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Fest party animal

The dog days of summer yielded to the Fall Festival as nearly 200,000 people came to Plymouth for the annual four-day fete. This fest watcher takes a break from the activities that kept him working like a dog. Life is, after

all, in the eye of the beholder. Turn to pages 18, 19, 20, 21 for more photos of the Festival. (Crier photo by Chris Farina)

Fest was 'wonderful'

BY PAUL GARGARO AND KEN VOYLES

Blue skies and mild temperatures prevailed over the weekend and helped to make this year's 33rd Annual Fall-Festival a big success.

"It was wonderful," said Assistant City Manager and Fall Festival board member Paul Sincock. "It was one of the biggest, most consistent crowds we've ever had."

Sincock estimated that more than 150,000 people visited Plymouth during the Fall Festival.

Festival manager, Joe Bida estimated that the festival crowds reached 200,000.

According to festival organizers, the big crowds contributed to strong sales by the many service groups and booth participants.

"Some of the booths along Main Street said that sales were unbelievable -- 100 per cent above last year," said Sincock.

Fall Festival Board President Kenneth Holmes agreed with Sincock's assessment.

"I was really pleased with the way things worked out at the booth level. And the major dinners at The Gathering did very well," said Holmes.

While Holmes said he was pleased

with the outcome of the festival, he said he and Bida felt that there was an "unnecessary duplication of effort" in some areas.

"The Gathering area could be better organized with a smoother transition from group to group," said Holmes.

Plymouth Police Chief Richard Myers also said the festival ran smoothly.

"The whole thing went really well.
The crowds were large, but orderly," said Myers. "I'd have to say that the problems were minimal. The Fall Festival Manager (Bida) did a masterful job."

P-C Schools enrollment hits 15,434

BY DAN JARVIS

September 14, 1988

Preliminary figures are in for the student headcount at the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools and it looks like the district will reach the same head count as last year.

John Hoben, schools superintendent, said the preliminary K-12 student total for the 1988-89 school year as of Monday was 15,434. He added that he expected it to top out near 15,500 students, roughly the same number as last year.

"It's fair to assume that because we expect to have about the same number of students but less teachers, that the class sizes will be a bit higher than last year." he said.

Last year the district's K-12 count hit

Hoben estimated that class size will be raised this year from an average of 28 students per teacher to 29 per teacher for the 1988-89 school year.

Michael Homes, associate superintendent for instruction said the district is less about 36 teachers as compared with last year.

"The actual numbers won't be in until the fourth Friday in September," said Homes, "but we are looking at slightly larger class sizes. We won't really know until we get more specific information."

Norman Kee, who heads the personnel department in the schools, said the teacher shortage can be blamed on the \$5 million deficit experienced by the schools as a result of millage denials by area voters and slashes in state aid.

Hoben added that the student population in the district is expected to increase over the next few years because of increased residential construction.

"As class sizes "increase," said Hoben, "we will need to have more teachers. Right now we don't have any money to do anything different."

FEST: A loving look at this year's annual Fall Festival as seen through the photos of Crier photographers. See pgs. 18, 19, 20, 21

GOLD: Canton artist Larry
Brooks works in
gold leaf — one of only a few such
artists. See pg. 10

Robinson resigns from Com

BY PAUL GARGARO

City of Plymouth residents will no longer benefit from the services of former Mayor and City Commissioner William Robinson.

Robinson announced his retirement after nine years as a commissioner at Tuesday's city commission last meeting. He will be replaced by former city commissioner Jack Kenyon.

"This is one of the toughest things I've ever done," said Robinson. Serving on the commission has been a high point in my career and I thank the people of the city for this privilege."

Robinson attributed the decision to his health. The former mayor said that he had a heart attack approximately 12 years ago and the doctor told him that he should begin to "slow down."

"My heart is fine, but I'm a 72-yearold living like a 40-year-old," said Robinson. "I've got hobbies that I haven't touched for 12 years.'

Robinson retired from Davco Manufacturing in 1985. Shortly after that, he returned to serve the firm as a consultant.

Robinson said that he and his wife plan to spend their time between their

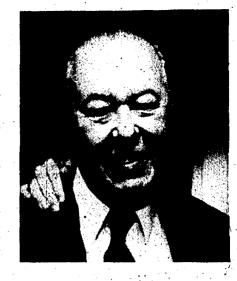
cottage in Frankfurt and a recently purchased apartment in Florida.

Mayor Karl Gansler accepted

Robinson's retirement 'with regret."
"I'll miss Bill very much," said Gansler. "He always looked at the broad picture. He is a guy I could always run things through with.

"He's my father's age -- he's someone that I could always go and talk to," added Gansler. "You were always welcome at his home. He's very

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Canton man loses battle over tickets

BY PAUL GARGARO

Keith Smith, the Canton resident who was issued two tickets on Dec. 23 for operating a motor vehicle with an expired license and improper plates, was found guilty on both counts by a jury on Monday.

Since the December incident, Smith has maintained that the tickets are a violation of his right of free travel. He has also questioned whether he is required to have an operator's license.

In addition, Smith has questioned the authority of the district court.

Last Thursday (Sept. 1), Smith failed to show for the original jury trial date. 35th District Court Judge James Garber found Smith to be in contempt of court. Garber set a \$500 bond on Smith and issued a bench warrant for his arrest.

Smith was apprehended the following morning and jailed until his bond price was paid, said City of Plymouth Prosecutor Ron Lowe.

Although Smith defended himself, Garber appointed a public defender to the case to be used by Smith if necessary.

Smith said he subpoenaed the President of the United States, Governor James Blanchard, attorney Gerald Frank Kelly, and Wayne County, Sheriff Robert Ficano. None of them appeared.

Before dismissing Monday's jury to make its decision, Garber asked that "they consider the facts: Was Smith operating a motor vehicle on a public highway at the stated place and time? Did he have a valid license and the proper plates? Did he qualify for any of the exemptions (license and license plate) outlined by the state?

Monday's six-person jury took approximately 10 minutes to reach its verdict.

Smith was released on a \$500 bond. A Sept. 31 sentencing date has been scheduled.



Canton resident Keith Smith stands before 35th District Court Judge James Garber and a jury of his peers.

Smith lost his case. (Crier photo by Chris Farina)

Canton moves to sell off property

BY KEN VOYLES

A piece of property along Haggerty Road in Canton has been appraised at approximately \$83,000 an acre as a part of efforts by the township board of trustees to sell the land.

Hunters win chili cookoff

Walt and Claire Hunter, of Plymouth, won the 10th annual Michigan Chili Cookoff with their "Fire on the Mountain" recipe over the weekend.

The Hunters won \$850 for their efforts and will represent the state in the World Chili Cookoff on Oct. 30 in Rosemont, CA.

Nearly 40 cooks vied for top honors during the weekend competition held in West Bloomfield. The Hunters have also previously won the annual Kidney Foundation Chili Cookoff held every year in Saline.

The Hunters used a can of beer and cabbage as secret ingredients to help win over the judges.

The parcel, located off Haggerty south of Warren Road, includes three separate parcels totalling 87 acres and is being sought by two different developers.

The appraisal was made for a 28-acre portion of the total parcel. Last week the board passed a resolution agreeing to sell the land.

At the same time the board asked for the remaining appraisals for the 14 and 45-acre parcels. Supervisor Jim Poole said "for sale" signs would be placed on those two sections of the land.

Ernest Essad, Jr., a township attorney, told the board that the two developers already interested in sections of the land would be resubmitting their bids to a committee looking into the land's sale potential.

"We need a policy decision from you," Essad told the board. "Is the land for sale? And what are the conditions for the sale?"

"I haven't heard anyone object to the sale of the property," said Poole. "I'd like to see the offers resubmitted to us."

Trustee Bob Padget said he agreed with Poole that the board does want to

sell the land, but stressed the fact that he needed to know when the new offers would come back to the board.

One of the developers is interested in 42 acres of the land, while the other developer had already made an offer in 1987 for 28 acres at about \$50,000 an acre, said Essad.

Both groups have proposed multimillion dollar projects. One developer would put up a 300,000 square foot data processing center, while the other is interested in putting up "spec" buildings, buildings designed on the spot for individual clients.

"Obviously there is a great deal of interest in the property," Essad said.

Poole added that putting up "for sale" signs might attract other potential buyers who would "have to be heard and listened to."

Essad also noted that the property may contain some "wet" areas, or wetlands, and that there may be a desire to preserve some of the wooded portions of the land. Canton Treasurer Gerald Brown has already gone on record saying he'd like to save some of the land as a "buffer."

He said, "We have control over what happens there in the future."

And open house

Miller Woods meeting

The Friends of the Miller Woods will hold their second annual meeting and open house on Sunday(Sept. 18) from 2-4 p.m. in the first floor community room of the Arbor Health Building in Plymouth.

There will be a continuous slide show of the Miller Woods, as well as a new display of educational materials put together by Emily Kemnitz. There will also be historical materials available about Miller Woods.

The meeting is open to members and interested residents.

Refreshments will be served and membership applications available.

For further information call 451-6423.

N'ville well runs dry

BY KEN VOYLES

A city landmark in Northville has

The well on S. Main Street, used since the early 1900s by residents and travelers, has become a victim of this year's drought. Sunk 47-feet into the ground years ago, the well has gone dry.

"It's just not deep enough," said Dave Rekuc president of the Northville Rotary, the local club which has taken care of the well as a community service project since it paid to sink a well back in 1968. "It has run dry twice before."

Originally an artesian spring, the well site has been used by residents as long as most people in Northville can remember. City DPW officials and Rotary members point to the lowering watertable as the cause for the drying up of the well this year.

"We'll have to sink another,"

Rekuc said. The group met recently to discuss raising money for the project, currently estimated at \$5,000, depending on how deep the new well would have to be sunk. Members agreed, said Rekuc, to seek bids for the project immediately even before the funds become available.

The Rotary has already begun fundraising plans. Those interested in helping should contact the Rotary through the First Presbyterian Church of Northville.

"We're looking for donations to help restore the well," Rekuc said. A fundraising night at the Marquis Theatre is already in the works, he said, and the Northville Chamber of Commerce has enlisted to help.

Rekuc said residents first noticed something might be wrong this summer when sediments began appearing in water from the well.

Development paves the way

BY PAUL GARGARO

As Plymouth Township continues its slow, but steady growth, signs of urbanization are sure to overtake many once-rural areas.

Analysis

Perhaps the biggest sign of this is the paving of many of our dirt roads

As Crier Managing Editor Ken Voyles examined in last week's Industry and Commerce Section, Canton is currently engaged in an asphalt and concrete evolution. And while there are those that oppose it, continued growth demands that densely developed areas have paved streets.

Canton has a total of 14 road paving projects. Some have already been completed, while others are still on the drawing board. Provided that all of the projects are completed, the bill would come close to \$4 million.

Plymouth Township, although not currently as involved with paving projects as its neighbor to the south, has come face-to-face with the paving issue during the past year.

For Jo Hulce, developer of the Arboretum project on McClumpha just south of Ann Arbor Road, the arguments for paving are well-founded.

"I don't think people mind gravel if there are no potholes," said Hulce, "But on a road like McClumpha there is so much traffic from the schools."

Indeed, McClumpha needs a facelift and it looks like it will get one.

But at whose expense?

Designated as a collector road (86 ft. right-of-way), McClumpha serves the major thoroughfares, Joy and Ann Arbor roads. As a collector road, developers can be asked to fund a paving effort in front of their development — a fair, but often inefficient policy.

Paving time and a breakdown of the costs tend to hamper this policy.

"There should be more than just a developer having to pay for the paving of a road, but it's kind of a sticky situation," said Hulce. "There should be a formula based on who uses it.

"It's going to be paved, but I'm just not sure on how far it will go," said Hulce. "I think it would be fair if it was just the residents, but not when you have 70 buses coming down this road every day."

Plymouth Township Planning Director James Anulewicz said that funding such paving projects can be difficult.

"There'll have to be a re-evaluation of how to attack this and we'll probably have to look into our future policy," said Anulewicz. "I anticipate that the issue (McClumpha) will come up again this fall.

"Currently, there's just no money in the budget to cover the paving of county roads," added Anulewicz. "Our current position with the county will have to change."

While funding the paving of Mc-Clumpha remains unresolved, other roads within the township, like Powell Road, may also face similar problems especially with the county's scheduled paving of Beck Road between Joy and N. Territorial roads.

What was once a rural road, surrounded by open pastures and scattered homes, Powell is fast becoming the site of a residential expansion.

How long will the future residents along Powell Road tolerate its shake, rattle, and roll?

Plymouth Township Supervisor Maurice Breen said he thinks the appeal of the dirt road won't wear thin

"I think residents will want it. It keeps it to local traffic," said Breen. "We don't want so much traffic coming down here that it becomes a major thoroughfare."

While privacy-minded residents might agree with Breen, it seems possible that the further development along Powell Road would increase its chances of being paved.

Powell Road developers Ron Cook and Jim Courtney said they are open to the idea of paving, but said they also understand the potential problem of funding such projects.

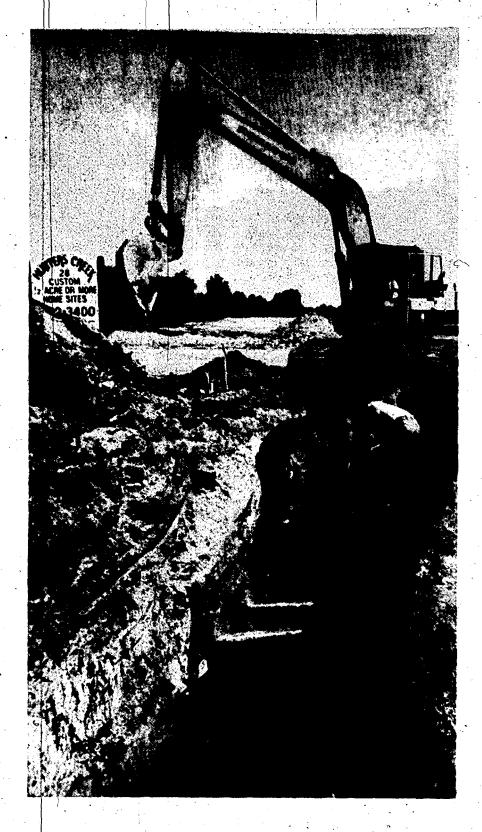
Regardless, it's clear that paving often goes hand and hand with residential and commercial expansion. Plymouth Township is on the cutting edge of that expansion and they have done well to manage it properly, yet the time has come to develop a workable and consistent paving policy, whether it be with individual developers or with the county.

Hoedel elected to head MSBO

Raymond, K. Hoedel, associate superintendent for business in the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools was recently elected president-elect of the board of directors of the Michigan School Business Officials (MSBO).

The organization is a professional association founded in 1937 for persons involved in school business management. The Michigan School Business Officials group is actively affiliated with the Association of School Business Officials International.

Hoedel has been a MSBO member for the last 21 years and has provided leadership for several MSBO committees as well as the Wayne and Macomb County School Business Officials.



Work continues along Powell Road as development projects lead to the paving of Plymouth Township roads. (Crier photo)

Robinson retires

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Recommended by Robinson, Kenyon was accepted unanimously by the commission.

"The acceptance was based primarily on his experience and his knowledge — he's coming into a year that's already started," said Gansler. "Kenyon has dealt with the government and has a background in dealing with the environment."

Retired from Ford Motor Company, Kenyon worked in plant engineering and plant environmental control.

He was appointed to the commission in 1976 to replace Tom Turner. He was re-elected in 1979 after staging a successful write-in campaign. He then served on the commission for two more

Kenyon has also served as the chairman of the economic development committee and the library board. He is currently on the library board and the zoning board of appeals.

"Bill was a jewel," said Kenyon of his predecessor. "The people of Plymoutth are fortunate that people like him run and devote their energies."

Kenyon said he plans to stress the issue of waste management during his tenure.

"Solid waste management is a serious municiple problem and it can't be neglected. Something must be done," said Kenyon.

Kenyon took his place on the commission immediately following Robinson's announcement.

3 men arraigned on armed robbery charges

BY DAN JARVIS

Three men arrested in Plymouth on Sept. I for armed robbery of two gas stations in Novi and Canton will now go to trial, said Dave Boljesic, of the Canton Police Department

Willie Colvin, 20, and Ray Moultrie, 25, both of Detroit, were arraigned Sept. 3 in the 35th District Court

before Judge John MacDonald and have been charged with armed rob-

Another man, Joseph Jeffrey, 20, of Ecorse, was charged with armed robbery and use of a firearm in the commission of a felony. Boljesic said Jeffrey was the lone gunman in the

A fourth man was arrested but later released for lack of evidence in the crimes, said Boljesic.

Bond for the three was set at \$100,000, said Boljesic, and the three have been held in Wayne County Jail since the incident.

A pre-trial examination was set for Monday, where the three had the chance to present evidence in hopes of being let out of jail until the trial. All three waived the right to the exam' ation, said Boljesic, and will go to tr. 1 sometime after January 1,



Public notices

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON BOARD PROCEEDINGS MINUTES OF SEPTEMBER 6, 1988 (PROPOSED)

A regular meeting of the Township Board of the Charter Township of Canton was held at 1150 South Canton Center Road on Tuesday, September 6, 1988,

Supervisor Poole called the Meeting to order at 7:00 P.M., and led the Pledge of Allegiance to

ROLL CALL:

Members Present: Bennett, Brown, Chuhran, Kirchgatter, Padget, Poole and Preniczky

Casari, Dingeldey, Durack, Gouin, Kopinski, Machnik, Nicholson, Santomauro, Spencer and

APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF AUGUST 23, 1988:

Motion by Kirchgatter, supported by Bennett, to approve the Minutes as presented.

Ayes: Bennett, Brown, Chuhran, Kirchgatter, Poole and Preniczky Abstain: Padget

ACCÈPTANCE OF AGENDA:

Item no. 2(a): EXCESS LAND RESOLUTION, was added.

Item no. 7(a): ESTABLISH PUBLIC HEARING DATE FOR CLASS C AND SDM LICENSE

FOR ROSE CATERING, INC., 4365 FORD ROAD was added.

Item no. 7(b): ESTABLISH PUBLIC HEARING DATE TO CONSIDER TRANSFER CLASS
C LICENSED BUSINESS WITH DANCE PERMIT FROM HUFAR, INC. TO STU-BUC
ENTERPRISES, INC. LOCATED AT 43711 MICHIGAN AVE (LUCILLE'S), was added.

Item no. 7(c): CHANGE NOVEMBER 8 BOARD MEETING DATE, was added Item no. 7(d): HAGGERTY ROAD PAVING AND DRAINAGE, PHASE II PORTION,

NORTH OF KOPPERNICK ROAD, was added.

Item no. 7(e): SENIOR CITIZEN COORDINATOR POSITION, was added.

Item no. 7(f): NEWSPAPER BIDS, was added.

Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to accept the Agenda as amended

Ayes: Brown, Chuhran, Kirchgatter, Padget, Preniczky, and Bennett

Nays: Poole

CORRESPONDENCE: (None)

DEPARTMENT REPORTS:

• Treasurer Brown commented on the many telephone calls to Township employees from residents complaining about their water bills. He stated that the employees are not responsible for water bills, as residents turn on their own faucets.

• Mike Gouin stated that October 22 will be Canton Township's first Annual Fishing Derby at the pond located behind the administration building.

A resident stated that he was interested in sending a letter to the Planning Commission regarding the public hearing for the rezoning of the property on the northeast corner of Geddes and Canton Center Roads.

CONSENT CALENDAR: (None)

GENERAL CALENDAR:

Item no. 1: PNEUMATIC CONTROL TRAINING OPPORTUNITY

Motion by Brown, supported by Bennett, to approve the maintenance technicians attendance at the Honeywell sponsored pneumatic control training classes. The maximum expenditure shall not exceed \$2,000.00. Funds may be transferred as recommended by the Finance Director. Motion

Item no. 2: UPDATE ON SALE OF HAGGERTY ROAD PROPERTY

Ernest J. Essad, Jr., Township Attorney, briefed the Board on the appraisal received for the 28 acre parcel of land on Haggerty Road. Appraisals for the 14 acre parcel and the 45 acre parcel have

The Board was in agreement to sell all three of the above parcels, and asked for the remaining appraisals within 72 hours. Supervisor Poole stated that "For Sale" signs will be placed on the 14

Mr. Essad stated that the current two bidders for portions of the Haggerty Road property were going to resubmit their bids to the Committee. The Committee will present a written outline of the bids to the Board at the September 13 Board Meeting. Supervisor Poole stated that a "Performance Clause" should be included in the two written proposals from the bidders.

Item no. 2(a): EXCESS LAND RESOLUTION

Canton, MI, a non-profit corporation. The property will be used for the construction of a senior

Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to adopt the following resolution which declares the subject land surplus to the needs of Canton Township, and to authorize the Clerk to sign the resolution. Motion carried unanimusly.

Details are available at the Office of the Clerk.

Item no. 3: FUNDING FOR KEEP MICHIGAN BEAUTIFUL AWARDS BANQUET

Motion by Brown, supported by Bennett, to direct payment for lunches and banquets for those people receiving awards on October 6 and 7 at the Edgewater Inn in Charlevoix, MI and to direct payment for lunches and banquets for any Canton Employees who will be attending the awards ceremony. The total cost of the lunches and banquets are not to exceed \$1,000. Motion carried

Item no.4: PHEASANT RUN - FINAL ACCEPTANCE FOR WATER MAIN AND SEWER **LATERAL EXTENSION**

Motion by Brown, supported by Chuhran, to approve final acceptance of the Pheasant Run Estate 8-inch watermain and 10-inch sanitary sewer for use and maintenance. Motion carried

Item no. 5: MCDONALD OFFICES - STORM SEWER RESOLUTION

Motion by Brown, supported by Bennett, to adopt the following Resolution accepting maintenance of the storm sewer connection within the Canton Center Road right-of-way, and to authorize the Township Clerk or Supervisor to execute the Wayne County three (3) party permit. Motion carried unanimously.

Details are available at the Office of the Clerk.

Item no. 6: LINTON MIELDS CONTRACT

Motion by Padget, supported by Chuhran, to adopt the following resolution approving the contract with Linton, Mields, Reisler and Cottone, Ltd., and to direct the Supervisor to affix his signature to said contract as appropriate. Motion carried unanimously.

Details are available at the Office of the Clerk.
Item no. 7: CONSIDER BIDS RECEIVED FOR 1988 FALL TREE PLANTING

Motion by Bennett, supported by Brown, that the 1988 Fall Tree Planting Program be awarded to Steinkopf and Sons in the amount of \$10,840.00. Motion carried unanimously.

Item no. 7(a): ESTABLISH PUBLIC HEARING DATE FOR CLASS C AND SDM LICENSE FOR ROSE CATERING, INC. 43665 FORD ROAD.

Motion by Chuhran, supported by Brown, to establish October 4, 1988, as the Public Hearing date to consider application from Rose Catering, Inc. for a new full year Class C & SDM license to be located at 43665 Ford Road, Grand Central Station. Motion carried unanimously.

liem no. 7(b): ESTABLISH PUBLIC HEARING DATE — TRANSFER OF CLASS C LICENSED BUSINESS WITH DANCE, 43711 MICHIGAN AVE (LUCILLE'S)

Motion by Chuhran, supported by Kirchgatter, to establish October 4, 1988, as the Public Hearing date to consider transfer of ownership of 1988 Class C Licensed business with dance permit, from Hufar, Inc. to Stu-Buc Enterprises, Inc., located at 43711 Michigan Avenue (Lucille's). Motion carried unanimously.

Item no. 7(c): CHANGE NOVEMBER 8 BOARD MEETING DATE

Motion by Brown, supported by Bennett, to cancel the November 8 Board Meeting, and to establish November 15 as a Special Board Meeting to pay the bills. Motion carried unanimously.

Item no. 7(d): HAGGERTY ROAD PAVING AND DRAINAGE

Motion by Chuhran to authorize Staff to negotiate with the 50 per cent plus one (1) of the front footage property owners who may be in agreement with contributing to the cost of the Haggerty Road Paving and Drainage Project.

Trustee Padget suggested meeting with the County regarding the possibility of salvaging the railroad switching gear to reduce the cost of the railroad portion of the project.

The Board directed Mr. Nicholson to meet with the property owners to discuss proceeding with the Haggerty Road Paving and Drainage Project. A status report was requested for the September

Item no. 7(e): SENIOR CITIZEN COORDINATOR POSITION

Motion by Padget, supported by Bennett, to create and fill the position of Senior Citizen Coordinator in the Parks and Recreation Department. Motion carried unanimously.

Item no. 7(f): NEWSPAPER BIDS

Clerk Chuhran presented a notification from the Crier of a raise in newspaper rates.

Motion by Brown, supported by Chuhran, to reject all newspaper bids received to print the Official Minutes and Notices, and to allow the new Township Board to choose its Official

Ayes: Poole, Bennett, Brown, Chuhran and Kirchgatter

Nays: Padget and Preniczky

Supervisor Poole announced a five-minute break at 8:42 P.M.

Item no. 8: TOWNSHIP BOARD REVIEW OF PROPOSED 1989 BUDGETS The Board complimented the department heads for submitting realistic budgets, but stated that

approximately .2 mills, \$150,000 needed to be cut from the budget. Budgets are available in the Clerk's Office and Finance Department for the public's review. After discussions of budget amendments, the Board and Staff reduced the proposed budget by

approximately \$134,000.00.

The Finance Department was commended for producing the budget early. The Board decided to purchase an electronic Fax Machine, to be stored in the Clerk's Depart-

Motion by Chuhran, supported by Brown, to adjourn at 10:12 P.M. Motion carried unanimously.

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LINDA CHUHRAN

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What do you think?

Congrats on Fall Festival

By most accounts, it was one of the best Fall Festivals ever.

Record sales are being reported by most participating service organizations; few police incidents were reported; and the crowds, although not record-setting, were larger than last year.

Wonderful weather blessed the Fest! Even the early Monday morning rains helped with the after-Fest cleanup.

As always, there are a few suggestions learned from the event:

--Blocking streets means disruption for merchants. The trade-off is to use the closed streets for events and displays that attract crowds.

-- The auto show needs more promotion and pizzazz.

-- Meeting the Wayne County Health Department requirements (even though the department) doesn't enforce its rules equally throughout the county) needs more attention and communication between the food-serving groups.

--More street happenings (musicians, gymnasts, jugglers, etc.) should be scheduled.

--Advance ticket sales for major meals should be encouraged.

-- The Festival needs better housekeeping. Could the 35th District Court assign more probationers to help sweep up trash while the Festival is going on? A similar idea, inspired by the Chamber of Commerce, helped spruce up downtown before the Festival.

-- Commercialism must be kept out of the Festival.

--Better enforcement of the "no dogs, no bikes" rules during the Festival is required. Signs should be posted to that effect. (Dogs are welcome for the pet show on Saturday morning though.) Fest goers should realize that a large crowd with lots of food booths is no place for dogs.

--All participating groups should submit a statement to the Festival Board about their organization and purpose. It might be helpful, as one out-of-town visitor suggested, if each group posted such information near their booth.

-A Thursday night meal is needed. This would help attract a crowd while providing an opportunity for a service organization to raise funds.

-The unused athletic fields behind Central Middle School could be a good site for an athletic event open to Plymouth High. Salem High and Canton High alumni, Would the CEP Band Boosters take on such an addition to the Festival?

-- Although it's important that the Festival takedown begin promptly on Sunday, the last few chicken dinner buyers were literally hustled out. If a guest to town is sold a dinner at 5:45 p.m., he or she is entitled to eat it in peace. Also, many groups

ran out of food, pop, or items by mid-Sunday afternoon -- a product of the successful weekend.

None of those suggestions should be taken to mean that this Festival wasn't wonderful. It was. But it's important that the Fest board and the community constantly look at ways to improve the event.

(To that end, the accompanying survey solicits suggestions on the Fest. Comments will be passed on to the Festival board.)

Congratulations to the Fall Festival board and management, to the many organizations that participated and to the thousands of volunteers who made the Fest a success in 1988.

THE COMMUNITY CRIER

FALL FESTIVAL SURVEY

If you attended the 1988 Fall Festival, please share your comments with us on those items vou experienced:

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Community opinions

Stumped, frustrated

Who is this kid? It was a question we never did answer despite all of the efforts to find out.

As a part of the cover for last week's Fall Festival edition we used a photo of a young Rotary volunteer taking a break from working in the pit cooking chicken.

The smiling youth (even though he's covered in the grime and grease associated with cooking masses of chicken) became our nemesis as we tried to identify him for moré than two weeks.

First we turned to the Rotary Club itself.

The photograph of the youth (taken during last year's Fall Festival) was passed from club member to club member but no one had any idea who he was. More than a dozen Rotary members studied the photo for us but we still didn't get any clues as to who he might be. Talk about frustrating.

In the photo the youth is wearing a name tag, but it is virtually unreadable. The face, though, is pretty distinguishable, even with the goggles and grimy gloves.

Finally, we took the negative of the photograph and enlarged the portion around the youth's name tag. Under close scrutiny it became apparent the youth's first name was Lynn. This was all too clear when someone noticed the faint line of the 'y' as it looped below the first line of the tag.

But then we ran smack into trouble.

The last name looked like it could

In the margin By Ken Voyles

n Voyles Stephenson

have been anything from Stephenson to Tebbens. Opinions differed widely when the photo was passed around for closer study. Somehow none of the last names we thought of worked quite right so we gave up.

Before ending our efforts, though, we made a couple more quick phone calls to what we thought might be the youth's home -- Tebben, etc. No luck.

It was only then that we admitted to being stumped by the identity of this kid.

Sometimes the seemingly easy aspects to this job can be very frustrating. Here it is we put out a 216-page Fall Festival edition. A ton of work goes into any Fall Festival project, and yet this year we probably spent more time tracking down the youth's identity than covering any of the weekly festival board meetings.

Needless to say we identified the youth as "an unidentified Rotary volunteer." Not a very specific identification but we figured maybe someone would recognize him and come forth with his name.

It would be worth finding out who he is even if it is after the fact.

It seems our festival work is never complete.



This young volunteer graced the Fall Festival edition cover but he remains unidentified. (Crier photo).

Fest vandals get away

This year's Fall Festival was marred by one act of wanton vandalism.

The Rotary Club's barbecue pits, normally painted maize and blue (it's close to the official Rotary colors as well as being identified with a nearby educational institution), were attacked in the middle of the night. A similar incident occurred several years ago when the pits became scarlet and gray.

By chance, a Crier photographer was on duty at 2 a.m. with the festival security crew when the vandals arrived.

Despite the fact that the security crew summoned police and a vigorous chase was conducted, the late-night painters escaped. Possibly this was because it was such a spartan (or was that, Spartan?) effort.



Thus, the normally-colored pits sported a new coat of white paint adorned with large green block "S" decorations. A number of Rotarians grumbled that they were forced to labor over the repainted pits all day Sunday.

The perpetrators should be apprehended and fined to the fullest extent of the Rotary Club:

Some analysts believed this vandalism was the culmination of a football scrimmage held in Pasadena, CA last New Year's

Day. Other felt it was a peprestoring effort by Rutgersshocked football fans.

Whichever the case, this type of vandalism has no place in the quiet, sleepy Plymouth-Canton Community... until next year.

THE COMMUNITY CRIER



Community opinions

The last detail

by Paul Gargaro



Brace yourselves.

"Happenings" are back and it looks like they might be here to stay.

Mind you, there were no hippies at this particular happening — no guitar strumming balladeers singing about justice or injustice and no loud voices spouting off about the issues.

In fact, there wasn't really any reason for it. They didn't need one,

Those involved just came out to the Township Park two weeks ago, ate some lunch, talked with friends and enjoyed the day.

It was a real honest-to-goodness happening.

Heavy.

Thanks to the efforts of a few area senior citizens like Howdy Schryer and John "Packy" McCallister, senior happenings like this are no sweat. For about the last 10 years, the group, which has grown to include about 90 older folks, has taken the initiative to meet periodically.

They don't collect dues, they don't pass the gavel, and they don't elect officers. Instead, they just come together, usually for breakfast on the last Thursday of every month, to see each other and share some time together.

"This is just an old-timers group. Practically everyone here went to Plymouth High School." said Mc-Callister. "The only requirement is that you have to be retired and you don't need to have any money."

Friday's lunch of catered cold-cuts was the third such picnic for the group and although Carl Pursell showed up for a sandwich, Schryer and Mc-Callister said that this was not a fundraiser for the congressman.

"This is no political deal -- we're not partisan," said McCallister.

Far from it. Just a ham sandwich, a little potato 'salad, a glass of iced tea and a whole lot of lively conversation on just about anything under the sun.

Plymouth Canton school board

Time for a recall?

EDITOR:

I would like to thank The Plymouth-Canton School Board of Education for approving such generous pay increase for the school staff and administrators. This effort enables Gallimore Elementary School's budget to be cut by 33 per cent and now my child gets to have 34 children in his fifth grade class.

I would also like to thank John Hoben for setting such a fine example by accepting his generous pay increase during this critical financial crises facing Plymoth-Canton Schools.

It seems to me that the administration can increase class sizes, lay off teachers, cut budgets, books, supplies, materials, extra curricular activities, and have plenty left over for salary increases. I find this very creative budgeting!! Were all these increases planned in anticipation of the recent millage isue passing?? Believe me, this is no way to get further millages passed.

My sympathies to the students of Plymouth-Canton Schools who are being short changed by budget cuts and over crowded classrooms.

My plea to Plymouth-Canton taxpayers -- it's time for recall.

D. WILHEIM

Between the lines

by Dan Jarvis



Being that this was my first visit to the Plymouth Fall Festival, I could not help noticing that the event, at first glance, lacked any sort of cohesive theme.

It was not based on flowers, horses, antiques or even war veterans. There were no apples, peaches or pumpkin pie. Missing were the drummed up themes that provide so many cities with an excuse to make money for local merchants.

As I walked the streets of Plymouth it became clear that a hidden theme, at least to me, a newcomer, kept the Fall Festival moving along.

From what I understand, the entire event was born of the desire on the part of the Plymouth Rotary to raise funding to build a playground near Hamilton Street. Like any worthwhile

project, more and more service organizations siezed the opportunity to provide help for those in need.

Today, the Fall Festival has grown from an effort to an event.

For me, it is much more than a weekend of hot dogs and potato chips. It is a way of helping local non-profit organizations with funding which will be used for a variety of causes.

A hidden theme? Not really.

The folks that are responsible for keeping politics and profit out of the Fall Festival should be commended. They have given the Festival a theme which will never be outgrown or outdated.

As one who likes to know where my hard earned dollars are going, I can only say that this will not be my last Fall Festival 'in Plymouth.

Read Better Week praised

EDITOR

The Canton Rotary is giving the gift of literacy! They declared a "Read Better Week" in August. With the assistance of many local businesses and individuals, the Canton Rotary Literacy Committee developed a "Fun Walk for Literacy," printed and distributed posters and flyers, printed tray liners and more. They worked tirelessly.

The Community Literacy Council serves adult non-readers with free one-to-one tutoring. The Canton Rotary Literacy Committee took a giant step in making people aware of this help. Donations of time, money and prizes by businesses and individuals too

numerous to mention, made "Read Better Week" possible.

The articles in The Community Crier once again gave literacy work in our community a spotlight.

The cooperation in our community is outstanding. The Community Literacy Council is grateful for the support of educators, business owners, organizations and individuals. We thank the Canton Rotary for taking on this work and especially the Literacy Committee chaired by John Schwartz.

Thank you to each one who contributed to this project in any way.

CAROLYN BURNS PRESIDENT

Illiteracy targeted

EDITOR

Thank you for your outstanding opinion column and informative story on literacy in last week's Crier. Because you are sensitive to the problems of adults who do not read well enough to meet their needs, your articles were particularly moving and effective.

All of us who gain so much pleasure and practical purpose from reading should be particularly sensitive, as you are, to the great impact that nonreading or deficient reading has on the quality and opportunities of life.

Good journalism should inform, interest, and occasionally move people to action when the cause is worthy. Your articles accomplished all three. I know that you and The Crier will continued to help us keep alive the message: "Adults Can Read Better - Call 451-6555". Thanks again for your personal and professional support.

SHARON W. STREAN ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITY EDUCATION

Don't fight "Cruising"

EDITOR:

Last June while at city hall on business I overheard a conversation concerning the problems with the cruisers on Main Street and how the city was putting restrictions on where and when people can park and where and when they can make a left or right

I asked Paul Sincock why, as a city resident, I was being restricted as to what parking lot I could enter, how long I could park there, especially on weekends or after a certain hour, or why after a certain hour I could be ticketed for trespassing on the same lot I just walked across a few minutes earlier.

I proceeded to ask him why, on weekends, at overtime cost to the city, barricades were being put up along Main Street and why they stopped before they got to the parking lots of

the Mayflower Hotel. And why didn't the city use this type of traffic control during the Balloon or Ice Festivals? I've seen worse traffic problems during these festivals than I've ever seen caused by cruisers. Not to mention the amount of police I've seen cruising Main street themselves.

Boy, to commit a crime on Main Street on a weekend would be impossible, but any other place in the city I'm not sure about. To Mr. Sincock and other city officials who feel strength in numbers in the way to combat "cruisin", I say why not take your college educations, get together and resolve the "cruisin" issue, not combat it.

Weren't any of you people 16 years old? Or were you all born adults? Maybe you should ask your parents what kind of teenager you were.

MIKE BUDNICK

Approval expected for Canton millage

BY KEN VOYLES

A public hearing on Canton's 1989 budget was slated for last night and millage rates were expected to be approved by the Canton Board of Trustees.

If approved last night the millage rates will be adopted on Sept. 27, according to John Spencer, finance director for the township.

The board went ahead with preliminary approval of the budget during the Sept. 6 meeting, said Spencer, but to do so had to trim approximately \$131,000 from the

budget to keep the millage rates constant.

"Basically they wanted to set the millage at the same level this year as last," said Spencer, "so they made some adjustments."

One area of adjustment, said Spencer, was in the consolidation of two separate budgets for supervisor and superintendent. With the defeat of the ballot proposal on the superintendent issue, it was decided to eliminate any funds for that slot. Spencer said the consolidation saved \$50,000

The board also reduced capital outlays for the buildings and grounds department and slashed drain improvement by nearly \$60,000. Another \$78,000 was slashed from the police and fire funds, said Spencer, with the decision not to hire three new dispatchers. The public safety department hopes to use cadets from the fire department, but may not be able to do so if approval is withheld by the union local.

At the same time there were budget increases noted for two areas -- in the cost of rubbish pickup (\$67,000) and insurance (\$21,500), said Spencer.

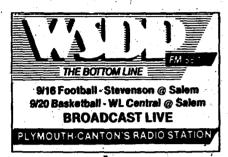
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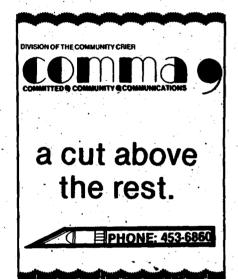
budget was trimed \$133,825, said Spencer, which puts the planned millage rate at 9.79 mills, slightly down from last year's 9.8 mills.

The individual millage rates are as follows: 1.11 mills for general fund; 3.48 mills for fire; and 5.20 mills for police.

Spencer said he anticipated that the board would approve those rates during last night's meeting.

During last week's meeting Canton Treasurer Gerald Brown said he appreciated the budgets put together by the township's various department heads, calling them all "realistic."









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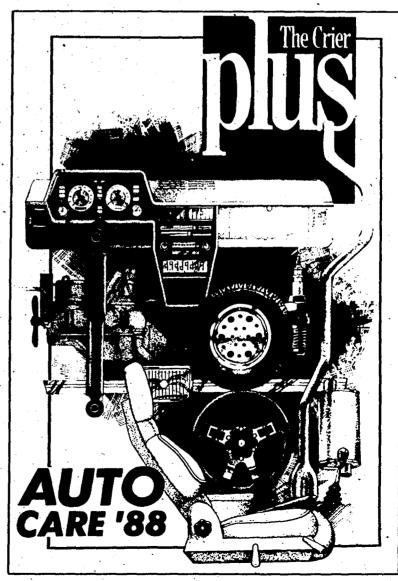
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With the Midas touch

Canton artist leaves gold mark

BY DAN JARVIS

Though gold leaves may bring to mind images of pastures bathed in beautiful fall colors, the gold in this tale is pure.

"It will be my mark left behind," said Canton artist Larry Brooks, "It will be here forever." And his word is as good as gold.

The medium for Brooks is not oil paints of red and yellow, but gold, pure and simple. He is among only a handful of artisans left who apply gold leaf lettering to the best of doors and marble walls throughout the tri-county area.

"It's a rare art form," he said.
"There are less and less guys doing it
because people aren't willing to pay for

One reason for the apprehension may be the high cost -- the gold is in its most pure form, pounded paper thin by Italian craftsmen.

"When paying for gold teaf," said Brooks "you're paying for the skill of the craftsman, not just for the material."

Formerly referred to as "gold men," the craftsmen have been decreasing in numbers and the trend is expected to continue, said Brooks.

"It's a craft that is handed down through the family. You don't learn it from a shop because there is not much need." he said. "I learned it from my dad. My grandfather was a painter and I hope to pass it on to my kids some day."

Among the gold leaf projects completed by Brooks are the donation plaques for Founder's Society members of the Detroit Institute of Arts (DIA), the cross that tops the Greek Orthodox Church on Dix Road in Southgate and several doctor's and lawyer's offices throughour downtown Detroit.

Of his work at the art institute, Brooks said, "It's special, definitely not an everyday art form. I feel it's a great honor to be doing this. It will never go away. My kids and grandkids will be able to come in here and say I did this."

Brooks not only works in gold leaf, but also is a sign painter. Formerly in Romalus, the Brooks Sign Company has logos on several custom commercial signs as well as custom painted cars and trucks.

The 34-year-old hopes to open a shop soon in Canton and in the meantime works out of his home. And though sign painting is a large part of his work, he prefers to work exclusively in gold leaf.

"I love it," he said. "I get more satisfaction out of working with gold leaf than any other kind of art.

"I wish I could do this and nothing lse."



Canton artist Larry Brooks applies gold leaf lettering to the donation plaque of the Detroit Institute of Arts. He is among just a handful of "gold men" in the Detroit metropolitan area. The craft was handed down from his father. He hopes his children will learn the craft one day. (Crier photos by Chris Farina)



Julie Meterko, daughter of Frank and Donna Meterko, has been selected as a new member of Outstanding College Students of America.

Margaret Paul, daughter of Ray and Peggy Paul of Detroit, received her Juris Doctor Degree from The John Marshall Law School in Chicago. She received her undergraduate degree from Wayne State.

John Simone of Plymouth, graduated received a BS Degree from Fairmont State College in Fairmont, WV.

Students from Canton included on the Dean's List at Michigan Tech are: Danielle Krall, Viren Merchant, and Paul Szuszman (4.0).

Plymouth students included on the list are: Victor Diponio, Alan Mathews (4.0), Michael Oday, Eric Pedersen, Lisa Russell, James Shupe, Bruce Turner, Scott Yergin, and Mark Yergin.

Phill Fisher, son of Barb Paulger of Rose in Plymouth, and Dave Fisher of Howell, has been named to the Dean's List at Berea College.

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Canton students receiving awards from Madonna College are: Krista Pilarski, the William Randolph Hearst Scholarship; and Mary Holzman, the Besser Foundation Scholarship.

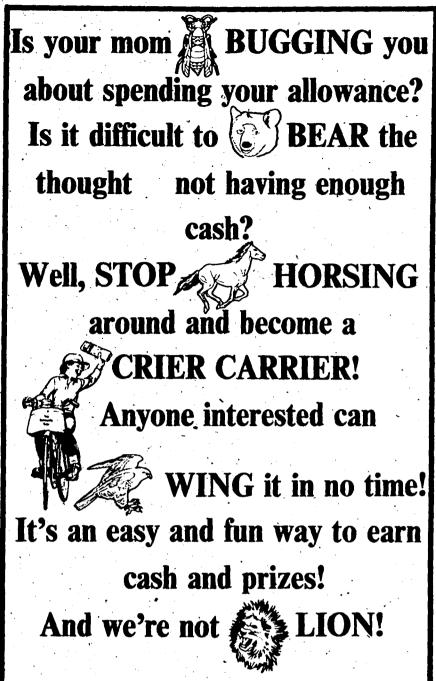
Plymouth students receiving degrees from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology are: Ernesto Cabello, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herminio Cabello, BS in Nuclear Engineering; and William Flowers IV, son of Janet MacGregor of Joann Lane in Plymouth, BS in Chemical Engineering.

Students from Plymouth named to the Dean's List at Lawrence Institute of Technology are James Ervin, Daming He, Suzanne Roach, Marilyn Cowdery and Paul Garon. Canton students included on the list are: Dean Jarski, Scott Sumner, Michael Turomsha and Paul Krane.

Students from Plymouth on the Dean's List at U of M Dearborn are: Scott Dodsworth, Christine Dwyer, Kimberly Kaman, Ruth Anne Knoerl, Sarah Kushner, Christina Arnoldus, Keith Jasukaitis, Theodore Lukens and Karen Malone.

Canton sudents on the list are: Christopher Hymes, Amy Marie Lienhard, Mayandren Naidoo, Rungasam Padayachee, Jennifer Sarsozo, William Simms, Daine Szymoniak, Paul Tower, Eric Webster, Karen Wren, Kelly Winquist, Nancy Lemkie, Marion Rozum, Timothy Rosley, Robert Billings, Ajay Gupta, Raymond Sutton, Kimberly Meyerhofer and Kenneth Pletzer.

Laura Bodell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tim Bodell of Portsmouth Crossing in Plymouth, participated in Operation Bentley, a seven-day intensive government study program at Albion College. She is a junior at Salem High School.

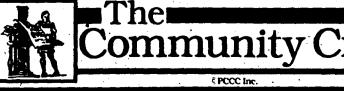


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FALL GARAGE SALE

The Plymouth-Can on Mothers of Twins Club is holding its annual Fall Garage Sale on Sept. 24 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at 214 Coronation Ct., south of Cherry Hill between Haggerty and Hix. Will include infant's and children's clothes, toys and equipment.

PUNT, PASS; KICK CONTEST

The Canton Parks and Recreation Dept. is sponsoring its annual Punt, Pass and Kick Contest for boys and girls ages 8-13. To be held Oct. 1 in Griffin Park with registration at 9:30 a.m. There is no cost. Awards to the top finishers in six age groups. Call 397-5110 for further information.

COLLEGE FILM SERIES

The Madonna College Film Series will show the "Taming of the Shrew," a Franco Zeffirelli movie starring Richard Burton and Elizabeth Taylor, on Sept. 22 at 1:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. in Kresge Hall. Admission is free. For information call 591-5197.

AAUW MEETING

The Plymouth Branch of the American Association of University Women (AAUW) will meet on Thursday, Sept. 15 at the Sunflower Clubhouse in Canton at 7:30 p.m. Congressional candidate Lana Pollack will be the program speaker. For meeting or member information call 459-1081.

CANTON HOME TOUR

The first Canton Home Tour is slated for Saturday, Sept. 17 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and is sponsored by the Canton Historical Society. Tickets are \$7. Call 495-1241 or 453-9474 for reservations. Tickets will also be available on tour day. Five houses will be toured up close.

PACK 854 REGISTRATION

Pack 854 will register Cub Scouts for the 1988-89 school year at the Canton Recreation Hall on Michigan Avenue on Sept. 20 at 7 p.m. Come prepared to pay registration fees and appoint adult leaders.

GEER YARD SALE

The Geer School Mothers' Club is sponsoring a yard sale at Geer School on Oct. 8-9 from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Proceeds to benefit the restoration of Geer School. To donate items call Carol Guregian at 453-2893.

SCHOLARSHIP LUNCHEON

Bill Freehan, former Detroit Tigers, will be the guest speaker at the second annual scholarship luncheon to be hosted by the University of Michigan Club of Plymouth Community. It will be held on Sept. 22 from noon to 2 p.m. Tickets are \$25 with proceeds to provide scholarships to high school seniors from the area. For more information call Pat Danna at 728-2707 or Ken Holmes at 453-8457

ROLLER SKATING LESSONS

Canton's Parks and Recreation will sponsor roller skating classes for beginners and intermediate skaters for eight weeks beginning on Oct. 1. Cost is \$20 per person (doesn't include skate rental). For youths ages 14 and under. Co-sponsor is Skatin' Station. Call 397-5110 for details.

COAST GUARD MEETING

The Plymouth-Canton Coast Guard Auxiliary Flotilla 11-11 will have its September meeting at the counselor's office at Salem High on Sept. 27. Begins at 7:30 p.m.

PCAC RENTAL GALLERY

The Plymouth Community Arts Council (PCAC) Art Rental Gallery, located on the second floor of the Dunning-Hough Library, is open on Wednesdays from 10 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. Art rental fees are \$5 per picture per month. For further information call 459-0110 on Wednesdays or 459-6896 at other times.

STOP SMOKING SEMINAR

On Monday, Sept. 19 the Plymouth Community Family YMCA will offer a Stop Smoking Seminar at 6 p.m., with a Weight Control Seminar following at 8:30 p.m. Both will be held in the Plymouth Cultural Center. Registration must be made in advance by calling the 'Y' at 453-2904 or by stopping by the 'Y' office at 248 Union in Plymouth.

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FRIENDS OF MILLER WOODS

The Friends of the Miller Woods will host their second annual meeting and Open House on Sept. 18 from 2-4 p.m. in the Arbor Health Bldg. in Plymouth. Open to members and potential members. Refreshments served. There will be a slide show and member applications. Call 451-6423 for details.

SPECIAL EDUCATION PROGRAM

The Plymouth-Canton Community Schools district offers a special education program for children with special needs from birth to the age of six. Children who may have mental, physical or emotional difficulties or who may have a vision, speech or hearing problem and may need special education, should call the Infant and Preschool Special Education Program (IPSEP) at Tanger Elementary School (451-6560).

NEW MEMBER COFFEE

The Plymouth Symphony League is hosting a prospective and new member coffee on Wednesday, Sept. 21 at 10 a.m. Everyone is welcome. Call Carolyn at 453-8984 for details.

CUB SCOUT PACK 863 SIGN-UP

Cub Scout Pack 863 of Plymouth Township is seeking first through fifth grade boys to join them as they begin another year. For information call Mike Stankov at 459-6749 or Stan Mish at 420-0443.

MS SUPPORT GROUP

The M.S. Far West REMS Group (Recreation Education for MS) meets at 2 p.m. on the third Sunday of every month at St. Kenneth's Church in Plymouth. An occupational therapist will be present at the next meeting. For more information call Elaine at 453-0562 or Carol at 455-2461.

BY MYSELF SINGLES CLUB

This is a newly found club that meets the first Tuesday of every month for the purpose of sharing interesting activities that can be performed as a group. The group's next event will be "wallyball" on Thursday, Sept. 15 8 p.m. at Racquetime. Cost is \$3 per person in advance. More wallyball is set for Sept. 22. A movie night is planned for Sept. 20 at the Penn Theatre. For information call Maryann at 453-3892.

PIONEER SENIOR CLUB

The Pioneers Senior Club of Canton meets at 12:30 p.m. on Fridays at the Canton Recreation Center on Michigan Avenue. New members welcome. For information call 397-1000, ext. 278.

FACTS YOU SHOULD KNOW

"Michigan Education Trust (MET) — Facts You Should Know" will be sponsored by Andrea Kotch and Eric Trubacs of Prescott, Ball and Turben Inc., at the Plymouth Library on Sept. 20 at 7:30 p.m. Reservations preferred. Call 451-8716.

NURSES MEETING

Plymouth Registered Nurses (PRN) will begin their 28th year with a meeting on Sept. 19 at 7:30 p.m. in the Plymouth Township Hall on Ann Arbor Road. All area registered purses are invited. Refreshments served. For information call Michele Kisabeth at 453-5154.

BUILDING AUTHORITY MTG

The City of Plymouth Muncipal Building Authority will hold a regular meeting on Thursday, Sept. 15 at 7:30 p.m. in the conference room of the city manager's office on the main floor of City Hall.

DAR LUNCHEON

The Sarah Ann Cochrane DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution) will meet at the home of Mrs. William Gonterman at noon for a luncheon on Sept. 19. Mrs. Louis Hopping will speak about wild flowers. For more information call 453-4425 or 348-2198.

MOTHERS OF TWINS

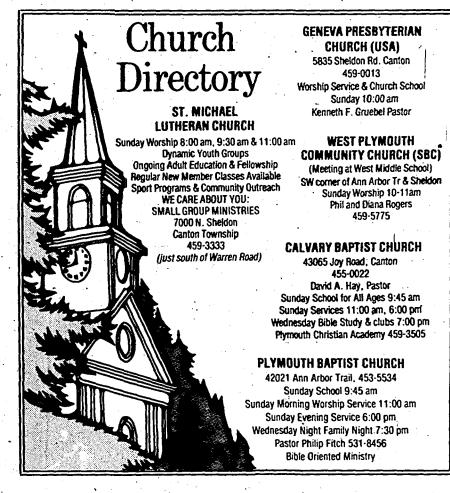
The Plymouth-Canton Mothers of Twins Club is holding its annual potluck dinner on Thursday, Sept. 22 at 6:30 p.m. If you are a mother of multiples and would like to join call Anne at 455-9637.

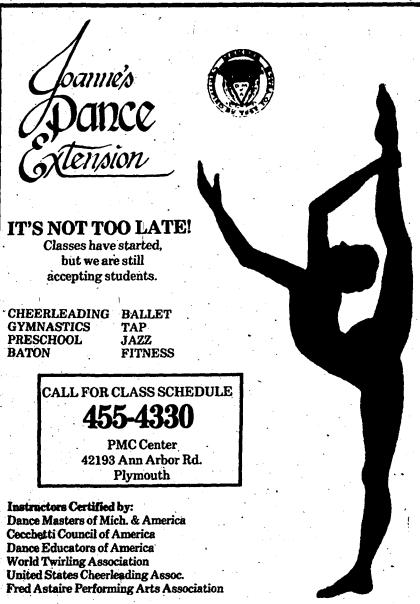


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Places to be

Hypnotist will lead stop smoking seminar

"Self Psych" clincial hypnotist David Rowe will conduct a Stop Smoking Seminar on Monday, Sept. 19 hosted by the Plymouth Community Family YMCA.

The session begins at 6 p.m., with a weight control seminar following at 8:30 p.m. Both sessions will be held in the Plymouth Cultural Center on Farmer Street.

Registration must be made in advance by either calling the 'Y' at 453-2904 or stopping by the 'Y' office at 248 Union St. in Plymouth.

Youth safety program for would-be hunters

A Hunter Safety Program is planned in Canton on Sundays Sept. 18 and Sept. 25.

The Michigan Department of Natural Resources regulations require persons between the ages of 12 and 16 years to age obtain hunter safety certification prior to obtaining a hunting license.

The Canton program is open to boys and girls 12 years of age and older.

Classes are to be conducted at the Canton Administration Building, 1150

S. Canton Center. They will begin at 8 a.m. on each Sunday. Attendance is required at both sessions for certification.

Registration for the class is not necessary, however, class size is limited to 100 students. Bring a pencil and a sack lunch.

The program is offered through the Canton Department of Public Safety and the Michigan DNR. It will be taught by Christian Mayer, chief instructor.

Pioneers host garage sale

The Canton Senior Program will sponsor a garage sale the weekend of Sept. 15-17.

Residents can stop by and check out the items for sale at 45160 Geddes Road between Sheldon and Canton Center between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Senior courses offered

Senior citizens classes, offered by the Plymouth-Canton Community Education and the City of Plymouth Parks and Recreation departments, begin the week of Sept. 19.

To register residents should report to the first class session at the Cultural Center, Royal Holiday Mobile Park, Bradbury Condominums and Northville Forest Apartments. A variety of courses will be offered at those locations.

For specific class times call 451-

Clogging class on tap

Schoolcraft College's Continuing Educational Services Division is offering a new course this fall -beginning clogging.

The course, offered on Tuesdays

from 8-9:20 p.m. starting on Sept. 20 -- costs \$35.

For further information call 591-6400, ext. 540.

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Getting down to business

As costumes go, so goes Lemen's

BY KEN VOYLES

When it comes to Halloweencostumes Carol Lee likes to add her own touches, designing whatever may be in style at any given moment.

Lee, the owner of the new Lemen's Costume Gallery on Penniman Avenue in Plymouth, carries an assortment of her own designs (as well as those commercially produced) in the store for those looking to find just the right Halloween costume.

They range from poddle shirts and CanCan dresses to Roman togas, a Robin Hood outfit, Snow White and many more. They are available as rentals for Halloween parties.

Her store also houses some unusual outfits like the pullover Stroh's cans and the ever popular Califorina Raisins costume.

"I like to make the outfits because the quality from the factory is tacky," said the 49-year-old Westland resident who opened her store in June. "I like the creating and seeing it done. Most of the stuff I do is one of a kind. No two are alike."

There are other Halloween ac-

cesories as well, including rubber masks of favorite villians from horror movies. Lee's inventory goes beyond the holiday fashions, though, and includes dance wear, skating wear, aerobic outfits, shoes, and the materials to create other designs. Lee will also "tap" shoes for dancing.

"And I do custom recital costumes," said Lee, who added that she especially enjoys working on custom creations for buyers.

The former interior decorater works on her creations at the store and at home. She may spend two or three weeks on a single outfit, while juggling three or four different designs.

Lee originally worked for another company designing outfits, but decided she wanted to get into it for herself so she opened the shop on Penniman. "I decided it was time to start creating on my own, instead of someone elses," she said.

Lee plans to extend the store hours now that school is back in session, and later will add a full line of Spandex-Lycra materials so that customers will have all the ingredients to work on a design for themselves.



Carol Lee, owner of Lemen's Costume Gallery, shows off some of the Halloween masks on display along with costumes of her design. (Crier photo by Chris Farina)

Business People



KAREN COGSWELL

Karen A. Cogswell, of Plymouth, was recently named director of corporate educational services by Mercy College of Detroit.

As director, Cogswell will oversee a variety of educational services, including degree programs and noncredit seminars offered by Mercy to corporations in southeastern Michigan.

A graduate of Eastern Michigan University, Cogswell holds a bachelor's degree in education and a master's degree in guidance and counseling. Cogswell is also the vice president of Careers Michigan, a non-profit group of career development professionals.

Marsha Simpkins, of Plymouth, has been named manager of the Detroit branch of FlorStar Sales, Inc. (formerly CPS Wholesale Floor Coverings, Inc.) in Livonia.

Simpkins graduated from Marshall University and holds degrees in English and Theater. Simpkins is the first woman to be named a branch manager.

She joined FlorStar in May, 1988. Prior to her employment at FlorStar, she worked in the same industry as branch manager with Fierst Distributors.

The Farmer's Insurance Group recently recognized **Jeff Ashton** for outstanding achievements in the insurance industry.

Because of his accomplishments, Ashton was invited to a four-day Topper Club convention held at Grand Traverse Resort in Grand Traverse. Agents and district mangers are invited to the Topper convention for meeting rigorous production standards.

Delegates to this year's convention came from Ohio, Indiana and Michigan.

The Jeff Ashton Agency, on Harvey Street in Plymouth, represents the Farmers Insurance Group.



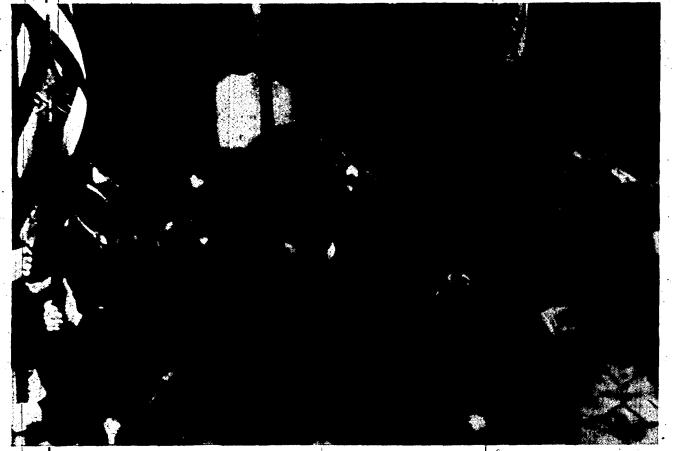


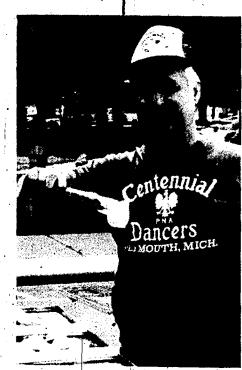


Four days in fall; Festival shines



Above, youngsters enjoy the kiddle rides. Left, Matthew Gabriel, 2½, tries being a firefighter Saturday. He's helped by Bob Kroeger, a volunteer firefighter.





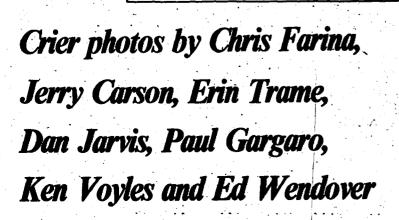
Mike Ygeal, above shows off some Polish food, while, left, David Shubnell leads the Plymouth Fife & Drum Corps away.

Members of the CEP Marching Band leave in good order from the bandshell after their Sunday performance.



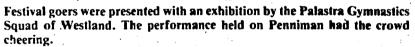


A group from Clowns for Christ, of the First Presbyterian Church, pose for a photo.





Two young members of the Polish Centennial Dancers enjoy their brief brush with fame.





Emily Goldsmith, 2, of Canton, came to the others, her Scottish Deerhound Chelsea, left, and her Yorkshire Terrier Moey.



William Robinson (left) flips pancakes Saturday morning during the Kiwanis break-fast.



A Festival goer lugs a video camera around to tape the wide variety of activities during the four-day party.





Frank Miller takes down electrical wires on Main Street, Sunday evening after the fest.

Above, volunteers help Canton Rotary members husk corn on Saturday. Right, P-C Schools John Superintendent Hoben removes the grill during Sunday's Rotary Chicken Barbeque.



Winners for Exhibit Tent

Dried Flowers - Adult 1st - Mary Beth Reef 2nd - Dori Mifford

Dried Flowers - Jr. 1st - Joanne Randinitis 2nd - Joanne Randinitis

Small Fresh Flower Arrangements - Walter Goff
2nd - Marjorie Manderachia
2nd - Betty Norman
3rd - Mary Beth Reef
H.M. - Betty Norman

Laura Freeman

Large Single Variety Fresh Flower Arrange 1st - Betty Norman 2nd - Marjorie Monderachia 2nd - Betty Norman 3rd - Laura Freeman

H.M. - Marie Gentz

Mixed Variety Flower Arrang 1st - Julie Catterall 2nd - Mary Beth Reef 2nd - Ann Lelord 3rd - Paula Goff

3rd - Connie Fitzner

Just Marigolds - Adult lst - Jeanne Hutko 2nd - Paula Goff 3rd - Ann Talbot 3rd - Laura Freeman

Just Marigolds - Jr. 1st - Melissa Goff 2nd - Ed Gould 2nd - Beth Gould 3rd - Joanne Randinitis H.M. - Karen Randinitis

Fresh Flower Arrangement, Jr. 1st - Anne Rucinski 2nd & 3rd - Joanne Randinitis

Single Blossom 1st - Viola Dulhoo 2nd - Marie Gentz

Single Blossom - Jr. 1st - Shawn Greene 1st - Melissa Wagner

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Other - Decorative Kale

1st - Betty Norman

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lallest Sunflower - Adu 1st - Jim Irvine - 174" 2nd - Keith Patterson - 130" 3rd - Cornelius Van Boven - 124" H.M. - Walter Goff

Largest Sauflower Head - Adult 1st - Keith Patterson 2nd - Walter-Goff

> Tallest Sunflower - Jr 1st - Ed & Beth Gould 2nd - Scott Patterson 3rd - Eric Patterson H.M. - Melissa Wagner

Largest Sunflower Head - Jr. 1st - Lisa Burrell - 17" 2nd - Lisa Burrell - 16" 3rd - Ed & Beth Gould - 13" H.M. - Melissa Wagner - 9"

Vegetables - Jr. mbers 1st - Stephanie Snage Pumpkin 1st - Collin Brown Watermelon 1st - Mike Brown Squash 1st - Shawn Greene Green Beans 2nd - Stephanie Snage Tomatoes 2nd - Joanne Randinitis Tomatoes 2nd - Karen Randinitis
Pepper Karen Randinitis
Gourd 3rd - Jared Pereina
Squash 3rd - Elizabeth Gould sh 3rd - Melissa Wagner

Vegetables - Adults 1st squash - James B. Shaw 2nd - souash - Dave Thomas 1st - turnio - Lisa Burrell led - acorn squash - Ruth Thompson H.M. - peppers - Ruth Thompson

> Mixed Vegetable Display 1st - Walter Goff 2nd - Julie Catterall 3rd - Ed & Beth Gould



Sports

Season's first loss

Marion overcomes Chiefs 43-40

BY JANET ARMSTRONG

The Canton High School girls hoop squad recorded their first loss of the season Thursday, dropping a game to Marion 43-40.

The Chiefs started the game off with a bang and led the entire first quarter. They gave up only three points to Marion on free throws to end the quarter with an 11-3 lead.

The Chiefs record now stands at 2-1 with victories over Salem and Dearborn Fordson.

leading the Chiefs scoring drive were Susan Ferko with 15 points and Candi Jones with nine points. Ferko and Jones also led the Chiefs in rebounding, with 12 and 10 respectively.

"Jones had a sensational game," said Neu. "She played with a lot of confidence out there."

Patti Boyle led Marion in scoring with 15 points.

Neu said the team had its good and bad points during the game.



It's mine

Canton's Candi Jones looks for an open Chief during Thursday's loss to Marion. (Crier photo by Chris farina)

"Overall defensively we did pretty good," said Neu. "But I think we were too tentative on offense."

Neu said he's looking to have a good season and added that the team has already improved.

"My feelings are real positive. This team has some good basketball ahead of it," said Neu. "But we have to learn to maintain concentration and improve court recognition."

Neu said the turning point of the game was when Marion turned up their defensive pressure.

"We were good, we just didn't finish the game," he said.

Neu said his outlook so far on the season is positive.

"Overall I've seen a lot of improvement skill-wise, and athletically," New said.

The Chiefs play tomorrow at Mercy at 8 p.m.

P-C Steelers sweep past rival Lion gridders

. The Plymouth-Canton Steelers opened their 1988 campaign with a triple sweep of their gridiron rivals, the Canton Lions.

The freshman Steelers outmatched their opponents by a score of 15-6. Highlights in the game included a 23-yard touchdown scamper by Randy Mack. Mack found paydirt later in the game on a 15-yard touchdown run.

Scott Valimont led the junior varsity Steelers with a 60-yard touchdown scramble in the fourth quarter. The Steelers escaped narrowly with a 6-0 victory.

In the varsity contest, the Steelers' Jason Krueger broke off a 60-yard punt return for six points in the first quarter. Eathen Rentz then followed with a nine-yard touchdown run, which was capped with a conversion kick by Joe Herman. Matt Horn added two more touchdown trots to give the Steelers the game 26-6.

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Chiefs drop 2nd to a tough John Glenn squad

BY GREG MILLER

The Canton Chiefs football squad lost to a powerful Westland John Glenn team 27-0 Friday night in Westland and had a hard time stopping senior running back Bryant Satterlee, who rushed 30 times for 160 yards and two touchdowns.

John Glenn quarterback Greg Stover connected on eight of 13 passes for 115 yards, including a six yard touchdown pass.

One bright spot for the Chiefs was the solid play of new quarterback Karl Wukie.

According to Canton coach Bob Khoenle, "Wukie had a good game." Despite Wukie's efforts, Khoenle said the Chiefs were hurt when they jumped offside on a punt to give John Glenn the ball back and a fresh four downs.

But Khoenle said he is not ready to give up just yet.

The coach said he has a good group of kids and that they will undoubtedly improve throughout the season.

In last week's outing the Chiefs lost to Monroe 6 to 3.

"We had every chance to beat Monroe," said Khoenle.

During that contest, Canton had a touchdown called back because of an illegal procedure violation. They also lost fumbles on Monroe's seven and four yard lines.

Khoenle said the Chiefs hope to get their first win of the season next Friday night at 7:30 at Livonia Churchill.

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Rocks storm past W. L. Westrern

BY GREG MILLER

The Salem High School gridders trounced Walled Lake Western 29-0 on Friday, inspiring Salem coach Tom Moshimer to call the effort "the finest game we've played as a team."

Highlighting the performance were four Rocks each rushing for 50 yards or more and four different players rushing for touchdowns.

On the other side of the ball, the Rocks tallied eight quarterback sacks and held Walled Lake to under 30 yards in the first half.

Despite his team's success, Moshimer said that he still wants to work to eliminate mistakes.

In Friday's game, Salem was only penalized once and that came on the contest's final extra point effort.

In last week's game, Salem downed Trenton 20-12.

Although Salem was victorious, Moshimer said that he wasn't satisfied with his team's performance. During the game, Trenton blocked a punt and returned it for a touchdown. The Rocks were eventually able to turn things around to take their first victory of the season.

Salem takes on Livonia Stevenson at home next week. Kick-off is scheduled for 7:30 p.m.



Handle with care

Salem quarterback Ryan Johnson deposits the pigskin with teammate Pat Bowie. (Crier photo by Chris Farina)

Salem dumps Mercy

Lady Rock hoopsters improve to 2-1

BY JANET ARMSTRONG

"I think one of our obvious weaknesses is our varsity inexperience," said veteran Plymouth Salem high school girls basketball coach Fred Thomann just prior to the 1988 season.

The Rocks, who are now 2-1 on the season after beating long time rival Mercy 38-26 last Thursday, have already improved since the beginning of the season; said Thomann.

The inexperience Thomann talked about prior to the season hasn't really surfaced, Thomann said.

"They (the underclassman) haven't backed off the game. They've accepted the challenge," said Thomann. "They have a great work ethic."

The Rocks were the first to score in their game against the Mercy Marlins. But Mercy returned the favor to make it a 2-2 game, each team then scored once before the Rocks took control of the game, said Thomann.

"It was pretty much our game in terms of the score," the coach said.

Senior co-captains Terri King and Jill Estey, along with Wendy Bailey, led the Rocks assault with eight points each.

Lydia White and Sarah Rudy weren't far behind scoring with six points apiece.

Thomann said he was pleased with the team's effort on Thursday.

"Anytime you take a Mercy team and hold them to 26 points you're doing pretty good," Thomann said.

The Rocks only loss this season came from cross campus rival Plymouth Canton. Their first victory came at expense of Trenton high school on Tuesday. The Rocks won the game by a score of 41-39.

The Rocks take the floor again on Sept. 20.

Gilles honored by U of W with Big 10 Medal of Honor

The University of Wisconsin recently announced that Christine Gilles, of Plymouth, has been awarded the school's Big 10 Medal of Honor for women during the 1987-88 acedemic year.

Established in 1914, the award recognizes both male and female athletes who have demonstrated a proficiency in both acedemics and athletics.

Gilles was a four-year member of the Wisconsin womens tennis team and holds the school record for career

singles victories with 97. In 1988 she was named to the All-Big 10 first team in singles for her efforts.

She and her doubles partner, Elaine Demetroulis, compiled a 27-4 doubles record. They received All-Big 10 honors and competed in the NCAA Championship last spring.

Gilles also received All-Big 10 academic honors in her junior and senior years. She is currently enrolled in the School of Business at The University of Wisconsin.

Kids encouraged to try a punt, pass and kick

Future gridiron heroes are encouraged to register for the Canton Parks and Recreation Department's Punt, Pass and Kick Contest to be held on Oct. 1 at 10 a.m. in Griffin Park (Sheldon Road side).

There is no fee and boys and girls aged eight through 13 are encouraged to attend.

The contestants will be judged on the accuracy and distance of their efforts. Awards will be given out to the top finishers in all age groups. Only tennis shoes are permitted.

Registration is at 9:30 a.m. (Oct. 1) at Griffin Park.

Canton seniors study Medicare changes

The Canton Senior Citizens Program would like to clarify a misinformation that has been circulating in the community.

Some of the older residents in Canton have received phone calls from insurance agents offering home visits to discuss recent changes in Medicare coverage.

Some of the seniors mistakenly thought that this effort was being sponsored by the Canton office. This is untrue, according to Dianne Neihengen, Canton's seniors coordinator, and it is uncertain whether this was an impression created by the insurance vendors or simply a mistake.

The Senior Citizens Program does not authorize or endorse any in-

dividual insurance agent or policy, and is not encouraging home visitations for this purpose, said Neihengen.

The Canton Senior Citizens Program will be sponsoring a presentation on recent Medicare changes by a representative from the Social Security Administration at two of their social clubs. One presentation will be offered for the Pioneer Senior Club on Friday, Oct. 21 at 1 p.m. The other will be presented for the Zester Senior Club on Thursday, Oct. 27 at 1 p.m.

Both clubs meet at the Canton Recreation Center, 44237 Michigan Avenue at Sheldon.

Any resident 55 or older is welcome to come to the presentation.



Community Deaths

Gibson memorial set

The late Elizabeth Gibson, a former school teacher who taught elementary education for The Plymouth-Canton Community Schools for more than 20 years, will be honored in a memorial service at the Lambert-Vermuelen Funeral Home on Sept. 24 at 11 a.m. The facility is located at 46401 W. Ann Arbor Road, in Plymouth Township.

Mrs. Gibson was 61 at the time of her death, and was active in the Association of American University Women, (AAUW) and Daughter of the American Revolution, (DAR).

Organizers wish no flowers, but state



ELIZABETH GIBSON

that memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association or the Betty Gibson Fund, Allen Elementary School, 11100 Haggerty Road, Plymouth, 48170.



Vickery, a homemaker

Molly L. Vickery, 76, of Canton, died Sept. 2 in Ann Arbor. Services were held Sept. 6 at the Schrader Funeral Home in Plymouth with David Thomas officiating.

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Mrs. Vickery was a homemaker and a member of the Canton Church of Christ.

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Survivors include: husband Floyd E., of Canton; son Richard Bennett, of Rock Hill, SC; sisters Worth Thompson, of Dearborn Heights and Erva Pennington, of Greenville, SC; brother Dave Chandler, of Durham, NC; and two grandchildren.

Interment was made in Riverside Cemetery, Plymouth.

Koperski, church member

Nina A. Koperski, 59, of Plymouth Township, died Sept. 6 in Ann Arbor. Services were held Sept. 10 at the Schrader Funeral Home with William C. Moore officiating.

Mrs. Koperski was a homemaker and a member of the Trinity Presbyterian Church in Plymouth.

Survivors include: husband Arthur P., of Plymouth Township; son David, of Walled Lake; daughters Janet Koperski and Sandra Prall, both of Mobile, AL; sisters Betty Cypret, of Donna, TX, Vivian Kelly, of Kansas City, MO, Doris Hadley, of St. Johns, Newfoundland; and eight grandchildren.

Interment was made in Parkview Memorial Cemetery, in Livonia.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Michigan Cancer Foundation.

Hanlon, a homemaker

Ruth Hanlon, 78, of Plymouth, died Aug. 30, in Plymouth. Services were held Sept. 2 at the Schrader Funeral Home with the Reverend Kenneth F. Gruebel officiating.

Mrs. Hanlon was a homemaker, having come to The Plymouth-Canton Community in 1933, from Detroit.

Survivors include: son Charles B., of Jenison; and two grandchildren.

Intertment was made in Riverside Cemetery, in Plymouth.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Michigan Cancer Foundation.

Burton, retired teacher

Keith Lewis Burton, 63, of Elk Rapids, died Sept. 10 in Traverse City. A graveside service will be held Sept. 17 at 2 p.m. in the Prairie River Cemetery in Centerville.

Mr. Burton was a retired instructor from Schoolcraft College, having taught there for 17 years. He held a BS from MSU, and a MBA from U of M. Mr. Burton served with the 8th Army Band during the Korean conflict and toured Italy with the Leonard Falcone Alumni Band of MSU in 1985.

He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church Choir in Plymouth, a charter member of the Plymouth Community Band, the Schoolcraft College Choir and Wind Ensemble and a member of the Northwest Michigan Brass Ouintet.

Survivors include: wife Eleanor, of Elk Rapids; sons Theodore, of Canton, Lewis, of Plymouth; and one granddaughter.

Interment will be in the Prairie River Cemetery in Centerville.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Schoolcraft College Foundation or the Plymouth Community Band.

Arrangements made by the Reynolds-Jonkhoff Funeral Home in Traverse City and the Halverson Funeral Home in Three Rivers.

Steppingstone moves to new facility

BY DAN JARVIS

Steppingstone, a school for the gifted students, has left The Plymouth-Canton Community for new facilities in Farmington Hills, said the school's director Kiyo Morse.

eight years, the school's administrators sought to expand into larger facilities, but were unable to locate such facilities in the community, said Morse.

With former locations in the New Horizons facility on Ann Arbor Road Located in Plymouth for the last and at Sheldon and Five Mile, the school for gifted children is now located at 28600 Eleven Mile Road. The move was made during the last week in August.

Morse said the school teaches students in grades 1-8 to use classroom knowledge in a practical setting.

"Our approach to teaching is different because gifted children learn faster," said Morse. "The emphasis is on problem solving."

Morse said the move away from Plymouth was unfortunate and that she would have liked to stay.

"We needed more floor space and

the new location gives us a few other options such as a swimming pool for expansion of the physical education programs," she said.

The school has drawn students from The Plymouth-Canton Community, but has also served students hailing from Novi, Brighton, Northville, Farmington Hills, Livonia, Redford and Westland. The school operates on a traditional school year from September to mid-June.

Morse said the school welcomes students from all the communities and hopes to continue expansion efforts

CEP Band kicks off season

(CEP) Marching Band is ready to begin its 1988 competitive season at the Lakers Invitational on Saturday (Sept 17) at West Bloomfield High.

Then on Saturday, Sept. 24 The Plymouth-Canton Music Boosters will host the Great Lakes Invitational Marching Band Competition. The

Bike safety

The Mayflower Lt. Gamble Post and Ladies Auxiliary 6695 Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) will sponsor a Lite-a-Bike Safety Program in conjunction with the Plymouth Police Department Crime Prevention Unit.

The program is set for Sept. 17 from noon to 2 p.m. at the VFW Hall on Mill Street.

Activities include a safety workshop, bike inspection, registration and ribbons for the best decorated bikes.

There will also be a drawing for a boys and a girls bike. Refreshments will be offered.

Call Helen Sidman at 981-1231 for further information.

show begins at 3:45 p.m. and features approximately 15 bands from Michigan and Ohio.

During the show the Plymouth Fife and Drum Corps will play an exhibition also. The show concludes at 9 p.m. with a full hand retreat on the

The invitational will be judged by adjudicators supplied by the Michigan **Competing Band Directors Association** and awards will be determined by a possible 100 points divided among a variety of categories.

Tickets for the invitational are \$3 for adults and \$2 for students. They are available at Sideways on Forest Avenue in Plymouth, the Trading Post on Ann Arbor Road, the Book Break on Ford Road in Canton and at the Kmart shopping center in Canton. They can also be purchased at the gate on the day of show.

Further competitions will be held in October. The Michigan Invitational state show is set for Oct. 2 at Flint's Atwood Stadium. The final competition of the 1988 season will be the Grand Nationals in the Pontiac Silverdome on Nov. 11-12.

Canton home tour

Canton's first tour ever of country homes will be held on Saturday, Sept. 17 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.. It is sponsored by the Canton Historical Society.

The tour will begin at the Society Museum once a one-room schoolhouse, located at 1150 Canton Center. The five houses on the tour will display antiques, quilts, colletions and historic artifacts.

Tickets are \$7 and can be purchased in advance at the Canton Historical Society Museum, which is open Tuesdays and Saturdays from 1-3 p.m. Or call 495-1241 or 453-9474 for reservations.

Tickets will also be available the day of the tour.

Proceeds from the events will be used for the preservation of

\$3.50 for the first 10 words, 10° each additional word. Deadline: Monday, 4 p.m. Call 453-6900

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Curiosities

"IT'S THE GOAL POSTS that are exe" -- Kenn Christop

BON HOMME'S BOB HILTON Is a topdrawer kind of guy with a bottom shelf. --John "Red" Walker

NELSON WOOD: how about trout and harmonica? -- Ed

SUNSHINE: the offer is definitely open, if you don't mind a guy who prefers romance, spoiling you, and not cleaning up after cats. Also, i'm still waiting to meet this so-called "game-master" person. Missed you this weekend! Love (aint) TS.

THANKS to all the drivers, for their many loaded trips, and to all the carriers with bags slung on their hipe! It was a big job, but you all came shining thru! Another Fall Fest edition successfully delivered! —

CHRIS has moved, and "Land"ed at Route 81! Your old customers will miss you, but your "Lee"ving them in good hands. Good luck! -- Craig

ALIX says that for what makes a carrier great, "Morr is on" rte, 74! Best of luck! --

BRETT is revved up and ready to rear! He started route 164! Welcome to the crew! --Craig

SARAH sure shines something sug cial on rie. 138! Glad you could join us!

Curiosities

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BrightEyes -- You didn't miss anything last k! - DarkEyes.

Gosh -- you work somewhere for three months and then after a couple weeks they forget you exist... I won't let you guys forget! Keep smiling. Love, Lau

LISA -- Bless you! Appreciate the late night "car hop" service! Diane

Fail Fest Board President Ken Holmes & Crier Artist Dewn Phillips both graduated from Marine City High School, Coincidence? Hmmmmm.

Go Mariners!

Thanks Ed -- Great party!

Hey Topscore -- you'd better start feeling good! I miss you -- me.

CHRIS is "Lee"ding the way on lucky no. 13! Welcome to The Crier Carrier Corps! Good Luck! -- Craig

Anyone needing a taxl call Jack. For references talk to P.P. & P.R.

Margaret changed her name for the F.F.

Djo - a cemetery crawi? m.e.

PENNIMAN COUNTRY HOUSE is to be congratulated for treating young customers the adults. That encourages young consumers to behave like adults and so we all benefit. Congratulations

Welcome home Mom Voyles. K

SARAH is going to make a point of giving great service in Lakepointe! She's your w carrier on 34A! Good Luck. -- Craig.

Phyllis - you're right about the Warm Fuzzies. The're a necessary part of life. Thanks, Peg.

nks for all the Birthday wishes! (Except for the one with reference to age and hair color) -- Peg

PHYLLIS & DEBBIE - Wow! Everyone needs friends like you! Thanks for your help! Diane

This new curio deadline is worse than McNell/Lerher moving to 8:00!

Jack Vogel has worked for Host for 20 years. He doesn't look a day over 45.

nie -- what's a Demolition Derby? I think it's something they had on "Happy Days"

GET WELL TOAB and KIM!

ERIC and BUCKWHEAT

JON & SARA clean up at Fall Feetival

DIANE & STEVE HERBRUCK make it another Yeari Happy Anniversary.

CONGRATULATIONS HELEN and CLARENCE of Peekskill, N.Y.

DICK VAN FLEET got older this week.

RYAN SURKE is a puppeteer. (And started school.")

Ask Marge why her nickname is "THE LEAPING BOWLER"

Curiosities

Is there such a thing as "Sticker Shock" with regards to a phone bill? Kevin K. is about to find out!

Aunt Hazel is never home! She's always on the go. Three cheers for Aunt Hazel!

Julie -- if you learn to change a tire then we'll talk about the trip. Dad & Mom

Dad - thanks for the wagon ride and the apple. I fove you. -- Peg

Jayne -- with regards to the "Price" of being your friend -- I'm thinking, I'm

Den - the lampshade was OK. But it really in't my color. - An Anonymous Fall

Jackie H. is just so Plymouth!

Phyllis and Ed sure know how to throw a party! Maybe we should have Fall Fest

Jack -- thanks for the dance. -- Cinderella Leslie -- thanks for helping with the tags at the F.F. Party - Jack

Stacks of newspapers make for a mellow Sunday, Right Red? B

Happy Anniversary, Karl and Mary. K Fled dozen't like "alkie" breath. Blue

Wood in a box?

Hurricane naps and stays up lete. T

MASTER WALTON has put his "Brand on" route 56? Happy to have you on the team. Good luck! -- Craig **\$3.50** for the firs' 10 words. 105 each additional word. Deadline: Monday, 4 p.m. Call 453-6900

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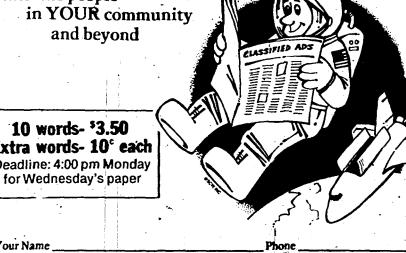
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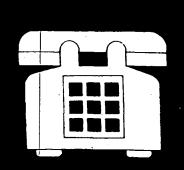
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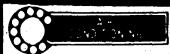


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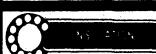


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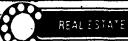
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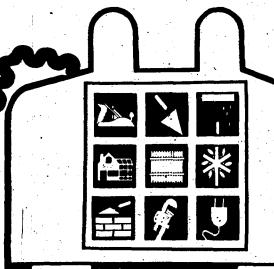
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