

After 8 years, it's R.I.P. E.S.Y.

BY MARK CONSTANTINE

The Extended School Year (ESY) program, instituted in 1975 to save the Plymouth-Canton schools hundreds of thousands of dollars, died a quiet death Monday night.

Its demise, ironically, came about because it'll save the district hundreds of thousands of dollars.

The action to eliminate the ESY program was taken by the Board of Education at its regularly scheduled meeting.

Currently, only Eriksson and Field Elementary Schools are on an ESY calendar, down from a peak of seven in 1975. ESY was eliminated at the other schools last year in a cost-cutting move.

Declining enrollment is the real culprit in the move to eliminate ESY, just as

skyrocketing enrollment was one of the chief reasons it was first added.

"It was an excellent program for the length of time we used it," said Shirley Spaniel, executive director of elementary education. "It saved Plymouth-Canton lots of money, and I don't think that has been emphasized enough to the people of this district."

"The public should be cheering those who made the decisions just prior to 1975 because, if they hadn't planned well, there would be an awful lot of empty monuments around the district."

The only real drawback to the program was that it was impossible to implement at the secondary level. It was thought at first that middle schools across the district could convert to ESY, saving the schools even more money, but that never materialized, according to Spaniel.

"A lot of it had to do with the diversity

of the curriculum at the secondary level," she explained. "We tried it at Pioneer, but it just wasn't working at all."

Students presently on the ESY track will continue on the program until the end of August when they will return to a regular school year schedule.

Some questions have been raised in the past about how the youngsters will adapt to what turns out to be only a couple of days' break between when they wind up classes in August and start in September. But no major problems have developed in the past, according to Dick Egli, administrative assistant for community relations.

"We feel very comfortable about that," he admitted. "Those students who switched from ESY schools last September did so without much trouble, and that itself makes us feel better about what will happen this time around."



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Twp., schools still at odds on tax collection cost

BY RACHAEL DOLSON

Negotiations continue between Plymouth Township and the Plymouth-Canton schools over the price of summer collection of school taxes.

Originally scheduled for action by the township board last Tuesday, a possible contract between the governmental units has now been put over to the township's Feb. 22 agenda.

"I anticipate we will reach an agreement before that meeting," said Ray Hoedel, the district's assistant superintendent for business. "At least, I hope we will. If not we have some other areas to look at."

Hoedel said township and school officials plan to meet at least once this week to discuss how much the township would charge to handle the additional collection.

Under the new summer school tax measure, signed into law in December by the then-Gov. William Milliken, any school district which wants to collect one-half its taxes in the summer must pass a formal resolution.

Then the district can negotiate a collection contract with local municipalities, county government, private banks or contractors. The school

district can also opt to collect the taxes itself.

The Plymouth-Canton school board passed a resolution late in January approving the twice-year collection, and then began negotiations with its primary tax collecting bodies—the City of Plymouth, Canton Township and Plymouth Township.

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Matney arrested on bond jumping, manslaughter



CANTON DETECTIVES Dave LeBlanc (left) and Robin Cripe (right) escort William Glenn Matney Friday afternoon into the outcounty branch of the Wayne County Prosecutor's Office. He was being arraigned for jumping bail two months ago after being charged with manslaughter with a motor vehicle in connection with the Dec. 17 death of a Canton woman. Matney couldn't post the \$5,000 bond set by 28th District Court Judge Donald Neitzel, and is awaiting a Feb. 24 preliminary examination downtown in the Wayne County Jail. (Crier photo by Mark Constantine)

BY MARK CONSTANTINE

When William Glenn Matney, of Alamo Court in Westland, stepped off a bus in Ann Arbor Friday morning, he didn't expect to see anyone from the Canton Police Department.

But Canton detectives Dave LeBlanc and Ed Tanner were waiting in the Greyhound bus station to arrest the 25-year-old man as he stepped off a bus from Washington state, according to LeBlanc.

The Canton police have been searching for Matney since he allegedly jumped bail two months ago instead of facing charges in the December traffic death of a Canton mother of two.

"I just sort of walked up to him and said 'Howdy,'" LeBlanc said with a smile Friday afternoon, just before Matney was arraigned at the outcounty branch of the Wayne County Prosecutor's Office.

"There was no problem with the arrest, but then I planned it that way. I'd have to say he was just a little surprised when he saw me."

Matney was arrested by the Canton police Dec. 17 and charged with manslaughter with a motor vehicle in connection with the death of 34-year-old Madonna Tharp.

According to police, Matney allegedly slammed into the side of a car driven by Tharp's 16-year-old son, Eric, at the intersection of Cherry Hill and Sheldon.

After the impact, witnesses told police

Matney continued on his way. It wasn't until almost a half an hour later the Westland police apprehended him.

Shortly after his arrest, Matney was given a breathalyzer test which showed he had a blood-alcohol content of .28. In Michigan, a driver with a reading of .10 is considered legally drunk.

Following his arraignment before District Judge John Dillon, of Redford Township, Matney was released on a \$10,000 bond—for which he had to post \$1,000.

Matney's preliminary examination on the manslaughter charge was then scheduled for Dec. 27. However, he failed to make an appearance before 35th District Court Judge James Garber and, as a result, Garber issued a bench warrant for his arrest.

Canton Lieutenant Larry Stewart said his department obtained reliable information that led them to believe Matney had fled the state, and within a week filed extradition papers.

Matney was arraigned Friday before 28th District Court Judge Donald Neitzel a little over four hours after his capture. He stood quietly with his head down as Neitzel revoked his original \$1,000 bond, and set a new cash bond of \$5,000.

A date of Feb. 21 was set for his preliminary examination. There's no doubt he will appear this time because he couldn't post the \$5,000 bail, and is being held downtown in the Wayne County Jail.

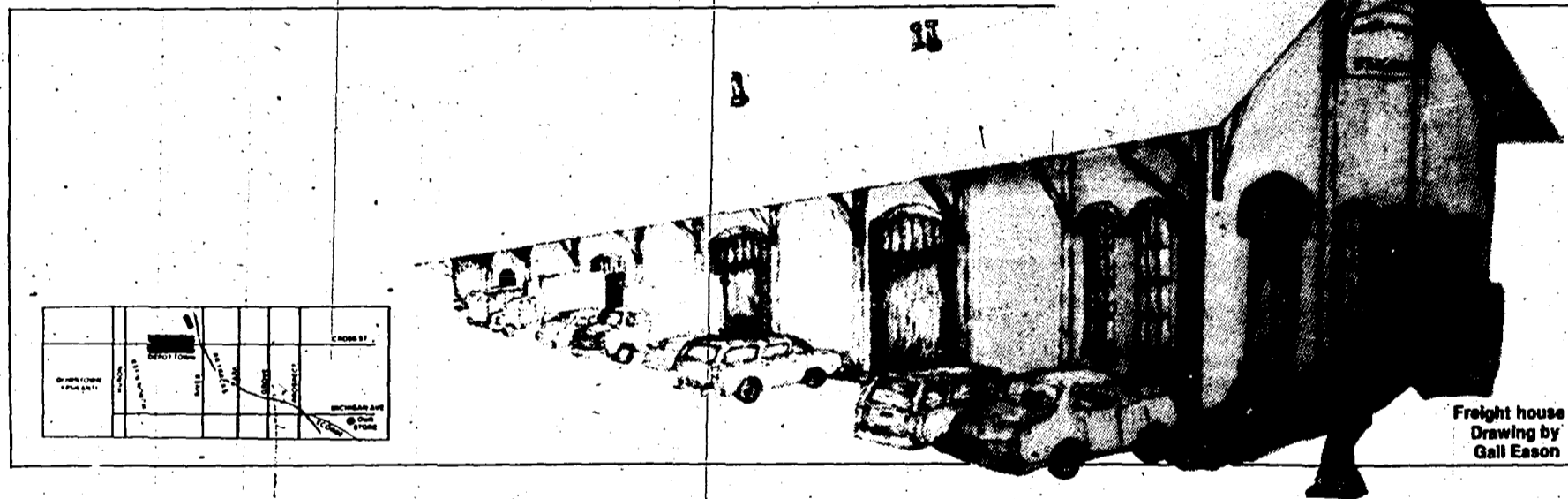
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Fireplace ashes start Plymouth Twp. house blaze

BY RACHAEL DOLSON

A Plymouth Township house fire Sunday afternoon was apparently started by bag of fireplace ashes placed in the attached garage earlier that day.

Two township firefighters sustained minor injuries battling the blaze. Both were treated and released at Oakland Canton Center.

Fire chief Larry Groth said the owner of the house at 46730 N. Territorial had moved hot ashes to the garage about one-half an hour before the 12:26 alarm.

All of the family members escaped unharmed, Groth said. The chief estimated the fire damage to be \$98,000. "That includes \$80,000 in home damage, \$10,000 in contents and \$8,000 for an automobile parked in the garage which went up in the blaze," Groth said.

Two pumper trucks, and rescue unit and 24 fire personnel responded to the alarm. Groth said it took about a half an hour to get the blaze "knocked down" and another 2 hours for clean-up and containment.

"The fire got into the wall on the first floor and went up into the walls of the bedrooms on the second floor and then into the attic," Groth said.

One fireman sustained a knee wound from a glass puncture, Groth said, and a second firefighter was injured when a plaster ceiling fell on his head.



PLYMOUTH TOWNSHIP firemen battle a house fire which almost completely destroyed the residence and injured two firemen. (Crier photo by W. Edward Wendover).

LeBlanc to appeal city building decision

Old Village Inn owner Eugene LeBlanc will go before the Plymouth city building board of appeals Friday 3 p.m. to argue that less than half of his structure was destroyed by fire in January.

LeBlanc is appealing city engineer Kenneth West's determination that more than half of the replacement value of his structure was damaged in last month's blaze. If more than one-half of the residential hotel was destroyed, then LeBlanc will have to bring the entire

building up to BOCA code before an occupancy permit will be issued.

LeBlanc and his attorney, George Garis, argue that only about 40 per cent of the structure was destroyed. They contend that LeBlanc should be allowed to renovate the portion of the building damaged by fire and then open the Inn without making improvements in the remainder of the structure.

"In support of his appeal," Garis said in a letter to the board, "Mr. LeBlanc will rely on the reports of Pioneer Claim Service and the engineering report."

West reviewed both reports, plus his own initial determination, before sending LeBlanc a Feb. 8 letter with his final decision.

"Based on my professional knowledge and experience as a registered professional engineer and building official of the city of Plymouth," West's letter said, "I find that the damage value of reconstruction and-or restoration is in excess of 50 per cent of the structure replacement value, exclusive of foundations."

"This means that the entire structure must comply with the BOCA code," West said in his letter.

West disagreed with figures presented in LeBlanc's 2 reports. A report from Carne architectural firm, West said, overestimated the replacement value of the structure. The Pioneer report underestimated the damage in some areas that were damaged by fire, West said.

The city declared the building an unsafe structure after the Jan. 5 fire. No one is allowed to occupy the building and visitors must sign a form at city hall before entering.

Gun fired on Absopure Corp.

Seven or eight rounds of ammunition were fired in the rear of the Absopure Corp, 9135 General Court, on Saturday night, police said.

Three people were in the building at the time of-of shooting, but no one was hurt, police said. Plymouth police said they had no suspects as of Monday.

Lights and fixtures at the back of the building were shot out and 2 bullets pierced the window and went through several walls, according to the report.

An area of drywall with a bullet hole was retained by police for evidence. The size of the hole indicated the weapon was probably a .22 caliber rifle, the police report said.

The angle of fire was a southwesterly direction, "indicating the southeastern most structure (of Plymouth Manor Apartments) as being a possible point of fire," the officer's report said.

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Because of bus capacities, the tour will be limited to 150 persons on a first come, first serve basis by advance registration. (Use the coupon provided).

The tour will take in everything from governmental offices and facilities to the St. John's Seminary. It will include famous to infamous places. Community leaders will be conducting the tour.

Each governmental unit and the Chambers of Commerce have been invited to prepare information to be given each tour participant, in addition to the completely updated 1983 GUIDE TO THE PLYMOUTH-CANTON COMMUNITY.

Children of school age are welcome on the tour if accompanied by an adult. The tour is free of charge.

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Canton MD poster child dies

BY CHERYL EBERWEIN

"He was an inspiration to all of us. He gave so much more than he ever received."

The words, spoken by Suzanne McBride, principal at McGrath School, describe how many people feel about Christopher Todd Yotti.

Christopher died Sunday after a 10 year struggle with Muscular Dystrophy. He died at approximately 9 p.m. in his home.

The Canton child was a student in McGrath's special education program. Although he was only 10 years old, he had been mainstreamed into the sixth grade. "He was at least three or four grades ahead of the sixth grade, though" McBride said.

He was well loved by both teachers and students at McGrath, McBride recalled.

"He had a great sense of humor, an unbelievable amount of patience and never complained - not even once," McBride recalled.

Christopher and his brother Matthew, nine, were chosen as the regional Muscular Dystrophy Association poster children in 1977 and 1978.

Christopher is survived by his parents Rick and Cindy Yotti; his brother Matthew; and his grandparents Lawrence and Marion Yotti and Dr. and Mrs. Roland Keeling.

Funeral services will be held at



CHRISTOPHER TODD YOTTI

Schrader Funeral Home and Newburgh United Methodist Church. Burial will be at Glen Eden Cemetery.

Christopher's eyes were donated to the eye bank. Other memorial contributions may be made to the Muscular Dystrophy Association or the Newburgh United Methodist Church.

Sesqui group meets

Canton Sesquicentennial Committee will meet on Monday, Feb. 21 at 7:30 p.m. in the Canton library. The meeting will be used to plan the celebration and make committee assignments.



A KEROSENE HEATER was responsible for this Canton Township house blaze. Canton firemen responded to the fire, which broke out on Feb. 10, 2 minutes after receiving the initial alarm phone call. The fire started in the garage and spread quickly to the rest of the house through a crawl space area in the attic. One resident was treated at Canton Oakwood Center for second and third-degree burns. (Crier photo by Cheryl Eberwein)



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More employes won't solve excess overtime

BY CHERYLEBERWEIN
Overtime. How much is too much?

This question became the topic of considerable debate last week as city and township officials explained, defended, or denounced the amounts of overtime being paid to their employes.

In The Crier's article on the top 30 wage earners in Plymouth, Plymouth Township and Canton Township last week, it was revealed that overtime pushes the total earnings of many employes up by thousands of dollars.

But for all of the overtime which is paid out to employes in The Plymouth-Canton Community, some city and township officials do not feel that hiring more employes would necessarily lighten this overtime burden.

Henry Graper, Plymouth City manager explained that a large amount of the overtime which Plymouth pays its police force is a result of their ten hour days.

"They work four ten hour days instead of five eight hour days," Graper said. "This schedule makes it more difficult to cover overtime."

Graper said that at least eight new people would have to be hired in order to prevent excessive overtime in each shift. "Obviously, it is more economical to pay overtime rather than pay eight new workers and flood the shifts," Graper said.

"We've studied this problem three or four times. Our big problem is living in Wayne County," Graper noted. "There is no reason why police out here should receive the same wages as Detroit employes. Police work out here just isn't the same. We're more a part of Wayne County now, with I-275, but we still don't have the problems."

Plymouth Township Supervisor Maurice Breen said that hiring additional employes to solve overtime "has never worked out historically."

"One of the first problems is that a quarter of the overtime paid out isn't actual overtime," Breen said. "Overtime is a misnomer for what is really call back

time in many cases with the fire department."

Breen said that as a provision of the Plymouth Township firefighters' contract, extra help must be called in whenever there is a fire for a minimum of two hours. "This overtime is related to minimum manning and has nothing to do with hiring more people," Breen said.

Breen also mentioned that the Plymouth Police Department's 10 hour shifts create overtime. "Theoretically, we do pay more for overtime. But the build up of sick time, compensatin, and vacation will eventually force us to pay overtime on new employes, too. It's just a quirk in the contract," he said.

Mel Paulun, fire chief for Canton Township, said that the overtime situation with his department, "may not be alleviated by hiring more employes."

Paulun said that the minimum manning clause was necessary to keep the township from shorting itself of firemen on duty. "A lot of that overtime which showed up was vacation pay anyway," Paulun noted. "The longer you work, the more vacation pay you can make. Vacation pay really pushes up some of those salaries."

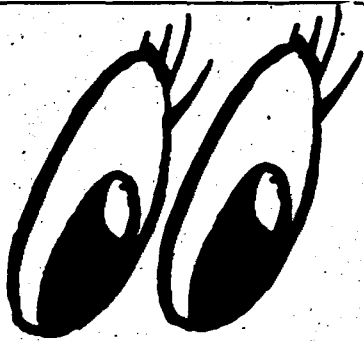
Canton Township Personnel Director Dan Durack feels that hiring two or three extra employes in the fire and police departments "would cut down on

the overtime we pay out.

"But, Durack added, you have to balance the cost of salaries and fringe benefits for those people against the amount of overtime we pay."

Durack said the minimum manning clause which the Canton Fire Department has in its contract "almost always forces overtime with sick days and vacation payment. I assume a similar situation exists in the police department too," he added.

Although Durack thought extra employes would cut down on overtime costs, it would represent an overall increase in costs to the departments, he said.



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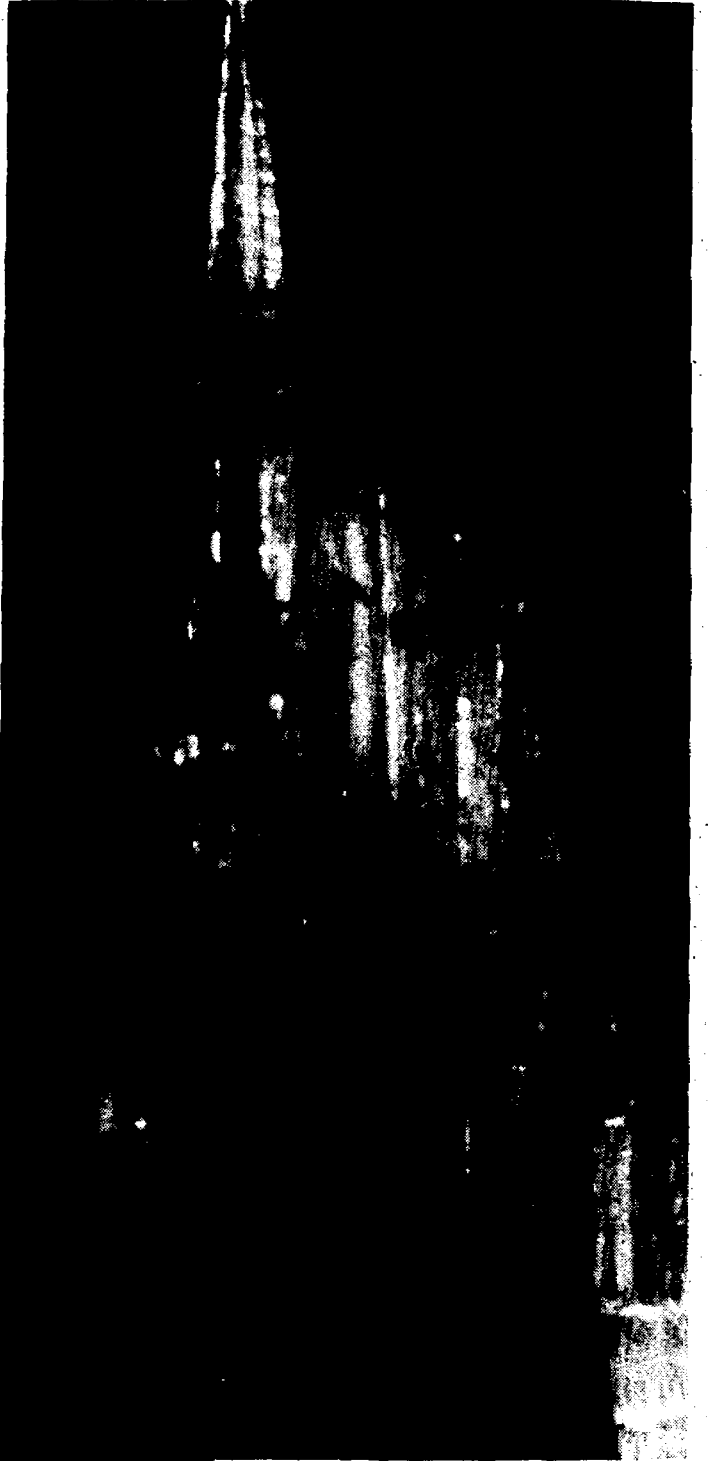
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The fireman was driving south on Napier from Powell on Wednesday, Feb. 9, police said, and stopped when he observed what he thought was a grass fire.

Finding a car in flames, the man called the Plymouth Township fire department who reported to the scene and extinguished the blaze.

The wife of the car's owner had driven the car to work that morning at Meijer Ford and Canton Center, police said. Apparently, the car had been stolen from that location.

Wall charred

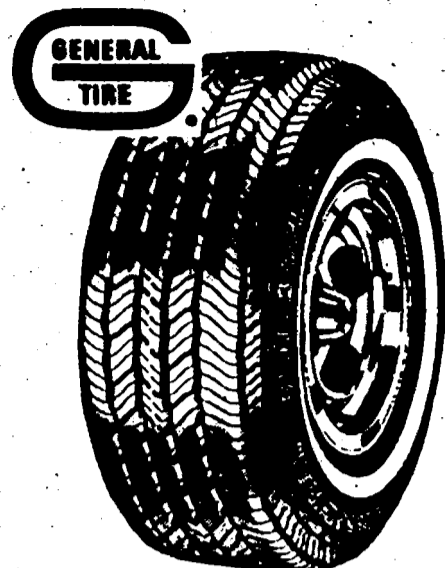
A small fire charred an exterior wall of The Salt Box, Inc. Country Merchants in Plymouth, early Thursday, Feb. 10.

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with Mark Constantine

"If it has feathers, web feet and quacks, it's a duck and, as far as I'm concerned, the schools can call collecting school taxes in the summer anything they want, but they can't deny it's a tax increase."

Those are the words of Canton Trustee Steve Larson, the man who led the fight to have Canton not collect school taxes in the summer for the various school districts within the township.

And he is adamant about his position on the issue. He admitted he knows what being able to collect the taxes early will mean to the schools and, if the question hadn't been so quickly force-fed to the taxpayers of Canton, he might have even supported it.

"If the various school districts have problems with either Wayne County or themselves when it comes to collecting the taxes," Larson insisted over lunch Thursday at the Ford Motor Company's World Headquarters in Dearborn, "I might even vote in favor of having us collect them next year."

"That's because I won't be able to say the taxpayers will not have had an opportunity to know all about summer tax collections and do something about them they don't like it."

Although Larson wouldn't come right out and say he felt the media didn't do its part in disseminating the information on the planned summer collection of school taxes, he gave the impression he felt somebody didn't do his or her job and the taxpayers of Canton suffered as a result.

Also, he couldn't believe it when he heard how the Plymouth-Canton Board of Education almost without batting an eye passed the resolution allowing the district to collect its money the first of July. As far as he sees it, it's a tax increase pure and simple, and that task doesn't belong to the board.

And he's right when you take into consideration the interest homeowners in Plymouth and Canton will not be able to pocket because they can't keep the cash intended to pay their taxes in the bank an extra six months.

I'll admit I agree with Larson in principle, but there comes a time when you have to bend your principles for the good of all concerned. And, in this case, I feel it's the good of the youth of our community we're talking about.

The driving force behind the schools trying to snap up their cash six months early is the specter of continued massive cuts from the state. Districts across Michigan are scratching and clawing trying to find some way to balance their budgets.

In the Plymouth-Canton Schools, for example, the move is likely to save the ailing local educators upwards of half a million bucks. That's not small change when you take into consideration they are contemplating chopping \$450,000 out of their 1983-84 budget in the form of elementary art music and physical education classes.

Larson noted, however, the schools should have held a special election so the voters could have added their input. After all, it's money coming out of the budgets of Canton homeowners who might have earmarked the money for say, shelter or food, but now won't have it to spend because of the unilateral action of the schools, he concluded.

But, when you're talking about kids and their education, I think we all can bite the bullet a little. Let's face it, the youth of this country are the future of this country, and good, quality, full-rounded education should be the number one priority of everyone.



GAWRONSKI 83



From the Inside Looking Out

By Cheryl Eberwein

"Just the facts mam, just the facts."

The lines, from the television series Dragnet, made its star, Jack Webb, a well-known detective. The semi-aloof attitude which Webb took in questioning his victims about the tragedies may have been accepted on television, but it wasn't very realistic.

In the past few months I've covered all sorts of happenings around The Plymouth-Canton Community. Some of the assignments have been truly pleasurable and have provided me with an opportunity to get to know people throughout the area.

Others have not been much fun at all. Accidents, deaths, fires and disputes must be covered weekly, but they're never easy to see or write about.

In the past few weeks I've been asked by several anguished residents if I don't have any human feelings. How can I so coldly approach another's misfortune, gather the facts and leave never to think about the situation again?

In the latest incident, a fire, one unhappy resident threw snowballs at me to try and prevent me from taking pic-

tures.

It may be pointless to say, yes, I have human feelings and the stories I cover affect me. No one is totally immune to tragedy.

Beyond the human element in any news coverage are the facts. Newspapers are designed to inform and show people the world in which they live. The world isn't always a peaceful, pretty place. Newspapers can't always cover the fun and pretty facts.

It would be a disservice to this community to provide only good or bad news to our readers as we see fit. We seek to illustrate the balance which exists in our community and which exists in any community, instead.

Objectivity will always be a part of this balance while we're on the scene anywhere. The joy and grief we share as residents of The Plymouth-Canton Community cannot enter our news stories or interfere with our work.

But we feel grief and we feel joy. More importantly, we feel responsible, and as long as we do, I'll keep ducking from snow balls at the risk of being hit.

Summer tax collections are necessary evils

The collection of summer school taxes will become reality in July, with or without the blessings of the local municipalities.

The Plymouth-Canton Board of Education made sure of that when it recently passed unanimously a resolution calling for the collecting of school taxes in the summer.

However, it would be nice if the various units of government could come to terms with the district as far as the physical collection of the monies.

Canton has already passed a resolution refusing to collect the tax money, while Salem Township has made it plain they'd like to postpone trying to take in the cash for another year.

The City of Plymouth and Plymouth Township, meanwhile, are in the midst of negotiations with the schools as to how much they'll charge the district for collecting the money.

And that's the way it should be. There's no reason the local governmental bodies shouldn't collect the taxes. After all, it's not like it'll cost them anything.

It will, however, save the district upwards of \$500,000, according to the schools, and, with the tough economic times facing Plymouth-Canton educators, that's what's important.

THE COMMUNITY CRIER

Do men running schools know what it's like?

EDITOR:

On completion of my last semester at Plymouth Salem I would like the community to have a real students view.

My grades at the end of the last marking period were three C-pluses and one B-plus, not relatively bad and, if you talk to my teachers, they will probably tell you that I wasn't a problem in class at all.

If you talk to Mr. Ostroin, Mr. Buikema or any of the security personnel, especially Rick O'Toole, they will say something totally opposite.

The reason my teachers and I had no problems working together I feel is that these people had no need to think that they were more mature than us or, in a sense, more powerful than us.

While on the other hand, the real

leaders of the school, area coordinators, principals, and security personnel feel that they have to be tough guys and come down on everyone in their sights.


In order for the students to learn, they need more people, such as teachers who want to teach, and not control like the people we have controlling the students now.

The masses are at the school and, if they want change, they can get it and no one can stop them. Do these men who run the school really know what it is like to be a teenager growing up?

We don't want these people telling us everything about the "real world." We want to have a choice and learn not be under a dictatorship.

MARTIN JOHNSON

PUBLIC FORUM



Have something you want to say? Put it on paper (please try to hold your letter to 300 words or less), and send or deliver it to: "Public Forum," The Community Crier, 1226 S. Main St., Plym. 48170. All letters should include name, address and telephone number of the writer. Withholding the name of the author of a letter or use of a "pen" name is not permitted, except for rare instances in which a letter conceivably could lead to reprisals.

With Malice Toward None

By W. EDWARD WENDOVER



The Gorman Gouge

I happen to like Mike Gorman, Canton's finance director.

And part of that admiration comes from my belief that he's always given the community a lot more than's expected of him.

But the latest development leaves me cold.

The Canton Board, hearing that Mike had been offered the City of Westland finance officer job at considerably more than Canton pays, abruptly gave him a \$6,000 annual raise plus a township car.

That may well be more than the township ought to pay.

Certainly, Mike has been underpaid over the years. And so have a lot of other dedicated Canton, Plymouth, Plymouth Township and Plymouth-Canton Community School District employees.

But that's no reason to pay some \$7,000 in salary and fringes more than the average municipal finance director in the region makes.

Even Mike's saying he'd like to go to Westland is suspect. After all, Westland's

immediate-past finance director was appointed to a city council vacancy but was then vetoed by the mayor. The courts will decide the issue, but who'd want to jump into that political fray for a mere \$10,000 more?

Mike weathered the non-halcyon days of the Bob Greenstein, Harold Stein and Noel Culbert supervisorships in Canton, so why would he want to revert to that kind of backbiting?

For the money, says he.

Well if they're going to pay him so much, why not just make him township manager at the same time and really let him tackle things? Supervisor Jim Poole says they couldn't get away with that because Mike's not that crazy, so why would he do it?

It's simple.

He'd do it for the money.

Come on, Mike. Turn back half your raise -- in a more reputable way than Jim Donahue did -- and then you can look the taxpayers in the eyes.

Crier worth only 5¢

Too many errors!

EDITOR:

Your paper has more errors in it EVERY week than the Plymouth Observer, which is 10 times the size of your paper.

(At least 14 errors in Jan. 26, 12 errors in Jan. (sic) 2 and 15 errors in Jan. (sic) 9.)

I can overlook a couple of typos now and then, but your paper is full of them. And you don't know how to spell. If you're not sure, look it up.

Don't make up words like "drempt" (which appeared in Wendover's column three weeks ago). It sounds like a first grader spelled it out for you.

Do you have blind people doing the typesetting?

Anyone else would be able to catch all the errors you make. You're (sic) paper is only worth 5 cents, not 25 cents.

UNSIGNED

PUBLISHER'S NOTE: You're absolutely right. Even though, by our count, you've obviously missed a number of errors in spelling and grammar in the last three Crier editions, you've got the point.

While we don't generally run unsigned letters, this letter represented a number of constructive complaints received after last week's paper which mentioned firemen arriving at the "seen," a driver who can "slid" behind the wheel and a musical "cord."

And we don't take delight in pointing out three errors in this brief, unsigned letter -- nor do we use this as an excuse for our own manslaughter (versus first degree murder) of the English language.

Let it be sufficient to say that we Crier folks -- and it's not the typesetter, for the news and editorial matter is fed into the computer directly by the reporters and editors -- are equally concerned about a slight problem of late with quality control. There's been no excuse for it.

friends & neighbors

'Calorie Burners' battle the bulge

Tired of exercising in front of your dreary mirror as every bulge wiggles before your very eyes? Wish you had something to do besides sit-ups? Sick of sweating on the family room carpet?

The 'Calorie Burners' may have found the answer to those same-old-exercise blues. The Burners meet for a Trim n Tone n Swim session at the Plymouth Hilton Indoor Poolside weeknight evenings.

The Hilton was chosen by Denny Campbell, general manager of Metro 13 cablestation, and exercise leader Lark Samouelian because of the Hilton's central location in the community as well as its atmosphere. The garden has 3 sides of tropical plants with one wall of glass windows overlooking the winter woods. "It's an aesthetically inspirational atmosphere," Samouelian said.

The Burners workout to Samouelian's personalized trim and tone exercise program which consists of warm-up, seven minute aerobic, trimming and toning exercises, calisthenics and isometric and cool-down. The exercise whiz said the one-hour workout is done to music which is "conductive to motivating ones' spirit and burn calories."

Following the workout, the individual Burners then have the option of using the pool, whirlpool or sauna.

Samouelian said she believes that for an exercise program to be effective one must live it, and to live it one must feel healthy, happy and most of all inspired.

Ken Windsor, general manager of the Hilton, said he is pleased with Metro 13 uses of the Hilton. "The program shows progressive potential for the community as well as the Hilton," he said.

For more information on the Calorie Burners, call Samouelian at 455-2317.



S-T-R-E-T-C-H to the music and exercising can become fun! Marcy Campbell of Plymouth (above) takes a swan-like pose during the class. Gretchen Telek of Plymouth and Mary Kramp of Plymouth relax in the Hilton's whirlpool after a vigorous Trim

and Tone session (below left). Marvin Schulz (of Canton, below right) finds running in place a breeze in the "Calorie Burner" program. (Crier photos by Rick Smith)



LARK Samouelian gets into the swing of the exercises.



tell it to
Phyllis



Fatal accidents tough to explain to kids

How do you explain to your child the reasoning behind someone their age being killed in a car accident? It isn't easy, especially when we as adults don't always understand these things ourselves.

A fatal accident is always a shock. No matter how old a person is, it doesn't seem fair for someone who is healthy to suddenly lose their life.

We all read about accidents from time to time in the newspapers. Even when it involves someone we don't know, we are still interested in finding out how it happened. Weather conditions many times are a big factor, but carelessness and drunk driving are the main causes of accidents.

When it is an older person and someone we don't know, we tend to brush it off with, "at least they had a chance to live a good life." However, we don't feel that way when it does involve someone we know.

When teenagers are killed in an accident, it's hard to accept the fact because they had their whole lives ahead of them.

Why did it have to happen? It's easy to ask questions, but it's a lot harder to find the answers. In digging for the answers we want to pin the blame on someone or something.

How many times have you come close to an accident because you didn't see another car or the street was slipperier than you thought it was? Usually we are lucky and miss the other car or have a minor fender bender.

While talking to my own teenager who is about to turn 16 and will soon be driving, I tried to point out the responsibility a driver must have everytime he or she gets behind the wheel of a car. Hopefully, as she blinked back a tear for someone else, she learned something from the incident.

Albion College recently announced the students named to the dean's list for fall semester. Students from Plymouth included on the list are: Susan Evans, a junior, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Robert Evans of South Evergreen; Sharon Gutherie, a senior, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Gutherie of Joann Lane; William Gutherie, a sophomore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Gutherie of Joann Lane; and Craig Schauder, a senior, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Schauder of Tennyson.

Jacqueline Dyer of Plymouth has been awarded a \$250 scholarship from the Stephenson Foundation for the 1982-83 academic year at Madonna College in Livonia. Dyer is a junior majoring in special education. She has maintained a 4.0 gradepoint average.

Margaret Simons of Leighwood Drive in Plymouth received a Bachelor of Science Degree in Environmental Health from Ferris State College.

Jack Carpenter Jr., son of Barb and Jack Carpenter of Hines in Plymouth received a 4.0 at Kalamazoo College. He is a junior majoring in English.

Jena Poole, daughter of Jim and Greta Poole of South Unberland in Canton made the Dean's List at Michigan State University. She is a junior majoring in communications.

Young professional award

Know a worthy woman?

Have you distinguished yourself in your career and your home? Are you a young woman between the ages of 21 and 30? Have you lived or worked in the Plymouth community?

If the answers to these questions are yes, then the Plymouth Business and Professional Women's Club have launched a search for you.

The Professional Women's Club is now searching for the young career woman of the year. The award, designed

to honor women for outstanding accomplishments in business and the home, will be presented Feb. 21 in the Jacobs Room of the Hillside Inn.

Letters have been sent to various organization and businesses to identify those women eligible in participating in the contest.

For further information about the contest, call Cindy Sloat at 487-8345 or 455-6956.

Teens strut for Fashion Panel

Jennifer Scott and Allan Wade have what it takes.

Have what it takes, that is, to be a model.

Scott and Wade, both of Canton, were among 25 area residents between the ages of 13 and 25 chosen to participate in the 1983 Fairlane Town Center Fashion Panel.

Scott is a ninth grade student at Lowell Jr. High School and Wade is a senior at John Glenn High School.

As members of the Fashion Panel, the pair will gain experience in modeling, dancing, and other performing arts as they become integral parts of a fashion presentation which will be featured at the Center. The Fashion Panel will be active through next November.



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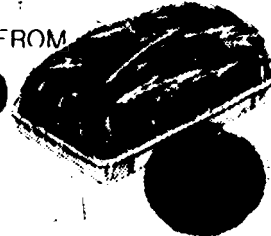
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SPECIAL

Take a teen into your home

Youth For Understanding is searching for families in The Plymouth-Canton Community to host international exchange students.

Local families can add an international dimension to their lives, local representative Henriette McDonald said, by opening their hearts and homes to an exchange student during the coming year.

Youth For Understanding host families are volunteers who provide room and board for the student and offer him or her the same guidance and love they give their own children, she explained.

"During this unique family experience, American host families treat the in-

ternational student as a normal family member, not as a guest or tourist," she said.

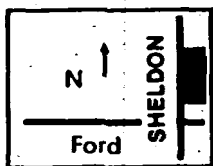
Youth For Understanding is a non-profit organization which cooperates with and receives an annual grant from the United States department of state. Youth will bring more than 3,500 exchange students to the United States from 25 countries in Europe, Latin America, the Far East and Australia.

Each student will attend an American high school and share life with an American family. Families who wish information on how they can participate may call McDonald at 981-2680.

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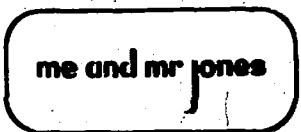


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LADY LIONS CELEBRATE CHARTER ANNIVERSARY

The annual ladies night charter anniversary party for the Plymouth Lions will be held on Thursday, Feb. 17, in the Miles Standish Room of the Mayflower Hotel. Chicken breast, cheese and cracker, cash bar and entertainment by the Sweet Adelines will be featured.

ROEPER SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE

Roepers City and Country School in Bloomfield Hills will hold an open house for prospective students and their families at 9 p.m. on Wednesday, Feb. 16. Interested area parents can visit the lower school, middle school or upper school.

TWO BLOOD PRESSURE CLINICS

Free blood pressure testing is offered the first Tuesday of the month from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Cultural Center and also the first Monday of each month at Tonquish Creek Manor, 1160 Sheridan from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Call 455-6620 or 455-3670.

4-H LEADERMETE DELEGATES

Any Wayne County 4-H adult or teen volunteer leader may attend the annual Leadermete, Saturday and Sunday, March 5 and 6, at Michigan State University. Reservations are due by Feb. 17. Call 921-8800.

MOTHERS OF TWINS

Western Wayne County Mothers of Twins club will meet on Monday, February 21, at 8 p.m. at Holy Cross Evangelical Church 30650 Six Mile Road, Livonia. Call 533-0644.

PLYMOUTH YOUTH SYMPHONY PANCAKE SUPPER

Plymouth Youth Symphony will hold a pancake supper Monday, Feb. 21 at McDonald's Restaurant, Five Mile and Haggerty from 5 to 7 p.m. Tickets are \$1.50 for pancakes and sausage (all you can eat of pancakes).

ORAL MAJORITY TOASTS AT DENNY'S

The Oral Majority Toastmasters meet every Tuesday at 5:30 p.m. at Denny's Restaurant, 39550 Ann Arbor Road in Plymouth. Toastmasters provides a program of communication and leadership development. For more information, call Pat Gresock, 455-8148.

FREE WALLPAPER DEMO AND COFFEE

Pease Paint and Wallpaper, 570 South Main, will offer a free wallpapering demonstration on Thursday, Feb. 24, at 9:30 a.m. Complimentary coffee and cookies will be served. Call 453-5100 to register.

TAX COUNSELING FOR THE ELDERLY

The Plymouth-Northville AARP tax counselors for the elderly will be at the Plymouth Cultural Center on Wednesday, Feb. 23 from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and at the Plymouth Library on Thursday, Feb. 24 from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. The tax counseling is free to senior citizens.

LIONS LADIES ANNUAL MEETING

Annual Ladies night charter party will be at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, Feb. 17 in the Miles Standish Room with the Sweet Adelines as entertainment.

FREE FCC RADIO INSTRUCTION OFFERED

The Garden City amateur radio club is offering free instruction to prepare students for the FCC novice or general grade license exam. Classes are in the evening and begin the first week of March. Register now by calling 425-0162.

COMPUTERS FOR MOM

A two-day workshop designed for mothers who want to become familiar with computer technology their children are learning at school has been scheduled for Tuesday and Thursday, Feb. 22 and 24 at Madonna College. To register call 591-5049.

JOYNER FUND RAISER

The Friends of Joyner have announced a fund raising cocktail party for Thursday, Feb. 24 from 6 to 8 p.m. at the Plymouth Hilton Inn. Ten dollar admission tickets will go to pay off the \$10,000 debt left over from Bill Joyner's campaign debt.

STAN KENTON ANNIVERSARY CONCERT

Kenton fans will gather on Saturday, Feb. 19 at 8 p.m. in Clarencerville's Schmidt Auditorium, 20155 Middlebelt, Livonia, to listen to a concert of all Kenton music played by the Brookside Jazz Ensemble. Call 591-6400 for reservations.

4-H PANCAKE SUPPER

The Canton 4-H group the "Gallop Comedians" will have a pancake supper fund raiser on Thursday March 3, from 5 to 7 p.m. at McDonald's Restaurant, 11900 Ford Road near Sheldon. For a \$2 donation a beverage, one sausage and pancakes are served. Pancakes and a beverage cost \$1.50.

MILLER KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

Any child who will be 5 years old on or before Dec. 1 is eligible to attend the 1983-84 kindergarten. Registration for Miller Elementary school, 13721 Hanford Road, Canton, will be on Tuesday, March 8 from 9 to 11 a.m. and 1 to 3 p.m. Please bring a birth certificate or baptismal record.

AMATEUR SOFTBALL WORKSHOP AND EXHIBIT

Canton parks and recreation department is sponsoring the annual metro-Detroit amateur softball association workshop and exhibit on Wednesday, Feb. 23, from 3:30 to 9 p.m. at Southfield Civic Center, 26000 Evergreen Road. For more info call 397-1000.

SILVER RUSH VS. NORTHVILLE FACULTY

Northville Athletic Booster Club will stage a fundraising basketball game pitting the Northville high school faculty against the Detroit Lions on Saturday, Feb. 26 at 8 p.m. in the high school gym.

MULTIPLE-BIRTH MOTHERS MEET

Plymouth-Canton Mothers-of-Twins club will meet for dinner at Jim Mather's "Mr. Steak" on Thursday, Feb. 17 at 6:30 p.m. Club is open to all mothers of multiple births.

NEWCOMERS OFF TO THE RACES

Plymouth newcomers and their friends plan an evening at Northville Downs on Friday, Feb. 25. Reservations by Feb. 18 at 159-2829.

REFRESHER LAMAZE CLASSES FOR EXPERIENCED

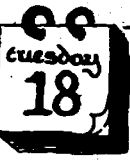
A two-week mini-series for the couple who have taken Lamaze classes within the last 2 and one half years is offered at Tanger Elementary School, 10260 Five Mile, Plymouth. Register now at 827-8750 for the March session.

TOASTMASTERS TEACH EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION

Toastmaster International, the Oral Majority Club, will meet at Denny's Restaurant, 39550 Ann Arbor, at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Feb. 22.

FREE STEREO AND SPEAKER SEMINAR

A mini-series consumer info seminar on stereo systems and speakers will be held at Radio Shack in Canton on Sunday, Feb. 20 from 12:15 to 1:30 p.m.



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STRESS OR HEALTH CARE SESSIONS

The American Association of University Women in Plymouth will offer a choice of two "fireside" sessions on Thursday, Feb. 17 on 7:30. Diane Ciampa will offer managing personal and professional stress at the Carol Walkman home, 159-6974. Dr. Rhoda Powsner will offer "To Your Health" at the home of a Coralya Riley, 127-8560.

LEARN THE PROPERTY TAX APPEAL PROCESS

All Wayne County residents are welcome at the community meeting sponsored by the Wayne County Taxpayers Association on Friday, Feb. 18 at 7 p.m. at the Canfield Recreation Center, 1801 North Beech Daly, Dearborn Heights. Learn how to appeal high assessments to your local board of review.

NEW MORNING SCHOOL CLASSES

Preschool computer classes for children between the ages of 3 and 6 years of age will be offered by New Morning School, 14501 Haggerty, Plymouth, on Fridays from 9 to 11:30 a.m. Classes will begin this week. Call 120-3331.

JAYCETTES IN NEED OF RECRUITS

The Plymouth Jaycettes are in need of young women members between the ages of 18 and 35 to assist in conducting various community service programs. Call Cindy Ellison at 159-4659.

FALLING IN LOVE

Falling in Love, a fashion scenario, will be held on Friday, March 11, at 7:30 p.m. in the Salem Auditorium, 16181 Joy Road, Canton. Live entertainment, a fashion show and a raffle will be featured. Tickets are \$5 and proceeds will go to the Multiple Sclerosis Society.

DAR GOOD CITIZENS LUNCHEON

The daughters of the American Revolution will hold its annual Good Citizens luncheon at the Plymouth Historical Museum at noon on Monday, Feb. 21. Good citizen winners chosen from senior classes of area schools, and their mothers, will be guests at the lunch.

CREATION SCIENCE PANEL

The Creation Science Association of Detroit will hold a question and answer panel on Friday, Feb. 18 at 7:30 p.m. in the teacher's lounge of Whitmore Bolles Elementary School in Dearborn. The public is invited. Call 616-1216.

JOIN A MEN'S RACQUETBALL LEAGUE

A 13-week men's racquetball league will begin Wednesday, March 9 under the direction of the Canton parks and recreation department. The league will be divided into division based on ability and will play at 8 p.m. at Rose Shores of Canton on Ford Road. Call 397-1000 to register.

RETIRED PERSONS CHAPTER MEETS

The Northville-Plymouth chapter of the American Association of Retired Persons will meet at 10:30 a.m. at the Plymouth Cultural Center a brown bag lunch will follow. Guest speaker will discuss Livingston Home Health Care, a program designed to provide home professional health care. Call 153-7731.

BUSINESS WOMEN'S CLUB AT HILLSIDE

The Plymouth Business and Professional Women's Club will hold its monthly meeting on Monday, Feb. 21 at 6:30 p.m. at the Jacobs Room of the Hillside Inn. Topic of the meeting will be the selection of the Young Career Women of the Year. Call 153-5045.

PLYMOUTH FOLK DANCE GROUP

The Plymouth Folk Dance group will meet Friday, Feb. 25 at Bird School from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. For information call 153-2400.

TAX AND FINANCE FOR WIDOWED PERSONS

Wiser, an organization for all widowed people, will have its monthly meeting on Thursday, Feb. 17 at 8 p.m. at St. David Episcopal Church, 27500 Marquette, Garden City. Guest speaker will be C.P.A. Joe O'Brien on tax and financial matters pertaining to widowed persons.

TOWN HALL SERIES CONTINUES WITH CHINA

Jack Reynolds, NBC's man of the Orient, will speak on "China, a Class by Itself" as the Plymouth Town Hall series continued at Penn Theatre on Wednesday, March 2 at 10:30 a.m. sponsored by the Plymouth Community Family Y. Luncheon at Mayflower Meeting House immediately following. Call 153-2901.

DIVORCED AND SEPERATED CHRISTIANS

Bethany, a gathering of divorced or separated Christians, invites you to join us at our Feb. 18 meeting at St. Kenneth Parish, 14591 Haggerty Road, Plymouth. Guest speaker on tax benefits for the single person. Call 318-6983 or 397-3733.

PARENTS WITHOUT PARTNERS

Pub and bowling on Friday, Feb. 18, at 8:30 p.m. at the Plymouth Bowl and later at Denny's on Ann Arbor Road. Sunday, Feb. 20 is a family event, meet at K-Mart parking lot at 1 p.m. and car pool to Friendly Ice Cream Parlor.

CHILDBIRTH PREPARATION CLASSES

Childbirth and Family Resources is offering an eight week course for expectant parents beginning Tuesday, Feb. 22. In addition to Lamaze techniques, the class includes options in childbirth, the birth process, and Cesarean delivery. The class is limited to seven couples and is held in Plymouth. For more information, call Diane Kimball at 459-2360.

WHALE-OF-A-SALE DONATIONS NEEDED

The Plymouth Symphony League needs your usable donations for their third annual Whale-of-a-sale, March 25. No article is too large or too small. Please call Lynn at 455-0137 for information or pick-up.

ST. THOMAS WOMEN LEARN CRAFTS

Monthly meeting of the Women's Club of St. Thomas a'Becket will be Wednesday, Feb. 16 at 8 p.m. in the church basement. Guests from the Which Craft Shop and Pete's Patches will demonstrate craft ideas.

NURSING ORIENTATION

Madonna College in Livonia will hold an orientation Saturday, Feb. 19, at 10 a.m. in room 287 for registered nurses who are interested in obtaining a bachelor's degree in nursing. Call 591-5155.

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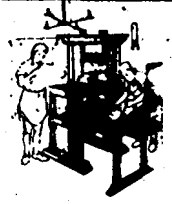
The Western Wayne County Genealogical Society will meet Wednesday, Feb. 16 at 8 p.m. at the Carl Sandburg Library, 30100 Seven Mile, Livonia. Guest speaker Steven Mrozek will discuss World War I genealogy issues.

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL TRYOUTS

Tryouts for the 1983-84 women's basketball team at Madonna College in Livonia will be on Sunday, Feb. 20 for 3 to 6 p.m. in the activities center on the campus. Scholarship funds are still available.

GREASEPAINT CANCELLED

The Plymouth Theatre Guild announced that upcoming play, "Roar of the Greasepaint," has been cancelled due to circumstances beyond the control of the guild.



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To be eligible, students must reside in the Plymouth-Canton School District or be a participating member of the Plymouth Symphony Orchestra.

The Frances Lang Award of \$100 and the Russell Isbister Award of \$100 will be given to two outstanding string students in the Plymouth-Canton school district. Other awards of \$25, \$50, \$75 will be given.

Call Mrs. Ralph R. Bozell at 455-6512 for a specific audition time.

Racing planned

Its "off to the races" for couples of Plymouth Newcomers and their friends as an evening at Northville Downs is being planned for Friday, Feb. 25.

The couples will be at the starting gate at 6:30 p.m. for cocktails, will put on the feed bags at 7 p.m. and will be off and running promptly at 8 p.m. for an evening of racing thrills.

"You can 'bet' the \$24 per couple cost will be well worth your while," organizer Carol McManamy said. "So be a winner, place your reservations by Feb. 18 by calling 459-2897, and show for an evening of fun."

Prom tickets going

Salem and Canton will be jointly holding their Junior Prom Saturday, March 5, at Oakland Community College.

The festivities will get underway at 8 p.m. and will last until midnight. The band "Metro" will help the Centennial Education Park (CEP) students rock the night away.

The theme of the 1983 Junior Prom is "You and I" based on the recent hit song by Eddie Rabbitt and Crystal Gayle.

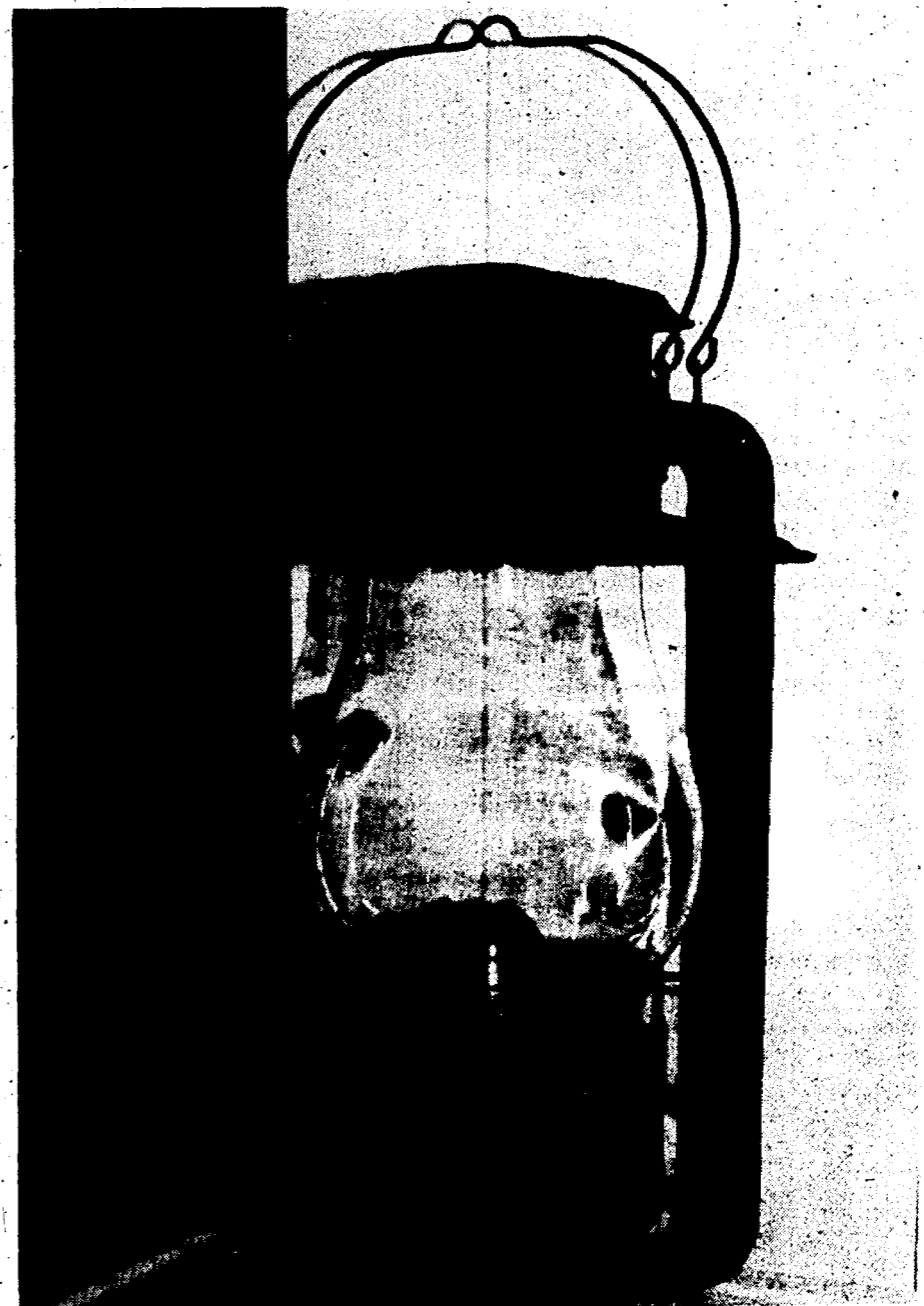
Tickets for the affair are \$15.

Old folk art exhibited here

Interesting pieces of American Folk Art will be on display at the Plymouth Historical Museum.

Among the pieces on exhibit is a tinsmith's pierced tin lantern trade sign (which identified the store for those who could not read), a cobalt-blue brush-decorated Ovoid jug from the 1840s, a wooden barber pole from 1875, spatulas from the 1700s, Treenware, quilts, tol-painted tinware, wooden butter molds, wooden cookie cutters and paintings.

The Plymouth Historical Museum, 155 South Main Street, is open Thursday, Saturday and Sunday from 1 to 4 p.m. There is an admission charge of \$1 for adults, 50 cents for youth.



Museum displays prize

A LARGE KEROSENE LANTERN (above) once the street lamp at the corner of Ann Arbor Trail and Main Street - was donated to the Plymouth Historical Society last month by Ezra Rotnour. (Below) Currently on display at the Plymouth Historical Museum is the exhibition "Folk Art" featuring old quilts, toys, furniture, cooking utensils, butter molds, tin painting, wood cuts and hook rugs. The exhibit runs through early May. (Crier photos by Rachel Dolson)



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Year of the Boar

THE CHINESE NEW YEAR was celebrated in traditional style at the Pagoda Inn Restaurant on Ann Arbor Road, Sunday. Kevin Yee lights ceremonial candles to start the New Year's celebration. The Year of the Boar. (Crier photo by Rick Smith)

Bataynch clinic opens

A new clinic, specializing in a host of different medical problems, opened its doors to the public in December.

The Sheldon Medical Clinic, located at 9460 Sheldon Road, on the corner of Sheldon and Ann Arbor Road, is staffed by Dr. Mohammed Batayneh.

Aldo Cella Italian eatery readied

BY MARK CONSTANTINE

Tony Matteis has done it all in his 25 years in the restaurant business.

He talks whimsically about how he started out bussing tables. Well, he's still clearing off tables, but now they are his tables and his dishes.

The soft-spoken Matteis owned his own restaurant out in Ann Arbor until recently, and now he'll have one here in Plymouth.

"Aldo Cella" is the name and Westchester Place is the site of what Matteis feels will be a new and distinctive eatery for residents of The Plymouth-Canton Community.

The restaurant will be located in the former Mayflower Lighting digs, and within six weeks the renovations needed to turn the place into a spot where appetites can be whetted are expected to be complete, according to Matteis.

He added the menu will have a distinct Italian flavor to it, but there will be a little of something for everyone.

"We'll have a variety of items," he noted. "Of course, we'll specialize in Italian dishes, but we'll also have steaks and poultry."

"And we'll have a salad bar with 25 items. Anyone who purchases a sandwich will also get a special price on the salad bar. And, free soup will come with lunch and dinner all the time."

When Matteis decided to start looking

for another location for a restaurant after selling his Ann Arbor establishment, he said The Plymouth-Canton Community appealed to him almost immediately.

"I think I have something that will appeal to Plymouth, and I can't wait to start serving food to prove it."

"I started looking in the newspapers and came across this place," he remembered. "I got in contact with Jim (Jabara) and, after looking it over, decided this was the place for me."

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Kurtis recently opened the Plymouth Family Hair Salon at 1180 W. Ann Arbor Road, and he and his staff specialize in reasonably priced contemporary styles.

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Kurtis, a four veteran of the hair styling game, formerly worked at salons in Livonia and Garden City. Also cutting hair at the shop will be Peter Pekar and Maureen Sliwinski.

getting down to business

Lure of sale entices Baron

The Red Baron is back.

John Miller, one of the top car salesmen in the area, is back wheeling and dealing at Lou LaRiche Chevrolet.

The Red Baron left LaRiche last year after many years with the local car dealer to take a job with a computer company. But the lure of the sale was too much and now Miller is back delivering new and used autos.



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Canton P.O. opens

WITH A QUICK SNIP, the long-awaited Canton Post Office is officially opened to the public. The dedication ceremony took place Feb. 11 at 2:30 p.m. in the new building located on Sheldon Road in the Harvard Square Shopping Mall. From left, Jim Poole, Canton supervisor, William Stottlemeyer, Westland postmaster, Congressman William D. Ford, (D. Taylor) State Representative Edward Mahalak, and Gene Cole, Michigan Sectional Center Manager postmaster from Detroit do the honors at the ceremony. The post office will be open for business Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. (Crier photo by Cheryl Eberwein)



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Can mobile home be sold only to childless owner?



Birth at West Trail

TWEET AND SWEET, a pair of finches at West Trail Nursing Home presented residents with a new family member Feb. 7. Mrs. Elva Kohler holds up the new baby bird which was born at approximately 9 a.m. The proud parents have not chosen a name for their son yet. (Crier photo by Rick Smith)

BY CHERYL EBERWEIN
Dianne and Al Tenoff would like to sell their mobile home.

And at least four different families have wanted to purchase that home, according to the Tenoffs.

But the Tenoffs insist they haven't been able to finalize the sale of their modular unit because of discriminatory practices in their trailer park. These practices, they maintain, have caused them unnecessary financial hardship and frustration.

The Tenoffs own a trailer in the Holiday Estates Trailer Park on Geddes Road in Canton. They have lived in the park for three years.

Recently, they decided to sell their home and move to another residence in Canton. According to Dianne Tenoff, that's when their troubles began.

She said that when they put their home up for sale, they were not informed by the Park's owner, Sheldon M. Futernick, the park had adopted a policy regarding where families with children could live in the park.

"We were not told that the Holiday Estates had a policy which designated our lot as being in the adult section," Tenoff said. "We've lost several sales because our interested buyers had children and they were denied sale due to this adult section designation."

The alleged policy in question divides the mobile home park up into designated childless couple and family areas.

David Denn, attorney for Holiday Estates, however, denies that the park has such a policy.

"Anyone in the park who is selling their home is free to sell it to anyone," he said. "We used to have an adult's and children's section, but now we're happy to accept anyone into the park."

"The Tenoffs were told three or four months ago that they could sell their home to anyone even though they are in the adult section of the park," Denn said emphatically. "Usually if there are openings in the family section of the park, families with children are asked to move there. But the Tenoffs know they can sell to whoever they want."

"What the Tenoffs are complaining about is beyond me," he added.

Tenoff said they have closed on the sale of their other home, and are now financially obligated to pay lot and house payments on two different homes.

"We received an eviction notice because we couldn't afford the lot

payment on the mobile home and we're behind in the payments," she noted. "We're facing real financial hardships right now."

Futernick, himself, refused to comment on the situation.

The Tenoffs have filed complaints with the Civil Rights Commission, asking the group to investigate the Park's policy on families with children. The same charge has been leveled against Holiday Estates by two other families as well, according to Warren Bonam, field representative for the Civil Rights Commission.

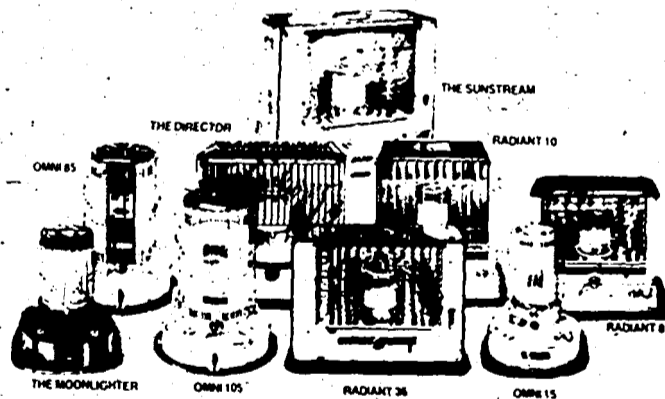
Bonam said an investigation of whether or not the mobile home sale has been

obstructed by this policy is being undertaken. Future action will be taken pending the completion of the investigation.

C.J. Marshall, president of the Mobile Home Association for Holiday Estates said "this is an ongoing battle. The park owners are not credible people," he said. "Although many of our people have had their problems solved in the past year by the management, they're still taking advantage of people."

Marshall said the Park dealt with similar complaints two years ago. At that time, he recalled, the park was closed to families with children under five years old.

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Tax abatement helps Ford expansion means jobs

BY RACHAEL DOLSON

The work force at the Ford Motor Company Plant on Sheldon Road will increase by 300 during the next 2 years, plant manager Gerald Cania told the Plymouth Chamber of Commerce Monday.

The plant, currently operating with about half of the 1,400 workers it once had, will be redesigned to make Ford's new vacuum braided aluminum radiators, Cania said at the chamber luncheon.

The 700 employees at the Sheldon Road plant have 13 years seniority or more, he said. "With the expansion, we hope to gradually add people until we are at around 1,000 employed," he said.

The plant currently manufactures heaters and air conditioning equipment. Cania said the assembly division is operating on one shift and the molding division is running two shifts. The new radiators would be manufactured three shifts per day, he said.

Ford plans to invest about \$38 million on the facility before the manufacturing of the new radiators will be possible. Plymouth Township has granted the companies request for a property tax abatement on improvements.

Ford's director of governmental affairs Horace Sheldon said expansion at the Sheldon Road plant was indicative of the type of cooperation needed to bring back Michigan's economy.

The tax abatement approved by Plymouth Township is a very local

example of the understanding it takes to get things moving," Sheldon said. "What's happening at the Sheldon Road plant is part of a nationwide and worldwide effort. It's (the company's) going to be an awful lot different in the future."

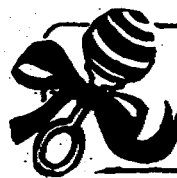
If Ford is able to sell the new radiators to other companies - such as Honda or Nissan - Cania said the company will be able to recall more workers over the next few years. "We will have the capacity to manufacture more of the new radiators than just Ford can handle. We think we have a quality product for anyone that will buy it," Cania said.

Plymouth Township granted Ford's tax abatement request this summer. The company will be exempt from 50 per cent of the taxes on the expansion for 12 years.

During the luncheon's question and answer session, Cania said the workers at the Sheldon Road plant are participating in Ford's employee involvement project.

"We started last year and are now in phase two. We are not real comfortable with it yet, but are confident," he said. "We have a good work force. We want to not just pay people for the work of their hands and bodies but use their minds also."

Monday's luncheon was part of the chamber's industrial symposium events. Ninety-five business representatives attended the lunch which also featured speakers Hazen Wilson, of Michigan Bell Telephone, and state representative for the 36th district, Gerry Law.



community births

Hi Melanie

Plymouth Township residents James and MaryAnn Dunn are the parents of a new daughter, Melanie Barbara, born Jan. 8. Melanie weighed 7 pounds, 2 ounces, at her birth in St. Joseph's Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor.

Melanie's grandparents are Mrs. Michaeline Pierzchala of Dearborn Heights, and Mrs. Marjorie Dunn of New York. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dunn of New York.

Melanie has a 21-month old sister, Alysia Lindsey. The parents are the owners of Scissors Hair Design in Livonia.

Welcome Andy

Andrew Joseph Mytych was born Jan. 25 at Providence Hospital to Ed and Mary Beth Mytych, Penniman Avenue, Plymouth. Andy weighed nine pounds, two and a half ounces.

Andy's grandparents are Mrs. Jean Mytych of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Niemiec of Livonia.

Joseph born

Michael and Barbara Vaillancourt are the parents of a new son, Joseph Michael, born Jan. 1 at St. Joseph's Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor.

Joseph Michael's weight at birth was 8 pounds, 4 ounces. Grandparents of the baby are Bob and Bernice Vaillancourt of Livonia and Chuck and Mae Custer of Alma.

Vaillancourts will at 42523 Beechwood in Canton. Joseph has a 12-year-old brother, Chaz, and two-year-old sister, Kristen.

Andy born

Andrew John, a 7-pound-14-ounce boy, was born to Canton residents Gerald and Karen Neigh on Jan. 27 at Providence Hospital.

Grandparents are Vernon and Dorothy Neigh of Saginaw and Marion Devoe of Montrose. Neigh's also have a daughter, Melissa.

Emily born

A daughter, Emily Ann, was born to Anthony and Melissa Brewington, of 478 Arthur, Plymouth, on Thursday, January 20. Born at St. Joseph's Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor, Emily weighed 7 pounds, 3 ounces, and was 20 1/2 inches long.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William Mooneyham of Livonia, Mrs. Lillian Ledbetter of Detroit, and Grover Brewington of Sterling Heights.

Welcome Scott

A son, Scott Thomas, was born to Thomas and Mary Mangan on January 10 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor.

Scott weighed 9 pounds, 7 ounces, at birth. Mangan's live at 3455 Riverbend in Ann Arbor. Grandparents of the baby are Ken and Jeneé Chard and Tom and Audrey Mangan.

Claire born

Mary Claire Brown ("Claire") was born Jan. 27 at Beyer Hospital to Phil and Sheridan Brown, Morrison Street, Plymouth.

Claire's grandparents are the Rev and Mrs. Bruce Brown of Highland Park, and the late Mr. and Mrs. Norm Summers of Grosse Pointe.

Denski boy

Livonia residents Louie and Gail Denski are the parents of a son, Ryan Louis, born Jan. 20 weighing 8 pounds.

Grandparents of the boy are Jim and Mary Hayes of Plymouth and Paul and Barb Denski of Canton. Great grandparents are Eva Roeder and Louis Kanka.

Jaret arrives

Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Neal announce the arrival of their new son, Jaret Neal, born Feb. 2 at the University of Michigan Hospital in Ann Arbor.

He arrived weighing 7 pounds and 11 ounces.

Grandparents are Martin and Joan Tingstead of Westland and Malcom and Dorothy Duncan of Livonia. Great-grandparents are Herbert and Mae Numbers of South Lyon and Anders and Florence Tingstead of Florida.

A Korody kid

Plymouth residents Mary Brueck and Mark Korody announce the birth of their son, Nicholas Fitzpatrick Korody, on Jan. 10 at St. Mary's Hospital in Livonia.

Nicholas weighed 7 pounds and 9 ounces and was 20 inches long at birth. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Brueck of Northville and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Korody of Northville.

Nicholas has a 18-month-old sister, Amanda.

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Swystun

Mars F. Swystun, 68, of Plymouth, died Wednesday, Feb. 9. Visitation was held on Friday, Feb. 11 at the Schrader Funeral Home.

He is survived by his wife, Catherine; daughter, Carole Wyatt of Westland; sons Harry of Livonia and Dale of Fenton; five grandchildren; and sister Julie Szczomak of Davisburg.

Mr. Swystun moved to Plymouth in 1958. He retired from Ford Motor Company in 1980 after 25 years as a quality control inspector. Swystun was active in Plymouth area bowling leagues and past recording secretary of U.A.W. Local 36 in Wixom.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Michigan Heart Association.

Evans

Juanita Evans, 90, of Riverview, died on Thursday, Feb. 10. Funeral services were held on Feb. 12 at the Schrader Funeral Home with pastor William M. Stahl officiating. Burial was at Acacia Park Cemetery.

She is survived by her son, William Evans of Riverview, six grandchildren, 19 great-grandchildren, and her sister, Hazel Smith of Arkansas.

Mrs. Evans moved to the Plymouth community in 1975 from Detroit and lived here until 8 months ago. She was a member of the OES No. 115, Plymouth chapter.

Memorial contributions may be given to the First Baptist Church of Plymouth.

community deaths

Leeson

Lawrence B. Leeson, 79, of Willard Street in Canton Township, died on Wednesday, Feb. 9. Funeral services were held on Feb. 12 at the Schrader Funeral Home with Elder Clark of the Clinton Street Bethlehem Temple officiating. Burial was at United Memorial Gardens.

He is survived by his wife, Cecilia; his sisters, Mary Cada of Canada, Jessie Barnard of Canada, and Sally Rechnitzer of Florida; her brothers, Irving of Canada and Hugh of Canada.

Mr. Leeson moved to Canton in 1966 and worked as a carpenter.

Howell

Nina O. Howell, 83, of Detroit, died Sunday, Feb. 6. Funeral services were held at Christ the King Church on Feb. 9 with Father Victor Clore officiating. Burial was at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery in Southfield.

Mrs. Howell is survived by her son John of West Bloomfield, sons Jerome of River Rouge, son Joseph of Plymouth and son Robert of Wayne; brother Keith Crum; sister Maria Testa of Illinois; 18 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

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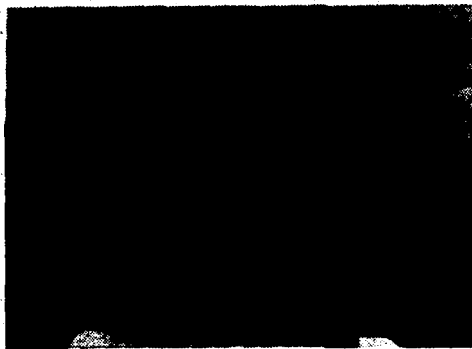


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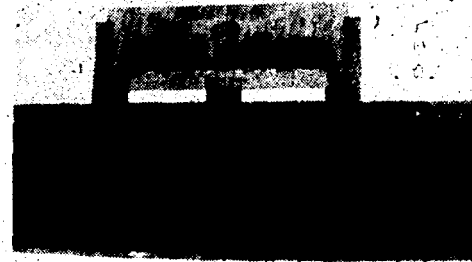
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CANTON'S LARRY JANIGA (left) battles Walled Lake Western's Steve Burnham for the Western-Lakes Activities Association (WLAA) title in the 145-lb. category. Janiga went home with the gold after disposing of Burnham in overtime. (Crier photo by Rick Smith)

Tops

Salem wrestlers take WLAA title; Canton battles its way into third

BY MARK CONSTANTINE

Ron Krueger knew his Salem wrestling team would have its hands full Saturday at Walled Lake Western trying to capture the Western-Lakes Activities Association (WLAA) title.

And he hit the nail right on the head.

The Rocks did manage to claim the championship, but it took an all-out effort on the parts of the blue and white clad visitors from Plymouth, according to their firey mentor.

"We placed all 13 kids we took and, believe me, we needed all the points,"

Krueger insisted. "I'd said earlier it would be difficult for us to win it all, but the kids went out and won some matches we had to win to take the title.

"Sometimes you can get by with one of two kids carrying you, but we couldn't have done that Saturday and won. And we didn't. I was very pleased with everyone."

While Krueger's troops were battling their way to the first-place hardware, just edging Walled Lake Western in the process, coach Dan Chrenko's Canton club worked its way into a third-place

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P-C junior cager collapses and dies after game

BY MARK CONSTANTINE

A Lowell ninth grader with a congenital heart defect collapsed in Canton's Phase III Saturday afternoon after taking part in a Plymouth-Canton Junior Basketball game and later died at Oakwood Hospital's Canton Center.

Bradley Fletcher, 15, was rushed to Oakwood a little after 2 p.m. by fire department paramedics. At his side were his father and a physician who happened to be on the scene and treated the dying youngster.

The popular Lowell student had undergone open heart surgery three years ago, but had been given permission to take part in most ex-

tracurricular non-contact sports, according to a report written to Plymouth-Canton Superintendent John M. Hoben by Salem principal Bill Brown.

His older brother, Paul, a junior at Canton, was taking part in the Western-Lakes Activities Association (WLAA) Wrestling Championships at Walled Lake Western when Bradley died.

The older Fletcher had battled his way into the finals in the 201-lb weight class when he got word of his brother's death. He was to take on Salem's Tom Walkley for the 201-lb crown, but he couldn't continue and had to forfeit the match.

Plymouth Christian struggling

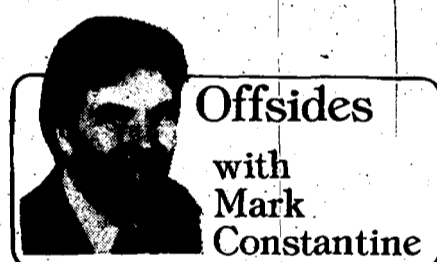
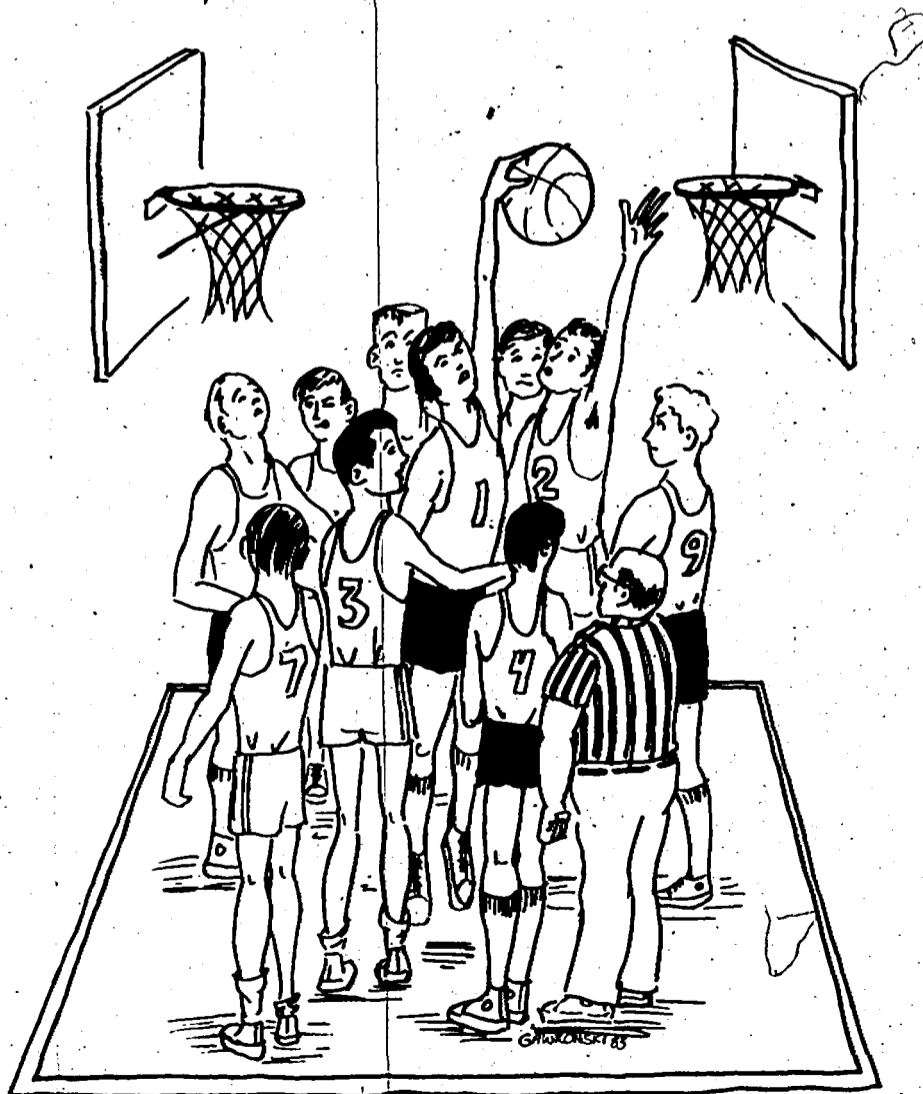
BY MARK CONSTANTINE

Roland DeRenzo isn't complaining, at least not yet.

But it's getting tougher for the Plymouth Christian Academy Athletic Director, who goes by the nickname of "Butch," to crack a smile when he talks about the prospects of his fledgling program.

A severe lack of facilities and Michigan High School Athletic Association (MHSAA) rules are like a noose around his neck, DeRenzo admitted as he tired to catch his breath after taking part in a scrimmage with the basketball team which, by the way, he also coaches.

DeRenzo and his troops battled each other on a court a quarter of the size found in most middle schools. And there wasn't much of a worry about chasing down a ball that went out of bounds because a wall on one side and stands on



Offsides

with Mark Constantine

Some schools need help

For years now, I've ranted and raved to whoever would listen about the unfairness of the "blatant recruiting" the Catholic high schools, such as Catholic Central, Divine Child and Brother Rice get away with.

Yes, yes, yes, I know none of the fine institutions I just named actually go out and recruit star prep athletes. The youngsters just want to play for a school with a winning tradition and one that is solid academically as well.

At least that's what the coaches and supporters of those schools would like you to believe. Frankly, I've never bought that bunk and never will.

I guess I've just never been a big fan of private education. It must have something to do with my middle-class

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CRAMPED QUARTERS are hindering the sports program of Plymouth Christian Academy. Cont. on pg. 24

Rocks lay off workmanlike Chargers

BY MARK CONSTANTINE

It wasn't a pretty ballgame, but then there wasn't a panel of judges sitting off to the side of the court awarding style points.

The only points that counted were the ones Salem and Livonia Churchill put in the hoop and, when the final horn sounded, the Rocks were on top, 48-36.

Salem coach Fred Thomann rubbed his hands together in glee afterwards as he recounted just how his visiting troops disposed of the Chargers in front of a small home crowd.
"This team will not let you play them

Salem remains tied for Lakes Division lead

pretty, you just have to keep scrapping away to beat them," he insisted. "I thought we really played well. I thought we played as good a game as we did in beating Stevenson the other night."

Thomann's club upped its record to 13-2, overall, and, in the process, the Rocks assured themselves of at least a piece of the Western-Lakes Activities Association

(WLAA) Lakes Division top spot, raising their league ledger to 10-1.

Salem traveled to Livonia Bentley last night (Tuesday) for another important WLAA clash before closing out the regular portion of the season at home against Walled Lake Central tomorrow (Thursday).

for Salem, Farmington became victory number 12 for the Rocks last Tuesday as Glenn Medalle led the blue and white clad home side to a 65-43 triumph.

Medalle again had the hot hand in the win against Churchill. He blistered the nets for 16 points, while teammates John Cohen and Matt Broderick chipped in

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While Churchill was victim number 13



LEAPING HIGH into the air to score two points is Salem's Glenn Medalle. The sharp-shooting senior has a hot hand the last couple of weeks, leading the Rocks in scoring in each of their last four games. (Crier photo by Chris Boyd)

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Thomas spearheads Canton win

BY JOE SLEZAK

Gary Thomas is still floating after Friday.

The junior guard for the Canton basketball team scored a career-high 25 points to lead the Chiefs to a 61-56 win over Livonia Bentley.

"I thought we played the best four quarters of basketball all year," said an elated Canton mentor Dave Van Wagoner.

The first quarter Canton kept Bentley at arm's length, taking a 12-6 lead into the second quarter.

In the second eight minutes of action, Bentley came out hot, taking a 16-14 lead, before Thomas scored on the fast break to knot the score. The Chiefs held Bentley at bay for the rest of a quarter, though, to go up, 24-18, at the half.

The Bulldog's Dan Rayes scored 10 of

his team-high 21 points in the third period, but his teammates combined for five points for the whole quarter and Canton still led after three, 38-33.

Bentley never got closer than two the rest of the way. Rayes scored his other 11 points in the fourth quarter, but Thomas countered with 12 to ensure the win.

Ron Rienas went in to double figures for the eighth time this year with 11 for the Chiefs and Mike Scarpello notched 10.

While the triumph over Bentley was an "up" for Van Wagoner, last Tuesday's 54-39 loss to Livonia Churchill on the Chargers' court was "the low point of our year."

Canton's Mike Jennings opened the scoring with a bucket at 7:18, but that was the last time a Chief was heard from for almost nine and one-half minutes.

Churchill reeled off 18 points in that span. In addition to two field goals, John Merner sank eight free throws in eight attempts.

Van Wagoner called time out at 6:14 and his troops responded by outscoring Churchill, 17-10. But, at halftime, Churchill's lead was still substantial, 28-19.

The Chargers padded the lead to 43-25 after three stanzas.

As if things weren't going bad enough, Jennings finished the Chief scoring at 3:27 of the fourth quarter.

Jennings was the only Canton player in double figures with 14 points. Merner led all scorers with 17 and teammate Craig Hunter added 10.

The Chiefs played at home last night against Farmington Harrison. The 7-8 squad will play at Walled Lake Western on Friday.

Long, happy week ends for Salem swimmers

BY JOE SLEZAK

Chuck Olson is breathing a little easier after Friday.

It had been a long week, his Salem swimmers had just churned through the water for the third time in a week, taking second at the Western Wayne Invitational.

The host squad, Inskter Cherry Hill, placed first (338), Salem was second (307), Belleville third (261) and Dearborn Heights Crestwood last (102).

Erik Klimesmith led the Rocks with two firsts. Klimesmith captured the 200- and 500-yard freestyle events with times of

1:54.8 and 5:13.7, respectively.

Todd Reidel notched a first for Salem in diving with 355.6 points for 11 dives and Mike Harwood paced the field in the 100-yard backstroke (1:01.7).

The other Rock title was earned by the 200-yard medley relay tandem of Harwood, Ashley Long, Mark Roehrig and Tom Shaw with a time of 1:48.8.

Tim Harwood received three second place honors, finishing just out of the money in the 50-yard freestyle (23.5) and 100-yard butterfly (58.6).

He also teamed with Klimesmith, Scott Anderson and Bob Bowling to take

second in the 400-yard freestyle relay with a time of 3:25.5.

The only other second was awarded to Ashley Long in the 100-yard breaststroke.

Roehrig was third twice and Anderson once.

Salem scored an important league win on Thursday over Northville, 82-44.

The Rocks won every event in the onslaught. Roehrig, Klimesmith each took two firsts. Roehrig won the 200-yard individual medley and 100-yard butterfly, while Klimesmith led the pack in the 200- and 500-yard freestyles.

Long, Bowling, Reidel, Anderson and

the Harwood brothers each took one first.

Anderson, Roehrig, Bowling and Klimesmith teamed to win the 400-yard freestyle relay. Mike Harwood, Long, Tim Harwood and Bowling completed the clean sweep.

The sailing wasn't as smooth last Tuesday, as the Rocks lost a non-league battle to Brighton, 73-54. The loss broke a six-meet winning streak.

Diver Todd Reidel remained unbeaten in dual meets this year with 191.25 points, while Tim Harwood won the only other event for Salem, the 100-yard backstroke.

The 8-2 Rocks will travel to Livonia Stevenson tomorrow night (Thursday).

Home not a friendly place for Chief tankers

BY JOE SLEZAK

Once again, the Canton swimmers found the going at home a little rough.

The Chiefs lost on Thursday to Farmington, 68-59, ending their home season ended with a 0-5 mark. Canton sports a 1-6 record, overall.

Canton only won four events, taking the top two places in two of them. Joe McBratnie and Jim Luce teamed for the one-two punch in the 100-yard breaststroke with times of 1:06.12 and 1:08.1, respectively.

And then in diving Canton got the other one-two combo. Craig Vanderburg was first with 182.35 points and Andy Flower notched 165.15 points for second.

Matt Krawczak, Jim Casler, John Ahrens and John Simone combined for the victory in the 100-yard freestyle relay (3:39.33).

Simone landed a first in the 200-yard freestyle (1:51.81) and second in the 100-yard freestyle (50.95). Also second was Bob Lewelling in the 100-yard backstroke with a mark of 1:03.26.

The 200-yard medley relay quartet opened the meet by placing second. Lewelling, McBratnie, Krawczak and Glenn Plagens finished runner-up (1:51.33).

Canton will have a very important league duel meet tomorrow (Thursday) at Northville, beginning at 7 p.m.

Canton gymnasts pooped

BY JOE SLEZAK

Five meets in seven days is enough to drive a coach crazy, just ask Canton gymnastics coach John Cunningham.

His Chiefs concluded that hectic string Monday evening by dourneing to Westland John Glenn where the visitors from Plymouth narrowly got by the Rockets, 114.15-109.05.

Last week the news wasn't as good. It's been a long time since the Canton gymnasts have taken it on the chin four meets in a row, but that's exactly what happened.

The Chiefs wound up on the short end of three events, losing to teams that had representatives in the state finals last year.

Friday, the 3-5 Chiefs lost a previously unscheduled meet to Freeland, 132.25-109.05.

"Freeland was a fun meet," said Canton coach John Cunningham. "We got two 8's on the beam." Linda Beale (8.15) and Annette Bryce (8.0) accomplished the feat for the red and white.

Beale responded with another eight, this time an 8.3 in the floor exercise.

Beale looked sensational in the Glenn event, sweeping to victories in the vault (8.05), parallel bars (8.25), balance beam (7.9), floor exercises (8.15) and the all-around (32.35).

"It was a really good meet for us," Cunningham noted. "But Linda was really impressive. She almost had 8's all the way around and that's very good."

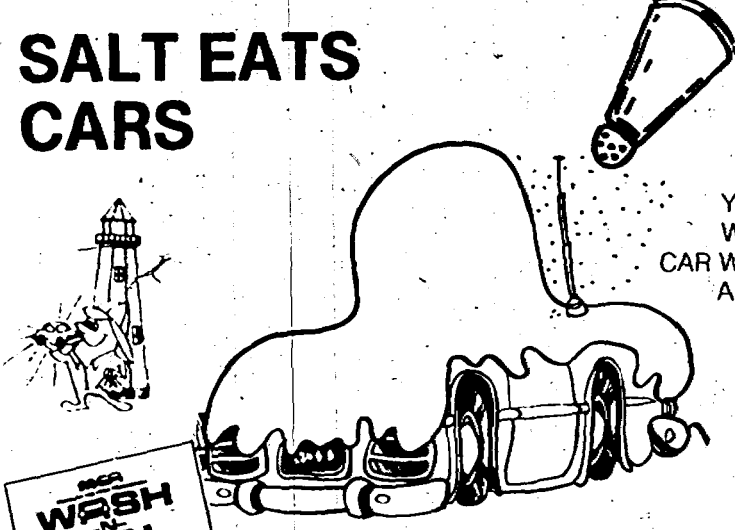
A step behind Beale all night Monday was teammate Annette Bryce. She claimed seconds in every event, scoring 7.85 in the vault, 7.8 on the bars, 7.6 on the balance beam, 7.85 in the floor exercises and 27.95 in the all-around.

Also picking up valuable points for the Chiefs were Lisa Lovich, Helen Zahn, Kim Wolf and Lisa Carson.

Cunningham's club now has a 4-4 mark.

Last Monday, Canton dropped a 129.8-114.45 decision to Ann Arbor Pioneer. The Chief's opponent finished fourth in the state a year ago and is regarded as a state power once again.

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STAYING ON TOP is Salem's John Beaudoin. The crafty senior has been on top 38 times in 38 matches this season. He is the defending state Class A champ

at 132-lbs., and he looks like he's on target to defend his crown. (Crier photo by Rick Smith)

Salem rolls over Churchill

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with 11 and 10 points, respectively.

The 26 points between Medalle and Broderick didn't surprise Thomann because they are two of the Rocks' better outside shooters.

"We knew going in they'd probably give us the perimeter shots and that's what they tried to force us to do," he noted. "Then late when they had to spread the defense, you just have to catch the ball and play and Glenn really liked that."

The visitors from Plymouth jumped out into a 10-4 lead after the first quarter. By halftime, though, the home side had something to cheer about because their heroes were down by only four, 22-18.

Thomann sat impassively as the second half began and the Chargers proceeded to knot the score twice, once at, 22-22, and then again at, 24-24.

He continued to calmly watch the action as his charges reeled off 12 straight points to conclude the third and begin the fourth period with a comfortable, 36-24, advantage.

From that point on it wasn't a matter of whether or not the Chargers could catch up, but by how many were the Rocks going to win.

While Medalle gets all the ink for putting the ball in the hoop, Marv Zurek and Berry Bell have been a pair of unsung heroes in recent Salem victories, according to Thomann.

And, although neither score many points, their presence is just as important as Medalle's, Thomann added.

"Marv probably played as fine a quarter of basketball in that third quarter as he's ever played for us," the Salem mentor admitted. "He rebounded extremely well. And, Berry, he represents consistency out there for us. We are just a better basketball team when he's out on the court."

Now as the season winds down and the league playoffs and the state tournament approach, Thomann isn't about to let his team relax.

"We've still got a ways to go, we're not satisfied, yet," he insisted. "We've got some tremendous opportunities ahead of us, and we plan to go after them."

District tourney next

Five Rock grapplers capture titles

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finish in the 10-team event.

The numbers looked like this: Salem 212.5, Walled Lake Western 204, Canton 140.5, Bentley 123.5 and Walled Lake Central with 115.5 rounded out the top five.

A total of seven Rocks hit the mats in the finals in search of a league crown, while five Chiefs had a chance to come home clutching a gold medal.

Salem champions included Kevin Von Otten (heavyweight), Rick Vershave (101), John Beaudoin (135), John Wochuk (158) and Tom Walkley (201).

Those who emerged victorious for the Chiefs included Todd Bartlett and Larry Janiga.

Beaudoin in besting the field in the 135-lb category ran his season record to 38-0. He is the defending state Class A champion at his weight, and he appears headed towards another banner campaign.

Walkley is also having a stellar season thus far and, after setting the school record for consecutive pins in a row earlier in the year (12), he's now closing in on the school record for most pins in a season.

The quick, powerful senior heads into next week's district competition at Ann Arbor Huron with 28 pins, just two shy of the school record of 30.

Salem grapplers who lost in the finals included Dave Dameron (108) and John Jeanotte (121). Meanwhile, a trio of Chiefs, Bob Parks (141), Marty Heaton (158) and Paul Fletcher (201), brought home silver medals.

Only one Rock, Jeff Davis (141), managed to triumph in the consolation finals, while Tim Collins (129) and Tom Frigge (135) picked up third place medals for the Chiefs.

"I think we wrestled well Saturday," Chrenko noted. "We weren't quite good enough to be in the running for the

championship—we just had too many gaps—but I can't complain.

"I thought we'd have to turn in good performances to challenge for third place, and the kids went out and did just that."

Salem tuned up for the league affair by bouncing Walled Lake Central Tuesday at the Vikings' place, 41-27. The Rocks concluded the dual meet portion of their WLAA schedule with an unblemished 9-0 record.

Triumphing for the Rocks were Vershave, Dameron, Beaudoin, Bruce Zak, Wochuk, Scott Corruner and Von Otten. Walkley lost for only the second time in the season, 1-0, in a match Krueger said could have gone either way.

Canton, meanwhile, hosted Walled Lake Western and fell to the Warriors, 32-21. The Chiefs finished the regular league schedule with a 7-2 mark.

Those who emerged victorious for Chrenko's crew included Bartlett, Bob Parks, Janiga, Fletcher and Jim Malson.

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Plymouth Christian trying

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the other kept it from going too far. Plymouth Christian is affiliated with Calvary Baptist Church. The postage-stamp size gym DeRenzo and company have to use is attached to the back of the church, and it was never intended to be used by a high school team, according to DeRenzo.

"Our biggest problem is facilities, I mean look at this place, it isn't big enough for elementary kids let alone high school players," he insisted, looking around the tiny gym, sweat dripping on the floor in front of him.

"We play our home games at Pioneer (Middle School), but practicing here is difficult. And with the MHSAA rule that you have to sit out a semester when you transfer, anyone who decides to come here has to make sure this is where they want to stay."

DeRenzo's Eagles compete in the Michigan Independent Athletic Conference (MIAC) along with schools such as Grosse Pointe University Liggett, Southfield Christian and Huron Valley Lutheran, to name a few.

All the squads in the league are Class D in size, including Plymouth Christian, although DeRenzo joked in the case of the Eagles it ought to be a lower case "d."

"We've only got about 120 kids in the high school, about 50-50 boys and girls," he said softly, finally catching his breath. "The athletes here can't concentrate on one sport, many of them play them all."

"I guess that's good for some of them because maybe they wouldn't play if they went somewhere else. But it's tough when you're trying to build a winning program."

This year's version of the Plymouth Christian boy's basketball team is a good example of what the lack of numbers can mean to a coach.

DeRenzo only had one player back from the 1981-82 unit that posted a 10-12 mark. And the lone veteran recently broke his ankle, forcing the bearded DeRenzo to attack clubs in the MIAC with untested, jittery sophomores and juniors who "have taken their lumps."

While the boys have encountered problems on the basketball court, the Plymouth Christian girls have been holding their own in volleyball.

DeRenzo noted that those are the only winter sports offered, but in the fall the boys can choose from cross country and soccer, while the distaff Eagles can play basketball.

When spring rolls around, Plymouth Christian athletes will be playing baseball, softball and, for the first time, soccer.

Salem volleyball squad dumped

Salem volleyball coach Jeannie Martin was smiling last Wednesday, but as the week wore on that grin turned into a frown.

The Rocks entertained Western-Lakes Activities Association (WLAA) rival Farmington Harrison last Wednesday and clubbed the visitors, 15-4, 15-2.

Then it was on to the 18-team Howell Invitational where Martin's troops didn't even get out of their bracket. In the six-team pool, the Rocks posted a 4-6 mark.

Monday it was on to Livonia Stevenson, and the powerful Spartans edged the Rocks in three games, losing the first, 16-14, before coming back to take the next two, 15-2, 15-10.

Martin and company now sport a 6-3 record, overall.

Over at Canton, meanwhile, the Chiefs dumped Northville last Wednesday, 15-8, 15-4. Leading the way for Canton were Kim Braun, Renae Edwards, Missy Aiken and Denise Wright.

RESULTS:		AMERICAN		BOYS "AA"		BOYS "AAA"	
76ers 48, Pacers 35;		ASTROS 23, Wildcats 23;		ILLINI	12-4	SUNS	10-4
Celtics 39, Knicks 32;		Angels 33, Jays 31;		HAWKEYES	10-5	WARRIORS	9-5
Rockets 63, Sonics 46;		Robins 39, Jets 37;		HURONS	9-6	PISTONS	7-3
Spurs 49, Pistons 33;		Flames 36, Cubs 30.		CHIPPEWAS	9-7	SPURS	5-10
Hawks 42, Kings 38;				BUCKEYES	9-7	BUCKS	4-10
Bulls 51, Lakers 42;				BRONCOS	7-9	RESULTS:	
Bucks 42, Suns 39;				HUSKIES	6-10	Warriors 95, Pistons 87;	
Bullets 37, Jazz 35.				WOLVERINES	1-15	Bucks 94, Spurs 92.	

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A GROUP of West Middle School students pose with one of the five Apple computers they helped raise the money to buy. (Crier photo by Cheryl Eberwein)

Who'll collect summer taxes?

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However, negotiations between the schools and Canton never got started. The Canton Board of Trustees last week passed a resolution refusing to collect the summer school taxes.

The city of Plymouth already has a summer tax collection and charges taxpayers a one per cent fee to cover the administrative collection costs.

"They (Plymouth Township) are still figuring out what amount they would charge us for the summer collection," Hoedel said. "They could charge us on a per parcel basis or an added costs basis or on a percentage basis."

Hoedel said any type of collection contract with Plymouth Township would involve the school district paying directly for the collection service.

"The school board has taken the position against a direct charge to the taxpayer for the summer collection (such as the city's one per cent administrative fee)," he noted. "The summer collection will be a benefit to the school, we feel we should pay for it." The school district estimates that it will save about \$700,000 because of the summer collection. Because the district will receive half its income in July it will not need to borrow and hence will not have interest costs to bear.

If Plymouth Township's offer is not agreeable, Hoedel said, the schools plan to approach Wayne County. "We'd see how much they would want to do it. Under the law, we would then go back to the local municipality and give them a final opportunity.

"We will also look into having the banks do it, an independent contractor, or even doing it ourselves," Hoedel said.

"We would really like to see the local municipalities do it. They're set up for it. But failing that, we will have to go with one of the other options."

Plymouth Township is 35.8 per cent of the school district's tax base, Hoedel said. Other taxing units within the school district are: Canton Township 45.6 per cent, City of Plymouth 14.7 per cent, Northville 1.1 per cent, Salem 2.1 per cent and Superior .7 per cent.

A twice-year collection means the district will receive just under \$19 million in the summer and the same amount again at year end, Hoedel said.

Offsides:

Small school needs facilities

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background, and the fact I, and my parents, were happy to see me get an education, which (and this is the important part) didn't cost them anything more than their normal share of taxes.

After complaining so loudly through the years about private schools with phenomenal athletic prowess, it's difficult for me to take the side of a private school. But in the case of the Plymouth Christian Academy I believe I must.

The relatively tiny facility off of Joy Road between Main Street and Lilley in Canton is in the midst of trying to build an athletic program. However, it has been a struggle, to say the least, according to Athletic Director Roland "Butch" DeRenzo.

Facilities or, to be more precise, the lack of facilities has hampered DeRenzo's drive to turn the Eagles into contenders on the soccer field, the basketball court or the baseball diamond. But he isn't about to abandon his quest.

He's also been having trouble with promising athletes who have learned the basics of a particular sport, in say fifth, sixth and seventh grade, opting to turn their backs on Plymouth Christian before the start of high school.

That's because of a Michigan High School Athletic Association (MHSAA) rule which states athletes who transfer from one school to another must sit out a

semester before being able to compete again.

DeRenzo insisted some of the better athletes at Plymouth Christian seriously think about staying around. But, if they change their minds, perhaps after maybe their sophomore year, they'll have to sit out a season and many of them don't want to chance that.

Besides, they want to make sure they play on a team that at least has a hope of winning consistently.

However, with a few of those so-called better athletes around, Plymouth Christian might be able to compete on an even keel with the rest of the squads in the Michigan Independent Athletic Conference.

But how do you convince skeptical 15- and 16-year-olds of that when all they've witnessed for the past two or three years is a high school that does nothing but lose.

I certainly don't have any answers for DeRenzo, although I must admit I do feel for him. As I've grown older, and wiser, hopefully, I've also come to realize there is a place for private schools in our society.

And, even though I still don't like the recruiting some of the bigger and better financed ones seem to get away with, I know enough now to at least stop banging my head against a wall because all I'll get is a headache.

Arts Council craft classes ready to start

Plymouth Community Arts Council announced its new winter craft classes and one day workshops.

Craft classes offered are basic quilting, advanced applique and stenciled floorcloths. Workshops will be on basket weaving, basic applique and stencil.

Samples of the items made in these classes will be on display in the council office, 332 S. Main Street, Monday through Thursday, 9 a.m. to noon.

Basic quilting will meet on Tuesday mornings for 3 weeks beginning Feb. 15. Sharon Rucinski will teach students how to quilt a churn dash square and a dresden plate square.

Advanced applique will meet on Wednesday mornings or Tuesday evenings beginning the last week of February.

Look for Ricky and Wicky

The "Ricky and Wicky Show," seen Wednesdays at 7 p.m. on the Plymouth-Canton Community School District Cable Channel-11 explore Alaska and how CEP came about in upcoming shows.

If you happen to miss Ricky and Wicky Wednesday, fret not. The shows are repeated Thursdays at 4 p.m., Mondays at 7 p.m. and Tuesdays at 4 p.m.

Tonight (Wednesday) the wacky pals host Mr. Art Durow, a Salem science instructor, and they'll discuss such burning issues as eskimos in igloos and year-round ice-n-snow.

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH BOARD OF TRUSTEES - REGULAR MEETING TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1983

The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Breen at 7:35 P.M., followed by the Pledge of Allegiance led by Boy Scout Fred Wilkinson of Plymouth Township. All members present except Mrs. Hulsing who was excused.

Mr. Horton moved approval of the minutes of the regular meeting of January 25, 1983, of the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Plymouth as submitted. Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes all.

Mr. Breen requested that a proclamation relative to proclaiming February 7, 1983 through February 14, 1983 as Boy Scout Week in the Charter Township of Plymouth as part of Any Other Business.

Mr. West moved approval of the agenda as presented. Supported by Mrs. Fidge. Ayes all.

Mr. Horton moved that the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Plymouth postpone K-1 (a) Plymouth Canton Community School District; (b) Schoolcraft Community College; (c) Wayne County Intermediate School District request for collection for summer taxes until the next meeting February 22, 1983 in order to allow time for an agreement to be reached on method of payment for collection of summer taxes. Supported by Mr. West. Ayes all.

Mr. Horton moved the following resolution 83-285 be approved to allow Maurice M. Breen, Supervisor, Larry Groth, Fire Chief and Terry Carroll be designated as contact persons between the Federal Disaster Assistance Administration for the Charter Township of Plymouth:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Trustees of the Charter Township of Plymouth that Maurice Breen, Township Supervisor, 42350 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth, Michigan 48170 is hereby authorized to execute for and in behalf of the Charter Township of Plymouth, a public entity established under the laws of the State of Michigan this application and to file it in the appropriate State office for the purpose of obtaining certain Federal financial assistance under the Disaster Relief Act (Public Law 288, 93rd Congress) or otherwise available from the President's Disaster Relief Fund.

THAT the Charter Township of Plymouth, a public entity established under the laws of the State of Michigan hereby authorizes its agent to provide the State and to the Federal Disaster Assistance Administration (FDDA) Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) for all matters pertaining to such Federal disaster assistance the assurances and agreements printed on the reverse side hereof.

Passed and approved this 8th day of February, 1983: Maurice M. Breen, Supervisor; Larry Groth, Fire Chief; Terry Carroll.

Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes: West, Fidge, Lynch, Horton, Pruner, Breen, Nays: None, Absent: Hulsing.

Resolution adopted.

Mrs. Lynch moved that the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Plymouth accept the recommendation of Mr. Gene Hoog, Park Superintendent, and purchase the equipment listed on his letter dated February 2, 1983 on page number two in the amount of \$9,761.81 which includes item number three so that all equipment can be purchased from the same dealer.

Supported by Mr. West. Ayes all.

Mr. Horton moved that the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Plymouth approve the bid specifications as presented by Mr. Thomas Hollis, D.P.W. Superintendent, Thomas Hollis to advertise for bids for Calcium Chloride and contract to be signed by the Supervisor and the Clerk be approved.

Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes all.

Mr. West moved that the meeting be adjourned at 8:30 P.M.

Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes all.

Accepted by: Maurice M. Breen, Supervisor

Respectfully submitted, Esther Hulsing, Clerk

These minutes are a synopsis, the official minutes are on file in the Clerk's Office.

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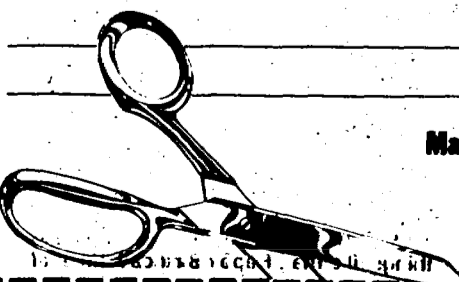
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Wednesday, March 9, 1983, from 3:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.
Thursday, March 10, 1983, from 3:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.
Friday, March 11, 1983, from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

The meeting of the Board of Review provides an additional opportunity for taxpayers to present protests or suggestions relative to assessed values on local property.

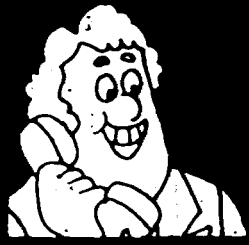
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PRIORITY WILL BE GIVEN TO THOSE PEOPLE WHO FILE A WRITTEN PETITION WITH THE CITY-ASSESSOR'S OFFICE. APPOINTMENTS WILL BE SCHEDULED AS REQUESTED.

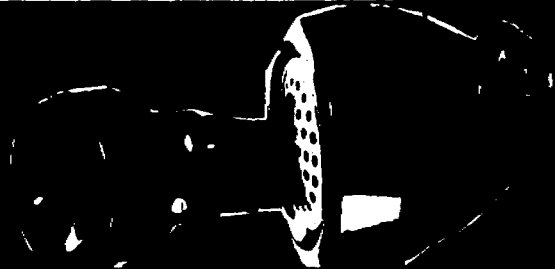
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Gordon G. Limburg
City Clerk

Community Crier — February 23, 1983



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