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Rouge cleanup will involve P-C \$\$\$

BY DAN NESS

The Rouge River, which winds its way through both Plymouth and Canton, will be cleaned up within 20 years, according to a committee formed to oversee the task.

And within those 20 years, your tax money will be solicited to help in the cleanup.

The Rouge River Basin Committee announced the cleanup plan at its inaugural meeting Friday in Dearborn Heights and hinted at local funds being involved in the project.

The Rouge River "could be called a 126-mile backup sewer system," said Southeast Michigan Council of Governments (SEMCOG) Executive Director John Amberger. SEMCOG will coordinate the river cleanup under contract to the state Department of Natural Resources (DNR).

The Rouge River Basin Committee consists of representatives from each of the 47 communities that border the river. The Rouge River breaks into four branches - the Upper, Middle, Main and Lower Rouge. The Lower Rouge and branches of the Middle Rouge run through Canton. Parts of the Middle Rouge flow through Plymouth. The entire river basin is contained in Wayne and Oakland counties, with a small part contained in Washtenaw County.

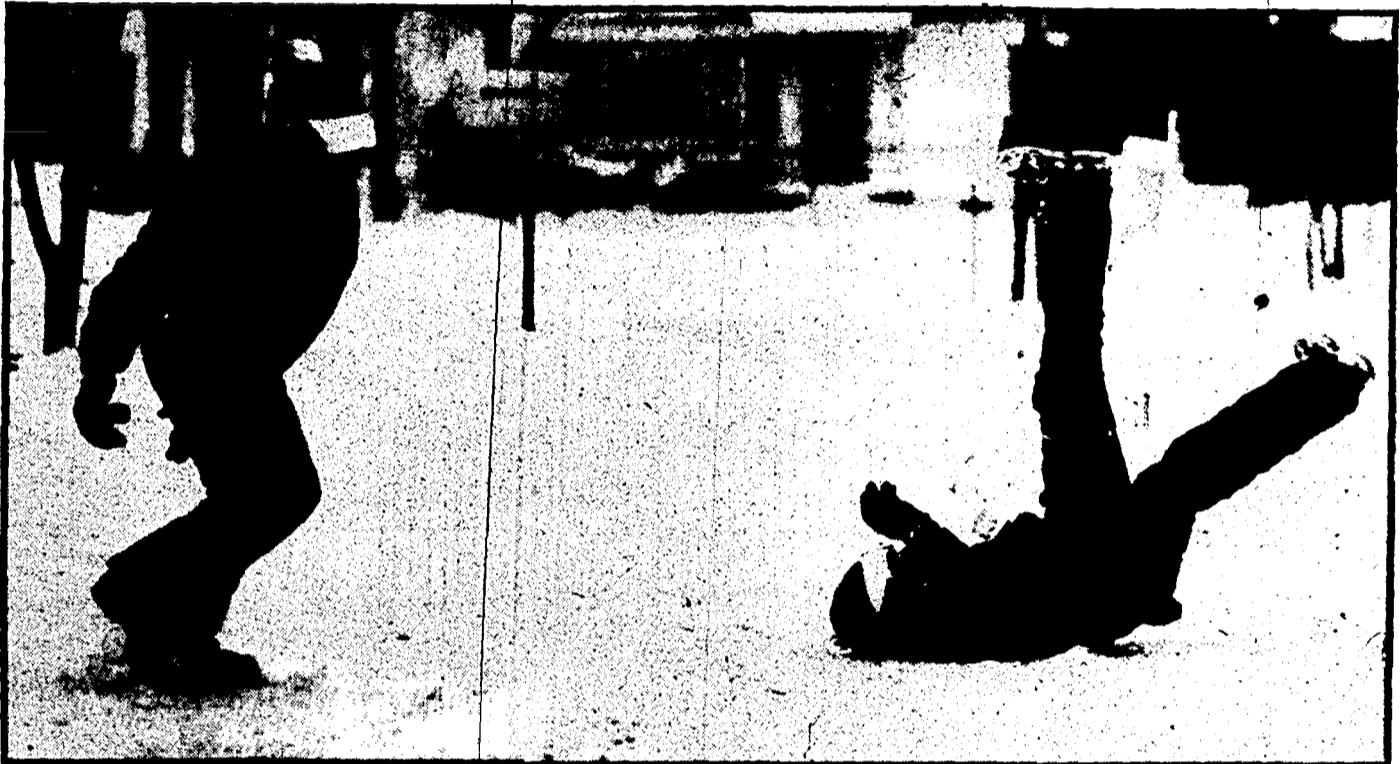
Representatives from the City of

Plymouth on the committee are Mayor William Robinson and Mayor Pro Tem Karl Gansler. Representing Plymouth Township on the committee is Trustee

Abe Munfakh, and Supervisor James Poole will represent Canton on the committee.

At Friday's press conference,

organizers of the river cleanup project were unclear as to how much money local governments would be kicking in
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Better to give than receive?

IDENTICAL TWINS Matthew and Joshua Busa (your guess is as good as ours on which Busa is which) frolick in the snow near their Pickwick subdivision home in Canton

Monday. The twins, third-graders at Allen Elementary School, had the week off for the schools' mid-winter break. (Crier photo by Chris Boyd)

Police raid results in drug bust

BY DAN NESS

About 15 law enforcement officers from three different agencies converged on a house on Napier Road Friday afternoon in a major drug raid.

Officers from the Federal Bureau of

Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, the State Police and the Washtenaw County Sheriff's Department arrested Jimmy Don Arnold, 48, of 6970 Napier Rd. in Salem Township at noon Friday, according to Sgt. Jack Gruska

of the State Police narcotics division.

Arnold is charged with the felony offense of delivering cocaine, Gruska said.

The Napier Road house has a Plymouth mailing address, although it is located within Salem Township, Gruska said.

Arnold was arraigned Monday in 14-AI District Court in Ann Arbor in front of Judge Thomas Shea. Arnold is being held on \$5,000 cash bail.

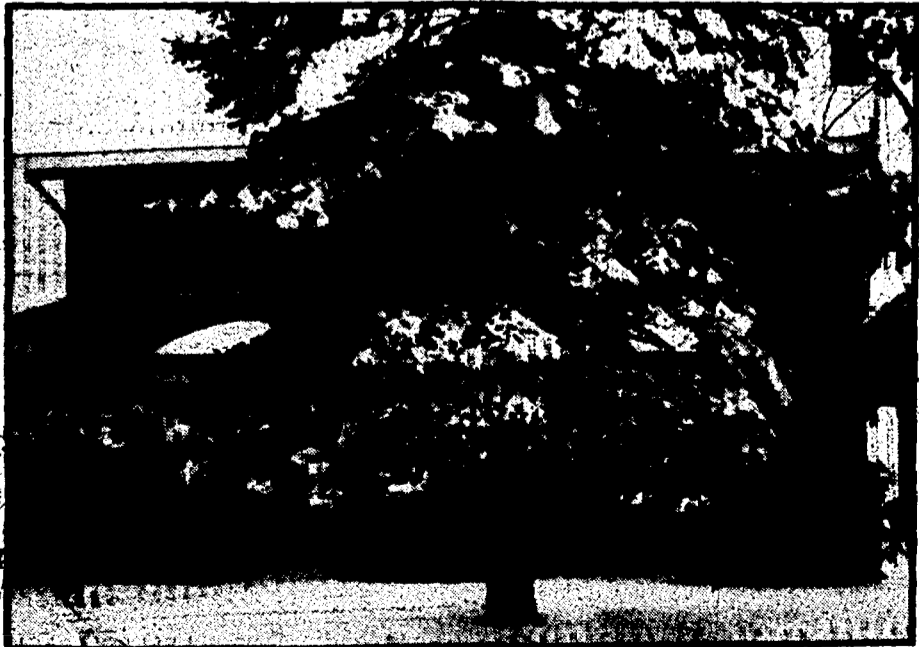
He will appear for a preliminary examination Feb. 27.

Delivering cocaine carries a maximum sentence of 20 years in prison and or a \$25,000 fine.

Gruska said the State Police began investigating the house in early December. "We started the investigation due to numerous citizen complaints in the area," Gruska said.

Although no others were arrested in Friday's raid, the Washtenaw County prosecuting attorney's office is investigating other suspects, Gruska said.

Police also found an undetermined amount of an unknown substance in the raid which was sent to a crime lab to determine if it was a narcotic, Gruska said.



THE HOUSE ABOVE, 6970 Napier Rd. in Salem Township, was raided Friday by three law enforcement agencies. The raid resulted in the arrest of Jimmy Don Arnold, 48, on charges of delivering cocaine. (Crier photo by Chris Boyd)

City paves, you pay

BY BRIAN LYSAGHT

Property owners on 14 Plymouth streets will pay three-fourths of the costs of a road paving program the city administration proposed Monday night.

The City Commission scheduled a public hearing for 7 p.m. March 11 at the Cultural Center to gather citizen input on the program and the property assessments that would fund the improvements.

The program, the second phase of two-year plan, calls for the city to sell bonds to pay for 25 per cent of paving costs. Property of affected homeowners would be assessed for 75 per cent of the paving costs. The city's building department estimated property would be taxed at \$12.88 per front foot and \$6.44 per side foot.

City Manager Henry Graper asked that the city complete the paving program in two years rather than three.

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Pigeons free to fly - for now

BY BRIAN LYSAGHT

The pigeons survived Sunday but their demise remains imminent.

The City Commission on Monday reaffirmed its intention to poison the birds, which they say are damaging the Central Lot parking deck and are a nuisance.

Opponents presented petitions Monday with nearly 400 signatures -- including 266 city residents and merchants -- asking the city to cancel

Kentucky group buys Hilton Inn

The new owner of the Plymouth Hilton Inn is a Kentucky investment group called Columbia Sussex. The group, from Fort Wright, KY - a suburb of Cincinnati, OH - bought the hotel last week for an estimated \$30 million.

Steve Dietrich, of Hilton Hotels in Chicago, said the group owns the Southfield Holiday Inn. It also owns hotels in Louisville, KY, and Birmingham, AL.

Dietrich said the Plymouth hotel would "certainly remain a Hilton." The new manager of the hotel is Dave Clouse, replacing John Kuhn.

Dietrich said, though plans were incomplete, a "sizeable renovation is planned for the hotel, with hardly any areas not affected.

"The hotel will virtually be a brand-new package," he said.

its plans to spread poison pigeon feed.

But the commission's decision stood. "In my opinion, we still have not come up with a better way to get rid of the birds," said Mayor William Robinson.

Heavy snow cancelled Rose Exterminator Company's plans to drop corn laced with strychnine Sunday in pigeon feeding areas downtown.

The issue has been the subject of numerous press, television and radio

news reports. City Manager Henry Graper said he prefers that the poisoning be done quietly, saying the city would "do it in spring if necessary.

"I'm not going to put on a show for the media," Graper said.



16-year-old injured

A 16-YEAR-OLD Plymouth Twp. girl remains hospitalized with a bruised heart after colliding with a light pole on Main St. in front of Central Middle School in

Plymouth Thursday. The girl, who was driving with a learner's permit, is in St. Mary Hospital in Livonia. (Crier photo by Dan Ness)

'Pecking order' established for student move

BY ED FITZGERALD

Plymouth-Canton Schools continues towards its 1986-87 goal of moving all sixth-graders to middle schools and ninth-graders from Central and East Middle Schools to C.E.P.

Superintendent Dr. John Hoben has said the "pecking order (was) worked out." Assistant Superintendent for Instruction, Dr. Michael Homes said letters, briefly explaining the pending moves, would be sent to parents of sixth-graders by this week. Middle school parents would be notified in the near future.

Hoben said it was a chief concern that certain curriculum be made available when all ninth-graders are at C.E.P. by the 1988-89 school year.

Some areas already outlined in a school report:

- **Computer Education** Given approval for funding, an additional lab will be equipped at the high school (C.E.P.) so that all ninth-graders will have access to a one-semester elective in computers. The curriculum for this course is in place.

- **Performing groups** Band and Vocal music will be available to all ninth-graders in their home school.

- **Orchestra** will be available to all ninth-graders first hour at the high school. This is similar to the current scheduling provision. When there is a better indication of numbers, it may be possible that this will be an eighth- and ninth-grade orchestra. Consideration

will be given to an orchestra for sixth- and seventh-graders after enrollment figures are in.

It may also be possible to introduce Instrumental and Vocal Music to the

sixth-graders; however, the sixth-grade curriculum has not been finalized.

Marching Band and Drama will continue to be available to all ninth-graders.

- **Information on college-bound curriculum** Middle school counselors will be reminded to carefully instruct their students that the college

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Canton Bd. makes school offer

BY DAN NESS

Canton Township will buy the Cherry Hill School from the Plymouth-Canton School District for \$25,000 and build sidewalks for Plymouth-Canton schools if the school board agrees to the proposal.

The Canton Board of Trustees approved the purchase agreement at a special meeting Thursday.

The township received a \$99,500 state grant in December to renovate the Cherry Hill School, at the corner of Ridge and Cherry Hill roads. However, the grant money cannot be used unless the schools sell the old school to Canton.

Canton's proposal will now go to the school board for consideration.

The school was built in 1876, and an addition, funded by Henry Ford, was built in 1942, according to Kim Scherschligt, research associate for the Canton Community and Economic Development department. The school was part of the Greenfield Village - Detroit Edison School District until the late 1940's, when it was returned to the

Plymouth School District. The school was used for classes until the early 1960's.

The school would be renovated and used as a community meeting hall, according to Scherschligt. Supervisor

James Poole has said that he wants to create a historical village around Cherry Hill School, with the main theme being the "culture and heritage as it relates to Canton farmers."

Burglars hit Twp. hard

BY BRIAN LYSAGHT

An eastern section of Plymouth Township is getting more than its share of burglaries but a possible solution, police say, lies behind locked doors.

Bounded by I-275 and Haggerty Road, and Joy Road and Ann Arbor Trail, the area has suffered six burglaries and seven larcenies or thefts this month, both inordinately high numbers, said Police Chief Carl Berry.

The burglars' favorite entrance is through unlocked side or garage doors during daylight hours, Berry said. Snowblowers, video cassette recorders and stereos are favored loot, he added.

Residents, he said "have got to make sure those doors are locked and secured."

Police have increased patrols in the area and are asking residents to report suspicious activity. They suspect someone in the neighborhood may be responsible for the crimes and think because many have occurred in daylight "someone has seen something go on," Berry said.

Township-wide, 12 of 114 burglaries reported to police in December were founded -- that is police determined the reported crime actually occurred; in January, 14 of 95 burglary complaints were founded. The calls were mostly unfounded false alarms.


Twenty-eight of 36 larcenies reported in January were founded and 39 were founded of 39 reported in December.

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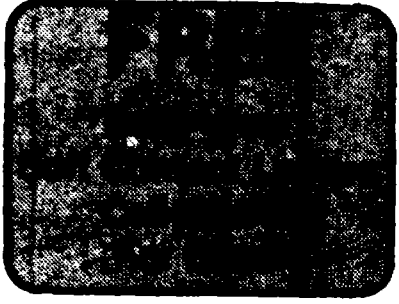
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CFD to be reviewed

Study approved

BY DAN NESS

The Canton Fire Department will be the focus of a study by professional consultant company Bartell and Bartell.

The study was unanimously approved by the Canton Board of Trustees at a special meeting Thursday.

The study should be completed within four to six weeks, according to Trustee Loren Bennett, and will cost "not more than \$18,000."

Clerk Linda Chuhraan initiated the idea for a study of the fire department at the Jan. 14 board meeting. Supervisor James Poole proposed a study of the fire department two years ago, but was voted down by the board, according to Poole.

The Bartell study would be similar to a study done by Bartell last year of the Canton Police Department, Bennett said. The study would be "very comprehensive - not single-vision," he said.

The consulting firm will study the possibility of building a third fire station and going to a privately-run ambulance service, Bennett said. The Canton Fire Department currently runs the ambulance service.

"We've got to determine what level of service the community wants and is willing to pay for," Bennett said. "The study will help us do that."

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Bd. objects to rates

BY DAN NESS

Canton residents, take note.

The City of Detroit wants to increase your water rates. The Canton Board of Trustees disagrees.

The board unanimously passed a resolution at its Feb. 11 meeting objecting to a recent decision by the Detroit Water and Sewer Department to increase water rates from \$3.45 per 1,000 cubic feet to \$4.11 per 1,000 cubic feet - a 19 per cent increase.


The board's resolution called the rate increase "unreasonable and unjustified." Canton Finance Director John Spencer read the resolution at a Detroit City Council meeting.

According to a contract between Canton Township and the Detroit Water and Sewer Department, the water rates must be "reasonable."

The rate increase will take effect July 1.

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Public Notices

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON BOARD PROCEEDINGS FEBRUARY 11, 1986

A regular meeting of the Township Board of the Charter Township of Canton was held on Tuesday, February 11, 1986 at 7:00 p.m. at 1150 Canton Center Road.

Called to order by Supervisor Poole followed by the pledge of allegiance to flag.

Members present: Bennett, Brown, Chuhran, Larson, Padget, Prenczky, Poole. Absent: None.

The following changes were made to the agenda: Added #16 - Resolution protesting water rate increase. #17 - Budgetel, #18 - Establish public hearing date for Koppnick-Ronda assessment rolls. #19 - Car and gas allowance for clerk and treasurer - Budget adjustment. Motion by Brown, supported by Larson and unanimously carried to accept the agenda as changed.

Corrections to minutes of February 4, 1986:

Your Attic water main language to be changed to "grant final acceptance."
Include the amount of the Motorola bid for radio equipment - \$216,000.00.

Motion by Larson, supported by Bennett and unanimously carried to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of February 4, 1986 as corrected.

Motion by Brown, supported by Bennett and unanimously carried to pay the bills:

FEBRUARY 11, 1986:

GENERAL FUND	\$98,225.51
FIRE FUND	51,101.77
POLICE FUND	73,489.95
GOLF COURSE	245.55
WATER & SEWER	48,940.10
TRUST & AGENCY	6,165.00
CAPITAL PROJECTS	1,799.59

Details are available in the office of the clerk.

DEPARTMENT REPORTS:

Dan Durack reported on Rainbow Tree Center program to place closed head injury persons in maintenance and clerical work under their supervision free of cost. Mike Gouin shared information on three different classes - "Healthy Heart" at Beyer Hosp., "Safe Boating" offered by the U.S. Coast Guard auxillary, and "Parenting Classes" at St. Luke's Episcopal Church. Mr. Poole commented on efforts being made by Woodland Meadows to control odor. Clerk Chuhran reported that many voter cards are being mailed out, and that anyone having any questions about them should call the clerk's office.

The public hearing was declared open at 7:30 p.m. to consider approval of the issuance of industrial development revenue bonds by Canton Township for Three Blanks Co. under terms of Act 62. (Publication: 1/29/86). There were no comments from the public. Motion by Bennett, supported by Larson and unanimously carried to close the public hearing. Motion by Padget, supported by Bennett and unanimously carried to adopt the Resolution approving Three Blanks Company Project and plan of financing.

Motion by Bennett, supported by Larson and unanimously carried to continue to provide tee-shirts in an amount no to exceed \$10,000.00 for the Canton Soccer Club Tournament.

Motion by Padget, supported by Bennett and unanimously carried to approve the site plan for Canton Landing retail and office development on the north side of Ford Road between Canton Center and Sheldon Roads, subject to placement of the fire hydrants as required by the fire marshal.

Motion by Larson, supported by Brown and unanimously carried, to adopt a Resolution establishing the Michigan Sesquicentennial Advisory Committee and appointing the following people to that committee: Bob Padget, Bob Malek, Carol Bodenmiller, Terri Bennett, Mary Dingeldey, Bill Tesen, John Schwartz and Joyce Willis-Chumbly.

Motion by Bennett, supported by Larson and unanimously carried to establish the Historic District Commission Capital Expenditure Account in the amount of \$17,781. and the unused balance of each fiscal year's budget be deposited and accumulated up to a maximum of \$50,000.00.

Motion by Padget, supported by Larson and unanimously carried to change the public hearing date from February 11 to February 25, 1986 to consider Land Acquisition Project to the submitted for fundign through the Land & Water Conservation Program.

Motion by Larson, supported by Chuhran and unanimously carried that the Township Clerk be the designated officer authorized to sign permits for work done in the State right-of-way not covered by the annual permit.

Motion by Padget, supported by Chuhran and unanimously carried to establish a special meeting date of Thursday, February 13, 1986 at 7:00 p.m. to discuss a study of the Fire Department, and to consider a purchase agreement for the Cherry Hill School.

Motion by Padget, supported by Brown and unanimously carried to pay annual SEMCOG dues in the amount of \$4,020.

Discussed the request to consider again a tavern license for Ody's Coney Family Restaurant. No action was taken.

Motion by Padget, supported by Larson and unanimously carried to pay Rouge River Watershed Council dues in the amount of \$1,000.00 and appoint Gerry Martin as Delegate, and Dave Nicholson as Alternate.

Motion by Padget, supported by Larson and unanimously carried to approve elected representatives from the three senior clubs to serve three year terms beginning January 1, 1986 - December 31, 1988 as follows:

- Charlotte Schwartz -- Pioneer Seniors
- Jack Ryan -- Royal Seniors
- Ray Schultz -- Zester Seniors.

Motion by Larson, supported by Bennett and unanimously carried to approve replacement of brakes in fire apparatus units #1102 and #1122 in the amount of \$9,144.00

Motion by Bennett, supported by Prenczky and unanimously carried to replace a patrol vehicle for the amount of \$11,272.72.

Motion by Padget, supported by Bennett and unanimously carried to adopt a Resolution opposing a 19% water rate increase by the Detroit Water and Sewer Department.

Motion by Larson, supported by Chuhran and unanimously carried to direct staff to proceed with a public hearing at the earliest opportunity for Budgetel under the terms of PA 338.

Motion by Padget, supported by Bennett and unanimously carried to adopt Resolution No. 4 establishing a public hearing date on March 4, 1986 at 7:00 p.m. for the purpose of hearing all persons interested in special assessment district rolls for the Koss Drain, Mettetal Airport and adjacent properties, Koppnick Road west of Haggerty Road and Ronda Drive paving and road drainage, Koppnick Road paving and related road drainage east of Haggerty Road and west of the C & O Railroad tracks.

Motion by Padget, supported by Larson and unanimously carried to approve the following budget amendment to provide funds for the car and gas allowances granted to the Township Clerk and Treasurer:

Transfer From:	
Transportation -- Bldg. * Grounds #1101-265-860-0000	\$4,800.00
Transfer To:	
Transportation -- Clerk #101-215-860-0000	\$2,400.00
Transportation -- Treasurer #101-253-860-0000	\$2,400.00
	\$4,800.00

Motion by Larson, supported by Bennett and unanimously carried to adjourn at 9:15 p.m.
Linda Chuhran, Clerk

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

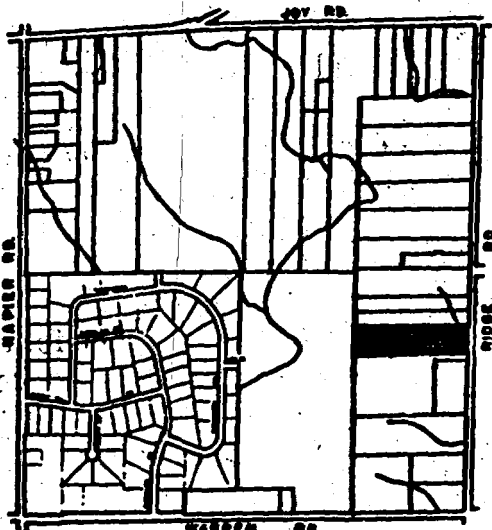
PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON, WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Act 184 of the Public Acts of Michigan, as amended, and pursuant to the Zoning Ordinance of the Charter Township of Canton that the Planning Commission of the Charter Township of Canton will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, February 24, 1986 at the Canton Township Administration Building, 1150 S. Canton Center Road at 7:30 p.m. on the following proposed amendments to the Zoning Ordinance.

CONSIDER REQUEST TO REZONE PARCELS 71 024 99 0003 001 and 71 24 99 0003 002 FROM AGR-AGRICULTURAL RESIDENTIAL TO R-1 SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL. PROPERTY IS LOCATED ON THE WEST SIDE OF RIDGE ROAD BETWEEN WARREN AND GYDE ROADS.

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2/19/86

Charter Township of Canton
Planning Commission
Richard Kirchgatter, Chairman



NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Board of Education of Plymouth-Canton Community schools invites the submission of sealed bids on MEASURING, SUPPLYING AND INSTALLATION OF WINDOW COVERINGS FOR ELEVEN (11) SCHOOLS IN THE SCHOOL DISTRICT. Bids will be received until 10:00 A.M. on the 3rd day of March 1986, at the Board of Education Building, 454 South Harvey Street, Plymouth, Michigan at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read. Specifications and bid forms may be obtained at the Purchasing Office. The right to reject any and/or all bids is reserved.

BOARD OF EDUCATION
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David P. Artley, Secretary

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NOTICE OF HEARING ASSESSMENT BOARD OF REVIEW

Notice is hereby given that the Canton Township Board of Review will meet on the following dates and times:

TUESDAY, March 4, 1986	8:30 am to 11:30 am 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm
WEDNESDAY, March 5, 1986	8:30 am to 11:30 am 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm
THURSDAY, March 6, 1986	8:30 am to 11:30 am 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm
FRIDAY, March 7, 1986	8:30 am to 11:30 am 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm
SATURDAY, March 8, 1986	10:00 am to 3:00 pm
MONDAY, March 10, 1986	8:30 am to 11:30 am 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm
TUESDAY, March 11, 1986	3:00 pm to 9:00 pm

All persons protesting their assessments must complete petitions prior to appearing before the Board. A personal appearance is not required, however. Petitions may be obtained at the Township Assessor's Office, 1150 S. Canton Center Road. Appearance before the Board is by appointment only. If you have any questions regarding the March Board of Review, you may call Peggy Farell, Secretary to the Board of Review, at 397-1000, ext. 282.

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Public Notices

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON BOARD PROCEEDINGS FEBRUARY 13, 1986

A special meeting of the Township Board of the Charter Township of Canton was held on Thursday, February 13, 1986 at 7:00 p.m. at 1150 Canton Center Road. Called to order by Supervisor Poole followed by the pledge of allegiance to flag. Members present: Bennett, Brown, Chuhran, Larson, Padget, Poole, Preniczky. absent: None.

Motion by Larson, supported by Chuhran and unanimously carried to waive the written 24-hour notice and conduct this meeting as a special action meeting. The meeting was scheduled at the meeting of 2/11/86 and proper posting procedures had been followed.

The following change was made to the agenda:
Added #1-A Purchase of Golf Cars.

Motion by Preniczky, supported by Chuhran and unanimously carried to accept the agenda as changed.

Motion by Bennett, supported by Padget and unanimously carried:
WHEREAS, MCLA Sec. 42.14 provides that Charter Townships have the authority and power to acquire property for public purposes; and

WHEREAS, it is in the public interest that this Township acquire the hereinafter described property by paying the sum of Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00) on the condition that the said sum will be utilized for the construction of sidewalks in the CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton as follows:

That the Supervisor and Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver the attached documents and all future documents necessary to effectuate the acquisition of the hereinafter described property in consideration of the Township paying the sum of Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00) to the Seller:

Land lying in the SW 1/4 of Section 18, T 2 S, R 8 E, Canton Township, Wayne County, Michigan, described more particularly as follows:
Commencing at a point on the center line of Ridge Road, of 66 foot width, said point being N 01°05'00"E, 198.35 feet along said center line of Ridge Road, from the S 1/4 corner of said Section 18; thence N 89°30' 20"W, 163.69 feet; thence N 01°39'00"E, 301.34 feet to a fence; thence along said fence S 89°04'10"E, 164.47 feet; thence S 01°48'15"W, 300.09 feet to the point of commencement; containing 1.132 acres more or less.

Motion by Preniczky, supported by Padget and unanimously carried to purchase
11 1980 EZ GO electric golf carts @ \$400.00 each
4 1979 EZ GO electric golf carts @ 400.00 each
15 1984 Yamaha electric golf carts @ 1,000.00 each (with a 2-year warranty),
for a total of 30 golf cars in the amount of \$21,000.00.

Motion by Preniczky, supported by Chuhran and unanimously carried to authorize the sale of seventeen (17) used golf cars at public bid.

Mr. Rod Bartell and his associate were present from Bartell & Bartell to discuss with the board their proposal to do a study of the Fire Department. Major focus will be on organization and equipment.

Motion by Brown, supported by Chuhran and unanimously carried to authorize Bartell & Bartell, Ltd. to conduct a study of the Fire Department for an amount not to exceed \$18,174.00.

Motion by Padget, supported by Chuhran and unanimously carried to adjourn at 8:15 p.m.

Linda Chuhran, Clerk

PUBLISH: 2/19/86

NOTICE OF HEARING TO REVIEW SPECIAL ASSESSMENT ROLL CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON COUNTY OF WAYNE, MICHIGAN TO THE OWNERS OF ALL PREMISES WITHIN THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LANDS:

DESCRIPTION OF PAVING DISTRICT FOR KOPPERNICK ROAD SAD #1

Commencing at the center line intersection of Koppernick and Haggerty Roads in the Southwest quarter of Section 1, Charter Township of Canton, Town 2 South, Range 8 East, Wayne County, Michigan; thence Northeast to a point 300± feet North of the center line of Koppernick Road and 300± feet East of the center line of Haggerty road; thence Easterly parallel to the center line of Koppernick Road to the West line of I-275 Freeway right-of-way; thence Southerly along the West line of the I-275 Freeway right-of-way to a point 43 feet North of the center line of Koppernick Road; thence Easterly parallel to the center line of Koppernick Road to the East line of the I-275 Freeway right-of-way; thence Northerly along the East line of I-275 Freeway right-of-way to the West line of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad right-of-way; thence Southeasterly along the West line of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad right-of-way to a point 300± feet South of the center line of Koppernick Road; thence Westerly parallel to the center line of Koppernick Road to the East line of the I-275 Freeway right-of-way; thence Northerly along the East line of the I-275 Freeway right-of-way to a point 43 feet South of the center line of Koppernick Road; thence Westerly parallel to the center line of Koppernick Road to the West line of the I-275 Freeway right-of-way; thence Southerly along the West line of the I-275 Freeway right-of-way to the Southeast corner of parcel 'U1a1'; thence Westerly along South line of Parcel 'U1a1' 280± feet; thence Northwest to the center line intersection of Koppernick and Haggerty Road, being the point of beginning.

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DESCRIPTION OF PAVING DISTRICT FOR KOPPERNICK ROAD WEST OF HAGGERTY ROAD AND RONDA DRIVE SAD 2

Commencing at the center line intersection of Haggerty and Koppernick Roads in the Southwest quarter of Section 1, Charter Township of Canton, Town 2 South, Range 8 East, Wayne County, Michigan; thence Southwest to a point 300± feet West of the center line of Haggerty Road and 300± feet South of the North line of Parcel '01R1,12N1a1,P1a1'; thence Westerly parallel to the North line of Parcel '01R1,12N1a1, P1a1' and parcel 'R' to a point 10± feet West of Tonquish Creek; thence Northwesterly parallel to Tonquish Creek to a point on the South line of Parcel '2Q'; thence Easterly along the South line of Parcel '2Q' to a point 650± feet East of the Southwest corner of Parcel '2Q'; thence Northerly parallel to the South line of Parcel '2Q' to a point 300± feet West of the proposed Rhonda Drive center line; thence Northerly parallel to the proposed center line of Rhonda Drive to a point on the North line of Parcel '2Q' 600± feet; thence Southerly parallel to the proposed center line of Rhonda Drive to a point 43 feet North of the South line of Parcel '2Q'; thence Easterly parallel to the South line of Parcels '2Q' and '1Q' to a point 375± feet East of the West line of Parcel '1Q'; thence Northerly parallel to the West line of Parcel '1Q' to the North line of Parcel '1Q'; thence Easterly parallel to the North line of Parcel '1Q' to the center line of Haggerty Road; thence Southerly along the center line of Haggerty Road to the center line intersection of Haggerty and Koppernick Roads, being the point of beginning.

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

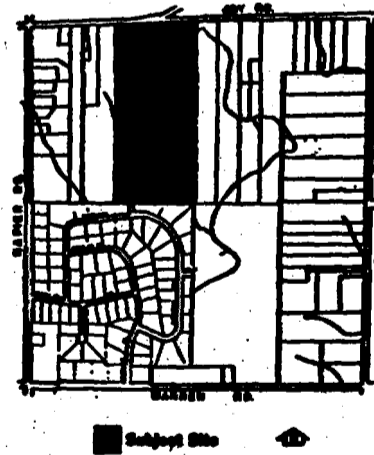
PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON, WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Act 184 of the Public Acts of Michigan, as amended, and pursuant to the Zoning Ordinance of the Charter Township of Canton that the Planning Commission of the Charter Township of Canton will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, February 24, 1986 at the Canton Township Administration Building, 1150 S. Canton Center Road at 7:30 p.m. on the following proposed amendments to the Zoning Ordinance.

CONSIDER REQUEST TO REZONE PARCEL 71 22 99 0001 000 FROM AGRICULTURAL RESIDENTIAL TO R-1 SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL. PARCEL IS LOCATED ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF JOY ROAD BETWEEN NAPIER AND RIDGE ROADS.

Charter Township of Canton
Planning Commission
Richard Kirchgatter, Chairman

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A PUBLIC HEARING WILL BE HELD ON TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1986 AT 7:00 P.M. AT 1150 S. CANTON CENTER ROAD BY THE TOWNSHIP BOARD OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON TO CONSIDER A REQUEST FOR THE FOLLOWING SPECIAL LAND USE AS PROVIDED FOR IN SECTION 5.14 C. OF THE CANTON TOWNSHIP ZONING ORDINANCE.

CONSIDER DEVELOPMENT OF GO-KART TRACK ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF MICHIGAN AVE., EAST OF CANTON CENTER ROAD. LOCATION OF SITE WOULD BE LOTS 18 AND 19 OF R. JOHNS LITTLE FARMS SUBDIVISION. (Approx. 2.33 acres)

WRITTEN COMMENTS WILL BE RECEIVED UNTIL 7:00 P.M. AT 1150 S. CANTON CENTER ROAD. A PUBLIC HEARING ON THE SPECIAL LAND USE REQUEST MAY BE REQUESTED BY ANY PROPERTY OWNER OR THE OCCUPANT OF ANY STRUCTURE LOCATED WITHIN 300 FEET OF THE BOUNDARY OF THE PROPERTY BEING CONSIDERED FOR A SPECIAL LAND USE.

LINDA CHUHRAN
TOWNSHIP CLERK

PUBLISH: 2/19/86

False alarms up

BY BRIAN LYSAGHT

The false alarm bells are a-ringin' in the city and causing a few problems for police.

The problem for police is that burglary false alarms, when they occur too often at the same business or industrial site, sometimes cause a police officer to let down his guard, said Police Chief Richard Myers.

"It's like the 'Boy Who Cried Wolf' syndrome. That's what this is and that's what we're trying to avoid," said Myers.

The city recorded 72 false alarms to 49 different businesses in January. Burglary alarms are considered priority runs by police and response times last month averaged 2-3 minutes, he said.

The problem for the owner of a business with an alarm that rings too frequently will arrive by mail. The City Commission upped the fines of its false alarm ordinance. Businesses are allowed one false alarm per year; a second earns a warning letter from the city, and the third a \$50 fine. Alarms will be tracked by computer, which Myers said will make the process "thorough and even-handed."

And still, police strongly encourage the use of alarms for businesses. "If every building in town had an alarm, I couldn't be happier," he said.

other justifiable reasons don't count toward the one-per-year limit, Myers said.

Fire Chief Al Matthews said unlike burglary alarms, false fire alarms have not increased recently. It costs \$250-\$300 mostly in personnel costs each time the fire department responds to a fire call, he said.

Guenther takes over

Geneva Guenther is the new voice answering the phone, the new face behind the desk at the Plymouth Community Council on Aging's office.

Guenther, a longtime city resident, took over recently from Margaret Leonard. Leonard, in turn, had taken over from Sarah Delmore, who now attends college.

William McNamara was recently elected the council's newest president.

Guenther, as office manager, is in the council's office in Plymouth City Hall M-F 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. She will help answer inquiries from area seniors about services and community resources.

Call 453-1234 ext. 71 to contact the council.

Kiddie Kampus here

It's Kiddie Kampus registration time in The Plymouth-Canton Community.

This year, the popular pre-school program will have a new registration procedure for 1986 Fall classes. All registration will be handled on a first-come first-serve basis with registration beginning at 5 p.m. on Tue., Feb. 25 at the Canton High School cafeteria.

Teachers will be available at 4:30 p.m. to answer all questions. Following registration, the child care facilities will be open for visitation.

A parent may register only for their own child. A provision has been established to allow someone else to register for you if you are unable to attend. This person may not register any other child. Parents arriving early, to assure themselves a slot, must remain at the school.

The Kiddie Kampus program is designed around a Fall and Winter semester consisting of two 16-week sessions. Those registering for the Fall classes will have first priority for second semester registration. Classes being held at Canton High School have the following time options: two days per week, Monday/Wednesday and Tuesday/Thursday 8:30 - 10:30 a.m., 12:15 - 2:15 p.m., 2:40 - 4:40 p.m.

At Salem High School, a three-day program is offered from 9 - 11 a.m. on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, while a two-day program is offered from 9 - 11 a.m. on Tuesday and Thursday, and from 12:30 - 2:30 p.m. on Monday/Wednesday and Tuesday/Thursday.

The cost per semester is \$150 for a two-day program and \$215 for the three-day program. The fee is payable at registration.

Kiddie Kampus registration is open

to all four-year olds (must be four by Dec. 1) and 24 3½-year olds (must be three by April 1). Six of the 10 class offerings will allow four 3½-year olds per class. Parents are asked to bring birth certificates to the registration.

For more information call 451-6660.

City looks at new 911

The City Commission saw a presentation Monday on an advanced 9-1-1 emergency police and fire telephone system.

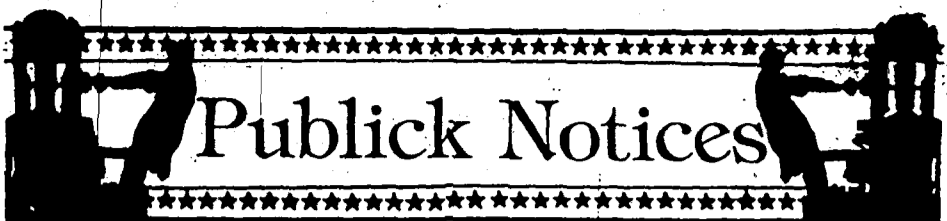
The system, though expensive, allows dispatchers to trace phone numbers and addresses of those who dial 9-1-1, two capabilities police and fire officials say have saved lives around the country. The system also ensures emergency calls are routed to the police and fire departments with jurisdiction.

The commission appointed Police Chief Richard Myers to work with the Conference of Western Wayne, the consortium of 17 municipalities coordinating the effort to establish the system in this area.

The more municipalities that agree to institute E-9-1-1, the cheaper the cost.

Though various options are available with the system, Myers said the most advanced set-up would cost \$25,000 to install, and \$1,300 per month, not including hardware costs.

Plymouth Township and Canton have already voiced their willingness to get involved with E-9-1-1.



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Commencing at the Northwest corner of Parcel 'c2a1a1a' in the Northeast quarter of Section 2, Charter Township of Canton, Town 2 South, Range 8 East, Wayne County, Michigan; thence Easterly to the Northwest corner of Parcel 'C2a1a1a'; thence Southerly along the East line of Parcels 'C2a1a1a' and 'D2' to the North line of Parcel '2Q'; thence Easterly along the North line of Parcel '2Q' to a point 300± feet West of the proposed Ronda Drive center line; thence Southerly parallel to the proposed Ronda Drive center line to a point 300± feet North of the South line of Parcel '2Q'; thence Westerly parallel to the South line of parcel '2Q', 500± feet; thence Northwesterly to the Southwest corner of Parcel 'D1'; thence Northerly along the West line of Parcels 'D1', 'C2a4', 'C2a3', 'C2a2', 'C2a1a2', 'C1', 'C2a1a1c, alb, C2b', 'C2a1a1B', AND 'C2a1a1a' to the Northwest corner of Parcel 'C2a1a1a', being the point of beginning.

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DESCRIPTION OF DRAINAGE DISTRICT FOR KOSS DRAIN IMPROVEMENT SAD #4

Commencing at the Northwest corner of Parcel 'C2a1a1a' in the Northeast quarter of Section 2, Charter Township of Canton, Town 2 South, Range 8 East, Wayne County, Michigan; thence Easterly to the Northwest corner of Parcel 'C2a1a1a'; thence Southerly along the East line of Parcels 'C2a1a1a' and 'D2' to the North line of Parcel '2Q'; thence Easterly along the North line of Parcel '2Q' to the East quarter corner of Section 1; thence Easterly along the East-West quarter line of Section 1 to the Southeast corner of Parcel 'N2'; thence Southerly parallel to the West Section line of Section 1 to a point on the South Section line of Section 1; thence Westerly along the South Section line to the Southeast corner of Section 2; thence Northwesterly to a point 380± feet North of the South Section line of Section 2 and 790± feet West to the East Section line of Section 2 to a point 300± feet South of the North line of Parcel '2R' thence Westerly parallel to the North line of Parcel '2R' to a point 800± feet West of the proposed center line of Ronda Drive; thence Northerly parallel to the proposed center line of Ronda Drive 600± feet; thence Northwesterly to the Southwest corner of Parcel 'D1'; thence Northerly along the West line of Parcels 'D1', 'C2a4', 'C2a3', 'C2a2', 'C2a1a2', 'C1', 'C2a1a1c, alb, C2b', 'C2a1a1a' to the Northwest corner of Parcel 'C2a1a1a', being the point of beginning.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Board of Education of Plymouth-Canton Community Schools invites the submission of sealed bids on the following:

- Eight (8) - 65 PASSENGER BUSES
- Two (2) - 54 PASSENGER BUSES, W/WHEELCHAIR LIFTS
- Two (2) - 20 PASSENGER BUSES
- Two (2) - CARGO VANS
- One (1) - STAKE TRUCK
- One (1) - CUBE DELIVERY TRUCK

Bids will be received until MONDAY, MARCH 3, 1986 AT 2:00 P.M. AT THE Board of Education Building, 454 South Harvey Street, Plymouth, Michigan at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read. Specifications and bid forms may be obtained at the Purchasing Office. The right to reject any and/or all bids is reserved.

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What is 'negative' media?

What is "negative" media?

Since that subject came up a couple weekends ago in a taxpayer-sponsored coffee confabulation at the Mayflower Meeting House for City of Plymouth commissioners, department heads and hangers-on, it's appropriate to discuss this oft-used subject again. The city's meeting was aimed at helping city honcho types in setting long-range goals.

And at the top of the page of goals sat "negative media."

No doubt, the city fathers and mothers felt that seeing the town's name on CNN with a report on "flying rats to fall" was negative media.

But was it really?

No doubt, the city manager felt that seeing a Community Crier photo of his son's go-kart being repaired in the city DPW garage was "negative" media.

But was it really?

Most of the subjective labeling -- what's good, what's bad -- comes from the eye of the beholder, not from the media folks.

So while reports about pigeon poisoning are viewed as negative by the simpering "all animals are good animals" crowd, they're viewed as positive by those who have to live and work near pigeon filth. Nationally the town got a rating of a "get up and get something done about a problem" kind of place by some, as animal haters by others.

And to city taxpayers, seeing a report on misuse of city facilities by the city manager may be negative news, it's also positive in that the very reporting helps to correct the problem.

Last Wednesday, City Hall was upset because The Crier printed the day of the pigeon's Last Supper. Granted, this possibly alerted the anti-poison crew to gear up for protesting. But it's the newspaper's job to alert the public -- good or bad.

In this particular case it's ironic because most of the newspaper folks think the pigeons should be eradicated. Nonetheless, their news judgment hasn't been colored.

The Crier has given lots of ink to letters opposing the poisoning as well as covering the protests.

So, once again, "negative" media surfaces.

What politicians generally mean by "negativism" is that someone disagrees with them. "Negative" media then give publicity to those folks. (It's like Jack Wilcox bawling that The Crier, which backed his appointment, hates him because it printed letters critical of his housekeeping.)

If the powers that be REALLY wanted to eliminate "negative media" they ought to keep their kids' go-karts out of city garages! Did that simple solution to the "problem" come up at the city's coffee confab?

Is a story that Linda Chuhnan is threatened by recall an example of "negative" media?

With Malice Toward None

By W. Edward Wendover



It depends on one's point of view. How about a story that Plymouth Township firefighters make more -- with overtime included -- than the township supervisor?

Again, that depends on whether one is the supervisor (whose expense account, car and other benefits weren't included) or a firefighter (who works lots of extra hours).

What was the "negative" factor in the press blasting City Hall for illegal politicking in its own newsletter? Was it the media or was it the politicians' act?

Often, the media is blamed as being "negative," when, in fact, the persons being reported about are the "negative" factors. It also happens when one is so close to the news that any public airing is construed to be "negative" -- like the Fiegel School Camp boosters.

This is not to say there is no "negative" news. Last week The Community Crier front page was full of it.

The sad story about 75-year-old Hazel Lindley wandering off into a field where she died. Two men died in separate accidents -- with stories and a photo on pg. 1. Certainly to all concerned, those are "negative" news items.

These three items -- the woman's death in the field, the Michigan Avenue fatality and the North Territorial freak crash -- hit home to The Crier staff even more than usual. Staffers knew the woman's family and a witness to each of the accidents.

That's a hazard of the community newspapering trade... the reporters, editors and photographers often know the people involved in such "negative" news.

As community citizens, media folks may have their own perceptions of what's "negative" or "positive" but it's not a factor in news reporting. (At

least it shouldn't be. In The Plymouth-Canton Community the level of journalism has historically been pretty darn good and opinions, albeit strong, are by and large kept on the opinion pages.)

And, quite honestly, the media folks aren't any more unbiased in rating news as "good" or "bad" than politicians are.

The same goes for readers.

Each individual carries a portfolio of experiences, biases and emotions into the evaluation of every new occurrence. Whether one views something new as "good" or "bad" depends on those privately-held beliefs.

So what's "negative" media?

Certainly politicians are too close to the trees to see the forest on the issue. Even with the able help of Think Tanker Jack Bologna (who led the city confab), that group couldn't solve that "problem" as they imagined it existed.

The media can and should do more to help identify the "negative" media perception and to explain the role and practical problems media folk face.

Society must take a more studied attitude of the situation as well. Newspaper readers and television viewers should more thoroughly analyze the nature of what appears at the initial look to be "good" or "bad" news.

There will always be "negative" media in the eyes of many. And there will sometimes be "negative" media in the eyes of most.

But at no time will everyone agree on the issue.

As a long-term goal, the city bigwigs might better concentrate on more important issues and on areas where they can actually have some impact on change.

But everyone, including them, should evaluate the role of the media in our community.



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Admittedly, this newspaper does stir things up

A small plaque sits on the desk of City Manager Henry Graper that itself may be worth the price of admission. It says: "O Lord help my words to be gracious and tender today for tomorrow I may have to eat them."

He has eaten a few but when considered against total verbiage, his percentage isn't too bad. But Graper can be a bit generous with numbers, like how many pigeons in a flock.

When asked about bad press, Graper, who as the city's front man dabbles with it, shrugs and says he has no complaints. He says he hasn't agreed with the way some issues have been handled but...

He probably worries less about bad press than those unnecessary delays in a favored project scheduled to begin immediately.

The City Commission considered negative media during its breakfast meeting a few weeks ago held to discuss goals and priorities. They talked, I am told, of the need to project a more positive image.

This is an image conscious town, right down to its colonial theme. Administrators these days not only have to be good at their jobs but know how to handle the press, too. Richard



Down The Road

By Brian Lysaght

Myers, the city's police chief, apologized to me recently because he had been short during a phone conversation we had. He apologized, I think, mostly because he is a nice man but also because he is conscious of my role as a newspaper reporter.

One local politician, who told me he and his fellow commissioners weren't politicians (semantics I suppose), said this newspaper likes to stir things up. "It's a small town, nothing much happens here..." he said.

The stirring, he said, can cause blood to boil. Commissioners take criticism personally, he said.

They shouldn't. I understand how they would of course but it is not intended to be personal. For an elected public official, like reporters and Detroit Tiger pitchers, taking heat comes with the job. Even in a small town where nothing much ever hap-

pens.

Admittedly, we do stir things up a bit. If people have something to say, we give them a forum -- sometimes more than they deserve but not usually. We put the message out where the masses can see it, then take it or leave it.

Good news is fine. City officials could probably do a better job of

Reading story was great

EDITOR: Many thanks for the fine article on John Young (Jan. 22; Ed Fitzgerald), a Plymouth-Canton adult student receiving reading assistance at Starkweather Center.

Because of your excellent article, we have had a number of people sign up for our reading and tutoring programs.

We truly appreciate the accuracy of

pointing it out to the unenlightened.

Bad news, on the other hand, is offered less readily by those involved. But edible words season the stew.

The commission, by the way, did a good job Monday night listening to residents who have rallied 'round the pigeons. Commissioners listened, accepted petitions, then explained that the city's position hadn't changed and that the birds will still be poisoned.

Joanne Wilken, who has been an effective opponent to the pigeon poisoning plan, left the meeting disappointed undoubtedly but she got a fair hearing, and that's to the credit of the commission.

your reporting and your sensitive portrayal of Mr. Young's story. If you have the opportunity, please continue to let others know that adults can receive reading help by calling 451-6555.

SHARON STREAN
ASSISTANT DIRECTOR,
COMMUNITY EDUCATION

3 opposed, 1 undecided

More pigeon poison positions

EDITOR: An open letter to City Manager Henry Graper and the Plymouth City Commission:

It would appear that you are indifferent to the pleas of many of our citizens concerning the inhumane poisoning of the pigeons with strychnine.

I saw this week after reading in The Crier that the execution has been moved up one week to this Sunday. I attempted to verify this by calling City Hall where I was referred to Paul Sincock. He informed me he did not know when it was being done and referred me to the DPW where the person answering the telephone told me she did not know -- that I would have to talk to the director who was not in for the day.

What about all the petitions being circulated concerning this inhumane deed?

I know some are in your hands already. It takes a lot of time, effort and dedication to a cause to carry this out. I know this for a fact -- and I believe citizens' concerns should be considered, and the execution not be moved up, if indeed that is the plan.

Apparently you are unwilling to look into alternative choices and being very autocratic.

This is not a humane method and I don't believe for one minute your claim to monitor this deed. Just how do you think you could carry this out. Also, I have seen these pigeons flying and from my observations no way are there 500.

ELIZABETH HAFLEY

EDITOR: YOUR TAX DOLLARS AT WORK: THE POISONING OF WILDLIFE

Here follows an article from the Feb. 10 issue of the Wall Street Journal:

ComEd: The Power And the Gory

"We Do Things Right," proclaims Commonwealth Edison Co. Wrong. Bedeviled by about 300,000 starlings that had been roosting for the winter at its Kincaid, Ill., power plant, ComEd decided to initiate eviction proceedings. "We had a health problem," says Emerson W. Lacey, the Chicago-based utility's Kincaid manager. "The droppings were piling up at the rate of an inch a week."

The company started with noisemakers, stuffed owls and shotgun fire. But when all that failed, it decided to try Rid-a-Bird, pesticide-loaded perches designed to poison the starlings on contact. Suddenly, starlings started dropping like flies.

Wildlife experts estimate the perches killed nearly 270,000 starlings. But then dead hawks, owls, cats and dogs began turning up around Edison's plant. Apparently, the birds stayed on the perches longer than expected, absorbing heavy doses of the pesticide, which was then passed on to neighborhood wildlife drawn to the dead birds.

Edison hastily pulled down the perches late last month after a taxidermist began all while mounting a pair of owls that died near the plant.



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The Community Crier

EDITOR: Pigeons got into our schools' (Canton High School) air conditioning system, were poisoned and died.

A couple weeks later, maggots started falling out of the vents.

I'm undecided about what to do with the pigeons.

ELIZABETH NAME WITHHELD

JOHN GUETTLER

community opinions

To The Point

By Dan Ness



Battle !!

Get ready for the Battle of the Governmental Units.

But, before the Battle, ask yourself this question: what do you consider yourself, a resident of The Plymouth-Canton Community, a resident of the Detroit-metro area or a resident of Wayne County?

Chances are, you think of yourself as a Cantonite (or Plymouthite) first, and a Wayne County resident somewhere after that. The fact that you live within 20 minutes of Detroit is merely an afterthought.

Well, watch out, because the county and city are about to vie for your attention.

Whether you live north or south of Joy Road does not matter here - you are in fact a Wayne County resident, subject to all its dictates, project ideas, plans and inflated drain assessments.

And to top it all, you get your water from that city just 20 minutes east of here.

Earlier this month, the Detroit City Council approved increased water rates from the Detroit Water and Sewer Department (DWSD), which means higher water bills for Plymouth Township and Canton residents starting July 1.

City residents used less water last year, so the DWSD will charge them less than last year. But, the city DPW absorbed those savings, spending eight per cent more last year, so city water rates will stay at the same level.

The Plymouth Township Board of Trustees went along with the nine per cent increase they received from the DWSD.

The Canton Board of Trustees, facing a 19 per cent increase in water rates, objected, and decided to take on the city to the east.

The board passed a resolution calling the increased rates unreasonable and unjustified and contrary to the agreement Canton has with the DWSD. They sent John Spencer, Canton finance director, to a Detroit City Council meeting to read the resolution objecting to "unreasonable and unjustified" increases in water rates.

According to Spencer, his experience at the Detroit City Council was not unlike the ancient Greek tradition of killing a messenger bearing bad news.

The Detroit City Council was not impressed with Canton's objections to a 19 per cent water rate increase. Like it or not, Detroit has the water, and Canton needs it. It's what economists call a seller's market.

But, what about those drains you've heard about lately?
County Drain Commissioner

Charles Youngblood is taking the heat after studies indicate his department was grossly mismanaged, with residents who pay drain assessments bearing the brunt of that fiscal foul-up.

This is not entirely a case of county vs. The Plymouth-Canton Community, however. County types are plenty mad, too.

County Executive William Lucas wants to make Youngblood's position an appointed one rather than an elected position. Youngblood's name most likely won't appear on Lucas' list for drain commissioner candidates.

A couple of county commissioners want to abolish the drain commissioner post altogether. And there's talk that the residents who were overcharged for their sewer assessments may get a financial break soon.

And, finally, Friday's inaugural meeting of the Rouge River Basin Committee brings together nearly every governmental unit you can find in the area. The ambitious, 20-year game plan for cleaning up what one committee organizer called "a 126-mile backup sewer system," will involve local money somewhere down the line.

When and where that money will be involved is unclear, as is the role of local governments in the massive cleanup project. Project coordinators - SEMCOG, DNR and many other groups better known by their acronyms - are vague as to specific financial involvement of your most-local municipality in the river cleanup.

The arguments regarding which community is paying their fair share of the cleanup will come much later. But rest assured, Plymouth-Canton residents, you are also a Wayne County resident and you will become more aware of that in the near future.

For a reminder, just look at the river in your neighborhood, the drains in your ditch, or this summer's water bills.

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Don't push snow in road

EDITOR:

For 11 years I have lived in Plymouth Township, and for 11 winters, when driving into town, I have seen homeowners on N. Territorial plowing the snow from their driveways onto N. Territorial.

They are long driveways, therefore, a lot of snow. Some have been kind enough to wait until I pass before continuing out onto N. Territorial. The thought most always goes through my mind how easy it would be to hit one of those piles of snow and lose control. The speed limit is 45 but most everyone does 50. Well, it finally happened last week causing a man's death.

On my way into town shortly after the accident, I saw two salt trucks parked on N. Territorial at Ridge Road and wondered why, when the roads were clear and dry. A few feet down the road, was this car, upside down in a ravine. The driveways had their usual pile of snow, now packed down by cars passing over it, making them slick. As was stated by a witness and printed in The Crier under a picture of the car, "He wasn't

GOING TOO FAST. He just hit that ice and he was gone."

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A little late now to save a man's life but time to think about an ordinance prohibiting the plowing of snow onto any busy thoroughfare. The homes of N. Territorial are far enough apart to shove snow into adjoining fields. I have been told that Walled Lake has an ordinance that if homeowners must plow their snow onto main roads, they continue on across the road and shove the snow into a field or ditch or whatever.

I can appreciate people wanting to get rid of their snow but not at a motorist's risk.

SPARKY KALLUNKI

EDITOR'S NOTE: The Wayne County medical examiner has determined that Paul Mitchell, 45, of Canton, died of a heart attack in the accident.

Save Wilcox House

EDITOR:

I too am hopping mad about the Wilcox House which is in such sad disrepair, not only because of the disrepair, but also I was reading in The Crier that the house was to be torn down and those horrid condominiums built there.

Plymouth is such a quaint and beautiful old village and town - should this happen, it would be a real tragedy.

I am a native of Michigan and Plymouth surroundings. My daughter lives on Wilcox Road and I spend several months there every year. As a matter of fact, I spent seven months there in 1985. I find the shops and buildings so fascinating - I spend hours and hours wandering the streets and shops.

I would like to make a suggestion if I may.

Why doesn't a person or family or community group buy the Wilcox

House and restore it, making what few changes are necessary, and turn the place into a unique money-making business?

I was just in such a place recently. This building is just a plain frame building like many of the older homes in Plymouth. The house has an old-fashioned full-glass front door with a banistered porch and a little old school desk and chair. On the other side of the entrance there was a cane-bottom sewing rocker and a very large black kettle which was used for boiling clothes or butchering on the farm.

I have gone to other places like this while travelling and find them interesting.

Excuse the mistakes - I am 76 years young and I've been a few places. Thanks for listening. I am still very mad.

CLARAMCLEOD

Attend your City meetings and speak

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pigeons -- every citizen was given the opportunity to speak.

However, very few citizens were present and none of us voiced any complaint. Since I was a navy man, my argument has always been with the seagulls and a federal law protects them.

In no way am I condoning their decision nor am I critical. What I am saying is -- you cast your vote on Nov. 5, 1985, you elected the present City Commission in preference to ANASON, BINGLEY, KROEGER,

and MORROW by a wide majority, now the least you could do is back them by attending the meetings.

You said at the ballot box that "these are the four we want to represent us" and then you sit at home and don't attend the meetings. I would suggest that if you have the time on Monday night to voice a complaint in person, you certainly have the time to come to every commission meeting, and support your elected officials.

JEAN L. MORROW

community deaths

These public notices are run free of charge.

Dethloff, Ford employe

Harvey F. Dethloff, Sr., 77, of Canton, died Feb. 14 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. Services were Feb. 18 at the Lambert-Vermeulen Funeral Home with Rev. Kenneth E. Zielke officiating.

Mr. Dethloff was born in 1908 in Livonia. He worked as a hi low driver for the Ford Motor Company for 31 years.

Survivors include: wife Luella K.; sons Harvey of Manchester, Robert L. of Plymouth and Richard A. of Livonia; daughters Kathryn Kalita of Salem and Virginia Andrekopoulos of Milwaukee; 14 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Riverside Cemetery.

Krantz, born in Austria

Mary Krantz, 93, of Canton Township, died Feb. 14 in Livonia. Services were Feb. 17 at St. John Neumann Catholic Church.

Mrs. Krantz was born in 1892 in Styria, Austria. She was a homemaker. She moved to Canton from Detroit in 1984. She was a member of the St. John Neumann Church.

Survivors include: daughters Mrs. Mary (Emil) Pulick of Sebring, FL, Mrs. Anna (James) Brining of Canton and Mrs. Rose Vratny of Westland; five grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren; six great-great grandchildren.

Burial was in Woodlawn Cemetery. Memorials may be given in the form of mass offerings.

McGarry, machinist

Howard B. McGarry, 77, of Plymouth, died Feb. 13 in Livonia. Services were Feb. 16 at the Schrader Funeral Home with Pastor Jerry Yarnell officiating.

Mr. McGarry was born in 1908 in Bloomingdale. He was a retired machinist. He moved to Plymouth in the late 1920's from Bloomingdale.

Survivors include: son Norman of Plymouth; daughter Mrs. Clara (LeRoy) Frisbey of Gowan; brothers Milford and Robert, both of Whitmore Lake, Clare of Plymouth; 16 grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Lapham Cemetery. Memorials may be given to the Michigan Cancer Foundation.

Stimpson, homemaker

Ruth M. Stimpson, 69, of Plymouth, died Feb. 14 in Ann Arbor. Services were Feb. 16 at the Schrader Funeral Home with Pastor Jerry Yarnell officiating.

Mrs. Stimpson was born in 1916 in Detroit. She was a homemaker.

Survivors include: husband James G. Stimpson of Plymouth; son James G. Stimpson Jr., of Ft. Myers Beach, FL; daughter Mrs. Joyce (David) Fehlig of Plymouth; sisters Mrs. Helen (Chester) Henning of Livonia and Mrs. Geraldine Stickels of Port Charlotte, FL; brother Fred Schmidt; four grandchildren.

Daggett, active volunteer

Ada Daggett, 87, of Plymouth, died Feb. 13 in Westland. Services were Feb. 17 at the Schrader Funeral Home with Dr. Frederick C. Vosburg officiating.

Mrs. Daggett was born in 1898 in Castile, New York. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Plymouth. She was a former teacher. She moved to Plymouth from New York in 1917. She was an active volunteer for fund drives for the March of Dimes, the Red Cross and other organizations.

Survivors include: sister Mrs. Mildred Wellman of Plymouth; niece Mrs. Ruth (Philip) Kellar of Asheville, North Carolina; nephew James Wellman of Rockledge, FL.

Burial was in Riverside Cemetery. Memorials may be given to the First United Methodist Church of Plymouth.

Kelly, born in Canada

Jean P. Kelly, 86, of Plymouth, died Feb. 11 in Garden City. Services were Feb. 14 at Riverside Cemetery with Rev. John Walaskay officiating.

Mrs. Kelly was born in 1899 in Canada.

Survivors include: son-in-law Ivan Gibbs of Maryland; nieces Helen Norton of Redford and Margaret Gardner of Canada.

Local arrangements were handled by the Schrader Funeral Home.

Trudell, die maker

Peter J. Trudell, 72, of Plymouth, died Feb. 10 in Plymouth. Services were Feb. 13 at the Schrader Funeral Home with Pastor Jerry Yarnell officiating.

Mr. Trudell was born in 1913 in Bay City. He was a tool and die maker at Detroit Diesel, retiring in 1970. He moved to Plymouth from Detroit in 1955. He was also active in the Canadian Legion.

Survivors include: wife Ruth A. Trudell; daughters Mrs. Joann Sibley of Tecumseh, Ontario, Canada and Mrs. Ann (Rodney) Barrigar of Caro; sons David L. Trudell of Fremont and Charles E. VanVleck of Plymouth; brother Alfred Trudell of Detroit; 11 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Oakland Hills Memorial Gardens. Memorials may be given to the American Lung Association.

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friends & neighbors

Beauty school wins by hair

Lehmann College of Beauty, Plymouth, won 14 awards at the recent North American Beauty and Fashion Show held in Dearborn.

Winners in the different categories were:

"New Woman" - makeover - 1st place, Kathy Johnson and Carolyn Lehmann; 2nd place, Jeff Hancock and Matthew Papa.

"Focus on Men" - men's haircutting - 1st place, Matthew Papa; 3rd place, Vicki Johnston.

"Fantastic Faces" - makeup - 1st place, Carolyn Lehmann; 3rd place, Scott LeCuyer.

"Mixed Company Total Look" - 1st place, Kelle LaBelle; 2nd place, Joanna Vittorelli; 3rd place, Ed Bielaska.

"Twilight Zone - Fantasy" - 1st place, Carolyn Lehmann, Chris Melow, Matthew Papa; 3rd place, Ed Bielaska, Laura Orley, Jacqueline Smock, Jeanine Richardson.

"Bold Ventures" - women's haircutting - 1st place, Matthew Papa.

"Technical Haircutting - Precision Haircutting" - 1st place, Matthew Papa.

"Professional - Bold Ventures" - 2nd place, instructor, Norma Stein.



Queen for a Day

KIM FRAZIER, left, is dressed for the nursery rhyme "One, two, buckle my shoe" (see her sticks?) Kim finds it amusing to be invited to a birthday party for the Queen of Hearts, played by Julie Price. The show was staged by Bonnie Miller's kindergarten class at Gallimore last Thursday. Students played different characters from Mother Goose. They all brought gifts for the Queen, except Mother Hubbard, who had a special present. (Crier photo by Chris Boyd)

Scholarship asks for applicants

The Mabel Lorenz Scholarship in the amount of \$500 is available from the Plymouth Branch Garden Club for students that are residents of the Plymouth community.

Interested applicants should submit a typed letter with the following information:

- cover letter with name, address, phone, age, parents name and high school;

- general background information, copy of high school grades, college you plan to attend, club activities, recommendations from two teachers and why you are applying for this scholarship.

Applications should be sent to: Education Committee, 12560 Lighthouse Ct., Plymouth 48170 by April 1.

For more information, call 459-1437.

CEP band takes honors

Thirty-four CEP Band members received high ratings at the recent district Solo and Ensemble Festival.

The festival, which is sponsored by the Michigan School Band and Orchestra Association, was held at Livonia Franklin High School.

CEP students who won blue ribbons symbolizing outstanding performances were: Cris Trapani, flute solo; Greta Schnurstein, flute solo; Kristy VanBuhler, flute solo; Kathi Andrew, clarinet solo; Laura Dahlke, piano solo and flute solo; Andrew Dahlke, piano solo and alto sax solo; Jane Gerke, clarinet solo; Chris Braidwood, trumpet solo; Roger Moore, piccolo solo; Sarah Erickson, oboe solo; Kevin Hinks, trumpet solo; Lisa Gasparott,

clarinet solo; Sharon Katt, clarinet solo; Debbie DeJohn, clarinet solo; Brian Krug, trumpet solo; Cheryl Scott, french horn solo; Roger Moore and Kristy VanBuhler, flute duet; Karen Luelleman and Ann McCracken, woodwind ensemble.

Red ribbons for excellent presentation were awarded to: Michelle Smith, flute solo and piano solo; Jeff Samarziya, clarinet solo; Colleen Sullivan, clarinet solo; Matthew Miller, clarinet solo; Deborah Smith, snare drum solo; Barbara Krug, flute solo; Michelle Viele, clarinet solo; Kim Resler and Kathy Worrall, woodwind ensemble; Barbara Krug and Cris Trapani, woodwind ensemble.



POLLY MacISAAC

Polly MacIsaac has been chosen as the Elks' student of the month for February for Canton High School.

MacIsaac is a very active student in and out of school. Her in-school activities include: four years in the

Elks' pick

Symphonic Band, three years in marching band, four years in orchestra and a section leader for the Pit Orchestra for the school musical.

MacIsaac has also been active in student council, National Honor Society and was named to the principal's honor roll.

Outside of school, MacIsaac's accomplishments include: being an honorary member of the Blue Lake Fine Arts Camp, a scholarship winner from the Blue Lake Fine Arts Camp and an honorary alterperson at Divine Savior church.

MacIsaac's hobbies include music, dancing, aerobics, cross-stitching and travelling.

She is the daughter of Donald and Patricia MacIsaac of Plymouth.

WINNER OF THE WEEK

(Winner of the Week is selected by The Crier Editorial Staff without knowledge of the sponsor. Nominations for this honor may be submitted to The Crier Editorial Staff.)

PLYMOUTH DPW

The City of Plymouth DPW is awarded this week's "Winner of the Week" for work above and beyond the call of duty in clearing snow after Sunday's storm. Even the early birds in the city found cleared streets, alleys and parking lots on Monday morning. DPW Director Ken Vogras and his workers are to be commended for their efforts in traffic safety after the biggest snowfall of the year.

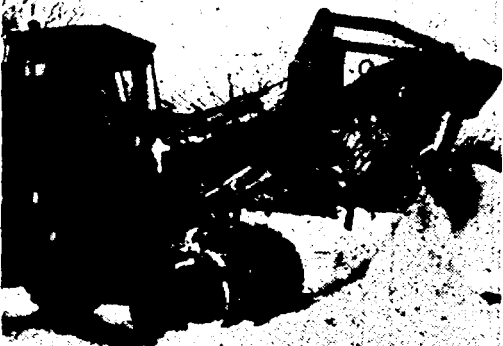


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tell it to Phyllis



Due to the fact that the file is getting thick with all the notices from colleges and the military, this week's column space is being used for catch up. Congratulations to those who are being recognized for special achievements.

Karin Barto, an Alma College junior from Plymouth, is in Madrid, Spain, studying Spanish at the Estudio Internacional Sampere. She is participating in the college's International Studies Program for Winter Term 1986. A 1983 graduate of Canton High School, she is the daughter of Glen and Constance Barto of Willowbrook, Plymouth. She is majoring in international business.

Andrew Dahlke received an Honorable Mention in the National Foundation for Advancement in the Arts Talent Search Awards. A Canton High School senior, he participated in the music category.

Students from Plymouth included on the fall semester Honors List at Central Michigan University are: Andrew Bagnasco of Crabtree, a freshman; Donna Maxwell of Goldsmith, a senior; and Piper Redmond, a freshman.

Plymouth students named to the Dean's Honor Roll at Lawrence Institute of Technology are: Jamie Chiatlas; and Daming He.

Students from Canton included on the list are: Leanne Bouman, Scott Sumner, Scott Van Der Roest; and Karen Wright.

Lauren Beth Pearson, daughter of Robert and Marion Pearson of Church Street in Plymouth, has been named resident assistant at Northern Michigan University. She is a junior majoring in special education with a psychology minor.

Laura Weast of Rockledge Drive in Plymouth was named to the Dean's List at The College of Wooster in Ohio.

Marine Pfc. Jamie Graser, son of Jay Graser of Herald, Plymouth has been meritoriously promoted to his present rank upon graduation from recruit training at Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego. He is a 1985 graduate of Salem High School.

John Tobin, son of Truda Simmons of Canton, received his M.A. in history from EMU in Dec. He now has a full teaching assistanceship at WSU, working on a Ph.D.

Plymouth students named to the Dean's List at Madonna College are: Laura Barnes of General Drive; Sheryl Callen of Sunset; Renee DeZell of Maxwell; Brenda Dougherty of Northern; Lisa Duynslager of Willowbrook; Jacquelyn Dyer of Firwood; Myrtle Ebert of Colony Farm Drive; Christine Hughes of North Territorial; Karen Kivisto of Ann Arbor Trail; Judith Morway of Shadywood Drive; Jillian Plumley of Harvey; Frank Remski of Gotfredson; Walter Remski of Gotfredson; Susan Ryder of Sheridan; Suzanne Talaske of Sunset; Timothy Trahey of Iyywood; Judith Van Newkirk of Woodgate Drive; Bridget Volinski of Main Street; and Carla Vollmer of Manton.

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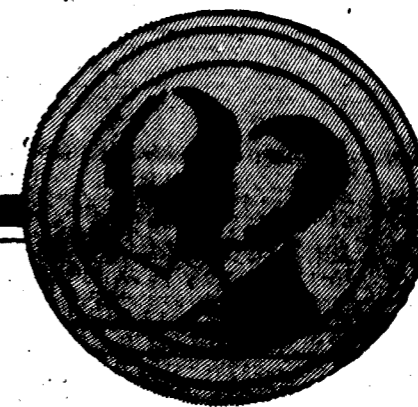
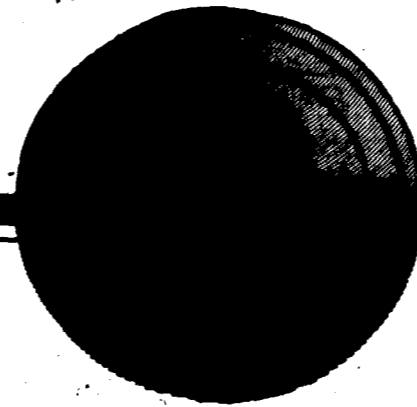
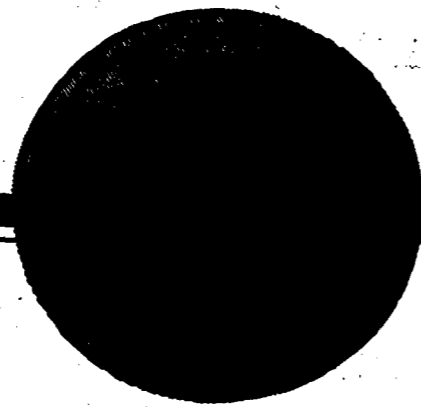
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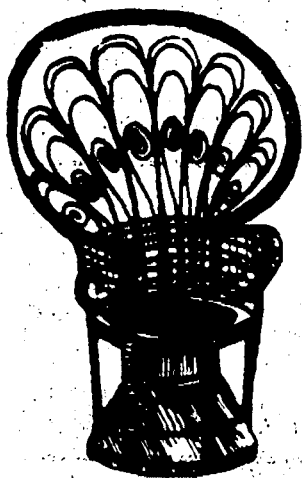
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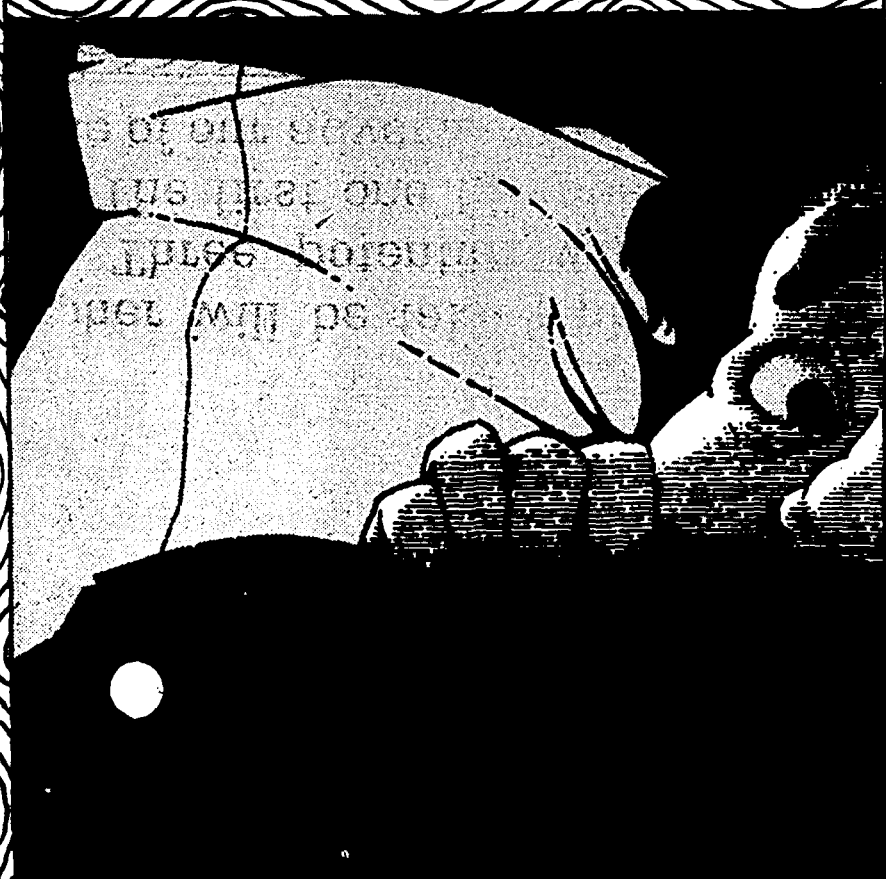
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THE GREAT SKATE OF MICHIGAN
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TUPPERWARE SALE
 The Plymouth Community Family YMCA is selling microwave tupperware Feb. 24 - March 7 to raise money to feed the animals at its Camp Ohiyasa. Call 453-2904.

FREE LECTURE ON CHEMICAL DEPENDENCY
 "What Are the Medical Aspects of Chemical Dependency" is the topic 7 p.m. Feb. 20 at the Arbor Health Bldg, 990 W. Ann Arbor Trail, Plymouth. Call 572-4300.

PLYMOUTH HISTORICAL MUSEUM
 Miniature houses, rooms and outdoor scenes are the running exhibit at the museum. Featured: greenhouse, flower shop, dining room, shell shop and nursery. The museum is open to the public Thursday, Saturday and Sunday from 1-4 p.m. Call 455-8940.

THREE HEALTH WORKSHOPS AT MADONNA COLLEGE
 "Holistic Health: Caring for Yourself" is Feb. 20 from 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. Fee is \$15. "Therapeutic Touch: Touch-Massage Techniques for Health Professionals" is Feb. 22 from 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. Fee is \$40. "How to be a Health Care Consultant" is March 15 from 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. Fee is \$35. Call 591-5188 for more info.

NEED A JOB?
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CANTON WOMEN'S CLUB
 The club meets the third Friday of each month at 9:30 a.m. in the Faith Community Moravian Church, 46001 Warren Rd, Canton. Call 561-4110.

PLYMOUTH COMMUNITY ARTS COUNCIL
 A get-acquainted lunch is 11:30 a.m. March 7 in Le Gastronomique Room at Schoolcraft College. Cost is \$1. Call 455-5260 for reservations by Feb. 21.

WIZARD OF OZ
 The American Association of University Women will present Frank Baum's best-known tale at 7:30 p.m. Feb. 27-28 then again at 10 a.m., 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. March 1 in the Salem High Auditorium. Tickets are \$1.50 and can be purchased Feb. 11-13 before classes at all elementary schools in the Plymouth-Canton district.

WEIGHT WATCHERS MEETINGS
 For Canton, Monday nights 7 p.m. 7933 Sheldon, Georgia Hawrylak. In Plymouth, meetings are Tuesdays 9:30 a.m. and Thursdays 6:30 p.m. 525 Farmer Street, Nancy Sutherland.

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SCHOOLCRAFT COLLEGE
 Full-day horsemanship clinics are Feb. 9, March 8, and April 13. Horse-related classes begin Feb. 5. The college's community services courses run Feb. 3-8. Classes are "Winning Sales Techniques," "Basic Investment Seminar," "Organization of a Non-profit Organization," "Advanced Handwriting Analysis." Call 591-6400 ext. 409.

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TAX BREAK '86
 Channel 56 in Detroit will broadcast a two-hour special on tax breaks 3 p.m. Feb. 23. IRS experts will field phone calls at 1-800-424-1040.

ADOPTION
 The Children's Aid Society, 7700 Second, Detroit, will hold an informational meeting 7 p.m. Feb. 19. This year's goal is to find more permanent homes for black children ages infant - 17 years. Call 875-0020.

MADONNA COLLEGE REGISTRATION
 New and returning students can sign up March 3-29 for spring-summer classes. Call 591-5052.

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SQUARE DANCING
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SLEEPYTIME STORY HOUR
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CANTON REPUBLICAN CLUB

The club meets 8 p.m. Feb. 20 at the Historical Society Bldg. in Canton.

KIWANIS CLUB OF PLYMOUTH

Bring in a blank video tape and the Kiwanians will tape your kid, ages six months to 18 years. Pat Thomas, of the Dunning Hough Library, will show a film called 'Safe Kids.' For more info call Joe Pekarek 453-5920.

PLYMOUTH-CANTON PARENTS WITHOUT PARTNERS

A general membership meeting is 8 p.m. Feb. 20 at the Plymouth Hilton. Financial consultant Val Vandersloot will speak. A dance will follow. Cost \$2. For more info call 455-3851 or 721-2202.

SPRING ARTS AND CRAFTS

The City of Plymouth Parks and Recreation Department will hold its annual Spring Arts and Crafts show March 14-16 at the Plymouth Cultural Center. Admission will be free. For details call 455-6620.

SHHHHHH

This hard-of-hearing club will meet at 7:30 p.m. Feb. 26 in the Geneva Presbyterian Church in Canton. The Oakwood-Canton Center Hospital will present a program. Open to the public. Call Pat Haggerty at 453-8894.

PLYMOUTH THEATRE GUILD

The group is holding auditions for the upcoming production of "Everybody Loves Opal" 7:30 p.m. Feb. 25 and 27 at Central Middle School in Plymouth. Call 397-2779.

"HOW DO I GET SOME HELP?"

A free presentation at the Arbor Health Building on chemical dependency 7 p.m. Feb. 27. Call 572-4300.

FREE BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENINGS

Come for a test 1-5 p.m. Feb. 24 at the Arbor Health Building, 990 W. Ann Arbor Trail, Plymouth. Call 455-5869.

REYES SYNDROME

A live call-in show on Channel 15, sponsored by Passage-Gayde post no. 391 American Legion, focuses on Reyes Syndrome. Dr. A. Sarnaik will be the guest. 7:30 p.m. March 4. Call 495-1633.

DINNER DANCE

Schoolcraft College's Gourmet Club will present a dinner-dance 6:30 p.m. Feb. 21. Tickets are \$20 per person. Music by *Starlight*. Call 591-6400 ext. 595.

BREAD FOR THE WORLD

A meeting of this anti-hunger group is 7:30 p.m. March 5 at Our Lady of Good Counsel in the parish annex. Anyone interested please attend. Call 420-2060.

"LIFE WITH DIABETES"

A six-week series of diabetes education classes begins 7 p.m. Feb. 25 and will continue each Tuesday at Oakwood Canton Center Hospital. Fee for the series is \$30. Call 459-7030.

NEW MORNING SCHOOL

The school's second series of Saturday special interest classes begins March 1. The classes are for children three and one-half to 12 years of age. Other classes include: *Cooking and Crafts (three and one-half to six years)*, *Dinosaurs (5-8 years)*, and *Ceramics (7-8 years)*. Call 420-3331 for more info.

THE FITNESS FIX

Exercise classes for men, women and teens 6:30 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays at the Cultural Center. Call 349-6881.

ILLUSTRATORS CONTEST

Area students in grades 7-12 may enter an original drawing and win up to \$100 in a contest sponsored by the Canton Public Library. The winners will be announced April 8. Got to the library for entry forms.

A.A.R.P. OFFERS TAX ADVICE

Free tax counseling is made available to senior citizens, low-income people, and shut-ins of the Plymouth-Northville area. Sites are: Salvation Army, 9451 S. Main, Plymouth 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. through April 14; Cultural Center, 525 Farmer, Plymouth 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. through April 9; Dunning Hough Library, 223 S. Main, Plymouth 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. through April 10.

15TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT DEMOCRATS

State Senator Lana Pollock will speak to the Democrats 8 p.m. Feb. 20 at the U.A.W. Hall in Taylor. Call 287-8130.

PLYMOUTH NEWCOMERS

A luncheon is 11:30 a.m. March 6 at Karl's Family Restaurant. Price is \$8.50. The Greek menu luncheon will be followed by speaker Kay Rednour, who will talk on "Color Analysis." Call 451-0796 or 455-0113 by noon Feb. 28 for reservations.

TRIP TO HATHAWAY HOUSE

The City of Plymouth Parks and Recreation is sponsoring a one-day trip to Blissfield Feb. 21. Cost is \$26.25. For more info call 455-6620.

JAYCEES MILLIONAIRE PARTY

The Canton and Westland Jaycees will throw away millions 8 p.m. - midnite Feb. 22 at the VFW Hall on Hix Road, between Ford and Warren, in Westland. Admission is \$2. Call 397-2035.

MEMBERSHIP NIGHT

The Canton Jaycees will be your host 7:30 p.m. Feb. 26 at the Roman Forum Restaurant. Keith Alessi will be the guest speaker. Men and women ages 18-36 are invited.

TEEN DANCE

The Canton Jaycees and the New Trend Band will play the hits 8:30-11:30 p.m. Feb. 21 at the Canton Recreation Center. Admission is \$1.

FINAL SKI TRIP

Glide down Alpine Valley with Canton Parks and Recreation Feb. 21. Leave Canton Township Hall at 5 p.m. and return just after midnite.

BOAT SAFETY

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Heart attack did

Crash didn't kill man

A Canton man police found dead inside his overturned car on North Territorial last week apparently died of a heart attack, not from injuries suffered in a car wreck.

Paul David Mitchell, 45, of Trails Court in Canton died of coronary disease, according to a spokes-woman

for the Wayne County Medical Examiner, who performed an autopsy of Mitchell last week.

His car flipped and landed in a ditch along North Territorial near Ridge Road in Plymouth Township Feb. 11. Police originally thought Mitchell had lost control of his car after it hit a patch of ice.

Cleaning up the Rouge



WAYNE COUNTY work crews were repairing this bridge over the Rouge River last week in Plymouth Township. Crews should begin cleaning the river itself within 20 years, according to a recently announced plan. (Crier photo by Chris Boyd)

Cont. from pg. 1 during the 20-year project. The committee would be collecting money for a "Rouge River defense fund" from the private sector, Murray said, and is aiming to collect \$60,000 in the first year.

"Money is always a problem," Murray said. "But, we didn't want a lot of grants from the (federal) government for the defense fund."

"To get this river back in shape the way it was 100 years ago . . . would certainly be a benefit to all of our communities," Robinson said.

"It's a situation where there's not enough money and no one wants to spend money," Poole said. "They want someone else to pay for it (Rouge cleanup)."

The committee will be seeking input from the local communities during the

next year to help determine what action to take for the duration of the project.

As part of the overall plan, local participation committees will "decide if changes are needed to plan, finance, implement, and enforce the needed improvements in the Basin," according to an agreement reached between SEMCOG and the DNR on the project.

The pollution on the river is most evident in the urban areas of Detroit and suburban areas closest to Detroit, according to committee members. "Now, we're making an effort to break the cycle of degradation" on the Rouge River, said Jim Murray, chairman of the Michigan Water Resources Commission.

Among other things, the committee

community births

Courtney joins the Wrights

Bethany Lynn, age five years, and sister Aimee Marie Wright, age two years, proudly announce the birth of their sister Courtney Lynn Dec. 16 at Oakwood Hospital, Dearborn. Courtney weighed 9 lb., 3 oz. and measured 23 inches. She is the daughter of Joan and Jim Wright, 853

Ross in Plymouth. Maternal grandparents are John and Twila Williams of Washington, PA.; paternal grandparents are Clifton and Betty Wright of Houston, PA. Great-grandparents are George and Thelma Wright of Houston, PA.

Hello Victor!

John and Judy Darolfi, of Canton, announce the birth of their first child, Victor Charles, born Oct. 12, 1985.

Proud grandparents are Elvira Darolfi, of Canton; Charles and Irene Leith, of Plymouth. The child was named after the late Victorio Darolfi, of Canton.

Great-grandmother is Maria Darolfi, of Supino, Italy.

Terry arrives

John and Ruth Niemiec of Terry Street in Plymouth, announce with pleasure the birth of son Eric Michael, Dec. 12 at Botsford General Hospital, Farmington Hills.

Eric Michael weighed in at 9 lbs., 7 oz. and measured 22.5 inches. He has two older brothers, John, age six years, and Matthew, age two years.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Niemiec and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kurkerwicz, all of Alpena.

Welcome James

James Taylor Burns was born Nov. 25 to proud parents Stephen and Amy Burns of Brooke Park in Canton. James is the couple's first child and weighed 8 lbs., 21.75 oz. at birth at Providence Hospital.

Grandparents are James and Susan Taylor of St. Clair, and James and Margaret Burns of Detroit.

Hail Halle!

Lew and Karen Burton of Plymouth happily announce the birth of daughter Halle Lucile, born Dec. 22 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital. At birth, Halle weighed 7 lbs., 11.5 oz.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Keith Burton and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Curreri, both of Plymouth.

Kelly weighs in

Larry and Elizabeth Wasalaski of Pacific in Plymouth proudly announce the birth of daughter Kelly JoAnn Wasalaski, Dec. 12 at St. Joseph Hospital in Ann Arbor.

Kelly weighed in at five lbs., 12 oz. and was 18 and one-half inches long. She rounds out a family of Kristen Ann (seven and one-half yrs.) and Carrie (four and one-half).

Grandparents are Jack and JoAnn Shinn of Carmel, IN.; Gil and Melva Wasalaski of Plymouth.

Enter Emily

C. Mark and Nancy Freckelton, of Plymouth, are proud to announce the birth of their first child, Emily Anne.

Emily Anne was born Nov. 25 at St. Joseph's Hospital in Ann Arbor, and weighed 6 pounds, 14 ounces at birth.

The happy grandparents are Carl and Barbara Freckelton of Grosse Ile, and Bernard and Elinor Casmere of Warren.

engagements & anniversaries

Gordon and Judy Smith of Russell, Plymouth, and Jerry and Pauline Talaga of Micol, Plymouth, announce the engagement of their children, Sherry Smith and Michael Talaga. The bride-elect is a 1980 graduate of Huron Valley Lutheran High School. She is employed by Burroughs Corp. in Southfield. Her fiance is a 1981 graduate of Plymouth Canton High School and is employed as a superintendent at R.A. DeMattia Construction Co.

They plan an April 1986 wedding in St. Peter's Lutheran Church of Plymouth.



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always tomorrow,' so the legend has grown and woven itself into the reality until the two can no longer be untangled." This, according to filmmaker Clint Denn, is Polynesia. He will present a 90-minute film at 8 p.m. tonight at Salem High School auditorium, sponsored by the Plymouth Kiwanis.

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This lecture is co-sponsored by the Office of Health Promotion and Catherine McAuley Health Center's Chemical Dependency Program. For more information, please call 572-4300.

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sports

Chief gymnasts face the school of hard knocks

BY CHRIS FARINA

Canton's gymnastics coach John Cunningham said Saturday he felt like he had a dark cloud over his head.

The Chiefs had lost to Freeland 130.75 to 120.25 the day before, his car blew a tire on the way home from the meet, and his top gymnast broke her hand in a freak accident just after the meet.

Darcy Gignac is probably out for the season after breaking her hand during a friendly headstand contest among gymnasts awaiting scores following the meet.

Though Freeland was without its top two gymnasts, "their reserves ain't bad either," said Cunningham. Julie Morman and Diane Langhorne of Freeland dominated the meet and recorded all-around scores of 33.85 and 33.9 respectively.

Mary Jo Charron finished second with 8.1 on the bars. Gignac was third and Carol Horvath fifth. Gignac tied for fifth with Apryl Mosakowski on the bars and took fifth on the floor exercises.

"I'm not disappointed with anything we did. It's just we didn't have a chance to win. They have some pretty big guns," Cunningham said.

The Chiefs qualified for conference competition with the score though.

They face Northville and Salem tonight and Walled Lake Western Thursday.

The Salem gymnastics team scored a record high 133.85 to beat the Canton gymnasts' 121.55

"After they hit 130 they were anxious to get higher," said coach Kathi Kinsella.

Salem took the first three places in all the events.

In vault Beth Rafail scored 8.9, Jackie Huff came away with second place scoring 8.5 while Becky Talbot scored 8.25.

On the uneven bars, Talbot scored 8.35, Rafail took an 8.0 and Huff



CANTON'S Apryl Mosakowski performs on the vault Wednesday against Salem. The Rocks dominated the meet. (Crier photo by Chris Farina)

scored 7.8.

Talbot who has been scoring high for Salem on the bars, injured her thumb over the weekend. She will not be able to compete against Northville and it is not known how long she will be out.

"Without Becky its going to be tough to hit that 133," Kinsella said.

Salem ended up with three nines in floor exercises, Rafail scored 9.25,

Huff came away with a 9.2 and Talbot with a 9.05.

In overall scores Rafail scored 34.85 which is a new school record and the highest in the league. Huff scored 34.10 and Talbot a 33.25.

"The reason we scored so high is because the backup people came through for us," said Kinsella.

She doesn't account the high score to that alone, but it did help she said.

Salem's record now stands at 7-2.

Canton hands Harrison an upset loss

BY CHRIS FARINA

The fans were on their feet. The Canton Chiefs beat the Farmington Harrison Hawks Friday night 49-47, which prompted a standing ovation from the Canton crowd.

Canton was beaten by the Hawks earlier this year, but they were able to come around the second time and beat the 10th ranked Hawks.

Canton controlled throughout the game forcing Harrison to use a zone defense rather than man-to-man, which the Hawks prefer.

The Chiefs held Harrison's star player, Ken George, to two points in the first half.

At halftime the scoreboard read 38-28.

"I think we played excellent defense and controlled the tempo of the game," said coach Tom Niemi.

The second half began to get aggressive as both teams racked up the fouls and the free throws. Jeffery Lyle fouled out of the game.

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Hoopsters lose a close one to NF

BY JEFF BENNETT

A few inches cost the victory Friday when Salem lost to North Farmington 55-54 in basketball.

With 11 seconds left, Rock Paul Makara approached the freethrow line, missed a one and one shot, North Farmington's Rick Anderson took the rebound and sunk a 16-foot jump shot. Salem called a time out with seconds remaining. They took the ball out, attempted a jump shot and missed.

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On to regionals for grapplers

C-C tops Rock wrestlers for trophy

Salem settled for second best and Canton finished among the top ten at the wrestling districts meet held Saturday in Ypsilanti.

Catholic Central beat the Rocks 216.5-169.5 to claim the district champion title. Canton finished ninth out of 18 teams with 54 points.

Salem's Kevin Freeman at 132 pounds and James Wochuk at 185 pounds were the only Salem grapplers to finish first for Salem.

The six wrestlers who will continue with Freeman and Wochuk to the regional meet Saturday at Gibraltar Carlson are: Dennis Dameron at 112 pounds, who finished second and brother Dave at 126 pounds, who also finished second.

"The Damerons didn't lose to any slouches," said coach Ron Krueger.

Dennis lost to Salem Yaffi and David lost to Dave McMaughton.

Todd Bourlier, a 98-pounder, placed third along with 119-pounder Tim Ott,

Fred Calma at 105 pounds and Kirk Rentz at 138 pounds.

"At the end of the first round, everyone (had) won, so they all had a chance," said Krueger. "Some of the kids are done. For the underclassmen, some of them have a bad taste in their mouth which will make them work harder next year."

For Krueger, there was a little disappointment this year because he could not coach his son Lee, who wrestles for Catholic Central.

"I felt a little bad," said Krueger.

"I don't have an opportunity to coach my son and that's something that will be lingering in my mind."

Canton coach Rick Menoch said he placed the two wrestlers whom he felt he could.

Tim Birely at 119 pounds placed second and 112-pounder Dave Dunford placed third. They will be the only Canton representatives.

"I would have been very disappointed if they didn't make it," said Menoch.



Panoramic View

By Chris Farina

My nose won't bleed

Saturday night I attended my first professional basketball game.

I watched the Detroit Pistons take on the Philadelphia 76ers. The Pistons won, by the way, in overtime.

Walking into the game I figured I knew a bit about basketball, especially after I covered so many Salem and Canton games.

Well I was wrong.

I encountered a few things I never have before while going to a high school game.

Parking.

I never have to worry about where I'm going to park when I go to C.E.P. But after I sat in traffic for a half an hour I realized all those people had to park somewhere.

I managed to park within walking distance of the Silverdome.

Searches.

Before I was able to get into the game a security officer asked that I

open my coat so he could see inside. Maybe he thought I looked a little shady.

Nosebleeds.

I ended up sitting in what is deemed the "nosebleed section." It seemed like with one stretch of the arm I would be able to touch the top of the dome! The court looked like...well if I would have seen the court I could tell you but I was too high up.

I can now say if I saw Bill Laimbeer, Kelly Tripuka or Doctor J. I would know what the tops of their heads looked like.

For the most part, it was a semi-enjoyable experience, but I find it more enjoyable to go see the kids do it.

Watching Tyrone Reeves dribble down court for a lay-up, or Antonio Diaz do his stuff is much more worth my time.

Salem gives up slim lead

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"The kids fought back," said coach Bob Brodie. "They (North Farmington) played well."

Salem started with an 8-0 lead at the end of the first quarter.

"An eight to nothing score isn't really much of a lead," said Brodie.

Brodie was right, because North turned around and had a 26-20 lead at the end of the half.

In the third period, Salem was up by nine, but in the end, it came down to the wire.

Rock Mike Hale, suffered throughout the game with three fouls to his name in the first quarter. In the beginning of the second half, Hale received his fourth. Brodie said he had to rely on the effort from the bench.

Antonio Diaz, who is Salem's sixth man, sunk eight points, while Brian Kearis carried the Rocks with 17 points.

Anderson had 26 of the 55 points.

Salem drops to 7-7 and is without Jeff Justice who had knee surgery.

Brodie said he maybe out for the rest of the season.

At 7 p.m., Salem hosts John Glenn on Friday. Brodie says that he hopes to control the tempo of the game and slow it up on Glenn.

Chiefs upset Harrison

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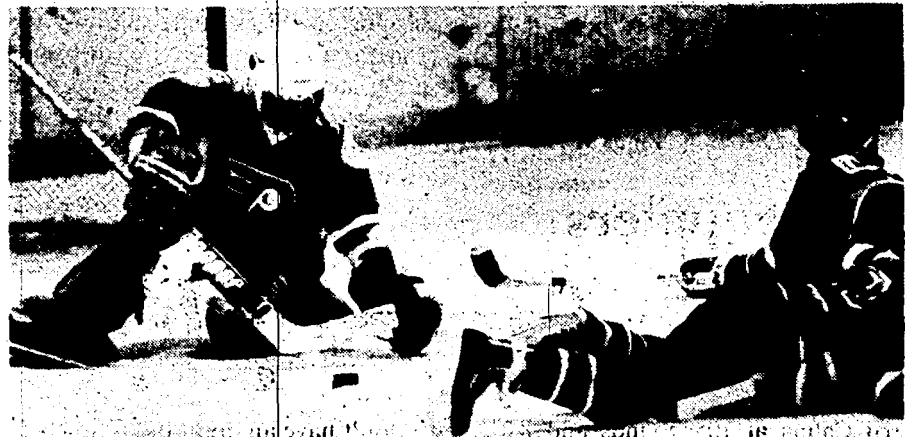
Canton was 9-18 at the free throw line while Harrison was 13-23.

Top scorers of the night for Canton were Joel Mies who had 19, Tyrone Reeves and Dan Young both had eight.

Sophomore starter Roger Trice will be out for the rest of the season because of injuries. He has a torn hamstring.

His teammates are beginning to adapt, minus Trice.

The Chiefs record was 10-7 overall going into last night's game.



Making the cut

PLYMOUTH-CANTON Bantam 'A' and 'B' (above) teams won their respective district championship at the Cultural Center last week. The 'A' Flyers will host and play in the state tourney March 6-9. The 'B' tournament will be played in Southfield. (Crier photo by Chris Boyd)

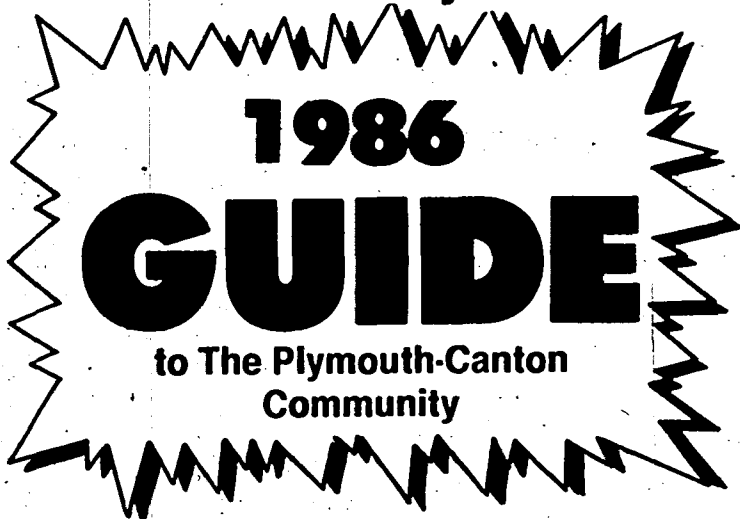
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LEANNE BECKER (4) and Lisa Madis (2), both Salem senior co-captains, play tough on the nets Saturday during the 30-team Schoolcraft Invitational. The Rocks won four games and lost four. They beat Clarenceville and Franklin. (Crier photos by Chris Boyd)

Girls go 4-4 at invite

NF beats v-ball Rocks



ROCKS (from left) Leanne Becker, and juniors Jessica Handley and Sarah Dapret do some tricky setting Saturday against Franklin. Salem's record is 4-7 in the league and 7-14 overall.

BY JEFF BENNETT

The Salem volleyball team lost Monday to North Farmington.

Though the Rocks won their first game 15-7, they lost the second 15-5, and the third 19-17.

Denice Tackett had five aces during the first game.

Salem's winter break thinned the team's ranks. Coach Betty Smith's team lost two key starters and was forced to play more inexperienced players.

Smith said the girls are learning to adapt well. She said having the new people makes it difficult on the opposing teams when they don't see Salem's regular line-up.

But she said it was hard for the team to adjust to the new line-up.

At the Schoolcraft Invitational Saturday, Salem chalked up a solid 4-4 record for the day.

The Rocks beat Clarenceville, but lost to Franklin.

In the early part of the day, Salem split two games with Dearborn, the team that won the Salem Invitational.

Salem has home court advantage when they battle John Glenn at 7 p.m. tonight.

Rocks sink NF

BY JEFF BENNETT

It was nothing to worry themselves about.

The Salem boys swimming team beat North Farmington 96-76 Thursday.

"It was the first time we had swam against North," said coach Chuck Olson. "They are rated eighth in the state and I knew we had to swim better. I was not overly concerned."

Salem's night started off with a first and second place in the 200 medley relay. David Miller, Rick Cummings, Tony Atwell, and Kevin Zarow took first with a 1:45.33 time.

The Rocks also scored a first in the 50 freestyle when Zarow swam a :22.83 time and in the 100 backstroke with Miller swimming a :59.48.

The meet was close throughout the night, with only 10 points separating

the two teams. The Rocks stayed in control of the meet with their consistent second places.

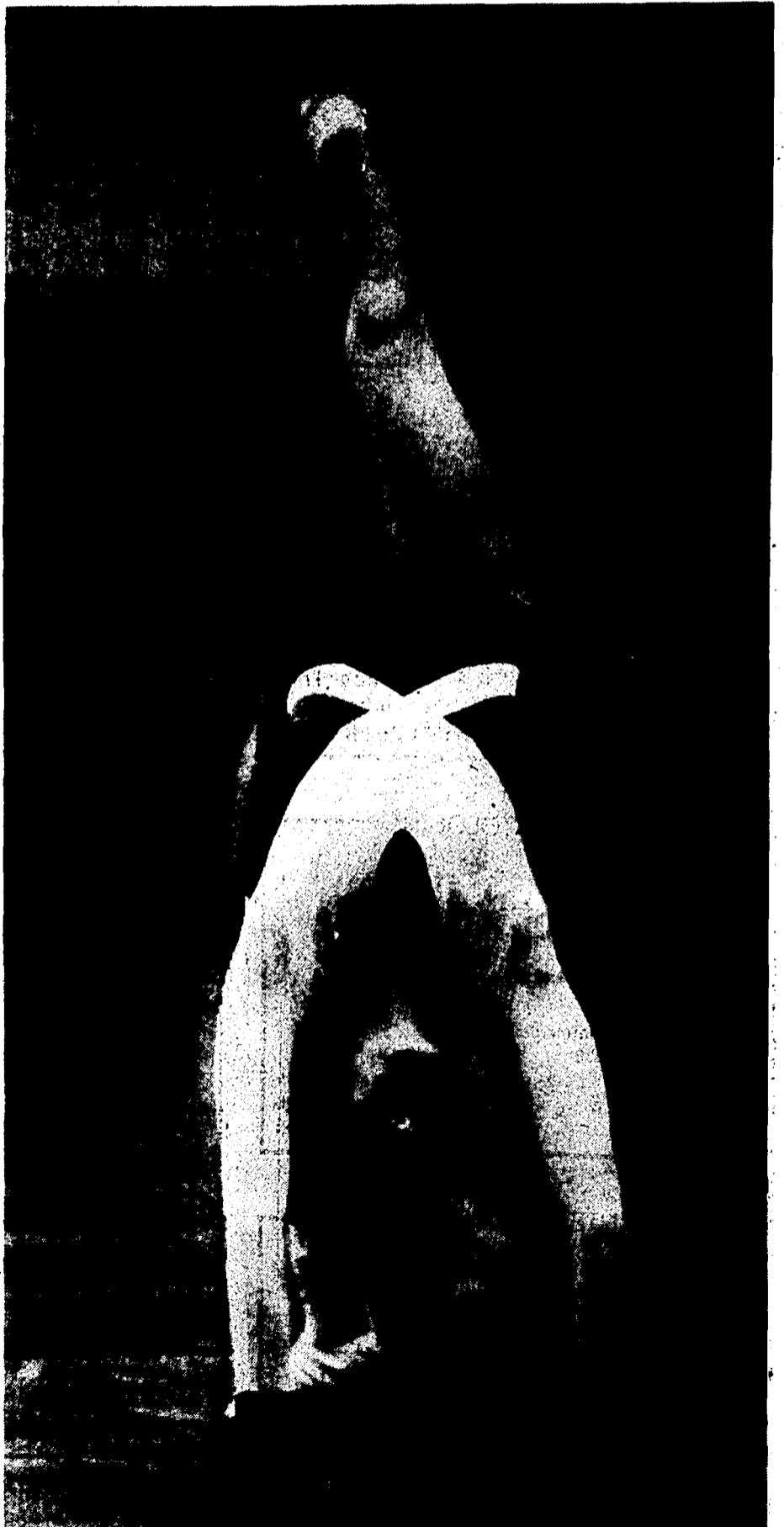
Phil Bocketti in the 200 freestyle had a second place with a 1:53.99 swim.

James Dunn in the 200 individual relay swam a 2:13.26, Cummings in the 50 freestyle had a second place with a :22.90 and Don Harwood finished with a 1:00.30 time for the 100 backstroke.

"We had a lot of kids that have been sick and this gave them a boost mentally going into the league meet," said Olson.

Salem enters the meet with an 8-3 record and will host the competition on Friday at 7 p.m.

Olson said that Stevenson is still head and shoulders better, but he plans to make the league meet interesting.



SALEM'S Sue Lally performs her floor exercise during a recent meet. Lally is one of Salem's young but fast improving gymnasts. (Crier photo by Chris Farina)

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Coalition hopes to begin Rouge River cleanup

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wants to solve the "passage problem" on the river, which means clearing up major debris in the river - trees, chunks of concrete, large appliances, junk cars and other items, Murray said.

Along with the major debris, the Rouge has been used to dump raw sewage, toxic chemicals and combined sewer overflows into it for years. Eric Reichel, director of the Wayne County Park Department said cleanup of the river has been "an uphill battle since 1920."

Governmental units, ranging from the state bureaucracy to local municipalities, will be contributing time and money to the project. The 1987 state budget includes \$350,000 for the Rouge River cleanup, according to David Dempsey, a representative for the governor's office.

Dempsey called the Rouge "a lost opportunity" for the present and "an embarrassment to the state and the city (Detroit)," but added that the Rouge had the potential to become "a tremendous asset" to recreation in the state.

The basin committee will also ask Governor James Blanchard to name June 7 "Rouge River Day" in the state. On that day, the committee wants citizens to help clean the river and "celebrate, not hide, the Rouge River," according to Murray.

During the next year, the committee will meet two or three times before the initial plan is presented to the state Water Resources Commission. A final remedial action plan will be developed

during the second year of committee activity.

Since most of the pollution in the Rouge is a result of inadequate sewer capacity, the committee will be looking at possible new sewer construction projects and improved systems to prevent sewer overflow during storms.

Also serving on the Rouge River Basin Committee are representatives from the state, including the governor's office, the Water Resources

Commission, the Natural Resources Commission and the Areawide Water Quality Board.

Other water resources agency staff include: the Rouge River Watershed Council, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and the International Joint Commission.

Representatives on the committee from the public and private sector

include: the League of Women Voters, Michigan United Conservation Clubs and East Michigan Environmental Action Council.

From industry, representatives include the Michigan Clean Water Coalition and the Michigan Manufacturers Association.

SEMCOG and DNR staff members will serve as the working staff to the committee.

City proposes street paving II

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hoping to reduce costs and take advantage of a favorable bond market. He also wanted to get the project underway so the work could be completed during warm summer months.

Streets proposed to be repaved this year are: Arthur from Junction to North End; Blunk from Arthur to North End; Church from Penniman to Harvey, and Main to Union; Cultural

Center Boulevard from Farmer to Theodore; Evergreen from Elm to Penniman; Farmer from Blunk to Harvey; Harding from Joy to Wing; South Harvey from Ann Arbor Road to Wing, and Ann Trail to Penniman; Joy from Harding to 180 feet east; Maple from Sheldon to Harvey; McKinley from Ann Arbor Trail to Sheridan, and Elm to Ann Arbor Trail; Penniman from Sheldon to Main;

Sutherland from McKinley to Main; Wing from Harvey to Main and Deer to Harding.

According to the proposed program's timetable, the City Commission could grant approval to the program March 17, and prepare the legal requirements of selling bonds.

If the program is approved, paving is scheduled to begin June 1 and be completed Aug. 1.

Schools prepare for 9th grade school switch

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preparatory course of studies should include Earth Science in the science area and World History in the social science area (at last week's school board meeting, board president Roland Thomas said he felt this limited choices for college-bound students).

Reports still in the planning stage, the timetable and person responsible:

TAG program The elementary

center program is due by March 31. Cheryl Johnson, TAG coordinator

Co-curriculum activities Intra-murals for sixth-graders, extra-murals for seventh- and eighth-graders, and athletics for the ninth-grade - by April 1. Athletic director Paul Cummings.

Transition of instructional materials Sixth-grade to middle school, middle school ninth-grade to C.E.P. ninth-

grade, textbooks (standardized ninth-grade), and library-audio visuals - by June 1. Building staff.

Major reports, such as *Transportation* (routing-scheduling, shuttles for athletics) by Dale Goby, Director of Transportation, and *Staffing transfers* by Norm Kee, Assistant Superintendent for Employee Relations, have not been given set deadlines.

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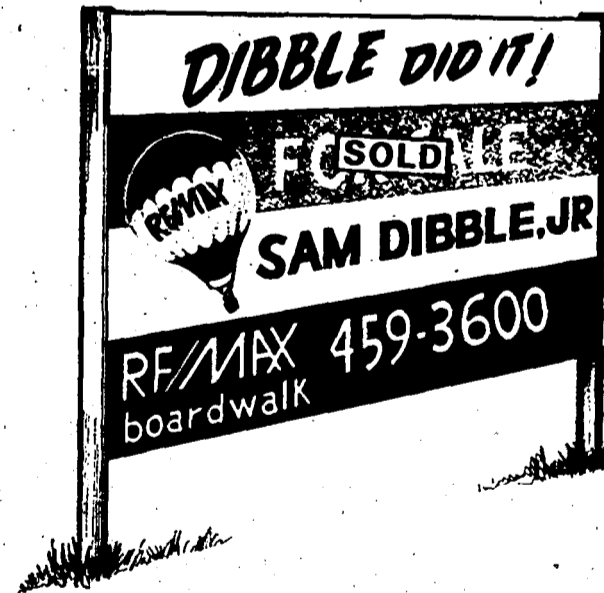
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Curiosities

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Yoo Hoo!
We've got to become more secretive! I'll bet this will get 'em!

COMMAKazis -
Thanks for the Valentine.
- The Editeers

Jeffer - Thanks for the nice breakfast when I was sick last week.
Love ya! Mom

When will this logistical nightmare end?
Thanks L.-L.-J. for the sweet valentine cards and candy.

The Taj downtown, the Queen in Ann Arbor, and now I find out Grand Funk is from Flint!!

Three cheers for The Rainbow Shop, for being open after 8:00 on a weeknight when I needed you!

Hi ya all down in Toledo and Upper - Call ya, Soon.

Ma, Thanks for the relaxing Sunday of fritters and quartered sandwiches.

To the Queen's Christopher - "I saw a man who danced with his wife..."

Ferd, your daughters are wonderful, though one talks more than the other.

Brian's Ma - Thanks for the car with power windows.

Wes, hope you enjoyed Alvin's. How 'bout those Pistons.

(Rappin') JB has come down with the boogie woogie flu again.

What goes down (in) those hallways of funk?

Thanks for taking care of me when I was under the weather - TLC works every time.
Love you, Bubaloo

STEVIE THIS IS YODA ... TIME TO TRAIN TO BE A JEDI WARRIOR!

Sometimes when you get sick, you get a bit cranky, and you say things without thinking and sometimes you really wish you had laryngitis with everything else, so atleast you wouldn't say stupid things. Sorry! For the headache!

Kiss the Day Good-bye all. The sadness & the sorrow wish me luck - the same to you and I won't forget what I did for love.

Kelly,
Thanks for the Slice!

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Cindy,
What is that in TC's eye gutter?

Poo -
A-whit-woo!

SO WHY WORRY?

Di-
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CURIOSITIES

"February 16" HAPPY HAPPY 40 BIRTHDAY PAPA, God Blessed me with you. Some signs of age are showing, a few less hairs, even some a different color. And more lines of distinction, they set you apart. The years are being kind, you are maturing gracefully. I see your lesser attributes less and your wisdom, that only age can compliment, shine. Your spirit that is real and honest; yesterday it was sharp and cutting, today it is more effective though polished and refined. At times this spirit could be misunderstood as hard and not caring. For sure a misunderstanding, I know, I've seen your sorrow. We've had our ups and downs, even this pleasure is mine. I'll keep you around. If you don't mind I wish you a long life with good health, not for you but for myself. The more time I share with you, the more I love and appreciate you. My mind is happy and free in your home. My wish for your birthday is for your mind to be happy and free in my home.

I Love You,
MAMA

"I was late for work this morning cause I couldn't get my hair started."

Joanna Roby Crumm
(A 1984 quote, but worth remembering)

Mrs. Moote, Get Well Soon! We miss you.
Your Crazy Aids

Jeff - I love you. Thank you for caring.
Love, Shalopper

There IS an ice cube in my purse!!
Sallie Roby

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Thanks Randy!!!
We had a great time.

Marilyn

Good to see ya again Nick
-B.B.KING NEXT TIME-

Where's my shoes???? My Car. Where's my car???

Thank you Robin for the Roses.
Little Sister

WET FLOOR!

MISSED YOU SATURDAY NIGHT ANNE!

Carl Berry is a year older. But he won't say what year.



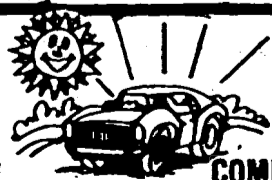
Happy 40th birthday, Dan Martin of Canton. You haven't changed a bit.
Your Pin-up



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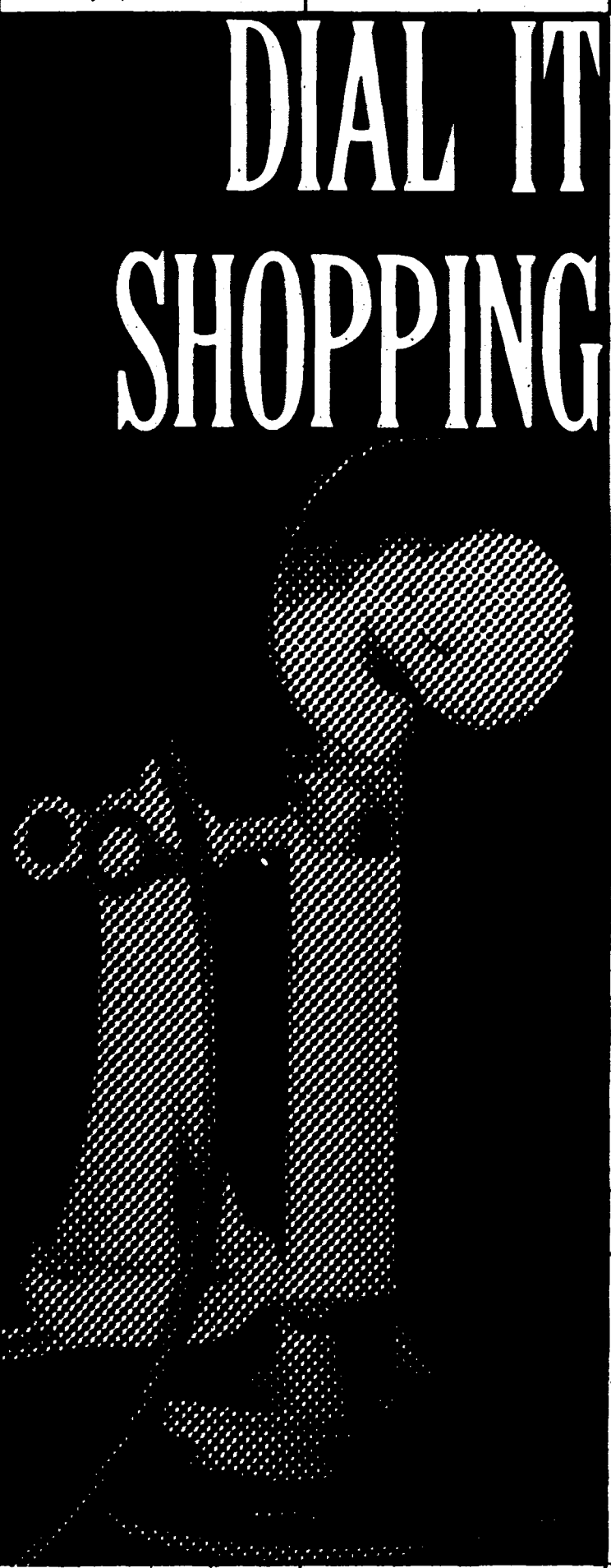
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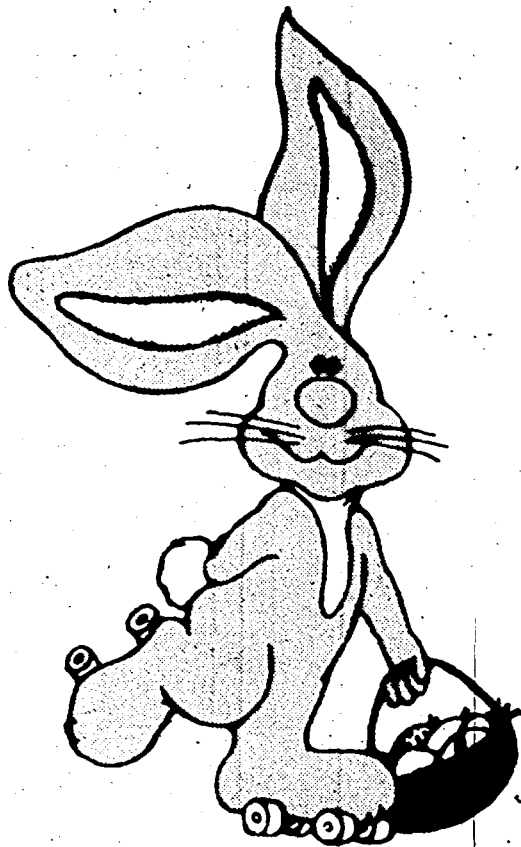
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