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Bicyclist injured

IN THE SECOND BICYCLE accident in three weeks here, a 15-year-old Plymouth youth was injured when, according to police, he swerved in front of a car last Wednesday. Stephen Hartnet of 10893 Brookwood, was treated and released at St. Mary Hospital for a broken leg. At the scene, he was treated by Fire Lt. Paul Sanders, Fireman Don Belsky (back to camera) while Patrolman Bob Henry (at right) helped out. (Crier photo by Robert Cameron)

Officials to discuss area's rapid growth

Our community's rapid growth and its impact on our future will be the topic of a special meeting next Tuesday morning.

Plymouth-Canton School Supt. John M. Hoben, Canton Township Supervisor Harold Stein and Plymouth Township Supervisor Thomas Notebaert have been invited to speak on growth to a meeting of the United Northwestern Realtors Assoc.

The meeting is aimed at outlined the community's growth statistics and their impact on the area to the real estate representatives.

Schools eye new bond issue for June 13 vote

BY DONNA LOMAS

Following Saturday's voter approval of the renewal millage and the defeat of a \$30 million bond issue, the Plymouth-Canton School Board will now eye putting a revised bond issue on the June 13 school bal-

The workshop, slated for Monday, was decided after board members discussed why the bond issue failed and how the schools will now handle the growth patterns in the community.

Trustee Marcia Borowski spoke of the possibility of putting a revised bond issue before the voters in the June 13 election. She suggested asking for enough money to cover repairs and maintenance expenses for schools (except new) going on 45-15.

"To equip buildings and prepare them for 45-15 and repairs will cost us a half mill," "By putting that she said. part of it back on (June 13 ballot) we could get what we needed to start something in July. We are forced to consider this, due to the bond defeat."

Trustee Tom Yack said he wasn't sure about coming back to the voters too quickly with the bond proposal.

"We don't know why they voted against it," he said. "I don't see the June election as the only time to put together a package. We best get research done on why (bond issue was voted down) so we can make an intelligent decision."

Supt. John M. Hoben pointed out that every special election costs \$4,000 - - and to get the

revised proposal on the June 13 ballot, a decision would have to be made May 9 on any changes or substitutions. A meeting on the proposal would have to be held by May 16 and "A substantial change has to be made on the bond issue. Hoben "We could wait six said. months," he said.

Yack said that "\$4,000 is peanuts to me...the money will be well spent, it's almost an investment."

"The cheapest thing, to me, is to do it (build) now," said Trustee Dick Arlen. "Construction will be going up almost 15 percent this year - next year it could be 25-30 percent."

A member of the Concerned Parents Group told the board that "you people don't care what the public thinks. We're against 45-15 and modular scheduling."

All proposals were tabled until Monday's workshop.

In middle of night:

Schools, teachers settle contract



"AT THE TABLE" is the term used for negotiating - - but in the case of the Plymouth - Canton Schools and its teachers union by 2 a.m. last Friday, things were on the table. Candi Reece, president of the Plymouth Education Assoc., relaxes on a table after the contract had been worked out. (Crier photo by Susan Sheiner More photos on Pg. 18)

BY W. EDWARD WENDOVER, CHAS. CHILD and DONNA LOMAS

Plymouth-Canton The Community School District and 650 teachers tentatively agreed to a three-year contract at 1 a.m. Friday - the day before a crucial millage and bond school election is being held.

At 6 a.m. Friday the general membership of the Plymouth Education Assoc. (PEA) met at Salem High School and gave unanimous tentative approval of negotiating recommendation for a contract.

Formal ratification votes by the school board and the PEA are expected in perhaps two

Four key issues were resolved in the final bargaining session between the schools and the teachers' union which started 7 p.m. Thursday evening and ended at about 1 a.m. Friday. Those issues were:

*REDUCTION OF THE SALARY **IMPROVEMENT** factor for the first year in exchange for no capping on health insurance costs. This compromise came from Monday night's school board executive session on negotiations.

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School vote result Pg. 4

In Subcommittee on Aging Report

2 Sr. housing sites get nod

Two sites for a senior citizen housing project in the city of Plymouth have been recommended in a verbal report from a subcommittee of the city's Blue Ribbon Committee on Senior Citizens.

They are: Hamilton Park and the location of the Wilcox House at Penniman and Union.

The subcommittee report was made last week and will be formerly presented to the City Commission Monday night. Because the report was verbal, formal approval of a written report is expected from the subcommittee at its meeting tonight.

According to the subcommittee, the two recommended sites would be convenient to downtown services for senior citizen residents.

Last fall, city voters rejected a tax abatement proposal which would have allowed a private corporation to construct a senior citizen high rise project on the Wilcox site.

Critics of the project said then they considered the Wilcox site a poor location.

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Critics attack city budget

BY W. EDWARD WENDOVER Critics of the proposed City of Plymouth 1977-78 budget Monday night asked that property taxes levied by the city be reduced even more than the .9 mill reduction under consider-

The plea for lowered taxation and greater cost cutting in the city's operation came at the budget public hearing held by

ation.

sion must approve the budget at the first meeting in May.

Former Plymouth Mayor Jim McKeon said that because the city ran operations with such a large surplus the last three years, there has been little reason for the city to hold the line on costs and inflation.

. "When you consistently run in the black," McKeon said, law before the City Commis- "there's no incentive to watch

costs. For three or four years running we have consistantly come in high (on the budget) so we not only form a pattern, but we've formed a policy."

McKeon said the Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce consensus was that with a "hard nosed budget" taxes could be reduced even another 1.75 mills.

He said the chamber also wanted cost reduction programs, the city to abandon its proposed handball-racquetball courts at the Cultural Center, alternatives to expansion of City Hall, a study before any railroad crossing grade separation project is undertaken, and use of Federal Revenue Sharing funds for capital improvements rather than to supplement operational expenses.

Roger Wright, City Planning Commissioner, said he seconded McKeon's request for a tight budget and cited the commission's proposed budget revision to put an additional \$40,000 to be spent on this year's capital improvement program for unspecified work as "sort of a blank check at this point."

Tony Licata, of the Plymouth Civic Federation, said the budget philosophy of the city was not cost conscious. "Rather than fill slots with dollars, what we want you to do is decide that those dollars are needed in those slots."

Commissioner Jack Moehle said the proposed expenditure of \$80,000 on repaying the Central Parking Lot was inconsistant with the newly adopted city parking policy which calls for the parking program in the city to be self sufficient. The money for the repaying will come from Federal Revenue Sharing funds.

He said the revenue sharing expenditure could be used for something which would "reduce taxes instead."

The commission will adopt the proposed budget at its next meeting.

Call '911' for city fires

City of Plymouth Fire Chief George Schoenneman has asked the telephone company to remove 453-1313, the former fire emergency number.

Since installation of 911 service last September, city residents are dialing 911 for their emergency calls.

The elimination of the old number will save tax dollars and provide a uniform way for handling all emergencies in the city, he said.

Chief Schoenneman stated that since the new telephone book came out listing 911 as the emergency number, almost all citizens are using it. The telephone company has agreed to transfer misdirected calls to the 911 emergency number effective May 2.

Schoenneman stressed that citizens are reminded to dial 911 only for EMERGENCY police, fire or ambulance service.

For calls of a nonemergency nature to the Fire Dept. dial 453-1234 effective May 2.

Salem gals, compete in secretarial contest

Colette Kabadas and Jeanne Schumacher and alternate Sue Stanwood will represent Salem High School in the 18th Annual Shorthand-Typing Contest of Metropolitan Detroit., The contest will be held at Edsel Ford High School in Dearborn on May 10. The girls are students in the B.E.S.T. Secretarial Lab. Contestants from approximately 75 schools in the metropolitan area will be competing

for prizes provided by Detroit

Business Institute, sponsor of the contest. First place winners in both the typing and shorthand contest will receive an electric typewriter in addition to trophy. Others placing within the top ten in each of the contests will receive prizes including portable typewriters, tape recorders, radios, and cameras.

Kara Egan, a 1975 Salem graduate, was a winner in the 16th Annual Shorthand Contest.



IN 1913 LEILA CHILSON (front row, third from left) gathered with relatives in front of her, home that still stands on Mill Street in

Plymouth. Jump ahead fifteen pages (pg. 18) and 62 years to see Leila and the house today.



"THE VICTORS" will be one of the numbers featured when the Staccato Group of the Plymouth Symphony League presents "College Night at the Pops" on Saturday, May 14, at 8:30 p.m. in Pioneer Middle School. Waving the U-M maize n' blue is decorations co-chairman Kathy Rea. (Crier photo by Susan Sheiner).

Will recallers seek Bradley, Daley?

BY CHAS. CHILD

Supervisor Harold Stein may not be the only target of a recall effort in Canton. Rumors are circulating that a signature drive is under way to recall Trustee Eugene Daley and Treasurer Anne Bradley.

Daley and Bradley ran with Stein on the same slate in last November's election.

Petitions were handed in last week asking for a recall election of Stein.

Stein, planners seek 3 Canton concepts

Canton Supervisor Harold Stein presented the township planner's recommended steps to develop a new plan to the Board of Trustees and the Planning Commission last week.

The steps call for a close look at Canton's needs, a survey of 5 to 10 percent of Canton's people and the development of three alternative plans to choose from.

The whole procedure will take eight to 10 months, according to Canton's planning consultants, Wade and Trim.

The planning commission will discuss the plan at their next meeting, May 9 at 8:00p.m.

'Little guy' hurt by ZBA hassling

The Zoning Board of Appeals controversy in Canton often seems just a political football batted back and forth between politicians looking for political advantage.

But one Canton resident, because no ZBA is meeting, is sitting on plans to build three duplexes on his property.

Clayton Miller has been waiting for two months to proceed because township ordinances require the ZBA to approve duplexes (two houses under one roof.)

"Supposedly, I'm on the agenda of the next ZBA meeting, but until it meets, I can't build these houses," Miller said. The Canton Planning Commission approved Miller's plan Monday night.

Millage forces use phone blitz

BY WEEDWARD WENDOVER

Were you surprised to get a phone call Saturday afternoon reminding you that you hadn't yet voted in the special school election?

The phone campaign was part of the overall strategy of the schools' Cititzens Election Committee which stationed volunteers at each precinct to keep track of which voters had cast ballots in the Saturday special election.

When a voter votes is public information and the school committee volunteers used presorted cards to then call parents of elementary school students, Plymouth-Canton District employes and teachers from other districts who live here, if they had not voted by noon.

Only those parents with listed phone numbers were called, Mrs. Beier said.

"In general, they're the most positive group," said Florence Beier, the school district's community relations coordinator. She said those voters were most likely to vote "yes" on the operating millage renewal and building bond issue on Saturday's ballot.

"Everybody who runs a campaign and wins does this," Mrs. Beier said. "The Democrats, the Republicans and everybody."

A campaign evaluation meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday at the school board offices by the Citizens' Committee.

Official results of Saturday's school election NTON COMMUNITY SCHOOLS SPECIAL ELECTION, APRIL 23, 1977

PRECINCT	PROPOSITION No. 1 (Millage Renewal)		PROPOSITION No. 11 (Bond Issue)		TOTAL VOTERS
Number	TES	NO NO	YES	NO	
1 Cantral Middle	340	476	1.52	662	818
1. Central Middle 2. Gallimore	224	234	153	306	460
3. Isbister	330	331	165	489	663
4.Starkweather	177	301	87	384	481
5. Allen	375	381	175	581	759
6. West Middle	419	308	256	468	729
7. Farrand	442	431	208	657	877
8. Fiegel	285	243	153	370 309	528 536
9. Miller	350	185	225 - 188	422	612
10. Hulsing	336.	276	156	192	352
11. Eriksson	226	126 77	75	93	170
12. Field	92 299	240	212	324	539
13. Canton High	173	137	99	209	312
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Voters refuse bond, O.K. millage

The voters in the Plymouth-Canton School District narrowly approved a five mill renewal proposal and soundly defeated by a 2-1 margin a \$30 million bond issue in the district at a special election Saturday,

TOTAL

Out of the 30,000 total registered voters in the district, 27 per cent turned out in the rainy chill Saturday, a total of 8.176 voters, including absen-

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On the millage renewal, the last nine out of the 14 precincts voted in support of the renewal; The five precincts that voted against the millage proposal were city and township of Plymouth precincts. All four Canton precincts supported the millage renewal as did five Plymouth precincts.

From a total of 6,163 voters in the Plymouth precincts, 3,115 voted "yes" on a renewal and a total of 3,027 voted "no" for a slim approval margin of 36 votes. Twenty-one votes weren't accounted for.

On the bond issue, Plymouth voter's tallied 4,435, "no" votes compared to 1,673 "yes" votes, for a difference of 2,662 ballots. Out of the 6,163 voters, 255 did not vote on the bond issue in Plymouth precincts.

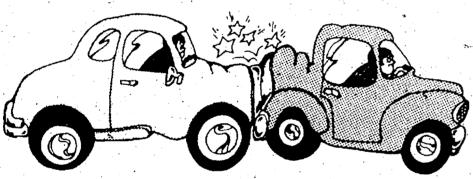
In Canton, a total of 1,673 voters from four precincts voted 953 "yes" on the renewal issue, and 719 voted "no" - for a approval margin of 234.

Canton voters defeated the bond proposal by 350 votes; 981 "no" votes compared to 631 "yes" votes. Sixty-one votes are unaccounted for on the bond issue in Canton.

Absentee voters (whose votes were in before the tentative agreement early Friday by the PEA and school board) rejected the millage renewal by 37 votes. A total of 340 absentee voters. from both Plymouth and Canton, also turned down the bond issue by a margin of 29 votes.

The Plymouth-Canton School Board may put a revised bond issue before the voters on the June 13 election. According to Assistant Supt. for Personnel, Norm Kee, had the millage renewal not passed. 96 teachers would have been 'pink slipped' Monday.





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For the first time in history, the Plymouth-Canton School District and its administrators will formally sit down at a bargaining table Thursday to work out a contract.

Members of the school districts administrative team including school principals—recently voted overwhelmingly to join in a bargaining unit, the Plymouth Congress of Administrators, (PCA).

The schools will be represented at the bargaining by Attorney Charles Fine.

Current administrative contracts expire on June 30.

Schools will have to pay Marts

A technicality may cause the Plymouth-Canton District as much as a quarter million dollars in the firing of a teacher three years ago.

In a decision handed down by the Ingham County Circuit Court, Plymouth-Canton Schools have been ordered to reinstate Jack Marts, of Canton, and to give him back pay - which with interest and costs could amount to over \$200,000

The schools' attorney, Walter Guth, said an appeal was already in the works if a pending request for a rehearing was denied.

What the entire case may hinge upon - - based on the technicality cited by the court - was whether former school board secretary Wilson Sick, actually signed the formal original document notifying Marts he was fired.

Guth and School Supt. John M. Hoben said that original document has been misplaced although the document was entered in formal evidence during Marts' tenure case.

Marts, a former candidate for Canton Township Supervisor who lost in the 1974 primary to Bob Greenstein, declined to comment on the case.



JEANNE MARTIN, RICHARD LANCI

'Terrific' teacher takes care of student

When a "just wonderful" teacher goes out of her way to make things better for a student, it doesn't go un-noticed - - at least not by Rita Lanci. When she was hospitalized recently, Mrs. Lanci's big worry was how her son, Richard, (right) could stay in school at Central Middle School with no one nearby

to care for him. But Richard's teacher, Jeanne Martin, had the answer. She has taken her pupil in temporarily and has even seen to it he makes baseball practice. "This school system actually goes out of its way to help you," said Mrs. Lanci. "She's (Mrs. Martin) just terrific."



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by Earl Rafferty



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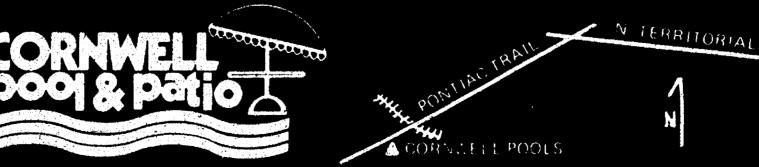
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45-15 schedule must be worked out soon

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Community opinions

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Vote 'no' on recall

Anne Bradley's genteel, not crazy

EDITOR:

So they're going to have a recall! Well it's not surprising to me. Mr. Stein didn't have a chance to warm the seat of the Supervisor Chair before there were rumors out to that effect and this was all before they got a few trumped up reasons to get the ball rolling.

It was just a continuation of the primary, the write-in and general elections plus the recount and not to mention the delay (intentional) of having the election certified.

The two other candidates for the prime position in Canton and their cliques, worked hard and diligently to achieve this

If they were to win (God forbid) in their mighty efforts to replace Mr. Stein, the armed truce they are now effecting to get their combined supporters signatures on the recall petition will turn into the most blood thirsty compaign Canton Township has ever seen.

The fact that Mr. Greenstein

"doesn't know" whether he will run again or not doesn't stop one from guessing that he will... and the fact that he would rather see half of the board members dispersed along with the Supervisor should be no hassle for him should he assume office. He can then find a few excuses to have them recalled. Then Mr. Greenstein will have everything the way he wants

Calling Mrs. Bradley a "crazy treasurer" are pretty harsh words aren't they counselor? Anyway, who's crazy? least Mrs. Bradley conducts herself in a very genteel and diplomatic manner in spite of the devious harrassments she is receiving from certain self-styled "orators" at the meetings.

I am sure in the event of a recall election, all concerned Canton Residents will see through the thin veil of it's purpose and vote "no" on the îssue,

Now that the school district operating millage is passed and a contract has been agreed to with the teachers, we can all refocus our attentions to things we've let go for a while.

First of all, we need much groundwork to be laid for the start of an expanded 45-15 school year programs - - and first of all we need to iron out the schedule.

A committee is currently studying the 45-15 schedule problem and the alternatives which may be taken to correct it. We hope the group can expedite its study and recommendations and the board will consider the difficulties inherent in changing the schedule.

There is much readying which needs to be done in the new 45-15 schools but it cannot begin seriously until we know when the program will begin.

The schedule is also important to parents who are trying to make vacation plans.

With the two major hurdles

to the schools' future out of the way, it's time to get cracking on 45-15.

THE COMMUNITY CRIER

Bradley misinformed

EDITOR:

Mrs. Bradley: After reading your article I feel I must respond. You are very misinformed. It's the people most of all who want this recall, not the candidates. I was able to get signatures on the recall petitions, and the response was overwhelming: "Where have you been?" "I can't wait to sign." "We've been waiting for you." These are all quotes from the people who signed. I must note not one person refused to sign the petition. This must tell you something.

Mrs. Bradley, being a township official I am very disappointed that you are also guilty of politically labeling the people of this township just because they are concerned about the welfare of their home. You should be grateful and Canton should be proud the people here care and I don't feel you will ever stop them from voicing their opinions when something is wrong.

Last, I feel the cost of a recall will be very minor compared to the cost of keeping Mr. Stein in office with his pro-growth stand. I'll put my money in a recall that's a sound investment.

LINDA LaBELL

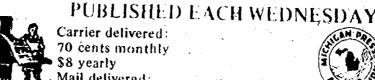
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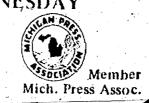
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Crier humorous

EDITOR:

Just wanted to compliment you on the "Bob Cameron Redundancy Award." That was the greatest piece of over humor exhibited by The Crier to date.

I think you should consider presenting this award once a month as a special feature. The candidates and material for this is limitless.

You have done humorous things in the past - - mostly very subtle humor. This however was the first thing you've done overtly funny. Loved it! AN ARDENT FAN

OPEN MEETINGS ACT

The Open Meetings Act, 1976 PA 267; MCLA 15.261 et seq, requires all meetings of a public body to be open.

A public body is one exercising governmental or proprietary functions and includes boards and committees but does not include the workers' compensation appeal board, employment security appeals employment relations commission, or a medical malpractice arbitration panel. Every person may attend a public meeting and may address the meeting pursuant to rules of the body

Exceptions to the requirement that meetings of public bodies be open are partisan caucuses of the state legislature and meetings to discuss (1) dismissal or discipline of a public officer or employee or a student when the person involved requests, (2) collective bargaining; (3) purchase or lease of realty; (4) legal strategy with an attorney, (5) review of applications for employment or appointment when the applicant so requests thowever, interviews for employment or appointment must be held at an open meeting), (6) material exempt from public disclosure

Minutes must be kept and minutes of open meetings must be available for public inspection. Proposed minutes must be available within eight business days after a meeting, approved minutes must be available five days after approval

In addition to the posting of notices of meetings, a public body must board, teachers' tenure commission, an arbitration panel of the mail notices to person who request such notices on an annual basis upon payment of a reasonable cost. Media are entitled to mailed notices without charge.

> If the act is violated, the Attorney General, prosecuting attorneys or any other person may sue to challenge the validity of the action within 60 days after the minutes are made available. For certain business. transactions, the suit must be filed within 30 days. A suit may also be brought to enjoin violation of the Act. In addition, a civil or criminal action may be brought against an official who violates the Act. Where a civil action is brought and the plaintiff prevails, actual attorney fees and court costs may be requested.

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A request for a record may be made orally or in writing and a response must be given within live business days unless there are unusual circumstances that make it difficult to obtain the record. If there are unusual circumstances, an additional ten business days is allowed.

The public body must respond to the request by either granting it or issuing a written notice explaining the reasons for denial

The following records are exempt from disclosure: (1) records constituting a clearly unwarranted invasion of privacy; (2) investigating records compiled for law enforcement purposes; (3) records that would prejudice the ability to maintain security at a penal institution, (4) records exempt by statute; (5) records exempt under the Federal Family Educational and Privacy Act, (6) exempt records

furnished by one public body to another; (7) trade secrets or commercial information voluntarily provided upon a promise of confidentiality; (8) attorney-client privilege; (9) other legally recognized privileges; (10) bid proposals; (11) real estate appraisals; (12) test questions and answers; (13) medical counseling or psychological facts or evaluations, (14) advisory communications within a public body or between public bodies; (15) law enforcement communication codes; (16) the location of archeological sites; (17) terting data to determine whether bidders' products meet specifications; (18) academic transcripts pertaining to a student who is delinquent in payment; (19) records of campaign committees; (20) records of a police agency that would interfere with law enforcement or endanger a law enforcement officer

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> Frank Kelley Attorney General /



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Plymouth City Manager Fred L. Yockey has advocated that each local governmental unit within a school district be reassessed by an independent assessor at least oncy every 10 years.

Yockey's comments were made at Monday's public hearing of the proposed city budget for 1977-78.

He said this would help equalize taxes between taxpayers in the individual government

units in the school system. The the PlymouthCanton School District - - Plymouth, Canton, Northville, Salem and Superior townships.

Such a reassessment may cost City of Plymouth has just gone a community as much as through a reassessment unlike \$60,000 but, on the heels of the other communities within the city's reassessment, "it's time to ask for an outside assessment" for the other school district units too.

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The Community Crier was the only newspaper on the scene in the middle of the night Thursday when the Plymouth-Canton Schools and its teachers reached agreement on a contract. While you slept, The Crier's entire editorial staff was at work getting a bulletin on the street so that voters in Saturday's school election would know a contract was settled.

The Crier staff knows what it means to hustle to bring you the news. Even if it means losing a little sleep.



A PECK ON THE CHEEK from former student Cindy Sadlocha was just one of the tributes retired Plymouth school teacher Elizabeth Donnelly received last Friday during Arbor Day festivities at Starkweather School. A blue spruce tree was planted in her honor and students hope to use it for their annual Christmas Sing. Mrs. Donnelly taught three generations of Starkweather students. (Crier photo by Susan Sheiner).

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Volunteers needed for senior survey Volunteers are needed for a City of Phythough door-to-door survey which hopes to determine the housing needs of senior

The survey, which will be taken on May 14 and 21 is sponsored by a sub-committee of the city's Blue Ribbon Committee on Sensor Crizeris.

A one-hour training session will be given volunteers to help them explain the survey. Training is available on May 12, 13 and 14

Those wishing to volunteer to help may call 455-0020

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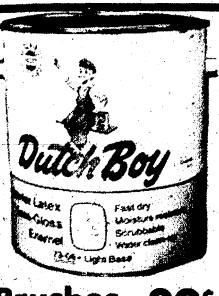
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KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

Tanger Elementary School will be registering children for kindergarten on Tuesday, May 10 and Wednesday, May 11, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. All kindergarten-age children in the Deercreek and Stonybrook apartments should register at Tanger.

V.F.W. LOYALTY DAY

The Mayflower Post and Auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Warms (V.F.W.) will hold a loyalty day program on Thursday, April 28, at 8 p.m. in the post headquarters, 1426 S. Mill. Voice of Democracy students from the Centennial Educational Park (C.E.P.) will be honored at this time along with other citizens. Everyone is welcome.

OPEN HOUSE AT NEW MORNING SCHOOL

Families and educators are invited to an Open House at the New Morning School, located on 1036 Haggerty Road south of Cherry Hill in Canton, Sunday May 1 from 3 to 5 p.m. New Morning School is an alternative school that offers individualized experiences in education for the children of the Plymouth-Canton School District, and emphasizes family centered education. For more information, please call 349-1742.

SPRING ARTS AND CRAFTS SHOW

The Third Annual Plymouth Spring Arts and Crafts Show will take place the weekend of May 20, 21 and 22. Applications for this popular show, sponsored by the Plymouth Recreation Department, are available at the Recreation Office, 525 Farmer Street. For futher information contact the Recreation Dept. at 455-6620.

PLYMOUTH RUN FOR FUN GROUP

The Plymouth Run For Fun Group will meet each Thursday at 7:00 p.m. on the track at Central Middle School. The Run for Fun Group will concentrate on jogging. Everyone is encouraged to come out, bring a friend and meet some people who share a mutual interest in conditioning. This new group is sponsored by the Plymouth Recreation Department. For more information please contact the Recreation Dept at 455-6620.

SENIOR CITIZENS MAY TRIP

May trip is to historic Henry Ford Museum. Bus leaves the Cultural Center at 10:30 a.m. and returns at approximately 4 p.m. Cost is \$3 which includes transportation and admission to the Museum. Eunch at Museum is extra. For more information contact the Recreation Dept at 455-6620. Trip is May 11. FOLK DANCE CLUB

The Folk Dance Club will meet once again on Friday evenings at 7:30 p.m. at Bird School, 220 Sheldon Rd. This Recreation Department sponsored group is open to Junior High School students through adults from novice to experienced. Contact Joe Azbill at 455-6163.

CHESS CLUB

The Chess Club meets every Tuesday evening from 7:30 - 11:30 p.m. at the Cultural Center. Novice to advanced players are invited to attend. Free instruction provided for beginners. For more information contact Conrad Drake at 397-1881.

TABLE TENNIS CLUB

The Table Tennis Club will meet each Tuesday evening at 7: p.m. at the Cultural Center.

SENIOR CITIZENS GARDEN PLOTS

In cooperation with the Northville Chapter of the Office on Aging, the City of Plymouth is offering garden plots free of charge to all City of Plymouth Senior Citizens. The plots are 20x35 feet in area and are located on Sheldon Road between Five and Six Mile roads. Four Master Gardeners from Wayne County Cooperative Extension Service will be at the garden site to advise and demonstrate gardening techniques. For garden plot reservations interested Senior Citizens can call 453-1234.

OIL PAINTING & ACRYLICS

For those who have experience in painting with Oil and Acrylics informal sessions will be meeting at the Cultural Center on Monday from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

PLYMOUTH FIGURE SKATING CLUB

The Plymouth Figure Skating Club meets at the Cultural Center on Monday night from 8 - 11 p.m. Friday night from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. and Saturday evening from 6 - 8 p.m.

DUPLICATE BRIDGE

On Tuesday evenings at 7:30 p.m. Duplicate Bridge meets at the Cultural Center.

COMMUNITY CHORUS

Community Chorus, men's and women's choral group meets Tuesday at 8 p.m. in the vocal room at East Middle School. 1042 S. Mill.

PARTY BRIDGE

Party Bridge takes place at the Cultural Center on Thursday from 1 to 4 p.m.

PAINT FOR FUN

Paint for fun invites those who are interested in oil painting to meet each Thursday in an informal setting from 1 to 3:30 p.m. at the Cultural Center. This class is free to all who attend. Contact Fred Prussing at 455-8894.

PLYMOUTH ROCK AND MINERAL SOCIETY
The Plymouth Rock and Mineral Society

The Plymouth Rock and Mineral Society meets on the first Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at the Cultural Center.

REACTION TEAM MEETS

The Piymouth area Reaction Team will meet on April 30 at 1 p.m. at the American Legion Hall on Sheldon Road.

PLYMOUTH NEWCOMERS CLUB

The Plymouth Newcomers Club will hold a louncheon May 5, at 11:30 a.m. in the Roman Forum, Ford Rd. Linda Klevazar of Handierafts, Ann Arbor, will be the guest speaker. The election of a new Board of Directors for 1977-78 will also take place. For reservations call Lois DeBell at 459-9315 before noon, May 3. Babysitting will be at the United Assembly of God Church. For reservations call Kim Lee at 453-1289 at least 24-hours in advance.

NATURE WALK AT MAYBURY

The Plymouth Pathfinders are planning a nature walk this Sunday, May 1 at Maybury Urban Park located at 8 Mile Rd. -one mile west of Beck in Northville. Bike trails also are available for those who prefer biking. Meet at 2 p.m. sharp by the map directory on the south side of parking lot. Bring sack lunch and beverage. For further information call Recreation Dept. at 455-6620.

MAYFLOWER GARDEN CLUB

The Mayflower Garden Club will meet on Thursday, April 28, at 10 a.m. in the home of Mrs. Robert Erdelyi, 9110 Rocker Plymouth. Nancy Petrucelli of the Green Thumb will speak on the care of house plants. Mrs. Arsley Osborn will be the co-hostess.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN'S LUNCHEON

The Women's Association of the First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth will hold a luncheon on Wednesday, May 11, at noon in the church at 701 Church St. Mrs. John Kim will speak on the "Plight of Christianity in Korea". Cost of the luncheon is \$1. For reservations call the church offices at 453-6464. BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC

A free blood pressure clinic will be held the first Tuesday of each month from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the St. Kenneth Parish Hall, Five Mile and Haggerty Rds., Plymouth, Township.

JAYCEE PAPER DRIVE

The Plymouth Jaycees are sponsoring a paper drive 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. April 29, 30 and May 1. A League of Goodwill truck will be at the Kroger parking lot on Main St. in Plymouth. It will be appreciated if papers are tied in bundles. All proceeds from the paper drive will go to the Reyes Syndrome Study Center based at Childrens Hospital of Michigan in Detroit.

CANTON NEWCOMERS MEETING

The Canton Newcomer's Club will hold its next meeting on Wednesday, May 4 at Pioneer Middle School on Ann Arbor Rd., Hospitality will begin at 7:30, followed by the general meeting at 8.00. At this meeting the election of the executive officers for 1977-78 will be held. Following this, a representative from the Michigan State Police will present a program on women protecting themselves against rape.

CANTON TOWNSHIP GARDEN PLOTS

Canton Township Parks and Recreation Department Garden Plots will be available again this year. Registration will begin May 10th from 7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. at the Canton Township Recreation Center, 44237 Michigan Avenue, corner of Sheldon Rd. Residents will be given one garden per family only and must register in person. The gardens are located at Warren and Lilley Rds. Boonesfarm and Green Acres will be used again this year. If you are a resident and wish to have a garden, come to the Recreation Center on May 10 from 7-10 p.m. or any day after that during office hours, 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

GALLIMORE FUN FAIR

The annual Gallimore Fun Fair will be held on Friday May 6 from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m. at the school. All former Gallimore students and teachers are also welcome. There will be a cake walk, magic show, bake sale, flower and plant shoppe, candy shoppe, crafts, toys and treasures and many more. Sloppy joes and hot dogs will also be sold.

PILGRIM GARDEN CLUB

The Pilgrim Garden Club will meet on Thursday, April 28, at 7:30 p.m. in the Hulsing School Media Center. Nancy Jones of the Plymouth Nursery will speak on "Maintaining the Health and Elegance of Shrubs." There is a \$1 donation and both husbands and guests are welcome.

CO-OP NURSERY ROUND-UP

The Willow Creek Co-op Nursery at 5835 Sheldon Rd., Canton, Geneva United Presbyterian Church, is planning its round-up May 19th from 1 - 3 p.m. Parents with children will have a chance to meet the teachers, co-op members and see the nursery facilities, For more information, call Cheryl Schemers 455-8344.

PLYMOUTH CHILDREN'S NURSERY

The Plymouth Children's Nursery, located at Haggerty and Warren Roads in CAnton, will hold its Spring Round-ups on Friday, April 29, and on Friday, May 13, from 1 to 2:30 p.m. each day. Interested parents are welcome to come anytime during those hours and bring all pre-schoolers, including "babies in arms." Board members and teachers will be on hand to answer questions. For further information call Barb Palmer at 455-4088 or Linda Luke at 455-0863.

HOCKEY ELECTION

Plymouth-Canton Hockey Association will be holding election of officers on April 28 at 7:30 p.m. in the cafeteria at Central Middle School.

What's happening Lions Drive starts Friday

The Lions Club of Plymouth will sponsor its annual White Cane Drive on Friday, in the shopping centers and on street corners in the City of Plymouth and Plymouth Township.

Club members have slated the drive during White Cane Week, which will represent 29 years the Plymouth Lions Club has participated in this worthy cause.

The proceeds from your donation will be used to continue the support of the following major Lions Club projects:

* Leader Dogs for the Blind *Michigan Eye Bank

* Glasses and eye examinations for any needy child or adult in the Plymouth Community *Girl Scouts

* Boy Scouts

* Penrickton Center for Blind

B & E reported

Plymouth Police report a breaking and entering last Wednesday at the Master Collision Shop, 300 Industrial Rd., Plymouth, Township.

Police say unknown persons entered the building through a roof vent sometime between 9 a.m. Wednesday and 7 a.m. Thursday, and stole items with a total value of \$2,186.85. Police also report that a 1976 Chevy 2-door was broken into

Flat foot

and an office door was damaged.

Plymouth Police report that a police squad car had it's tires slashed last Wednesday at 9:48 p.m. while standing at the taxi stand on Penniman across from a record store on Penniman.

Police say a knife was used to slash the tires on the passenger side of the squad car, a 1977 Plymouth four-door sedan. The damage was assessed at \$150. Children

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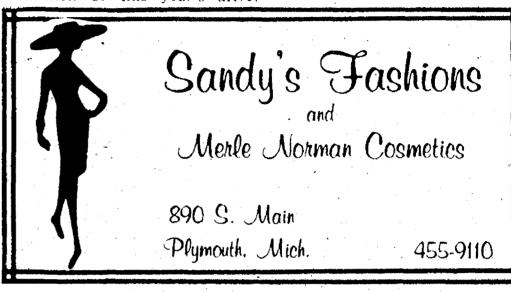
* Salvation Army

Many other projects in the

community.

Again this year the Lions Club is requesting used eye glasses which may be dropped off with any Lion member. These glasses, in any condition, are remade usable, and forwarded all over the world. Lions Club members, Les Cavell and Rich Lambert, are chairmen of this year's drive.







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Canton HS to observe Law Day

Lawyers, police officers, and corrections officials will join students in a series of activities centering around the various aspects of American law when Canton High School celebrates Law Week May 2-4.

Highlights of program are panel presentations on such topics as psycho-surgery, child abuse, student rights, no-fault insurance, and medical malpractice. Joining in the discussions will be Plymouth attorney Bob Delaney and District Court Judge Dunbar Davis.

An added feature will be eight showings on Monday and Tuesday of the 1957 film, "12 Angry Men" starring Henry Fonda and Lee J. Cobb. The film is a dra-

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matic exploration of the problems of a jury. Judge Davis contributed \$100 towards the rental of the film.

Videotape presentation, "Violence in America," will be shown continuously on Wednesday.

All interested parents, faculty and students may attend.



MOVE OVER C & O, the Gallimore, Canton and Northern Railroad is the newest line in town. Operating out of Gene Pydynkowski's fifth-grade class, the train, a class project, pro-

vides the fastest service in the Gallimore School area = and doesn't block any traffic either! (Crier photo by Susan Sheiner).

Kids learn from this railroad

BY DONNA LOMAS

There's one crossing in town where you never have to wait for a train - where the "Gallimore, Canton and Northern Railroad" goes through.

It all started last year when the fifth grade class of Gallimore teacher Gene Pydynkowski started construction of the 14x4 foot table the mini-railroad rests on, laid the framework for train routes and wired the tracks under the supervision of Pydynkowski, a rail-road buff who has built several of his own railroads miniature, that is.

"I saw the idea in a magazine," he said, "They used the train as an educational tool. The children learn everything in this project from how electricity works, using construction materials, tools, design and scenery plans and how a rail-raod really works."

By building the railroad for 15 minutes a day throughout the year, at noon hour, and after school sometimes, the begginnings of the railroad village slowly began to take shape. This year's fifth grade class designed and made scenery with paper mache, plaster of paris and watercolors.

Dried flowers were used as shrubbery and trees over the colorful landscape and green grass is the school janitors cleaning compound glued down. Small grnaules of gravel are mixed with glue and water to form a roadbed to hold the railroad ties in place.

The students have erected a pickle factory, a railraod station and a stockyeard. Telegraph poles have been put in, but there are no wires on them yet. The students even built a few of the railroad cars. A model train company donated some model trains and made the fifth grade class honorary members.

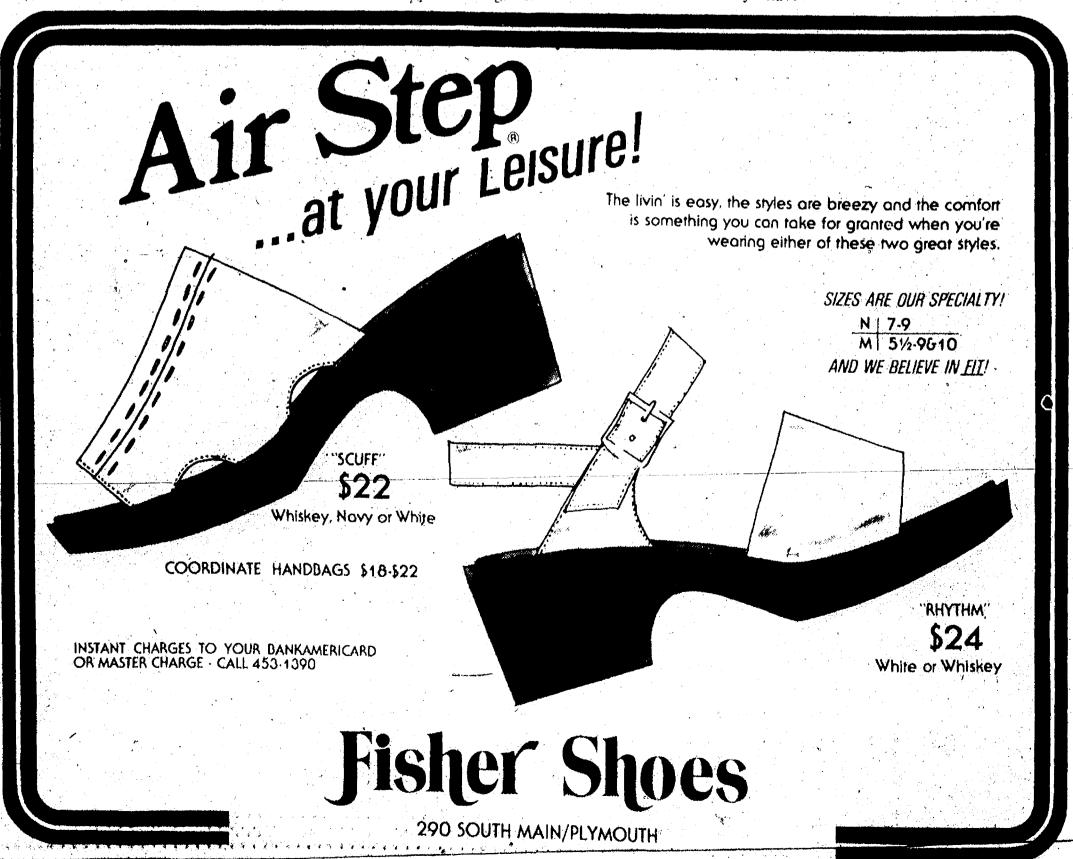
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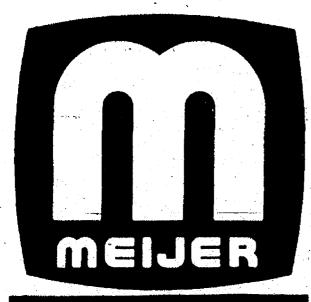
But even model trains are not without their problems - derailments are somewhat common along with deciding who will engineer the controls.

But the fifth grade class is proud of what they [ve accomplished with their project and the things they've learned while doing it, says Pyndynkowski.

The project will stay in Gallimore's fifth grade classroom for this year's fourth graders to take over next year.

"We can always improve on the project," said Pydynkowski. "There's no end to what you can do with trains."





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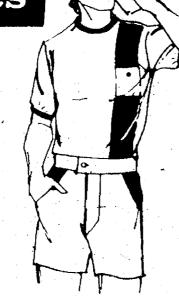


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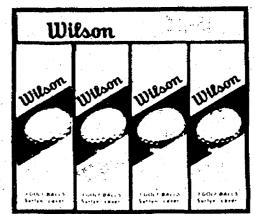
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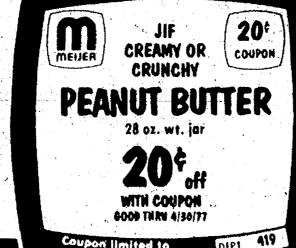
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AAUW marks 25th birthday

Last Saturday marked the 25th anniversary of the Plymouth branch of the American Assoc. of University Women (AAUW)

In the past 25-years, the membership roster has grown from 44 in 1952 to 238 today. Of the original 44 members, three - Edna Allen, Mildred Field, and Esther Hulsing - have had Plymouth elementary schools named in their honor.

Other original branch members include Wilma Barnes, Jean Harsha, Clara Scharmen, Irene Truesdell, Chris Witwer and Libby Worth.

Two of the best known AAUW projects are the annual booksale and children's play.

The first book sale was held in 1955 in Kroger's. As the sale grew its location changed several times and in 1970 moved to its present site, the Westland Mall. Over the years the volume of sale has grown from about 500 to 20,000 books.

The first children's play, "Snow White and Rose Red," was presented in February 1961. Since then it has grown to the point where a professional script is required, but everything else is handled by AAUW members. Proceeds from both the book

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sale and the play go towards scholarships and fellowships.

Other AAUW activities include a lecture series, Lifeliners (a program with women inmates at the

Detroit House of Correction serving life sentences), and costume judging at the Fall Festival.



Tales out of school

News from Salem and Canton High Schools BY SANDY HAWLEY

April 28 begins the annual Water Waves synchronized swimming show, this year being called "Water Colors"

It will be held April 28 through the 30, in the Salem Pool, at 8 p.m. Tickets are \$1 in-advance and \$1.25 at the door.

The Water Waves which consists of 28 girls from both schools, will be doing routines to 10 songs plus the finale. Some of the songs they will perform are "Gypsy Rose Lee" "Painted Dolls" "Yellow Submarines", "Red Ferrando", etc.

"They started off with the idea "Water Colors", so that each song or routine is depicting a color. If the girls thought of yellow as being happy, for example, there's one song called Yellow Submarine. "All of our new girls will be doing a routine to that song", says Mrs. Mary Uhl, who has been the advisor of Water Waves for three years.

"Synchronized swimming is a little bit of ballet, dance, gymnastics, swimming, and being able to count music, having a pretty good rhythm so everything's together", explained Mrs. 11hl.

Coming up May 24 is the Water Waves Clinic for all incoming freshman girls. At the clinic, the girls will be taught what they are expected to do for tryouts in the fall.

In order to be a Water Wave, it is recommended girls should be the equivilent of the Red Cross Intermediate level, "Which means you would know all the strokes", says Mary Uhl.

"We don't want beginning swimmers. We don't teach the girls to swim, we teach them synchronized swimming, which is 'skulling', and everything is done with their hands and arms." One of the outstanding members of Water Wayes is senior Jane Anderson. She has been in the Wayes for four years. She is also the president of the organization.

"Our president not only conducts the meetings, but she's the director of the show. She pretty much tries to keep everything running smoothly. The vice-president is in charge of running the publicity, she takes care of our scrapbook also.



STAMP COLLECTOR DANIEL STANTON, 13, a sixth-grader at Central Middle School, prepares a few examples from his collection for sale at the Annual West Suburban Stamp Club Exhibition and Bourse last weekend. About 2,000 collectors attended the event in the Central School gym.

S'Craft registration to be held tomorrow

Spring registration at School-craft College, 18600 Haggerty Road, will be held from noon to 7 p.m. on Thursday, April 28.

Registration is conducted in the auxillary gym. The first hour is reserved for spring graduates - those who will complete their programs of study during this session.

The balance of the registration period is assigned as follows: 1-3 student numbers 10000 to 58999; 3-5 student numbers 59000 to 62999 and

5 to 7 student numbers 63000 to 99999.

Students planning to attend Schoolcraft for the first time are reminded that they must be admitted to the College before registration can be completed.

Tuition at the College is \$13 a credit hour for residents of the Clarenceville, Garden City. Livonia, Northville and Plymouth-Canton school districts. Non-resident tuition is \$26 a credit hour.





Rain drops are washing away the dirt and duliness of winter as mother nature does her spring housecleaning. The bright colors of tulips and daffodils are beginning to appear. Wouldn't it be great if we could just open the windows and doors and let the rain do the spring housecleaning for us, and let mother nature splash some of her nice colors on the walls? I'm sure it wouldn't take mother nature as long as it does husbands to agree on wallpaper.

As you are out running from store to store checking out fabric, color charts and wall paper books take a few minutes and stop by the annual used book sale sponsored by the Plymouth Branch of the American Assoc. of University Women (AAUW). The sale will be held at Westland Shopping Center East Court on May 5, 6 from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. and May 7 from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Mrs. Elizabeth Gribble and Mrs. Phyllis Johnson are chairman and co-chairman.

The Old and Rare Committee of the AAUW has been busy marking and determining value of first editions, leather volumes, books with famous illustrations and signed editions for the book sale.

Happy 25th Anniversary to the Plymouth Branch of the AAUW. They celebrated at a special meeting and luncheon last Saturday. Carolyn Riley, Peggy Fisher, and Elaine Kirchgatter compiled the program, Jan Carney arranged the center pieces for the table, and Janet Repp was in charge of the physical arrangements and name tags. Special invitations were sent by Corresponding Secretary Cheryl Holmberg to charter members and past presidents, and to division board consultants of the state AAUW - Barb Medwedeff and Mary Jo Lomas.

Spring fashions were out in abundance last night, when the Farrand School P.T.O. held their mother and daughter fashion show. Coordiantors were Judy Trexier and Carole Dunn. Jackie LaChappelle was in charge of publicity, and the M.C. was Karen Cooksey.

It was a fun night for the models as well as the audience as the gals watch their friends model casual styles and dresses for that special occasion.

Mothers who modeled were: Jackie LaChapelle, Judy Trexier, Diana Heames, Wilma Fielman, Mary Nalepka, Joanne Gray, and teacher, Ellen Head. Doing the modeling for the younger generation were: Amy Dunn, Nicole, Jodi, and Traci LaChapelle, Maria, Dawn, Christian and Julie Mons, Michelle Heames, Jenny and Jill Wheaton, Robin Fielman, Krist and Wendi Trexier, Carol Gray, Kathy Wennerberg, Juli Silber, Nancy Gray, Angela Predhomme, and Nancy Nalepka.

The fashions were provided by The Little Angel Shoppe, and Nawrot Pendleton Shop.

Many pianos will be working over time this week as area students prepare for their recital this Saturday, April 30 at 7 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church.

Among the students preforming will be: David Bromet, Martha Oldford, Theresa Church, Nancy Henry, Marcia Rood, Rod Ziemba, Robin Cummings, Wendy Morgan, Michele Hopkins, Susie Decker, Leis Dauzet, Mike O'Day, and Jennifer Croll. Other pianists taking part in the program are: Annette Hopkins, Karen Kling, Kelli Theard, Jimmy Totten, Charlie Totten, Mark O'Day Jan Mundorf, Sheryl Korsnes, and Denise Hopkins. They are students of Sue Church.

"Silver Tracks" -- The Story of Plymouth in Art will be presented by Old Village Gallery on Starkweather in Plymouth. On display will be art in various mediums depicting scenes of the Plymouth Area, both past and present. The show will open May 1 from 1 to 5 p.m. when some of the artists will be on hand. The showing runs through May 21.

One of the highlights of the show will be a collection of photography of the Plymouth Area taken by Robert Cameron, former photographer for The Community Crier. Also shown will be paintings in watercolor, oils, acrylic, pen and ink, as well as prints and note paper.

Artists from the Three Cities Art Club, as well as the Gallery's regular contributing artists will be displaying in the show.

Mark E. Sulkowski, a junior in the College of Industrial Engineering at the University of Michigan, was recently initiated into Tau Beta Pi an honorary Engineering Society, and Alpha Pi Mu, an honorary Industrial Engineering Society. Mark is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Suldowski of Beechcrest Drive in Plymouth.

Jill Hocklowski, a third year student at Michigan State University, majoring in chemistry has been accepted into two national honor sororities, Phi Kappa Phi and Tau Sigma. Jill is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hocklowski of Amelia Street in Plymouth. She is a graduate of Salem High School.

The Plymouth Jaycettes, have announced their new officers for the upcoming year. They are: President, Barb Lane; Vice President, Mary Decker; Secretary, Sandra Guldner; Treasurer, Andrea Shoemaker; Directors, Kathy Salla, Dolores, Wilhelm, and Jane Beauchamp.



AAUW celebrates 25 years

THE SILVER ANNIVERSARY of the A.A.U.W. (American Association of University Women) was celebrated last Saturday

with a luncheon at the Mayflower Meetinghouse. For further details see "Tell It To Phyllis." (Crier photo by Susan Sheiner)

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The case of the mysterious water loss

BY HANK MEIJER

Every month our local municipalities buy the water from the Detroit Metropolitan Water Board that flows into local homes and factories, swimming pools and fire hydrants.

And always, they buy more water than their residents use. Somehwere along the line, millions of gallons disappear. While local DPW officials don't find, the dilemma as mysterious as it seems, it is rooted in complications they say can never be totally resolved.

The City of Plymouth was especially hard hit this year, with its water loss percentage half again greater than last year, according to DPW Chief Ken From April, 1976 through March, 1977, city officials were able to account for only 81 percent of the water the city bought from the Detroit board. That's a water loss of 19 percent, up from a relatively low figure of 12 percent in the previous year. That's 27 million gallons more than last year that the city bought but did not bill its residents for, and a total of 118 million missing gallons out of the 600 million purchased.



Vogras says the percentage of water loss used to be included in the city audit. Since 1971, however, it has disappeared. Says Vogras, "the (city) council gets upset when they see a percentage."

Vogras concedes that the city has lost a lot of water, but he adds that the biggest reasons are all too evident: a severe winter and old, deteriorating water mains.

In an average winter, Vogras says homeowners' service pipes don't freeze. This year, 175 did. In each case after the pipe is thawed, the homeowner is told to open the faucet and let the water run. It runs unmetered. The city has recorded 27 broken water mains so far this year, a third again more than usual, because of frost conditions. There's no meter to record water loss when a main bursts.

In 24 hours, some 2,500 gallons can pour out through a hole the size of a nail. And often it's cheaper to let that water run out if it's a weekend and the city as to pay its crews overtime to make the repairs.

Labor costs for the city DPW are already double their budget. Missing water is unmetered water, and the city has several water uses that go unmetered. A six-inch main serving city-owned Riverside Cemetery remains unmetered, although the city purchased a meter forit. In a report to the city manager on water loss in 1971, Vogras wrote "During the summer we have had juveniles open several spigots and they have run all night."

Newer fire hydrants lack drainbacks that allow DPW crews to notice leaks fast. Water used for street sweeping is also un-

metered, as are the approximately 5,000 gallons per day used by the city's new sewer-cleaning truck when its in use

Pipe quality plays a big part in water loss too. The newest pipes and the oldest are best, Vogras says. The Old Village section of Plymouth, where many of the city's oldest homes are located, suffered few main breaks, because the mains are all sand-cast iron pipes much thicker than those in use today, The latest pipe materials, notably ductile steel, are also holding up well, the local DPW chiefs report. But those sections of the city which were built up in the middle of this century often have inferior mains, Vogras notes. Hence, the Hough Park neighborhood, for example, is, "full of patches."

Old mains aren't much of a problem in Canton and Plymouth townships. Most of the water system didn't exist a few years ago. In the

townships, new construction is

the biggest water loss factor. Canton DPW Chief Jake, Dingeldey puts his water loss currently at about 20 per cent compared to what he says is an industry standard of 15 per cent. Dingeldey blames the larger figure in large part on construction needs. His department has responded to three water main breaks in the past week, all as a result of construction activity. "That really puts a bind on water consumption," he says.

All the communities have to lower the pressure of Detroit water as it flows into their systems. For Vogras that can be a problem with older mains. For Dingeldey, it means a drastic reduction at the connection, because Canton is second in line among Detroit water customers along the out-flowing main.

As each new subdivision opens in Canton, its main must be flushed thoroughly to meet state bacteriological requirements. That water, too, is unmetered, and goes into the township's loss column.

The township has appropriated \$50,000 to upgrade meters, and Dingeldey is pushing for other improvements. He wants a "flow indicator" like Plymouth Township has which has a graph-indicator up on which main breaks will show up.

Plymouth Township's annual water loss is running about 13 percent - 16 per cent lowest among local communities - but DPW Chief Web Kincade

says it's still a difficult problem trying to correlate water bought with water used. Because of the township's quarterly billing of water purchased monthly, he says, "you never, never have a point where you know precisely how much water you bought."

Kincade plans to hire a consultant to examine the township's water loss problems. "It's a big problem," he says, "and It's not popular with anyone." The Township buys about twice as much water as the city. Last year it lost about 151 million gallons. Winter bought with it 24 frozen home services,

Once again, new construction can be a headache. As in Canton, Plymouth Township sells new-home contractors construction water at a fixed rate. It's not metered. Says Kincade, "Some use it wisely, but some turn on the hose and let it run." He cites a case last week where a plumber on a new home project didn't tighten down the connection he had just made with the township main. The next day, the lawn was soggy. There was no meter, and how much water seeped out is anybody's guess.

As in the City of Plymouth, most main breaks in the township occur in the older subdivisons. Kincade says, "We have a relatively new system, materials now are much better,"

All three DPW chiefs agree the problem isn't going to go away. As long as water passes through old mains, as long as new buildings are built, as long as winter makes pipes shrink, millions of gallons of water will leak away. But in all three communities, water loss is receiving increased attention, and as new materials replace old, the DPW mean see hope for improvement.

How much can they control water loss? Maybe not much more than the 13 per cent Plymouth Township recorded last month.

As Vogras says of the dream of eliminating water loss, "It's virtually impossible. If anybody could ever figure out how, he'd be a millionare."

Greenleaf to run

Harry G. Greenleaf has announced his candidacy for the Schoolcraft College Board of Trustees in the June 13 election. Greenleaf, a resident of Livonia, ran for the trustee appointment once before, but was defeated. He is a former personnel worker at Ford Motor Co. has taught courses in personnel management and is active in civic and church activities.





Senior citizen fights to save Mill St. property

BY CHAS, CHILD



LEILA CHILSON (Crier photo by Chas. Child)

As whole new subdivisions sprout in the Plymouth-Canton area, the old houses and the old people tend to be forgotten. Forgotten are the people, their lives and a slow, rural way of

Such is the case with a house condemned for road widening at Ann Arbor Trail and Mill Street, and the 82-year-old woman who grew up there. Leila Chilson moved into the house in 1900 when she was Her father farmed the land around the house. She remembers his acres of red raspberries, gooseberries, currants and plums. "Oh, yes, I remember the plums, bushels and bushels of plums."

Plymouth was a very quiet town back then, she said. "Everybody knew everybody else and people could do what they wanted. Today the government is reaching into all our affairs."

Leila feels she knows the heavy hand of government. Wayne County Commission has condemned the house in order to widen the intersection of Ann Arbor Trail and Mill Street to five lanes.

"We had a cow, two horses and many other animals, right in what's the city of Plymouth now," she said. "As a little girl I remember hobos knocking at the door asking for something to eat. My mother said Willing to work?' and set them chopping these old apple trees in



LEILA'S HOUSE stands condemned, waiting for the county to tear it down. front of house for

firewood."

She hasn't lived in the house since 1938 but for most of the time since then, she's commuted back and forth from Detroit and stayed on weekends. She befriended those who rented the house and tended the flowers and shrubs around the yard.

"When my mother was alone and lonely in the house, I planted 150 varieties of iris and peonies each. She sold the flowers to keep her busy. It was a big social event for her."

"I put so much into the house and it's so dear to me. The city

and county don't want me around. The city is money-hungry, the county is money-hungry. They're trying to edge me

Leila's lawyer, Perry Richwine, said the county will be paying Leila the amount it was appraised by the county's assessor next week.

She is suing, however, for more money. It may take a year or more to settle, according to Frank O'Boyle, the attorney handling the case for the County Road Commission.

The house can be torn down now, since it's already been condemned, Richwine said. But they haven't done so, he said. for lack of money.

"They have a lot of people to tell how to use the money but they don't have it," Leila said.

"They told me I couldn't rent it. If I did they'd take the rent money away. This is how older people are persecuted these days."

Leila lives alone in Highland Park now, her church cuts her lawn, ferries her to the grocery store and helps with other errands.

"The Mission is my family," she said. "I'm alone, but because of them, I'm not lonely."

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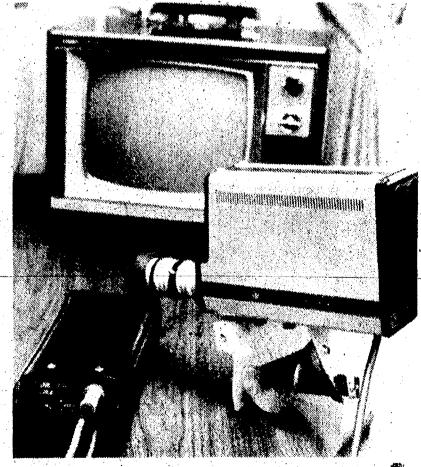
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Tomato soup, toasted cheese sandwich, fruit cup, dessert, milk Tuesday

Sloppy Joes, tater tots, fruit cup and milk

Wednesday

Pizza burgers, vegetable, jello with fruit, milk

Thursday Hot dog on bun, relishes, buttered vegetable, fruit cup, cookie and milk

Friday

Fish sticks on a bun, tarter sauce or ketchup, fruit ocup, milk buttered vegetables.

Monday

Toastec cheese sandwich, tomato soup, fruit cup, tollhouse bar,

Tuesday

Sloppy Joe, pickles, buttered vegetable, chocolate pudding, milk1

Wednesday

Turkey and gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered hot roll, jello with topping and milk

Thursday, Hot dog on bun, hot vegetable fruit cup, cake, milk

Friday Fish sticks, tartar sauce, catsup french bread, buttered vegetable fruit cup and milk

CENTRAL MIDDLE.

Monday Jiffney fu-fu (Hungarian goulash) hot cinnomon roll, fruit, milk Tuesday

Tacos, corn, fruit juice, cookie bread, milk

Wednesday

Hamburger on bun, green beans. or baked beans, jello salad, milk-Thursday

Pizza with meat and cheese sauce, vegetable, cookie milk Friday

Fish sandwich, fries, tarter sauce fruit and milk

> **ERIKSSON** Monday

Chicken noodle soup, peanut butter and jelly sandwich, fruit, toll bar and milk

Tuesday Sloppy joe, pickles, vegetable, fruit and frosted cake with milk

Wednesday Pizza with meat sauce and cheese vegetable, fruit, cookie, milk

Thursday Hot dog on bun with relishes vegetable, fruit, cookie, milk Oven fried fish, hash brown potatoes, fruit, cake, milk FARRAND

Monday Hamburger on bun with relishes

french fries, rice krispie bar fruit and milk Tuesday

Beef in gravy with mashed potatoes, hot rolls cake, fruit, milk Wednesday

Hot dog on bun with relishes sauerkraut or green beans cookie, applesauce, milk

Thursday sandwich, buttered Submarine ' vegetables, cake, fruit and milk-

Friday Macaroni and cheese, buttered vegetable french bread, cake fruit and milk

> FIEGEL Monday

Vegetable soup, peanut butter and jelly sandwich, fruit, butter cup cake and milk

Tuesday Hot dog on bun with relishes. baked beans, orange juice, peanut butter bar, and milk

Wednesday Meat in gravy over mashed potatoes, cranberry sauce, warm roll, fruit, milk

Thursday Grilled cheese sandwich, green beans, fruit, jello and milk

Friday Tacos with trimmings, vegetables buttered bread, fruit and milk FIELD

Monday. Ravioli with cheese, salad, hot roll, butter, fruit, milk

Tuesday Hot dog on bun with relishes french fries, corn, cookie milk

Wednesday Peanutbutter and jelly sandwich chicken noodle soup, crackers fruit and milk

Thursday Tuna noodle casserole, green vegetable, bread, butter, fruit

cake and milk Friday Whaler with cheese on bun, tartar sauce, cole slaw, fruit

and milk GALLIMORE

Monday sandwich, cheese Toasted buttered green beans, fruit, cake

and milk Tuesday Ravioli with meat and cheese

Wednesday Roast turkey on mashed potatoes

with gravy and french bread jello, cake and milk Thursday Hot dog on bun, relishes,

buttered carrots apple sauce cookie and milk

Friday Pizza puffs, buttered corn, fruit, cake and milk

ISBISTER

Monday Tomato soup, toasted cheese sandwich, peaches, peanut butter bar and milk

Tuesday

Sloppy Joe, mixed vegetables, fruit cocktail, potatoe sticks,

Wednesday

Turkey, gravy, mashed potatoes, cranberry sauce, orange juice, cheese cake, buttered biscuit Hot dog on bun, french fries, pears, butterscotch bar, milk Friday

Pizza puff, buttered corn, fruit banana cake and milk MILLER

Monday

Sloppy joe on bun, buttered corn, fruit cup, cookie, milk Tuesday

Hot dog on bun, french fries fruit cup, favorite cookie, milk

Wednesday

Tacos with meat, cheese sauce whole kernel corn, bread, butter chilled fruit, milk

Thursday Ravioli with meat, tossed salad

bread, butter pudding, milk Friday

Pizza day

SMITH Monday

Ravoli, buttered bread, green beans, pears, cookie, milk

Tuesday Fish sticks, tarter sauce, butbread, peas, peaches, tered cookie, milk

Wednesday Chicken in gravy over mashed

potatoes, carrot sticks, hot roll pineapple cookie milk Thursday Hot dog on bun, relishes, french

fries, jello with fruit, cheese sticks cake milk

Friday Sloppy joe on bun, tater tots, applesance: cookie, milk

Lunch with LOMAS

Central is serving Jiffney Fu-Fu next week, a hungarian variation of Kung-Fu casserole. Gallimore and Isbister will huff and pizza puff on Friday, and Miller will have plain pizza.

Startweather is celebrating their 50th year of exsistance this year and what a fabulous menu they'll have all next week! Here's à sneak preview: stone soup on Monday (stones make the most flavorful soup!) Chicken on base Tuesday, popping johns on Wednesday, button cookies Thursday and on Friday, the George A. Starkburger is the main attraction.

Remember Mother's Day Sunday - make Mom a peanut butter and jelly sandwich for lunch - she'll love you for it.

> TANGER Monday

Grilled cheese sandwich, pickle, soup and crackers, apple krisp and milk

Tuesday. Ravioli, cinnamon roll, chilled fruit, cheese stick, milk

Wednesday Over fried chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, cranberries, bread stick, chilled fruit, milk

Thursday Hot dog on a bun or chili dog,

chilled fruit, vegetable stick, chocolate cake, milk

Friday

Pizza, confetti salad, chilled pears grape jello, milk

MIDDLE SCHOOL

Monday Spaghetti with meat, hot biscuit and butter, fruit, cookie and milk

Tuesday Hot dog on bun, relishes, corn

peaches, cake and milk Wednesday

Pizza with meat sauce and chees cheese, green beans, orange juice apple crunch, milk

Thursday Hamburger on bun, relishes, french fries, fruit cup, brownie

bar, milk Friday Tomato soup, grilled cheese sandwich, fruit, chocolate chip cookie

STARKWEATHER

Monday

Pom-pom pullaway sandwich, stone soup, hop-scotch cake, jacks in a cup, J. Henderson milk Tuesday

Chicken on base, Starkweather trophy cup, school colors cake,

Ed Pierce Milk

milk

Wednesday Buckles and bows soup, popping johns, hook and eye cup, button cookies, Mrs. D. Murray Milk

Thursday Sunday Bib and Tucker Dinner plate, confetti cup, button cookies, C. F. Bennet milk Friday

George A. Starkburger, John Henderson Fries, cornerstone square, cookies, William Sutherland Milk

PIONEER Monday

Meat gravey over , mashed potatoes, buttered green beans home made roll and butter choice of fruit and milk

Tuesday

Choice of knackwurst, hot dog, in home made roll, baked beans or buttered sauerkraut, choice of fruit, cookie and milk

Wednesday Spaghetti with meat sause, home made roll and butter, or garlic toast, celery and carrot sticks choice of fruit and milk

Thursday Pizza with sausage, meat, buttered corn, apple or peach crisp and milk

Friday

Choice of sandwiches, peanut butter and jelly, egg salad, balogna and cheese or tuna fish, tossed salad, or potato salad, choice of fruit, cookie and milk

WEST Monday

Bar-B-Q beef, corn, fruit cup peanut butter crinkles, milk

Tuesday beef-a-roni, peas, peaches, banana cake, milk

Wednesday: Hamburger gravy over mashed potatoes, aspargus, homemade

rolls, choice of pudding, milk Thursday Hamburger with trimmings oven

fries, choice of fruit, butterscotch bars, milk -Friday

Fishwich with tartar sauce, catsup cheese, french fries, pears, cookies and milk

PLYMOUTH CANTON Monday Hamburger mashed

gravy. potatoes, buttered vegets roll, butter, jello, milk

Tuesday Bar-B-Q on hun, vegetable soup, assorted fruit, orange juice, potato chips, pickles, milk

Wednesday Lasagna, vegetable, hot roll, butter jello, milk

Thursday Hot dog, potato chips, baked beans, relishes, assorted fruit milk Friday

Fish on bun, potatoes, buttered

vegetable, jello, milk

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Growth brings second parish to Canton

The Archdiocese of Detroit approved construction of a second Catholic parish in Canton recently.

The new parish will cover an area bounded by Ford Rd. in the north, Palmer Rd. in the south, I-275 in the east, and Canton Center Rd. in the west.

According to Father Edward Baldwin, pastor at the Blessed John Neumann parish in Canton, increased growth was one of the reasons behind the decision to provide a new parish.

"When you have people coming to mass and they're all standing up, well, it doesn't work," said Fr. Baldwin. "We started out a year ago having one mass at 10 a.m. Sunday. Now, we have three masses on Sunday and one on Saturday and people are still standing up. And we anticipate having another mass on Saturday."

John Cardinal Dearden, Archbishop of Detroit, has appointed the Rev. Fr. Ernest Porcari, pastor of St. Clement Catholic Church, Dearborn, to serve as pastor. His appointment is effective June 15.

A name for the new parish has not been selected. Parishioners will suggest several names but final approval will rest with Cardinal Dearden.



Cantonites to build Catholic Church

Groundbreaking ceremonies were held recently at the site of the new Divine Savior Catholic Church, on Joy Rd. west of Hix.

The church, to be built on the borders of Canton and Westland has many Canton residents as parishioners.

Fall 1977, is the scheduled completion date for the fiveyear-old, 450-family parish. Presently, the parish meets in Fiegel Elementary School.

Once built, the church will have no pews and masses will be held in a large, multi-purpose

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room with a portable altar. A small chapel will handle weddings and baptisms.

Care was taken to preserve the woods surrounding the site, said Dave Thomas, a member of the parish building committee.

"It's going to be beautiful it will be set back from the road in a woods so you won't be able to see it from the road," said Thomas, adding, "You reach it by a path in the woods. We wanted to preserve the natural environment 100 per cent."

The Rev. Fr. Gerald Flannery will act as pastor.

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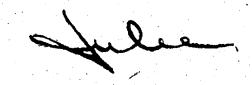
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IRVING ROZIAN, Salem Township resident and State Boundary Commission member, leaves nothing to chance - - he wears suspenders and a belt. He told The Crier he wears both because of the "gravity of the situation". He was acting as a go-between in the schools - teacher talks. (Crier photo by Susan Sheiner)

Through marathon sessions

Negotiator Irv Rozian kept talks moving

'Both sides seem to be reasonably satisfied and reasonably dissatisfied.'

This summary of the teacher-contract settlement was given by Irv Rozian, the special negotiator who was instrumental in keeping both sides noses' to the grindstone up to the teacher settlement.

"I was not a mediator or a labor negotiator in the strict sense," he said. "Rather I was a 'facilitator.' I set the agendas, scheduled meetings, and tried to keep things moving along as fast as possible."

Rozian's special position was suggested by The Crier and agreed upon by both sides.

"Getting settled before the millage was on everybody's mind," he said, "but not so dominant so as prevent fair bargaining,

"We keep in contact with the other teacher negotiations going on throughout the area and kept comparing offers and ideas," he said. "It seemed to assure both sides that the offers were reasonable.

"The tone was calm throughout the night. We didn't want to lose this opportunity."

*ELIMINATION OF 45-15 FSY LANGUAGE which would now mean greater flexibility for the schools in establishing year round 'school schedules and location.

*ADDITION OF A "SAVE HARMLESS" clause which protects the schools from enforcing agency shop union status for the PEA.

- *GRANDFATHERING -OF THE special salary schedule for counselors, social workers and psychologists for those already on the schedule. New hirees will not be given the schedules however.

The salary package for the three years includes: a three per cen increase, incremental adjustments and two per cent retirement in the first year (1976-77 school year of which teachers have already taught 147 days); from four to six per cent standard of living adjustment, incremental increases and an additional three per cent retirement in the second year; and a three per cent raise plus incremental adjustments and from four to seven per cent standard of living adjustments in the third year.

According to Norm Kee, assistant superintendent for personnel, the contract would mean a per cent increase overall and will cost a total of some \$

After the two bargaining teams met with accord early Friday, Kee polled the school board members to get verbal approval of the contract.

PEA President Candi Reece and Chief Negotiator Derald McKinley said they will now drop the two unfair labor practice charges and the circuit court suit the PEA filed against the school district.

The two negotiating teams issued a joint statement saying, they urged school district voters to approve the millage renewal and building bond issues on Saturday's special election ballot. Prior to the settlement, the PEA had not officially taken any stand on the two issues - the first time in recent history it has not supported school issues.

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WORKING OUT THE DETAILS of the teacher contract early Friday morning were (from left). PEA Président Elect Al Nurmi, PEA President

Candi Reece, the school's Asst. Supt. for Personnel Norm Kee, and PEA Vice President Bill Bartlett. (Crier photo by Susan Sheiner).

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Through marathon sessions

Schools, PEA resolve contract terms

Cont. from pg. 18

Minimum BA

1976-19	977 School ye	ar (effective Sept. 1	976)
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Maximum BA \$20,844 Maximum MA \$24,464 THIS 3-YEAR PROPOSED PAY schedule will be subject to ratification by the PEA and teachers following the tentatively agreed on contract last Friday.

Minimum MA

Schools to keep same census

The Plymouth-Canton Board of Education decided last Monday to continue to use the alternative method of census during odd years in accordance with a new codification law.

Acting on the recommendation of Supt. John Hoben, the school board decided on the alternate method because it would save more school district money -

and a formal census would cost too much. Plymouth-Canton has been using alternate census for four years.

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A formal census is no longer required of the school district and the alternate census method uses community resources such as civic and social clubs. A paper census will also be taken with school children.

Students honored

Three Plymouth residents were among Alma College graduates who received their degrees with honors at the college's 90th year commencement recently. They are: Sheryl J. Kirchoff,

They are: Sheryl J. Kirchoff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth P. Kirchoff of 44456 Brookside Dr., Plymouth, who received a bachelor of arts degree and graduated with honors

in business administration: Beverly J. Taylor, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. William Taylor of 44499 Charnwood Dr., Plymouth, who received a bachelor of science degree cum laude; and Mark A. Turner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Turner of 1300 Linden, Plymouth, who received a bachelor of science degree magna cum laude.

Correction

The Crier reported incorrectly last week that the Plymouth Township Board of Trustees had agreed to allow the Ann Arbor Road House to improve and expand its rear area. The board was sympathic to the proposed alterations, but referred the matter to the township Board of Zoning Appeals without taking further action.

In a story in last week's Crier on the search for a police chief for Canton Township, we noted that the township is currently patroled on a part-time basis by its own police and regularly by the Wayne County Sheriff's Department. We neglected to mention, however, that the State Police also patrol the township and respond to calls there.

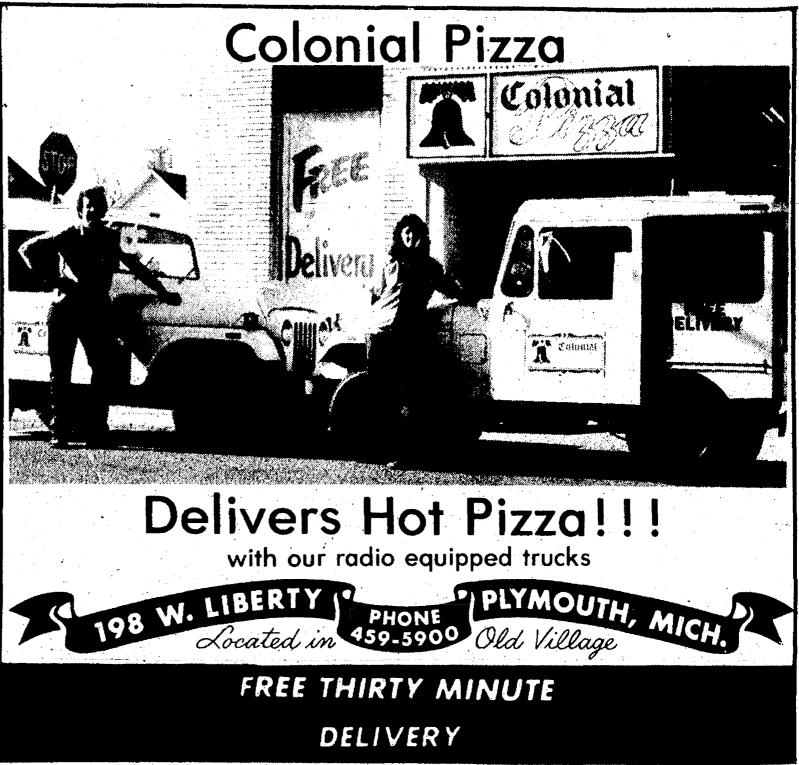


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After releasing the 'corners' of the yet to be ratified pay scale for the teachers in the district, Norm Kee said he thought the agreement was "a fair and equitable one.

"I don't see any problems with the formal ratification," he said, "The agreement won't change our position with the other districts in the county (Plymouth-Canton retained the 10th highest position pay scale). That was our goal - we were striving to maintain our position."







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Optimists to hold bike rodeo

The Plymouth Optimist Club will hold their Annual Bicycle Safety Rodeo on Saturday, April 30, from 9:30 a.m. until noon, at the Central Middle School Parking Lot (behind the tennis courts). All children (boys and girls) thru grade six are invited to bring their bicycle and participate in the rodeo. A new bicycle donated by First National Bank of Plymouth and other prizes will be awarded following the safety inspection and rodeo. The Plymouth Police Department will be present to register bicycles and conduct the bicycle safety inspection. Registration is optional and the fee is \$1, per bike. Registered bicycles are much easier to recover if they are stolen. Brand name, serial number, size, and color are included on the registration. This is a one time charge.



Glimpse at yesterday

THREE MEMBERS of an 1880 Plymouth farm family pose in their vegetable patch at Ann Arbor Trail and Mill Street. The house on the right still stands. The three are relatives of 82-year-old Leila Chilson, featured on page 18. Leila said she remembers hobos chopping the two apple trees in the middle of the picture for firewood.

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Twp. man killed at RR crossing

Edward H. LaForest, 54, of 6311 Napier Rd., Plymouth, was killed early last Wednesday morning when the car he was driving collided with a passing C&O freight train at a Newburgh Road crossing in Westland. He was pronounced dead at Wayne County Hospital.

Westland police reported that, LaForest's car hit the engine broadside after the 40-car train started up after waiting for a second train to pass. Police reported that the signal lights were flashing, and that the driver had failed to slow down when approaching the crossing.

Funeral services were held in the Lambert Funeral Home with Pastor Kenneth E. Zielke officiating. Burial was in the Roseland Park Cemetery, Berkley.

Mr. LaForest is survived by his wife, Mollie; sons Dale and Mark LaForest; daughters Hope nichols and Joan Chadiick; his parents, Henry and Martha LaForest; sisters Betty Heaton and Marge Perry; and two grand-children.

He was a maintenance foreman at Fisher Body Corporation and a member of the Eutheran Church of the Risen Christ.

(Community deaths)

Rev. Kehrl

dies

The Rev. Arnold H. Kehrl, 82, of 1045 Sutherland, Plymouth, a former member of the Plymouth Zoning Board of Appeals and a retired Baptist minister, died April 23, in the Hendry Convalescent Center, Plymouth. Funeral services were held in the First Baptist Church of Plymouth with the Rev. Dr. William B. Stahl officiating. Arrangements were made by the Schrader Funeral Home, Burial was in the Kehrl Mausoleum, Riverside Cemetery, Plymouth. Rev. Kehrl is survived by his

Rev. Kehrl is survived by his wife, Juanita; a daughter, Marie Bonamici of Northville; sons John of New York and Robert of Ohio; eight granchildren and one great-grandchild.

He was a pastor at the First Baptist Church of Donners Grove, Ill.; Beulah Baptist Church, Detroit; Calvary Baptist Church, Detroit; the First Baptist Church of Sault Ste. Marie; and the Scribner Baptist Church, Grand Rapids. He also helped organize the Senior Citizens of Plymouth and was a member of many voting boards.

Van Dine

Thomas Dow VanDine, 97, of 1300 Palmer, Plymouth, died April 21; in the Rivergate Terrace, Riverview. Funeral services were held in the Schrader Funeral Home with the Rev. Alfred R. Lackey officiating. Burial was in the Woodmere Cemetery, Detroit.

Mr. VanDine is survived by his neice, Ulla Netter, of Plymouth. He was a retired investigator for the Friends of the Court and a past Potentate for the Moslem Temple.

Nicholas

Victoria B. Nicholas, 48, of 525 Irvin, Plymouth, died April 20, in St. Mary Hospital, Livonia. Funeral services were held in the Lamber Funeral Home with the Rev. Phillip R. Magee officiating. Burial was in the Riverside Cemetery Plymouth, Township.

Mrs. Nicholas is survived by her husband, William; a daughter, Laurel; sons William and Jeffery; her mother, Victoria Sztore; a sister, Rose Schultz; and brothers Ed Stork, Victor Sztore, Al Kaczmarczyk, and Walter Kaczmar.

She worked in the mailing department at, Adistra, Corporation.





Surety Federal Savings celebrated its fifth anniversary in the Plymouth-Canton community recently by installing a metric 25-foot time and alternating celsius, fahrenheit temperature sign. The sign is controlled by a mini-computer. It is the only one of its kind, say Surety officials, in the community.

Metric slide conversion tables that convert weight, liquid, area, volume and temperature to metric system have been made available to the Plymouth Canton schools and community groups.

Beecher Todd is the manager of the Plymouth Branch.

C of C to run "Big Top"

merce will operate a "Big Top". at the Canton Jaycee's Fair June 7 through 12, at Ford Rd and Lilley in Canton.

The Big Top is selling spaces to local business persons to display and sell their products and services. The Chamber is taking reservations for limited spaces

Visit New Morning

The New Morning School (currently housed in Truesdell School), 1036 Haggerty Rd., Canton, will hold an open house on Sunday, May 1, from 3 - 5 p.m. in the school.

All interested persons may drop by, sample some refreshments, and view the school, which handles kindergarten through the eighth-grade. Numerous examples of the children's work will be on display.



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Fr. Rose saluted

St. John's Provincial Seminary honored its Rector of the past six years in a testimonial celebration at the school recently.

Fr. Robert J. Rose, who completes his assignment as Rector on June 15, was saluted by faculty, students, staff and other members of the Seminary community and members of his family.

Fr. John W. Troester, St. John's Spiritual Director, served as a toastmaster and host for the more than 150 guests at a testimonial dinner in the seminary dining hall.

John Cardinal Dearden, Archbishop of Detroit and Chairman of the Board of Trustees at St. John's spoke for all the bishops of Michigan in thanking Fr. Rose for his years of dedicated service.

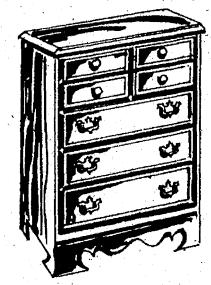
"Having been a Seminary rector for a number of years," commented the Cardinal, "I realize the complexity and challenge of the Rector's responsibilities. Fr. Rose has been a shining example of loving service to the Bishops, and for the faculty and students as well. I wish him God's fondest blessings as he goes on to his pastoral assignment in the Diocese of Grand Rapids."

On June 15, Fr. Rose begins his minstry as a pastor in the Grand Rapids Diocese.

Priests awarded

The Theological Library Service of St. John's Provincial Seminary in Plymouth conferred its first annual Gabriel Richard Awards on two Michigan priests on April 21, 1977.

Fr. James L. Bjorum of the Archdiocese of Detroit and Associate Pastor at St. Anne Parish in Warren and Fr. Dennis W. Morrow, Associate Pastor of St. Francis Xavier Parish in Grand Rapids, were the recipients of the award citations.



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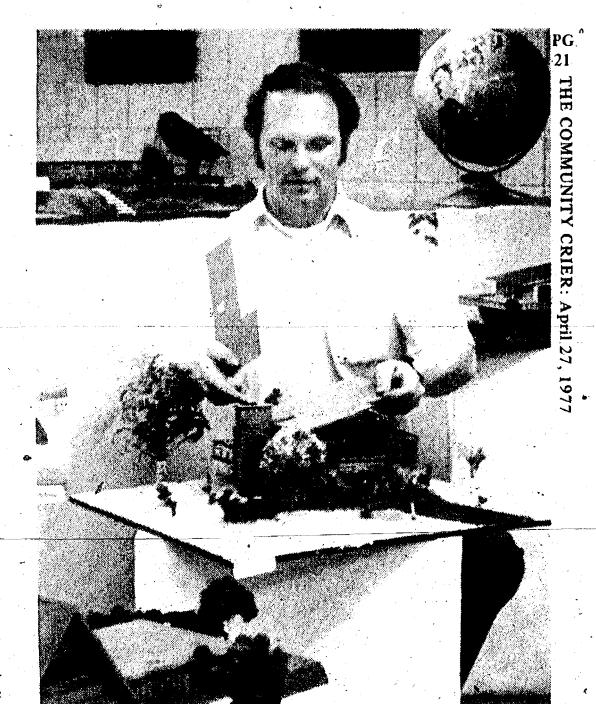
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ARCHITECTURE STUDENTS in Larry Phillips' advanced architecture class at Salem High have put in up to 150 hours each this year designing their own model homes. Phillips (above) has arranged a display of homes by Al Renaw, Mike Horwood, Jim Bologna and Brad Moore in the Salem library. (Crier photo by Hank Meijer).



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Salem runner Mangan dies

BY DONNA LOMAS

Jeff Mangan 18, a senior at Salem High School and a halfmile runner on the Salem track team, died late Saturday afternoon of complications following an appendectomy earlier last week.

Jeff succombed to a peritonitis infection following the operation at Annapolis Hospital in Garden City, according to Salem track coach Gary Balconi.

"After running six miles Monday, he was in a great deal of pain," said Balconi. "I called him Tuesday morning and found out he had had an appendectomy.

Mangan was in the operating room several hours Saturday before succumbing to the infection late in the afternoon.

"Jeff was the kind of student any teacher would want, and any coach would want," said Balconi. "He was a thorough athlete, he never took He was always like that, right from when I met him in middle school.

"He came out for track as a junior last year, and we took a

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mile. He was successful at it and constantly got better and better as a runner."

Jeff, who also wrestled as a junior, suffered a leg injury last season and switched to running the half mile for Salem.

He had a time of 2:04 for the half mile and his desire, said Balconi, was to run the half mile in under two minutes.

"We were super pleased when Jeff ran the half mile," said Balconi. "We knew he'd found his race. He started this season with the desire to run under two minutes."

In an effort to break his record

to eight miles a day, and got severe shin splints. He then practiced swimming in the poolat Salem but got a severe chest cold.

"He had just started to get back into shape until last Monday," said Balconi. "Jeff was a super young man. It was a privilege to coach him as well as teach him."

Tri-captains of the Salem track team, Walt White, Jerry Basierbe and Tom Kindree are organizing a fund raising car wash at the Don Massey car dealership on the corner of Main and Ann Arbor Road this Saturday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The fundraiser is to buy a track record board for Salem on Jeff Mangan's behalf.

Jeff is survived by his parents, Jan and Patricia Mangan of 41703 Cherry Hill Rd. in Canton, sisters Jill and Leanne; brothers. Mark and Bradley; grandparents Mr. and Mrs. August Mangan of Ann Arbor; Mrs. Parker Murray of Leslie, Mich., great-grandmother Mrs. John Smith of Ann Arbor. Services were held Tuesday at Calvary Baptist Church.

Boosters to sponsor Canton

The Red Chapter of the Plymouth Boosters Club is sponsoring a Lift-A-Thon to raise funds for weight lifting equipment in the Canton gym. Canton athletes are seeking pledges of one cent per pound lifted, and will collect the money after the Lift-A-Thon May 19.

Participants in the contest (organized by Canton head football coach Dave Schuele) will test their strength on the leg press, bench press, and military press. Pledges will be collected based on the total amount of weight lifted in the three exercises.

"We need about \$3,000 to fill the place out in addition to what the school purchased," said Schuele. "We want a weight program throughout all season - the equipment would benefit all athletes."

All Canton High School boys are eligible for the Lift-A-Thon and will be placed in one of four (lightweight, middleweight, light heavyweight, and heavyweight) categories for competition. Prizes will be awarded to players lifting the most weight in each of the four divisions, as well as a Hustle Award, given to the student that collects the most money. Pledge sheets are available in the Canton General Office.

the Crier SOOTTS



CANTON GOLFER Peg Visser practices her swing before teeing off in the golf match with Central Five League opponent *Lift-a-thon Salem last Thursday at the Hilltop Golf Club. (Crier photo by Susan Sheiner)

Salem defeats Canton in link match

BY DONNA LOMAS AND MATT NORRIS

The Salem golfers took the Central Five League win against Canton last Thursday 226, 236, having improved over last season, according to Rock golf coach, Bob Waters "by six, seven even eight strokes," he said.

Top medalist for the day was senior Anne Arthur with a score of 53 for nine holes at the Hilltop Golf Course. JoAnne Szilagyi followed with a score of 55, and Betty Delano came in third with 58. Meg McGee had a score of 60 for the day.

"Canton is very improved," said Waters.

The Rocks were supposed to have met Brighton Monday for a match on the Brighton course; but the game was cancelled due to rain. Check The Crier for rescheduling of the match.

The Canton High girl's golf squad dropped the league match to Salem 236-226.

"We had an interesting match, and we did better than I had anticipated," said coach John Crosson.

Peggy Visser was the top Chief golfer, with a score of 56 for nine holes. Darlene Rodden had a 59, followed by Lynn McAllister and Cathy Andersone with 60 and 61. Four of the eight golfers return to the squad after playing last season. "I didn't know who or what we had until last week," said Crosson.

Crosson feels his team could beat the Rocks later in the season. "They (Salem) got off to a quick start, and they have a slight advantage in experience. But maybe by the end of the season we can square off again", said the Canton coach.



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Surfing, anyone?

A relentless downpour of rain on Friday and over the weekend has forced the cancellation of many varsity and junior varsity sports activities in the Plymouth-Canton schools.

Nine sports events were cancelled Monday due to the rain, including two rescheduled events that had been postponed even earlier this season.

"We are trying to reschedule everything that has been cancelled," said Athletic Director John Sandmann. "The difficult thing is to correlate our schedules with the other school's schedules. The more rain we have, the more it compounds our problems."

Two events have been rescheduled as of The Crier's press time: Salem girls golf, scheduled for Monday at Brighton has been reset for Monday, May 2. The Salem track meet, scheduled for Monday with Belleville was cancelled due to Jeff Mangan's untimely death. The meet has been rescheduled for Tuesday, May 24.

But the sun shone Tuesday, true to form for unpredictable Michigan weather, and all Tuesday events were held as planned.

Rock batters bounce Allen Park,

BY DONNA LOMAS

A rescheduled league opener with Allen Park was won 11-5 last Thursday by the Salem Rocks baseball team, bringing their league standing up 1-1.

The winning pitcher was Tom Chiatalis, pitching for seven innings. He gave up nine hits, struck out five and walked four batters.

"Allen Park was favored to be one of the Sub-Eight league favorites," said Salem coach Brian Gilles. "We were happy to win we really needed it, gave us a confidence boost."

Salem was down by two hits in the top of the sixth inning, Cont. on Pg. 24

Dasher sets a new record for discus

BY DONNA LOMAS

The Salem boys track team took second place in a triangular meet with Northville and Stevenson last week, and lost to Suburban Eight, league team Trenton Thursday, 98-61. In the triangular meet the Rocks scored 51½ points compared to first place Stevenson's 751/2.

Salem track coach Gary Balconi was unnerved by the loss. However, for he considered his team performed well and attributed the losses to experimenting in events and the loss of two distance runners.

"We experiementing a lot, finding our strengths in events," he said. "And our depth took a beating in the distance,

Bob Dasher was a double winner in the shot put and discus in the Tuesday triangular meet. In discus he measured 133 feet 6 inches, in shot put won first place with 49'1". Rich Henschew took second place in the long jump with 19'10" and tied for fourth place in the high jump at 5'8"

Mike Stone and Mike Christie were first and second in the high jump with respective heights of 5'10" and 5'8" Stone also took second place in the 330 yard low hurdles with :41.4. Christie took second place in the 120 high hurdles in:15.9

Scott Kapler won in pole vaulting with 11'6" and Mark Coma took second place with king and improving too."

11'. Tom Covington took fourth place in the 880 yard run and a third and fourth place tie developed on the 100 yard dash as Terry Kachenko placed for Salem with :10.9. Chris Richie took fourth place for the Rocks in the 440 yard dash.

In the one mile event, Walk White ran in for second place with a time of 4:35.3. White doubled in the mile after breaking Salem's outdoor mile record in the two mile event. He placed third in the two miler with a time of 9:56.

At Trenton on Thursday, Salem took third and fourth place in the 220 yard dash, and the 440 relay team won again with a time of :45.4.

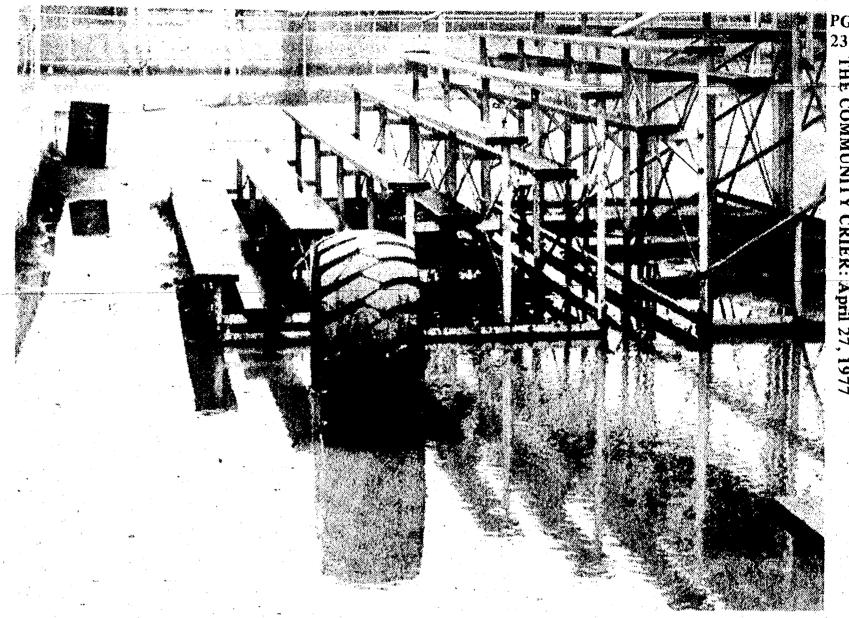
Tom Covington took second place in the 440 yard dash with a time of :54.3. The Rocks took second, third and fourth places in the 100 yard dash with a time of :11.1 for Tom Kindree, Kachenko and Basier-

Dasher broke his own record in the discus, placing second with 141'2". He also won the shotput Thursday with 48'7".

"We're shooting consistently in the shot put and discus," said Balconi, "We're doing well in long jump and the relay teams are very improved. Our pole vaulters are working very hard and I'm really optimistic."

The Rocks face Suburban Eight Belleville and Dearborn and Edsel Ford this week.

"They're loaded with talent," said Balconi, "But we are wor-



THE CENTRAL MIDDLE school field, also Canton varsity baseball playing field, was flooded in the spectator stands from the

deluge of rains last week. (Crier photo by Susan Sheiner)

Chief runners triumph in meets

BY MATT NORRIS

Canton High girl's track team logged two wins and one loss in a quadrangular meet at Livonia Stevenson Wednesday. Only two members of each of the four teams were entered in the varsity meet, while a junior varsity meet was also held.

Aquinas High School finished with 82 points in the meet, and Canton scored 46. Bishop Gal--lagher had 45 points, and Ladywood was last with 42 points.

"I am really pleased that we beat those two teams," said Canton coach Barb Winn.

Jennifer Tregembo, Beth Richardson. Lynne Bigelow and Veronica Gray took the only first place for Canton Wednesday. "The 880 and mile relay teams have a good chance for State competition," said Winn. The mile relay combination of Richardson, Bigelow, Tregembo and Cheryl Coble took second in 4:30.1.

Canton thinclads also placed in the short races, earning seconds in the 100, 220 and 440 yard races. Meaghan Ford dashed to a :12.3 time in the 100, and Grav was second in

the 220 in 28.4 seconds.

Tregembo earned second in the 440 in 1:06.6, and Bigelow took second in the 110 low hurdles. Lynn Rudolph hurled the discus to a second place, as did Sue Vitoratos in the shotput.

The Chiefs host Walled Lake Western in their opening league meet tomorrow. Walled Lake Western is the favorite to win the league this year, but Winn said, "We could take second in the league this year if we run



Trenton surprises Rock thinclads in league meet



FIRST SINGLES player Curt Schultz of the Salem tennis team warms up before the match at Northville last Thursday. The match turned out to be as dismal as the weather, however, as Salem took the loss, 7-0. (Crier photo by Susan Sheiner)

Salem netters drop win to Northville

The Salem tennis team lost a match to Northville last Thursday, 7-0:

Coach Jim Stevens reported that the only win for the Salem team came from junior varsity second singles player.

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MASTERBRITE

BY DONNA LOMAS

The two opening meets for the Salem girls track squad were lost last week to Walled Lake Western and Trenton. The league meet against Trenton was 96-38, and Walled Lake dominated the Rocks, 98½ - 28½.

"We thought Trenton would be easier," said Salem track coach, Scott Kurtz. "Last year we won by 20 points, but they've improved to the point this year where they're favored to win the (Sub-Eight) league meet."

At Walled Lake Tuesday, the Rocks took second and third place in the two mile event, Cheri Levielle coming in second with 14:10 and Jennifer De-Venny with 14:16. Kathy Sample came in third with a time of 2:39 in the 880 run. Julie Prchlik as a double winner in the shotput and discus events. She tied for third place in shotput with 28'5" and placed second in discus with 87'10".

Lisa Morris tied for fourth place in the long jump and Tricia Mullen came in second in the 100 yard dash with a time of :12.5. JoAnn Langkabel placed second in the hurdles with a time of :16.2 and Erin Lucas placed fourth in that event.

In the 440 yard dash and the mile, Salem had two third places Cindi Levielle at :67.8 and Sarah Marks clocking 6:24 repectively.

An "excellent effort" by the 440 relay team earned Salem second place. The Rocks lost by one-tenth of a second in the relay.

Erin Lucas placed second in the high jump with a height of

A double win for Prchlik again on Thursday in the shot put and discus, placing first with 28"/2" and 81'71/2" in the discus.

Erin Lucas won the high jump event with 4'8" and JoAnne Langkabel took a fourth place in the long jump with 14'6".

Salem took a one-two win in the two mile, Cheri Levielle first with a time of 14:24 and DeVanny second with 14:35. A "real good" time of 2:34.8 for Kathy Sample earned her second place in the 880 yard run and Cindi Levielle took third place with 2:48.3.

Cathy Zielek came in third in the 440 yard dash, and tied

with Cindi Croce, who placed fourth, with a time of :70.7.

Sarah Marks placed second in the mile run with a time of 6:31, Cindi Levielle took fourth place with 6:49.

"We have a few small injuries but the team is doing a whale of a job," said Kurtz. "We only have 30 kids on the team, so we spread ourselves a little thin when we meet teams like Dearborn with 59 kids. But we are gaining a few more every week, so we're working hard."

Thinclad Barnes is double winner in loss

BY MATT NORRIS

Chief thinclads dropped their -opening meet at Thurston last Tuesday, 107-51. Although Can Canton "runners took only four first places Tuesday, there were a few bright spots in the non-league meet.

Senior Steve Barnes was the only Chief to win two races, capturing the 100 and 200 yard sprints. Barnes won the 100 in 10.9 seconds, while winning the 220 in :24.6. Gerard Durocher, one of Canton's top sprinters, was sidelined against Thurston because of a back in-

Canton won two first places in field events, as William Murphy leapt to a 5'8" first in the high jump, and Scott Gray won the polevault with a vault of 11 feet. Canton also took second and third in the polevault, as Randy Reinas and Dave Tanner posted 9'6" and 9'0" heights.

Canton placed well in the 120 yard high hurdles, as Aaron Tomolak and Bryan Pijanowski were second and third. Murphy took two third places, in the two mile and 440 yard dash. Reinas and co-captain Cliff Norris were second and fourth in the high jump behind Murphy's first. Andy Lewis, a junior, took third place in the shotput with a throw of 40'9".

"Thurston was very similar to our team, but we didn't run very well against them," said coach Mike Spitz. Spitz feels his team will improve during the season, and added, "We will work on some technical stuff after this meet."

Canton will run against Walled Lake Western tomorrow in the opening Western Six conference meet, and will compete against Redford Union next Tuesday.

Salem whips AP

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but after eight scores in the sixth, Allen Park had a lot to worry about.

In the second inning, Salem's Dave Nidzgorski went to first base on an Allen Park error, Goodsir. Bases were loaded, followed by Chiatalis who singled, and a Mike Stevens single. Bruce Piper then got to first base on another error, scoring Nidzgorski for the Rocks first run.

Then Dave Wilcox singled to first and Joe Goodsir walked. bringing in two more runs, Chiatalis and Stevens in the second inning.

The Tigers hit three in the fourth inning and scored a hit in the fifth - but then in the sixth Salem started to warm up, taking advantage of several Allen Park errors.

a walk and Piper followed on Bradburn fielder's choice. popped up to the Tiger shortstop and went out. Dave Wilcox walked to first, followed by Joe with two men out:

Bob Smith singled, and brought Piper in for a score,

Bruce Gerish then hit a grand slam home run and brought in four runs. Then Nidzgorski hit a home run right after Gerish followed by a homer for Chiatalis as well.

Stevens then walked to first and scored on an error by the Allen Park team.

Allen Park scored only one hit ine the sixth inning, and lost the contest 11-5.

"We're really happy to knock Starting out the slugfest, in the them off," said Gilles. "I hope sixth. Stevens took first base on this turns things around for us."

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BY MATT NORRIS

Rock softball squad defeated Suburban Eight opponent Allen Park Thursday, 7-4. A five-run third inning sparked the victory, the second this season, against no losses. The game had been rescheduled due to bad weather earlier in the season.

Salem's five runs in the third provided the winning margin, as all nine Rock batters reached the plate. Nan Horwood led off the stanza with a single, and after Peggy Moore flied out to centerfield, sophomore Becky Crespo singled, sending Howood to third. Both runners advanced on Cindy Cindrich's RBI sacrifice bunt.

Kathy Lehmann was safe on an error, and Donna Goodrich singled to score Crespo. Outfielder Doris Hoelscher knocked in Lehmann and Goodrich with a double, and scored the fifth run of the inning on Sue McDowell's single.

Western Suburban Soccer League Stats

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Salem scored single runs in each of the first two innings. Horwood reached base on an error in the first inning, and stole second base. With two outs, Crespo also got on base by an Allen Park error, scoring Horwood: Poor fielding again led to a Salem run in the second inning, as Lynne Stone and Hoelscher were safe on errors. Stone injured her leg stealing second base, and was replaced by Goodrich as a pinchrunner.

Sophomore pitcher Jan Boyd picked up the win Thursday, aided by Debbie Pitera pitching in relief. Pitera hurled the last three innings.

The Rocks are now 2-0 in the league (not including yesterday's game against Trenton), tied with Edsel Ford, Dearborn and Trenton. Allen Park slipped to 0-2 after the loss. Salem plays another rescheduled game at Redford Union today, and will play host to Edsel Ford Friday afternoon at 4:00 p.m.

(Sports happenings)

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Wed. April 27	C. baseball	N.ville	T	4 p.m.
	S. girls track -	- Dearbn.	H	3:30
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Fri. April 29	S. baseball	Ed Ford	T	4 p.m.
	S. tennis	Ed Ford	T	4 p.m.
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	S. softball	Ed Ford	Н.	4 p.m.
Sat. April 30	C. baseball	Franklin*	H	noon
Mon. May 1	C. baseball	Churchill	Τ.	3:30
	C. tennis	Churchill	T	3:30
	C. softball	Churchill	1-1	4 p.m.
Tues. May 2	S, baseball	Dearborn	H	4 p.m.
	S. tennis	Dearborn	H	4 p.m.
	S. softball	Dearborn	T	4 p.m.

Local residents form EMU

Hall of Fame

BY DONNA LOMAS

Two Plymouth residents decided four years ago to give something back to the university that had given them a chance to excel in their chosen sports - and they did it by honoring past athletes of the university.

Glenn Davis and Bill Rowland Class of '55 at Eastern Michigan University in Ypsilanti, organized the E-Club, a group of former varsity letterwinners in all sports from EMU.

The E-Club wanted to honor excellence in athletics at EMU not only athletes from all sports, but administrators, coaches and teachers in sports as well.

Davis, a former track letterwinner at Eastern; says the Hall of Fame at Eastern got started because the Eastern Alumnae had always had a strong track alumnus - and the Hall of Fame idea grew from that.

"They wanted to contribute something back to the university in a special way," he said.

"So we contacted some people and we got going."

This is the second year the selection committee, of which Davis is chairman, is accepting applications for the Hall of Fame honor. They will select eight candidates from over 80 applications.

"We have 43 firm nominations," Davis said. "We are seriously considering those that made contributions after their graduation. Most nominees are 'old-timers' from the '20's, '30's."

JV triumphs

The Salem junior varsity baseball team won it's first league game last Tuesday against Belleville, 18-7.

The Rocks were ahead 6-0 going into the third inning with John Hoelzer pitching. Relief pitcher Barry Owens came in after the Tigers scored a run,

The Rocks came back in the bottom of the third, with five runs, putting the score at 11-7. Pitcher Owens got the win.

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Plymouth Township Board Minutes

TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH BOARD OF TRUSTEES - REGULAR MEETING APRIL 12, 1977

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 p.m.. followed by the Pledge of Allegiance. Members present were Notebaert, Richardson, Millington, Breen and Fidge. Members absent were Gornick and West.

Mr. Breen moved approval of the minutes of the Regular Meeting of March 22, 1977, as corrected. Supported by Mrs. Fidge and carried unanimously. Mr. Millington moved approval of the bills in the total amount of \$22,862.39. Supported by Mr. Breen All members voting "yes" on a roll call vote.

PROPOSED USE HEARING ON EP 8 ALLOCA TION FOR FEDERAL REVENUE SHARING, Mrs. Richardson indicated that the Township should be receiving \$70,184 sometime between January 1, 1977 and December 30, 1977, however, the Township is required to hold a public hearing for citizen input regarding use of the funds. Mr. Notebaert opened the Public Hearing at 8:05 p.m.

In response to a question posed by Mrs. Fidge, Mrs. Richardson indicated that at budget time discussion involved the proposed swimming pool, shuffleboard courts, tennis courts, underground sprinkling for the golf course along with other items for the Recreation Site. After the proposed use hearing, the Township Board will make a determination, prepare a budget and hold a public hearing on the budget. Mr. Notebaert closed the p blic hearing at 8:08 p.m.

Mrs. Richardson moved to refer the EP 8 Allocation for Federal Revenue Sharing to the Board of Trustees to prepare a budget for the \$70,184, to be presented to the citizenry at a later Public Hearing. Supported by Mr. Breen and carried unanimously,

SANITARY SEWER' BYRON AND SLY. Mr. Breen moved to adopt the following resolution. Supported by Mrs. Richardson:

WHEREAS, the Township of Plymouth deems it necessary to the public health and welfare of its citizens to construct improvements and additions to its sanitary sewer system, and WHEREAS, the Township Board of Trustees have determined that the project shall be known as the Byron-Sly Sewer Project and shall be described in general terms as the Byron Creek Trunk Extension: Plymouth Hills Subdivision Laterals; and Sly Drain Trunk Extension, and RESOLVED that the Township Board has determined that the cost of additions and improvements to the Byron-Sly Sewer Project shall be financed pursuant to Act 342 of 1939, as amended,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: That the Township of Plymouth hereby designates the Engineering firm of Brender-Hamill and Associates as engineers for the project, the firm of Shannon and Company as financial consultants for the project, and the firm of Miller, Canfield, Paddock and Stone as bond counsel for the project and hereby authorizes the Township Supervisor and Clerk to execute the necessary documents to effectuate this resolution and BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Township of Plymouth hereby authorizes the acquisition of necessary easements for the "Projects" and authorizes the Township Supervisor and Clerk to retain the Board of Wayne County Road Commissioners, if

deemed necessary, to acquire said easements for the use and benefit of the Township, said easements to be obtained by negotiation or the power of eminent domain whichever is necessary, and BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED' that a certified copy of this resolution be sent to the Board of Wayne County Road Commissioners, and BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that all resolutions and parts of resolutions heretofore passed by the Township of Plymouth in regards to the so-called Byron Creek Sewer Project or Byron-Sly-Tonquish Sewer Project are hereby deemed to he-rescfinded.

Mr. Breen moved that the legal description be incorporated in the Resolution. Supported by Mrs. Richardson,

The following roll call vote was taken on the Resolution: Yes: L. Fidge, M. Breen, F. Millington, H. Richardson, T. Notebaert, No: None, Absent: J.

West, R. Gornick. The Motion carried unanimously. The following roll call vote was taken on the Amendment to the Resolution: Yes: L. Fidge, M. Breen, F. Millington, H. Richardson, T. Notebaert No: None Absent: J. West, R. Gornick. The Motion carried unanimously.

Mrs. Richardson moved that the name of George Demetriou be placed on the list for Liquor Licenses to be located at 605 Ann Arbor Road, a list of approximately 15 names, without preference. Supported by Mr. Millington and carried unanimously.

Mr. Scappaticel indicated in his communication of March 21, 1977 that he did not feel that a request to charge the benefit charges over a ten year period would be improper as he feels his multiple dwellings could be considered the same as industrial or commercial buildings, Mr. Breen moved that Mr. Kincade provide the Township Board with comments as to why there should be a difference for residentail rather than commercial and industrial in terms of payment, said comments to be reported back in thirty days. Supported by Mrs. Fidge and carried

Mrs. Richardson moved approval of the Final Preliminary Plat for Westbriar Village Sub. No. 1 for Macomb Corporation under Application No. 279 and as recommended by the Planning Commission Supported by Mr. Millington and carried unanimously.

Mr. Breen moved approval to advertise for bids for a new car for the Building Department, said bids to be opened at the April 26, 1977 regular meeting. Supported by Mrs. Richardson and carried unani-

Mr. Breen moved approval of the proposed extension of Branch No. 1 of Plymouth Township Drain No. 1 formerly the Koss Drain in accordance with the description of the engineer furnished by the Township on April 12, 1977 be approved and the Drain Commissioner be requested to proceed with all necessary action to accomplish the construction of same at an estimated cost of \$180,000. Supported by Mr. Millington and carried unanimously.

Mrs. Fidge moved that the Township pledge its faith and credit for the payment of delinquent special assessments for the paving of the streets in Glenview Subdivision, and authorize the Supervisor and Clerk to sign the agreements on behalf of the Township. Supported by Mr. Millington and carried unanimously.

Mr. Breen moved approval of the transfer of funds as requested by the Township Clerk. Supported by Mrs. Fidge and carried unanimously.

Amendments to the Plymouth Township Working Prictices with regard to Holidays and Pension to be effective July 1, 1977, covering non-contract employees. Mr. Breen moved ratification of the amendment to the Plymouth Township Working Practices as submitted with regard to Holidays and Pension to be effective July 1, 1977. Supported by Mr. Millington and carried unanimously.

Mr. Millington moved approval of the improvements to be done to the Township Parking Lot at a cost of approximately \$400.00. Supported by Mr. Breen and carried unanimously.

Re: Storm Water Management Resolution. Mrs. Fidge explained that the resolution would promote a philosophy for storm water run off systems. Mrs. Richardson moved approval of the Storm Water Management Resolution as submitted. Supported by Mr. Millington and carried unanimously.

Mrs. Richardson moved approval of the recommendation from the Fire Chief to promote Firefighters "Robert Caloia and Clayton Miller to Step No. 5 of the Wage Progression Guide. Supported by Mr. Breen and carried unanimously.

James Briggs, Chief Building Inspector. Re: Regarding Ann Arbor Road House. Mr. Briggs indicated in his communication of April. 7, 1977 that in his opinion, the Township could and should allow improvements to the Ann Arbor Road House regardless of whether or not it is a non-comforming use. Discussion followed, with the concensus being that this matter was not porperly before the Board of Trustees but rather should be before the Board of Appeals. Mrs. Fidge moved to refer this item to the Township Board of Appeals. Supported by Mrs. Richardson and carried unanimously.

Mrs. Richardson moved to approve a resolution closing Edward N. Hines Drive for Special Activities Day on May 14, June 11, September 10 and October 8, 1977. Supported by Mr. Millington and carried unanimously,

Mr. Breen moved approval of the following resolution, supported by Mrs. Fidge:

RESOLVED, that the Township of Plymouth accepts jurisdictional and maintenance responsibility for the 15" storm sewer within the Wayne County right-of-way of Tavistock Circle, '275' north of the north right-of-way line on Ann Arbor Road, to service Denny's Restaurant and further that the Supervisor and Clerk be authorized to sign the necessary documents on behalf of the Township of Plymouth. The Resolution was approved unanimously.

Moved by Lee Fidge to adjourn the meeting. Supported by Helen Richardson. Supervisor Notebaert adjourned the meeting at 10:40 p.m. Approved, Respectfully submitted Thomas G. Notebaert Helen T. Richardson

Supervisor These minutes are a synopsis. The original minutes are on file in the clerk's office.

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POSTING AND FILING OF CITY COMMISSION MINUTES

CITY OF PLYMOUTH, MICHIGAN Notice is hereby given that on the 26th day of April, 1977, true copies of the minutes of the regular meeting of the City Commission heldson Monday, April 4, 1977, at 7:30 p.m., were posted on the official bulletin

boards of the City of Plymouth, located at the Southeasterly corner of the intersection of S. Main Street and Penniman Avenue; the Southeasterly corner of the intersection of Starkweather Avenue and W. Liberty Street; the South entrance of the Central Parking Lot facing S. Harvey Street, and also on the bulletin board in the City Hall at 201 S. Main St. These minutes are posted in accordance with Section 5.11 of the City Charter for the benefit and information of all interested citizens of the City of Plymouth.

Paul V. Brumfield, City Clerk

CURIOSITIES

IS IT TRUE that W. Edward Wendover was once on the staff of that great newspaper: THE McFARLANE MURMUR?

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS CITY OF PLYMOUTH, MICHIGAN

At a meeting of the Zoning Board of Appeals to be held in the Commission Chamber of the City Hall on Thursday, May 5, 1977, at 7:30 p.m. a public will be held to consider the following: APPEAL CASE NO. 77-4 DAVID 1 THOMPSON' 280 Lindsay Drive Plymouth, Michigan 48170, requesting permission to construct a 24 ft x 36 ft. garage at above address, located in a R-1 (Single Family Residential District), which is in conflict with Section 5.194(3) of Article XV, Chapter 52, Zoning, of the Plymouth City Code.

Section 5.194(3) provides that an accessory building may occupy not more than twenty-five (25) percent of a required yard, plus twenty percent (20%) of any non-required rear yard, provided that in no instance shall the accessory building exceed one-half (1/2) the ground floot area of the main building, except an accessory building can be constructed which exceeds these standards where it is intended to serve as a two car garage or carport. However, where the area of such a structure would exceed the above standards, its floor area shall not exceed 528 square feet and, provided further, that it shall not occupy more than forty (40) percent of the combined required and rear yard of the residential All interested parties will be given an ample opportunity to participate in the hearing and, at the close of said hearing, all comments and sug-

gestions of those citizens participating will be considered by the Zoning

Board of Appeals prior to rendering its decision.

Paul V. Brumfield City Clerk



The Surety Federal Savings Office on Sheldon near Ann Arbor Road has installed a new time and alternating celsius, fahrenheit temperature sign.

The sign is controlled by a mini-computer and is the only one of it's kind in the Plymouth area.

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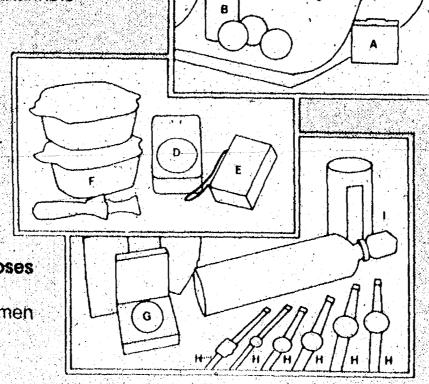
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