be at Tonquish Creek at 3:15 p.m.

This program is made possible through a grant from the State of Michigan and the Michigan Council for the Arts and the Plymouth Symphony League.

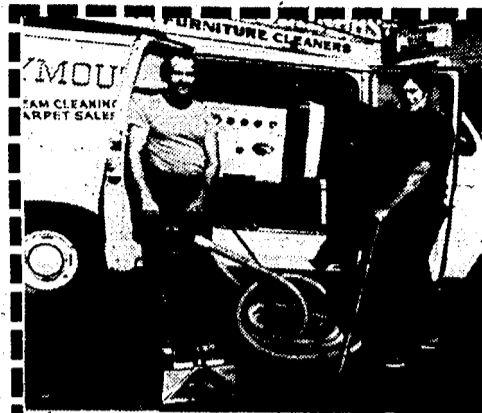


CARLA UPTON

Tax seminar

The Dunning-Hough Public Library will host a tax seminar on Jan. 30 at 7:30 p.m. Representatives of Merrill Lynch Co. will discuss methods of tax-cutting, including municipal bonds, Keogh plans and retirement income.

Various business books and services available in the library will also be explained. The seminar will last approximately one and one-half hours and the public is welcome to ask questions.



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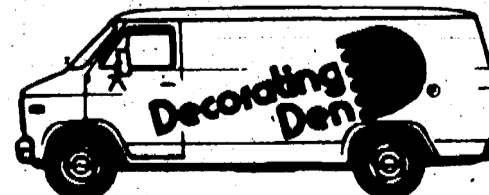
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The Pilgrim Garden Club will hold its next regular meeting on Thursday, Jan. 25 at 7:30 p.m. at Hulsing Elementary School.

PANCAKE DINNER

Eat all the pancakes you can at Hulsing Elementary School on Feb. 2 from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. A la carte items will be offered too. Tickets are sold at school from Monday, Jan. 29 to Feb. 1 and the night of the dinner at the door.

LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS

"Urban Crisis" will be the topic of discussion at the League of Women Voters general meeting on Wednesday, Jan. 31, 7:30 p.m., Meads Mill School, Six Mile and Bradner in Northville.

WOMAN'S NATIONAL FARM AND GARDEN

On Monday, Feb. 12, members of the Plymouth Branch of the Farm and Garden Association will meet at the First United Methodist Church at noon.

MAYFLOWER GARDEN CLUB

The installation of new officers for the Mayflower Garden Club will be at 10 a.m. on Thursday, Jan. 25, at the home of Marie Batterman, Palmer Street, Plymouth. A luncheon at the Jolly Miller will follow.

WAYNE COUNTY NUTRITION PROGRAM

The City of Plymouth, in cooperation with the Wayne County Office on Aging, offers a nutrition program Monday thru Friday, at Tonquish Creek Manor, 1160 Sheridan. The nutrition program offers seniors a well-balanced meal at the site, or by calling 455-6620 from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. All reservations must be made by Thursday of the preceding week. The program is free, however, a 50 cent donation is appreciated.

SOCCER

Plymouth Parks and Recreation spring soccer registration will begin on Monday, Jan. 29 and run through Friday, Feb. 16 at the Plymouth Cultural Center. Fee is \$12 per child with a maximum charge of \$30 per family. Registration for play in the Western Suburban Soccer League is open to all boys and girls in the Plymouth-Canton school district. If registering a child for the first time be sure to bring in a birth certificate or baptismal record.

SPRING HOCKEY LEAGUE

The Plymouth Recreation Department is now taking registrations for a spring hockey league. Fee is \$64 per team which covers officials, trophies and ice time for the last 2 games. Registration deadline is Friday, March 9, games begin March 26. Guarantee of 14 games. Contact Al Campbell at 459-6444 for further information.

CROSS COUNTRY SKI CLINIC

The Plymouth Recreation Department is sponsoring cross country ski clinics on Thursday, Jan. 25 beginning at 7 p.m. Registration is at the Plymouth Recreation Department, 525 Farmer Street, Monday thru Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Fee is \$6 per person payable at the time of registration. Also, please be sure of your shoe size to insure proper fit of cross country ski equipment.

YOGA

Beginning yoga for adults will start on Wednesday, Feb. 7 from 10:30 - 11:45 a.m. Continued Yoga for adults will be offered each Wednesday beginning Feb. 7 from 9:15 - 10:30 a.m. Both classes will be held at the Cultural Center. Fee is \$15 per class.

RESUME WRITING & JOB SEARCH WORKSHOPS

The Plymouth Recreation Department is sponsoring a resume-writing workshop on Tuesday, Jan. 30 at 7 p.m. Fee is \$5. A job search overview will be offered on Tuesday, Feb. 27 at 7 p.m. Fee is \$5. Registration will take place at the Plymouth Recreation Department Monday thru Friday from 8:30 a.m. - 5 p.m. Both workshops run for two hours each.

PLYMOUTH NEWCOMERS LUNCHEON

Plymouth Newcomers will meet Thursday, Feb. 1 at the Mayflower Meeting House, with hospitality beginning at 11:30 a.m. and lunch at noon. For reservations call Kathy Conroy at 459-4019 before noon on Jan. 30. Babysitting arrangements may be made by calling Mary Stanczyk at 420-2214.

CANTON NEWCOMERS LUNCHEON

Canton Newcomers will meet for lunch at Leright's Coffee House, 226 S. Wayne Rd. on Wednesday, Feb. 7. Call Judi Thomas at 453-6986 before Feb. 1 for reservations.

ACRYLIC PAINTING CLASS

A beginning acrylic painting class will start on Monday, Feb. 2 from 7 - 9:30 p.m. at the Plymouth Cultural Center. Fee is \$20.

NEWCOMERS ART AUCTION

Canton Newcomers will hold an art auction on Saturday, Feb. 17 at the Canton Recreation building with hors d'oeuvres from 8 to 9 p.m. Auction begins at 9 p.m. There's a \$1 donation.

FIGURE SKATING REGISTRATION

Registration for Session III of Fall Figure Skating lessons will be held on Saturday, January 27 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Fee is \$14 for residents of the Plymouth-Canton School District and \$18 for non-residents. Session III begins on Monday, Feb. 5. Rental ice skates should be reserved at this time also. Registration will take place at the Plymouth Cultural Center. The lessons run for eight weeks of 25-minute sessions.



Sundaes delight

FATHERS-DAUGHTERS

More than 350 fathers and daughters from Bird Elementary School watched gymnast George Huntzicker perform on Friday night. Afterwards, they created their own sundaes with whipped cream, nuts, bananas, and chocolate syrup. **TOP PHOTO.** Laurie and Tim Cale scooped and savored their ice cream in the cafeteria. **RIGHT.** But, Barbara Pearson doesn't seem too happy even with a bowl of ice cream in front of her. (Crier photos by Patricia Bartold)



"Lion in Winter" starts next Friday

HANDS REIGN. John A. Roberts plays King Henry II and Blanche Graham plays Queen Eleanor for the upcoming production of "Lion

in Winter." The show, put on by the Plymouth Theater Guild, will start on Feb. 2 at Central Middle School. (Crier photo by Bill Bresler.)

Booster club boogies Feb. 16

The first dinner-dance sponsored by the Plymouth-Canton Marching Band Boosters Club will be on Friday, Feb. 16. The dinner-dance, which will be at the Plymouth Cultural Center, will cost \$16 per person and the PCEP Stage Band will provide music.

Dance chairperson is Doris Rorabacher, who is also volunteering her catering service during the evening. All profits from the dinner-dance will go for the band.

Parents of band-members recently decided to form a booster club in order to

raise funds for the band to compete in state-wide shows.

Jerry Hotchkin is the president vice-president and Larry Bowman is the secretary/treasurer.

To compete in more shows, the booster club decided to raise funds for competition-type uniforms; transportation to and from shows; and different types of horns and musical equipment, said Kay Johnson, publicity chairperson.

Rock lovers gather

The Plymouth Rock and Mineral Society will present its annual open house on Sunday, Feb. 11 at the Plymouth Cultural Center. It will be open from noon until 5 p.m.

Members will demonstrate cabbing, faceting and tumbling and many members will display their collection of rocks, fossils, minerals and gem stones.

Several dealers will have specimens, jewelry, slabs and polished stones for sale.

Admission charge is 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for children under 12 years.

births

Dennis Michael was born Jan. 8 to Thomas and Anna Hirzel, Jr. of San Diego, Cal.

Tom is a 1971 graduate of Salem High School and is a firefighter stationed at Mirmar Naval Air Station in San Diego.

Paternal grandparents are Anne Marriott and Thomas J. Hirzel of Plymouth. The maternal grandmother is Refina Soto of Mexico City, Mex.

The Hirzels have an older son, Thomas John III.

Kathleen Ann Buckley was born at Providence Hospital on Dec. 14. Her parents are Regis and Ann Buckley of Plymouth. Kathleen, who weighed six pounds, eight ounces at birth, has a brother, Regis Michael, at home.

Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Chester Sniatacz of Plymouth and Mrs. Donald Buckley of Redford.

Mark and Pamela Little of Plymouth are the parents of Matthew Mark who was born on Dec. 26 at St. Mary Hospital in Livonia. Mark weighed six pounds, eight ounces at birth.

Annette to marry Rahn



ANNETTE MITCHELL

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Mitchell of Canton announce the engagement of their daughter, Annette Marie, to Rahn Douglas Frederick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Frederick of Plymouth.

The couple will be married on May 12 at Our Lady of Good Counsel Church. Annette, a 1977 graduate of Salem High School, is employed as a dental assistant. Rahn, a 1973 graduate of Salem High School, is an inspector in local industry.

They will live in Westland after their marriage.

Church sign up

Sunday, Jan. 14 marked the first signatures for charter membership in the People's Church in Canton.

The church opened on Easter Sunday, April 16, 1978, and is presently meeting for worship at Canton High School. Negotiations are being concluded for a parcel of land on Ford Road near the corner of Canton Center Road which will serve as a future site for the new church.

Charter membership will remain open until the church is incorporated and organized late this year, said Rev. Harvey Heneveld, pastor of the Reformed Church of America church. The office is located at 153 Corinne Blvd., Canton.

Pottery preacher

A message from preacher-potter will be presented in the Morning Worship Service of the First Baptist Church of Plymouth on Sunday, Jan. 28 at 11 a.m. Using the potter's wheel and his skill in pottery, Gary Wilson, a deacon at Redeemer Baptist Church in Monroe, will present a parable from the Scriptures.

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WORTH THEIR SALT. A production manger, feature editor, and advertising sales person who can brandish a paint brush as well as help produce the Crier newspaper is definitely worth his salt. Matching their respective titles and seen painting above are Mike Carne, Pat Bartold, and Pat Steele.

All hands mustered for Crier's move to new home

Last weekend was awash in paint for members of The Crier staff and some capable volunteers.

Fresh coats were applied to the interior of the newspaper's new offices at 1226 S. Main. Experts from a local decorating shop hanged wallpaper in keeping with the offices' role as the home of the community's weekly newspaper. Drywall was installed in the basement, which will house The Crier's production facilities.

After the new office was remodeled and spruced up, the hard work began: moving day. All hands were mustered to load and unload everything from desks to typewriters to filing cabinets.

The editorial, circulation, business and publishing offices were all moved in last Wednesday and Thursday.

The Crier will be completely in its new home when the production department, which will occupy the entire basement of the building, is moved today and tomorrow.

About double the floor space of the old Crier Building on Harvey Street, the new building is planned to supply the needs of your local newspaper for years to come.

An open house is planned soon. The staff invites you to watch for the date in the paper and join us.

BILL BRESLER



CHAS CHILD



PEASE PAINTERS Mary Toth, right, and Ruth Evers, left, stretched newsprint wallpaper

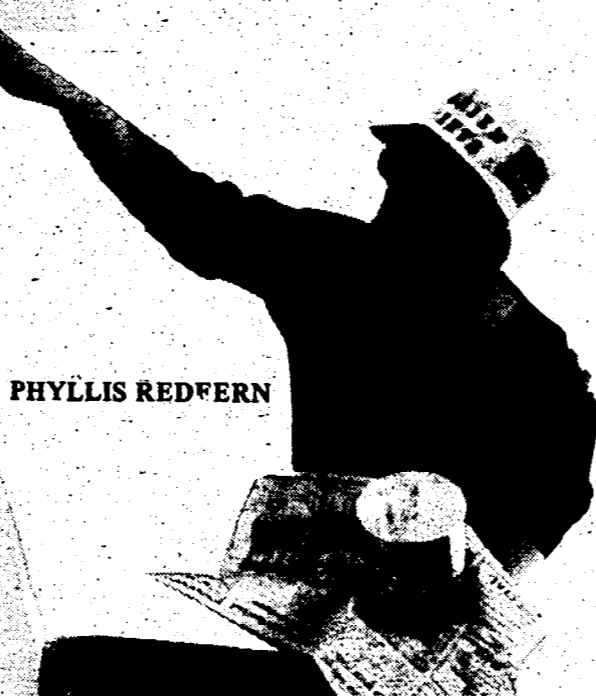
er against the back wall of the editorial department after the painting crews finished.

Crier photos by Bill Bresler



"UUUGGGHHH!" said Production Manager Mike Carne as he lifted another of those heavy boxes on Thursday. Standing in the background is Bob Cameron.

PHYLLIS REDFERN

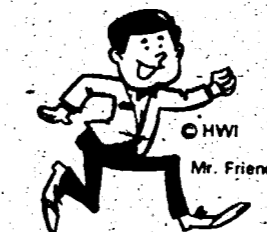


FRIENDS AND FAMILIES gathered to paint and redecorate the new Crier office, 1226 S. Main St., Plymouth on Saturday, Jan. 13. Here Jean Wendover, from Pease Paint, does some touch-up work before starting to wallpaper in the editorial department.

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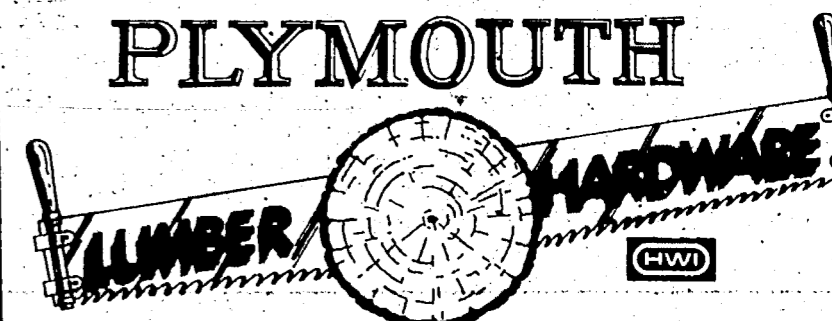
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Sloppy joes, vegetable, fruit cup.

WEDNESDAY

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

THURSDAY

Hot dog on a bun, catsup or mustard, vegetable, fruit cup.

FRIDAY

Fish on a bun, tartar sauce or catsup, vegetable, fruit cup.

BIRD MONDAY

Peanutbutter and jelly sandwich, tomato soup, tollhouse bar, fruit.

TUESDAY

Sloppy joes, pickle slices, buttered vegetable, fruit.

WEDNESDAY

Fried chicken, vegetable, french bread, fruit.

THURSDAY

Hot dog on a bun, catsup and mustard, hot vegetable, brownie, fruit.

FRIDAY

Ravioli with meat, hot vegetable, french bread, fruit.

ERIKSSON MONDAY

Vegetable beef soup, peanutbutter sandwich, fruit cup, cookie bar.

TUESDAY

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

WEDNESDAY

Spaghetti with meat sauce, hot roll, tossed salad, fruit cup.

THURSDAY

Hot dog in a bun, relishes, vegetable, fruit cup, cookie.

FRIDAY

Oven fried fish, tartar sauce, vegetable, bread and butter, cake.

FARRAND MONDAY

Grilled cheese sandwich, tomato soup, fruit cup & cake.

TUESDAY

Tacos w/meat, cheese & lettuce, bread sticks, pudding, green beans, cake.

WEDNESDAY

Beef in gravy over mashed potatoes, jello with fruit, peas, hot rolls, cake.

THURSDAY

Hot dog on bun, catsup or mustard, corn, applesauce, cookie.

FRIDAY

Fish sandwich w/cheese, tartar sauce, mixed vegetables, fruit cup, cake.

FIEGEL MONDAY

Grilled cheese sandwich, soup, pickles, fruit, cookie.

TUESDAY

Fish w/tartar sauce, french fries,

green peas, hot roll, brownie.

WEDNESDAY

Frito pie, green beans, fresh orange quarters, hot roll.

THURSDAY

Pig in a blanket, french fries, vegetable, fruit cobbler.

FRIDAY

Bradley's beef noodle, buttered corn, stuffed celery, fruit, hot roll, ice cream.

HULSING MONDAY

Happy joe and roll, mixed buttered vegetables, diced pears, grandmother's ice box cake.

TUESDAY

Hot dog and roll, catsup and mustard, tator tots, toll bar, fruit cup.

WEDNESDAY

Chicken and gravy, mashed potatoes, cranberry sauce, frosted cake.

THURSDAY

Spaghetti with meat sauce, hot garlic bread, green vegetables, jello whip with topping, fruit.

FRIDAY

Submarine sandwich, cup of vegetable soup, peanutbutter cookie, assorted fruit cups.

ISBISTER MONDAY

Chicken noodle soup, crackers, peanutbutter sandwich, cheese stick, tollhouse bar, pineapple.

TUESDAY

Hamburger and noodle casserole, buttered bread, yellow beans, pears, roasted peanuts.

WEDNESDAY

Oven fried chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, cranberries, buttered cornbread, jello with peaches.

THURSDAY

Hot dog on a bun, baked beans, fruit cocktail, cookie.

FRIDAY

Pizza.

Lunch Box



BY LARRY "TATER" BOLENBAUGH

This week's menu is downright exotic! We have several rare taste treats for your pleasure.

Those of you who are kosher, must avoid Thursday's pig in a blanket. Those who aren't can still have hot dogs in a variety of forms.

For those who have a Latin flare, there are several Mexican treats for you this week. There are tacos and tostadas galore. And if you're all-American but secretly have Latin fantasies, the taco burger is definitely for you.

If all of this bores you, maybe you have been waiting for the Happy joe. I have no idea what that is!

MILLER MONDAY

Toasted cheese sandwich, tomato soup, pears, peanut cup.

TUESDAY

Hot diggety dog, baked beans, mixed fruit, cookie.

WEDNESDAY

Hamburger on a bun, french fries, peaches, cookie.

THURSDAY

Ravioli w/meat, cheese, lettuce, buttered green beans, garlic toast, applesauce.

FRIDAY

Pizza.

SMITH MONDAY

Hamburger on bun, mustard or catsup, green beans, chocolate cake, peaches.

TUESDAY

Mararoni & cheese, buttered bread, broccoli, pears, toll house bar.

WEDNESDAY

Chicken in gravy over mashed potatoes, hot roll and jelly, applesauce, dessert.

THURSDAY

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

FRIDAY

Pizza, carrots, pineapple, cookie.

STARKWEATHER MONDAY

Grilled cheese sandwich, soup, peaches, cake.

TUESDAY

Meat loaf, mashed potatoes and gravy, hot buttered roll, pears, cookie.

WEDNESDAY

Turkey, mashed potatoes and gravy, cranberry, jello, cookie.

THURSDAY

Hot dog, baked beans, fruit, cookie.

FRIDAY

Spaghetti with meat sauce, french bread, fruit, cookie.

TANGER MONDAY

Grilled cheese sandwich, pickles, soup, roasted peanuts, chilled fruit.

TUESDAY

Pizza burgers, hot vegetable, chocolate cake, chilled fruit.

WEDNESDAY

Hamburger gravy over mashed potatoes, chilled pineapple, plain jello, cookie.

THURSDAY

Hot dog on a bun, choice of relishes, vegetable, chilled peaches, dessert.

FRIDAY

Oven fried chicken, cranberries, potatoes and gravy, chilled fruit.

CENTRAL MIDDLE MONDAY

Ravioli w/cheese, choice of vegetable, choice of fruit, cake.

TUESDAY

Tuna casserole, roll 'n' butter, choice of fruit, cookie.

WEDNESDAY

Hamburgers, french fries, cookie.

THURSDAY

Hot dog, vegetable, choice of fruit, cookie.

FRIDAY

Chicken 'n' gravy over mashed potatoes, choice of fruit, cake.

EAST MONDAY

Hot dog or chili dog on a bun, buttered corn, choice of fruit, banana cake.

TUESDAY

Turkey roll, mashed potatoes and gravy, roll and butter, chilled fruit, peanutbutter cookie.

WEDNESDAY

Taco burger with lettuce, cheese, baked beans, slice pineapple, cookie.

THURSDAY

Hamburger or cheeseburger on a bun, french fries, chilled peach half, toll house bar.

FRIDAY

Fish sandwich, tartar sauce, green beans, applesauce, cowboy cookie.

PIONEER-GALLIMORE MONDAY

Sloppy joe or bacon burgers, buttered vegetable, fruit, cookie.

TUESDAY

Spaghetti with meat sauce, roll and butter, buttered vegetable, fruit.

WEDNESDAY

Hot dog or hot ham on a bun, bean or chicken vegetable soup, fruit.

THURSDAY

Pizza with meat and cheese, buttered corn, fruit, cookie.

FRIDAY

Hamburger or cheeseburger, tri-taters, fruit, cookie.

SALEM-CANTON HIGH MONDAY

Scalloped potatoes, vegetable, roll and butter, jello.

TUESDAY

Bar-b-que, soup and crackers, apple crisp, chips.

WEDNESDAY

Spaghetti with meat sauce, french bread and butter or rolls, salad with dressings, jello.

THURSDAY

Tostada with lettuce, vegetable, cobbler.

FRIDAY

Fish on a bun, potatoes, spaghetti and bread, vegetable, jello.

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WEST MIDDLE MONDAY

Sloppy joe or peanutbutter sandwich, potato triangle, assorted fruits, spice bars.

TUESDAY

Hot dog or cheese dog, french fries, assorted fruit, peanutbutter crinkles.

WEDNESDAY

Hamburger gravy, mashed potatoes, carrots, hot rolls, chocolate pudding.

THURSDAY

Hamburger or cheeseburger with trimmings, fruit or fruit juice, cake with chocolate pudding.

FRIDAY

Taco with lettuce, cheese and hot sauce, whole kernel corn, peach or pineapple, sugar cookie.



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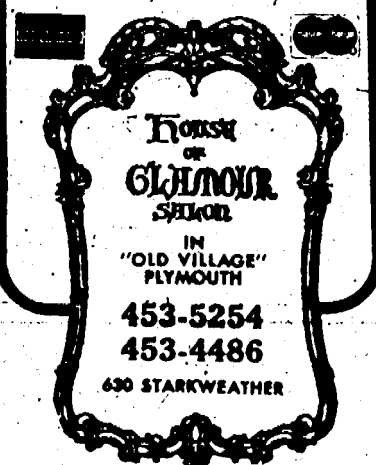


Pat Hann, just returned from a workshop with internationally known Ezio, in Canada. Pat has inspired new enthusiasm with her staffs at the Mayflower, Classie Lassie, and House of Glamour Salons.

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School Bond Issue panel to report on building needs

Progress on the difficult task of assessing building needs for the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools is reported by the district's Bond Issue Advisory Committee.

The group of 10 citizens with experience in finance, land use planning and building maintenance was appointed by the Board of Education in

November, 1978.

The charge to the committee from the School Board is to consider the size and distribution of a bond proposal and to assess community attitudes toward a school bond issue. Members expect to complete their written report to the board around March.

Meeting every Monday even-

ing since their appointment, the committee has heard reports, studied proposals, and interviewed school staff.

Committee members have inspected several schools to check the condition of buildings and equipment. They are also working with consultants in public opinion polling and energy conservation.

The committee has divided into several subcommittees to work with administration coordination, budgets, boundaries, voter-community information, consultants, and financial institutions. Part of the committee is studying details of building maintenance and renovation, while the others concentrate on new construction. Next week the committee will hear the preliminary results of an energy audit.

A survey of a random sample of voters is planned to test citizens' response to the committee recommendations.

Chairperson of the Bond Issue Advisory Committee is Charles Heidt. Members are Larry Bowerman, Leslie C. Cavell, Leonard Evans, Gary Nielsen, Catherine Prince, Glenn Schroeder, James G. Stebbins, Ned Stirton, and Ted F. Thrasher.



SHERYL PLACE

Sheryl named finalist in pageant

Sheryl Lynn Place, 18, daughter of Robert and Sheila Place, of Plymouth was selected as a state finalist in the 1979 Michigan National Teen-Ager Pageant.

It will be held at the Hoyt Conference Center of Eastern Michigan University in Ypsilanti, on May 4, 5 & 6.

The Michigan National Teen-Ager Pageant is the official pageant before the Miss National Teen-Ager Pageant to be held in Atlanta, Georgia in August.

Contestants will be judged

on scholastic achievement, leadership, poise, personality, and appearance. There is no swim suit or talent competition. Each contestant will participate in the National Teen-Ager Volunteer Service Program as well as recite a 100-word speech on the pageant theme: "What's Right About America."

Sheryl is sponsored by The Mayflower Hotel of Plymouth. Her hobbies include: running, stamp collecting, butterfly collecting, and puzzle preserving.

Council on Aging names officers

The Plymouth Community Council on Aging held elections for the Board of Directors on Jan. 9.

Elected to three-year terms on the board were: Joe Gabrys, Florence Griggs, Mildred Kingsley, Frank J. Ryan, and Bob Sincock.

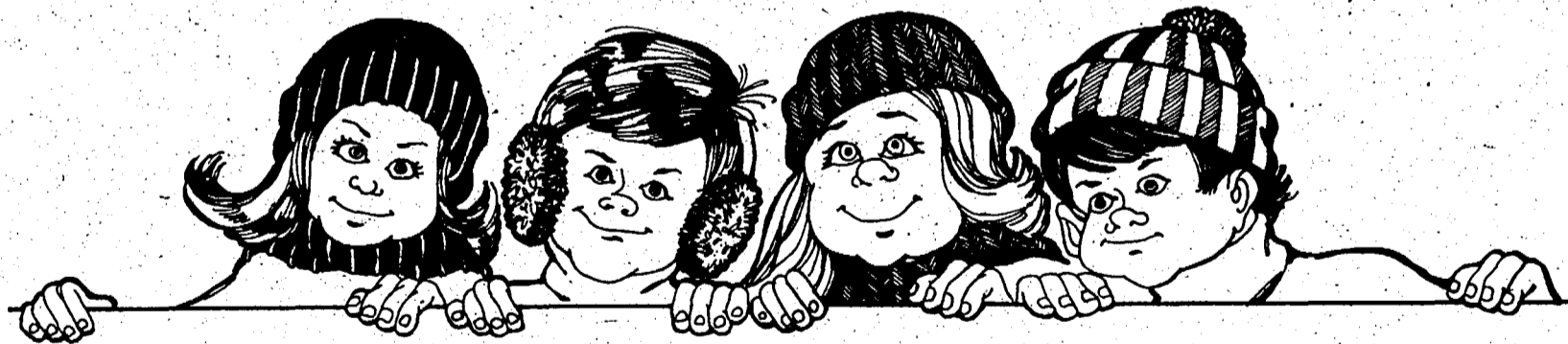
Walter Fletcher, George Tully, Juliette Wood and Lynn Wilson were elected to serve

on the board for two-year terms.

In related action, the Board of Directors elected the following persons to serve as officers: President, Frank J. Ryan; Vice-President, Walter Fletcher; Secretary, Mildred Kingsley; and, Treasurer, George Tully.

The Council on Aging meets on the second Tuesday of each month.

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Five vie for Outstanding Young Teen award

The Jaycee-Jaycette Distinguished Service Award Banquet will be Friday, Jan. 26 at the Plymouth Cultural Center. It will begin at 7 p.m. with a social hour and dinner will be served at 8 p.m.

The program to announce the Outstanding Young Man, Woman and Teen of the Year will start at 9 p.m.

The finalists for the Outstanding Young Teen of the Year Award were announced on Monday. They include: Leslie Bublin, George Hamblin, Karen Haut, Lisa Holk, and Susan Parker. A brief synopsis of their qualifications follows:

LESLIE A. BUBLIN

As a student at Canton High School, Leslie has been



LESLIE ANN BUBLIN

in the National Honor Society, Student Council, Executive Forum, the gymnastics team, the dance club and a student assistant for a counselor.

She was nominated by Carla Garbin, a Canton counselor. In nominating her, Garbin said, "Leslie has been exceptionally active in high school and community activities."

Leslie added that she helped combine many joint class activities for Canton and Salem students. "I know that we've made good friends in both schools and now we are friendly rivals," Leslie said.

GEORGE HAMBLIN

Nominated by Canton Teacher Lane Sabourin, George is a commentator for student radio station WSDP. He holds a radio operators third-class



GEORGE HAMBLIN

license. He was also chosen Homecoming King in 1978 and participates in football and wrestling.

Asked why George deserves this award, Sabourin said, "George is an outstanding leader who is extremely well-respected by his teachers and classmates."

George has a 3.4 grade point average.

KAREN HAUT

Karen was chosen as the 1978 Homecoming Queen at Salem High School. She is also captain of the cheerleading squad and took three awards at cheerleading camp. She teaches Sunday School and plays guitar at her church.

Karen was nominated by Salem Teacher Lawrence Francis. He said, "Through my



KAREN HAUT

experience with Karen in class and my observation of her work, it is plainly evident that Karen is an outstanding person." Karen's hobbies are dancing, eating and tennis.

LISA HOLK

Lisa is the brass choir conductor for elementary school programs and also was the MC for the "Variety Is" Band Show recently. She was the MC last year, too.

Lisa plays first chair cornet in the Centennial Park Symphony Band and is a member of the CEP Marching Band and a Pep Band leader and head librarian for the CEP bands.

She was nominated by Sandra Papulas, a German teacher at Canton High School, who said, "Lisa cares about



LISA HOLK

her community, actively participating not only in the CEP bands, but also in musical programs in the elementary and middle school."

SUSAN PARKER

Susan was president of her class during her freshman, junior and senior years. As a sophomore, she was class vice-president. She is also a member of the track team and was selected to the 1979 Homecoming Court.

Her hobbies are sewing, running and attending sports events.

Mary Reading, business instructor at Salem, nominated her. She said, "Due to her vast amount of extra-curricular participation, as well as some community service, I feel that Sue is an excellent candidate for Outstanding Teen."



SUSAN PARKER

community deaths

Reddeman

Lester Ernest Reddeman, 64, of Plymouth Township died on Jan. 18 in Livonia. Funeral services were held on Jan. 22 at St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran Church with Pastor Leonard J. Koeninger officiating. Burial was at Riverside Cemetery. Arrangements were made by Schrader Funeral Home.

He is survived by his wife, Ernestine; parents, Ernest Carl Reddeman and Frances Alida Reddeman; sons, Ernest of

Plymouth and Robert of South Lyon; daughter, Mrs. William (Marjorie) Taylor of Plymouth; sisters, Mrs. Edwin (Phyllis) Goltz of Plymouth and Mrs. Betty Dicks of Saline; and six grandchildren.

Mr. Reddeman was a life-long resident of Plymouth Township who worked in machine maintenance for Continental Can Co. Memorial contributions can be made to the Michigan Cancer Foundation or the Michigan Heart Association or St. Peter's Church.

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Canton mulls new rec site

A new recreation building may be in Canton Township's future.

Treasurer Jim Donahue recommended to the Board of Trustees that the township investigate the cost of repairing and remodeling Sheldon School, an elementary school on Geddes Road.

The Wayne Westland school district, which owns the school, has notified the public that it will be phasing it out due to declining enrollment.

Recreation Superintendent Mike Gouin has said that the school would provide a badly needed indoor gymnasium. The township is entirely dependent now on local schools for indoor sports like basketball.

"A thorough inspection of the plumbing, heating, electrical, roofing, flooring and general structure," should be made to determine the

amount of expense that will be involved in repairs for any or all of these areas," said Gouin. The cost of remodeling the building for the rec department's use should also be determined, he said.

The township's present rec building is at Michigan Avenue

and Sheldon Road. It does not have an indoor gym.

Besides the cost of Sheldon School, Donahue also recommended that Gouin and Deputy Treasurer Mike Gorman make a survey of available land for possible purchase as parks.

Contracts coming

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chief negotiator to represent the district in collective negotiations with the cafeteria workers, secretaries, teachers' aides, bus drivers and workers, and custodial workers.

Also named on those teams were: Dan White and Kee, Cafeteria Association; Tom Rose and Kee, Secretarial Association; Sam Barresi and Kee, Educational Aides; Robert Houghton, Elaine Goodrich, Cal Heard, Kee, Transportation Association; Les Tinson, Kee, Maintenance-Custodial Local No. 547.

To negotiate with school administrators such as principals, high school area coordinators, etc., Attorney Charles Fine from a Detroit law firm was chosen as chief negotiator. Consultants on that team are: Kee, Hoedel, and Hoben.

The resolution naming the team members by a vote of 6-0 with member Joe Gray absent.

ZBA acted illegally?

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"The zoning board has repeatedly acted outside its authority," Donahue said. "This is not the first time this has happened. The board has ignored their expert advisors and gone right ahead and done what they want to do. This is the only thing we can do."

The board voted 3-2 on Dec. 28 to grant the sign. Sands, Robert Padgett and William Gilmore voted "yes," while Cathy Prince and Gene Daley voted "no."

Rental store robbed

About \$2,300 worth of goods was stolen from Ryder Rental, 13101 Eckles Rd. in Plymouth Township early last Wednesday morning, State Police report.

Items missing include: a clock radio, coffee pot and supplies; butane heater, air conditioning service kit, two drills, torque wrench, and adding machine.

Winter activities to begin Feb. 5

The Plymouth Parks and Recreation Department Winter Program of Leisure Activities and Classes will begin the week of February 5.

Registration for Session III of Figure Skating Lessons will be held on Saturday, Jan. 27 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Plymouth Cultural Center. Session III will begin on Monday, Feb. 5 and run through Friday, April 6.

The lessons run for eight weeks of 25-minute sessions. The fees are \$14 for residents and \$18 for non-residents, and \$1 less for more than one in the same family. A resident is anyone who lives within the Plymouth-Canton Community School District.

There is no charge for open skating sessions if lessons are held during one of these periods.

Registration for classes may be done during office hours, 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, by mail, or during a special evening regis-

tration at the Cultural Center on Tuesday, Jan. 23, from 6 to 7:30 p.m.

The classes are as follows: Belly Dance, Disco Dance for teens, Beginning Disco Dance for adults, Advance Disco Dance for adults, Beginning Judo for ages 8-17, Beginning Judo for adults, Advanced Judo for ages 8-17, Advanced Judo for adults, Beginning Karate for ages 8-17, Advanced Karate for adults.

Golf for adults, Golf for 14 and under, Beginning Yoga for adults, Continuing Yoga for adults.

Pre-school Ballet for ages 3½-6, Beginning Ballet for ages 6-8; Beginning Tap Dance for ages 5-7, Beginning Tap Dance for ages 8-12, Intermediate Tap Dance for ages 8-13.

Other classes include: Jazz-Exercise for adults, adult tap dance, Disco-Jazz for children ages 7-12, Hawaiian Dance for ages 7-12.

Arts & Crafts for children aged 4-12, Beginning Acrylic Painting, for adults, Guitar for third grade through adult, and Movie-Making, the Recreation Department also offers a Resume Writing Workshop, Cross Country Ski Clinics, Square Dancing for adults, Intermediate Square Dancing, Teen Wheelers for teens.

Clubs and Leisure time activities include the following: Shuffleboard Club, Chess Club, Community Chorus, Duplicate Bridge, Party Bridge, Rock and Mineral Club, Paint-for-Fun and Oil Painting.

Free movies for children will be shown the fourth Saturday of each month from 10 a.m. to noon. Also, the second annual Easter Arts & Crafts show will take place on March 30, 31 and April 1.


In cooperation with the Plymouth Recreation Department, SEMTA offers the use of an 11-passenger van to Plymouth residents over 55 on

the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month to a local shopping center.

Also for seniors is a nutrition program Monday through Friday at noon at Tonquish Creek Manor, 1160 Sheridan. Reservations may be made at the site, in person, or by calling 455-6620 from 8:30 to 5 p.m.

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Economic panel squelched

Plymouth Township's trustees denied a request last Tuesday to form an economic panel, an Economic Development Corporation (EDC) designed to lure industry into municipalities.

Made possible by state law, EDC's provide low-cost funding to business to lure them into cities or townships. They may also help existing businesses expand. Both the City of Plymouth and Canton Township have EDC's.

"Most communities that have EDC's are desperate for development," said Trustee

Maurice Breen. "They don't fit our community."

Breen and Trustee Gerald Law reported to the board on whether the township should form an EDC.

The corporations can draw industry to the township, but some persons claim that these firms, with the low-cost loans, "compete unfairly with established businesses," said Law.

A firm from Toledo, Landmark Consultants, asked the board in December to form an EDC. A representative of the firm said it would aid his

company develop an industrial part in the township. The board unanimously rejected the EDC proposal.

Skiing, anyone?

Fellows Creek Golf Course will be open for cross country skiing on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings from 6 to 10 p.m. on Jan. 30 and 31, Feb. 6 and 7, Feb. 13 and 14, and Feb. 20 and 21.

Fees for skiing are: \$3 for the first hour, \$2 for the second hour and \$1 for the third hour plus a \$10 deposit on skis.

Residents with their own skis must pay \$1 for the evening and non-residents will be charged \$2 for the evening.

For more information or to make reservations for your ski sizes, call Barb Abdo at the Canton Parks and Recreation Department. The number is 397-1000, ext. 212.

S'mobile swiped

A snowmobile was stolen from Gary Lyons, 14114 Washington in Plymouth Township on the night of Jan. 20, State Police report.



briefcase

A home decorating business called the Decorating Den opens Jan. 8 in Plymouth-Canton. Operating out of a van, the service is owned by Denise Woodward, 459-2020.

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Paul T. Mooney was named Vice President of Universal Hydro-Test Corporation of Ann Arbor effective Jan. 1.

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Sports

11-0 record

Salem cagers still skyhigh

BY ERIC OLSON

The old sports axiom that a team will be flat in its next game after playing and winning a big game did not hold true for the Salem basketball team Friday night as the Rocks defeated Belleville, 87-57.

Last Tuesday, Salem won its Suburban eight showdown against Bentley, 69-67, in overtime. The victory over Bentley put Salem alone atop the Sub-8 standings and it created a possibility of a letdown in their next game.

However, the Rocks came out from the opening tap still skyhigh from Tuesday night at Bentley. Salem lead for the entire contest as they

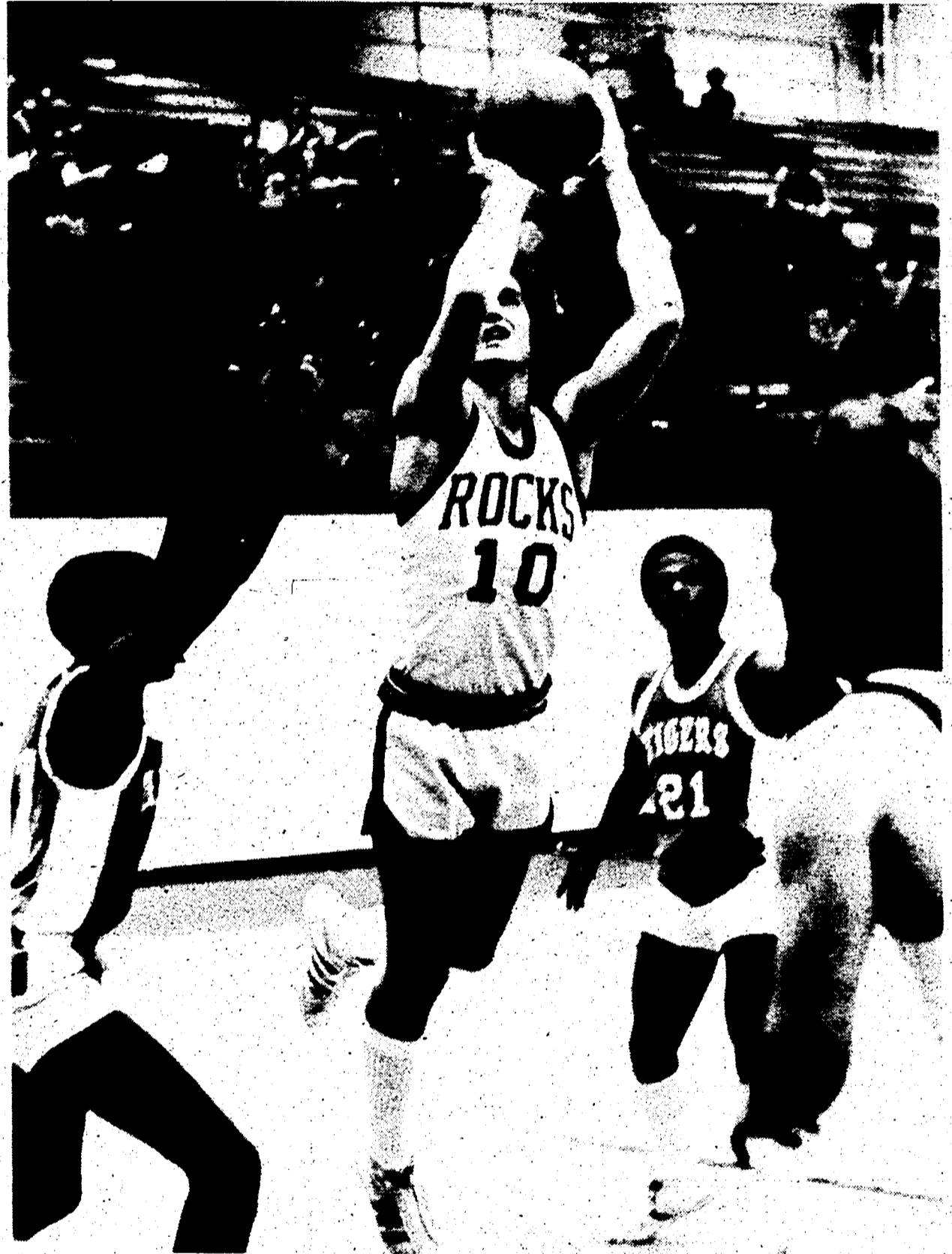
tallied the first six points and reeled off strings of 11 and 15 unanswered points in the first half to hold a 44-23 advantage at intermission.

Salem is now 11-0 on the season and is 5-0 in Suburban Eight action.

The 15-point spree was sparked by the play of substitute guard Paul Dillon who had five steals. On one play he dove to steal the ball and while he was on the floor he flipped the ball to teammate Matt Etienne who got a fast-break layup off the pass.

Kevin Kelliher paced four Salem players in double figures with 17 points and he was

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HANG FIRE. Barry Owens (No. 10) for Salem hangs in mid-air and changes his shot to avoid a defender during the Rock's 87-57 bomb-

ing of Belleville on Friday. (Crier photo by Steve Settles.)

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Bentley stops Chiefs

BY PATTY RADZIK

Twelve personal fouls in the fourth quarter hampered a comeback bid by the Canton basketball team as they dropped their third game of the

season to Livonia Bentley at home last night, 67-60.

Trailing 51-39 in the third period, the Chiefs came alive

with the help of some great defensive play to tie the contest a 58 points apiece with

1:47 remaining in the final period.

Seconds later the Chiefs went ahead by one point on a Rusty Mandle basket, but there the rally stopped as Bentley tallied the last eight points of the game.

The game's momentum shif-

ted after Chief players Mike Leary and Mike Gollnick fouled out.

The Bulldoga capitalized on Chief fouls and errors to win in the final minutes.

Guard Butch King was the high scorer for Canton with 22 points and Bentley's John Booth paced all scorers with 26.

Canton drubs Chargers, 84-52

BY PATTY RADZIK

What was rumored to be a big game, turned out to be somewhat less than what was expected, as the Canton Chiefs refreshed their first place lead in the Western Six, breezing past rival Livonia Churchill on Friday, 84-52.

Eleven of 12 players scored for the Chiefs, with Butch King coming out on top with 18 points. Mike Gollnick punched in 13, and Rusty



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Mandle and Scott Adler both added 12.

Canton Coach Craig Bell praised the efforts he received from the bench, citing Adler with having a "fine game." Adler led in the assist department, aiding in five baskets, while Mandle was the top rebounder, taking down eight of the Chiefs' 35 total rebounds, opposed to the Chargers 21.

The victory was the fourth one in a row without a loss for Canton, and also the third straight contest in which the Chiefs have scored over 80 points.

Canton held Churchill to eight points in the second quarter on their way to a 36-20 half-time lead. Then in the third and fourth periods the Chiefs exhibited their board domination, dropping in 48 points while Churchill scored 32.

"They (Churchill) are a good team," Bell said after the win. "But we have been playing well, scoring high and performing great on defense."

Canton will have to keep its skills alive for what's ahead on the schedule. First Livonia Bentley will invade Chief territory on Tuesday, in what just might be called the battle of the giants. "They're a big team, but so are we," Bell said. "We should match up to them height wise." Bell went on to say, "We must control the boards. We have to be very competi-

tive. The man we'll have to watch out for is Eric Thorderson. He's a fine player." Thorderson's most recent efforts bagged him 23 points against Edsel Ford and 18 opposing Salem.

This Friday night will be an all important one for Canton, as they meet the team chasing them for first place in the Western Six. The Northville Mustangs are 3-1 in the league, and a loss to them could be costly for the Chiefs. "Northville is starting to play well," Bell stated. "It's a key game and a very important one for us. We'd like to go through the first part of our season undefeated."

Both contests are at home and start at 8:00 with the junior varsity contest beginning at 6:30.

Correction

In last week's Crier, Jan. 17, it was stated that Rob Neu scored the winning basket in Salem's 69-67 overtime game against Bentley, however it was Barry Owens who sank the winning basket.



BUTCH KING (no. 22) of Canton drives in for two of his 18 points in Friday's game. (Crier photo by Steve Settles.)

Wrestlers sixth

The Salem wrestling team placed sixth in its own tournament held last weekend. The Rocks were hurt by injuries in the lower and middle weight classes.

Mt. Clemens, which had finished fourth in the Schoolcraft Invitational Tournament a week earlier, was the champion with 165½ points and Ypsilanti was second with a total of 159½ points.

Salem's Joe Piccola at 167 pounds has been lost for the season because of an appendicitis attack and Mark Ross at 128 pounds was forced to

sit out the competition because of an ankle injury.

John Glenn placed third, Trenton fourth, and Farmington fifth to round out the top five in the tournament of 16 teams.

Trenton entered the tournament ranked third in the state in Class A.

Jim Schultz at 100 pounds and Jeff Brown at 114 pounds were individual winners for the Rocks as each won on a decision.

Canton's Tom Harreld placed third at 107 pounds.

Hockey registration

The Plymouth Recreation Department is now taking registrations for a Spring Hockey League. Fee is \$64 per team which covers officials, trophies and ice time for the last 2 games.

Registration deadline is Friday, March 9, games begin March 26. Guarantee of 14

games. Contact Al Campbell at 459-6444 for further information.

Cagers change game

The Salem basketball game originally scheduled for yesterday, Tuesday, Jan. 23, was changed to today, Wednesday, Jan. 24 against Dearborn Fordson (away) with the junior varsity contest beginning at 6 p.m.

The Salem girls gymnastics team has added Ypsilanti on Wednesday, Jan. 31 away starting

at 7 p.m. This meet will take the place of the Taylor Center High meet on Feb. 21 which was dropped.

Rock tankers drop first in loop

BY PATTY RADZIK

The Salem swim team dropped its' first league meet of the season to Belleville last Thursday, 55-30. The loss, to one of the three strongest teams in the Suburban Seven, put the Rocks standing at poolside with a 4-2 record.

The medley relay team started the night off by finishing second with a time of

1:48.2. Bruce Harwood, Mike Simone, Kirk Albert and Dave Hopper swam in the event.

Russ Schaffer came in first in the 200 freestyle race with a time of 1:57.8. Jeff Stella completed the 200-yard IM in third place with a 2:15.9 timing and later finished third again in the 100 freestyle.

Hopper placed second in the 50-yard freestyle and Albert did the same in the 100-yard

butterfly, with a time of 55.8.

In the diving competition, Salem's Gale Mellnick captured third place with a total of 147.05 points.

"We didn't swim too bad," Rock Coach Chuck Olson said. "Unfortunately, it wasn't well enough to win."

Salem's next opponent is Dearborn Edsel Ford on Thursday night at home starting at 7 p.m.

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Girls "B" League	
Dolphins	6-0
T-Birds	5-1
Wings	4-2
76ers	2-4

Stars	2-4
Flyers	3-3
Blues	1-5
Appollos	1-5
WEEKS RESULTS: T-Birds 28, 76ers 22; Dolphins 41, Blues 22; Appollos 28, Stars 22; Flyers 28, Wings 25.	

Girls "AA" League	
Dolphins	5-1
Jays	5-1
Jets	2-4
Angels	0-6
WEEKS RESULTS: Jays 36, Angels 13; Dolphins 41, Jets 29.	

Boys "AAA" League	
Bucks	7-0
Jazz	5-2
Spurs	3-4
Warriors	2-5
Pistons	2-5
Suns	2-5

Boys "AA" League	
Wildcats	6-2
Wolverines	6-2
Buckeyes	6-2
Badgers	6-2
Hawkeyes	4-3
Illini	4-4
Hoosiers	3-5
Spartans	2-6
Boilermakers	1-6
Gophers	1-7
WEEKS RESULTS: Buck-	

eyes 48, Hoosiers 43; Badgers 42, Gophers 41; Wolverines 72, Spartans 48; Hoosiers 39, Boilermakers 38; Buckeyes 40, Hawkeyes 33; Badgers 67, Spartans 61; Wildcats 37, Illini 36; Wolverines 43, Gophers 27.

Boys "A" League NATIONAL	
Bulls	6-0
Cougars	5-1
Pistons	5-1
Warriors	4-2
Stags	3-3
76ers	1-5
Sonics	0-6
Nats	0-6

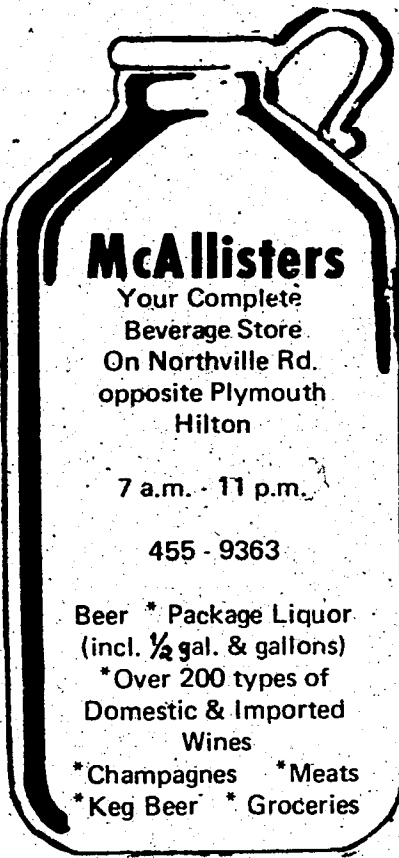
AMERICAN	
Bullets	5-1
Chargers	4-1
Royals	4-2
Celtics	3-2

Mustangs	3-3
Rocks	2-4
Lakers	1-5
Knicks	1-5
WEEKS RESULTS: Bulls 56, Knicks 36; Warriors 53, Nats 31; Royals 54, Rocks 36; Bulls 38, 76ers 21; Cougars 37; Pistons 36; Mustangs 46, Lakers 32; Stags 49, Sonics 45.	

Boys "B" League NATIONAL	
Hawks	6-0
Trojans	5-1
Bullets	4-2
Cougars	3-3
76ers	3-3
Stags	3-3
Idogs	3-3
Warriors	2-4

Nats	1-5
Bulls	0-6
AMERICAN	
Pistons	6-0
Mustangs	5-1
Rocks	4-2
Sonics	3-3
Lakers	3-3
Darts	3-3
Royals	2-4
Knicks	2-4
Chargers	1-5
Celtics	1-5

WEEKS RESULTS: Stags 27, Warriors 22; Bulldogs 56, 76ers 50; Nats 28, Bulls 16; Bulldogs 33, Cougars 27; Hawks 48, Trojans 30; Chargers 22, Celtics 16; Darts 23, Royals 19; Lakers 32, Knicks 31; Mustangs 41, Sonics 37; Pistons 34, Rocks 29.	
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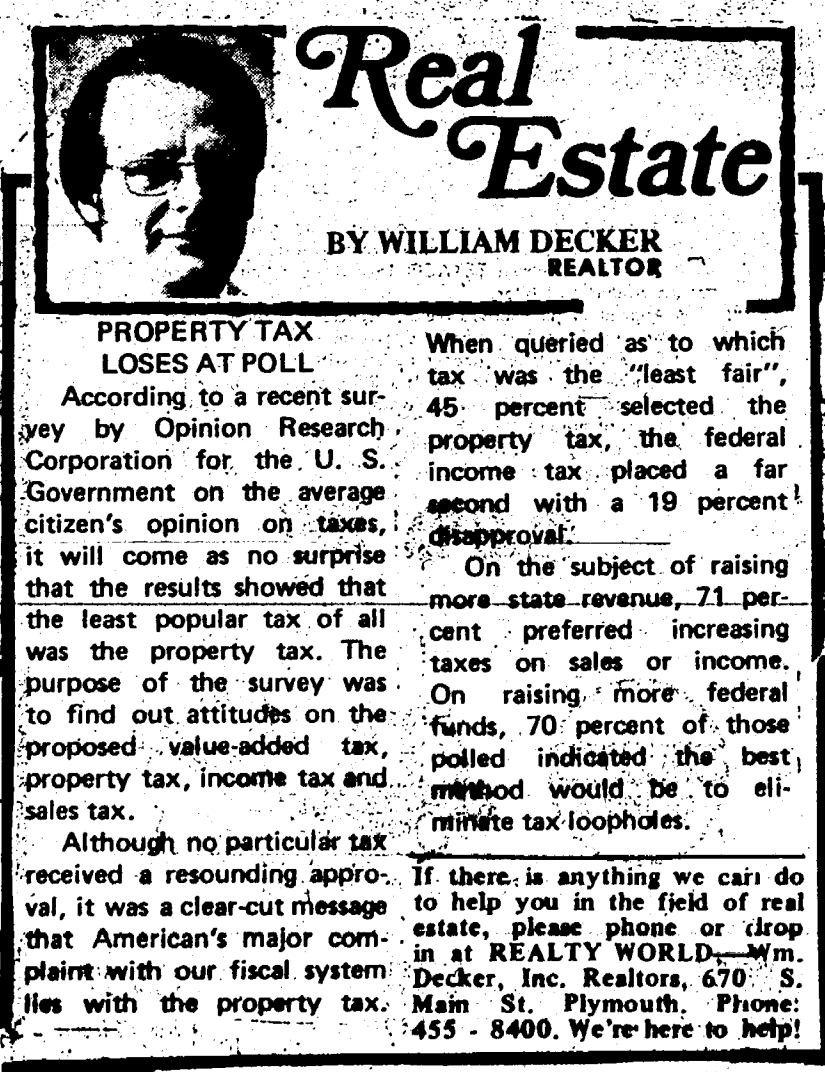


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When queried as to which tax was the "least fair", 45 percent selected the property tax, the federal income tax placed a far second with a 19 percent disapproval.

On the subject of raising more state revenue, 71 percent preferred increasing taxes on sales or income. On raising more federal funds, 70 percent of those polled indicated the best method would be to eliminate tax loopholes.

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Chief tankers dominate

Canton High School tankers overpowered Walled Lake Western on Thursday night, 100-72, by capturing seven first places and several second-place awards on Thursday night.

The victory raised the Chief record to 5-0 this season. Chief swimmers jumped to a first immediately by taking the 200-yard medley relay. Jeff Seippel, John Hawkins, Vince Tobin and Dave Smith swam the event in 1:55 flat.

A second medley team of Dave Tanner, Mike Gaab, Bob Cline and Paul Petersen captured a first in the 400-yard freestyle and also set a new pool record. They pared 2.1 seconds off the old record set last year by Tanner, Gaab, Petersen and Steve Wood. The new record is 3:27.2.

First places were also taken by Petersen, Gaab, Smith, Seippel and diver Steve Gray in individual events.

Petersen swam the 200-yard individual medley in 2:04.5; Gaab swam the 50-yard freestyle in 24.5; Smith swam the 100-yard freestyle in 55.9; and Seippel swam the 100-

yard backstroke in 1:07.9 for first-place awards.

Diver Steve Gray took a first with 158.25 points.

Coach Bill Faunce said he was also pleased with performances by Troy Haarala who took two seconds in the 200-yard freestyle and the 500-yard freestyle and sophomore Vince Tobin who took a second in the 100-yard

butterfly and improved his time.

The next meet for the swimmers will be on Thursday night. The team will swim against Redford Union and Detroit Catholic Central. "It will be the toughest encounter we've had this season," said Faunce.

The meet starts at 7 p.m. at Redford Union.

Sign-up for soccer

Plymouth Parks and Recreation Spring Soccer Registration will begin on Monday, Jan. 29 and run through Friday, Feb. 16 at the Plymouth Cultural Center. Fee is \$12 per child with a maximum charge of \$30 per family. Registration for play in the Western Suburban Soccer League is open to all boys and girls in the Plymouth-Canton School District. If registering a child for the first time be sure to bring in a birth certificate or baptismal record.

Spiker loop standings

As of 1/18			
	W	L	GB
Tuesday League			
Net Mates	2	0	X
Speedy Printing	2	0	X

Goat Farm	2	0	X
Bonanza	1	1	1
Part Land	0	1	1 1/2
Rogues Gallery	0	1	1 1/2
Team No. 5	0	2	2
Nvl. Comm.			
Cr. Union	0	2	2

sports happenings

Wed., Jan. 24	Salem B-ball	Fordson	T	6
	Canton Gym	Belleville	H	7
	Salem Volleyball	Trenton	T	7
	Canton Volleyball	Ypsilanti	T	7
Thur., Jan. 25	Canton Volleyball	W.L. Western	T	7
	Salem Wrestling	Bentley	T	6:30
	Canton Wrestling	Mott	H	6:30
	Salem Swimming	Edsel Ford	H	7
	Canton Swimming	Tri-meet	RU	7
Fri., Jan. 26	Canton B-ball	Northville	T	6:30
	Salem B-ball	Edsel Ford	H	6:30
Sat., Jan. 27	Salem Wrestling	Monroe	T	9 a.m.
Mon., Jan. 29	Salem Gym	Harrison	T	7
	Canton Gym	W.L. Central	T	7
	Salem Volleyball	Bentley	T	7
	Canton Volleyball	Mott	H	7
Tues., Jan. 30	Salem B-ball	Glenn	H	6:30
	Canton B-ball	Thurston	T	6:30

Wednesday League			
PWP Navy	2	0	X
Dirty Dozen	2	0	X
Rainbows	2	0	X
The Scruffs	1	1	1
New Comers Blue	1	1	1
New Comers Red	1	1	1
Red Dogs	1	1	1
Golden Spikes	0	2	2
Peninsular Mach.	0	2	2
PWP Royal	0	2	2

Tickets for sale

The Plymouth Recreation Department is offering Detroit Pistons Discount Tickets for the Piston game scheduled Sunday, Jan. 28, 1979 versus the San Diego Clippers at 1:45 p.m. Tickets are \$4.50 per person. The regular price is \$7 per person for these lower level seats.



SALEM'S RICH HEWLETT looks for a cutter down the middle to pass to during Friday night's win over Belleville, 87-57. Hewlett had 16 points for the Rocks. (Crier photo by Steve Settles.)

Second quarter spurt lifts Rocks

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followed by Rich Hewlett with 16, Etienne with 10, and Bill Thimm with a dozen.

The second half was more of the same as the Rocks had 10 unanswered markers in the third quarter including six points by Etienne in the last 38 seconds of the third period.

Thimm also highlighted the second half for Salem as he had 10 points in it as he dominated the boards at both ends of the court.

Other scorers for Salem were: Howard Monk, 9; Rob. Neu, eight; Brian Kelliher, four; and Eric Height, Jim Anderson, Paul Dillon, John Van Wagoner, and Barry Owens, all with two points.

Chief spikers now 1-1

What started out to be an easy victory, turned into a close call for the Canton volleyball team last Monday as they evened out their record defeating Farmington Harrison (coached by Salem alumni Peggy Moore) 15-3, 15-11.

The Chiefs, now 1-1 in the young season, thought they

had the match all wrapped up in the second game, when in reality they were behind 7-11. "I was surprised we pulled through," Canton Coach Cindi Burnstein said. "We started goofing around and trying weird stuff when finally we said hey we better get going."

Jill Pederson was credited

with having a good game, supplying several service aces. "Our serving was good," Burnstein added. "We're glad that we won, however, we should have played alot better."

The Chiefs will travel to Ypsilanti tonight for a contest that will feature the junior varsity at 7:00, with the varsity to follow at eight.

Register now for skiing

The Plymouth Recreation Department is sponsoring Cross Country Ski Clinics on Thursday, Jan. 25 beginning at 7 p.m.

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Team No. 6	1	6	6
Rusty Nail	1	6	6
Federal Pipe & Steel	0	7	7

Skating starting soon

Registration for Session III of Fall Figure Skating lessons will be held on Saturday, Jan.

27 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Fee is \$14 for residents of the Plymouth-Canton school district and \$18 for non-residents.

Session III begins on Monday, February 5.

Rental skates should be reserved at this time also. Registration will take place at the Plymouth Cultural Center. The lessons run for eight weeks of 25-minute sessions.

RESULTS: Wagenschutz, 72; Team No. 4, 67; McAllisters Party Store, 73; Rusty Nail Lounge, 55; Air Tite Insulation, 48; Little Caesars, 42; Team No. 6, 60; Fed. Pipe & Steel, 39; Maaco Auto Ptg., 74; Century 21, 68; Air Tite Insulation, 67; Wagenschutz, 47.



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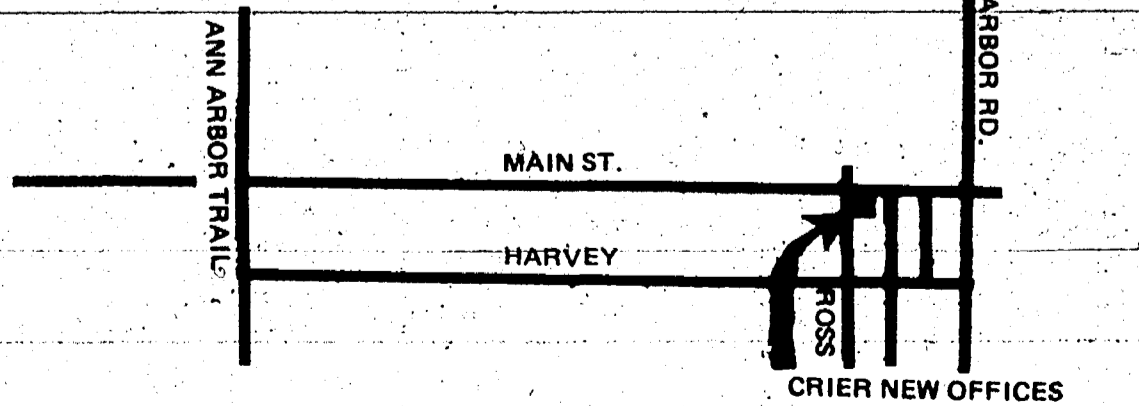
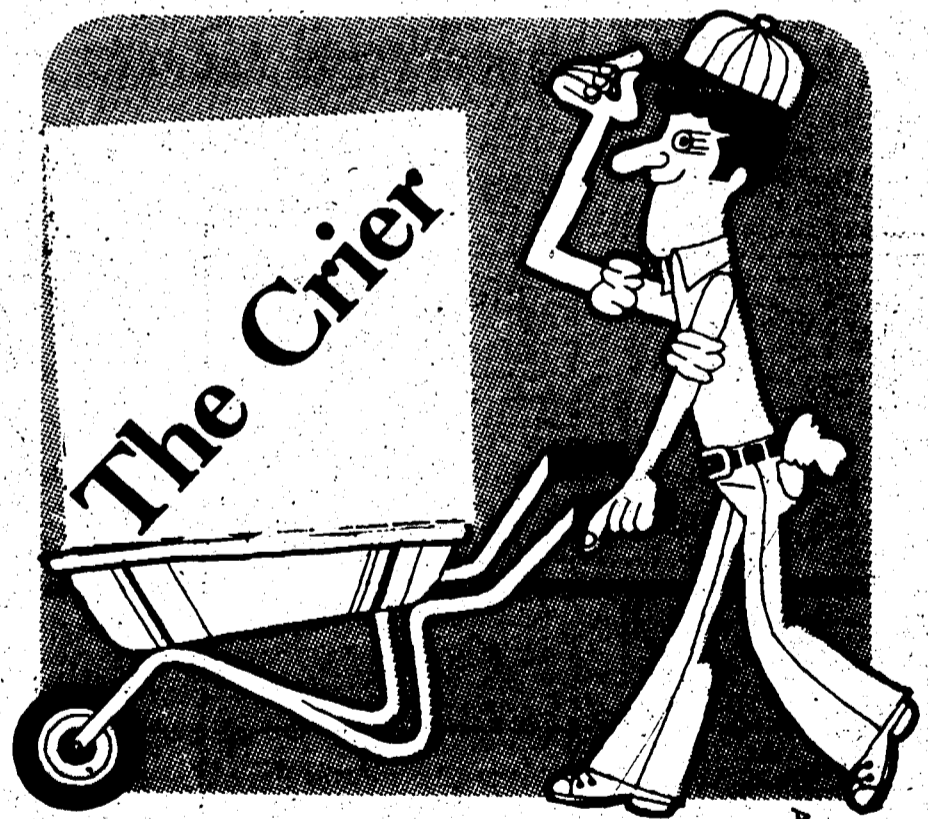
DURING HALFTIME of the Salem basketball game and before the Canton game Friday night there was a recognition of Salem-Canton athletic boosters and supporters. Those honored were: Leo Calhoun, Dan Wolfman, John Gaffield, Betty Stremich, Jim Somers, Jim McKeon, Chuck Heidt, Ken Currie, Margaret

Wilson, Howard Schryer, Jim Sinclair, George Lawton, Dave Cook, Bill Keefer, and Arthur Gerish. Salem principal Bill Brown said they were honored for their outstanding donations of time, money, knowledge, and equipment. (Crier photo by Steve Settles.)

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CC sprouted a woolly-looking black growth on his head.

Chicago Willy to Staff: I thought the move was last week.

TUCKER EATS' veal Oscar (with a little help from Larry Janes), clear mushroom soup, Caesar salad and baked upside-down Alaska . . . with lots of wine.

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

Notice is hereby given that on the 23rd day of January 1979, true copies of the minutes of the Regular meeting of the City Commission held on Wednesday, January 3, 1979, at 7:30 p.m., were posted on the official bulletin boards of the City of Plymouth, located at the Southeast corner of the intersection of S. Main Street and Penniman Avenue; the Southeast corner of the intersection of Starkweather Avenue and W. Liberty Street; the South entrance of the Central Parking Lot facing S. Harvey Street, and also on the bulletin board in the City Hall at 201 S. Main Street. These minutes are posted in accordance with Section 5.11 of the City Charter for the benefit and information of all interested citizens of the City of Plymouth.
PAUL V. BRUMFIELD,
CITY CLERK

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Curiosities

HOPE YOU'RE READY KOREA — Rob Stevens is back. (At least they haven't raised the drinking age there.)

MANY THANKS to the fine Crier staffers who have not only been publishing a paper each week, but getting our new office ready as well. The mgmt.

THE REEF MORSE national forest won't be so little known now that Scot Allen cut his mark. Great job.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY Hazel Markham — your great granddaughter.

ASK DON BIDWELL why he was so nervous Saturday! Does that half Windsor knot look ok, Don? Congratulations - J, J, E & T

To the Parkhurst hockey team and Curt and Sonny — Thanks for the push. Jen.

Dolly Carson is 45 years old. Happy birthday, Dolly. Love, your little sister.

Congratulations, CINDY WELCH, you are this week's \$10 gift certificate winner at Young Sophisticats.

Peter Criss sends his best wishes to Jenny Jones on her 8th birthday as well as Gene, Ace, and Paul.

I won!! I have a gray desk.

Have to wake up real early to slip one by the Keek.

CC's ears are a lot warmer now. Thanx, MAC & CGCIII



TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH BOARD OF TRUSTEES - SPECIAL MEETING JANUARY 12, 1979

A Special Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Township of Plymouth was held in the Township Hall, Friday, January 12, 1979, for the purpose of awarding the architectural bid for the remodeling of the Township Hall.

PRESENT: Maurice Breen, Barbara Lynch, Joseph West, Esther Hulsing, Thomas Notebaert.
ABSENT: Lee Fidge, Gerald Law (at work).

ALSO PRESENT: Michael Bailey, Township Engineer.

The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Notebaert at 4:05 p.m.

Lynch moved that the contract for the renovation drawings be awarded to M.A. Boggio Associates and that the Supervisor and Clerk be authorized to sign the contract. Supported by Breen. Ayes all.

West moved to adjourn at 4:15 p.m. Supported by Lynch. Ayes all.

Approved,
THOMAS G. NOTEBAERT,
SUPERVISOR
Respectfully submitted,
ESTHER HULSING,
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS CITY OF PLYMOUTH, MICHIGAN

At a meeting of the Zoning Board of Appeals to be held in the Commission Chamber of the City Hall on Thursday, February 1, 1979, at 7:30 p.m., a public hearing will be held to consider the following:

APPEAL CASE NO. 79-1 -
CAROL TAIT FAMILY TRUST (by Clifford W. Tait), 1260 Linden Street, Plymouth, Michigan 48170, requesting permission to construct a 12 ft. x 16 ft. family room and attached 24 ft. x 22 ft. garage, 6 feet from the north property line, and that the requirement of an obscuring screen between the parking area and the adjacent residential property be waived, at 650 Forest Avenue, located in a RM-1 (Multiple-Family Residential District) zoning, which are in conflict with Section 5.185 of Article XIV and Section 5.204 (1)(a) of Article XV of Chapter 52, Zoning, of the Plymouth City Code.

Section 5.185 provides that the minimum side yard setback shall be 10 feet and Section 5.204(1)(a) provides that an obscuring screen 4'6" in height is required in a RM-1 District on all sides of a parking area abutting or adjacent to a residential district.

All interested parties will be given an ample opportunity to participate in the hearing and, at the close of said hearing, all comments and suggestions of those citizens participating will be considered by the Zoning Board of Appeals prior to rendering its decision.

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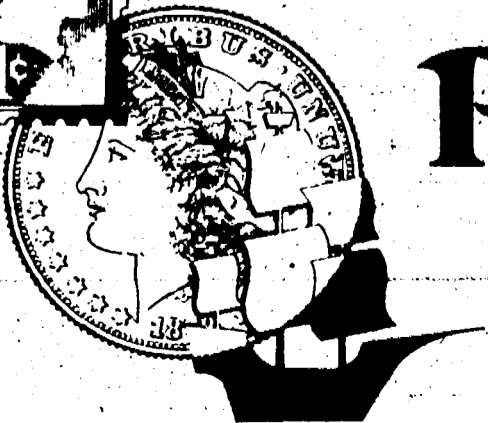
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