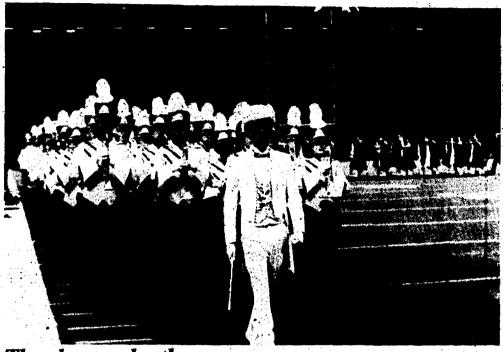


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SCHOUL PLYMOLITI CENTENNIAL CANTON, MI. JAMES GRIFFITH

They know who they are

Regardless of what the scoreboard says, the CEP Marching Band from Salem and Canton high schools in the township of Canton participated in the Bands of America Grand National

Championship Saturday in the Pontiac Silverdome. The band placed 15th out of more than 50 bands from the Midwest. (Crier photos by Jerry Carson)

by ken voyles 🥳 bers in the Plymonth-

per a chance to put their children in a secret daycare area.

That's if the Board of Education rès the okay to allow a pilot program e during the 1987-26 achool aid Patricia Reese, a scalf psychologist and the developer of the

"It's pretty preliminary right now," Reese and, "If we get the board's okay to get a license we want to be in partnership with the district."

Reese said she will be presenting a plan to the board within the next month for a pilet program which Please see page 32

People seem to have ROCK: polarized attitudes towards the Plymouthrock Saloon. Are local police harassing the establishment, or are the saloon's owners irresponsible? See pages 3, 18-20.

Where does a local DUMPS: legislator go when in Europe? See page 7.

She may have just de-RUTH: livered this newspaper to you even as you read this. She's known to Canton seniors and The Community-at-large. See page 12.

Schools examine \$\$ options

BY KEN VOYLES

School officials in the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools looked at various election options during Monday's Board of Education meeting.

Included in the discussion was talk of yet another Headlee Amendment waiver vote, as well as the idea of seeking a special election to increase the district's millage tax levy.

"In our preliminary discussions we looked at a March election date," said district Superintendent John M. Hoben, who has met with his cabinet to work out possible election details. "We need time to have an adequate campaign and promote a millage vote."

The board did not, however, take any action during the Monday workshop session.

But Hoben made it clear to the board that the district needs to move quickly to set an election date. He told the board that they need to make some kind of decision by the end of the month.

"We haven't made a recomendation but I think ontion 'C' is viable," Hoben said.

Hoben's option 'C' would entail calling a special election and asking voters to approve a one mill tax increase.

The board also discussed an option which would feature yet another Headlee waiver vote. District voters have already rejected two such requests.

superintendent for business, district lost .98 mills (or \$1.1 million) due to the Headlee Amendment rollback this year. The district also suffered a loss of \$2 million in state membership aid this year for a combined loss of \$3.1 million.

The district was forced to make nearly \$1.5 million in cuts following the defeat of the second Headlee vote and absorbed another \$1.7 million from the fund balance to cover the funding losses.

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Bush comes to town

Vice President George Bush will visit Plymouth Saturday during a fundraiser for U.S. Rep. Carl Pursell.

Bush's visit will come at an invitation-only brunch to raise funds for Pursell's bid for a seventh term as congressman in the November 1988 election. Pursell represents the 2nd Congressional District, which includes all of Plymouth and Plymouth Township.

The brunch will be held at Pursell's Plymouth Township home.

Meijer rezoning issue considered

The Plymouth Township Board of Trustees was to have voted last night on a rezoning request that would lead to the construction of a Meijer Thrifty Acres store at the corner of Schoolcraft and Haggerty roads.

The 31.62-acre parcel, on the southwest corner of that intersection, has been under scrutiny by neighboring residents who are opposed to a Meijer development there. Plymouth Township voters rejected on Nov. 3 a proposal by those residents to locate a township park on that site at a cost of 3.5 mills for one year.

The rezoning request by Goodwill Company, Inc. asks that the parcel be changed from industrial to commercial use.

The Plymouth Township Planning Commission recommended According to Ray Hoedel, associate approval of the rezoning at its Sept. 16 meeting.

A message from Oakwood Health Services

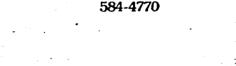
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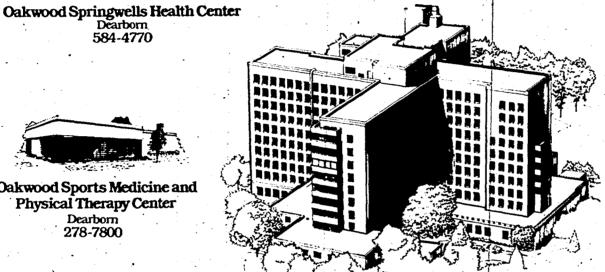


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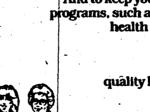
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The saloon that refuses to die

The police chief's story:

BY PAUL GARGARO

Are bars stringently fined or punished severely enough for violating state liquor laws?

"No!" insists Plymouth Township Police Chief Carl Berry, who cites the Plymouthrock Saloon on General Drive at Joy Road as his main example.

Berry's frustration was heightened following a fatal auto accident which involved a minor who had been served at the Plymouthrock last Dec. 13, according to police. The minor and her companion survived the deadly crash but Dorcas Aumann, of Canton, was killed when her westbound car was struck by the vehicle of the Plymouthrock patrons.

Of the 12 violations levied against the saloon by the Michigan Liquor Control Commission (LCC), all but two were dropped and the saloon ended up paying \$600 in fines and \$77.25 in expenses.

Responding to allegations that the township police department is picking on the Plymouthrock, Berry adamantly denies that the department is giving unwarranted attention to the establishment.

"If there are problems, then yes, we'll address them," said Berry. "They've always made those charges. They used to make them when Canton Township (police) used to sit across the street."

Plymouthrock owners cried foul when on one occasion, Berry sent four underage kids into the bar to try to get served. Berry, though, maintains that this tactic was not exclusively used against the Plymouthrock Saloon.

"We hit almost every place in the township that night," said Berry. "There were several places that got violations that night. We've addressed LCC violations all over the township, not just there."

Berry, though, believes that the problem transcends the establishments who sell liquor to minors. In his opinion, the laws of the Michigan LCC carry insufficient penalties.

"A \$200 or \$400 fine for a business is pocket change," said Berry. "If we've got places serving minors, then something more significant should be done.

"If those places break the law then we're going to have to take steps to solve those problems," Berry said. "As it stands, the punishments aren't fitting the crimes."

Berry was to have presented the findings of the LCC regarding the 12 charges against the Plymouthrock Saloon to the township board of trustees at their meeting last night.

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— Carl Berry,
Plymouth Twp.
police chief

Plymouthrock's story:

BY DAN NESS

Pete Elefterio says he has nothing to hide.

That's what makes the 45-year-old majority shareholder of the Plymouthrock Saloon, at Joy Road and General Drive in Plymouth Township, so angry with local police agencies.

According to Elefterio, his business has been decreased "more than half" as a direct result of what he calls police harassment.

According to Elefterio, the Canton Police Department started harassing his patrons, then the Plymouth Township Police Department took over.

"When Canton stopped, they started. I can get you 40 customers to tell you about police harassment," he says.

Elefterio tells stories of Canton and Plymouth Township police cars parked near the Plymouthrock waiting for customers to leave, then pulling them over to check for drunk driving. Elefterio was pulled over himself one night, he recalls, and he passed the breath test the officer conducted.

Elefterio says personal differences with Plymouth Township Police Chief Carl Berry have led to the undue scrutiny of his establishment. "It's like I told him, 'If you're gonna put a car out there, put a car at all of the bars,'" he says.

Elefterio estimates that the Plymouthrock Saloon has lost \$200,000 in business each year since the "police harassment" began. Before that time, his place packed them in, he says. "Wednesday night through Saturday night, you couldn't get in here."

Now, the situation has changed. Once patrons figured out that the Plymouthrock Saloon was a favorite target of local police agencies, they didn't come back, Elefterio maintains. "I'm talking about customers that have been here four or five years, and they just stopped coming in," he says.

"It hurt us a lot," says Kathryn Mattson, Elefterio's fiance, and former manager of the Plymouthrock. "This place was jammed all the time."

Elefterio points out that the police cars parked near his place has subsided recently. "I'd say the last four months it's backed off." He would like to keep it that way.

"You get into a fight with the police and you're gonna lose."

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— Pete Elefterio, Plymouthrock Saloon owner



The Plymouthrock Saloon on General Drive at Joy Road as seen one morning. (Crier photo)

The situation:

Bruce and Dorcas Aumann were driving their car along Joy Road at 7:30 p.m. on the dark evening of Dec. 13, 1986

As they came to the I-275 overpass, their car was struck head-on by another car traveling on the wrong side of the road with no headlights on, say police.

Dorcas Aumann, 67, was killed.

While Bruce Aumann mourns the loss of his wife, Yvonne Hillier, 20, spends her days in the Coldwater Correctional Facility in western Michigan, serving time for manslaughter as the driver of the car that killed Dorcas Aumann.

On Nov. 3, the Michigan Liquor Control Commission (LCC) found the Plymouthrock owner, Var-Ken, Inc. guilty on two of the original 12 charges stemming from the 1986 incident and fined the company \$600 plus costs of \$77.25.

The Aumann death was the fourth fatality allegedly connected with patrons coming from the Plymouthrock Saloon, at 8825 General Drive by Joy Road in Plymouth Township, since it opened in October, 1981.

The restaurant's proprietor, Pete Elefterio, says his business has been the target of police harassment by as many as four police agencies. Specifically, Elefterio says the Plymouth Township Police Department has been

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- Chronology of events
- Driver tells her story behind bars
- The accident
- The survivor sues

Parents want sex ed. texts out

RY KEN VOYI ES

There is another group of parents in the community -- Concerned Catholic Parents of Plymouth -- upset by the use of teaching materials, this time at Our Lady of Good Counsel in Plymouth.

The newly formed association - they only came into the public eye back in October - is protesting the New Creations sex education series taught on a voluntary basis every Wednesday to students of Our Lady, and the use of a book by the same name.

The group (with 30 members currently) charges that the textbook for the course is graphically explicit when it deals with the male and female body. They are angered that such material is available to the young students at Our Lady (first through eighth graders.)

"The material is very explicit," said Dorothy Leahy, a member of the group. "We want the removal of this series from our school."

The group has picketed the Wednesday night course for the past two weeks and plans to do so again tonight.

"We're planning a very large picket Wednesday," said Leahy. "They're (Our Lady) going to continue (using the material) until told they can't by the Archdiocese of Detroit. I think that will be very soon."

"The course is completely voluntary and in addition it requires positive parental consent," said Jay Berman, director of communications for the archdiocese. "There is also a parallel program for parents."

Berman said the New Creations program is in use in more than half of the archdioceses in the United States. The text has been "repeatedly" reviewed, he added.

"We're trying to respond to their concerns," Berman said. "I'm afraid when somebody says we want it out, though, we're not going to respond to that.'

Of the 331 parishes in the Detroit archdiocese, more than 200 offer some form of sex education or "human love" education, said Berman.

Berman said he has got the "impression? the local group is against any form of sex education.

"Frankly there is no way the church can deal with that," he explained. "In our case there is no force feeding and no punitive actions if parents don't like it or don't want their children involved.1

In a statement from Berman to

members of the group he wrote, "Parents have the responsibility, and the right, to be the primary educators of their children in human love and human sexuality."

He adds, "But parents making a choice not to participate do not have the right to force that decision on other parents who elect to involve themselves and their families in the offered instruction."



Public notices

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Board of Education of Plymouth-Canton Community Schools invites the submission of sealed bids on DEMOLITION WORK and ROOFING WORK for GEER RESTORATION PROJECT. Bids will be received until 2:00 p.m. - Thursday, December 10, 1987 at the Board of Education Building, 454 S. Harvey Street, Plymouth, Michigan. Specifications and bid forms may be obtained at the Purchasing Office or Alexander Associates Architects, 4825 Washtenaw, Ann Arbor, Michigan (313/572-0870). The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and/or all bids. Any bids submitted will be binding for sixty days subsequent to the date of bid opening.

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16 Two egg omelette with mushrooms and Swiss

#11 Potato pencales (4) with sour creem & apple sauce 2.70 #12 Mini Denver with sharp Cheddar cheese, harn, onion & green peppers 3.05 #13 Two egg omelette with Spam & old fashioned American cheese 3.05

#15 Raisin French toset topped with powdered sugar. Served with 2 strips of becon or 2

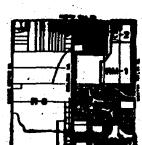
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CANTON TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to ordinance No. 79 Subdivision Control Ordinance, Charter Township of Canton, Michigan (eff. January 24, 1978), that the Planning Commission of the Charter Township of Canton will hold a public hearing on Monday, December 14, 1987, at the Canton Township Administration Building, 1150 S. Canton Center Road at 7:30 p.m. on the following requested variance from the Subdivision Control Ordinance.

TRINITY LAND LTD. - LEXINGTON SQUARE SUBDIVISION LOCATED ON THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THE INTERSECTION OF CHERRY HILL ROAD AND SHELDON ROAD. PARCEL NO. 085-99-0004-002. REQUESTING A VARIANCE FOR THE LOT DEPTH TO WIDTH RATIO AS REQUIRED BY SECTION 4.3 C. SUBDIVISION CONTROL ORDINANCE.

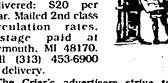
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Planning Commission Richard Kirchgatter, Chairman

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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON, WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Act 184 of the Public Acts of 1943 of the State of Michigan, as amended, and pursuant to the Zoning Ordinance of the Charter Township of Canton that the Planning Commission of the Charter Township of Canton will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, December 14, 1987, at the Canton Township Administration Building, 1150 S. Canton -Center Road at 7:30 p.m. on the following proposed amendments to the Zoning Ordinance.

CONSIDER REQUEST TO REZONE PARCEL 025-99-0001-001 FROM AGI, AGRICULTURAL INDUSTRIAL TO R-1, SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL. PARCEL IS LOCATED ON THE NORTH SIDE OF HANFORD ROAD BETWEEN RIDGE ROAD AND NAPIER ROAD.



Richard Kirchgatter, Chairman Publish: November 18, 1987 December 9, 1987



Public notices

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OR CANTON BOARD PROCEEDINGS PROPOSED MINUTES NOVEMBER 3, 1987

A regular meeting of the Township Board of the Charter Township of Canton was held at 1150 S. Canton Center Road on Tuesday, November 3, 1987 at 7:00 p.m.

Supervisor Poole called the meeting to order and led the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Members present: Bennett, Brown, Chuhran, Larson, Padget, Poole, Preniczky.

Members absent: None.
ACCEPTANCE OF AGENDA:

Removed item No. 3 — Township Roads.

Move item No. 14 to position No. 3 — Rezoning and Consent Judgement Request.

Add No. 17 — Discussion of Morton-Taylor (Preniczky) Add Minute Approval for October 6 Minutes.

Larson moved to accept the agenda as amended. Bennett supported the motion,

Unanimously carried.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Bennett moved to approve the minutes of October 27th, Brown supported.

Motion was amended to include approval of minutes of the closed session held on October 27,

Aye: Bennett, Brown, Chuhran, Padget, Preniczky.

Nay: Larson, Poole. Abstain: Brown

Motion carried 4-2.

Clerk Chuhran received a request from a citizen requesting a traffic arrow at the light at Canton Center and Ford, to assist ability to make a left-hand turn, especially during rush hour

Supervisor Poole will be attending a meeting in Van Buren in regard to the landfill, and will recommend that the Solid Waste Committee disapprove the application of Wayne Disposal for the

The supervisor announced the Beautification Awards event to take place tomorrow in conjunction with Chamber of Commerce meeting.

DEPARTMENT REPORTS

Director Santomauro gave a report of Halloween event activities. He announced that this would be the last year Canton would be checking candy with a metal detector.

Clerk Chuhran directed a question to the chief building official regarding a complaint from a woman about trash in a fenced in area near the creek on Sheldon Road.

The supervisor said it was his opinion that this was garden mulch material held in the county easement area. The building department will follow-up on the complaint.

CITIZENS FORUM: None **GENERAL CALENDAR:**

No. 1 — LANDSCAPING FOR CHERRY HILL SCHOOL.

The supervisor commented on his plans for planting and decorating township properties.

No. 2 — VEHICLES PURCHASES.

Brown moved to purchase five (5) police cars for a total \$61,873.50. Bennett supported the

Aye: Larson, Padget, Poole, Preniczky, Bennett, Brown, Chuhran. Motion carried unanimousty.

No. 14 - (Moved to Position No. 3) CONSIDER REQUEST TO REZONE AND AMEND-MENT TO CONSENT JUDGEMENT FOR PARCELS 006-99-0019-004 AND 009-99-0001-005 FROM C-2, COMMUNITY COMMERCIAL TO A COMBINATION OF C-2 and RM-1, MULTIPLE FAMILY. PARCEL IS LOCATED ON THE WEST SIDE OF MORTON-TAYLOR, SOUTH OF JOY ROAD.

Bennett moved to deny the rezoning request based on the analysis provided and the reasons stated by the planning commission. Preniczky supported the motion.

Aye: Padget, Poole, Preniczky, Bennett, Brown, Chuhran, Larson.

Motion carried unanimously to deny the rezoning.

No. 4 — FINAL ACCEPTANCE — HEALTH ALLIANCE WATER MAIN AND SANITARY SEWER LATERAL EXTENSION.

Padget moved to accept the Health Alliance 8-inch water main and 10-inch sanitary sewer, for use and maintainance. Bennett supported the motion.

Aye: Poole, Preniczky, Bennett, Brown, Chuhran, Larson, Padget.

Motion carried unanimously.

No. 5 — I.R.S. C-TAN SETTLEMENT.

Brown moved that the Clerk and the Treasurer be authorized to proceed with the two resolutions and forward them to the state. Preniczky supported the motion.

Aye: Preniczky, Bennett, Brown, Chuhran, Larson, Padget, Poole.

Motion carried unanimously. (Exhibits A and B Follow)

No. 6 — ADDITIONAL LOAN TO KOPPERNICK/RONDA PAVING PROJECT.

Padget moved to authorize an additional loan of \$170,000 to the Koppernick/Ronda Paving Project Special Assessment Fund from the General Fund, to be repaid as funds are available from special assessments in future years.

Bennett supported the motion.

Aye: Bennett, Brown, Chuhran, Larson, Padget, Preniczky.

Motion carried 6-1.

No. 7 — ADOPT FY 87 BUDGET - STATE PROJECTS FUND No. 289.

Larson moved to authorize setting up the "State Projects Fund" No. 289, to record the financial activity of the Automobile Theft Prevention Grant No. G-103-87, approved by the Michigan Department of State Police, Automobile Theft Prevention Authority. This grant is in the amount of \$28,470, for the period November 1, 1987 to April 30, 1988.

Padget supported the motion. Aye: Brown, Chuhran, Larson, Padget, Poole, Preniczky, Bennett.

Motion carried unanimously.

moved to approve the 1987-88 budget for the State Projects Fund, with revenues and expenditures in the amount of \$28,470. Budget amendments for this budget are to be approved by the Project Director, the Michigan Department of State Police and this Board; fund transfers are to be approved by the Project Director and the Michigan Department of State Police.

Bennett supported the motion. Aye: Chuhran, Larson, Padget, Poole, Preniczky, Bennett, Brown.

Motion carried unanimously.

Padget moved to authorize the Township Clerk and Treasurer to set up the appropriate bank accounts for the receipt and disbursement of funds for the Automobile Theft Prevention Grant.

Chuhran supported the motion. Aye Larson, Padget, Poole, Preniczky, Bennett, Brown, Chuhran.

Motion carried unanimously.

No. 8 — FY 87 BUDGET - CAPITOL PROJECTS FUND.

Padget moved to approve a budget amendment in the Capital Projects Fund as follows: Increase Revenues

Debt Financing Revenue Increase Expoenditures

No. 401-000-676-0000

\$16,700

Debt Interest

No. 401-945-996-0000 No. 401-945-999-0000

\$16,600

Paying Agent Fees Bennett supported the motion,

Aye: Padget, Poole, Preniczky, Bennett, Brown, Chuhran, Larson.

Motion carried unanimously.

No. 9 — ADOPT ADDITIONAL FY 88 BUDGETS.

Bennett moved adoption of the following Resolution:

WHEREAS, P.A. 621, requires that the annual budgets be adopted by resolution and;

WHEREAS, The Township Board of the Charter Township of Canton has held public hearings, and has reviewed the budget materials submitted;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the expenditures for the fiscal year commencing

January 1, 1988 are hereby appropriated on an activity (Department) total.

SPECIAL INVESTIGATIVE FUND

CAPITAL PROJECT-HAGGERTY ROAD

BUILDING AUTHORITY CONSTRUCTION

HAGGERTY RD. STORM DRAINAGE 2,990,000 SPECIAL ASSESSMENT FUND 40,000 KOPPERNICK/RONDA STORM DRAINAGE SPECIAL ASSESSMENT FUND 28,700 **HAGGERTY ROAD PAVING**

KOPPERNICK/RONDA PAVING SPEC. ASSESS. FUND 139,600 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Revenues (transfers) for the 1988 Fiscal Year are

SPECIAL INVESTIGATIVE FUND \$69,709 **CAPITAL PROJECT-HAGGERTY ROAD** 81,350 **BUILDING AUTHORITY CONSTRUCTION** 2,990,000 HAGGERTY ROAD STORM DRAINAGE SPEC. ASSESS. FUND 40,000 KOPPERNICK/RONDA STORM DRAINAGE SPEC. ASSESS. FUND 28,700 HAGGERTY ROAD PAVING SPEC. ASSESS. FUND 90,000 KOPPERNICK/RONDA PAVING SPEC. ASSESS. FUND

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Township Supervisor has the authority to make budget adjustments within an activity (department), excluding salary, fringes, and capital expenditures, after consultation and recommendation by the affected Department Head and the Finance

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that there shall not be any new, full-time positions created and/or filled without prior Township Board approval, and that existing vacant and budgeted positions may be filled by the Township Supervisor only after review and recommendation by the Personnel Director and Finance Director.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that all purchases and expenditures will be made according

to the adopted procedures.

Preniczky supported the motion.

Aye: Poole, Preniczky, Bennett, Brown, Chuhran, Larson, Padget. Motion carried unanimously.

No. 10 - STORM SEWER RESOLUTION - TOYS "R" US. Bennett moved to accept maintenance of the two (2) storm sewer connections within the Koppernick and Haggerty Road right-of-ways and authorize the Township Clerk or Supervisor to execute the Wayne County three (3) party permit.

Brown supported the motion.

Aye: Preniczky, Bennett, Brown, Larson, Padget, Poole. Nay: Chuhran.

Motion carried 6-1.

No. 11 — SENIOR CITIZEN KITCHEN BAND RESOLUTION.

Padget moved adoption of the following Resolution:

WHEREAS, since 1977 the Canton Seniors Kitchen Band members have donated their time and

talent to the community, and WHEREAS, they have brought good cheer and happiness into the lives of many who are less

WHEREAS, they have set an example for not only their peers, but the younger members of our community, and WHEREAS, November 6th marks the occasion of the Bands 10th anniversary,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that Friday, November 6th, 1987 be designated as Canton Seniors Kitchen Band Day. Bennett supported the motion.

Aye: Bennett, Brown, Chuhran, Larson, Padget, Poole, Preniczky. Motion carried unanimously.

No. 12 — CHANGE ORDINANCE 32 TO REQUIRE STREET LIGHTS.

The Planning Commission will be considering putting the requirement into the ordinance. No. 13 — CONSIDER REQUEST - REZONE PARCEL 011-99-0007-000 FROM R-4, SINGLE

FAMILY RESIDENTIAL TO 0-1, OFFICE. PARCEL IS LOCATED ON THE NORTH SIDE OF WARREN ROAD BETWEEN CANTON CENTER ROAD AND SHELDON ROAD. (PAWLUS)

Padget moved adoption of the following Resolution:

WHEREAS Petitioner is requesting the rezoning of approximately 3.59 acres of land on the northeast side of Warren Road between Canton Center and Sheldon Roads from R-4, Single Family Residential to O-1 General Office, and

WHEREAS, the request is consistent with the Master Land Plan, has received the unanimous recommendation of approval from the Planning Commissin and the approval of the Wayne County Planning Commission;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton, grants approval of the requested rezoning to O-1, General Office.

Larson supported the motion, Aye: Chuhran, Larson, Padget, Preniczky, Bennett, Brown.

Motion to rezone carried 6-1.

No. 15 — CONSIDER AMENDMENT TO ZONING ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 5.13 H 7 5.14 E REGARDING REQUIREMENT OF POSTING PROPERTY 20 DAYS IN ADVANCE OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING.

Padget moved adoption of the following Resolution:

WHEREAS, Township Officials are cognizant of the need for the fullest public participation in the consideration of applications for Special Land Use, and

WHEREAS, certain Zoning Ordinance text amendments are proposed to afford the opportunity for full public participation in deliberations for Special Land Uses, such amendments being recommended unanimously for approval by the Planning Commission, with the concurrence of the Wayne County Planning Commission;

Buckeyes!

Come this Saturday. November twenty-one. Earl Bruce and the Buckeyes will really have some fun. Once again a major Showdown 'tween the Big Ten's best, But this year not a showdown to see who heads West.

Now Indiana beat us both, the Spartans did the same, But we're not sure that matters when it gets down to this game. The Buckeyes and the Wolverines, the battle's on the field, Spielman and the defense, they will never yield.

This may not be a U of M or even Buckeye year, But those of us who love tradition hold this game quite dear There's been a lot of talk this year, there's been a lot of chatter, You're crazy if you think this last game doesn't matter.

We'll gather at the stadium, the one they say Yost built, We Buckeyes in our red and grey will play you to the hilt. Cuts and bruises matter not, in this the game of games. We Buckeyes shall come out on top, despite your lofty claims.

It's our point to say we're gonna crush the Wolverines Though by reading all these words you might think that's the way it seems.

We'd simply like to say in our inimitable way — We'll see you in Ann Arbor for a GREAT BIG BUCKEYE DAY!

Plymouth's **Loval Buckeye Fans**

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Public notices

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton approves the amendments to Sections 5.13 H and 5.14 E of the Zoning Ordinance as

Larson supported the motion.

Aye: Padget, Poole, Preniczky, Bennett, Brown, Chuhran, Larson.

Motion carried unanimously.

No. 16 — CONSIDER AMENDMENT TO ZONING ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 26.05 D.2. PERTAINING TO LANDSCAPING MAINTENANCE.

Chuhran moved approval of the following Resolution:

WHEREAS, the beauty of the Township through the maintenance of quality, landscaping is a continuing concern of Township Officials, and

WHEREAS, certain difficiencies in the Zoning Ordinance relating to regulations dealing with the

irrigation of landscaped areas have been noted and addressed through proposals to text amendments, such amendments recommended unanimously by the Planning Commission and endorsed by the Wayne County Planning Commission.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton approves the amendments to Section 26.05 D. 2. as proposed.

Larson supported the motion.

Aye: Poole, Preniczky, Bennett, Brown, Chuhran, Larson, Padget.

Motion carried unanimously.

No. 17 — DISCUSSION OF MORTON-TAYLOR ROAD.

The Board discussed sidewalks on one side of the street, road signs, traffic patterns, etc.

Larson moved to adjourn at 8:32 p.m. Chuhran supported the motion. Unanimously carried.

> Linda Chuhran Canton Township Clerk

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON

THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON, 1150 S. Canton Center Road, Canton, Michigan is requesting Architectural Proposals for the Schematic Design and Cost Estimates of a Multi-Use Community Center up to 11:00 a.m., November 30, 1987.

LINDA CHUHRAN

Publish: November 18, 1987

CHARTER TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON, WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Act 184 of the Public Acts of 1943 of the State of Michigan, as amended, and pursuant to the Zoning Ordinance of the Charter Township of Canton that the Planning Commission of the Charter Township of Canton will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, December 14, 1987, at the Canton Township Administration Building, 1150 S. Canton Center Road at 7:30 p.m. on the following proposed amendments to the Zoning Ordinance.

AMENDMENT TO THE ZONING ORDINANCE REGARDING:

SECTION 26.05 LANDSCAPING

ADD TO 26.05: F.1.f., F.2.f., F.3.d., F.4.i. No less than one tree per 40' of frontage, excluding drives, shall be required to be planted in the area between the sidewalk and the travelled road surface. This landscaping is in addition to the landscaping required through the other provisions of the ordinance. The trees shall be deciduous and shall meet the minimum caliper requirement of 2-2.5 inches at the base as described in this section. The tree planting shall comply with all requirements of the Wayne County Office of Public Services and the Michigan Department of Transportation.

DELETE 26.05 : E.2.

In no case shall any landscaping material be planted in a way which will interfere with or cause damage to underground utility lines, public roadways or other public works. Species of trees whose roots are known to cause damage to public roadways or their public works shall not be planted closer than fifteen (15) feet from any public roadways or public works. A list of such tree species shall be maintained by the Clerk's office for distribution to all interested persons.

PLANNING COMMISSION Richard Kirchgatter, Chairman Publish: November 18, 1987 December 9, 1987

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ON THE EAST SIDE OF CANTON CENTER ROAD BETWEEN CHERRY HILL ROAD AND PALMER ROAD.

| Cherry Hill Center

Richard Kirchgatter, Chairman Publish: November 18, 1987

Group tours garbage sites of Europe

BY DAN NESS

State Rep. James Kosteva recently returned from an unusual sightseeing trip to Europe.

The sights he took in included garbage bins in W. German communities, compost piles in Switzerland, and fertilizer factories in Belgium. To top it off, he even took pictures, with plans of showing slides of the visit to municipal leaders in western Wayne County.

Those leaders will be very interested in what Kosteva saw.

Kosteva, whose district includes Canton, was included in a group of Michigan decision makers who traveled to Europe to see what is being done with waste disposal and recycling.

"Basically, they're responding to the same situation we're in here," Kosteva said. "They're response (to the garbage problem) is probably about five to seven years ahead of ours in the United States."

In the three countries visited, Kosteva noted that new waste processing technologies, community-wide recycling and composting programs and a substantial educational effort combined to reduce the waste stream more efficiently than what is being done in the U.S.

"It's a local recognition of the problem, and the response is also very local," Kosteva said. "So, the responses vary widely."

In all, the group saw 11 waste processing plants, seven composting operations and three incinerators. The group, which included elected officials from different levels of government, DNR officials, and private industry representatives, was sponsored by the Mott Foundation and the German Marshall Fund.

Methods of waste disposal and recycling ranged from high-tech mechanisms to "low-tech or no-tech" solutions, Kosteva said. Participation in waste reduction efforts also varied between communities.

In several German cities, neighborhoods would set up different garbage bins for separation of household waste to be picked up. Paper, glass and metal garbage would be placed in separate bins for recycling purposes. This "source separation" was an important step in the waste reduction effort, and one Kosteva would like to see implemented locally.

"Some degree of source separation would be, in my mind, a preferred response," Kosteva said. There is a "strong educational value" in the source separation process which can also lead to a reduction in garbage produced by households, he said. "Once people start separating their waste, they start thinking about how much waste they generate."

Kosteva's group also saw sophisticated waste processing plants. The most successful of these plants was operated by the Swiss company, Orfa. At this plant, no separation of waste is required. The garbage is simply hauled to the plant, and machinery separates the garbage into several different categories of waste which can then be recycled.

The company sells the raw recycled materials it produces, such as scrap iron, plastics, or fiberous materials,

and also sells finished products, such as fertilizer or fuel pellets, Kosteva said. There are no emissions from the plant, nor any odors produced, he said.

The Orfa company is currently building two similar waste processing plants in Philadelphia, Kosteva said.

Kosteva's group also visited several composting operations. Kosteva said he was surprised by the level of sophistication of some of the composting methods. "Making compost is sort of like being an orchestra conductor," he said. The mixture of ingredients contained in compost can be altered to change the product ac-

cording to its intended use, he said.

The most basic methods of making compost - a mixture of fermented organic waste - was the "windrow" process. The organic waste was placed in long piles, or windrows, under an open shelter with a roof and left to decompose for a period of six to nine months. The piles were arranged according to the length of time the compost had been fermenting, Kosteva said. Many European municipalities required that their city's organic waste from parks and other city-owned property - including leaves, grass and food wastes -- be sent to these compost operations. The end product was then

used by the same cities in their parks for fertilizer, Kosteva said.

A more sophisticated method of composting has been achieved by a Belgian company, Arbios, which reduces the length of fermenting time to 14-21 days, Kosteva said. Arbios uses a dry anaerobic composting process to accelerate the decomposition. The plant is run entirely by the methane gas that is produced during the composting process, Kosteva said.

Kosteva's group will be making presentations to communities in about a month, he said. At that time, he will

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Community opinions

Keep Harvey Street safe

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Residents of South Harvey are rightfully con- that those drivers give little regard to the law. cerned about excessive and speeding traffic along South Harvey Street in Plymouth.

demanding an address of the problem by City Hall. In response, City Engineer Ken West conducted a study of the traffic patterns along the street.

The petition called for the implementation of stop signs at Simpson Street and at Wing Street. It will speed up between stops. He also pointed out also recommends that a left turn signal be installed for the Main Street traffic at Ann Arbor Road. It is the hope of the petitioners that these suggestions. Harvey Street, but it was well within the parameters will greatly reduce speeding, ensure the safety of the children who live along the street, reduce the amount of traffic that use Harvey as an alternate route to Main Street, reduce traffic noise, and make it safer for residents to back their cars from their driveways.

With respect to the genuine concern of the residential area.

If this is the case, then it can safely be implied

Would stop signs cure this malady? Probably not. Drivers who are foolish enough to speed Their concern, in fact, fostered a petition through neighborhood streets, disregarding the potential threat to children, are foolish enough to roll through stop signs and speed up between the signs to make up for lost time.

West indicated that studies reveal that drivers that breaking and accelerating increases noise. The study also indicated that traffic was steady on of an acceptable level.

West also suggests that an increase in speed limit signs would be helpful. Not only would they serve as a reminder, but they would give those drivers stopped for speeding less of a chance to plead ignorance.

The real solution, though, rests in an age old residents, the implementation of stop signs will not problem. Constantly people of all ages abuse the solve the problems of the speeding traffic on Main privelege of operating an automobile. Until this Street. Further, the traffic concerns of the residents great freedom stops being abused, potential indicate that drivers speed recklessly through this tragedies will hang like a shadow over all residential streets.

THE COMMUNITY CRIER

Community enrichment begins with you

What can one person do to make the world a Salvation Army in a time of need, those who better place to live?

That question may be asked by many each day. as problems in the world become more complex and solutions seem distant.

Fortunately, there is a direct method of making the world in which you live much better. It's called the Plymouth Community Fund United Way.

The Plymouth Community Fund United Way is into the home stretch in its drive to raise \$425,000 for vital local agencies. Through Community Fund support, residents enjoy a better quality of life.

That quality of life is reflected in the community. The community includes: the Girl Scouts and Boy Scouts organizations, residents of the Plymouth Opportunity House, those who were aided by the

participate in the many activities at the Plymouth Community Family YMCA, adolescents whose lives were turned around from their involvement in Growth Works, seniors who were helped by the Plymouth Community Council on Aging and patients who have received blood from the American Red Cross.

You can take direct action to improve our community's quality of life by contributing to the Community Fund now.

Send your contribution to the community's quality of life in care of: Plymouth Community Fund United Way, 595 Forest St., P.O. Box 356, Plymouth, MI 48170-0356.

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Community opinions

Flag swiping ranks very low

Patriotism is in vogue again this year, but stealing the giant Stars and Bars from the flagpole at Salem High really can't be considered a patriotic action.

Call it an idiotic action.

And who suffers?

Everyone. Especially those students and staff at Salem with any pride in the American flag, and those in the community who have ever been awed by the mass of red, white and blue flapping in the breeze.

It seems to be a sign of the times. First the flag was heisted, and now it turns out the Peace Pole in Kellogg Park has been unceremoniously stolen.

This is the second time a giant flag has been swiped from in front of Salem High. Officials are depressed by the obviously selfish attitude of the thief (or thieves). They can't understand why someone would want such a flag.

At first one thinks it must be a prank or a dare. But when lightning strikes twice in the same spot the game gets serious for everyone concerned, from the administration to the students.

What can be done?

Not a lot other than to tell people to check their kid's room and look in the basement and garage. Or to ask people to keep their ears open for someone bragging about taking Old Glory. Or to urge the district administration to tighten security at Centennial Educational Park (CEP).

It's hard to be nice about this. There are morons in the community who find some kind of childish, fulfillment by stealing a cherished flag, probably to adorn their (dorm) room.

Don't call them patriots. They've earned a harsher monicker. THE COMMUNITY CRIER

Kydos to all

Comedy success

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all those responsible for helping to make "An Evening of Comedy" such a syccess.

Thanks for coverage

EDITOR:

Thank you for the excellent article and picture re: Canton girls cross country efforts at the State Meet.

Also, thanks for the coverage given all fall on all of the cross country teams (Salem and Canton). It was ap-RESCRIPTION PROCESSED EDIEWYDDYRI BARB SCHENDEL

First, to the comedians, Norm Stulz, Jason Vines and Norma Zagar for giving of their time and talent. They filled the stage with side-splitting humor!

Thank you to Scott Lorenz for allowing us the use of the Mayflower Meeting House. Great atmosphere and a competent staff provided a perfect

My thanks goes to Bill Decker for his support and encouragement.

Thank you Dan Ness for the wonderful article about this benefit, which was held for Robert Sharon, a hopeful heart transplant recipient.

Most of all, thanks to the 320+ people who came to enjoy, laugh and support our cause. As our comedians said, "What a great audience!"

bidago, EDIE WYSOCKI) Benefit Chairman



Honoring vets

Commander Robert Nelson, right, Larry Grimes, center, and Duane Johnson joined with other members of the Plymouth VFW Post 6695 in a Veterans Day gathering in Kellogg Park. (Crier photo by Paul Gargaro)

The last detail

by Paul Gargaro

Forget about peace symbols. Forget about goodwill statements and forget about the Peace Pole.

Apparently a few righteous souls felt above the quiet symbolism of the pole and the message of peace on earth that it offered passersby.

The six-foot 4 x 4, which was erected last August in Kellogg Park by marchers from Michigan United for Global Disarmament, was officially reported missing by the Plymouth Department of Public works late last

Police Chief Richard Myers . speculates that the pole was removed sometime between Friday, Nov. 6 and Monday, Nov. 9. Myers is eager for information regarding the theft, but he doesn't see much hope for solving the

I first noticed that the pole was missing during the Veteran's Day celebration in the park. Members of the VFW Color Guard fired a salute in remembrance of lost friends and a few humble words were spoken for the benefit of the assembled vets and their family members.

Any true Veteran's Day celebration blends a mix of patriotism with a disdain for the waste of war. In Kellogg Park last Wednesday, there was the potential for that mix. On one hand there stood the heroes, the veteran's who gave tremendous sacrifices for their country.

One the other hand, there was a hole in the ground were the Peace Pole once stood.

It's a shame that the Peace Pole was stolen before it had a chance to share the field with our veterans. Together, they would have created a profound

It's my hope that the pole was stolen by kids. That way the theft could be chalked up to immaturity and/or rambunctiousness.

It bothers me to think that anyone but a child might make such a ridiculous theft. Indeed, it would be a terrible revelation to find that there are actually a few "adults" among us with an insecurity so great as to be threatened by an innocuous little piece of wood in Kellogg Park.

Where's Peace Pole?

COROTHY BALOGE

EDITOR:

The season of peace is nearly upon us, but where is our peace pole? Surely we need this symbol in Kellogg Park along with Santa, the tree and the creche.

solindeed, peace knows no season!

DOROTHY BALOGH



Community opinions

To the point



The squeaky wheel gets the grease, right?

Residents of Canton near Koppernick and I-275 are hoping so these days. It seems there is a particularly rough railroad crossing on Koppernick near the I-275 overpass that no one wants to repair except for the airborne residents who mistakenly drove over it with their cars.

"You have to come to a complete stop" before driving over the tracks, said one resident. "This thing here is for carts and horses, not automobiles."

According to the same resident, people in that neighborhood have called Canton officials, who told them to call railroad officials. When they called the railroad officials, they were given the runaround, the resident said.

"We've called the railroad company and they said 'the man is going to look at it' but no one came," the resident continued. She then called the Livonia office of the railroad as directed and couldn't find anyone there who could address her complaint.

You'll remember it wasn't too long ago that Plymouth resident Paul Nastoff kept pressing the issue of better railroad crossings on Main Street and Sheldon Road in Plymouth until something was done about it. The residents near Koppernick and 1-275 could use some of Nastoff's tips for getting problem crossings fixed.

The railroad spikes are sticking up high off of the tracks and the boards are very loose, the Koppernick resident said. "They've done a horrible job and it's been that way for a long, long, long, long time."

She pointed out that with the development of the new Toys R Us warehouse being built on Haggerty near Koppernick Road, traffic over the crossing will only increase.

Time for those residents to begin making more noise.

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Crier big behind bars

EDITOR:

I'd like to inform The Community Crier that we enjoy it very much.

We also read it very carefully and I thought I would tell you that page 4 in the Nov. 4 issue has an article about my home, Scott Regional Correctional Facility.

You're correct, Lloyd May is the new warden and he did work at Phoenix house, but I am looking at Phoenix right not through my window and, we too, are in Plymouth Township — not Northville. Also, we

are located on Five Mile Road just north of Beck not Sheldon Road.

We love to read about ourselves, but please, in future articles, put us straight.

JAMES W. KARR JR.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Karr is half right. The facility has a Plymouth mailing address, but it is located within the geographic boundaries of Northville Township. The correctional facility is north of Five Mile Road and west of Sheldon Road.

In the margin



We've all felt what it's like to have something drag on and on and on.

The Plymouth-Canton Community Schools Board of Education is just now feeling that way about coming to some kind of decision regarding a new board and administration building.

Discussion during Monday's workshop centered on future board building options. The two options most favored — renovate the current site or build on a new site.

The administration of the district, led by Superintendent John M. Hoben seems to lean toward renovating the existing site on Harvey Road. The board isn't really sure just what it wants.

Makes for one heck of a quandary. Even Hoben called it a "limbo

question? still.

Renovating the current site is a very viable alternative if one listens to the administration. Money for the project is more readily available and, besides, that is what voters agreed to when the bond issue was originally written in 1986.

Building on a new site — say at Centennial Educational Park (CEP) — is also an interesting idea, one many board members find intriguing.

The only problem, and it is a major one, is that to build a new site the district would need to use the \$900,000 the administration says it might have left over from other bond projects.

Getting that money might require approval not only by the state attorney general but by voters in The Plymouth-Canton Community.

"I think it's best we get some input from the voters before we take on such a project," said board member Dean Swartzweiter.

Board member Jeanette Wines said she is concerned about getting an opinion on shifting bond money before making any decision on a new board office or a renovated office.

The original bond proposal called for renovation of the current site on Harvey. Renovation will include some form of expansion of the site as well. "Ideally it would be nice to have all the administration under one roof but you're talking about tremendous costs to move transportation or maintenance," Hoben said.

But Hoben added that he really wants to "get some people out of the closets" in the already overcrowded current site.

Board member Roland Thomas said his goal was to provide a building which would serve the district for the next 20-25 years. He added that he liked the idea of a new board building if the extra bond money could be transferred for such a use.

The district might have to wait on finding out about using that money, said Ray Hoedel, associate superintendent for business.

He said to satisfy the state the district will probably have to finish all other bond projects before requesting to use left over bond money.

Another factor to consider in all this is the possible future sale of the current site. Hoben said the district might be able to get \$1 million for the site.

He added, "This could string out for one or two years and still be a problem."

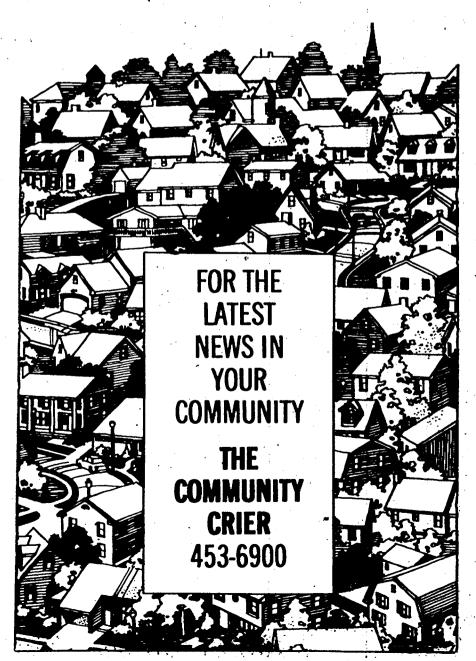
One resident at the meeting said building a facility at CEP is logical since that is the true center of the district.

And she wasn't talking about the geographic center. CEP is important as the heart of the district because every student from first grade to eighth grade will someday end up at CEP to attend Salem or Canton Highs.

That ties all of the district's students, and parents for that matter, to CEP. Hence it makes a logical site for a centralized facility, either as some kind of board and administration building, or as an "education center."

Nothing was decided during Monday's workshop discussion except to seek an opinion on shifting bond money for the possible future use of building a new structure at CEP or some other school-owned site.

And so the wait continues.



BY DAN NESS

Apparently, the job of Canton superintendent looks tempting to a few people.

As of Friday's deadline, about 50 resumes for the job created by the board had been submitted to the Canton personnel department, according to Canton Personnel Director Dan Durack.

"The majority, I'd say, are from Michigan, but we're getting them from all over the Midwest," Durack said.

The Board of Trustees voted to implement the superintendent form of administration in August. It also formed a committee made up of Trustee Robert Padget, Phil LaJoy and Thomas Yack to search for qualified candidates for the position of superintendent.

The search committee is being assisted by the consulting firm of Bartell and Bartell in searching for superintendent candidates. Now that the application deadline has passed,

the committee along with Bartell and Bartell will narrow the list of candidates to "no more than a half dozen," Durack said.

From that group, the committee will choose one or more to recommend to the Board of Trustees for its consideration, Durack said.

"The idea is that the board would make a selection in the middle of December," Durack said.

The township superintendent will run the day-to-day operations of the township, but will not have a vote on the Board of Trustees. He/she will execute policy set by the board, according to the system approved by the board.

The salary for the superintendent will be set by the board, Durack said, but a "very rough estimate," of between the mid-\$50,000 to mid-\$60,000 could be expected, he said.

"All of that is subject to negotiation between the individual and the township board," he said.

A Union 76 service station at 41350 Ford Rd. in Canton was robbed by a man with a knife shortly after midnight Monday, according to Canton police.

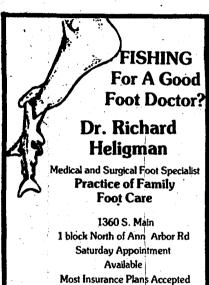
A 23-year-old clerk was sweeping behind the counter when a man entered the store, pulled a large knife from a case and demanded money, police said.

After taking money from the cash register, the man cut a telephone from its cord and ordered the clerk to count to 50. The man escaped with an undetermined amount of money, police

The suspect is described as: a black male, about six feet tall, weighing 240 pounds, with black hair and a mustache. The suspect was wearing a red cloth hat, a tan short jacket and possibly wearing blue jeans.

Persons with information regarding the robbery are asked to contact the Canton Police Department at 397-





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Friends & Neighbors

Thompson delivers, in more than one way

Ruth Thompson, a lifelong resident of The Plymouth-Canton Community, travels all over the world thanks to the Kiwanis Club Travelogues.

But the Canton resident has done plenty of traveling on her own through the space of 81 years, thanks, she says, to the good Lord.

"It's just the good Lord," Thompson said. "When I was brought up you were faithful to our church. I've led a well, well blessed life. Prayer is my mainstay. It keeps me going."

The fiesty little lady lives on farm property originally purchased by her father Byron Wilkins. She has spent the majority of her life on that farm on Beck Road, except for some years in Ypsilanti when she taught in the public schools system there.

As for the Kiwanis adventures she enjoys, Thompson said, "That's our travel. We get to go all over the whole world with them travelogues."

Originally from Ohio, Thompson came to Canton when she was six. Following her graduation from Plymouth High School in 1924 Thompson and her husband were given a two-acre tract of land from Ruth's

Today Thompson still lives on that land, but now she is alone. Her companions include a pony and some

chickens. But she remains active with the Canton Seniors, the Plymouth Grange and the 60-Plus Club. She also attends United Assembly of God in Plymouth Township.

Most of all, though, Thompson enjoys hand delivering newspapers to her friends at the Canton Recreation Center.

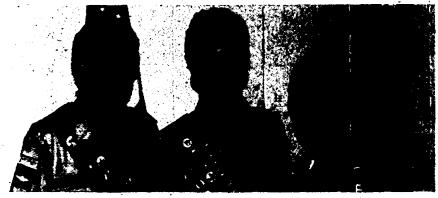
"I started taking a few over there and it just keeps getting bigger and bigger," said Thompson, who continues to drive an automobile. "I drive all the time. If I couldn't drive I'd be

Family and friends aren't too far away for Thompson, who counts 11 grandchildren and one greatgrandchild. Many of them still live near the junction of Beck and Hanford roads. Every year they get together in August for a giant pig roast.

Her secret to growing old gracefully? "I never smoked or drank," she said. "And I'm faithful to the church. And in the afternoon I like to take an hour rest.'

One of 10 children, Thompson knows the meaning of hard work; farming was never an easy lifestyle. She also knows the meaning of change.

'When I first came here there was nothing but trees, animals and gravel roads," she said. "Now look at all the buildings."



From left, Mark Schang, Gregory Borich and Evan Yeung are the newest Eagle Scouts from Troop P-6 (1536) at Risen Christ Lutheran Church in

Three Scouts reach Eagle

Three scouts from Plymouth Troop P-6 (1536) earned the highest adancement in the Boy Scouts of America — the Eagle Award.

Gregory Borich, Evan Yeung and Mark Schang were recognized last week at the Risen Christ Lutheran Church in Plymouth. They each earned 21 merit badges and successfully completed a community or church related service project ro earn the honor.

Borich designed and directed the landscaping for Risen Christ Lutheran Church, while Yeung designed and directed the construction and installation of large maps depicting the. baseball diamonds at Canton High. He also oversaw the putting up of signs at each diamond.

-Schang directed the cleanup of the

trails, placement of log borders and construction of the bridge and two signs at Miller Woods and along the nature walks.

Borich is a member of Risen Christ Lutheran Church and is active in the French Club, member of the cross country team, stage crew, WSDP Radio and the Plymouth Park Players at Salem High.

Yeung is a member of Our Lady of Good Counsel in Plymouth and is active in Quiz Bowl, science olympiad, concert chorus, National Honor Society and student council at Canton High.

Schang is a member of Littlefield Presbyterian Church of Dearborn and is active in the National Honor Society, WSDP Radio and the Computer Club



Farm lady

To most senior citizens in Canton, Ruth Thompson is known as the lady who delivers the newspapers. The 81-year-old Canton resident lives on farm property that her father originally bought! "I never smoked or drank," Thompson says, explaining her vitality. "And I'm faithful to the church. And in the afternoon I like to take an hour rest. (Crier photo)

mnicom wins competition

Omnicom Cablevision Local programs "Videotunes Live" and 'The Oasis' were top winners in the Philo T. Farnsworth petition recently.

"Videotunes Live" won in the best live category, while "The Oasis" took top honors in the best comedy category. "Videotunes" also won first place in the Hometown Video USA competition this year.

Both programs are produced by David Daniele of Omnicom. "Videotunes" was co-produced by Jim ... Leinbach and directed by Peter Smith, who took a second place in this year's Philo-87 competition for his show The Grande Beat."

"Videotunes" is a music videovariety program which also features local talent. It airs every Monday. Wednesday and Friday at 9:30 p.m. and Saturday at 7 p.m. on Channel 8.

"The Oasis" is a comedy variety program which has been around since 1984. It can be seen on Channel 8 every Wednesday at 3:30 p.m., Friday at 6:30 p.m. and Saturday at-7:30 p.m.

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Every now and then we all have one of those days, you know the kind I mean — when everything goes wrong. It's funny how a beautiful day can suddenly turn into a rotten day when you least expect it.

Tell it to Phyllis

By Phyllis Redfern

Last week was a hard week for almost everyone I talked to. Since there wasn't a full moon, I'm not quite sure what we can blame it on.

Last Thursday was a strange day for me. It started out great (even the sun was shining), by late morning I was running a little behind, by noon things were starting to fall apart, by afternoon everything I touched crumbled and everyone I talked to growled. By the time I left the office I was ready to kill everyone in sight and I'm sure the feeling was mutual.

Since I was in such a wonderful mood, I figured the best thing to do was go home and either tear the house apart cleaning or simply relax. After changing into grubby clothes, I decided to fix dinner before taking everything apart.

As I was unwrapping the chicken, suddenly something attacked my little finger. I screamed and threw everything across the kitchen only to discover my attacker was a wasp or hornet. In the middle of my screaming and carrying on, the doorbell rang.

Jim, the neighbor boy who mowes my lawn, turned out to be my knight in shining armor (well, maybe the newspaper and fly swatter weren't exactly shining) as he killed the creature. He stayed long enough to make sure this hysterical lady had calmed down and was ok.

I was so mad and frustrated that something like that could happen on such a rotten day. As my finger started doubling in size and became hot to touch, I wondered if being allergic to bee stings meant I was also allergic to whatever that thing was. Within a couple of hours the finger was back to normal and I knew I was going to live.

The rotten day was turned back into a great day when a friend called that evening. It's amazing how laughing with a friend can put life back in a proper perspective. Those warm fuzzies work. everytime!

Students from Plymouth who received scholarships from Alma College are: Sean Budlong and Tamara Budlong, the son and daughter of Robert and Judith Budlong of Old Salem; and Kristine Kittleson, the daughter of Russel and Kathleen Kittleson of Meadow Drive.

Jamie Lamb entered the U.S. Air Force. A 1986 graduate of Canton High School, she is the daughter of James and Jeanne Lamb of Holly in Canton.

Area students who received degrees from CMU are: Mark Mathey of New England in Canton, MA in Industrial Management; Anthony Corte of Ann Street in Plymouth, MS in General Administration; and Kenneth Neal of Danbridge in Plymouth, BS in Computer Science.

Paul Lomske, son of Paul and Janice Lomske of Brookville in Plymouth entered the U.S. Air Force's Delayed Enlistment Program. A 1983 graduate of Salem High School, he will enter the Regular Air Force in February, 1988.

Ronald Jakubus, son of Gerald and Beverly Jakubus of Alton in Canton, entered the U.S. Air Force's Delayed Enlistment Program. He will enter the Regular Air Force in April of 1988.





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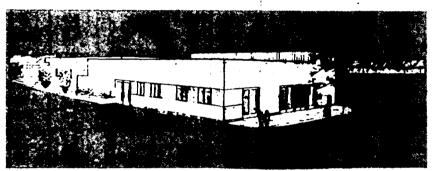
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CHERRY HILL BAZAAR

The Cherry Hill U.M.W. will host their annual bazaar on Nov. 21 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at 321 S. Ridge in Canton. All homemade articles, bakery, pottery and various crafts. Lunch at noon includes homemade ice cream, soup and sandwichs. Call 482-2817 for information.

MADRIGAL DINNER TICKETS

Tickets are available for Schoolcraft College's Christmas Madrigal Dinner celebration on Dec. 4, 6, 11 and 12. The event combines an old-fashioned dinner with music, recreating England's 16th century feast. Tickets are \$20. Call 591,6400, ext. 481 for details.

NORTHVILLE CRAFTS SHOW

A Christmas Arts and Crafts Show will be held at the Northville Recreation Center on Dec. 11-12 from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Admission is \$1. Features more than 60 artisans. Call 348-0130 for further information.

LAESTAĎIAN SERVICES

The Detroit Laestadian Congregation late fall services will be held on Nov. 21-22 at the Detroit Laestadian Congregation in Plymouth. Services are at 7:30 p.m. on Nov. 21 and 11 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. on the 22nd. Call 451-0500.

RETIREMENT: AGE OF OPPORTUNITY

An IDS Financial Services workshop will be held at the Canton Library on from 7-8 p.m. on Dec. 2. Discussion will focus on financial planning for retirees. Call 626-1600 for information.

BAZAAR AND BAKE SALE

The Plymouth Masonic Temple will host a Bazaar and Bake Sale on Nov. 28 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. (in the temple on Penniman). Proceeds to benefit needy families during the holidays. Sponsored by Plymouth Chapt. 115 -- Order of the Eastern Star.

JAYCEES CRAFT FAIR

Canton Jaycees are hosting an annual Crafts Fair at Canton High on Saturday, Nov. 21 from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Call 397-2035 for details. Pizza and refreshments will be available and a wide variety of arts and crafts.

PCPWP ORIENTATION

The Plymouth-Canton Parents Without Partners will host an orientation at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday, Nov. 18 at Ellep's. For information call 455-3851.

CHIEFETTE VARIETY SHOW

The Canton High Chiefettes will host the Chiefette Variety Show on Friday and Saturday, Nov. 20-21 at 7:30 p.m. in the Salem high auditorium. Admission is \$3. Tickets can be purchased at the door or in advance from any Chiefette.

FRIENDS OF CANTON LIBRARY

The Friends of the Canton Public Library will hold their first meeting on Thursday, Nov. 19 at 7:30 p.m. on the third floor meeting room of the Canton Administration Building. Come for coffee and conversation. Be a friend --bring a friend. For details call 397-0999.

MORE CRAFTS

An Arts and Crafts show will be held at Local 735, UAW, on Michigan Avenue in Canton on Sunday, Nov. 22 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Free admission and parking. Refreshments also. Call 482-5620 or 595-3636 for information.

STROHS BOWLERS

The Strohs bowling team will be at Plaza Lanes in Plymouth on Saturday, Nov., 28 at 2 p.m. facing the Plaza All-Stars. Free to the public. For more information call 453-4880.

HOLIDAY GREENS SALE

The Woman's National Farm and Garden Association, Plymouth branch, will have their Holiday Greens Sale on Dec. 4 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Westchester Square. Wreaths, boxwood, holly and bake sale. Call 455-4427.

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ENSEMBLE TO PERFORM

An ensemble from St. John Neumann church in Canton will participate in the 11th semiannual Folk Festival at Out Lady of the Lakes Catholic Church in Waterford on Sunday, Nov. 22. The ensemble will perform three songs. Admission is free. Call 356-7900 or 535-2498 for information.

NEWCOMERS TO DECORATE

The traditional decorating of Kellogg Park by the Plymouth Newcomers and their families is slated for Saturday, Nov. 21 at 10 a.m. Club members will hang garlands throughout the park.

ST. NICK FROLIC

Canton residents age 55 and older can get tickets to the 5th Annual St. Nick Frolic by calling the Canton Seniors a 397-1000, ext. 278. The bash will be held at Fellows Creak on Wednesday, Dec. 2 from noon to 4 p.m. Tickets are \$7 per peron and include buffet dinner, dancing and a visit from St. Nicholas.

TOPS MEETING

Tops 238, Plymouth, meets every Wednesday evening at 7 p.m. in the Salvation Army building on Main Street. For more information call 453-2658 or 453-2347.

THANKSGIVING SERVICE

A Thanksgiving Day serivce will be held at 10:30 a.m. in the First Church of Christ, Scientist on Ann Arbor Trail in Plymouth. All residents are welcome. The Lord's Prayer, silent prayer and hymns of praise will be a part of the worship service. Call 453-1373.

SOCIAL SECURITY APPLICATION

Social Security Card Applications will be taken at the Plymouth District Library (Dunning-Hough) on Thursday, Nov. 19 between 3-6 p.m. The child's birth certificate plus another piece of I.D. (a report card or medical insurance records) as well as the parent's picture I.D. is necessary. The cards will be mailed to parents within two weeks. Call 453-0750.

BRUCE AT MARQUIS

Jeffrey Bruce, a well-known cosmetic artist, will appear as Captain Hook in the musical "Peter Pan" at the Marquis Theatre in Northville Nov. 27 through Dec. 9. For ticket information call 349-8110.

JOB HUNTING WORKSHOP

There will be a Job Hunting Workshop at Schoolcraft College on Wednesday, Nov. 18 at 6 p.m. and Nov. 19 at 1:30 p.m. on the lower level of the Waterman Campus Center. The workshop is open and free. For information call 591-6400, ext. 371.

CLASSIC FILM

"In the Heat of the Night," an American film classic will be shown at Madonna College on Wednesday, Nov. 18 at 1:30 p.m. and again at 7:30 p.m. in Kresge Hall. Open to the public and free of charge. Call 591-5197 for details.

SENIOR ART EXHIBIT

A Senior Art Exhibit will be on display at Madonna College from Nov. 20 through Dec. 6 in the Exhibit Gallery of the library wing. Free to patrons. Call 591-5187.

PCPWP DANCE

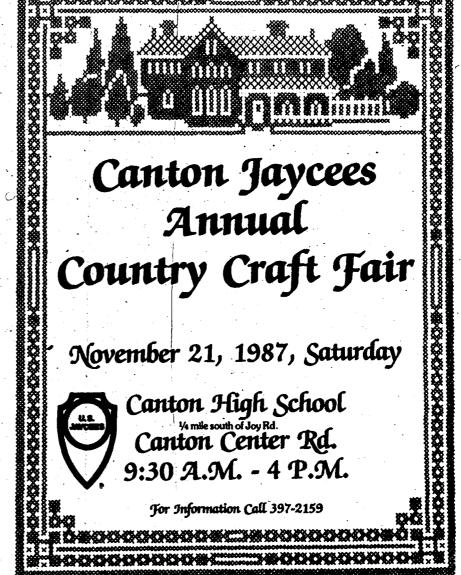
The Plymouth-Canton Parents Without Partners will host a meeting and dance on Thursday, Nov. 19 at 8 p.m. in the Holiday Inn in Livonia. Tickets are \$2, or \$3 after 9 p.m. For more information call Ellen at 455-3851.

NEW LIBRARY HOURS

New hours have been set for Dunning-Hough Library starting Jan. 4. The new hours are Monday-Thursday from 9:30 a.m. to 9 p.m.; Friday and Saturday, 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.; and Sunday, 1-5 p.m. Call 453-0750.

OAKWAY WASSAIL DINNER

The Oakway Symphony Wassail Dinner is set for Saturday, Dec. 12 at 7 p.m. in the Residence Hall Dinning Room at Madonna College in Livonia. Tickets are \$27.50. Entertainment and a menu which features cornish hens and plum pudding, For reservations call 591-5046 or 522-7846.







Getting down to business

And a beer with the Chairman

Piano artists

BY PAUL GARGARO

There's an Old World work ethic prospering in Plymouth.

Surrounded by carcasses of old and disemboweled pianos, Patrick DeBeliso and his wife Luanne, owners of Nouveaux Piano Arts at 775 Davis St. in Plymouth, do things the old fashioned way, adding bits of innovation and experimentation when needed.

Pat, who has been involved with pianos for 15 years, specializes in rebuilding fine pianos. In addition, DeBeliso tunes, refinishes and rents pianos.

"My wife does a lot of the fine, delicate work. She's patient and does great work," said DeBeliso. "I do more of the bulky stuff. We do serious work"

Indeed, a tour through the shop reveals that this is no half-hearted operation. A number of battered old pianos fill the 2,000-square-foot space, waiting for their lustre and glamor to be restored by the DeBelisos.

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DeBeliso stresses the importance of piano owners maintaining their old instruments, and his voice carries the urgency of a doctor trying to preserve a life.

"These pianos were made at a time when wood was almost free, just look at this woodwork," said Deleliso, pointing to a magnificent old specimen imported from Germany in the 19th century. "When they built something like a Steinway, they used the best oak or maple and air dried it. Today, wood is so expensive.

"It's so interesting working with these old pianos. The work of those Old World craftsmen — man, those guys weren't just working for hours and a paycheck," he said. "I'm trying to recapture some of the artistry that was lost over the last century. It's nice in this day and age, when everything is automated and computerized, to know that the modern world can't change this. It's like preserving history."

DeBeliso's passion has earned him a reputation. Aside from refinishing and



'We do serious work'

Luanne and Patrick DeBeliso work on a piano in their shop. "I'm trying to recapture some of the artistry that was lost over the last century," says Patrick. (Crier photo by Paul Gargaro)

overhauling pianos, he conducts a very successful piano rental business and caters to some very big entertainment names.

A while back, DeBeliso recalls spending time with Frank Sinatra after tuning a piano for him in his suite at the Westin Hotel atop the Renaissance Center.

"After tuning the piano, Frank offered me a beer and we sat and watched Hogan's Heroes," laughed DeBeliso. "Meanwhile, Sinatra's on the phone with Perry Como talking about doing a show for the president. It was unbelievable."

Because he rents out fine equipment and does outstanding work, DeBeliso has established a relationship with production companies like Brass Ring, Prism, and the Office of Major Events. Last weekend he provided and tuned the pianos for a Masonic Temple concert featuring George Benson and Earl Klugh.

In addition, DeBeliso has worked with names like Dionne Warwick, the Pointer Sisters, Smokey Robinson, John Denver, Stephen Stills and Bob Seger, to name a few. His office includes photos with a true friend, Tony Bennett, and two weeks ago he took his piano to Tom Monaghan's Drummond Island extravaganza.

Glitter, though, does not seem to get beyond DeBeliso's front door. His real thrills come from the instruments that surround him.

"I work for nobody but myself. The end results are instruments which will outlast me," he said. "I love what I do."

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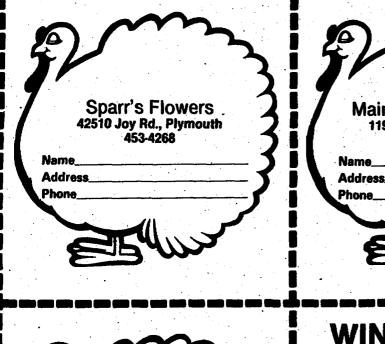
The employes of the local Kmart distribution center will be participating in the "Good News" program, which will provide 40 Plymouth and Canton families with a gift package that includes: a turkey, an assortment of personal and household products and a large clothes basket filled with food items.

"Individual employe contributions helped finance this project," said Charles Bierwiler, general manager of the Ganton Distribution Center In-

addition to financial support, the employes also volunteered to sort, package and make deliveries to the families.

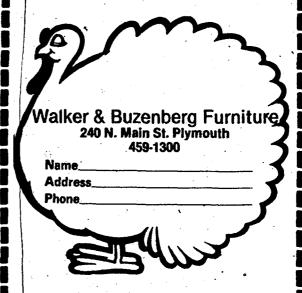
Carl Wilson, "Good News" committee chairman, said that "all communities involved in this year's program were very receptive to the idea and we hope to make this an annual event."

Major Robert Geddis, of the Canton Salvation Army, was the project coordinator for Canton and supplied the names of families to receive the "Good News" gifts in his area. Pat Cranston and Henry Berghoff, president and treasurer, respectively, of the Plymouth Goodfellows, headed up the effort for their community:



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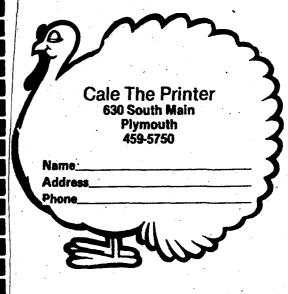


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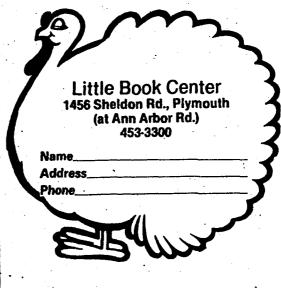


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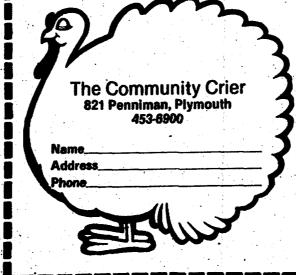
To enter, just clip out the turkeys, fill in name, address and phone number and deposit at the store listed on the coupon. Each merchant will give away one 12 lb. (approx.) turkey and conduct their own drawing on Friday, Nov. 20, 1987. No obligation or purchase necessary. Enter one or all . . . 10 chances to win! (odds in winning depend on the number of entries per store) Must be 18 years or older to enter.

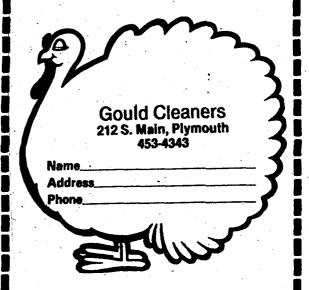












Through the roof

As if running a bar were not tough enough, the roof collapsed at the Plymouthrock Saloon on Feb. 8. 1982. The bar re-opened later that year. (Crier photo)



BY DAN NESS AND W. EDWARD WENDOVER

Running a drinking establishment is like being a parent to 300 kids at one

That's an analogy to which Pete Elefterio, proprietor of the Plymouthrock Saloon, would agree.

"You're responsible (for bar customers) from the time they walk into here until the time they go to bed," Elefterio says.

That situation exists as a result of recent changes in the law regarding liability of bar owners in connection with accidents involving their customers, Elefterio says. "It was simpler five years ago."

The state Liquor Control Commission recently fined the Plymouthrock Saloon in connection with the serving of alcohol to a minor who was determined to be legally intoxicated, according to the LCC.

That act resulted in two charges -serving a minor and serving a person who is intoxicated.

Checking the ages of customers can be difficult, Elefterio says, especially when there are sophisticated methods of making fake IDs. Kathryn Mattson, an employe of the Plymouthrock Saloon, says the bar is tough on checking for minors. "I don't care if you're 50, you get carded."

Serving intoxicated customers - also illegal - comes down to a judgment call on the part of the bartender, Elefterio says. If a customer is skilled at hiding his/her condition, a bartender is left vulnerable.

"It's impossible to go to a bar and not find a guy (drunk) there," Elefterio says. As for drunks in his bar, "we don't serve them," Elefterio says. "In fact, I drove two of them home the other day.

"I don't want to see people killed on the highway either."

Ed Kenyon, former owner of the Plymouthrock Saloon, echoes the hardship story of running a drinking

His wife has returned as day barmaid at The Rock and since his business is nearby, Kenyon still frequents his old haunt. "I've never seen any trouble in

here," he said. "I'm usually here day times but I've been in a few nights

Kenyon said that restaurants and bars are unfairly patrolled by police.

"I think it's a bum rap sometimes to pick on a bar because there's been an accident outside of a bar," he said. "As compared to a party store, a restaurant like this one has got to look favorable."

Driver tells her story from behind bars

BY PAUL GARGARO

Yvonne Hillier, an inmate at the Coldwater Correctional Facility in western Michigan, spoke bravely of her situation. Serving a five-to-15 year sentence for manslaughter, Hillier seemed willing to talk, though her steady voice choked occasionally with

Over the phone, her voice was like that of any other 20-year-old girl. And why shouldn't it be? A graduate of Wayne Memorial High School and a member of Michigan's National Guard, Hillier's biography reads like that of so many girls her age. Still, her voice is haunting.

Can a voice like this really be coming from behind bars?

On Dec. 13, 1986, Hillier and a girlfriend left the Plymouthrock Saloon, on Joy Road and General Drive in Plymouth Township, completely intoxicated. Just after 7:30 p.m., her car slammed head on into the car of Bruce Aumann, of Canton, killing the senior citizen's wife, Dorcas.

Tragedy struck a vicious blow that night. Chalk it up to stupidity, carelessness, or alcohol. Whichever you prefer, be sure to leave out malicious

intent. Hillier was just a kid and she made a horrible mistake.

"It was a Saturday after work around 3:30 p.m. and my girlfriend and I met a friend at the Plymouthrock. He already had a pitcher of beer," recalled Hillier. "A waitress asked us if we had ID's. When we said that we did, she didn't press us any further."

A few days shy of 20, the only ID that Hillier was carrying showed her true age. But that didn't matter, she was never asked to produce it. The waitress only brought over two glasses, so the underage girls shared the glass with Mark, their companion.

"I remember kind of leaving. I remember standing in the foyer (of the Plymouthrock)," said Hillier. "Then I remember waking up in the hospital."

Hillier went on to express a dissatisfaction with the treatment of her case, by both the courts and her defense.

"There are doubts about who was driving. My car was taken away and squashed before a toxologist could run blood tests on it," claimed Hillier. "Both my girlfriend and I look alike."

Hillier was also angered and surprised over the fact that 10 of the 12 charges

involving that night's accident were dropped against the Plymouthrock Saloon. The Plymouthrock Saloon was fined \$677.25 by the Liquor Control Commission on those two charges.

"They never called me for my testimony. If I couldn't have gone, I would have written something," Hillier said. "If I wasn't there they shouldn't be able to get away with it.

"I'm surprised that they weren't closed down," she added. "I'd like to see them closed."

For now, Hillier bides her time in the low-security annex of the Coldwater prison. She is working in the kitchen. She almost seems encouraged by the relative freedom within the institution.

Her speech, though, became more hesitant when asked about her future. At times she seemed on the verge of tears. However, she doesn't mince words when offering advice.

"If you're going to drink, stay at home," Hillier said. "Actually, don't even drink."

Conversation comes harder as the interview draws to a close. A 'good luck' is offered and Hillier speaks softly and hesitantly. "My life isn't over, I'm still young."

YVONNE HILLIER

"If you're going to drink, stay at home. Actually, don't even drink."

- Yvonne Hillier

Inside The Rock:

BY KEN VOYLES

Barflies in The Plymouth-Canton Community don't mind leaving the beaten path when they sojourn to the Plymouthrock Saloon on General Drive at Joy Road.

Maybe its location is one of the reasons patrons flock to the "Rock." even during a slow Friday afternoon. That and the ambiance of the bar where the mostly male patrons rub elbows with chatty (and leggy) waitresses, sipping cold Rolling Rock from a beer shell or swapping banter with friend and stranger alike.

"We make them feel right at home," said Jacqueline, manager at the Rock. "The guys here feel like one of the

"It's unique," said a patron. "It's off the beaten path. It's relaxing. You don't worry about coming here and being rushed through."

There's even a quaint proverb at the Rock. The drinks are usually considered "good to the last drip" even if it's down the front of your shirt.

Proverbs, though, are not what the Rock is all about. The place has been labeled by some as the ultimate "dive" among bars in

The Plymouth-Canton Community. The saloon may seem a little sleazy at first glance, but after passing the

"No Motorcycle 'Colors" sign, the change is dramatic.

Inside, well-mannered patrons practice elbow lifts, quafting beer from a mug or a glass while talking briskly over the rock and roll coming out of the juke box. Eyeing the waitresses is an encouraged trait of the Rock's customers.

It's clean inside - no smoke-filled chambers here -- just the soft blend of voices, clanking beer mugs and U-2 music coming out of the loudspeakers.

"This is a good Friday," said Lori, a bartender. "We like to tell our consumers not to stay away for too long."

One of her co-workers added, "But we don't like anyone to leave here who can't drive." Located along an industrial

corridor, the Rock could be expected to boast a heavily blue collar crowd. Fridays anyway).

There's a blend of patrons hovering around the bar, from the suited businessmen to more hardcore types who lean into a pitcher of beer with a real zest for life.

They all enjoy the mood evoked by the setting - whirling fans overhead; soft lights filtering across the nowempty dance floor; posters poking fun at athletes (and one which claims

"Grass is the real thing"); the blank wall of a giant screen T.V. (usually fired up for things like Monday Night Football); the reflection bouncing off a glass mirror behind the bar (carved into is the unofficial mascot of the place -- an Irishman with a mug of beer in one hand sitting precariously on a barrel of beer).

There's more -- trophies of every size and shape (pointing to support of local amateur sports teams); signs telling of music acts which perform every Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and now Sunday (from country to rock and blues); and the soft whine of a machine spitting out red neon advertisements, proclaiming "Drink up, party down."

One patron shouts across the bar --"What the hell are you doing here?"

"I'm talking to someone in-

Time flies for the barflies as the afternoon wears on and the evening crowd starts to wander in. It's a Friday kind of crowd - happy to see the weekend arrive. Happy, too, in finding a comfortable seat with a good view.

"We get plenty of regulars," said another waitress. "But everyone even first-timers -- feel welcome right

The Incident:

On the night of Dec. 13, 1986 an car was also allegedly struck by the automobile carrying Yvonne Hillier and Kathy Paananen, both of Westland, struck an automobile occupied by Bruce and Dorcas Aumann. of Canton, according to a Plymouth Township police report

Dorcas Aumann was killed in the head-on collision.

According to a witness cited in the police report, Hillier and Paananen's westbound automobile (which the report notes as being driven by Hillier) 'didn't have any lights on and was all over the road."

A second witness, whose westbound

girls' auto at Joy Road and Brook Park Drive, reinforced the claim that the auto was unlit and out of control.

The second and fatal collision with the Aumann's vehicle occurred on the western side of the Joy Road overpass at I-275, police reports show.

The owners of the Plymouthrock Saloon, Var-Ken, Inc., faced 12 charges in front of the Liquor Control Commission as a result of the accident. After a hearing on Oct. 12, the LCC

dropped all but two of the charges, which ranged from serving a minor to serving an intoxicated person. The fines and expenses for the two charges totalled \$677.25, which Var-Ken, Inc. has until Dec. 7 to pay.

Those two charges were related to serving Paananen liquor as a minor, according to Norman Farhat, attorney for Var-Ken, Inc. Charges related to serving Paananen as an intoxicated person were dropped for lack of evidence, Farhat said.

"There was no showing by any of the witnesses that she was inoxicated or served while intoxicated," he said.

Charges involving Hillier were also dropped because she was not at the hearing to testify, Farhat said.

The Lawsuit:

the Plymouthrock Saloon in connection with an accident that left a Canton woman dead last December, they still face a civil lawsuit brought about by the husband of the accident victim.

Bruce Aumann, of Canton, filed suit against Var-Ken, Inc. and is seeking damages for the accident that killed his wife, according to Norman Farhat, attorney for Var-Ken, Inc.

the corporate structure of the Although the state Liquor Control Plymouthrock Saloon ownership in the stockholders and Var-Ken, Inc. corporate officers as defendants in the action, Farhat said. Farhat was, until recently, secretary of Var-Ken, Inc., he

Aumann declined to comment. "I would rather not talk about it." Aumann said of the accident and the resulting lawsuit. He deferred all questions to his attorney, Tim Cronin, of Plymouth. Cronin refused to supply. discuss the matter.

The suit contends that persons at the Commission has fined the owners of lawsuit by naming individual Plymouthrock Saloon served minors said. "Those are both considered Dram Shop actions," he said. Dram Shop charges contend that a drinking establishment is responsible for any resulting accidents involving patrons that occur after they leave the business.

Farhat said that Var-Ken, Inc. would be hiring an attorney that specializes in Dram Shop actions to Aumann is also seeking to "pierce" ... a copy of the lawsuit to The Crier or ... represent it in this case.



The situation, continued

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harassing his patrons to the point of the Plymouthrock Saloon losing "more than half" of its business in the last $2\frac{1}{2}$ years.

Plymouth Township Police Chief Carl Berry says that his department is not harassing Elefterio, nor every other liquor license owner within its jurisdiction -- which are all subjected to careful scrutiny.

The accompanying stories detail the tumultuous history of one of The Plymouth-Canton Community's most talked about drinking establishments. Through its roof collapsing, changes in management-ownership, accidents linked to it, and through several LCC charges, the Plymouthrock Saloon has survived.

Berry asked to address last night's Plymouth Township Board meeting on the recent LCC fine -- "the punishment doesn't fit the crime," he said. The police chief insists his argument is not with the saloon as much as it is with the LCC.

Although the Plymouthrock Saloon has its detractors, many of its patrons sing its praises.

And according to Elefterio, it will continue to survive.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Plymouth Township records regarding Var-Ken, Inc. and the Plymouthrock Saloon were incomplete, according to the clerk's office.

References to four traffic fatalities in The Plymouth-Canton Community connected to patrons who had left the Plymouthrock Saloon could not be entirely verified.

Var-Ken, Inc. owner Peter Elesterio acknowledged the connection between the Aumann death and verified that a Canton man who died at Mettetal Airport in a night-time drag racing episode had been at the bar that night.

Former Var-Ken, Inc. owner Edward Kenyon acknowledged that a local man who died on Lilley Road in a head-on collision with a semi-truck in late 1983 or early 1984 had been in the Plymouthrock earlier. He said the bar refused to serve the man.

A fourth fatality involving a woman driving south on Lilley Road in Canton could not be connected with the saloon, according to Var-Ken, Inc. owners.

The History:

Oct. 15, 1980 -- Plymouth Township Planning Commission votes 5 to 3 to allow the former Michigan Employment Security Commission offices to become a bar and restaurant.

Jan. 13, 1981 Plymouth Township Board of Trustees votes 5 to 2 to approve transfer of the liquor license-dance permit from Shur-Case, Inc. at 201 Ann Arbor Rd. (known as BGs night club) to Var-Ken, Inc., owners of the Plymouthrock Saloon at 8825 General Drive. Don Vargo and Ed Kenyon are listed as stockholders. (Originally, the bar was going to be named "Fast Eddie's Saloon" after co-owner Kenyon's old nickname. But that name was already registered and "Plymouthrock" was chosen on the spur of the moment.)

May 4, 1981 - The liquor license is officially issued.

October, 1981 -- The Plymouthrock Saloon opens for business.

Feb. 8, 1982 - Patrons sitting in the saloon on this snowy day hear the roof creak and groan. While most of them head for the door, one natron refuses to leave until he gets his quarter back from a video game. Seconds after he's escorted out by the Rock's manager, the roof collapses. There were no injuries.

Later in 1982 - The saloon re-opens after repairs are completed.

March, 1984 - Kenyon was dropped as a licensee and stockholder in Var-Ken, Inc. through sale of stock.

Mid-1985 - Peter Elefterio, (now 45-year-old Livonia resident) buys into the Var-Ken, Inc. company. He has increased his share of the company since that time and is now the major stockholder. He said he plans to completely buy out Vargo's interest.

Nov. 8, 1985 - Plymouthrock cited for two violations involving sale of liquor to minors. Owners are found guilty of both charges and fined \$100 for each charge.

Sept. 7, 1986. Plymouthrock cited for operating after hours by the LCC. This charge was never formally processed by the LCC following review of the complaint by the LCC's attorneys.

Dec. 13, 1986 - Yvonne Hillier and Kathy Paananen, who were at the Plymouthrock Saloon earlier in the night, are involved in a 7:30 p.m. accident that kills Dorcas Aumann, 67, of Canton.

Jan. 14, 1987 - 12-count complaint filed by the Plymouth Township Police Department against the owners of the Plymouthrock Saloon with the Liquor Control Commission.

Mid-1987 -- Civil suit is filed by Bruce Aumann against Var-Ken, Inc., its stockholders and its corporate officers in connection with the accident that claimed Dorcas Aumann's life. The suit is still pending.

Aug. 5, 1987.— The Wayne County Health Department issues an order to close the kitchen at Plymouthrock because the health permit was not renewed. The \$157 fee was paid later that day and the health license was issued.

Sept. 10, 1987 -- An LCC investigator charges Var-Ken, Inc. with purchasing alcoholic beverages from an unauthorized source. This charge is awaiting a hearing date, which should be scheduled early next year, according to the LCC.

Oct. 12, 1987 - LCC holds hearing on 12 charges brought about in connection with the accident.

Nov. 3, 1987 - All but two charges are dropped. The owners of the Plymouthrock Saloon, VarKen, Inc., pay \$677.25 in LCC fines and expenses for the two violations.

Dec. 7, 1987 - Deadline for Var-Ken, Inc., to pay LCC fines or appeal decision. (Elefterio says the

company will not appeal.)

Nov. 17, 1987 -- Plymouth Township Board of Trustees adds Plymouthrock Saloon's LCC violations to the agenda for discussion, at the request of Police Chief Carl Berry (see next week's Crier for details).

Pursell meets with 'Neighbors'

BY PAUL GARGARO

In the wake of the drafting of the Arias Peace plan for Central America, U.S. Representative Carl Pursell-R held an interview Friday with delegates from Neighbor to Neighbor, a nationally-based human interest group.

The delegation consisted of citizens from throughout the 2nd Congressional district, and two national representatives of the Neighbor to Neighbor organization.

The Arias Plan calls for free elections, increased media freedom, a renewed commitment to dialogue between conflicting groups, and an end to aid of all forms to guerrilla activity in Central America. With the tenets of the Arias Plan as a base, the Neighbor to Neighbor members questioned Pursell on the future of U.S. involvement in Central America.

"I see Central America as a region which has never had a real partnership with the United States," said Pursell. "I've put out a challenge for people who have long-term ideas for that region.

"Central America lacks middle-class stability," added Pursell, "We've got to develop it by creating jobs and opportunities."



Pursell on diplomacy

U. S. Rep. Carl Pursell, of the 2nd District, meets with delegates from Neighbor to Neighbor to discuss the effects of the Arias Peace Plan on continued U.S. involvement in Central America. The meeting took place in his Plymouth office last Friday. (Crier photo by Paul Gargaro)

Asked whether he would support Contra aid in the future, Pursell answered that, "No one in Congress is in a position to answer that. The question is whether the sides involved will stick to a bi-partisan peace initiative."

One of the features outlined in the Arias Peace Plan asks that any governments outside of the five Central American countries in the pact cut off aid which would add to the further instability of the region. This

would include financial aid for military endeavors, equipment assistance to irregular forces, propaganda, and armament supplies.

Citing this, the Neighbor to Neighbor delegates again pressed Pursell to speculate on the future of U.S. involvement.

"The success of this plan is based on a multi-lateral commitment," said Pursell. "We have to watch the progress on both sides of the table. I want to see the plan adopted.

"If we can get a quid pro quo agreement to cease and desist, that would be great," he added. "I've seen Soviet weapons down there. Ortega criticizes Reagan but no one says anything about the Soviet involvement."

Pursell stressed that future peace in Central America depends heavily on a bi-partisan commitment to education and the creation of wealth in the region.

"I'm interested in the whole regional issue," said Pursell. "We can't just pull out completely. It might sound attractive considering our deficit, but that's isolationism and it won't work."

As a long-term goal, Pursell sees a full partnership with the region and hopes to establish a relationship similar to that of the U.S. and Canada.

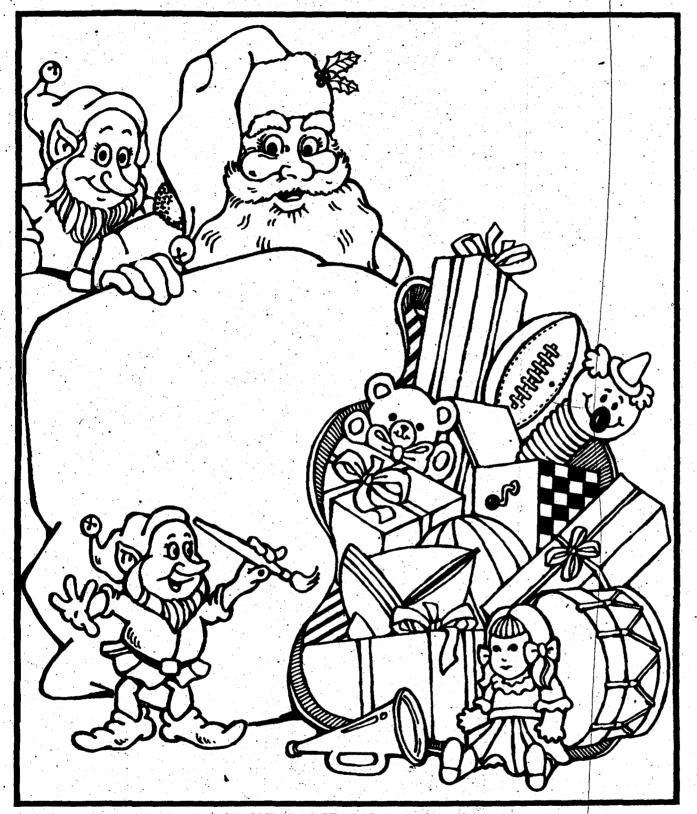


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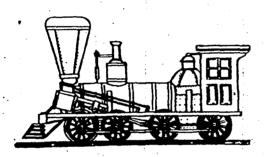
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Checking it out

Northville Township firefighters responded to a fire at the old Plymouth Home for Children on Saturday. The vacant campus, on the northeast corner of Five Mile and Sheldon roads has been the scene of prior fires. This one was believed to have been set by vandals, according to Northville Township fire officials. (Crier photo by John Grybas)

Woman reports rape

Canton police are investigating the reported rape of a woman found wandering nude on Napier Road north of Cherry Hill Road Saturday afternoon.

The 40-year-old woman, address unknown, said she was picked up by two men and a woman in a maroon compact car near Fenkell and Lahser in

Detroit, according to police. She told police she was repeatedly raped in the car by one of the men, according to police reports.

Canton police found the woman's clothes near a stream about 500 feet north of Cherry Hill Road after being called to the scene.

PCA hit by burglary

Canton police have no suspects in the break-in of Plymouth Christian Academy high school the night of Nov.

According to police reports, the burglar(s) made off with thousands of dollars worth of goods from the school. Included in the items stolen were: a copy machine, an amplifier and a speaker from the auditorium, a typewriter, three saxaphones, a bass clarinet, several drum sets, several

drum stands, and miscellaneous band instruments.

A fire extinguisher had also been sprayed throughout one portion of the school, according to police.

Several classrooms were also vandalized, with desks and file cabinets ransacked and drawers dumped, police said.

Entry was made into the school between 8 p.m. on Nov. 8 and 7:30 a.m. on Nov. 9, police said.

European disposal

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suggest several options communities can consider for waste disposal and processing.

"Clearly, communities can begin to compost starting next week, if they want to," Kosteva said. Communities can begin waste separation programs for recycling, and collecting organic waste produced by municipalities for composting, he said.

Statewide programs could be implemented also, Kosteva said. The state could ban: non-biodegradable packaging materials, such as Styrofoam; mixed-material packaging, such as bottles with plastic coatings; plastic beverage cans with metal tops; and landfill disposal of municipal organic waste. A single business tax credit could be created for industries that use recycled materials, which would help develop the market for recycled goods, Kosteva added.

Education is the most important step to getting residents and municipalities to cooperate, Kosteva said. "We have to start educating and raising a generation of waste-conscious people."



Places to be

Adopt-A-Magazine Chiefettes bring variety at Dunning-Hough

The Dunning-Hough Library in Plymouth recently instituted a new program, "Adopt-A-Magazine" in businesses, individuals or organizations can adopt a magazine by donating the annual subscription cost to the library.

The new program will assist the library in underwriting costs of providing materials, said Carol Davis, president of the Plymouth District Library Board which oversees Dunning-Hough.

All sponsorships will qualify for Michigan Single Business Tax 50 per cent credits and are deductible charitable contributions for federal income tax.

Sponsorship costs vary depending on the magazine. They range from \$72.50 for Barron's to \$12 for Practical Homeowner.

Some of the magazines which are awaiting adoption include:

Better Homes and Gardens, Car and Driver, Discover, Glamour, Michigan History, National Geographic, Sports Illustrated, Seventeen, and U.S. News and World Report.

S'craft cooks

Schoolcraft College's Gourmet Club will salute Michigan's Sesquicentennial celebration at a "Say Yes to Michigan" dinner on Friday, Nov. 20.

Featuring 150 years of Michigan cooking traditions, the menu for the evening will include AuSable Salmon bisque, Iron Mountain mushroom terrine with venison, Bay City currant sauce, Michigan woodsman ranged hen, northern sweet potato duchess, Michigan orchard apple tart with cinnamon ice cream and cherry sauce.

Tickets are \$20 per person and are available in advance at the SC Waterman Campus Center Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m..

Get ready, it's time again for the annual Canton High Cheifettes Variety Show, hosted and organized by the Canton Chiefettes squad.

The show is scheduled for both Friday and Saturday, Nov. 20-21 at 7:30 p.m. in the Salem High auditorium. Admission is \$3.

Tickets for the show can be purchased at the door or in advance from any Chiefette.

Some of the show highlights include a dance number featuring the Chiefettes and their fathers, a drum solo, skits, singers, bands and other acts.

Christmas Walk is Nov. 29

The 16th Annual Christmas Walk in Plymouth's historic Old Village catches the spirit of an old-fashioned Christmas

This year's walk is slated for Sunday, Nov. 29 from neon to 6 p.m.

Among the highlights of the walk include: munching on Christmas treats while sipping on a hot drink; listening to the music or carolers and bell choirs; riding the city's doubledecker bus; and welcoming Santa Claus to his

headquarters at Friendly Persuasions florist shop.

Residents in the holiday spirit can also meet the artists and craftsmen of Old Village; stroll into shops in 1890s farm houses, the 1916 Buick garage. the old greenhouse or the newly refurbished C & O depot; and browse antique shops housed in 1870s store fronts (or a 1920s bank).

Patrons of the walk will also get a chance to register for an Old Village shopping spree.

Community Band plays

The Plymouth Community Band, known for its "Concerts in the Park" series in Kellogg Park during the summer, will bring its performances indoors for the winter.

The group's first show is set for Friday, Nov. 20 at 8 p.m. in the Canton High Little Theater.

will perform classics for band such as the overture, "Beatrice and Benedict," by Hector Berlioz; the "Aegean Festival Overture," by Andreas Makris; "Folk Festival," by Dmitri Shostakovich; "Trumpeter's Lullaby," by Leroy Anderson; and a variety of

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Comedy revue on tap

A comedy revue with music planned to help celebrate the Michigan Sesquicentennial will be staged on Saturday, Nov. 28 at the Canton High Little Theatre.

Dubbed "Michigan: A State of Being" the program includes music by John Fitz, lyrics by Alice Morin and choreography by Ann Parsley.

Proceeds from the two shows (5 p.m. and 8 p.m.) will go to benefit the Metro Detroit Youth Chorus.

Tickets for the shows are \$8 for adults and \$4.50 for students. Call Pat at 459-1237 for further ticket and performance information.

Thanksgiving party slated

Gobble, gobble.

Canton's Parks and Recreation Department is hosting its annual Thanksgiving party for children ages three years of age to 12 on Saturday, Nov. 21.

The party will run from 10-11 a.m. at the Canton Recreation Center on Michigan Avenue at Sheldon Road.

There will be movies, games, prizes and refreshments for the kiddies. There is no cost.

Call in advance to reserve a spot. The number is 397-5110.



Yoe, Schneider plan to wed

Doris Ann Yoe, of Plymouth, and William D. Schneider, of Athens, GA, are currently making plans for a December wedding.

Yoe, the daughter of Timothy and Marilyn Yoe, of Plymouth, and Schneider, son of Dr. and Mrs. Donald O. Schneider, will be wed on Dec. 19 at Our Lady of Good Counsel Church in Plymouth.

Yoe is a graduate of Redford Bishop Borgess and the University of Georgia College of Education.

Schneider is a gradute of Cedar Shoals High (GA) and the University of Georgia School of Accounitng.



YOE-SCHNEIDER

Community births

It's Nicholas

Nicholas Jack England came into this world on Oct. 13 at St. Joseph's Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. Nicholas weighed 7lbs. 12 oz.

Nicholas is the son of Charles and Roxanne England, of Plymouth, and the brother of Meghan Elizabeth.

Nicholas' grandparents are Morley and Bunny Fortier, of Livonia, and Bobbie England, of Plymouth.

Hi Emily

Emily Nicole Sweeney arrived on Nov. 8 at Providence Hospital in Southfield. She weighed in at 6 lbs., 15

Emily is the daughter of Charles and Kimberly Sweeney, of Canton.

Her grandparents are David and Burnadette Sweeney, of Plymouth, and Joseph and Patrica Mairorano, and Donald and Edith Dennis, of Livonia.

Community Deaths

Dellucci, waitress

Grace Dellucci, 69, of Canton, died Nov. 5 in Boston. Services were held Nov. 7 at St. Thomas A'Becket Catholic Church with the Rev. Fr. Ernest M. Porcari officiating.

A long-time resident of Boston, Dellucci moved to The Plymouth-Canton Community in 1985. She worked as a waitress at the Doughnut Scene.

Survivors include: daughters Lucille Rice, of Canton, and Josephine White, of

Burial was in Holy Cross Cemetery in Malden, MA. Arrangements were made by the Ross B. Northrop and Son Funeral Home. Memorial contributions can be made to the Hospice of Western Wayne County.

Vaughn, Vietnam vet

David B. Vaughn, 38, of Webster, TX, died Nov. 1 in Clear Lake, TX. Services were held on Nov. 5 at the Schrader Funeral Home with the Rev. Philip Rodgers Magee officiating.

A U.S. Army veteran of the Vietnam War, Vaughn worked as a route salesman for the Coca Cola Bottling Company of Houston. He moved into the Plymouth community in 1979 from Pontiac. Vaughn remained in Plymouth until 1981 when he moved to Houston. A graduate of Pioneer High School in Ann Arbor, he went on to attend Washtenaw Community College. He married Patricia J. George, of Plymouth, on Dec. 11, 1981, in Texas.

Survivors include: wife Patricia, of Webster, TX; daughter Carrie; father John Vaughn, of Brighton; step- mother Velma Vaughn; sister Johnine Byrer, of Trumbell, CT; and four nieces and three nephews.

Burial was in Riverside Cemetery, in Plymouth.

Holloway, tennis enthusiast

Helen M. Holloway, 64, of Plymouth, died Nov. 9 at Oakwood Hospital in Canton. Services were held on Nov. 12 at the Lambert-Vermeulen Funeral Home with the Rev. J. McMunn officiating.

Holloway moved to the Plymouth community in 1973 from Detroit. A tennis enthusiast, she was a member of the Farmington Hills Tennis Club.

Survivors include: husband Richard L.; son James D., of Northville, Douglas A., of Redondo Beach, CA, and Richard L., of Bellingham, WA; and grandchildren Jill, Scott, Nicholas, Jon, and Andrew.

Burial was in Glen Eden Cemetery, in Livonia.

Avis, of Superior Township

Bruce E. Avis, 73, of Superior Township, died Nov. 6 in Southfield. Services were held Nov. 9 at the Schrader Funeral Home with the Rev. Charles L. Marble

Survivors include: wife Doris, of Superior Township; sons Bruce E., of Northville, and Charles W., of Plymouth; and sister Mrs. Margaret Clinansmith, of Salem.

Interment was in Worden Cemetery in Salem Township. Memorial contributions can be made to Providence Hospital for medical research.

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Nursing Facility. Services were held Nov. 9 at the Lambert-Vermeulen Funeral Home with Dr. Jerry Yarnell officiating. A homemaker, Kugelman moved to Plymouth in 1977 from Livonia. Survivors include: son Richard L. Kugelman, of Plymouth; sister Edith Allen.

Kugelman, homemaker

of Dayton, OH; grandchildren Lori and Jeffrey Kugelman; and dear friend Charlotte Ciesnicki.

Katherine M. Kugelman, 79, of Plymouth, died Nov. 7 at the Plymouth Court

Interment was in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, in Southfield.

Franklin, secretary

Edith M. Franklin, 71, of Plymouth Township died Nov. 9 in Livonia. Services were held Nov. 11 at the Schrader Funeral Home with Pastor Jerry Yarnell of-

Franklin moved to The Plymouth-Canton Community in 1976 from Westland. In 1981, she retired from Ford Transmission in Livonia after 30 years of service as a secretary.

A graduate of Boston College, Class of '36, Franklin was a member of the Vivians Club of the Plymouth Elks Lodge No. 1780 B.P.O.E., the Plymouth Crediteers, and the Lutheran Church.

Survivors include: sons Stephen A., of White Lake, and Larry B., of Livonia; grandchildren Judith Elaine Franklin and Stephen A. Franklin, Jr.; and three great grandchildren.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Hospice of Southeastern Michigan.

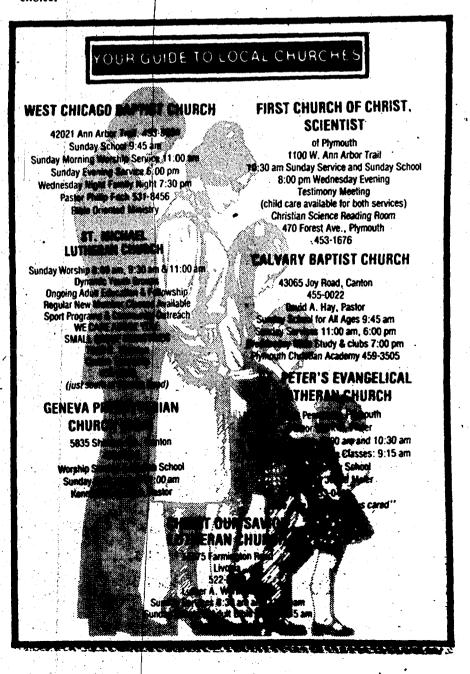
Conner, hotel employe

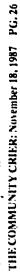
Vivian B. O'Conner, 79, of Plymouth died Nov. 7 in Plymouth. Services were held Nov. 10 at the Schrader Funeral Home with the Rev. John N. Grenfell, Jr. officiating.

A homemaker, O'Conner moved to The Plymouth-Canton Community in the early 1920s. She was a former employe of the Mayflower Hotel and helped her husband, William Chaffin, operate Bill's Market in Old Village.

Survivors include: brother-in-law Floyd B. Struwim, of Largo, FL; niece Carole Lamlein, of Orlando, FL; and close friends Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clement,

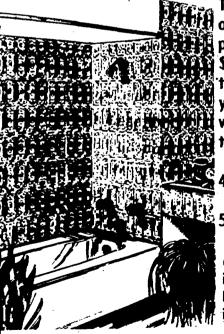
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Warren's chamber

WJR's Warren Pierce, right, regales The Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce members with stories of his exploits in radio at the Chamber's annual dinner Thursday. (Crier photos by Steve Betzhold)





Panel backs teachers

BY KEN VOYLES

A review committee upheld the use of a movie -- "What Friends Are For" -- by teachers in the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools last week, but at the same time recognized that some of its messages were "unclear."

The decision came after several members of the Citizens for Better Education (CBE) filed a complaint over the use of the educational resource. The film was originally shown once last year at a middle school.

The committee included parents Louise Robison and Nancy Vernon; teacher, Sharon Klein; media specialist, Charlie Jones; and administrator Lee Harrison. It released the findings last Tuesday.

The committee recommended that "teachers preview this film" because the messages in "What Friends Are For" are "unclear." They also suggested teachers carefully plan "pre and post discussions."

The group supported the district's policy of considering resources "as a whole" and not excluding it because of "brief passages which may offend some audiences."

Daskalakis filed the complaint over the controversial teaching materials last month. She can appeal the committee's findings to the district superintendent and the board of education.

It is the first such decision on a controversial resource complaint since last spring. The challenge was filed by CBE members Daskalakis, Sharon Kozub and Jean Shipley.

In a related note, Daskalakis, on behalf of the CBE, is currently complaining about the potential use of a hypnotist during the graduating seniors' party in June, 1988.

She questioned the use of a hypnotist at an October meeting of the seniors' party committee (made up mostly of parents). She said hypnotism can be "harmful if used in a 'party' atmosphere."

Daskalakis, who has no children of her own in the school district, said she wants the entertainment to be enjoyable to all who attend next year's gathering.

A hypnotist has been a regular feature at the popular graduation party. Daskalakis claims students had to be dehypnotized following a performance in 1984.

Despite the protests, Daskalakis recently requested permission to use a school auditorium for an open meeting of the CBE. She said the group wants to invite parents and residents to become acquainted with the organization.

Canton biz landscaping honored

Several Canton businesses and private residences were honored for landscaping efforts by the Canton Township Beautification Committee recently.

The awards were presented for "outstanding landscaping achievement and contributions to the beautification of the community" at the annual meeting of the Beautification Committee.

Following are the winners: Cavalier Village Homeowner's Association, Fordham Green Apart-

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ments, Heathmore Apartments, Pilgrim Village Apartments, Budgetel Inn, Oakwood -- Canton Health Center. Speedway Gas Station (Michigan Avenue and Lilley Road), Golden Gate Plaza, Fountain Square Plaza, F and M Distributors, Wendy's, McDonald's -- Ford Road, Mc-Donald's -- Michigan Avenue, Burger King, Seven Eleven, Canton Landing. Action Lawn Care, National Mini Storage, Classy Chassis Auto Wash. Knight's Inn, Bedford Villas Homeowner's Association and Willow Homes Homeowner's Association.

Schoolcraft building evacuated after bomb threat

BY KEN VOYLES

Students were evacuated from the Liberal Arts Building on Schoolcraft College's Livonia campus Monday morning following an anonymous bomb threat.

Officers with the Livonia Police Department rushed to the scene, said one Livonia sergeant, but found nothing following a search of the building.

"It was no big deal. Routine," said the sergeant. "We get calls like this all the time."

Curt Swiger, a nine-year veteran of the Schoolcraft Public Safety force, said the bomb threat came in as an anonymous call to the college switchboard at 11:05 a.m. Monday.

"The caller said a bomb would go off at 11:30 a.m.," Swiger said. "We simply had to evacuate the building and look for it."

He estimated there were 400-600 students in the Liberal Arts Building at the time.

A detailed search of the structure by both Livonia police and Schoolcraft

safety personnel failed to turn up a bomb, said Swiger.

"I've been here for nine years and this is the first time we've had a bomb threat that I know of," he added.

City seeks \$\$ re: Salem dump

BY PAUL GARGARO

Plymouth City Commissioners approved a resolution that would allow an application to be submitted for a grant from the Clean Michigan Fund at a regular commission meeting Monday.

The grant would provide funds of up

to \$600,000 to cover any problems which may arise from the Department of Natural Resources' current investigation of the city's old landfill in Salem Township.

"By filing an application we are not admitting to any wrongdoings," City Manager Henry Graper said. "In addition, this does not mean that we will accept any responsibility for any problems that the DNR may find at the site, unless they can prove that we were directly at fault."

By applying now, the city will have grant money available during the year if necessary, Graper said.



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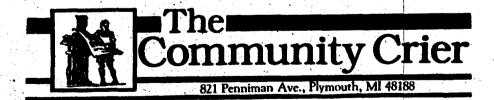
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Sports

Salem hoopsters down Canton

BY MARTY TUNGATE

It was the fourth meeting between the Salem and Canton's girls basketball squads Saturday, and for the fourth time Salem downed the Chiefs, 57-42, to claim the Western Lakes Activities Association (WLAA) crown.

The Rocks started out strong, as they proved to everyone on Saturday that they could play tough defense.

Salem ripped into Canton from the opening tip, as they put up 18 points in the first quarter while only giving up two points to the Chiefs.

"Salem is a great team. They started out strong, and it was a tough lead to overcome," Canton head coach Rob Neu said.

The Rocks kept banging away at a stunned Canton team opening up a 35-16 lead at the intermission.

"The big lead put us in good spot," Salem head coach Fred Thomann said. "We like being in the position of having the opposing team chase us."



The Chiefs tried to close the gap on the Rocks in the third quarter, but the

Rocks were just too much to handle:

By the beginning of the fourth quarter the Rocks had stretched their lead to 24 points.

In final quarter of play, the neversay-die Chiefs kept on fighting. Canton tried to close the margin, but it

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In color

Crowd digs action

BY JANET ARMSTRONG

For three years straight Salem and Canton have clashed over the Western Lakes Activities Association's league girls basketball crown.

Although attendance at girls hoop games is low on the average this year, on Saturday the fans turned out in force for the game.

Parents, friends, alumni and CEP students made up the almost full bleachers to see the game.

In past years student's have been known to get a little rowdy, but all in all Saturday's game was relatively quiet.

There were a few painted faces, and some screaming for both teams, and even some unkind words of wisdom to the referees.

Most just showed their spirit by dressing in their schools respective colors Canton red versus Salem blue.

School board member Roland Thomas showed up in what he called the "official school board colors" red, blue and white.

And it's not over yet. The same two teams will clash again in the districts this week.

Hoop action

Above, Canton High's girls basketball team on the attack. Karen Boluch (34) looks for a teammate. Right, Salem's Denn Hend and Canton's Susan Ferko battle under the boards. (Crier photos by Damon Smith)



Salem was led by senior sensation Dena Head, who tossed in 26 points.

"Dena played a good game, as did Jill (Estey). Everyone really contributed to this one," Thomann added.

Canton was led by sophomore Susan Ferko. She tossed in 17 points on the night.

"I thought we played well tonight, but Salem played extremely well," Neu said.

Now the Rocks and the Chiefs will, enter district play this week.

The Rocks and the Chiefs will meet yet one more time tomorrow (Nov. 19) at Salem's gym. Tip-off is set for 7:30 p.m.

This time the winner will move further toward the Class A state finals, and the loser will clean out their locker as the season comes to an end.



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Tension

Canton coach Rob Nev huddles with his players during a timeout Saturday. The Chief's were unable to

overcome Salem's tough defense and fost the WLAA title game (Crier photo by Damon Smith)



(Urier photos by Danier Smith)

Land of confusion By Marty Tungate



The pinnacle of high school sports -- a Class A state championship.

It is the final goal of all high school athletes, but only a handful of the many will win it.

In my days as athlete at Ann Arbor Gabriel Richard High School my game was baseball. And how I dreamed of reaching that final goal of a state championship, but I never made it to that final contest.

Now as sports reporter for The Crier I've had the privilege of covering a state championship team.

From the opening kick-off to the final seconds that clicked off the clock, I felt a part of that team and yet I was only on the sidelines.

The team --- Salem's girls soccer squad. They reached the goal. A state championship.

Now two members of that state championship team have a realistic shot at a second state championship, this time in basketball. And their soccer coach Ken Johnson predicts that his soccer team will win the state title two more times in girls soccer.

Who are these two girls, who can reach a dream many of us have sought, and once but four times.

Name them Jill Estey and Teri King. Salem juniors.

Do you think about winning the state championship four times?

"I try not to think about it," Estey said.

"You have to take it one game at a time," King added. "You may be ranked number one by somebody, but you're not the state champions until you win that final game."

The two girls have already captured the state crown in girls soccer at Salem. Now they have a shot of doing it in girls basketball.

Would winning the state title mean

The Plymouth Parks and Recreation

Department is once again sponsoring a

Hoop league to start

more to you in basketball or soccer?

"I would have to say basketball. The competition is so much better in basketball, you have to respect every team," Estey said.

"It would mean more to me to win the basketball title, because it's so' much harder then soccer," King said.

How do you and your parents get along win your playing, do they get on you nerves?

"Oh yeah. My dad trys to tell me how I may have done this better or this. Sometimes I just have to tell him to be quit," King said. "But my mom is just easy going, she just says positive things."

"Thats pretty much how it is in my house. Your dad wants you to be perfect, while your mom is proud of what you did," Estey added.

Many athletes in high school today won't win a single state title, but Estey and King have a chance of winning four titles.

How does that make you feel?

"You can't think about it, but you do think about it. Wouldn't it be great if we did when all four," King said.

What does it mean to you to win it all?

"It's something to remember, something you can look back at years from now, and say for that time we were the best," Estey said.

Are these two girls being selfish, taking all of the state championships for themselves?

No. They are a part of a larger team effort. And a community effort, including the fan and the writer.

As parents, as fans, and as the media, one gets caught up in the excitement.

You're a part of it, but only they will bring home the trophy, while we watch from the stands.

League games will be played on

Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays,

For hoopsters

BY MARTY TUNGATE
The Western Lakes Activities
Association (WLAA) crowned it's allconference, all-Lakes Division and allWestern division teams on Saturday.

Salem put two of it's basketball players on the WLAA all-Conference team, while Canton put one of it's stars on the team.

Senior Karen Boluch of Canton was

the lone member of the Canton team named to the all-Conference team, while Salem senior Dena Head and junior Jill Estey were also named to the all-Conference team.

Senior Keri McBride was the only member of the Salem team who was named to the all-Lake team, while Canton sophomore Susan Ferko and junior Michelle Fortier were named to the all-Western team.

Kickers make state team

League teams named

BY MARTY TUNGATE

Salem High's boys soccer squad ended its season with a district title, but the awards have just come in.

Dave O'Malley, Salem's outstanding goalkeeper was named to the Class A All-State second team over the weekend.

O'Malley, a co-captain, broke many records as the Rocks number one

goalie, and made many great saves. At the present his college plans are unknown.

Salem Senior Randy Balconi was also honored over the weekend, as he was named an honorable mention to the All-State team.

Balconi, also a co-captain, played forward for the Rocks and was instrumental in the team's district title.

Exercise-A-Thon planned

An "Exercise-A-Thon" will be held from Nov. 30 through Dec. 5 to benefit The Make-A-Wish Foundation of Michigan. It is sponsored by the National Bicycle Dealers Association.

In The Plymouth-Canton Community Jerry's Bicycles will participate in the fundraising event. Residents who join in the exercise-a-thon will be able to use fitness equipment at Jerry's during regular business hours. The Make-A-Wish Foundation of Michigan exists to fulfill the personal wishes of Michigan children 17 year of age and younger who suffer from terminal illnesses or from other threatening medical conditions.

All of the proceeds will go to benefit the foundation to help grant those "special wishes."

Pledge forms will be available at the Jerry's store in Plymouth. Call 459-1500 for further details on how to help.

Racquetball slated

More winter sports action.

Canton's Parks and Recreation Department will sponsor a Winter Racquetball League beginning on Wednedday, Dec. 2 and running for 13 weeks.

The cost is \$82 per person and includes all league court times and awards. The league will be divided into divisions based on players abilities.

An organizational meeting is

planned for the first night of league play. Court times will be 7:30-8 p.m. at Rose Shores Racquetball in Canton.

There are only a limited number of spaces available.

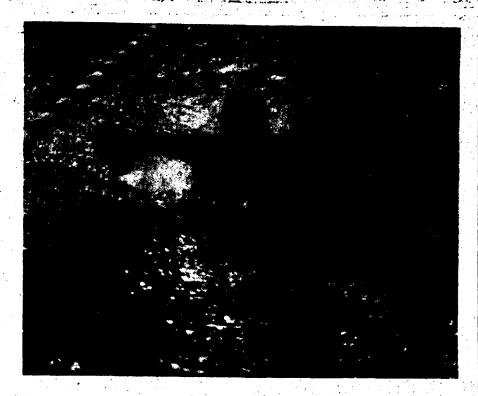
Register in person or by mail to the Canton Parks and Recreation Department, 1150 S. Canton Center Rd., Canton MI, 48188.

Call 397-5110 for further information.

Men's Basketball League during the long winter months. The entry fee is \$350 for a 14-game schedule. Returning teams can sign-up now, while new teams can start signing at Central Middle School. League play begins the week of Dec. 7. For further information call the recreation department at 455-6620. There is a limit of 16 teams. The cost is \$ cludes all league and the cost is \$ cludes and the cost is \$ cludes

up on Monday, Nov. 16.





Coming at you

Canton's strong swim squad also swam last week. Here one of the Chiefs compete in the 200 butterfly. (Crier photo by Damon Smith)

Tankers fall to Spartans

Rocks humbled

BY MARTY TUNGATE

Salem High's girls swimming squad was downed and drowned by Livonia Stevenson Thursday night, 107-65.

"It was quite a humiliating loss for us," Salem coach Chuck Olson said. "I think the loss really woke us up."

The Rocks were only able to capture one first place finish on the night when senior Tracy Meszaros finished first in the 200 individual medley with an effort of 2:22.85

The Rocks were able to grab eight second place finishes, but it wasn't enough to keep pace with the Spartans.

Despite the loss Olson feels his team will be ready for the Western Lakes Activities Association (WLAA) Conference meet today (Nov. 18).

"The girls will do well individually, but as a team I don't know," Olson said. "We understand each other now. and we're ready.''

"Anything less then 100 per cent will be a dissapointment for the coaches and the team," he added.

The WLAA conference meet begins today at 2 p.m. in Salem's own pool. Today's racing will be preliminary rounds only.

Tomorrow (Nov. 190) the diving preliminaries will take place at Salem beginning at 3:30 p.m., while the finals for both diving and the regular meet will be held on Friday, Nov. 20 also at

Swimming finals begins at 7 p.m.

placed first on the vault, balance beam

and floor exercise and ninth on the

uneven bars in the Class II Junior

Division. The Pioneer student also

In USGF meet

Local gymnasts compete

Three youths from The Plymouth-Canton Community recently competed in a United States Gymnastics Federation Compulsory, gymnastics meet in Ann Arbor.

All three girls are members of the Gym America Gym Stars team coached by Claudia and Ed Kretschner, Tim Howes and Kelly McGariety.

Heather Gillig, a student at Pioneer Middle School placed seventh in the Class III Children's Division on the balance beam. Gillig is from Canton.

ended up first in the all-around competition in her division. Rebecca Allison, a junior at Canton High, competed in the Class I Senior

Allison placed second on the vault and uneven bars, fourth on the balance beam, and fifth on the floor exercise. The Plymouth resident was also fourth in the all-around competition. Crier Ads **Have Happy Endings!**



The Community Crier Circulation Department celebrates the happy reunion of Thomas Reese and his pet Schnauzer 'Arthur'.

On October 21, 1987 the following Photo Curiosity appeared in our newspaper.

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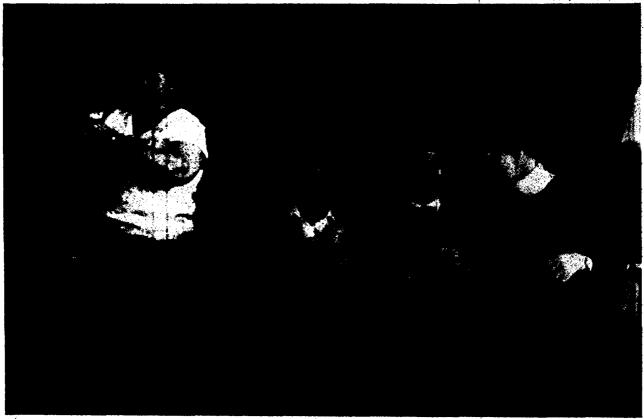
A few days later, 'Arthur' and his family were happily reunited, thanks to one of our readers who recognized Arthur from the photo in the paper. We're glad this story has a happy ending.

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Lindsay, Crews, also of Canton.



Club to sell bows

Members of the Plymouth Garden Club prepare bows; to sell for the holidays. Included in the group above are:

JoAnn Harreld, Bertha Peterson, Sarah Chance and Nancy Swartzwelter. (Crier photo by John Grybas)

Employe daycare program mulled

Continued from page 1

would provide daycare for all of the district's staff, from bus drivers to teachers and administrators.

She added if the board approved the project a room would be set aside before the end of the shoool year to test the project.

A single parent, Reese said she originally thought of the idea for other staff members back in May. She has since been organizing a plan for the board to study.

"This could be employe owned and operated," she said, "in a partnership with the district. The district wouldn't give us money but space for the program and physical services.'

The program would start in a single room where extra space was available, she said, and then hopefully some "portable" classrooms or another space could be set aside in the next few

"There would be a small user's fee." Reese said. "We might also want to consider a start-up fund with

Reese added that district Superintendent John M. Hoben has been "real encouraging."

Hoben said the question hasn't been before the board yet and that all he has seen is preliminary information.

"It's commonplace for businesses to provide daycare," said Reese. "But it is really unusual for a school district to think of doing this." According to Reese there are no other districts in the area which provide a daycare program for staff members.

Her only concern is a possible conflict with other daycare centers in the community.

If opened the center would be coordinated by the district's Community Education division. It would be available to staff five days a week.

Reese said she did not anticipate any problems getting a license from the Michigan Department of Social Services if the board approved a pilot program.

"I'm excited we're even talking about it," she said.

Catch the holiday spirit

The holiday spirit is spreading through Plymouth, as the Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce has a host of events designed to bring out the "ho-ho-hos" in everyone.

The following events are planned for the holiday season. For more information regarding any of the events, call the Chamber at 453-1540.

- Senior Citizen's Day -- Sunday, Nov. 22. From noon until 2 p.m., senior citizen's from the community will gather at Tonquish Creek Manor for a self-supporting luncheon that will cost \$6 per person. The gathering includes a "Christmas Songfest" and a "Gay '90s Show."
- Giving Thanks Parade -- Friday, Nov. 27. The Second Annual Christmas Giving Thanks Parade will start at 5 p.m. on Main Street in Plymouth. The parade will be followed by the Christmas Tree Lighting in Kellogg Park. Many downtown stores will offer Christmas cordials this night. The parade focuses on the presentation of food, clothing and toys to the Salvation Army. Collection of these items has already begun. Call the Salvation Army at 453-5464 for more information.

Schools vote

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"The earlier we establish a (election) date the better off we are," said Hoben, who added that there are many "uncertainties" in next year's school budget, including the state aid question.

A special meeting may be called for Monday, Nov. 30 to resolve the vote question, said Board President David Artlev.

During the discussion board members remained mute about which option they seemed to prefer.

Crier Classifieds

Curiosities

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-- DOREEN--

I'm ecstatic! You're pregnant! With Love Always

Matthew

COME HOME to Christmes.

Tyger — slept late but enjoyed it 'Cause of

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Happy 29th Birthday to Ken Voyles. mber, you're not getting older, you're improving with age. Love, Sue

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Hench returns sooner than you think.

"PHYLLIS in the 40s and 3 years more" -Happy B'day — Jessica

RUN - DMC ROCKED BACK/STAG.

Curiesities

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Marllyn — You looked smaching in your ice dress. Humilrey.

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Hurricane - "You can talk to me . . ." Blip

MORE SCRABBLE -- same bet!

Tyger - lost weekends fly by, and I can't help but sigh. I adore you and always will. File

Curiosities

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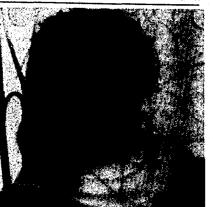
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Curiosities

Happy wedding Joan from Cologne and Bob the Blob. Turn up the heat and pull out the winter socks. We wouldn't e tootsies turning blue.



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Crier Classifieds

Curiosities

No, it's not '30' - just 29. Z

THIS IS THE WEEK for Phyllis Redfern's birthday curios.

Dan & Paul never write curios!

"I'M ALWAYS picking lint out of Cal's navel" — Margaret Gionski, 1967

To all MSU fans - well althright

"I HAVE FOUND that if you slouch down in the boat and go to sleep, a fish will bite your ine," — Bwans Glomski, 1967.

Hurricane — I don't ignore you. But if you feel that sometimes I do, feel free to hit me. Wake me up! Bilp

(in a breathy voice) Happy Birthday Mr. Humfrey, Happy Birthday to you!

Marily

SPARTAN FANS everywhere (a longsuffering lot) wish to thank all you die-hard U of Michigan fans for being so gracious and supportive this year. Did you see the Plymouth Office Supply sign: "Go MSU, beat the Hoosiers" for example. We'll send you all Pasadana post cards.

Phyllis — Happy Birthday! Are you older or wiser?!

Dawn, don't you just love suprise showers?!

Get your Thanksgiving turkey at the Plymouth Porterhouse. Josh says: "They're great!"

Shirley — still 39 and married 24 years???

"Cwismas, Cwismas tibe is hewe" — Fudnicks, 1987.

Only 34 Shopping Days 'til Christmas!

Bob, what are you doing with my driver's license?

KEN VOYLES will be older soon.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!
HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!
HAPPY THANKSGIVING to the two best parents in the whole world who have taught me so-so much!

Love, your eldest in Michigan

Curiosities

PRAYER TO THE HOLY SPIRIT

Holy Spirit, You who make me see everything and who shows me the way to reach my ideal. You who give me the divine gift to forgive and forget the wrongs that are done to me and You who are in all the instances of my life with me, I in this short dialogue want to thank You for everything and confirm once more that I never want to be separated from You, no matter how great the material desires may be. I want to be with You and my loved ones in Your perpetual glory. Amen. Thank You for Your love toward me and my loved ones. Person must pray this 3 consecutive days without asking your wish. After the third day your wish will be granted, no matter how difficult it may be, then promise to publish this dialogue as soon as your favor has been granted. C.H.

Congratulations Colleen! Praise the Lord, For the young! Love, Matthew

BEAUREGARD eats Kathle Elmore's spinach dip.

Happy wedding Joan from Cologne and , you're improving with age. Love, Sue

Dawn, shall I get an unbrella?

Shirley — Happy Anniversary this week and always!

Love, Gary See, I told you this heat wasn't all my hot

Happy wedding Joan from Cologne and

Ken — How are we going to fit all those candles on your birthday cake? Looking

Dewn, was it still a surprise the third time? Sam, how was hunting — do I get to try ventson?

forward to the big blowout. Sue

Hi Grandma!

Get your walking shoes on. We're going chair shopping again. Let's surprise everyone and buy one this time. I'll call you this week.

Love, Renee

JESSICA SERVES Dad breekfask in bed — complete with a cream cheese block S on the bagel.

Jenny Prieskom — will you please clean those shower knobs before I wash my hair?!

SHE DID!

One year away from being over the hill and counting. The fun-loving 20's will soon be gone — aniov now!

Don't worry Ken, the thirties are even more fun!

Guess who's birthday is a week from today.

And the best goes on . . .

Curiosities

Dear Jayne,
The rain in Spain lay
mainly in the plains.
Don't be blue at The Crier.
I hope you're feeling sprier.

Metrically Yours,

Cheer up!

Happy Birthday Kent Are you going to weer your production outfit for the occasion?

Way to go MSU!

Humfrey,

P.S. Don't forget your glottal stop.

PATRICK ELMORE should open a taco

Happy Birthday Ken Voyles!

Mom? Dad.

Hope you are both feeling better now!
Just get some rest! KP

MELISSA GRUEBEL would sell helf-eaten tacce.

Happy Birthday Mishelle Ransom — have fun down South.

Bob & Joan, are you pervous yet? Only

three more days.

Anyone want to go to an un-25th wedding

anniversary party?
BIH, who was that woman you were having

lunch with lest Friday?
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THANKS KAREN!!!

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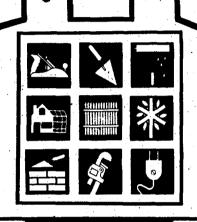
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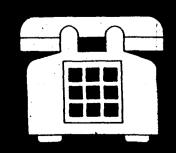
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