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Geiss sees the 'Ford connection' as a plus in race

After 30 years in the U.S. House of Representatives, Bill Ford announced earlier this year that he will not seek re-election to another term in Congress.

As a result, the door is wide open to the 13th congressional district.

And one of those running is Ford's own righthand man and chief of staff, David Geiss.

BY CRAIG FARRAND

For Republicans in the 13th congressional district, the scenario couldn't be *much* better: If they can't take on Bill Ford and his liberal policies, they'll at least be able to take on his clone.

But for that so-called "clone" - former Ford Chief of

Congressional candidate won't run from Ford record

Staff Dave Geiss — the term is one moniker he doesn't mind wearing.

In fact, he looks forward to the challenge.

"People have attacked Bill Ford for many things, but if they ever attacked him on the issues, they'd have their heads handed to them."

For Geiss, the legacy of Ford and the base for his own candidacy can be found in a laundry list of successful federal programs.

"Head Start, WIC, college aid... if people want to take on Dave Geiss for what Bill Ford has done; if that's the way they want to come at me, I'm happy."

But before Geiss gets a chance to take on the Republicans, he first has to deal with two fellow Democrats: Fulton Eaglin and state Rep. Lynn Rivers.

(On the Republican side of the race, five are vying for that party's nomination on the Aug. 2 ballot: Dennis Fassett, Greg Ingles, Glen Kassel, John Schall and Cynthia Wilbanks.)

To those within the party, Geiss is quick to distance himself from his opponents: "I'm the only one of the candidates who's worked for a living; and I'm the only nonattorney on the Democratic (slate)."

Still, Geiss' strongest comments are saved for potential GOP challengers — a hint that Ford's long-time aide sees a November showdown in the cards.

For example, when asked about his long tenure in Washington, Geiss wonders aloud: "I don't know how John Schall can run against me as an insider; I don't know how Wilbanks can run against me as an insider.

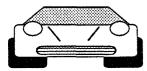
"Besides," he says, "if I am a Washington 'insider,'

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Cruising.

...on a Sunday afternoon (or Saturday evening...)

It's a no-no once again in Plymouth



Story and photos by Peter Broderick

With the warm weather we've had in the last few weeks, it's not hard to tell that summer is upon us. But if that's not convincing

enough, take a look at Main Street any Friday or Saturday night.

That's right, the cruising season is once again here, but with beefed up patrols and traffic control techniques, the Plymouth Police hope to make cruising less disruptive than ever.

According to Plymouth's Chief of Police Robert Scoggins, patrols will be out in full force to make the cruising as uneventful as possible.

With the large numbers of people expected to visit the Downtown area in the coming months, police must be on the look out for potentially violent situations.

"We know what happens when the fights start," said Scoggins. "And we try to control it to the best of our ability. In



by the Young Rascals)

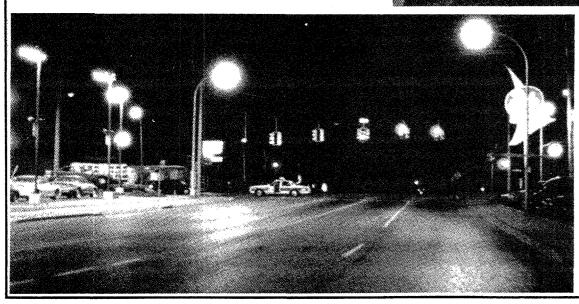
the last two years, the detours have worked well in reducing the violence."

"We can monitor any potential violence," said Scoggins. "With some flareups we can can have several officers respond. When we get fights, we shut it completely down, clear the area and ensure that we have no violence.

"In addition, we will give tickets for the loud radios. Couple that, with the trains coming through here, and you have some enormous noise pollution in the city."

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As part of Plymouth's anti-cruising campaign, City police block off Main Street at Ann Arbor Road (above), restricting traffic to only those who live or work in or near the central business district. As a result, major portions of Main Street look almost deserted on weekend nights (left).

Emerald given to June 30 to vacate

Kitze ready to take over operations at Mettetal facility

BY ALEX LUNDBERG

Emerald Aviation received word yesterday that it must vacate the premises at Mettetal Airport by June 30.

The summary judgment was issued against the former operator of the airport by 35th District Court Judge Charles Kaufman.

That action, coupled with the state's choice of a new operator has set the stage for Doug Kitze to begin operations in the near future.

However, Kitze said that even though he got the nod from the state's FBO search committee, he still hasn't reaped all of the benefits of the job.

"Presently I have no contract with the state." Kitze said. "Officially I'm the FBO, but the contract is still going through the state's legal people."

Right now, Kitze is operating under a lease agreement with the former owners of the airport, Desert Sands Aviation, to run the airport. Kitze said that he would be moving into the airport's office after the end of the month.

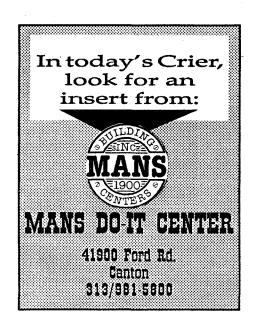
One of the interesting points about Kitze's deal for running the airport is his fee; one dollar per year to run the airport, one dollar for rent a year.

According to Kitze, that's a more than rational transaction.

"I've been in the aviation business for 32 years, I have found that it's a good idea to keep overhead down," Kitze said. "Besides, where else would I get the use of a \$4 million facility for \$1 a year?

"This has always been a busy airport," Kitze said. "This is a good opportunity."

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Surprise

City Commission holds special meeting to update Walters' contract; give raise

BY JOHN HORN

Plymouth's City Commission, in a special meeting Monday, updated the contract of City Manager Steven Walters by granting him a \$2,000 per year raise.

Mayor Douglas Miller, working with Commissioners Robert Jones and Bill McAninch on the contract, decided Walters was deserving of the raise compared to the contracts of city managers in other cities.

"I felt the salary is properly positioned," McAninch said. "His performance is positive and we recommend his salary be consistent."

Miller said the raise is Walter's second in two years and brings his yearly earnings from \$68,000 to \$70,000 per year. His contract began in 1991 at \$66,000 per year.

McAninch said the raise puts Walters in a bracket consistent with the salary of other city managers. He said Walters raise is a three per cent increase.

"All of the others were at a three per cent level also," McAninch said. "The Plymouth salary ranks sixth out of the ten we looked at."

McAninch said the median city manager salary is \$68,200 per year.

Mayor Miller added the contract renewal was necessary as Walter's threeyear agreement expired the end of May.

"We take a look at it and update it," Miller said. "It is basically housekeeping things that are changed. We wanted to get

through this process."

Another modification to Walter's contract includes the issuance of vacation days.

The previous contract called for the city manager to "accrue, and have credited to his personal account, vacation at the rate of two work days and sick leave at the rate of one work day for each calender month of service."

McAninch, Jones and Miller changed the language, reducing the number from two work days per calender month to one-and-a-half days per month.

In short, for every month worked, Walters will receive one-and-a-half days instead of two.

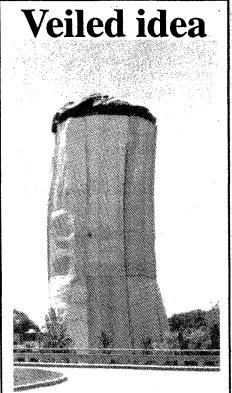
"We've reduced the total vacation somewhat," Miller said.

One thing that does not change in Walter's contract is his \$400 per month car allowance.

According to the contract, the "City shall pay to Employee, in addition to his basic salary, the sum of \$400 each calender month as car allowance. Employee shall be responsible for paying all the costs of purchase, operation and maintenance of the vehicle."

Miller said the contract, complete with the new approved changes, will be put together in final draft form by City Attorney Ron Lowe.

He said he expects the contract to be ratified at Monday's regular Commission meeting



This full-sized drape covered the Township's water tower for only a few days while contractors prepared the structure for a new paint job. (Crier photo by Peter Broderick)

Work on Twp. water tower gets under way

BY JOHN HORN

Now you see it, now you don't.

No, it's not a magic trick that made the Lakepointe water tower disappear, it was the contractor responsible for refurbishing the structure.

The tower, perhaps the most visible of Plymouth Township's landmarks,

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Kitze ready to take over operations at Mettetal Airport

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According to Kitze, users of the airport will be able to expect all of the services that they are used to from Mettetal Airport.

"I'll be selling fuel, doing aircraft

maintenance and running a flight school,"
Kitze said. "I have been certified to teach."

In the meantime, Kitze is using the downtime before taking full control of the airport to get his operation ready.

He said that most people go to the front office rather than his door at the north end of the large hangars.

According to Kitze, that's just because his door is hard to see.

"I've had a good reaction from everyone here," Kitze said. "I haven't talked to anyone that was not glad to welcome me here."

Kitze said that he has also had some of his previous customers return to work with him

"I've had some customers come back from as long ago as 1971," he said.

In the future, Kitze would like to expand the services offered at the airport.

While there are none stationed at the airport, there may be helicopters in Mettetal's future.



Public notices

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Plymouth District Library Board will hold its regular meeting Wednesday, June 22, 1994 at 7:30 p.m. in the Conference Chambers upstairs at City Hall located at 201 S. Main Street, Plymouth, Michigan, 48170.

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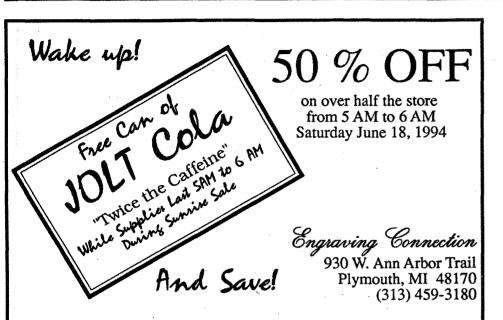


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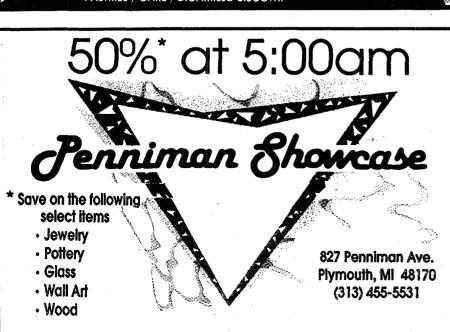
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Friends & neighbors

Neighbors in the news

Local area resident Margaret Schroeder of Plymouth was recognized for her volunteer efforts at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital during a recent awards banquet.

Canton and Salem high schools nominated the following students for their ability in math, science and computer science: Piyush Bharti, Harry Lee, and Bradley J. Malestein.

The following students were nominated as the top 2 per cent in academics: Matthew Abbott, Sangita Baxi, Kristin Clawson, Kristina Dassing, Emily Farrell, Miriam Garcellano, Stephanie Hong, Jessie Givens, Joseph Kim, Jeffery Martain, Nausheen Masood, Mhairi McCune, Jill Mellis, Lisa Nicastri, Alyson Noune, Andrea Ramsay, Sanjeev Seth, Deepa Sreenivasan and Shadia Zayed.

The Plymouth Optimist Club announced new officer's for this coming year: president, Felix Rotter; vice-president-programs, Chuck Childs; vice-president-youth work, Francis Baker; treasurer, Wm. Von Glahn; recording secretary, Harry Roebuck; corresponding secretary, Dick Rice; Sergeant-At-Arms, Art Gross; directors, Fred Fishback, Don Jacobson, Ken Fisher and George Hanosh.

Help!

Jaycees need immediate donations for 4th fireworks

BY JOHN HORN

If they want a nice Independence Day celebration, community residents will have to dig into their pockets and give up some spare cash.

The Plymouth-Canton Jaycees are again seeking donations to help fund the 1994 Fourth of July parade in Plymouth.

The Jaycees, and subsequently fireworks viewers, could be in a pinch this

As of yesterday, the group has been able to raise (through donations or otherwise) \$137.

The estimated cost of the fireworks display could total more than \$10,000.

Plymouth Township Police Chief Carl Berry said the responsibility falls on the residents.

"We need to get word out to the community that the Jaycees need their help," Berry said. "Otherwise, there won't be much celebrating."

Cameron Miller, along with Scott Kappler, comprise the parade association. Miller is responsible for securing donations for the fireworks, while Kappler handles the parade.

The group is seeking \$1,000 donations to fund the fireworks. Such a gift will pur-

chase 100 3-inch shells; 75 4-inch shells; 50 5-inch shells; and 25 6-inch shells or 10 8-inch shells.

Kappler said that with the fireworks, along with the parade sponsorship, smaller and per-shell donations are welcomed. If those goals are not attained, the Jaycees will pay the rest.

The Jaycees, in cooperation with Community Development

Third Kiwanis 'Baby Shower' ready to get under way

Sue Clark believes planning ahead is the best way to get something accomplished. That is why she is wasting no time organizing the Kiwanis' Third Baby Shower to benefit community children and their parents.

The program — Basic Aid for Babies and Youths (BABY), which originated in 1991 — solicits contributions in the form of diapers, formula, car seats and clothing for the needy.

It runs from the Fourth of July through the end of August. Area grocery stores will have drop-off boxes available at various locations.

Clark said the Kiwanis Club collected approximately \$9,000 worth of goods last year and the group hopes to improve those numbers.

"We are hoping to do much better this year," she said. "We would love for it to double." Committee for the Chamber of Commerce, are inviting residents and businesses to participate this year.

Donations are divided to help finance parade entries and fireworks displays. Scott Kappler, former Jaycees president and current member, stressed the importance of donations, big and small.

"Donations, regardless of size, are a big help," Kappler said. "We are hoping to get that support for now and in the future."

That support generally comes from area businesses and residents. Kappler said funding is needed for this year's parade to support several participants.

They include the Plymouth Fife and Drum Corps, the Michigan Fifth Regiment Band, Flint's Music Makers (a Calliope group) and Michigan Wheelman (bicycle group).

Kappler said the tab for those four groups is \$1,450.

Those costs reflect such things as advertising and costume costs.

"The money is a big concern of ours," Kappler said. "In the past many businesses have helped us out with the costs."

Businesses like Ameritech have already made contributions along with a handful of individuals, Kappler said.

Donations for either fireworks or parade sponsorship can be sent to P.O. Box 700123, Plymouth, 48170-0942.

Kappler requests the payment be made in the form of check or money order.

Brian and Karen Stemberger are proud to announce the birth of their daughter Lindsey L. on Jan. 14, 1994. Grandparents are Marilyn Stemberger and Chuck and

Barb Stinebaugh.

Mark and Kristina Landini proudly announce the birth of their son Michael Vincent on Jan. 3, 1994.

Grandparents include Ralph and Betty Landini of Plymouth and Bill and Janet Murphy of Canton.

Paul and Ada Roeser of Canton proudly announce the birth of their daughter Elizabeth Marylyn on Dec. 18, 1993.

Elizabeth is the first Roeser girl to be born into the family in 40 years.

Elizabeth was welcomed by her three brothers; Nathan, Luke and Gabriel; grandparents, Joyce and Lothar Roeser and Leason Hutchins; great grandparents, William and Helen Speirs.

Roger and Kathy Dooley are proud to announce the births of twins John Michael and Eric Thomas.

The twins were born at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital on Dec. 28, 1993.

John and Eric were welcomed by sister Brittany and grandparents Edgar Birchmeirer and Tom and Pat Dooley.

Kenneth and Melissa Percin of Canton are the proud parents of a baby boy. Nicholas Andrew was born at



Community births

St. Joseph McAuley Family Birth Place on Nov. 12, 1993.

Greg and Candi Olds of Plymouth are proud to announce the birth of their son Cameron Jacob.

Cameron was born at Ann Arbor Hospital on Oct. 7,

Cameron was welcomed by grandparents, Doug and Judy Olds, Linda Bogart and Don Sowa, and Jerry Musselman.

Great grandparents include Doris Brady, Reland Olds, and Jean and Warren Bogart.

Jennifer Barnes and Vernon Morse are proud to announce the birth of their daughter Megan Leigh Barnes on Feb. 7, 1994.

Grandparents include Joel and Theresa and Vernon and Donna

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Temperley of Plymouth are the proud parents of a baby girl.

Jenifer Lynn May was born Dec. 13, 1993, at St.

Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor.

Siblings include Dawn, Mary and Michael; grandparents, John Young and Thomas and Marilyn Temperley.

Robert and Kristi Partain of Plymouth are proud to announce the birth of their daughter, Samantha Rose.

Samantha was born at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital on Oct. 26, 1993.

Mr. and Mrs. Rick Berberet are the proud parents of a baby girl. Little Brianna was born Jan. 20, 1994, at Botsford Hospital.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Kim Dutcher of Haslett and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Berberet of Canton.

Jeffrey and Michelle Klevering announce the birth of their first child, Noah Jeffrey, on May 21, 1994, at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital.

Richard and Ann Marie Weygryn announce the birst of their daughter, Cheryl Lynn on May 1, 1994, at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital.

Dr. Brian Pierce and his wife, Mary Pierce, announce the birth of their son, **Dylan Matthew**, on April 9, 1994, at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital.

Dr. Pierce is a Canton optomistrist who specialized in infant and toddler care.



Engagements & weddings

Reed — Cook

Robers William Reed, Fr. and Diana Talbos Cook were married on Jan. 20, 1994, near Ketchum, ID.

Reed, a graduate of Plymouth Canton High School and Bowling Green State University, is now a partner in Plummer/Reed Studios, a video film production company in Ketchum.

Cook is a graduate of the Rhode Island School of Design and is a decorative painter in Ketchum.

Ribar — Pierce

Lisa Ribar and David Pierce were married May 28, 1994, at the Mildred B. Cooper Memorial Chapel in Bella Vista, AK.

Lisa is the daughter of Orin and Patt Ribar of Rogers, AK, formerly of Plymouth.

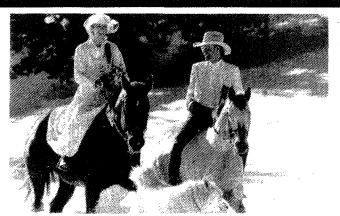
The Ribars moved to Rogers with the Daisy Manufacturing Co. in 1958. Mr. Ribar recently retired from Daisy with 40 years of service.

McElderly — Ramen

Elizabeth Ann McEldery and Paul Ramen were married April 23, 1994, at the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.

Elizabeth is the daughter of Carol and Richard Paxer and Claude and Gayla McEldery.

Paul is the son of Frank and Joan Ramen. McEldery was a resident of Plymouth and Ramen of Windsor.



Diana Talbot (riding Brunhilda), Robert Reed (on Chief), and their dog, Alu

Olds — Kiernan

Kelly Eileen Olds and Jeffrey Bruce Kiernan were married March 19, 1994, at the Main Street Baptist Church.

Keliy, a 1988 graduate of Salem High School, is the daughter of Doug and Judy Olds. She is employed as a certified occupational therapy assistant

Jeffrey, the son of Janet Mitch, is employed at St. Joseph Hospital in Ann



Elizabeth
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Arbor and is currently attending Washtenaw Community College.

Postell — O'Sullivan

Keith and Joan Postell of Plymouth announce the engagement of their daughter, Susan Jeanne Postell, to Kevin Patrick O'Sullivan of N. Myrtle Beach, SC.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Greenhills School in Ann Arbor, and Lehigh University in Bethlehem, PA. The groom is also a graduate of Lehigh U.

A September wedding is planned at the First Presbyterian Church in Plymouth.

Jabara — DesChenes

Mr. and Mrs. Kal Jabara of Plymouth held an engagement dinner party at the Grosse Pointe Hunt Club to announce the engagement of their daughter, Louise Auline Jabara of Grosse Pointe Woods to Paul Robert DesChenes of Grosse Pointe, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Paul DesChenes.

Louise, a Plymouth High School graduate, was graduated with honors from Wheaton College. Currently she works as gallery director at the Wild Wings Art Gallery in Grosse Pointe.

Her fiance, a four-year football scholarship recipient, was graduated from Wayne State University. He is employed at Sixty Lakes Marine in New Baltimore.

A wedding state has been planned for Oct. 1, 1994, at the First Methodist Church in Grosse Pointe.



Louise Jabara and Robert DesChenes



Community anniversaries

The Brodericks

Elizabeth and John Broderick of Plymouth Township recently celebrated their 30th wedding anniversary.

The couple were married on May 2, 1964, at the Church of St. Simon Stock in New York City.

They are the parents of John, Stephen (Christine), Brian and Peter.

The Adamses

Al and Fran Adams of Plymouth celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on March 12, 1994, at an elegant reception and buffet dinner held at the Cornerstone Evangelical Presbyterian in Brighton.

The grand celebration was hosted by their children, Sandy (and Harold) Bessert of Hartland; John of Livonia; Jeff of Howell; and Pam (and Jim) Mason of Dewitt; and their grandchildren, Kim Bessert and Jeremy, Lindsey, Kelly and Aby Mason.

Al and Fran, who have lived in Plymouth for 40 years, were married on March 11, 1994, at the Grosse Ile Naval Base

Fran has spent her entire life committed to family, church and other activities.

Al is the former building superintendent and retired as building inspector for



Elizabeth and John Broderick



Fran and Al Adams

ownship. He presently serves

Canton Township. He presently serves as a court processor.

Following the party, Al and Fran travelled to Key West, FL.





Getting down to business

Neighbors in business

Children's Orchard, a store that resells everything under the sun in infant clothing and furnishings, will be featured on the Company television show this Friday at 9 a.m. on channel seven.

The show is featuring resale as a way new parents can save money.

Children's Orchard has several stores in the Detroit area, including stores in Plymouth and Canton.

The Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce Chamber Retail Committee is again sponsoring their annual Sunrise Sale on Saturday.

Doors open at 5 a.m. with 50 percent savings on many items. Sleep until 6 a.m. and get 40 percent off. Wait until 7 a.m. for savings of 30 percent, and so on. Some stores keep a 20 percent off sale going all day.

sideways, located at 505 forest is hosting a special Sunrise Sale lowimpact aerobics class at 8 a.m. as part of the celebration.

It's coming to Michigan Sunday, June 26..."Fireworks Captured", the largest kaleidoscope exhibition in the state. Chameleon Galleries in Plymouth is displaying more than 100 scopes from 12 of the best artists in the country.

Don Doak, the winner of the fifth Brewster Society Award for Creative Ingenuity will be there to show his latest creation, "Musical Geodyssey", a limited edition kaleidoscope.

Sherry Rupert will also be there with one of the most fascinating scopes, the "Kaleidaquarium".

The exhibition commences at noon, Sunday June 26 and runs through July 3.

Tubby's Sub Shop #90 officially opened their doors to the public on Tuesday.

Located at 1327 S. Main St. in Plymouth, Tubby's had their Grand Opening Party that included a sampling of their menu items and a tour of the new business.

M. David Campbell, D.D.S, of Plymouth Township received the Michigan Dental Association's (MDA) Dentist Citizen of the Year Award, in recognition of outstanding contributions to his community and profession.

Campbell, a general dentist in Dearborn, has diligently worked with the MDA and other dental organizations to improve dentistry's standards of care.

Sympathy strike

Canton Meijer store picketed by union non-employes

BY ROB KIRKBRIDE

Picketers are out in front of the Canton Meijer, but company officials are quick to point out the strikers are not Meijer employees.

The picketers are members of the United Food and Commercial Workers union and are on the curb supporting a strike the UFCW Local 954 is waging against the four Meijer stores in Toledo, which began May 7.

Greg Denier, director of public information for UFCW International in Washington, D.C. said the union is asking customers to stay away from all Meijer stores because the company is involved in unfair labor practices.

"Security forces harassed and intimidated female employees at the Toledo stores," he said. "We have a largely female work force and Meijer has a largely male security force. The Paramilitary-like security force was photographing and videotaping the female workers.

"No worker should have to tolerate that kind of treatment."

Denier said Meijer is trying to drive a wedge between the employees and the union.

"If Meijer can get away with treating its employees like that in the Toledo stores, they are probably doing it in other stores as well," he said.

The union and Meijer have each filed grievances with the National Labor Relations Board.

John Zimmerman, director of communication for Meijer said the company never harassed or intimidated employees at any store.

"This whole strike is a reaction to associates in our Indiana stores not choosing UFCW representation," he said. "The flyers that are being handed out by the union are full of propaganda.

"Our company was founded on treating our employees with dignity and respect."

Zimmerman said contract negotiations with the Toledo stores were progressing until Meijer announced the union would not be recognized in the eight stores opening in Indiana.

He said the strike in Toledo is in reaction to the developments in Indiana.

"The employees in Indiana did not choose union representation," he said, "and the union was enraged."

Whatever the cause of the strike, its effectiveness is unclear.

Denier said 70 percent of the workers walked out of the Toledo stores. Zimmerman said 70 percent stayed on the job.

"The strike is holding up well," Denier said. "The business is definitely suffering and we have a lot of community support.



Picketers have been in front of the Canton Meijer store in support of the UFCW strike against four Meijer stores in Toledo. Union officials say Meijer security is harassing its female employees at the Toledo stores. (Crier photo by Pete Broderick)

"For the first time ever, Meijer is offering double coupons to try and get people back into the store.

"There are reports that trucks are coming into the stores half empty and food is being shipped to other stores because it's just not selling."

Zimmerman said the stores are doing better than ever.

"Of the 640 employees in the Toledo stores," he said, "only 75 have walked out and more are returning to their jobs every day. "It's ridiculous. They're not hurting our sales. Meijer is such a unique store — we will always have a loyal group of customers."

By picketing other stores in Michigan and Ohio, Zimmerman said the union is hurting other employees by reducing sales, which forces managers to cut worker hours.

"By bringing the strike across the border," he said, "the union is trying to destroy the jobs of Meijer associates in Michigan.

"If the stores are not busy, the employees get less and less hours."

Denier said even though the union and Meijer have had a productive relationship in the past, the union plans on expanding the picket lines throughout the state of Michigan.

"We have had a positive and productive relationship with Meijer," he said. "There is no reason why the union and Meijer couldn't work together productively, but they haven't made the effort."

There are currently no negotiations in progress between the UFCW and Meijer.

Seaman retires from NBD branch

BY ROB KIRKBRIDE

After 39 years at NBD Branch 39, bank officer and manager Dick Seaman is calling it quits.

But not before one last party. The celebration is set for this Friday at the NBD office at 306 S. Main St. in Plymouth from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Manager and Assistant Vice President Dorothy Bokor is taking Seaman's place at the bank.

Bokor is bringing more than 30 years experience to the job and is returning to Plymouth, where she worked at the office at Ann Arbor Road and Harvey.



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Not all residents agree with complaints at park

BY JOHN HORN

The residents group in Plymouth Hills Mobile Home facility may be up against more than just the owner.

Plymouth Mobile and Manufactured Home Association, Inc. (PMMHA) has filed an 18-point complaint with the state against owner Joe Ruggirello.

PMMHA President Harold Stein has listed 18 violations, including what his group calls lack of emergency phone lines, rent inequities and harassment by management.

Other complaints include pet control, lack of playground equipment, inconsistent number of occupants per residency allowed, security deposit handling and outdated park rules. Stein has filed the grievance with the Michigan Mobile Home Association, hoping it will evaluate the complaint and take action.

With that filing, he is not only facing opposition from Ruggirello, but other residents.

Virginia Bollerud has lived in Plymouth Hills for 20 years. She said PMMHA and Stein do not represent her, or many others in the park.

"Harold Stein and his group are of the minority here," Bollerud said. "He's just a rabble rouser."

Stein has listed one of the more serious complaints as "harassment and intimidation by management."

Stein said one form of this harassment is the clocking of motorists with a radar gun by park manager Ken Blair.

Speeding violation notices have been issued to several residents, including Stein.

Bollerud said these instances are in line with rule enforcement for the safety of others in the park.

"If they get a violation notice, it is because they are not following the rules." Bollerud said. "If he doesn't like the rules, he should move."

Both Bollerud and Ruggirello said it is not management doing to harrassing. They feel Stein is the one who is guilty of badgering.

"You want to talk harassment?" Ruggirello asked.

"He's the one out there knocking on people's doors at 11 o'clock at night trying to get them to join his group, not us."



Community deaths

William Scott, founder of Adistra, dead at the age of 87

William Scott, one of Plymouth's most successful businessmen, died Monday at the age of 87.

Scott was founder of Plymouth's Adistra Corp., before selling the company in 1990.

Scott began a career in automotive marketing and sales training in the 1930s.

According to his daughter, Shirley McKeon, Scott established himself in the business world in the late 1940s.

She said it was then he liquidated his marketing and training company, William Scott Associates, to establish the sales training department for the Ford Division of the Ford Motor Co.

In 1958, he retired from Ford to create the Adistra Corp. McKeon said the original name was Distribution Service, Inc.

"The purpose of the corporation was to increase the effectiveness and reduce the cost of marketing," she said.

McKeon said Scott sought to provide A central location for warehousing, assembling, shipping and invoicing marketing materials to automobile dealers.

She said Scott was a pioneer in using materials in the 1960s that would become mandatory business practices in the 1990s

"He was instrumental in utilizing data processing for scheduling, invoicing, inventory and delivery control," she said.

As a part of Scott's growing business, McKeon said Adistra began to grow rapidly and relocated to Plymouth in 1961.

The move was encouraged by the Plymouth Industrial Development Corporation, according to McKeon.

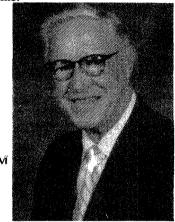
The company has since grown, as Adistra now has production and warehouse operations in Northville, Dexter and Southfield.

It employs 375 people and was sold by Scott in 1990.

Scott is survived by his sons, William and John; daughter, Shirley; 14 grand-

children and 25 great grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements were incomplete at presstime.



WILLIAM SCOTT

Obituaries

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Gladys Deyo

Gladys Deyo, in having a full life, did not believe in wasting time.

The 98-year-old Plymouth resident died Saturday in Dearborn Heights, leaving behind not only family and friends, but a long list of community service and group

Deyo was a resident of Plymouth since 1941 and was a member of several local organizations.

She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth and the Daughters of American Revolution (DAR) Sarah Cochrane Chapter. Deyo served as Regent from 1952 to 1955.

She was also a member of the Colonial Dames of America, Plymouth Historical Society, Hugeunot Society of Michigan, Society of Mayflower Descendants, Daughters of Colonial Wars and Daughters of American Colonists.

She was a graduate of Ypsilanti State University.

She is survived by her son, Bruce; daughters-in-law Beverly and Betty; sister-in-law Dora; grandchildren Susan, Peter, Pamela, Carolyn and Marianne; seven great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Services will be Thursday at 11 p.m. at Schrader-Howell Funeral Home with the Rev. David Krehbiel officiating.

She will be buried in Riverside Cemetery. Contributions can be made to the Plymouth Historical Society or to the Sarah Ann Cochrane Chapter of the DAR.

Burton Rich

Rich, Burton B., age 87, of Plymouth, died June 2, 1994 in Ann Arbor, Ml.

Loving husband of the the late Marian A. Rich. Beloved father of Kenneth (Diana) Rich and Elaine (Duncan) McIntyre. Grandfather of 11 and great grandfather of 14.

Mr. Rich was a supervisor of durability testing at General Motors Diesel in Detroit. He retired in 1969 after 35 years of service.

He was a life-long resident of Plymouth and a member of the First United Methodist Church of Plymouth, the Masonic Lodge, Salem Historical Society, Veteran Motor Car Club and the Auborn-Cord-Dusenberg club. Mr. Rich attended Plymouth High School.

Funeral services were held Monday, June 6, 1994, at noon at the Schrader-Howell Funeral Home with the Rev. M.W. Seymour officiating.

Burial was in Lapham Cemetery, Salem Township, Ml. Memorials may be given to the Masonic Home or the Lapham Cemetery Association.

Cyril P. Grybas, 72, retired store owner

Cyril P. Grybas of Plymouth Township, died June 12, 1994, at the age of 72. He is survived by his wife, Margaret; daughters, Susan and Sarah (Larry); sons, Michael (Debra), Daniel (Barbara), Peter and John (Holly Connor); brother, Algrid (Maxine); mother-in-law Marcella and seven grandchildren. Services were Tuesday with arrangements by Schrader-Howell Funeral Home.

Larry Caperton, 42, GM employe

Larry Curtis Caperton of Plymouth, died on June 10, 1994, at the age of 42. He is survived by his daughters, Jennie and Laura; parents, Hoover and Ann; brothers, Garry (Loraine), David and Michael. Services were held in Tenessee with local arrangements by Schrader-Howell Funeral Home.

Kathleen Duffy, 79, retired secretary

Kathleen Olive Duffy of Salem Township, died on May 24, 1994, at the age of 79. Services will be Thursday at 3 p.m. at Schrader-Howell Funeral Home.

Camilla Martin, 89, retired timekeeper

Camilla L. Martin of Canton, died June 11, 1994, at the age of 89. She is survived by her son, Clifford (Mary Jo); and grandchildren Sandra, Kim (Jeffrey), Eric and David. Services were Tuesday with arrangements by Vermeulen Funeral Home.

Thomas Heston, 66, maintenance worker

Thomas Day Heston of Northville, died May 27, 1994, at the age of 66. He is survived by his wife, Ruth; daughter, Jan (Jack); son, Jeffrey (Bonnie); stepchildren, Terri (Chuck), Karol (Dale) and Sue (Jeff); sister, Shirley; and five grandchildren. Services were Tuesday, May 31, with arrangements by Schrader-Howell Funeral Home.

Nancy E. Ledbetter, 58, machine operator

Nancy E. Ledbetter of Plymouth Township, died June 7, 1994, at the age of 58. She is survived by her son, Dan; daughter, Belinda; two brothers; two sisters; parents, Andrew and Ida; and three grandchildren. Services were Thursday in Tenessee with arrangements by Vermeulen Funeral Home.

CSX fine deadline is Sat.

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CSX big because CSX is in daily violation of this law.'

Since 1992, CSX has been issued \$500 fines every time it blocked traffic for more than five minutes with a train.

By May, CSX racked up a \$200,000 tab when on May 19 Judge James Garber gave it 30 days to pay up.

Lowe said the payment will not end the litigations, as both sides have to wait for a decision from U.S. District Court Judge George Laplata on whether or not the City can fine CSX.

"He'll make a decision when he's ready," Lowe said. "Until then, we have to hang out."

In a July 1992 rebuttal to the tickets, CSX filed papers in federal court seeking an injunction and declaration that Plymouth's traffic ordinance is unconsti-

The City of Plymouth then filed briefs with the court in order to retain that right to issue fines

Lowe said CSX then countered to Laplata, saying the City, by issuing tickets, is manipulating train length. CSX argued the Department of Transportation had pre-empted any right of the City to impose the ordinance against them.

Laplata temporarily halted the case to see if the Department of Transportation had a regulation regarding train length.

"Both sides knew there was no law out there," Lowe said. "As you can see, this

matter has dragged on for a long time."

Of the \$200,000 CSX must pay by Sunday, \$139,000 comes from tickets issued in 1993.

Lowe said that even if CSX does pay the required amount, the City may have to set the money aside for future litigation with the transportation company.

"I have already advised the city to put that money aside until the end of litigation," Lowe said. "CSX will likely appeal any one of the actions they are charged with."

The current status of the case has CSX trying to have an injunction heard by Laplata. Lowe feels the company does not merit such an injunction.

Breen won't challenge state petition decision

BY CRAIG FARRAND

Maurice Breen has declined to challenge a ruling by the Michigan Board of Canvassers rejecting his nominating petitions for the 35th District Court judicial

The board made its unanimous decision two weeks following testimony given by Breen himself.

Last week Breen said he would not challenge the decision in the courts.

With his elimination from the race, there will now be only 11 candidates whose names will appear on the Aug. 2 primary election ballot.

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Horvath, Davis, Feiten win

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"But this weather really made things worse."

In fact, voter turnout in actual numbers was the lowest since February 1987, when only 2,558 voters went to the polls.

For Horvath, Davis and Feiten, though, it was clear skies Monday night: Feiten not only led all candidates with 2.168 votes, but overwhelmed her competition for the single one-year seat:

•Valerie Green came in second, with 384 votes; and

•Carolyn Bradley came away with 360

In the race for the two four-year seats, Horvath and Davis led the five-way race with 2,046 and 1,220 votes, respectively.

•Peggy Kalis came in third, with 1,068 votes:

·Stephen Kilijanczyk finished with 998 votes; and

•Carol Bollman finished with 367

In absentee balloting, the orders of finish was almost identical, except for Kilijanczyk finishing second to Horvath.

For all three of the winners, victory came in their first campaigns for public office. (Feiten was appointed to fill a vacancy and ran to fill out the remaining year in the same term.)

"I'm very surprised," said Horvath. "Pleased, but surprised; this is the first time I've done this, so I was surprised."

Still, Horvath said, "people obviously must have liked what I had fo say."

Davis said she was "pleased and excit-





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ed with the outcome," and that she especially "appreciated everybody who believed in

Feiten admitted she felt nervous about the low voter furnout, but that she was "tickled to death" with the out-

And concerning the makeup of the new board, Feiten said she was "very excited; I think we're going to work great together."

"The board has started some initiatives, and we're going to keep them going,' she said.

Kalis, who came in a close third for the four-year terms, had no regrets about the outcome: "I'm so happy for Mark; and I hope

Sue (Davis) does well.

"I'm glad I did this; it's been good for me; it's been a great learning experience."

Putting the race in the proper context, Kalis looked ahead:

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SUMMER ART CAMP FOR KIDS

The D&M Art Studio will hold a summer art camp for kids 3-6, 6-10 and two camps for teens beginning Monday. For more information and registration, call D&M Studios at 453-

NORTHVILLE "ART IN THE SUN" SHOW

The Northville Chamber of Commerce will hold their annual "Art in the Sun" show on the weekend of June 25 and 26. The streets will be closed during the event. For more information, call the Northville Chamber of Commerce at 349-7640.

FARMER'S MARKET

The Plymouth Chamber of Commerce will once again present the annual Farmer's Market every Saturday from 7:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. through Oct. 15, with the exception of the Fall Festival. For more information contact the Chamber at 453-1540.

BROOKVILLE GARDENS TO OFFER CLASSES

Brookville Gardens will offer classes focusing on herbs this Summer. The cost for each class will be \$8. Free garden walks are also available June 26. For further information contact Cindy Brautigan at 455-8602.

CAMP A.B.L.E.

Canton Parks and Rec will be offering Camp A.B.L.E., therapeutic recreation summer day camp, at Hoben Elementary for boys and girls 4-16 years of age from 8:30 to 2 p.m. beginning July 11 through August 19. The cost is \$60 for Canton residents and the City of Plymouth, \$75 for non-residents. For more information, call Canton Parks and Rec at 397-

FATHER'S DAY RUN

The Plymouth Community YMCA will be holding their 15th annual run on Father's Day. There will be a one mile, 5 k and 10 k run. For more information about the run, call the YMCA at 453-2904.

CH.A.D.D MEETING

CH.A.D.D. of Northwest Wayne County (an attention-based disorder parent's organization) meets on the first Thursday of each month at the Livonia Civic Center Library. For more information about the group and the meeting, call Roberta Zarea at 344-8216.

CAMP TONQUISH

The Plymouth YMCA will be holding Camp Tonquish at McClumpha Park for children ages 6-12. There will be trips and events Monday through Aug. 22. For more information, call the YMCA.

BIBLE STUDY

Christ the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church is holding a nine week bible study series on the book of Hebrew through June. For more information, call 981-0286.

CONGREGATION BET CHAVARIM

Congregation Bet Chavarim of Western Wayne County, a Jewish group of individuals and families in and around Western Wayne, is looking for new members. Upcoming events include Shabbat Pot Luck dinners and a "charter signing" party. there are also plans for Hebrew lessons in preparation for Bar and Bat Mitzvahs. For more information, call Wendy at 630-8950 (Beeper number, punch in phone number after the tone).

CANTON REPUBLICAN CLUB

The Canton Republican Club, which meets on the third Thursday of each month, will be meeting at Cherry Hill School at 7 p.m. For more information, call Mellissa McLaughlin at 495-0304.

PREMARITAL HEALTH EDUCATION CERTIFICATE CLASSES

The Wedding Chapel on Main Street will be offering counseling on transmission and prevention of AIDS and other sexually transmitted diseases. The classes are open to the public and will run every month this year. For information about the classes and dates and times, call the Wedding Chapel at 455-4800.

GOD'S GOLDEN GIRLS

Christ the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church invites women over 50 to join "God's Golden Girls." The organization meets the third Friday of each month, at noon. Lunch is free but reservations are a must. For more information, call Pattie at 981-0286.

PLYMOUTH-CANTON CIVITAN MEETING

The Plymouth-Canton Civitan club will hold their monthly dinner meeting on the third Thursday of each month at 6:30 p.m. at Italian Cucina. For more information, call Margaret at 455-6989.

PLYMOUTH OPTIMIST CLUB

The Plymouth Optimist Club meets every first and third Monday of the month at 6:30 p.m. in the Mayflower Hotel. Meetings include dinner and a speaker. For further information contact Felix Rotter at 453-2375.

CANTON LIBERTY FEST

Fine artists and Antique dealers are wanted for Exhibition and Sale for the Canton Liberty Fest June 25 and 26. Booth fee for 10 x 10 foot covered space is \$65. For further information, contact Julie Giordano at (810) 348-0282 or Sharon Lee Dillenbeck at (313)

IPSEP PROJECT FIND

IPSEP is offering a complete evaluation and educational assessment for children from birth to 6 years of age. These services are provided without charge to all residents of the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools. For further information call 420-7028

CREATIVE DAY NURSERY SCHOOL

Creative Day Nursery School located in the Canton Free Methodist Church, has few openings for the Fall sessions. Creative Day offers half day programs for children 2 to 5 years of age. For additional information call 981-3990.



Every business has a story to tell - how many years in business, the family's history, a unique product or service. Today, The Crier offers news about United Memorial Gardens, Quicksilver Photo, Porterhouse Meats, St. Mary Hospital, The Community Crier / Comma. The following advertising Special Section focuses on the important aspects of these recognized community businesses.



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Personal enlargement

Quicksilver moves to larger storefront to offer expanded services for The Plymouth-Canton Community

BY PETER BRODERICK

Since 1983, Quicksilver has been serving the photography needs of the people and businesses of The Plymouth-Canton Community.

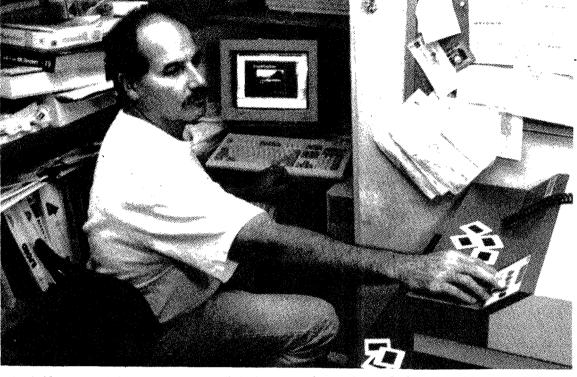
"We started out as a onehour photo shop," said Jack Kenny, owner of Quicksilver Photo.

"Soon we took on additional services, like enlargement and slide processing."

According to Kenny, Plymouth was the ideal place to start his business 11 years ago.

"There was a gap in Western Wayne County. There were no stores that offered commercial services like we grew to offer," Kenny said.

Kenny also saw Plymouth-Canton as a growing community, both commercially and residentially.



Jack Kenney works on computer digital processing units at Quicksilver Photo's old building. The new building will be located at 1150 Ann Arbor Road behind Touch of Class. (Crier photo by Eriq Lukasik)

Kenny had also developed a reputation as a photographer prior to opening Quicksilver.

"After we opened, I was able to take pictures as more of a hobby again," he said.

According to Kenny, Quicksilver never stopped growing. The shop started to offer more and more services, constantly growing closer to the cutting edge of its industry, but growth can only go so far.

Quicksilver expanded beyond the capacity of its current store, and will be moving in the next few weeks.

The new location — just across Ann Arbor Road — will triple the size of the store, leaving even more room for expansion.

"We began looking around for a new building," said Kenny, "and we ended up finding a perfect spot right across the street."

Kenny said he wanted to stay in Plymouth because the community had been good to him.

"The people here are terrific. We get alot of cooperation from people that live around here," said Kenny.

With Quicksilver's help, businesses can add a professional look to their presentations. Bring in the photo and the text, and Quicksilver can condense it all into a tight, comprehensive package.

Quicksilver can create slides with graphics and information, instead of just a picture or a pie chart.

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specializes in photo restoration and alteration. Kenny can manipulate and enhance characteristics of photographs for need of the commercial customer.

"If a customer needed a picture of a piece of machinery taken in a shop, we can blot out the background, so the machine stands alone," Kenny said.

The new location will feature all the same services as the Quicksilver of the past, plus a studio, two darkrooms, as well as a computer room for digital imaging and digital photo restoration.

Quicksilver will remain a strong and viable part of the community. "We'd like to grow into the largest commercial photo service in this area," he said.

"We also hope to be able to serve all the needs of the people, both photographic and digital."



A photo of the Historic Fox Theatre from Kenny's album of favorite shots. (Crier photo by Jack Kenny)

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The Porterhouse Meats secret is getting out

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BY PETER BRODERICK

One of the worst kept secrets of Plymouth and the entire Plymouth-Canton-Northville Community is Porterhouse Meats.

For twelve years, Jack Trabue has been cutting meat at the Porterhouse, and has owned the shop for the past eight. He has been cutting meat in Plymouth for 23 years, a trade he learned from Johnny Rogin of Johnny's Market when he was just 15 years old.

The Porterhouse is "one of the last mom and pop shops in Michigan," according to Kristin Trabue, Jacks wife and business partner.

The Porterhouse has since grown into an "old fashioned" butcher shop, specializing in custom cut meats and special orders, but maintaining a wide variety of gourmet items and specialty foods that have become hard to find in today's comercially-run market.

"I think one of the best parts of Porterhouse is that we're always trying something new," said Jack.

Jack also boasts the largest selection of homemade sausages around, including his own creations — four types of healthy chicken breast sausages that are not available anywhere else.

The chicken sausages are available in tomato and herb, sweet Italian, hot Italian, andoville and boudin. (The sausages contain about 2.6 grams of fat per link, compared to about 18 grams in the standard sausage.)

Jack has developed a line of homemade entrees available only at the Porterhouse. "These days you see families where both heads of the household are working. Now, they can come in, get one of our entrees and have a true homemade meal in a relatively short time," said Jack. The Porterhouse now has over 20 precooked items on its "Heat and Eat" menu.

In addition, the Porterhouse now has its own "Smokehouse," where it prepares kielbasa and beef jerky. Kristin said, "It's gotten to the point where we have to take bookings for our beef jerky. It takes about three days in the smokehouse, and we usually take orders a week or two ahead of time."

Partly due to the success of the store, Jack has been able to keep his prices very competitive. "People may think because we're a small downtown store that our prices are higher, but I think that if they shop and compare, we're probably cheaper than than our competitors," said Jack. "For instance, we've got the best prices on gourmet coffee I've seen around here."

With convenience in mind, the Trabues have expanded their product lines from gourmet items all the way to a full line of fresh produce. "Now you can get whatever you need for an



Kristin and Jack Trabue have taken an old fashioned butcher shop and turned it into a thriving business without sacrificing quality and service. Porterhouse Meats specializes in custom cut meats and special orders, but maintains a wide variety of gourmet items. (Crier photo by Peter Broderick)

entire meal right here," said Jack. "You can be in and out in 10 minutes. We don't have those long lines like the chain stores. We try to keep one on one service with our customers.

"Peoples needs have changed in the past 15 years, and we've changed with them," said Jack. "We try to adapt our business to the customers needs." The Porterhouse also has a delivery service for customers that cannot get to the store, and even processes wild game for hunters in the community.

"We both put forth a lot of effort to bring in the things that people want," said Kristin.

The Trabues are both from The Plymouth Canton Community, and both attended Salem High School.

The Trabues have taken an active part in many community events including fundraisers for the Plymouth Symphony Orchestra, and a yearly fundraising benefit in their parking lot for SCAMP, an organization that provides a camp for special education children.

During the SCAMP benefit, the Trabues host a free barbecue where everyone can sample Porterhouse Meats and a host of other products. Free will donations are accepted at the benefit, with 100 per cent going to SCAMP.

Adding to its own success, The Porterhouse has spun off what has grown to be an international company

ny.
"Word of Mouth" foods were originated at the Porterhouse, and are

now distributed all over Michigan and parts of the rest of the country. Jack has recently completed a seasoning that Word of Mouth will be shipping to Japan in the future.

"About five years ago, I started making chicken parmesan, barbecue ribs and twice baked potatoes," said Jack. "Then I was thinking about how hard it is to find a decent spaghetti sauce. I set out to make one that I liked, and we started jarring it for our customers."

According to Jack, interest in the

sauce was overwhelming, and its popularity grew and grew. That sauce turned into Word of Mouth, which now has a product line of two pasta sauces, two barbecue sauces, two seasonings — one of which will be sold in Japan — and twice baked potatoes.

The Porterhouse has seen a 66 per cent increase in business in the first six months of this year. "We just need the customer to come through the door, and we happily take it from there," said Jack.

Porterhouse holds benefit for sports injuries

BY PETER BRODERICK

On August 27, Porterhouse Meats will be holding another benefit in their parking lot at 1058 S. Main Street in Plymouth.

According to Dr. David H. Janda, Director of the Institute for Preventative Sports Medicine Jack and Kristin Trabue of Porterhouse Meats deserve "all the credit in the world. They came to us and offered to do this fundraiser, which is really unusual."

The Institute is a non-profit organization based at St. Joseph Hospital in Ann Arbor. According to Janda, there are thousands of Sports Medicine agencies in the country, but the Institute for Preventative Sports Medicine is unique in that it focuses on prevention.

"Our research is estimated to have prevented 1.7 million injuries in a year, which equals about \$2 billion in medical bills saved," said Janda. The Institute saves money for many people, but being a non-profit organization, they rely on donations to keep going.

At the fundraiser, raffle tickets will be available for two Walter Payton autographed footballs, a Wayne Gretzky autographed hockey stick and many other prizes including Detroit Lion and Tiger memorabilia.

The event will include entertainment, including local jazz bands, as well as great food provided in a barbecue by Porterhouse Meats.

"We really appreciate the fact that the Trabues are able to do this for us," said

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The Community Crier

BY DAMON AND SHANNON TYMAN

(EDITOR'S NOTE: This description of your community newspaper, The Crier, and its publishing affiliate, COMMA,, was researched and written by two visiting journalists from Carbondale, IL. Damon, 9, is a fourth grader; Shannon is 13 and will be an eighth grader.)

The people who work at The Community Crier are an interesting group, and they write a great newspaper.

At COMMA, the employes are just as accomplished in their work and just as artistic as the people who work at The Crier.

Both groups of people have a great sense of humor and enjoy their work. As an example of their humor, when asked what their favorite part of their job was, many of them listed "Beauregard," the office dog, as their answer. Another popular answer from The Crier/COMMA, staff was "the people" — proving that the newspaper and publishing company is truly customer driven.

The people at The Crier and COMMA, are friendly and helpful. All of these qualities are combined to make a great bunch of writers, artists, sales consultants and businesspeople.

But working at The Crier and COMMA, isn't all fun and games. In fact it is hard work. Meeting deadlines by working late is only one of the many difficult things about creating a good newspaper or client brochure that grabs the readers' attention.

In all, the dedicated and talented staff works very hard to produce The Plymouth-Canton Comunity's ONLY locally-owned and operated newspaper and to develop such publications as the Wayne County Senior Alliance's "Seniority News," the "Remerica Reporter," and the Southeast Michigan Takeout Taxi Restaurant Guide and community Guides throughout the entire U.S.

All this in a family-like atmosphere in the heart of The Plymouth-Canton Community for 20 years!



St. Mary Hospital announces administrative reorganization



and CEO, St. Mary Hospital, Livonia, announces the appointment of three new members to the St. Mary Hospital administrative team as part of a recent hospital reorganization.

John R. Graham, hospital director, Michele Chulick, associate hospital director and director of operations, and Michael L. DeRubeis, M.S.F., C.P.A., associate hospital director and chief financial officer, all come to St. Mary from William Beaumont Hospital, Royal Oak.

Graham, of Birmingham, has served Beaumont for seven years with involvement on both the Royal Oak and Troy campuses. He will continue in his role as director of managed care for the Beaumont system while he serves as hospital director at St. Mary Hospital. He holds bachelor of science degrees in biochemistry and pharmacy and a master's degree in health services administration from the University of Michigan. Prior to his Beaumont position, Graham served in management capacities at Hurley Medical Center in Flint.

Chulick, a resident of Bloomfield Hills, served Beaumont for 10 years

Sister Mary Modesta, president before assuming the duties at St. Mary Hospital. Her most recent experience at Beaumont has been as assistant director of Management Engineering/Operations Analysis. She was also employed by KPMG Peat Marwick in Detroit as a financial and operations analysis consultant for five years. Chulick holds a bachelor of science degree in nursing from Duke University and master of business administration degree in finance from Wayne State University.

DeRubeis also served 10 years at Beaumont, most recently as director of financial services. A resident of Madison Heights, he previously worked at the accounting firm of Purdy, Donovan & Beal. A Certified Public Accountant, DeRubeis holds a bachelor of science degree in business administration from Wayne State University and a master of science degree in finance from Walsh College. He is a member of the Michigan Association of Certified Public Accountants and the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants.

Graham, Chulick and DeRubeis join the St. Mary Hospital administrative team of Sister Mary Modesta,

president and CEO, Sister Mary Renetta, executive vice president and chief operating officer, Mitchell Salhaney, M.D., executive vice president medical affairs, and Sister Mary Cynthia Ann, associate hospital director, mission effectiveness and community services.

St. Mary Hospital has been affiliated with Beaumont since 1992. Through the affiliation, St. Mary and Beaumont have achieved major accomplishments, including:

establishment at St. Mary of a department of trained and boardcertified Emergency Medicine physi-

- recruitment of six obstetrics/ gynecology physicians on staff at both St. Mary and Beaumont with offices in Livonia, Canton and surrounding communities,

- opening of the new Miracle of Life Maternity Center which includes a family-centered philosophy of nursing care, and new LDR and private postpartum rooms.

- coordination of a St. Mary Hospital campus development program to design and construct a new addition to include 20 maternity LDRP rooms, a new women's center, new surgical suite and enhanced emergency center.

"Our new management structure and partnership with Beaumont will position St. Mary Hospital to accomplish its goals of becoming the provider of choice for the residents of Livonia and the surrounding communities," said Sister Modesta.

Written by: Julie Sproul, Director of **Community Relations**



John R. Graham



Michele Chulick



Michael L. DeRubeis

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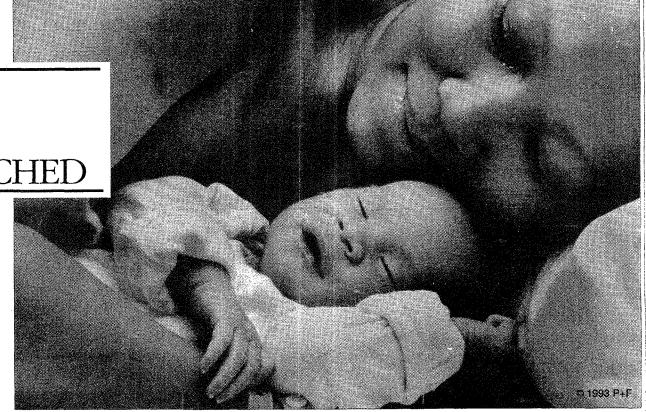
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BY PETER BRODERICK

In 1953, Edwin Wensley purchased a five acre cemetery, located at Joy and Curtis Roads in eastern Washtenaw County.

Since Wensley took over, it grew to become one of the largest and most beautiful cemeteries in the state.

Prior to the 1950's, couples who were not of the same race, religious background or heritage could not be buried in the same cemetery. Wensley purchased the cemetery to build a positive heritage, serving all races, nationalities and faiths.

Wensley is now semi-retired, and his son, Delbert E. Wensley, manages what has become United Memorial Gardens (UMG), and its several divisions.

United Cremation Society (UCS) and United Funeral Services (UFS) were created by D. Wensley to serve the public in a much more comprehensive and compassionate approach.

With another division of UMG—called United Estate Planning (UEP)—the staff assists families from The Plymouth-Canton-Northville Community as well as many surrounding communities.

UEP has developed a unique program that coordinates the many phases of estate planning including

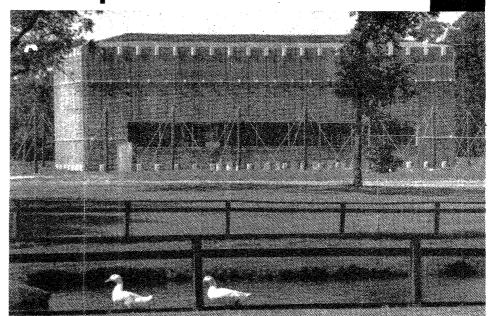
planning, and protecting against the costly and time consuming affairs of the probate system as well as a consolidation of legal documents, last will and trust, retirement investments and an assistance travel plan.

UEP refers families to consultants and experts in the fields of taxes, estate planning and other legal issues. Families can be assisted either prior to, or after, the death of a loved one.

UCS was developed as an alternative to the costly and involved mortuary, funeral and cemetery systems. The parent company for UCS is the largest crematorium in Michigan, with over 1,000 cremations annually.

UCS membership provides preneed services at one fixed rate. Atneed services are also provided when a death has occurred, and no prior arrangements have been made. There is also an extended cremation program that will bring home a loved one's mortal remains from anywhere in the world.

UMG also contributes to the community on a voluntary basis, helping in educational services with Hospice of Southeast Michigan, as well as being involved with a nonprofit radio program called "Dialoguing Grief Concerns." The radio program is a project of "The Bereavement Group," a local nonprofit organization formed



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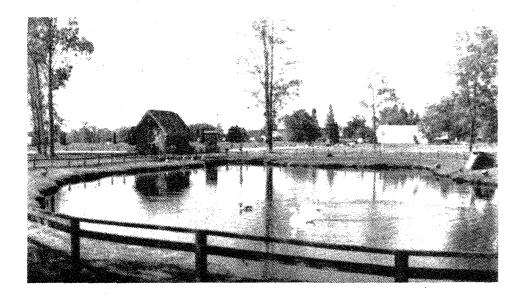
in part by personnel of UMG, and airs Fridays at 11 a.m. on WCAR 1090 AM.

UMG now has programs to assist with many different aspects of bereavement counseling after the death of a loved one.

Child bereavement programs have been established to assist young people after the death of a grandparent or other loved one. There are also programs to help parents cope with the loss of an infant or older child. Over the years, UMG has grown, and is still one of the fastest growing companies in Michigan. Since January, UMG has reported an astounding growth of 375 per cent.

D. Wensley thanks his staff for this success, namely Michael Larkins, Lorenzo Reid, Don Murphy, Betty Wright, David Green, Sever Pederson, Jerry Gansdon and his staff, Karen Lahnala, Gail Cicciarelli, Alice Brockett, Jean Miller, Barry Hancock and Genie Hancock.

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To list your group's event in this calendar, send or deliver the notice IN WRITING to: The Crier, 821 Penniman Ave., Plymouth, MI 48170. Information received BY NOON FRIDAY will be used for Wednesday's calendar (space permitting).

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FIREARMS CLASSES

The Board of Directors of Western Wayne County Conservation Association have announced a series of N.R.A. basic firearms classes. Basic Pistol classes, June 22; basic Rifle classes, July 6, 13, 20, 23 and 27; basic muzzleloading classes, August 3, 10, 17, 20, 24, 27 and 31. All classes will be held on the grounds of Western Wayne County Conservation Association in Plymouth Twp. For further information call Bill Scherer at

50TH CLASS REUNION

Plymouth High's class of 1944 has announced their 50th class reunion, June 30 at the Marriott Inn of Livonia. For further information contact Dora at 453-0769 or Marian at

MARQUIS THEATRE PRESENTS

The Marquis Theatre Children of Northville's historic Marquis Theatre will be entertaining young audiences with a musical comedy presentation of "The Princess and the Goblin." Performance dates and times are scheduled for Saturday at 11 a.m. Tickets are \$5. For further information call 349-8110.

ROCK AND BOWL

The Canton Police Department is sponsoring and supporting the Super Bowl in a "For Kids only-Rock-N-Bowl," at the Superbowl off of Ford Rd. The bowling will continue throughout the summer from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. Admission is \$5 and all children ages 9-15

SALVATION ARMY DAY CAMP

The Salvation Army will be offering a summer day camp, Monday through Friday, for children ages 6-12 years old. The fee per 4 weeks will be \$75. The first session will beginning Monday continuing through July 15 while the second session will begin July 25 and finish August 19. For further information call 453-8480.

CHILDREN'S ART CAMP

D & M Art Studio, in cooperation with the Plymouth Cultural Center, has begun registration for it's fourth annual Art Camp Mania. This year's theme is "art from outer space," which will include the creation of aliens, rockets, spaceships and much more. The camp is for children ages 3 to 16. For more information, or to register, call D & M Art Studio at 453-3710.

TINY TOT PRE-SCHOOL REGISTRATION

The Plymouth Salvation Army Tiny Tots Program is now accepting registrations for the Fall Pre-school classes. There are openings for the Mon./Wed. morning 3-year old class, and for the Tues./Thurs. 4-year old class. Call 453-5464 for more information.

HEAD START PRE-SCHOOL OPENINGS FOR 1994-1995

The Head Start program has announced several openings for 3 and 4 year olds for the 1994-1995 school year. The program will run out of Central Middle School. For more information on the program or registration, call 416-6190.
WILLOW CREEK PRE-SCHOOL OPENINGS

The Willow Creek has announces several openings in their pre-school classes for 3 year olds. The class will meet Tuesdays and Thursdays from 12:45 p.m. to 3 p.m. For further information call Susan at 981-6918.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Christ the Good Shepard Lutheran Church in Canton will be sponsoring Vacation Bible School Monday thru June 24, from 9 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. To register, or for more information, call 981-0286.

SUMMER TRAINING CAMP FOR CHILDREN

Northville's Historic Marquis Theatre will host summer training camps for children interested in the theatre, beginning Monday. The camps include several sessions and will continue throughout the summer. For further information, call 349-8110.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Plymouth Community YMCA is looking for voulenteers to help with special events throughout the summer. For more information, or if you would like to volunteer, please call Joanne at 453-2904.

FATHER'S DAY GOLF TOURNAMENT

The Canton Parks and Recreation Department is sponsoring it's fourth annual Father's Day Three Person "Scrambles" Golf Tournament at Fellows Creek on Sunday. Teams will compete for prizes including awards for longest drive, closest to the pin, and the top three teams.Call 397-5110 to register by tomorrow.

BIBLE SCHOOL PROGRAM

Trinity Presbyterian Church is sponsoring a Bible school program for the children of Plymouth and Canton beginning June 27 through July 1 from 9 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. Registration ends today. To register or for further information call 459-9550.

SOCCER CLINIC

The Plymouth Church of the Nazarene is sponsoring soccer clinics for girls and boys, June 24 from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. The cost will be \$10. For further information contact Bob Kring at 453-1525 betweeen 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

ERNIE HARWELL BOOK SIGNING

Ernie Harwell will be signing his book, "The Babe Signed My Shoe" June 22 at 6:30 p.m. at The Old Ball Park in Canton. Books may be purchased for \$21.95 and photos for \$4.95. For further information call 981-7505.

YMCA OFFICE OPEN IN EVENINGS

The Plymouth YMCA office will be open Thursday evenings from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. June 23 and 30; July 7, 14, 21 and 28; August 4,11, and 18.

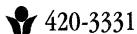


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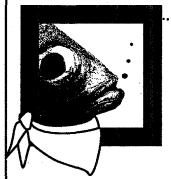
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Worship Sunday

City resurrects anti-cruising shut down of Main Street

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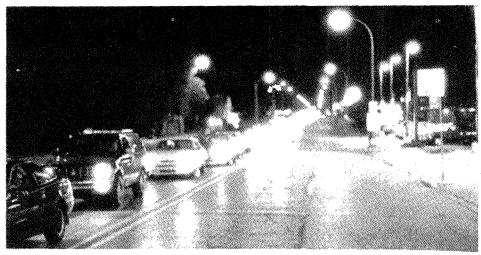
Depending on the volume of traffic on a given night, side streets may be closed from 9 p.m. to 11 p.m. to keep the heavy traffic from intruding upon the residential

These areas will include all streets north of Ann Arbor Road from South Main Street to Linden. Forest Avenue will be closed at Wing Street.

South Harvey is recommended as an alternate route for residents that need to get to or away from home.

Police personnel will be available to help residents into their streets if that becomes necessary.

"In advance, I would like to apologize



The effects of the City's anti-cruising campaign can best be illustrated by long lines of traffic leaving the downtown business district - but no one coming in. (Crier photo by Peter Broderick)

for any inconvenience this traffic control technique may cause," said Scoggins.

"I am confident that the positive aspects of this technique are far greater than the negative.

"We have been able to allow our residents to have peace and quiet.

"I know, I live in that area, so my family and I are are affected also."

Township water tower work gets under way

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was cocooned in a protective tarpaulin for sandblasting and painting purposes.

The 135-foot tall tower is located at M-14 and Wilcox Road, in full view of motorists traveling along M-14.

The drape was installed while the George Kantoupes Painting Co. of Lincoln Park commenced work.

Scheduled repairs to the tower include painting, repair and lead abatements. The painting and leading will cover the interior and exterior access areas. The cocoon is in place to protect the surrounding environment from paint, both old and new.

One concern is what the tower will look like when the facelift is completed.

Department of Public Services Director Jim Anulewicz said the tower will be repainted in white with green lettering, the Township colors.

The tower, constructed in 1958, holds 400,000 gallons of water.

Geiss sees Ford connection as a plus in race for Congress

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then that merely means I know how things work."

In fact, Geiss' personal motto for his campaign is "effective from the start."

"What we often have (with the public) is a lack of understanding of what Congress does; we're an ombudsman for our constituents.

"That's why Dave Geiss came back to the district to meet about sewers, roads and airport noise with local officials; I helped people get through the bureaucracy."

In particular, Geiss points to his working knowledge of the corridors of Congress: "I know the members of Congress; I know how laws are introduced.

As a result, he says, "I don't have to wait until (the swearing in) to be briefed on what's going on."

Not surprisingly — given his work for Ford — Geiss hopes (if elected) to serve on the same committee his boss currently chairs: Education and Labor.

And the reason is equally as obvious: "The issues in America are education, crime and welfare reform," Geiss said, "and all these components come together (in the committee).

"It's on that committee that we deal with the solutions to all these problems," he said, adding, however, that not every solution is attainable.

The stumbling block? Money.

"We just don't have the dollars to do everything we might like — so I would take a leadership role in finding other ways.

"I'd go to the laws that have been passed," he said, "and find out what's worked and what hasn't - and then eliminate those that don't."

If such an approach sounds vaguely familiar, it should: Fellow Democrat and Vice President Al Gore calls it "reinventing government."

"Reinventing government may be a catchy phrase," Geiss said, "but it really is something to look at; what Gore is saying is that nothing is sacred.'

In fact, if there is one area in which Geiss says he disagrees with his mentor, it's in the area of the federal budget itself:

"We need to take a deeper look at the budget, and fight for issues that will take us into the future.

"Only then will people get back to believing in gov-

In that regard Geiss says he looks at the budget "in a little different light" than Ford.

But how exactly would Geiss go about dealing with billion-dollar federal deficits and trillion-dollar debt?

'Well, I guess you could call it my one gimmick, but I really am going to propose it.

Any questions about the relationship between David Geiss (left) and his boss, U.S. Rep. Bill Ford, were answered when the longtime congressman endorsed his chief of staff in the race that will elect Ford's successor.

own district.



Home: Wayne

The Geiss profile

Political Affiliation: Democrat Business: chief of staff and legislative aide (on leave) to U.S. Rep. William Ford (1982-present).

Personal: 51, married (Jacqueline); three children (Dawn Marie, David Jr., Douglas). Education: Henry Ford Community College. Elective office: Taylor City Council (1973-79); Wayne County Charter Commission

(1980-82)

"What I propose is for every member (of the House) to take 1/435th of the budget deficit and cut it from his

"Forget the line item veto — that's baloney," Geiss said. "Until we reach the point where we begin (to cut equally), we'll never have a chance (to eliminate the deficit.'

In the end, Geiss said, "if we have realistic budgeting, we can grow out of the deficit."

Concerning the partisan nature of Capitol Hill — and the recent public revolt against congressional gridlock, Geiss concedes that "I'm as partisan a Democrat as you'll find," but he quickly adds that "we need to work togeth-

"I'm not just going to represent Democrats; I'm going to represent 581,000 people."

In that regard, the candidate said that "75 to 80 percent of the district are workers supporting families and," he said, pointing first to his shirt and then to his chest: "I may wear a white shirt, but I'm blue collar in here."

One of the biggest tests of that bi-partisan cooperation will come as this Congress and the next deals with health care — as viewed by the Clinton Administration, that is.

And Geiss again sees this important issue as coming right through the Education and Labor committee.

"It will be a hotbed every day," he said, adding that regardless of what may be accomplished this year, "the final solution won't be written in '94, '95 or '96; it's going to be implemented over time.'

And, he says, "if we don't have the support of the American public, no politician will be able to pass (a

But what kind of plan should be passed?

"It needs to have four components," Geiss said. "It must include universal coverage, portability, allow for pre-existing conditions and offer simplicity and savings.

"Right now, one-sixth of America's gross national product — about \$900 billion — goes to one area of the economy, health care.

"Will it be 20 per cent by 2005?" Geiss asks.

If so, he answers, "what employer is going to be able to afford (to provide coverage)?

"As it is now, those who can't provide coverage are subsidized by those who can.

'We need to change that."

But in offering change, Geiss goes the next — unusual - step: Should a plan be devised that doesn't work in the long run, "we have to have the guts to tell the people it's not working and change it."

In the end, Geiss says that only by getting the public involved in the important debates will solutions be found to America's problems.

"Too often, the people want their leaders to have immediate solutions, and we don't; we don't have all the solutions in Washington, we have solutions here.

What I want to do is find part of the solutions to part of the problems."

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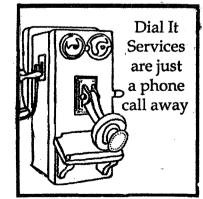
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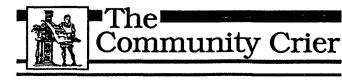


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SAVE THE ENVIRONMENT: don't drink Snapple until they become returnable.

BOB GREGG: biggest PIKER of the trip.

TOM SCHELLENBERG goes swimming in his canoe.

"We need more men." Donna Angers, 1994

MARK HYLAND : we've heard of excuses on the golf course ...but

LOOK OUT! ZAPATA RETURNS

SHANNON AND DAMAN are here!

INDEPENDENT CARPET says, "How wide and what color?"

PLYMOUTH-CANTON JAYCEES PARADE is Monday, July 4.

PENNIMAN AVENUE is going to the dogs --Jill Andrea Young moves in! Howdy, neighbor --Beauregard

GENEVA: even political prisoners get water with their stale bread -- Beauregard

RUSS: hit that "COFFEE NOW" button first thing

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FISHERMAN AT WORK

SOMETIMES IT'S EVEN a law that's inconvenient -- Doug Miller, 1994

"EVERY FOURTH POP is the real one." Bob Mundt, 1994

Two hours of puter time just blew up. Don't touch me or I'll cry!-D

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Barb Driscoll

Flower Wreath Art in the Park

Manchini just died at age 70, I Loved him! and his music-D.

A sign of passage marked by an artist's hand, a message from the wearer to the world signifying identity. The signature of the soul, the chosen re-birthmark in eternal hues. Real man and women have ink.-Grendel

The morgue is done! The Morgue is done!

ERNIE ARCHER and HIS SISTER ELAINE WILLIAMS. No longer can the Davises or anyone else stump me. EXCELSIOR! Thank you both for this marvelous book which will help me keep my head unbowed!

ERNIE ARCHER WAS BORN: "By the shores of Gitchee Gumee, By the shining Big Sea Water." All right, all you smart people, where was he born? Name the poem and author. Martha, it's your turn.

JACK SELLE: not only am I unable to spell "Beretta," but at the moment I can't afford it. How do you feel about that V.W. WITH THE RAG TOP? PRETTY SPIFFY, I'D SAY.

"WHO CAN BE DULL IN FLEET STREET."

Curiosities

ED WENDOVER - IT'S A BIRD, IT'S A PLANE, IT'S SUPERMAN. It's our publisher returning from the wilds of Canada under his own power.

DO MINE EYES DECEIVE ME, or was that a "STREAKER" on Penniman Street?

TO ALL MY CRIER/COMMA FRIENDS- I've had some great moments working with all of you over the past year and I will miss everyone immensely! Thank for all the laughs! P.S. Leave Beauregard alone!!!-Alison



CONGRATULATIONS DAVID ON YOUR HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION! I am so proud of you. Wishing you a successful future as you start school this fall. I love you. Aunt Karen

Blue, Blue, Blue, they say . . . Matt really got into his painting – What do you do when your brush sinks down into the can? – Stick your hand into the paint! Now what to do with a hand full of bright bluepaint? – Paint the whole shelf unit with your hands of course!

Alison is going to sprout wings and fly away to God's country. We will miss her, but we are getting a great replacement. Ellen, Eileen or is it Elaine. Whatever, I'll just call her the E. girl.

Curiosities

Mon3's at home whether it's the farm or the great wooded Northland.

Debbie is giving Arny a T-Shirt. I wonder why?

Sue is great when she keeps her eyo on the ball. She could be another Beth Danials.

Debbie wins! The top did it.

The wind was out of the South so we didn't spend much time fishing.

RICK HALL PLAYS guitar at The Box Bar and Grill.

"DO REAL MEN WEAR YELLOW?" --Barb Van Pelt,1994; Dave suggested we put this in.

HAVE YOU NOTICED how many homes with political signs up also have "for sale" signs?

Ali — I can't even begin to say how nice it has been to work with you. I always looked forward to seeing you when I walked in the Comma door. Thanks for all the talks and the laughs. It won't be the same without you. I wish you and Scott the best of luck. We will have to get together before you leave and . . .don't forget to leave your new address! Jen

Curiosities

DONALD DUCK - HAPPY BIRTHDAY 65 on June 9. Trust a good time was had by all at your party. Gerry Kitchen, President of the Disney Fan Club, gives great celebrations! Lucky you!

MARGARET GLOMSKI – How nice of you to share your cane with ERNIE ARCHER. He thanks you and his friends do too. Margaret, you're a nice person! Thank you!

MARTHA & DUNBAR "Awake for morning in the bowl of night. Hath flung the stone that puts the stars to flight."

THIS ONE SHOULD BE PRETTY EASY FOR YOU, as well as many others. Actually there is a family of boys in Plymouth who know this quotation by heart. Their mother used to waken them each morning for school with it. (not that they thought it so beautiful!)

KIM GRIEVE - who is she? She's that happy, smiling, little person at Miss Katie's Beauty School who has just been told "she is about to become a mother." She and her husband are so delighted they would like to put a headline in The Crier. Congratulations!

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HAPPY 50TH BIRTHDAY MOM! If you're having trouble with the fact you're 50, just think; in two years Dad will retire and be home all the time! Andrea



immy, wasn't that a great fish I caught?!

So, how many fish did the guys catch this weekend? (0)

BILL SCOTT PASSED AWAY LAST NIGHT. June 12, 1994 in Florida, Harold Guenther was forever grateful to him for relocating his business in the Old Daisy Building after the Daisy Company moved to Arkansas. There had been some dark days in Plymouth for people who did not go to Arkansas. And Bill and his company saved many homes in Plymouth by believing in our town. I hope he knew how thankful many of us were. Shirley McKeon, his daughter will leave for Florida on Wednesday and will let us know what arrangements have been made. Thank you. Nell and Bill for becoming a part of Plymouth.

Curiosities

BULLWINKLE ON CULINARY TOUR OF



Who needs G. Morning America.

WALTER - Happy Day. Thanks for the fun.

GLADYS DEYO was a neat lady all 98 years of her and she loved her town, her state and her country and did everything but come over on the Mayflower, which her ancestors did for her. I feel sorry for all the young people who did not know her when they describe their peers as being "NEAT," they don't know what the expression means, unless they were lucky enough to know Gladys Alta Chapman Deyo, a really "NEAT" lady. Make no mistake

Good luck in Vegas Dick.We'll miss you! BR 39

Thanks Sue - great date. Whoops, I mean golf

Just kidding Steve.

Employment Market

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Sports

Sports shorts

Jennifer Russell, a senior on the Kalamazoo College women's soccer team, who has a GPA of 3.51 majoring in health science, has received Kalamazoo College's Senior Athletic Award awarded by the department of physical education to the outstanding female athlete.

Russell concluded her Hornet career as one of the top scorers in collegiate women's soccer history, scoring 118 goals in 75 career games.

She was named the Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association's Most Valuable Player for the third time in 1993 and made All-MIAA first team for the fourth consecutive year.

Russell led the league in scoring each of her four years and set new career league standards for goals (89), assists (39), and total points (217).

Russell is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Russell of Plymouth.

Canton Parks and Recreation Services is sponsoring its 14th Annual Father's Day 3-person "scrambles" golf tournament at Fellows Creek on Sunday, June 19.

Teams will compete for prizes including awards for the long drive, closest-to-the-pin and top three teams.

The cost of the tournament is \$78 per team, which includes all greens fees and awards. Electric carts are extra

Tee times are from 11 a.m. to 11:45 a.m.

Registration is open to all golfers. Deadline for registration is June 16 at the Canton Parks and Recreation Services, 1150 S. Canton Center Road, Canton, MI 48188.

The Canton Chamber of Commerce will be holding their Men's and Women's Golf Outing at Fellows Creek Golf Course on Tuesday, Aug. 9.

The foursome scramble will begin at 8:30 a.m. with a shotgun start.

The outing includes 18 holes of golf, cart, continental breakfast, lunch and refreshments on the course. There will be prizes and many special events including a putting contest and an awards banquet and trophies for teams and various sponsors.

A portion of the proceeds will go toward the Special Olympics. Foursome reservations can be made by calling the Canton Chamber of Commerce at 453-4040.

Playing the numbers

People are flocking to Casino Windsor for gambling thrills, leaving local tracks fighting for their livelihoods

Part II of II

BY ROB KIRKBRIDE

Casino Windsor is making a dent in the profits of local horse racing tracks.

The number of people crossing the border to gamble is stag-

Deni Thompson, public relations and advertising assistant for Casino Windsor said the casino is drawing more than 12,000 visitors per day - 80 percent of which are from the United States.

Over the Canadian Holiday (May 20-23) more than 15,000 patrons visited the casino each day and over the Memorial Day holiday (May 27-30) more than 17,000 patrons visited the casino each day.

As of Friday, June 3, Casino Windsor has welcomed over 250,000 visitors.

All that means big money for Windsor Casino Limited - a company established and owned equally by three powerhouses in the gaming industry - Caesars World, Inc., Circus Circus Enterprises, Inc., and Hilton Hotels Corporation.

It also means big money for the Government of Ontario, the casino business owner.

Unfortunately, it means less money for horse racing tracks in the United States.

Horse racing's loss is Casino Windsor's gain.

Ladbroke DRC lost \$2.2 million alone last year and Ladbroke's taxes paid to the state of Michigan are down from around \$7 million in 1992 to about \$6.5 last year, which is a 10-year low.

In 1980, the state of Michigan collected approximately \$28 million in taxes from parimutuel horse racing. In 1993 that number dropped to \$20 million.

Even though the eight race courses - Mt. Pleasant Meadows, Muskegon Racecourse, Saginaw Harness, Sports Creek Raceway, Northville Downs, Hazel Park, Ladbroke DRC and Jackson Raceway - increased the number of total race dates from about 550 in 1971 to around 900 in 1992, track attendance has dropped from about 4 million in 1971 to 2.5 million in 1992.

The loss of revenues to Casino Windsor will hurt more than just the track owners and the state of Michigan.

There are 40,000 jobs - from track jobs, horse farms, vendors and suppliers - that depend on the horse racing business.

Horse racing is also responsible for an amazing amount of

investment in the state of Michigan including \$468 million investment in acreage and buildings devoted to horses, \$50 million invested in track facilities, 84,000 acres of Michigan land valued at \$185 million - devoted to horse farm operations, and 16,000 race horses stabled in Michigan.

The numbers are expected to grow worse for the horse race tracks as more and more casinos open for business.

Michigan horse race tracks have to compete with 1,700 slot machines, 48 blackjack tables, 12 roulette wheels, two mini-baccarat, and three baccarat - and that's just in Casino Windsor.

The effects of casino competition is being felt across the country.

In January 1994, the University of Louisville completed an economic analysis of the effects of casino gambling on the Kentucky race horse industry. The study concluded that where a racetrack faces direct competition from casinos, owned and operated by non-racetrack entities, the result will be a 31 to 39 percent loss in handle, forcing closure of the tracks.

Recent evidence to support this conclusion includes:

•Fairmont Park, Illinois - Riverboat gambling was introduced near Fairmont Park in September, 1991. Handle from thoroughbred races was \$74 million in 1990, \$63 million in 1991 and \$48 in 1992. Handle from standardbred races was \$25 million in 1990, \$27 million in 1991 and \$19 million in 1992. Percentage decline in real average daily handle was 39 percent over two years for thoroughbred racing and 34 percent over two years for standardbred racing.

•Quad City Downs, Illinois - Riverboat gambling was also introduced near Quad City Downs. Real average daily handle dropped 37 percent the first year and 79 percent over two years.

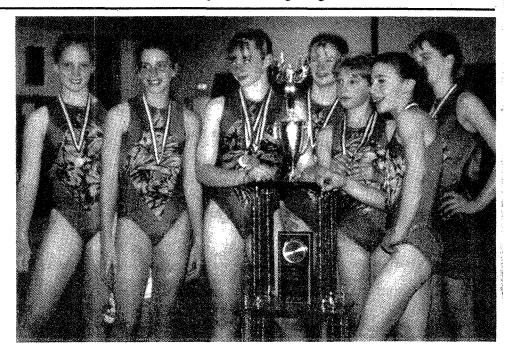
•Prairie Meadows, Iowa - Riverboat gambling was introduced in Iowa in April, 1991. By 1993, Prairie Meadows had suffered a 35 percent decline in average daily handle.

•Canterbury Downs, Minnesota - Pull-tab games were legalized in Minnesota in 1981, the Little Six Casino opened in 1989, and the state lottery in 1990. Mystic Lake Casino opened in May, 1992 less than a mile from Canterbury Downs. The track did not reopen in 1993. Real average daily handle had dropped 74 percent since 1988.

•Teletrack, Connecticut - Foxwoods Casino opened in 1992 near the Teletrack simulcast facility in New Haven. Teletrack experienced a 74 percent decline in real average daily handle in the first full year of casino gaming.

Bracht and Emerick vault to the top

Members of the Oakland Gymnastics Training Center in Walled Lake placed first in the State Championships held May 22 in Kentwood, Mich. Competitors on the team were two West Middle School students, Marcie Emerick and Allison Bracht of Plymouth. Emerick placed third on the beam and seventh all around, and Bracht took a fourth place on the vault. Both are in the Level Seven Junior Division. The team is coached by Jeunae Godevin. Bracht and Emerick are standing together (1 to r) on the far left side of the picture.



A day at the track

The best way to keep the horse tracks going is to let them get competitive

It is impossible to fight sin.

So why not make a little bit of money

That is the dilemma facing Michigan lawmakers as they begin the process of trying to save or kill horse racing in the

The opening of Casino Windsor has showed us all how much money can be made off a little "sin".

The casino across the border is drawing 12,000 people a day, 80 percent of which are from the United States, and all their pockets are full of money.

The question the Michigan Legislature is facing is not whether gambling can be eliminated. Like prostitution and drugs, we all know gambling will survive no matter what we do.

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No curves By Rob Kirkbride

The question is, "Do we want to save

horse racing in the state of Michigan?"

If the answer is "yes", we need to allow the race tracks to be more competi-

By allowing video poker machines, more simulcast racing and telephone betting, Michigan lawmakers could save an industry on the verge of extinction.

Horse racing has made the state more than \$260 million in revenue over the

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past 10 years and those numbers could grow if the tracks are given a chance to compete.

Revenue from the expanded betting is expected to raise the amount of tax revenue generated for the state from its current level of about \$20 million per year to an estimated \$75 to \$100 million per

That's not chump change and the state is desperate for any new source of revenue.

There are two paths the state can take. One path would be to follow the lead of the state of Florida. Florida lawmakers climbed onto their high-horse and refused to give the Seminole Indians their blessings on casino gambling on reservations. The Seminoles took their case to the Supreme Court and won. The state of Florida crapped out. Not only will the lawmakers have to live with casinos on "their" land, they also lost out on a whole lot of tax money that could have been flowing into Tallahassee.

The other path would be to allow the tracks the leeway they need to compete with casinos.

Without these changes, the casinos will chew up the horse racing tracks and spit them out.

The casinos are not going away. More and more will be built and money will be made. What the state needs to do is allow horse racing to be more competitive. When that happens, the state can step in line and have its pockets filled with the money that is being spent on gambling.

It's not a question of whether gambling is right or wrong.

It's going happen whether we like it or not. People who don't feel gambling is right can stay away from the tracks.

The bottom line is that horse racing makes the state a lot of money that will be lost if the industry is allowed to die or is killed by Casino Windsor.

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Community opinions

So long, and thanks

After 23 years of millages, teacher strikes and all of the other hassles of running the Plymouth-Canton schools, 'Mike' Hoben deserves a hand

John M. Hoben — or "Mike," as he's known to his friends.

Everyone here knows the name.

For nearly a quarter of a century, he's run the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools system.

Through budget cuts and spiraling growth, through state mandates and finally through a state education finance reform, Mike has been a constant in our schools.

He's endured bad school boards (along with the good ones), pressure groups, lawsuits, millage failures and three teacher strikes. Mike's stayed the course.

Perhaps one of his favorite summaries of it all was the poster that hung in his office for many years. It pictured a horse that had failed to completely clear a fence jump; he stood straddling the top rail.

"Damned if you do and damned if you don't," said the poster.

Some people blame Mike for everything that's happened in Plymouth-Canton schools; others blamed him for everything that didn't happen. Some say he stayed too long at the fair; this columnist wondered why he didn't "go fishing" years ago.

Mike became acting school superintendent in 1971 when James Rossman was fired. He assumed the full title the following year. Not bad for a math teacher recruited from Cheboygan in 1955 to become Plymouth High School's football coach.

Mike has had his detractors.

With malice toward none



Even now, he's criticized for his district's dealing with a company that refinanced the district's bonds and with a giant telecommunications company that is supplying the schools with gadgetry as he retires and goes to do some consulting for them.

He's never liked being grilled on such matters; he's shown his temper to inquiring reporters, meddling editorialists and pesky parents at school board meetings. But he's always gotten over it.

Once, during tough budget times at the schools, this column suggested Mike take a pay freeze himself to set an example. He was NOT pleased and didn't hesitate to say so.

But a couple years later, facing budget squeezes at the schools, he voluntarily took a freeze

Many of the pleased parents and students have shown their appreciation — and it often comes with less fanfare than the criticisms. It meant far more to Mike that three young women students came into his office with a birthday cake for him than any editorial ever written.

He has personally led a private life for a

school superintendent. He quietly lived through family tragedy — he is twice a widower — but kept a stiff upper lip. Through it all, he's been involved in many aspects of the community like Rotary and the YMCA.

In many ways, Mike's educational leadership was better appreciated outside our school district than within it. His expertise was known in Lansing and in education circles around the country.

Yet Mike was criticized for his salary at home. (The new superintendent will be paid almost the same as the 23-year veteran.) And Mike finally could laugh that his Cadillac constantly drew potshots.

Frankly, what Mike went through in his years as head of schools here, it's amazing anybody would want to do it for twice the money.

Mike survived tumultuous times in education and society to become Plymouth-Canton's second-longest serving superintendent. (George Smith served 27 years until 1945.)

Even as our outgoing superintendent leaves formal public service, his many community activities won't end — it's just that now he'll have more time for fishing... and wondering if he should have stayed in pro basketball (he was drafted by the Boston Celtics after college) rather than education.

While he wonders though, The Plymouth-Canton Community is glad he made the choice he did.

Good luck Mike! And THANKS!

Forget hot dogs and chain-store pizza, the Fall Fest can make enough money for every group involved with the addition of a beer tent

In my last column I brought up the point that it would be a good idea to allow a beer tent at the 1994 Plymouth Fall Festival.

I understand that there are some strong feelings about this, that the issue has been thrown around more than once. Nonetheless, I have a few more things to say about beer at the festival.

I because the Fest is used by local community groups as a fundraiser, it follows that the Fest's organizers are interested in generating the most funds possible. That said, there should be a beer tent.

Let's do a little math. One keg of beer costs about \$50. Plus tapper rental, cheap cups and ice — \$65 tops. One keg is the equivalent of 165 12 oz. cups. Now, multiply the 165 cup figure by \$2 per cup (in community fest terms, \$2 is a low-ball figure). That's a whopping \$330 out of a \$65 investment.

Sounds good, huh? Get a load of this.

Just to keep the cash flowing evenly, allow every group taking part in the Fest to run the tent for an hour. When the Kiwanis run the tent, they'll get the proceeds for that hour's worth of beer sales. One hour later, the Rotarians will control the tent and they'll take that hour's receipts (And no, the high school kids won't be allowed to sell beer).

Not only that, but add in the quarter of all monies taken at the Fest that go back to the Fall Fest board. The board would have been able to pay off the Gathering 10 years earlier with that kind of money coming in every summer.

The alcohol behavior problem is an easily remedied one; make only one area where

Wordsmith

By Alex Lundberg

you can buy and consume beer. Put the tent in an area which can be easily cordoned off and do not allow any beer cups out of that area.

(One critic said that the police warn of the hassles of a beer tent. I'm sorry, that doesn't wash. Plymouth Police Chief Bob Scoggins can shut down all of Main Street in a flash when there are cruisers afoot, he can handle a beer tent with no sweat. I refuse to believe that Plymouth's Finest can't handle a few drunks.)

Along the same lines, a strong and visible police presence is a persuasive deterrent to any alcohol-fueled idiocy. That is, if there is any at all.

Another possibility is to let a bar, the Box for example, take care of beer sales for the Fest. They're professional beer sellers, and know when to stop serving someone who has had too much to drink.

One of the hysterical notions about a beer tent at the Fall Fest is that it will attract drunks like moths to a flame. As if, somehow, the mere presence of a running keg will

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Did I ever thank you?

A daughter recollects her father's love, devotion

Have I told you lately how much I love and respect you and have my entire life? So many years have gone by since you sang to me on the basement steps in the house on Harvey and told me all the special stories — like your tale of the B-O-Wolf. What carefree days those were laying on the floor in your arms, listening to the baseball games on the radio.

Remember when you took me to work with you on the midnight shift at Willow Run? How special I thought I was, that's because you made me feel that way.

Remember the boat trip to Milwaukee? How you made me dance. I was little but not too young to learn. Did I ever thank you for instilling the love of good music and dance in me?

I remember the football Saturdays at Ann Arbor...the flowers (always a mum),,,the hot dogs, just you and I, how special. I also remember how you always took the time to explain all the plays. It's because of you I love sports. Did I ever say thanks for that?

So many things come to my mind. Fishing at the cottage. The Bullheads, remember? You hated taking them off the line so we used the long cane poles, hopped them from one line to the other side of the boat till we knocked them out...remember how we laughed?

Even carrying drinking water from the bathing beach to the cottage was enjoyable because I was doing it with my Dad.

Seeming never to tire you were always there for a game of basketball in the backyard. No matter that you had worked all day plus the usual yard and house work at home there was always time for your daughter. Did I ever say thank you?

Did I ever say thank you for all the work with the band parents (the first new uniforms at Plymouth High School) and P.T.A. The endless hours given so freely. Never once did I hear a no, or I'm too tired or busy for your daughter.

Did I say thank you for driving me all over the state of Michigan when it came time to choose a university to attend? Wouldn't you know I would pick M.S.U. when you loved the U of M so. For that did I ever say — I'm sorry?

EDITOR'S NOTE: This letter was sent to The Crier by Susan Shoemaker Taylor of Plymouth - and with Father's Day this weekend, it seemed appropriate to publish it here.

Did I say thank you for trying to get me to the M.S.U. faculty tea? Remember, Mom was giving a party. You ducked out to drive me to Novi to catch a ride on the bus to M.S.U., but we missed it. Even though the party was going on you chose to drive me to M.S.U. How unselfish of you, but after all of your caring we were in an accident and never made it, plus

your car was ruined. Were you angry - no, just glad we were unhurt. Did I ever say thank you for trying so hard to make my day special at the expense of your own?

Did I ever say thank you for all the time and energy, love and help you gave me through the tough times of the divorce when people didn't talk of those things back then?

Most of all Dad, the endless hours you gave to Candy, the granddaughter you love so. You were like a father to her. Not many grandchildren had their grandfather's undivided attention through 24 years.

All that love Dad! Did I ever stop to say thank you...I really appreciate you. How wonderful and truly good you are - did I? I hope I said enough.

Did I ever say thank you or was this all taken for granted? If I failed to say thank you I'll say it now for all the wonderful years. Know that I never took you for granted, and yet, perhaps I did take your love for granted because you gave of it so unselfishly, and after all, you are my father.

I love you more than words can say, no one could have a better father.

Did I tell you how much I admire your courage, especially these past two years. For although you cannot speak or move, where others would have given up you have persevered. Strong of mind, heart and will. That's my father! I'll love you always and be forever grateful for your love.

Your wisdom, generosity, caring and loving stands alone and will remain with me for the rest of my days.

We shared the best years of my life.

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For fund-raising, a beer tent is a sure-fire pocket stuffer the organizers of the Fall Festival think This leads me to believe that someone

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turn the mild citizenry of Plymouth into raving lunatics.

Does someone know something about the alcoholism rate here that I don't? Do

that the Plymouth-Canton Community

I doubt that, I'll give the people of this town more credit than that.

doesn't know when to say when?

is afraid of the very idea of alcohol sales at the Fall Festival.

I don't know, maybe someone is terrified of money.

Addenda & errata

In last week's Crier endorsement of candidates for the Plymouth-Canton Board of Education, it was incorrectly stated that Susan Davis had sought a seat on the school board before.

This year's election was Davis's first attempt at public

Screenwriter Jim Burnstein wants to thank Community for support

On behalf of my whole family, I want to thank each and every one of you who packed the Penn Theatre for the benefit premiere of "Renaissance Man." It was a night that we will never forget.

I am especially happy that the proceeds from this premiere will be used wisely and well by a truly worthy civic organization, the Plymouth Community Arts Council.

Your generous support is greatly appreciated as are the efforts of Cafe Bon Homme, Ernesto's, the Penn and the Plymouth Fife and Drum Corps.

All of you deserve a special round of

applause for the contributions you made to this wonderful event.

It is nights like these which make me realize that the best career move I ever made was deciding not to move to Hollywood

I don't believe I could find any place quite like Plymouth in which to write and more importantly, raise a family.

However, I don't want to say this too loudly or Plymouth will be overrun with screenwriters moving here from Los

Once again, thanks for a truly memorable evening! Let's do it again soon!

JIM BURNSTEIN



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