

**GOP sweeps Canton seats . . . see pg. 8**

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## RESULTS OF NOVEMBER 8 GENERAL ELECTION\*

\*Based on The Crier's unofficial tabulations.

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### Canton Proposal

Yes   
 No

## Pursell edges Pollack

BY PAUL GARGARO AND AMY BENSINGER

Long after you wrap your fish dinner with this paper, incumbent 2nd District Congressman Carl Pursell and challenger, State Senator Lana Pollack will still be looking for votes in backwater townships in Hillsdale County.

Pursell has apparently squeaked by in his toughest race in 12 years in office.

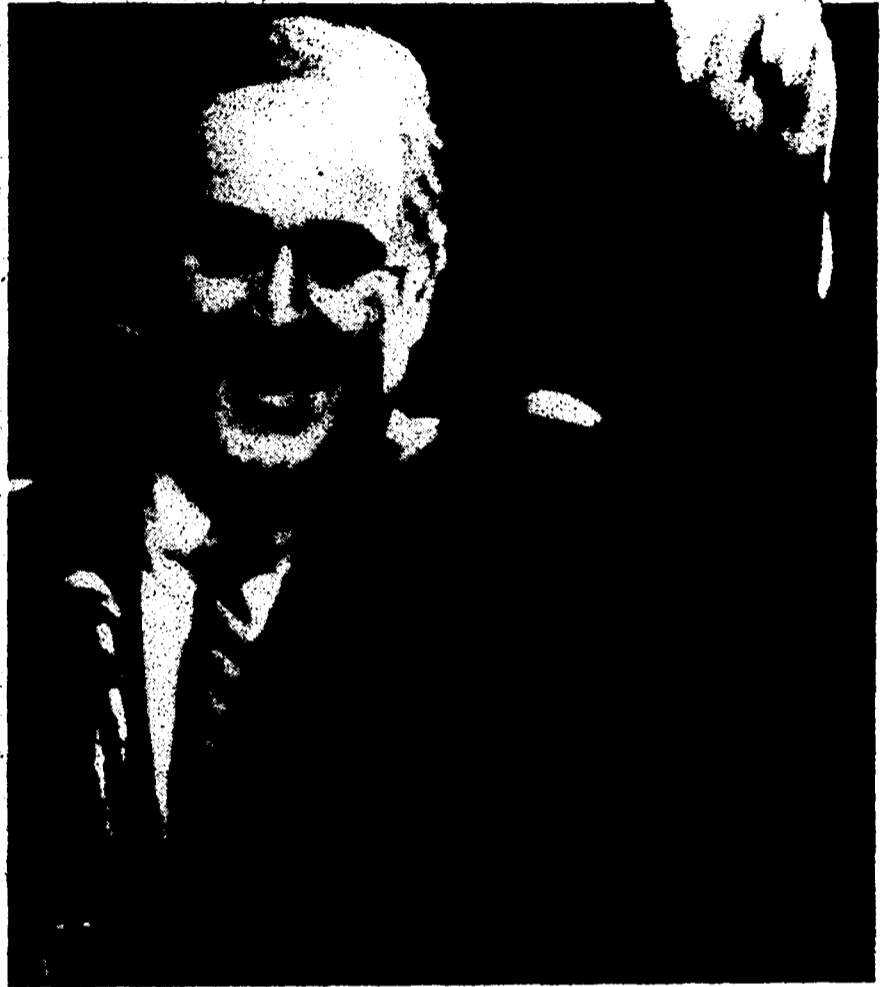
With about 60 per cent of the precincts reporting, he was maintaining a narrow, but steady lead as of early this morning.

In his own backyard, the City of Plymouth, Pursell dropped two of five precincts to Pollack. Despite this, he took Plymouth with 2,651 unofficial votes to Pollack's 1,970.

In his home community of Plymouth Township, Pursell took 7,653 unofficial votes, while Pollack collected 3,962.

Northville City went 797 for Pursell to 502 for Pollack.

In other portions of the district, Pursell did not fare as well.



### 53 per cent

Carl Pursell, the apparent winner in the 2nd Congressional District, gives the 'V' for victory sign. Pursell took 53 per cent of the vote. (Crier photo by Chris Farina)

According to a spokesperson for Pursell, "She beat us in Ann Arbor by more than we projected. We've got a three per cent deficit across the board out of Ann Arbor."

But later unofficial results show that Pursell had gained an edge, even

though voting machines from Northville Township — friendly territory for him — were sent out to be read in Dearborn. A Pursell spokesman said they sent an attorney and Wayne

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## Canton Rec Center bid fails

BY KEN VOYLES

Despite apparent support throughout the community, the ballot proposal requesting a millage increase to fund a multi-use community center in Canton went down to defeat last night.

According to unofficial election totals from the township clerk's office, the proposal, which asked voters to approve a property tax hike of 1.2 mills, lost by a nearly two to one margin.

The apparent defeat of the proposal suggested to some that there is support for a community center in Canton, but that the funding plan just wasn't what

residents wanted.

"I have to conclude that people want the facility, but this is not the way to pay for it," said Tom Gulkewicz, chairperson of the citizens committee which supported the plan. "We may have to find an alternative way to fund it."

The proposal was rejected by voters in most of Canton's 23 precincts.

Election turnout yesterday in Canton hover around 50 per cent, according to the unofficial results.

"I am encouraged by the number of residents who voted for the proposal," Gulkewicz added. "We'll just have to analysis the results and see if re-packaging the proposal is warranted."

The proposal asked voters to approve funding to design, construct and maintain a "multi-use" recreational center for all ages. It included a planned swimming pool and was expected to cost \$8 million to construct.

Gulkewicz called the margin of defeat "close."

**GUARD:** Local P-C volunteers help protect the area's waterways as Coast Guard Flotilla members. See pg. 10

**BUSH:** George Bush came to Schoolcraft College Friday and left one Mike Dukakis supporter angry. See pg. 5.

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# Nankin Transit seeks to become taxing agency

BY KEN VOYLES

The Nankin Transit Commission (NTC), which serves five Wayne County communities including Canton with small bus service, is in financial trouble.

One solution, presented to Canton's Board of Trustees last week, may be the formation of an authority which could raise tax millage to offset expenses.

Glen Shaw, a representative of the NTC, told the board that the commission needs to be re-organized into an authority.

"Then we'd have taxing ability to get back to our previous service levels," Shaw said. "We want to dissolve the commission and create the Nankin Transit Authority."

Shaw said the authority, if approved by the five communities, would set up a special election sometime in February of next year to ask for millage to help offset a \$200,000 shortfall.

"We don't need action right away but we want to move on this as soon as possible," Shaw said.

Three years ago Nankin suffered cutbacks in revenues from the Southeastern Michigan Transit Authority (SEMTA), which forced the commission to cut bus service from 16 buses down to 10 or 11. Ridership fell from 16,000 riders per month to around 8,000 per month.

Last year the NTC received a one time grant of \$114,000 to offset costs and allow it to continue to operate until July, 1989.

"We promised Lansing we wouldn't be back," Shaw said. "We told them we would work on a long term solution."

Public Act 196 of 1986 allows NTC to be re-organized as an authority. The new authority would maintain a contractual relationship with SEMTA, but would be authorized to seek approval of a millage to acquire funds to continue the small bus service.

Member communities will have to agree to form the authority, Shaw told the Canton board, and fund a special election. To pass, the millage needs a majority of the aggregate vote of its member communities, he added. The communities include Canton, Garden City, Inkster, Westland and Wayne.

If the plan is approved, the new Nankin Transit Authority (NTA) would pursue a vote on an assessment not to exceed a half mill, said Shaw. That represents \$17.50 per year on a \$70,000 home in the NTA area.

The millage would be subject to a renewal after five years.

Nankin is a small bus service for seniors, handicapped citizens and those residents without automobiles or who are economically disadvantaged. The system would be brought back up to 16 buses, said Shaw.

"We don't have anything definitive yet from those communities," said Charlie Hunter, director of operations for Nankin. "SEMTA didn't like the idea at first but now they feel this is the right approach."

When the transit commission first lost revenue, Canton chipped in \$10,000 to keep it afloat. Shaw said Nankin would have to seek \$30-40,000 from Canton if an authority cannot be formed. The other communities have also helped to subsidize the commission in the past.

"We just want to create an ability to raise revenues on our own," said Shaw.

"I strongly support and endorse this," said Robert Padgett, an outgoing trustee in Canton. "But I really think it is more appropriate that the new board makes this decision."

After further discussion of the matter last week Canton's board voted to table any motion of support until the new board is in place.

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**Fund goal nearly reached**

The Plymouth Rock Chapter of the Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) Post 6695 has announced that it has raised 90 percent of its fund goal for the purchase of a new rifle guard.

The fund goal is \$10,000. The chapter has received donations from many individuals and businesses in the community. The rifle guard is a traditional symbol of the VFW and is used in many ceremonies.

The rifle guard will be presented to the chapter on Friday, November 11, at the Plymouth Rock ceremony. The chapter is currently accepting donations for the rifle guard.

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## Veteran's Day

Members of the Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) Post 6695 will lay a wreath at the Plymouth Rock on Friday (Nov. 11) to celebrate Veteran's Day.

The post's rifle guard will also be on hand. The ceremony will begin at 11 a.m.



Plymouth Fire Chief Alan Matthews directs firefighters Friday following an explosion which led to a fire at the Heritage Square Apartments. (Crier photo by Dan Jarvis)

## Accident or arson?

# Fire still under investigation

BY PAUL GARGARO

"My first thought was something fell on me -- like a plane."

Such was the reaction of Connie Perry, whose unit in the Heritage Square Apartment complex at 300 N. Mill Street was destroyed by flames when an adjacent unit blew up at 4:08 p.m. on Friday afternoon.

Five units in the 18-apartment complex were gutted and three others received minor smoke damage, said City of Plymouth Fire Chief Alan Matthews.

Guy Zukowski received extensive

third-degree burns over half of his body in what fire officials said was an explosion due to a gas leak in his apartment.

Zukowski is currently being treated at the University of Michigan Burn Center, said Matthews.

"It was loud and it knocked stuff off the ceiling and I could see flames through the wall," said Sue Leksche, who lived in a neighboring apartment with her 11-year-old daughter, Angel. "We were right in the living room. If we were in the bedroom we would have been trapped. My daughter had just

come home from school.

"I tried to call the police, but the phone didn't work so we ran," added Leksche.

Derek Davis and his uncle John Davidson, of Connecticut, and a friend John Foley, who were all at Davis' neighboring condominium following the funeral of Davis' mother, Sue Ann Eberline, ran to the scene just after the explosion.

"It was really loud. It sounded like thunder. We thought a tree had fallen on our unit," said Davis. Davis said they kicked in the door of one burning apartment in an effort to save its resident. Foley received a cut on the forearm while trying to rescue a dog which was inside.

The dog, Muffin, escaped unharmed, said Foley. (Other pets were not so lucky, said fire officials.) The dog's owner, Mark Ratza, 26, said his pet ran off during the fire's confusion and is still missing.

"The burn victim was sitting outside -- I don't think he realized he was burnt," said Davidson. "I took him next door and when we got him inside, we couldn't get him to sit. He looked pretty bad."

Matthews said units from Plymouth Township, Canton, Northville City and Township were called in to assist and the flames were brought under control within 40 to 45 minutes.

The exact cause of the explosion and subsequent fire were still under in-



Firefighters battle the blaze at the rear of the apartment where the explosion occurred Friday. The tenant of the apartment, Guy Zukowski, 25, received extensive burns due to the incident. (Crier photo by Dan Jarvis)

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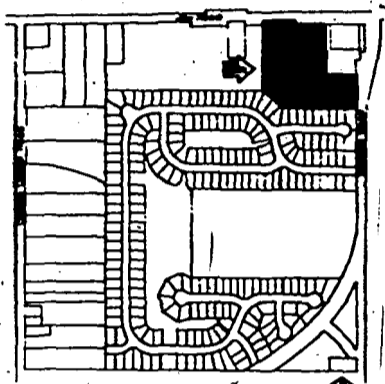
# Public notices

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

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Act 184 of the Public Acts of 1943 of the State of Michigan, as amended, and pursuant to the Zoning Ordinance of the Charter Township of Canton that the Planning Commission of the Charter Township of Canton will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, November 14, 1988, at the Canton Administration Building, 1150 S. Canton Center Road at 7:30 p.m. on the following proposed amendments to the Zoning Ordinance.

CONSIDER REQUEST TO AMEND FOREST TRAILS PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT TO ALLOW CONSTRUCTION OF A COMMERCIAL SHOPPING CENTER. PROPERTY IS LOCATED ON THE SIDE OF JOY ROAD WEST OF SHELDON ROAD. PARCEL NOS. 010-99-0002-000, 010-99-0004-006, 010-99-0001-001.



Planning Commission  
Richard Kirchgatter, Chairman

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CONSIDER AMENDMENT TO THE FOLLOWING ARTICLE:

ARTICLE 20.00 Section 20.03  
Uses Permitted by Special Approval To include a residential motel use.

ARTICLE 3.00 Section 3.01  
Add definition for residential motel.

ARTICLE 26.00 Section 26.01  
C. To include a residential motel.

Planning Commission  
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## CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS NOVEMBER 17, 1988

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A MEETING OF THE ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON WILL BE HELD ON THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1988 AT 7:30 P.M. AT 1150 S. CANTON CENTER ROAD, TO CONSIDER THE FOLLOWING AGENDA AND ANY RELATED MATTERS:

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO FLAG.  
ROLL CALL: DALEY, MULCAHY, NASIATKA, PREBLICH, PRINCE.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: OCTOBER 20, 1988.

ACCEPTANCE OF AGENDA.

1. PUBLIC HEARING. MICHIGAN BELL REMOTE SPECIAL LAND USE LOCATED ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF WARREN ROAD BETWEEN BECK AND CANTON CENTER ROAD. PARCEL 034 99 0004000. SECTION 5.14 E.

2. THE FOLLOWING ITEM WAS TABLED IN JULY:

WILLIAM B. LOKEY — CLASSY CHASSIS AUTOWASH. 5790 N. CANTON CENTER. C-2 039-9900180003 AND 039-990018-005, SECTION 5.11 B-1 AND SECTION 31.04 A NON-CONFORMING USE AND VARIANCE FOR FIRE PLUG LOCATION.

MICHAEL T. MULCAHY  
CHAIRMAN

LINDA CHUHRAN  
ADMINISTRATIVE CLERK

PUBLISH: November 9, 1988

## CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON BOARD PROCEEDINGS MINUTES OF NOVEMBER 1, 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, November 1, 1988.

Motion by Brown, supported by Kirchgatter, to go into Closed Session at 6:30 p.m. to discuss Personnel Litigation with Dan Durack.

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

Absent: Poole

Motion by Chuhuran, supported by Brown, to return to Open Session at 7:01 p.m. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Chuhuran, supported by Kirchgatter, that in the absence of Supervisor Poole, to turn the meeting over to Senior Trustee Bennett. Motion carried unanimously.

Trustee Bennett called the Meeting to order and led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

ROLL CALL:

Members Present: Bennett, Brown, Chuhuran, Kirchgatter, Padget and Preniczky

Members Absent: Poole

APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF OCTOBER 25, 1988:

Motion by Kirchgatter, supported by Brown, to approve the Minutes as printed. Motion carried unanimously.

ACCEPTANCE OF AGENDA:

Item No. 19, WARREN ROAD-BECK ROAD, WATERMAIN was added to the Agenda.

Item No. 20, ATTORNEY FEES, was added to the Agenda.

Item No. 21, STATUS REPORT — PENSION FOR PART-TIME ELECTED OFFICIALS, was added to the Agenda.

Motion by Brown, supported by Kirchgatter, to accept the Agenda as corrected. Motion carried unanimously.

CORRESPONDENCE: (No Discussion)

DEPARTMENT REPORTS:

Clerk Chuhuran referenced the note from John Spencer, Finance Director to Supervisor Poole regarding a ballot prepared by Clerk Chuhuran for elementary children.

John Spencer summarized a letter from Supervisor Poole to the Board Members and to the General Public regarding Mr. Poole's recent illness and his wife's surgery. All work is being conducted from his home. He hopes to be well next week.

CITIZENS FORUM: (No Discussion)

CONSENT CALENDAR: (No Discussion)

GENERAL CALENDAR:

Item No. 1 RESOLUTION TO FORM NANKIN TRANSIT AUTHORITY

Mr. Glen Shaw, representative to the Nankin Transit Commission, which is a small bus program providing transportation to senior citizens and handicapped persons in Wayne, Westland, Garden City and Inkster, briefed the Board on the Nankin Transit proposal.

Because of State and Federal cutbacks, Mr. Shaw suggested a Special Election to generate funds to provide adequate bus service.

The Board generally, was in favor of the proposal, but because of the commitment of the expense of a Special Election, the Board believed it was more appropriate for the new Board to decide on this issue.

Item No. 2 CONSIDER DELAYING INSTALLATION OF ASPHALT PARKING LOT FOR LUCAS NURSERY, LOCATED ON THE NORTH SIDE OF FORD ROAD BETWEEN RIDGE AND NAPIER ROADS

Motion by Padget, supported by Brown, to adopt the Resolution regarding the Parking Lot for Lucas Nursery, with the following changes:

Item Number 4 should be amended to read: "Significant development in the vicinity is not probable within the next five-ten (5-10) years."

In the BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED paragraph the words, "ten (10)" were changed to, "five (5)" and the following sentence was added to the paragraph:

"This Agreement may be extended for up to an additional five years upon approval by the Canton Township Board of Trustees."

Discussion followed with Attorney Greenstein and Mr. Nicholson regarding paving the neck and apron of the Lucas' driveway site.

Roll call for Trustee Padget's motion:

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

Item No. 3 STATUS OF REZONING REQUEST FOR THE BECK ROAD PROPERTY

Motion by Kirchgatter, supported by Padget, that Agenda Item No. 3 be placed on the November 15 Board Agenda, and that the petitioner be notified.

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

Item No. 4 SELECTIVE GROUP ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

Mr. Harold Rosin, representing the Selective Group, discussed the recent appraisal of the Haggerty Road property by Walsh and Associates. A response from the Selective Group to the questionnaire directed to "Prospective Purchasers of Canton Township Owned Properties" was submitted to the Board.

Motion by Padget, supported by Preniczky, to direct the Director of the Community Economic and Development Department to obtain one additional appraisal on the subject property at Canton Township's expense.

Amended motion by Kirchgatter, supported by Chuhuran, to obtain two additional appraisals on the subject property at Canton Township's expense.

Roll call for amended motion:

Ayes: Chuhuran, Kirchgatter, Preniczky and Bennett

Nays: Padget and Brown

Amended motion passed 4-2.

Roll call for Trustee Padget's motion:

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

Item No. 5 CONSIDER REQUEST TO REZONE PARCEL 132 99 0010 005 FROM LI-2 LIGHT INDUSTRIAL TO C-3 HIGHWAY ORIENTED COMMERCIAL. THE PROPERTY IS LOCATED AT THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF MICHIGAN AVENUE AND BELLEVILLE ROAD.

Mr. Thomas Payne addressed the Board regarding the requested rezoning.

Motion by Preniczky, supported by Chuhuran, to adopt the Resolution included in the Board Packets granting the requested rezoning from LI-2 to C-3, Highway Oriented Commercial.

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

Item No. 6 CONSIDER REQUEST TO REZONE PARCEL 043 99 0016 000 FROM R-4 SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL TO O-1 OFFICE. PROPERTY IS LOCATED ON THE WEST SIDE OF LILLEY ROAD BETWEEN FORD AND HANFORD ROADS

Motion by Kirchgatter, supported by Chuhuran, to adopt the resolution granting the requested rezoning from R-4 to O-1 Office.

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

Item No. 7 CONSIDER AMENDMENTS TO ZONING ORDINANCE AS IT PERTAINS TO CHILD CARE ISSUES

Motion by Kirchgatter, supported by Chuhuran, to adopt the resolution approving the amendments to Articles 3.00, 8.00, 11.00, 12.00, 14.00, 20.00, and 26.00 of the Zoning Ordinance as recommended.

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

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## Public notices

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**Item No. 8 CONSIDER AMENDMENTS TO ZONING ORDINANCE IN ORDER TO PERMIT SELF-SERVICE VEHICLE WASH ESTABLISHMENTS IN USES PERMITTED BY SPECIAL APPROVAL**

Motion by Padget, supported by Kirchgatter, in concert with the unanimous recommendation of the Planning Commission, for adoption of the resolution that directs that the Board of Trustees of Canton Charter Township approve the amendments of Sections 3.01, 15.03 and 26.01 of the Zoning Ordinance to incorporate the text relating to Vehicle Wash Establishments.

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

**Item No. 9 P.A. 198 PUBLIC HEARING FOR DELLAMAR MANUFACTURING**

Dave Nicholson was directed to provide information to the new Board regarding reconsideration of tax abatement.

Motion by Padget, supported by Prenczky, for adoption of the resolution granting the requested abatement.

Ayes: Brown, Padget, Prenczky and Bennett

Nays: Chuhran and Kirchgatter

Motion passed 4-2.

**Item No. 10 P.A. 198 EXTENSION FOR FAIRLANE GEAR**

Motion by Padget, supported by Brown, to adopt the resolution granting the one year extension requested, pursuant to and under the authority and requirements of Act 198, P.A. 1974.

Ayes: Padget, Prenczky, Bennett and Brown

Nays: Chuhran and Kirchgatter

Motion passed 4-2.

**Item No. 11 SITE PLAN EXTENSION FOR CHERRY HILL COURT, LOCATED SOUTH SIDE OF CHERRY HILL, WEST OF LILLEY.**

Motion by Kirchgatter, supported by Padget, to grant a one (1) year extension of the site plan approval period for a proposed shopping center known as Cherry Hill Court, to be located southwest of the intersection of Lilley and Cherry Hill Roads.

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

**Item No. 12 PETITION FOR SPECIAL ASSESSMENT DISTRICT FOR SANITARY SEWER IMPROVEMENTS ALONG THE SOUTH SIDE OF MICHIGAN AVENUE**

Motion by Chuhran, supported by Kirchgatter, to adopt Resolution No. 1 directing the Township Engineer to prepare a plan showing the improvements, the location thereof, estimates of the cost thereof.

Ayes: Padget, Poole, Prenczky, Bennett and Chuhran

Absent: Brown and Poole

**RESOLUTION No. 1  
SPECIAL ASSESSMENT DISTRICT**

**SPECIAL ASSESSMENT DISTRICT FOR SANITARY SEWER IMPROVEMENT ALONG THE SOUTH SIDE OF MICHIGAN AVENUE FROM HANNAN ROAD TO APPROXIMATELY 1,250 FEET WEST OF HANNAN ROAD.**

WHEREAS, the Township Board of the Charter Township of Canton, County of Wayne, State of Michigan, pursuant to Act 188, Public Acts of Michigan, 1954, as amended, at the request of the Canton property owners to be served by the improvements (Exhibit A — Details are available in the Office of the Clerk) proposes to construct certain public sanitary sewer improvements within the Michigan Avenue right-of-way from Hannan Road to 1,250 feet west of Hannan Road. The properties to be served are described as follows:

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| C18 71 141 990008 | C18 71 141 990015 |
| C18 71 141 990009 | C18 71 141 990016 |
| C18 71 141 990010 | C18 71 141 990017 |
| C18 71 141 990011 | C18 71 141 990018 |
| C18 71 141 990012 | C18 71 141 990019 |

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

1. The Township Engineer, a registered engineer in the State of Michigan, is hereby directed to prepare a plan showing the improvements, the location thereof and estimates of the cost thereof.
2. The Township Engineer, when the plans and estimates are completed, is ordered to file the same with the Township Clerk.
3. All resolutions and parts of resolutions, insofar as they conflict with the provisions of this resolution, be and the same hereby are rescinded.

**Item No. 13 MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION PROPOSAL TO PROVIDE CONCRETE BIKE PATH ALONG MICHIGAN AVENUE**

Motion by Kirchgatter, supported by Chuhran, that an amount not to exceed \$5,000.00 be appropriated to fund the additional costs associated with upgrading the asphalt bike path to a concrete bike path along Michigan Avenue from I-275 to Hannan Road. These funds to be made payable to the State of Michigan, Department of Transportation.

Ayes: Prenczky, Bennett, Chuhran, Kirchgatter and Padget

Absent: Brown and Poole

**Item No. 14 PURCHASE OF WATER METERS**

Motion by Padget, supported by Kirchgatter, to purchase fifty two inch Rockwell compound commercial water meters from Rockwell International at a cost of \$729.39 per unit, for a total expenditure of \$36,469.50.

The funds will be taken from Inventory Meter and Parts account, Number 592-000-111-0003.

Ayes: Prenczky, Bennett, Chuhran, Kirchgatter and Padget

Absent: Brown and Poole

**Item No. 15 AWARD BID — TELEPHONE EQUIPMENT**

Motion by Padget, supported by Kirchgatter, that the bid for telephone equipment to be used with Centrex service be awarded to Michigan Bell Communications, Inc., in the approximate amount of \$47,924.55, plus \$2,494.73 for a three-cabinet one-hour battery backup system, for an approximate total of \$50,419.28; the actual cost to be determined after a station review by the Township and Michigan Bell Communications, Inc. and determination of actual telephone instruments required. This expense to be paid from Federal Revenue Sharing Fund account No. 249-265-977-0000.

Ayes: Bennett, Brown, Kirchgatter, Padget and Prenczky

Nays: Chuhran

**Item No. 16 BUDGET AMENDMENT — E-911**

Motion by Chuhran, supported by Kirchgatter, to approve a budget amendment in the Fire Fund to provide funds for the Enhanced 9-1-1 equipment through Michigan Bell Communications, Inc. as follows:

Increase Revenue		
Appropriation from Fund Balance	206-000-699-0000	\$5,585

# Twp. man arraigned in student's death

BY DAN JARVIS

A Plymouth Township man has been arraigned and charged with operating a vehicle under the influence of alcohol in the Oct. 16 death of a West Bloomfield student attending Michigan State University.

Richard Karpinski, 49, was driving through East Lansing on Grand River Avenue when Philip Rader, 19, ignored a traffic signal, ran into the road and was struck by Karpinski's car shortly after midnight of the 15th, according to Kim Eddie, Ingham County chief assistant prosecutor.

Karpinski was given an alcohol breath test by East Lansing Police, who said the result was .16, exceeding

the legal limit. Eddie said there was reason to believe Rader had also been drinking but added that official test results will not be available for several weeks.

According to Eddie, that portion of Grand River has been the site of at least three other fatalities over the past several years.

"It's a difficult area," said Eddie. "The student hangouts are on one side of the street and the university is on the other."

Eddie added that Karpinski is awaiting pre-trial legal proceedings, but that a date has not been set. No other charges will be filed against Karpinski.

## CEP Band ready to march in finals

The Centennial Educational Park (CEP) Marching Band will be one of more than 50 bands participating in the 1988 Bands of America Grand National Championships at the Pontiac Silverdome on Friday and Saturday (Nov. 11-12).

The CEP Band is slated to perform in the preliminary round at 9:45 a.m. on Saturday.

Increase Appropriations  
Capital Outlay-Equipment 206-336-977-0000 5,585  
This budget amendment increases the Fire Fund budget from \$2,130,691 to \$2,136,276 and; Clerk Chuhran, supported by Kirchgatter, also included in the motion to approve a budget amendment in the Police Fund to provide funds for the Enhanced 9-1-1 equipment through Michigan Bell Communications, Inc. as follows:

Increase Revenues:  
Appropriation from Fund Balance 207-000-699-0000 \$5,586  
Increase Appropriations:  
Capital Outlay-Equipment 207-301-977-0000 5,586

This budget amendment increases the Police Fund budget from \$3,097,709 to \$3,103,295.  
Ayes: Brown, Chuhran, Kirchgatter, Padget, Prenczky and Bennett.

**Item No. 17 BUDGET AMENDMENT — TOWNSHIP BOARD DEPARTMENT**  
Motion by Padget, supported by Chuhran, to approve a budget amendment in the General Fund Township Board Department, as follows:

Increase Revenues:  
Appropriation from Fund Balance No. 101-000-699-0000 \$15,000  
Increase Expenditures:  
Community Promotion 101-101-957-0000 15,000  
This budget amendment increases the Township Board Department budget from \$361,626 to \$376,626, and the General Fund budget from \$6,195,041 to \$6,210,041.

Ayes: Chuhran, Kirchgatter, Padget, Prenczky, Bennett and Brown.

**Item No. 18 PURCHASE OF THREE USED GOLF CARS**  
Motion by Padget, supported by Kirchgatter, to authorize the purchase of three (3) 1984 Yamaha golf cars from Michigan Golf Cars, Inc. for \$900.00 each, and that the money be taken from 1988 Golf Course Revenues.

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

**Item No. 19 WARREN ROAD, BECK ROAD WATERMAIN**  
Motion by Padget, supported by Kirchgatter, that an amount not to exceed \$25,000 for engineering review, construction engineering administration and inspection be appropriated for the proposed Warren Road/Beck Road master planned watermain.

Ayes: Padget, Prenczky, Bennett, Brown, Chuhran and Kirchgatter  
Motion by Padget, supported by Chuhran, that by resolution the contract between the Charter Township of Canton and Richard Lewiston be adopted.

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

**Item No. 20 ATTORNEY FEES**  
Motion by Chuhran, supported by Prenczky, to approve the legal fees before the Board in the amount of \$19,348.10 from O'Dea and Jamnik, and legal fees in the amount of \$12,947.05 from Attorney Hemkamp.

Motion by Padget, supported by Kirchgatter, to table and refer the bills for legal fees to the Township Attorney.  
Ayes: Bennett, Brown, Kirchgatter and Padget  
Nays: Chuhran and Prenczky  
Motion to table passed 4-2.

**Item No. 21 STATUS REPORT — PENSION FOR PART-TIME ELECTED OFFICIALS**  
Mr. Dan Durack stated that on November 3, 1988 Mr. Charles Fiedler, attorney, will be meeting with Mr. Brown, Mr. Spencer and himself regarding legal advice and direction for this issue. A final draft of Mr. Fiedler's opinion will be forthcoming to the Board.

Trustee Padget requested that the pension issue be placed on the Agenda for the November 15 Board Meeting.

Treasurer Brown proposed that if any employee leaves the Township's employ after the age of 55 with a certain minimum of service years, that employee should be entitled to continue their Blue Cross at their own expense, plus a 2% administrative fee. This would allow an employee to remain in the group insurance plan.

Motion by Chuhran, supported by Brown, to adjourn at 8:50 p.m. Motion carried unanimously.

Linda Chuhran  
Administrative Township Clerk

**FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS:**  
Status Report — Pension Fund for Temporary Employees  
Rezoning Request for Beck Road Property



# Community opinions

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## Voters Beware!!!

Election etiquette.  
Is it disappearing?

In this year when dirty campaigning started on the road to the White House and trickled down, a number of infractions have come to light.

The most common indecent assault on voters is the placement of campaign signs on public property and rights of way. There's only one way to stop that -- don't vote for any candidate or position that uses that tactic. (Watch how many signs stay up after election day too! Maybe they should prohibit candidates from taking office until all his or her signs are down.)

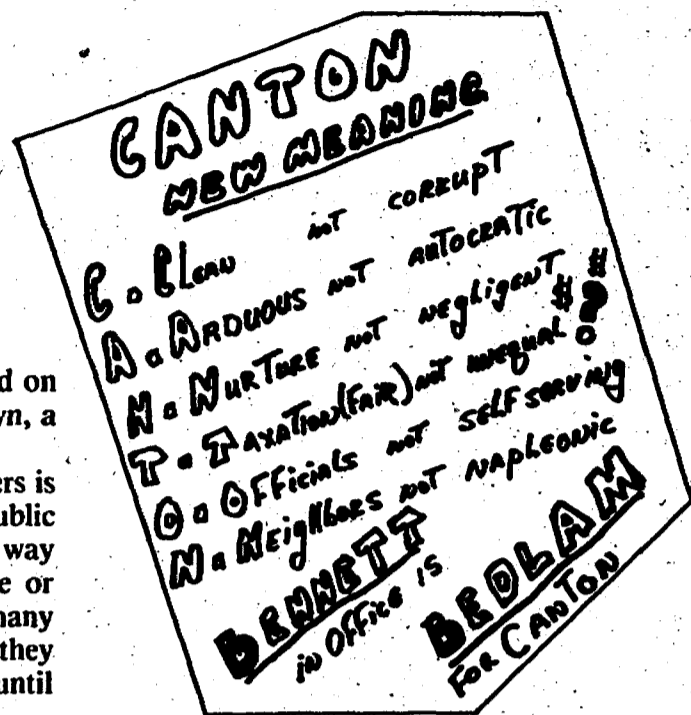
Last minute "smear" literature has also surfaced. There's little opportunity to rebut such fliers. Worse yet are anonymous attacks.

Overzealous campaign workers were also a problem at polling places in The Plymouth-Canton Community yesterday. School Board Member E. J. McClendon was seen vigorously arguing with a Proposal A un-advocate whom he agreed with, but who was campaigning inside the line at the Farrand Elementary School poll. (Voters there also complained about a Proposal A sign that was placed on the school's lawn election morning.)

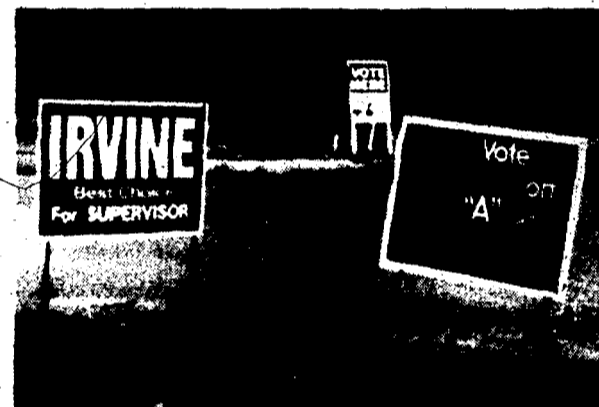
Plymouth-Canton voters are not fooled by such blatant lapses in election etiquette.

And, like E.J., they should stand up to it.

THE COMMUNITY CRIER



A 'dirty' campaign flier -- unsigned -- slammed Loren Bennett. Political signs were often placed in public rights of way.



## Fever heats up protester

Larry Brayboy and George Bush have nothing in common, except maybe that they both vote.

Brayboy, a history teacher and supporter of Mike Dukakis, stood alone in the cold rain Friday waiting outside the gymnasium at Schoolcraft College, while inside Bush addressed a warm crowd of nearly 3,000 on one of his last campaign stops.

Brayboy carried a sign that read "Reagan, Bush, Oliver North -- Shredders of the Constitution," while Bush carried the partisan crowd with a 20-minute speech attacking Dukakis and calling himself a "mainstream candidate."

The gym in which he spoke was decked out with banners, balloons, and several giant American flags. It was filled to the rafters with partisan followers of all ages, along with the ever present phalanx of media.

One sign on the gym wall read: "The Choice of a New Generation -- Bush/Quayle." Another noted: "George is here."

Outside, though, a cold drizzle pounded the campus pavement, trickling off those lucky enough to be invited as they rushed to get inside the

### In the margin

By Ken Voyles



gym.

Near one entrance stood Brayboy, looking not at all like a candidate, his hair in clumps and dripping furiously down his face.

Several angry Bush followers set upon Brayboy and told him to go home (as if he weren't allowed on our free streets). Brayboy lost his cool and punctuated a sentence with a loud "f-k."

Someone glared at him for a moment, and then another called a Livonia cop over. In just a minute Brayboy was in the back of a Livonia police car.

"They told me they'd get me for inciting a riot if I wasn't careful," Brayboy said after being released from the custody of his convictions. But he didn't leave the scene and instead continued to hold his sign high -- the lone Dukakis supporter in a sea of

unfriendly Republican faces.

Inside, Gabe "Welcome Back Kotter" Kaplan spoke of the Republican message and vision. He followed other Republican stars on stage including L. Brooks Patterson, George Romney and Plymouth's own Carl Pursell, who called Bush "a great American."

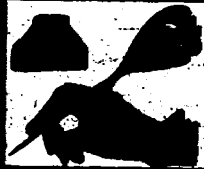
Then it was Bush's turn. He stood on stage with a large "family" of friends behind him and his wife and daughter by his side.

He spoke of the "great divide" and how deep it was between himself and Dukakis. He spoke of "mandate" and "mainstream." He thanked Schoolcraft College and congratulated the school's president Richard McDowell. He talked of going "forward." He called the best answer to unemployment a job.

When it was over, and the sweat was rolling down the backs of everyone in the place, they released the balloons and set off a frenzied stomping.

The Republicans had gone mad with pre-election fever.

And Larry Brayboy was just plain mad.



# Community opinions

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## Community will benefit if proposal passes

EDITOR:

I had written a long, two-page letter to you as editor, but I met with Mike Gouin recently, and put the letter aside. This is its replacement.

I just wanted to say I am for the proposed community center here in Canton. I have talked with heads and assistants of six different recreation departments and can find nothing that is lacking in our proposed center to deny passage of the millage proposal.

For just \$1.20 a week per home, I think we'll all benefit greatly from the structure. I wish more could be said to gain everyone's approval, but the most I can do now is write this letter and vote.

All the best. From a Cantonite,  
TIM CHAPMAN

## Ostrum would be dedicated

EDITOR:

Although I do not live in Canton, I thought it was important to alert the voters in your community about a great opportunity facing them on Nov. 8. I am referring to the opportunity to elect Matie Ostrum to the Canton Township Board.

I have know Matie for many years and have worked with her on a variety of community and charity projects. I have never met or worked with anyone so hard-working and dedicated to the causes she chooses to get involved in.

I am sure she would provide that same dedication as an elected leader in Canton Township.

Canton voters, do yourselves a favor and vote for Matie Ostrum for Township Trustee.

DANIEL J. HOFFMAN  
MAYOR PRO-TEM  
YPSILANTI

EDITOR'S NOTE: This letter was received just prior to publication of The Crier's pre-election editon last week.

## Between the lines

by Dan Jarvis



## Schools seek more support

Community relations was on the agenda at Monday night's workshop of the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools Board of Education.

At the workshop, Dick Egli, community relations administrator, stressed the need for community support and the need for good communication between the schools and parents.

One recent problem with community relations has been the incident involving the busing of students living near the Hammil-Northville Road intersection. The district determined that the stop was too close to Farrand Elementary and therefore those students were ineligible to ride.

Several parents complained about the treatment they received from transportation director Dale Goby when they asked questions regarding the two-day notice of bus service cancellation.

Finally convinced that the stop is too close to warrant bus service, parents were still miffed over the way they were

told their children would not be riding and because many of their questions were unanswered.

Egli was caught in the middle, explaining that Goby really had a lot to worry about and is not a bad person. Parents remained unconvinced. They wanted to be told "in a polite way," said Anette Patyna, one of the more vocal parents involved.

Perhaps expecting that a large bureaucracy can be polite to everyone is a bit much, but parents and residents may have a good memory if a June school millage proposal is put on the local ballot.

The district would do well to consider such minute details, especially when the voters are involved.

School board secretary Roland J. Thomas said, while quoting a public speaking advocate, that the board should treat people the way they want to be treated.

"We should adopt those principles," said Thomas. "We would be a lot better off."

## With malice toward none

By W. EDWARD WENDOVER



### Emperor Ken West

## City: public be damned

"Traffic safety isn't a popularity contest."

Translated, that means the City of Plymouth doesn't have to ask any of its constituents affected by a "problem" what possible solutions there are.

Never mind that voters, taxpayers and business owners who are affected might have an idea or two.

City Hall knows what's good, what's right and needn't be bothered by asking anyone else.

So says City Engineer Ken West, who by fiat wiped out three parking places on Penniman Avenue (in front of the deli) last week.

The "problem," he said, was that trucks loading and unloading didn't use the existing loading zone. (Apparently he didn't recognize that the root of that problem was that it's difficult for cola truck drivers to back in next to the city's quaint, charming and unique planter.)

So without asking any of the businesses affected, West just had the DPW folks wipe out three of the city's most used parking spots.

Sure there's a problem. The business owners would agree. But thank goodness they've got Emperor West to take care of things.

If only City Hall would act so expeditiously when citizens bring problems to its attention.

## Kosteva gets job done

EDITOR:

I am remiss in writing this letter to express my gratitude to State Representative Jim Kosteva of Canton. It concerned the terrible disrepair of the railroad crossing on Koppernick near Haggerty.

It was brought to the attention of the department of transportation in Lansing, Norma Flemings' office and W.B. VanderVeer of CSX Transportation in Livonia.

Dolores Meador and myself had a meeting in Jnauary at the railroad tracks with railroad and county officals. Their determination was that it was in poor shape and needed attention. We were assured it would be completed as soon as possible.

As five months elapsed I sent another letter off to Norma Flemings. Since no reply from her, I decided to call Mr. Kosteva. He got to the source, returned with a call to whom he had spoken, then told us that if we weren't making any progress that we should get back to him.

I might add he is a patient, polite listener and understanding as to our needs.

It was several days later I received a telephone call assuring me this was a priority and would be taken care of shortly. Sure enough, on Sept. 9-10 the contractors came and repaired a portion of the road and tracks. An excellent job.

It's a real pleasure driving over the tracks now. It goes to prove one senior citizen can fight the system and get results.

To all of you who wondered how this all came about and wondered who to thank, we should thank Jim Kosteva of Canton.

KATHLEEN WRIGHT



## Celebration!

Supervisor-elect Tom Yack (left) celebrates a Republican sweep last night with trustee winner Elaine Kirchgatter (the highest vote getter in Canton)

and Clerk winner Loren Bennett (right). (Crier photo by Jason Bennett)

## Democrats frustrated

# Canton Republicans take the race

BY KEN VOYLES

The Republicans apparently swept to victory in Canton's three key general election races, according to unofficial voting returns from the township clerk's office this morning.

With nearly all of the township's 23 precincts in last night, Republicans held the lead for the treasurer and clerk's jobs as well as the four trustee positions.

Apparent winners last night were Loren Bennett in the clerk's race; Gerald Brown in the treasurer's race; and Elaine Kirchgatter, John Preniczky, Robert Shefferly, and Henry Whalen in the trustee contest.

Based on unofficial results, Bennett defeated Democratic opponent Cynthia Burgess, while Brown, an incumbent, bested Carol Bodenmiller.

Kirchgatter led all vote getters in the

trustee race, followed by Preniczky, Shefferly, Whalen. Democrats and Edwin Rasmussen and Matie Ostrum trailed the four Republican leaders.

The strict partisan outcome of the voting in Canton led to some frustration on the Democratic side of the line, and even among other political watchers in the township.

"If they (the Democratic candidates) had not done anything at all, they would have had the same result," said Bill Joyner, the former Wayne County Commissioner who has helped on both Burgess' and Supervisor Elect Tom Yack's campaigns.

"We ran very well together, but we ran as individuals also," said Bodenmiller.

Burgess wasn't completely dissatisfied by the Democrats' showing. "We showed Canton that

Democrats offer qualified and competent candidates," she said after losing to Bennett, who chose not to run as a trustee this time to seek the clerk's job.

"Of course I'm elated by the results," said Bennett. "I've worked hard on this campaign."

He added that his first priority once in office will be a close look at the handling of yesterday's general election. Bennett called it a "disgrace."

Brown said he felt happy over the victory, despite the strain of what he called a tough campaign. He added that the election "may determine" whether or not a non-partisan campaign is more appropriate at the local level.

"I feel just fine," said Kirchgatter

about her victory. "I'm pleased to see the whole community stick with the party line."

Kirchgatter said she felt the township definitely has a partisan leaning toward the Republicans. She added that her goals were to "restore Canton to the kind of community residents can be proud of."

Preniczky, who said he felt "great" over the win, added that he wasn't surprised by an apparent sweep by the Republicans.

"I'm very happy about it," said Shefferly of his finish. "Now we just have to go on and work together to do a good job."

Shefferly attributed the Republican victory partially to George Bush's win in the presidential race. "I guess with Bush going so heavy in western Wayne County it sort of carried us along."





Canton residents wait in line at Canton High School well after the polls were to have closed at 8 p.m. last

night. Many were angered by the ordeal. (Crier photo by Jason Bennett)

# Long lines frustrate voters

BY KEN VOYLES

Voters in Canton faced long lines at many of the 23 precincts and some were irate and frustrated by the whole ordeal.

Polls remained open well after 8 p.m. at some precincts, such as Precinct 19 in Canton High, to accommodate the voters, who apparently turned out in larger numbers than in 1984. More than half of the Canton voters went to the polls yesterday, according to the unofficial counts. There are about 36,000 registered voters in Canton.

Voters at Precinct 19 waited up to two and a half hours in some cases to cast a ballot.

"There are a lot of irate people in there," said one Canton woman after leaving the Canton polling place. "This is ridiculous. We waited two and a half hours."

Inside a line snaked through the halls of Canton, ending near the principal's office. At approximately 8:10 p.m., last night several hundred voters still waited to vote.

"This is the third time I've been here today,"

said one Canton man. "They're saying a three hour wait." The resident held the last spot in the line and was on the verge of giving up -- like a lot of residents he was trying to decide whether or not to wait.

He added, "I think I know what I'm doing."

Most of those in line, at Precinct 19 anyway, said they had waited to vote anywhere from one hour to two and a half. And many still had another hour's wait.

Some residents suggested it was time to seriously look at changing precinct boundaries. They noted that Precinct 8, also at Canton, closed on schedule. One resident called it "dead" in Precinct 8.

A precinct worker said, "There's just a lot of people." She added that all the machines were working fine.

In other spots around the township as well, the long lines worked to delay the flow of results into the township administration facility. Some precinct workers still had not arrived at 1 a.m. last night and their information had yet to be tabulated and run through the computer for a printout.

## Many helped

The election information presented in today's paper is due largely to the cooperative effort of a number of citizens in The Plymouth-Canton Community.

A special thanks goes out to Dave Snyder and his crew at WSDP, the student-run radio station at the Centennial Education Park. Included in this group of students were: Lisa Jones, Tonya Szyszko, Amy R. Schmidt, Sarah Kahaneck, April Bankowski, Cholley Kuhaneck, Chris Townley, Joe Ryan, Jim Salame, Brian Roden, Steven Laurette, Erin Rowland, Michele Davis, and Kathryn Shimohammed. CEP student Jason Bennett must also be thanked for his help with photography.

In addition, The Crier would like to thank K.C. Mueller, Gary Glass, and University of Michigan journalism student Amy Bensinger.

We would also like to thank the candidates, parties, exit pollers, and the many, many folks who supplied the paper with crucial information.

And as always, a big thanks goes out the entire staff of The Plymouth-Canton Community Crier.

## ELECTION '88

# Kosteva retains seat in 37th House District

BY DAN JARVIS

The race between 37th District State Representative James Kosteva, a Canton Democrat, and challenger David Dossette, a Romulus Republican saw Kosteva pulling ahead in most precincts by a two to one margin.

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In Van Buren Township, an early count of 3,261 for Kosteva and 1,909 for Dossette told the story across the district as further election numbers were tallied this morning.

Kosteva projected that Canton voters had put him ahead of Dossette by approximately 500 votes. As more precincts were tallied the margin continued to grow.

"The votes in the district look good

to us," said Kosteva. "In Romulus we are three to one. In Van Buren and Belleville we are roughly two to one."

"I'm just looking to get one more vote than him (Dossette)." "It will give me pleasure to serve for another two years.

"There's no doubt that a strong turnout helps give elected officials such as myself a much clearer picture of the mindset of my constituents," said Kosteva.

Challenger Dossette in what he described as a "painful defeat," said, "It looks like we got about a third of the vote, about 30 per cent.

"I was being considered as a sacrificial lamb," said Dossette. "If we could get the word out under different circumstances then we would stand a chance.

"We needed to raise more campaign dollars. The race just unraveled in our hands," said Dossette. "It was a painful loss. I want to congratulate Kosteva on his victory. In the future we will be a voice in the district," said Dossette.



Congressional challenger Lana Pollack, right, smiles over results with campaigner Beverly McAninch. (Crier photo by Chris Farina)

# Law secures fourth term in 36th District

BY PAUL GARGARO

Republican Gerald Law will return to Lansing for a fourth consecutive term as state representative from the 36th House District.

Despite the absence of vote totals from Northville Township, due to last night's vote tallying machine malfunctions, Law showed a solid grip on the City of Plymouth, the City of Northville, and Canton.

In fact, Law fared better in Plymouth Township against Democratic challenger Jeanne Stempien than incumbent hometown Congressman Carl Pursell did against his Democratic challenger, State Senator Lana Pollack.

In the City of Plymouth, unofficial totals gave Law 2,887 votes, while Stempien, a Northville Township attorney collected 1,472. Of those unofficial totals, Law took 827 absentee votes to Stempien's 315.

In Plymouth Township, Law was dominant, collecting an unofficial vote total of 8,091. Stempien took 3,177. Of that total, 1,759 absentee votes went to Law, while Stempien took 594.

With three precincts still out in Canton at 3 a.m. and this morning, Law was ahead of Stempien 5,899 to 3,526.

In Northville, unofficial count gave Law 825 votes to Stempien's 428.

Looking to the upcoming term, Law outlined a number of priorities.

"We need to prioritize the current budget. What money goes where is the question," said Law. "Property taxes and school financing reforms need to be looked at and will probably be neglected a bit longer."

In addition, Law said he will continue to address local and environmental issues.

Also in the race was Libertarian candidate Jeffrey Hampton, a manufacturer's representative from Northville Township.

# Pursell takes slim victory

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County Commissioner Suzy Heintz along with the disputed ballots.

With the crowd chanting "Congresswoman!" Pollack addressed an enthusiastic group of supporters at her election center in Ann Arbor.

"More than anything else I want to

say thank you. I think we've done wonderful things. What's even more important (is that) we're going to do even more wonderful things in the future," said Pollack. "We've fought a good fight and I think we've won. But I honestly don't know and I don't want to mislead you -- So stay tuned."

# Ford defeats Adkins

BY DAN JARVIS

The 15th Congressional District race between incumbent Democrat William D. Ford and Republican Challenger Burl C. Adkins ended in a two-to-one win for Ford.

Across the district, as precinct votes were tallied, Adkins fell behind as the Ford camp claimed an early victory.

Tom Joyce, press secretary for Ford said, "It looked like about 70 per cent across the district. He's (Ford) pleased with the victory and ready to return to work on educational opportunities for everyone.

"I think his total record got him elected."

Joyce also spoke of Ford's controversial plant closing bill and several other pieces of legislation as helping the 24-year incumbent build support

across the district.

Adkins, in conceding defeat, said, "We received about 34 per cent across the district, and I'm happy with that. I'm proud we've run a good campaign. I'm thinking very positive.

"We've increased our support by about five per cent over the last election. That's a lot to be thankful for," said Adkins.

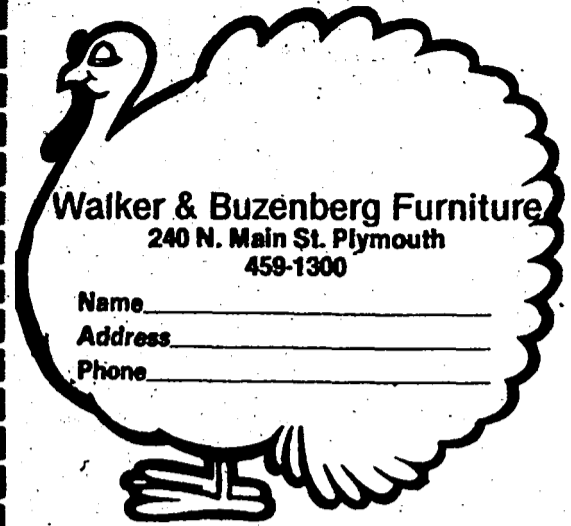
Receiving only marginal support in the race, Eric Blankenburg, of the Libertarian Party, said, "I'm real happy. We are a small group with not much money. We were successful in our goal of getting out the name recognition."

The win marks the 13th consecutive term for Ford in his role of Congressman in the 15th District.



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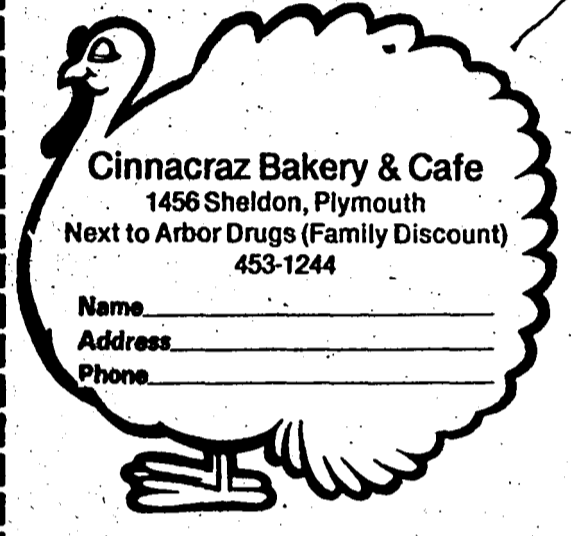
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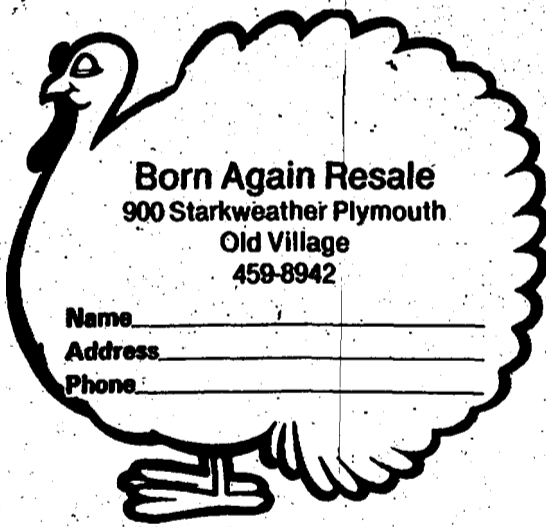
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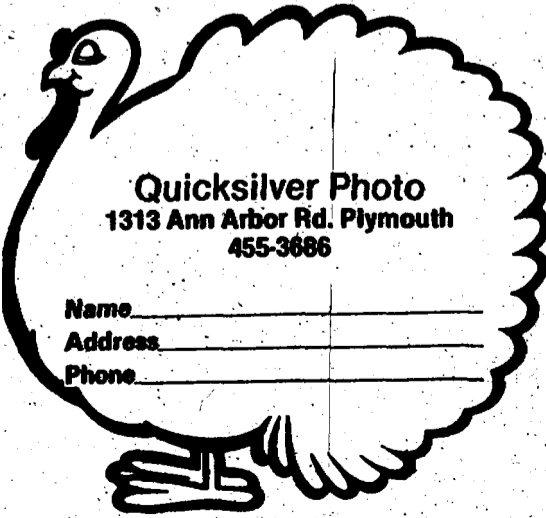
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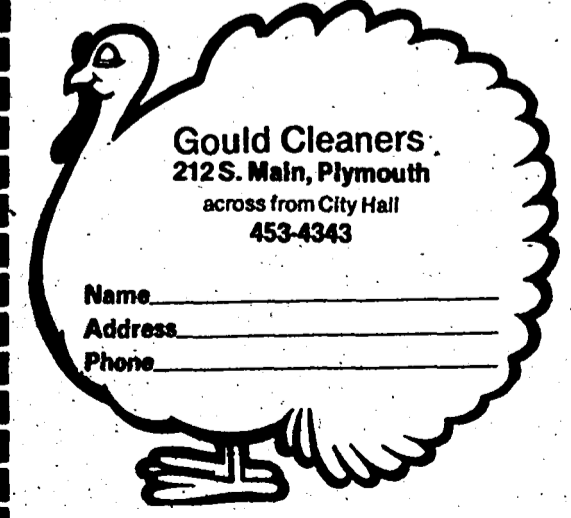
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*Airport facelift*

# Ninety-Nines to repaint runway

BY KEN VOYLES

Members of The Ninety-Nines, an association of women pilots, will shut down Mettetal Airport in Canton on Saturday (Nov 12) as they give a fresh coat of paint to the airport's fading runway markers.

The airport will be closed from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., according to Airport Manager Tom Klochko of Jet Services, Inc. During that time the runway markings will be painted by members of the group using paint and equipment provided by Jet Services.

Jet Services bought the airport from the Mettetal family earlier this year.

The non-profit group is one of three chapters of The Ninety-Nine in Michigan, said Pat Gilgallon, chairperson of the airport marking committee. The local flying chapter consists of more than 100 members, including two women from Plymouth.

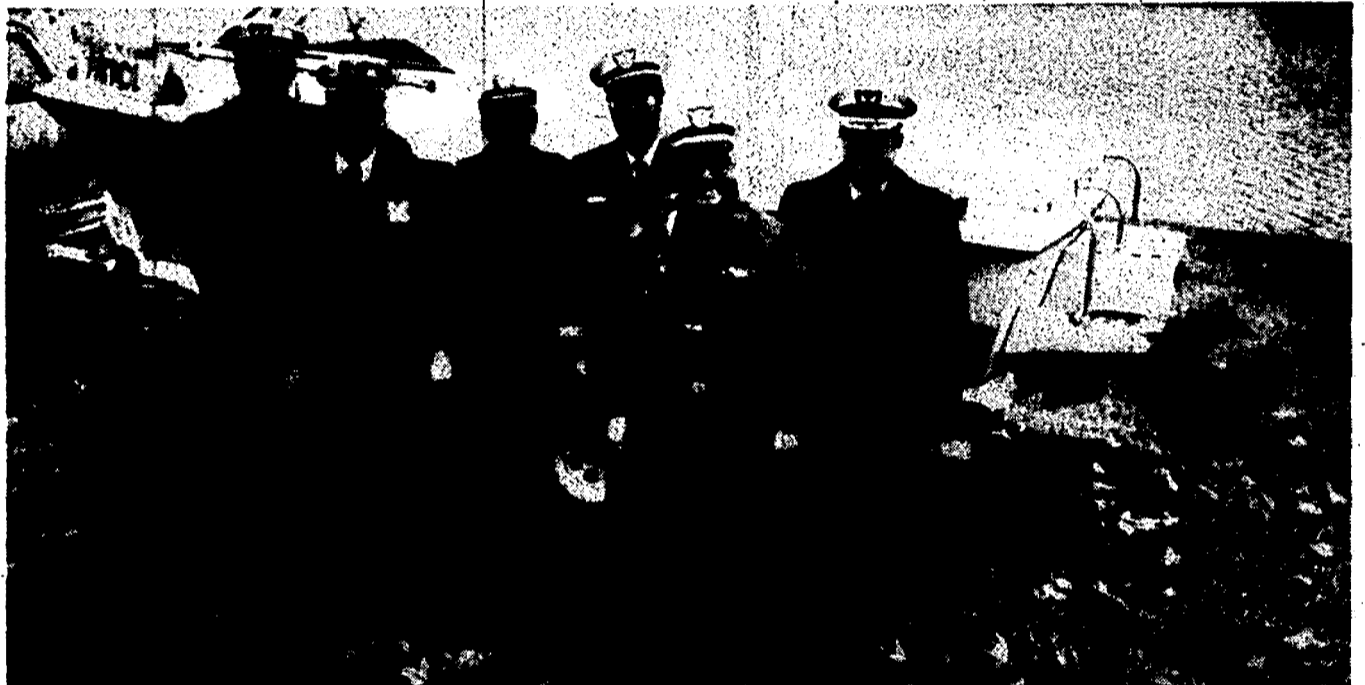
Gilgallon said some of the members fly out of Mettetal, while others fly out of Metro Airport in Romulus.

Besides painting runway markers at airports, members of The Ninety-Nines fly blood for the American Red Cross, host FAA safety seminars, run co-pilot flying clinics and organize airport tours.



## Friends & Neighbors

Members of Plymouth-Canton Flotilla 9C-11-11 stand guard of our waterways. While not a law enforcement agency, the Flotilla will alert agencies of lawlessness and help with rescues. From left to right: Robert Kinsler, commander; Al Peters, vice commander; Lydia Olson, finance; Joe Dakoske, operations; John Mulligan, information systems; Gene Olson, Div. 11 captain. (Crier photo by Chris Farina)



### Coast Guard volunteers

# Plymouth Flotilla promotes safety

BY DAN JARVIS

Boating enthusiasts and Coast Guard volunteers in The Plymouth-Canton Community will have cause to celebrate soon. Next year marks the 50th anniversary of the creation of the U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary.

Robert Kinsler, commander of the Plymouth-Canton Flotilla 9C-11-11, heads a group of 28 local volunteers, most hailing from Plymouth and Canton. The group will be on hand at the upcoming Detroit River celebration, which will include a blessing of the fleet.

Throughout the year, volunteers spend their summer weekends on the Detroit River assisting other boaters who may get into unexpected trouble and need a hand.

"We have pulled people and boats from the water," said Kinsler. "We cover the Detroit River from the southern point to the Ambassador Bridge."

Robert's wife Shirley Kinsler acts as a public affairs officer. She became involved in 1983 because, like her

husband, has a concern for boating safety.

"When someone needs aid and sees our boat, they know they can look to us for assistance," she said. "We are not a law enforcement agency, but we will alert the harbor master and other law enforcement agencies when the law is being ignored."

The Kinslers, and several others, decided to form the Plymouth-Canton Flotilla when they discovered the group to which they originally belonged, the Grosse Isle Flotilla, had several residents of The Plymouth-Canton Community.

Since its formation, the group has continued to grow.

Why would anyone in a landlocked community be interested in joining the Coast Guard Auxiliary?

The location of a flotilla auxiliary doesn't really matter since the organization is tailored to those residents who own a boat, and there are a large number of boat owners in southeastern Michigan, say members.

John Mulligan, information systems officer (and postmaster of the Plymouth Post Office), became involved with the flotilla in 1986 because of a concern for boating safety. Mulligan operates marine radios and transmits emergency information, whether a boating accident or just inclement weather.

"When a boat is capsized," said Mulligan, "we rescue the personnel and help pump the boat out."

Mulligan is also a safety instructor who teaches a 13-week course at Centennial Educational Park (CEP) and is a qualified boating instructor through the Michigan Department of Natural Resources (DNR).

The U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary was created in 1939 by an act of Congress to assist the Coast Guard in promoting safety on the water. Today, the Auxiliary has more than 1,300 flotillas throughout the U.S. with membership exceeding 40,000 men and women.

The Plymouth-Canton Flotilla was chartered in May 1984 and within three

years received a national award for being the fastest growing flotilla in the country.

The group assists local boaters in educational programs, courtesy marine examinations and operational missions such as rescues and locating lost channel markers, said the commander.

Educational programs, some taught at Canton High School during evening hours, include piloting, marine engines, sailing, understanding weather, radiotelephone and locks and dams navigating.

A new course, Coastal Piloting, is a multi lesson course covering knowledge necessary for boating through large bodies of water such as the Great Lakes.

"The aim," said Shirley Kinsler, "is to get every member of a boat crew qualified to help with operations around the country."

"One of the most enjoyable things," she said, "is when people say 'Hey, I took your course and I bought a boat.' It's nice to see people learning. We get satisfaction out of seeing a goal accomplished."

# Tell it to Phyllis

By Phyllis Redfern



Having friends over for dinner is always fun, especially when they're real friends who know you. People who know you, know your talents and abilities.

My friends realize that my house will never be spotless, but as long as I have some lead time, I can put it together to look presentable. In other words hide everything in the bedrooms, basement or garage.

When you invite people over for a meal it also means you have to try your talents in the kitchen. For some of us that involves getting acquainted with the stove and finding the cook books.

The best way to entertain is to be part of a gourmet group. Here again remember it is important to be with friends who know and understand you. When it is your turn to have the group at your house, you simply have them bring all the things that are complicated to cook and you do something easy.

Good friends also know when it's their turn to have the dinner at their house, to give you options on something fairly easy to fix if they want to try to eat it. When all else fails, including your dish, everyone pretends to take a taste of yours and gobbles up the other food.

One nice thing about having dinner at your house is discovering things you forgot you had. However, trying to locate table cloths and napkins you know you have stored away someplace but can't find is another story. Then there's the good china up on the shelf. Of course you have to wash it because it has been long since you've used it.

Before getting into the meal I discovered I had forgotten something important to many people. I don't own a coffee pot. I don't drink the stuff so why bother -- unless you are having dinner guests. I don't understand why more people don't drink tea. I don't own a teapot either, but that's easy to make with a tea kettle and tea bag and no one complains about it being instant.

It sure is fun getting together with friends, you know the kind I mean -- the real friends.



## Places to be

*League celebrates 'Homecoming'*

### Christmas Ball on tap

The Plymouth Symphony League will celebrate a "Christmas Homecoming" with its annual Christmas Ball on Dec. 3 this year at the Mayflower Meeting House.

Tickets are available after Nov. 1 at Saks on Forrest Avenue. They are \$65 per couple and include dinner, live music and dancing. Dinner will be served at 7:30 p.m. with a cocktail proceeding at 6:30 p.m.

The public is invited to the event.

Call the Plymouth Symphony League for further details.

### Thanksgiving party for kids

Canton children ages three to 12 can join in the holiday fun when Canton's Parks and Recreation Department hosts its annual Children's Thanksgiving Party on Saturday, Nov. 19.

The free gathering will be held from 10-11 a.m. in the Canton Recreation Center on Michigan Avenue at Sheldon Road.

Among the highlights of the party will be movies, prizes, game and various refreshments.

To reserve a spot in advance call 397-5110.

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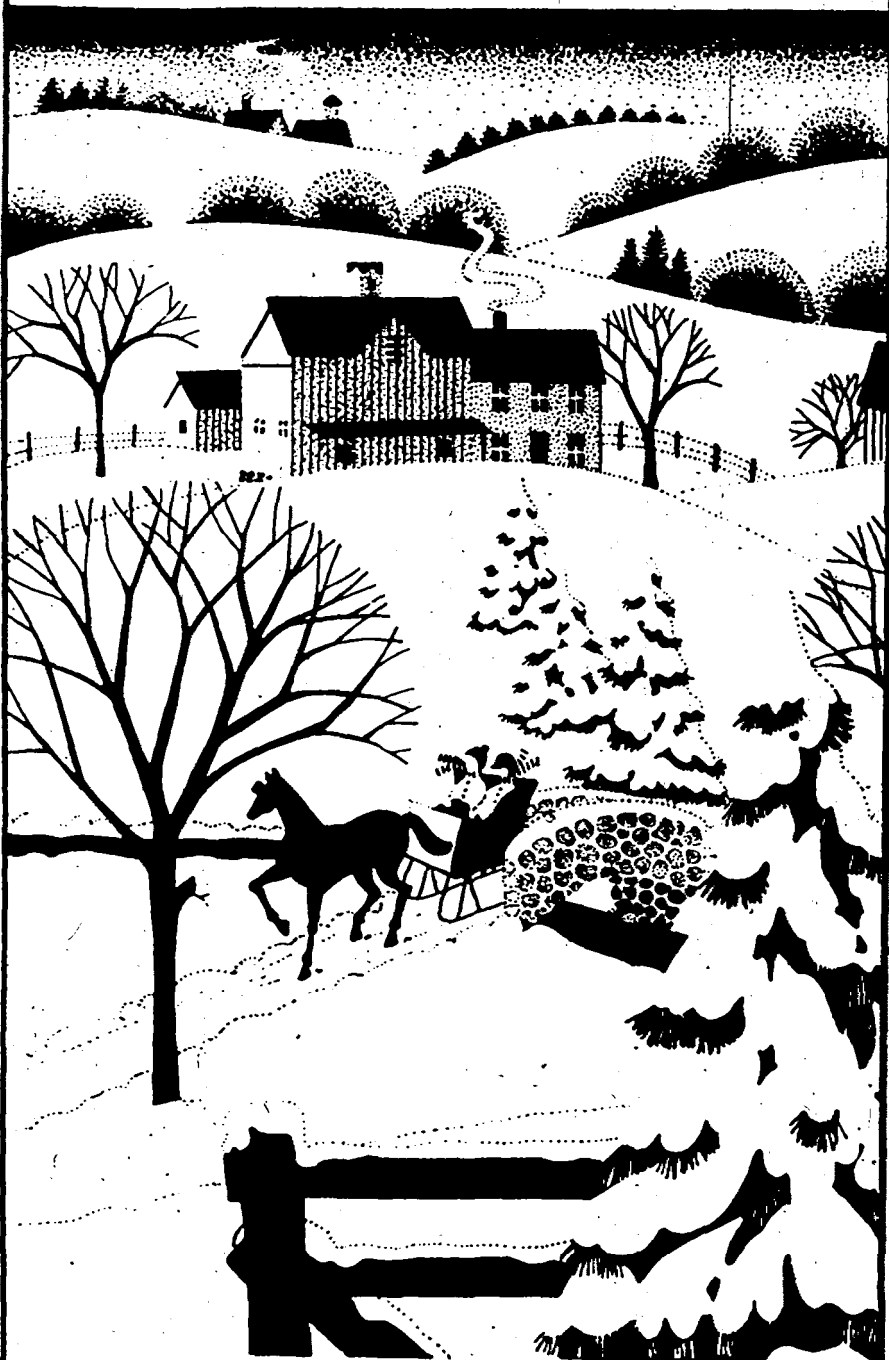
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## What's happening

Tuesday  
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### GEER SCHOOL MEETING

The next meeting of the Geer School committee is set for Wednesday (Nov. 9) at 4 p.m. in the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools Board of Education office.

### CANTON VFW MEETING

The Canton VFW meets at 8 p.m. on the first Monday of each month. All VFW members, of anyone eligible to join, is welcome to attend. Call John Spencer at 397-1000 for information.

### CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

A Christmas Bazaar will be held at the Plymouth Masonic Temple on Penniman Avenue on Saturday, Nov. 12 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Baked goods, Christmas items and bargains. Sponsored by the Order of the Eastern Star Plymouth Chapter. Proceeds to be donated to the Leader Dog School in Rochester.

### NEW MORNING OPENINGS

New Morning School in Plymouth Township has openings in its afternoon kindergarten program. Students, ages four to six, will be considered for enrollment in the "hands on" program. Call 420-3331 to request information or schedule an appointment.

### SMITH SCHOOL BOOK FAIR

The public is invited to the Smith Elementary School Book Fair on Nov. 9 (3:30-8 p.m.) and Nov. 10 (8 a.m. to 6 p.m.). Proceeds will benefit the Smith School Media Center. Call the school for further details.

### BLOOD DRIVE AT CHURCH

There will be a blood drive at the Christ the Good Shephard church in Canton on Nov. 12 between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. Call 981-6858 for details.

### AMERICAN LEGION MEETING

The American Legion, Passage-Gayde Post No. 391, will hold its business meeting at 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, Nov. 10 in Plymouth. Veterans needing assistance with benefit claims, or interested in membership, should call Commander Cornelius Van Boven at 453-7629.

### SCHOOL CLOSED

There won't be any school for Canton and Salem students on Friday, Nov. 11. Parent conferences are slated for Thursday, Nov. 10 in the Canton Phase III gym and in the Salem cafeteria from 6-9:30 p.m. Call 451-6600 for further information.

### NEWCOMERS CHARITY AUCTION

The Canton Newcomers Charity Auction is set for Nov. 9 at 7 p.m. in Canton High. All proceeds go to benefit the Hospice Services of Western Wayne County. Admission is free. Call Kim at 397-3970 for more details.

### HOLIDAY FAIR

St. Peters Lutheran Church, Plymouth, will host its annual Holiday Fair on Friday, Nov. 11 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Gifts, trims, bake shop, and snack bar.

### POTLUCK DINNER

Bethany, a non-profit organization in Plymouth-Canton, will host a mass and pot luck dinner on Nov. 19 at 7 p.m. at St. Kenneths Church in Plymouth. Call 981-1356 or 422-8625.

### BOOK WEEK AT LIBRARY

There will be a performance of "Beyond the Moon," a puppet show for the whole family at the Dunning-Hough Library in Plymouth to celebrate Children's Book Week. The show is Nov. 16 at 7:30 p.m. in the library. Registration is required. For information call 453-0750.

### FLU SHOTS FOR SENIORS

Flu shots will be given to senior citizens at the Canton Recreation Center on Michigan Avenue on Nov. 15 from 1-3 p.m. There is a \$2 suggested donation, but no one will be turned away. Call the Canton Seniors for an appointment -- 397-1000 ext. 278.

**Wednesday 18** **What's happening**  
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**'PAID' VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

New Morning School in Plymouth Township is seeking retirees, college students and parents who wish to be a "paid" volunteer at the school. Call 420-3331 for further information.

**USED SPORTS SALE**

The 4th Annual Used Sports Equipment Sale is Dec. 3 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the Canton Administration Building. For further information call 397-5110.

**CARD PARTY BENEFIT**

The Woman's Club of Plymouth will host a special Benefit Card Party and Tea at 12:30 p.m. on Nov., 18 at the First United Presbyterian Church in Plymouth. Tickets are \$4 and need to be reserved by Nov. 16. For reservations call 455-5510.

**SPAGHETTI DINNER**

The Fr. Renaud Council of the Knights of Columbus will serve a spaghetti dinner on Saturday, Nov. 19 at the council hall on Fair Street in Plymouth from 5-8 p.m. Dinner prices are \$3.50 adults, \$1.75 children 12 and under. The public is invited. Call 451-0087 or 453-3301.

**STUDENT RECITAL**

There will be a student recital featuring piano, flute and voice at Madonna College on Nov. 20 at 3:30 p.m. in the Kresge Hall. Open to the public, free of charge. Call 591-5177.

**EBERLINE BENEFIT ON TAP**

There will be a Sue Ann Eberline Benefit on Nov. 16 at 8 p.m. in the Plymouth Cultural Center. Donations of \$25 admits one. Prizes, cash bar, entertainment. Call 453-6800 for ticket information. Eberline passed away last week after a battle with cancer.

**CHILDBIRTH ORIENTATION CLASSES**

The Plymouth Childbirth Education Association is offering a Childbirth Preparation Orientation class on Nov. 14 at 7:30 p.m. at Newburgh Methodist Church in Livonia. There is a \$1 donation at the door. For information call 459-7477.

**PIONEERS SENIOR CLUB**

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

**BAND IN CHAMPIONSHIPS**

The Centennial Educational Park (CEP) Marching Band will be one of more than 50 bands in the 1988 Bands of America Grand National Championships in the Pontiac Silverdome on Friday and Saturday, Nov. 11-12. CEP's band is set to perform at 9:45 a.m. Saturday in the preliminary round.

**GOODFELLOWS MEETING**

The next Plymouth Goodfellows meeting is set for 7:30 p.m. at Plymouth City Hall on Nov. 9. For more information call 453-7284 or 453-4987.

**OLGC BOOK FAIR**

Our Lady of Good Counsel in Plymouth will host its annual Book Fair on Nov. 9, 10, 11 and 13. Held in the school library and open to the public. Besides books there will be educational games also.

**PENCIL SALE AT EAST**

The week of Nov. 14 there will be a pencil sale at East Middle School. The homeroom that purchases the largest numbers of "Cheer for Geer" pencils wins a pizza party.

**SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS**

The Plymouth Business and Professional Women's (BPW) Club is accepting scholarship application for women interested in furthering their education and training. Applicants should come from Plymouth, Livonia, Redford. Candidates should write to the Plymouth BPW Scholarship Committee, P.O. Box 5338, Plymouth, MI 48170. Applications are due by Nov. 30. For further details call 453-4845.

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# Getting down to business

## Business People

Canton resident **Mary Jaskowski** has been appointed director of the food and nutrition services at Detroit Osteopathic Hospital.

Jaskowski began work at Detroit Osteopathic as a clinical technician dietician. In 1985, she was promoted chief clinical dietician.



MARY JASKOWSKI

**Gene Korte**, of Plymouth, was recognized for "meritorious service" by the Society of Manufacturing Engineers (SME) at its 1988 service award luncheon on Oct. 14 in Dearborn.

Korte was noted for his 10 years of service as manager of Associations Management Department.

SME is an international society dedicated to the advancement of scientific knowledge of scientific knowledge in manufacturing engineering.

Plymouth resident **Don Kenney** has opened an **IDS Financial Services** office at 158 North Main Street in Plymouth. An American Express Company, IDS has been in the financial services industry for nearly 100 years.

The new IDS center will offer personal financial planning services and group and life insurance, pension plans and business valuation services for the business owner.

## Lambert-Vermeulen starts new program

The Lambert-Vermeulen Funeral Home, of Plymouth, and the Vermeulen Memorial Funeral Home, of Westland, are offering a service program call **Forethought planning** to accomodate advanced funeral planning in The Plymouth-Canton Community and in the Westland area.

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## Stocking the pond

Plymouth Twp. Planner **Jim Anulewicz** (left) and Sun Coating president **Joe Tate** cast their lines into the Plymouth Township Park fishing pond following the donation of nearly 500 trout and bluegills to the pond. (Crier photo by Chris Farina)





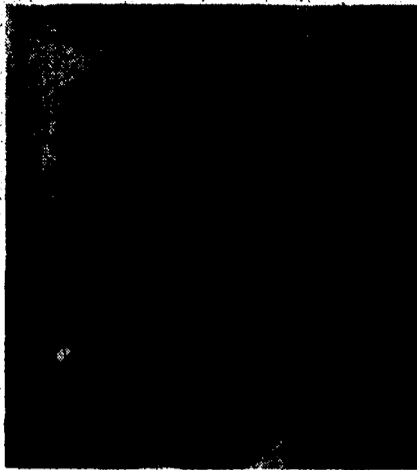
# Community Deaths

## Tait, owned Tait Cleaners

Clifford W. Tait, 84, of Sarasota, died Nov. 6 in Venice, FL. Services will be held Thursday, Nov. 10 at Schrader Funeral Home (453-3333), though a time has not been set. The Rev. Philip Rodgers Magee will officiate.

Mr. Tait was an active Rotarian, a long time member of the Plymouth Board of Review and member of Plymouth Rock Lodge No. 47 F. & A.M. He was also a retired owner and operator of Tait Cleaners, on Northville Road, having moved to Florida in 1980.

Survivors include: wife Maragaret E., of Sarasota; son Clifford, Jr.



CLIFF TAIT

"Biff," of Boulder; daughter Marjorie Fay Thrasher, of Plymouth; and several grandchildren.

Interment will be in Riverside Cemetery, Plymouth.

## La Victor, 10 grand kids

Blanche F. La Victor, 91, of Farmington, died Oct. 14 in Farmington. Services were held Oct. 17 at Schrader Funeral Home with the Reverend Paul E. Sierocki officiating.

Survivors include: daughters Angeline Simerka, of Belleville, Virginia Zurk, of Livonia, Lucille Broxholm, of Plymouth; son Lester, of Detroit; 10 grandchildren, 21 great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren.

Interment was in Riverside Cemetery, Plymouth.

Memorial contributions may be made in the form of mass offerings.

## Tacia, Burroughs employe

Walter C. Tacia, 73, of Plymouth, died Oct. 24 in Livonia. Services were held Oct. 27 at St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran Church with Mark Frier officiating.

Mr. Tacia was a Burroughs machine operator for more than 25 years and worked in the maintenance department of the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools. He was a member of St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran Church, having come to the Plymouth Canton Community from Lincoln, MI.

Survivors include: wife Selma "Sally," of Plymouth; sons Gerald, of St. Petersburg, Ronald, of Plymouth; daughters Beverly Scharf, of Milwaukee, Barbara Armstrong, of Long Beach; brother Lyle, of Lincoln, MI; sister Alice Wachterhauser, of Alpena; 11 grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

Interment was in Glen Eden Cemetery, Livonia. Local Arrangements made by Schrader Funeral Home.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran Church.

## Baker, long time resident

Madge Baker, 88, of Fort Wayne, IN, died Nov. 2 in Fort Wayne. Services were held Nov. 5 at Schrader Funeral Home with Frederick C. Vosburg officiating.

Mrs. Baker was a resident of Plymouth from 1929 until 1985.

Survivors include: son John Baker, of Sarasota; sister Phyllis Wilson, of Livonia; four grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Interment was in Riverside Cemetery, Plymouth.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Michigan Cancer Foundation or the American Heart Association of Michigan.

## Casey, a homemaker

Ann Mae Casey, 74, of Canton, died Oct. 7 in Westland. Services were held Oct. 9 at the Vermeulen Funeral Home in Westland with Sister Mary Wivell officiating.

Mrs. Casey was a homemaker.

Survivors include: son Darell L. Wilks, of Canton; sister Lou Podrasky, of Chicago; Catherine Linnertz and Beth Malcolmson, both of Arizona; brother Vernon Dennis, of Illinois; Dinzel Dennis, of Florida, Donald Dennis, of Washington, Thomas Dennis, of Illinois; four grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Interment was in St. Matthew Cemetery, St. Louis.

## Laidlaw, a homemaker

Emma Ruth Laidlaw, 68, of Plymouth, died Nov. 1 in Plymouth. Services were held Nov. 3 at Schrader Funeral Home with Major Robert Geddis officiating.

Mrs. Laidlaw was a homemaker.

Interment was in Parkview Memorial Cemetery, Livonia.

## Hudson, a bookkeeper

Mary J. Hudson, 62, of Plymouth, died Nov. 4 in Plymouth. Services were held Nov. 8 at Schrader Funeral Home with the Rev. Robert Hudson officiating.

Mrs. Hudson was a bookkeeper, having come to The Plymouth-Canton Community in 1970 from Dearborn.

Survivors include: husband Thomas H., of Plymouth; son Gordon Reno, of Dearborn; sisters Mae Edwards, of Plymouth, Dorothy Durst, of Roseville; two grandchildren.

Interment was in Riverside Cemetery, Plymouth.

## Foster, from Detroit

Virginia March Foster, 83, of Detroit, died Oct. 20 at Sinai Hospital, Detroit. Services were held Nov. 2 at Lambert-Vermeulen Funeral Home with Frederick C. Vosburg officiating.

Mrs. Foster was a homemaker.

Survivors include: husband Cedric E. Foster, of Detroit; daughter Marilyn Carl, of Plymouth; sister Dorothy McDonald, of Saugatuck; brother Raymond Brayer, of Detroit; three grandchildren.

Interment was in White Chapel Cemetery, Troy.

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Within seven hours of the Mill Street explosion, flames gutted the Plymouth Cab Company at 454 N. Main Street.

Firefighters received a call at 11:17 p.m.

Plymouth Fire Chief Alan Matthews said the building, which was a garage converted into the cab office and an apartment, was gutted by the flames.

Matthews said the building was insured for \$8,500.

"After our investigation of the scene, there were reasons to believe that it might not have been accidental," Matthews said. "We're continuing our investigation."

The first two firefighters on the scene, Capt. Tom Lenaghan and Bill Warren, were transported to St. Mary's Hospital after the fire to be treated for smoke inhalation, said Matthews.

Both men were treated and later released.



Sue Leksche, daughter Angel and dog Rocky stand in the living room of their burned out apartment. The family escaped unharmed, but their apartment and many of their belongings were destroyed by the flames. Pictured at right, is friend and neighbor Scott Choate. (Crier photo by Chris Farina)

## Gas explosion rips through Heritage Apts.

Continued from pg. 3

Investigation as of Monday, the chief said, although city officials earlier said the fire apparently resulted from a lit cigarette igniting a gas buildup in Zukowski's apartment.

"The gas supply line to the stove was ripped apart," said Matthews. "During our investigation, patterns were found on the floor, which has encouraged our investigation to determine whether the fire was accidental or purposefully set."

Matthews said samples from the scene have been sent to the Michigan State Fire Marshall's office for investigation.

Clean-up crews razed the destroyed apartments over the weekend and Matthews estimated the property

damage to be approximately \$150,000.

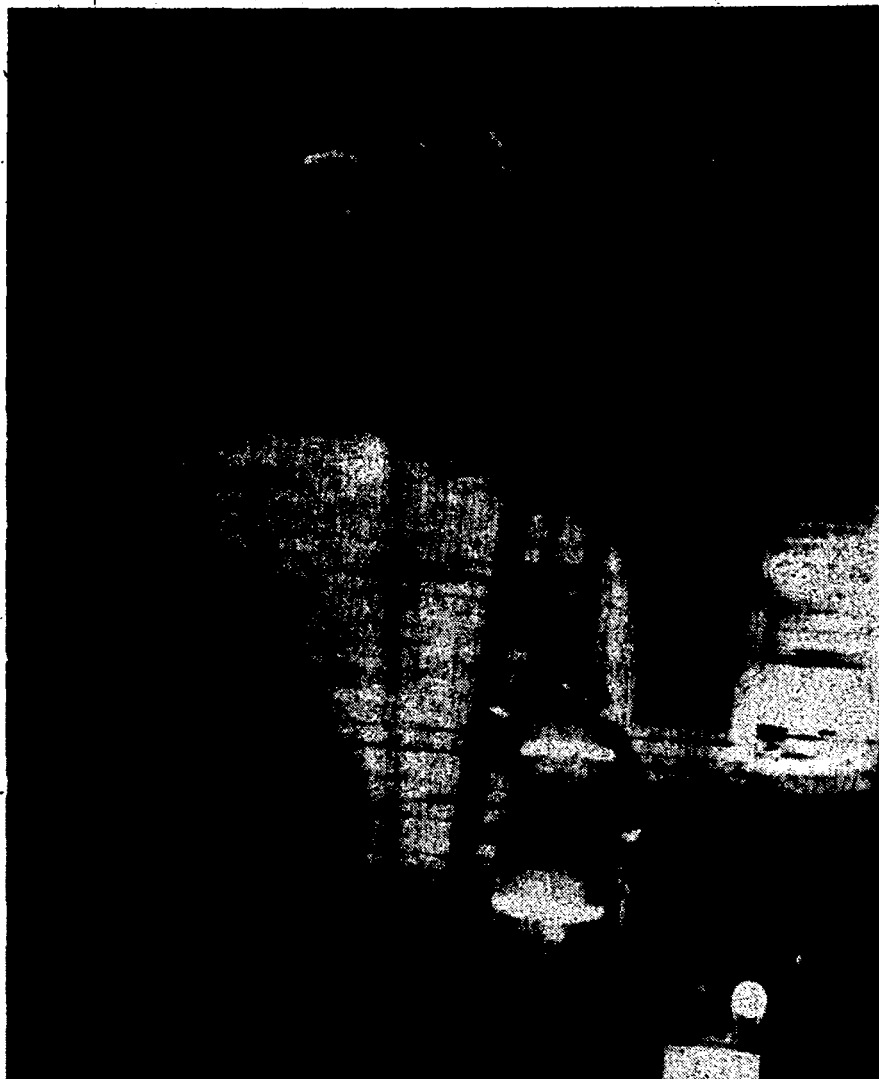
"The complex is insured for \$250,000. Contractors have estimated the loss at around \$200,000," said Matthews.

The Salvation Army and the nearby Hardee's Restaurant provided food to victims and firefighters at the scene and the Mayflower Hotel provided rooms for the homeless victims.

Heritage Square Apartments owner Joe Dylag said he would not speculate on the cause.

"All they are are rumors. All I know is that it's a big mess, but it looks like everyone's coping pretty well," he said.

One of the burned out residents has moved into another vacant apartment in the complex, Dylag said.



A blaze of suspicious circumstances gutted a structure belonging to the Plymouth Cab Company. Estimate damage is \$8,500. The investigation continues. (Crier photo by Chris Farina)



## Engagements & Weddings

### Hicks, Farley to wed

Gary and Rosemary Hicks, of Grand Rapids, announce the engagement of their daughter Marianne Frances to Matthew Farley, the son of Beverly

Farley, of Plymouth.

The bride-to-be currently resides in Novi and is a graduate of Ottawa Hills High School in Grand Rapids. The future groom is a graduate of Bishop Borgess High School and of Eastern Michigan University.

The couple will wed on Nov. 18.

### Community births

#### Hi Kim

Kimberly Lynn Beyer was born Oct. 13 weighing 8 lbs. 11 ozs.

Kimberly's parents are Bruce K. and Valerie C. Beyer, of Canton.

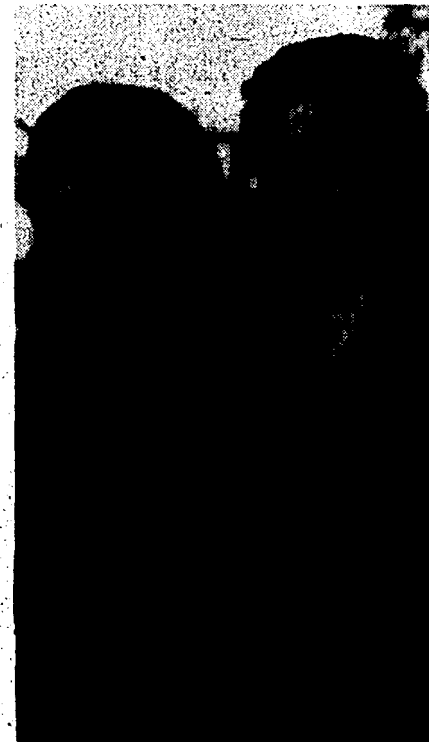
Grandparents are Salley and Donald Beyer, of Clover, S.C. and Joan Crawford, of San Diego, CA.

#### It's Kaitlin

Kaitlin Quinn McMurray was born on Aug. 26 weighing 7 lbs. 10 ozs.

Kaitlin is the daughter of Frank and Debbie McMurray, of Dexter and formerly of Canton.

The grandparents are Frank, Sr. and Janet McMurray, formerly of Canton and now of Dexter, and Calvin and Barbara Scott, of Chicago.



HICKS - FARLEY

# P-C Schools form R-rated materials committee

BY DAN JARVIS  
AND KEN VOYLES

In an attempt to quell concerns over the use of R-rated films and videos in district classrooms, Plymouth-Canton Community Schools Superintendent John Hoben has formed a 15-member committee to study the matter.

At the same time the schools' biggest opponent on the subject — Diane Daskalakis — said she is prepared to file a series of complaints by the end of the year if the district continues to do nothing with its policy.

"I wanted minority and majority opinions," Hoben said referring to why he formed the committee. The

committee includes various staff members of the school district.

Michael Homes, assistant superintendent for instruction for the district, said the committee was formed primarily in response to several formal challenges by Daskalakis and the Citizens For Better Education regarding the use of classroom instruction materials.

"The superintendent wants a recommendation from the committee on whether or not certain materials, such as 'The Breakfast Club' film should be continued or discontinued," said Homes.

The committee has met three times since the formation and the majority of members have recommended to the superintendent that the materials in question be continued to be used in certain classes, said Homes.

Hoben said the committee members were chosen to represent both sides of the issue. Members range from district teachers to a member of the Plymouth-Canton Education Association.

"Dr. Hoben will submit a full report to the board of education on an undetermined date and will offer his recommendations," said Homes. "The matter is in his hands."

"Gee, I wish I could be on that committee," said Daskalakis, who originally filed complaints against the use of such materials as "The Breakfast Club" more than two years ago. "This committee should have been formed three years ago.

"No, I don't comprehend the need for the committee. I don't comprehend why they're using R-rated materials either," she added.

Daskalakis said her group has a "whole stack of movies" they'd like to stop. "If they don't move on it by the end of this year we're going to be filing a multitude of them," she said.

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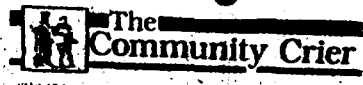


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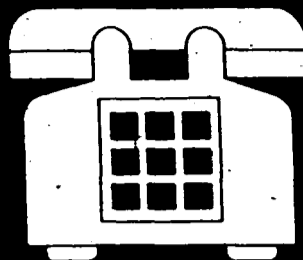
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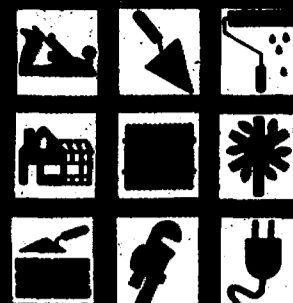
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# Canton approves another land appraisal

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BY KEN VOYLES

Officials from the Selective Group interested in a portion of land on Haggerty Road currently owned by Canton went before the township board last week requesting a second appraisal on the land.

When the discussion ended the board approved not only a second appraisal, but also a third appraisal for the land dubbed the "Haggerty Triangle."

"We still have our offer on the table," Hal Rosin, from Selective Group, told the board. "I'm here tonight to try and bring about a

resolution to this." That offer of approximately \$48,000 was originally made in 1987.

Rosin contended that the first appraisal, which put the land at a worth of approximately \$85,000 per acre, was just too high. His company has offered about half that much for the land.

Canton Treasurer Gerald Brown agreed with Rosin when he said he was "shocked" at the \$85,000 figure. "I think our appraisal is high," he said.

Brown added that the reason the appraisal may have been high was a lack of "comparable" site information

with which to make a land value comparison.

Trustee John Prenczky said, "I'd be uncomfortable selling township property at a price lower than our appraisal."

## Machacek sentenced to life

Chris Machacek was sentenced to automatic life in prison on Oct. 28 for his role in the slaying of Canton youth Mary Anne Hulbert.

Machacek was found guilty earlier in

"I see the logical conclusion of this discussion is to set up parameters and a mechanism for the next board to act on," said Trustee Loren Bennett.

Trustee Elaine Kirchgatter favored the plan to seek two more appraisals. The motion passed unanimously.

the month on first degree murder charges, according to Washtenaw County Prosecutor William Delhey.

Machacek's life sentence does not allow for parole, said Delhey.

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## Canton girls stop John Glenn

# Chiefs win big in first round

BY JANET ARMSTRONG

It was a big change from the tight knit game of three weeks ago, said Canton girls basketball coach Rob Neu, referring to the close game the lady Chiefs played against the Westland John Glenn Rockets.

This time, the Chiefs dominated the Rockets in the first round of league playoffs on Thursday, 64-33.

"We've changed from being in a slump to being focused," said Neu.

"We came in (Thursday) more prepared mentally and physically."

Junior center Susan Ferko helped lead the way to the Chiefs victory.

Ferko scored 24 points and brought down 8 rebounds in Thursday's contest.

Senior Candi Jones had 16 points and 12 rebounds on the night.

Neu said Senior Michelle Fortier was another key in the victory with 13 points, six rebounds, five assists and four steals.

Rebounding was key improvement, said the coach.

"Our post game is definitely improved," said Neu. "They're getting to the offensive glass."

The Chiefs were never behind against the Rockets, jumping to a 19-6 first quarter lead. Canton ended the half ahead 30-12.

Canton increased the lead to 42-22 at the end of the third quarter, and finally finished Glenn off, beating them by 31 points.

Canton played in the semi-finals yesterday against Walled Lake Central.



## Sports

## Chief kickers booted by Stevenson, 6-1

BY RITA DERBIN

The magic ran out for the Canton soccer team last Wednesday at the Regional semifinals when they lost to Livonia Stevenson 6-1.

Dan Martin scored the lone goal for the Chiefs in the losing effort which snapped a five game winning streak and ended Canton's season with a record of 9-8-4.

"All in all it was a successful season," said coach Mike Morgan. "We would have liked to have gone farther but it was a good end for us after such a slow start.

"I thought we did quite well. We're in a tough league and it's difficult to win. We proved we could and ended up being district champions for the first time. We're proud of that," added Morgan.

The Canton soccer team made it to the regional semifinals in 1985 where they lost to Stevenson 1-0.

Next season looks bright for the Chiefs despite losing 11 seniors, including co-captains Jeff Tutor, Rick Menary, and Jamie Nesbitt.

Other starting seniors who played their last game for Canton were Dave Presley, John Cortese, Bill Teller, Jerry Staszal and the two goalies, Marty Adamian and Brian L'Heureux.

"We're going to miss those guys but we will be getting back a strong nucleus," Morgan said. "Eric Miller, Kris Kilpelainen, Shawn Mac and Daryl Magreta will all be back to help us next year."



### In stride

A Canton attacker traps a pass and races upfield. Canton was knocked out of post-season play on Wednesday by Livonia Stevenson. (Crier photo by Chris Farina)

### Lone Chief male qualifies, doesn't finish

## Canton girls harriers look solid at states

BY RITA DERBIN

Western Lakes Activities Association (WLAA) champion Canton girls cross country team finished ninth in the state finals on Saturday.

"We had an outstanding season," said George Przygodski after the Chiefs capped off their season by winning the WLAA dual meet championship for the third straight season, and the WLAA conference championship for the second straight year with a 6-0 record.

"We lived up to our expectations and are very proud of our top 10 finish in the Class A state finals," the coach said.

Of the 196 runners from 28 participating schools, Canton had seven finishers.

Lori Penland was the top Chief finisher with a time of 20:35, putting her in 34th place.

Canton teammates who followed Penland were 37th place finisher, Cindy Spessard (20:39); Missy Jasnowski in 55th place (20:56); Kris Marquard, in 72nd place (21:56); Lynda Schendel, in 76th place (21:21); Adrienne Garrow in 82nd place (21:31); and Cathy McCabe who finished 103rd (21:52).

"We lived up to our expectations

and had great senior leadership to help us," commented Przygodski on the season of Chiefs' seniors Spessard, Maquard, Schendel, and Heather Dejong. "They helped throughout the season and everyone's performances were outstanding.

"We have no stars on this team," added Przygodski. "We had a great team effort that enabled us to win. That's the way this team worked."

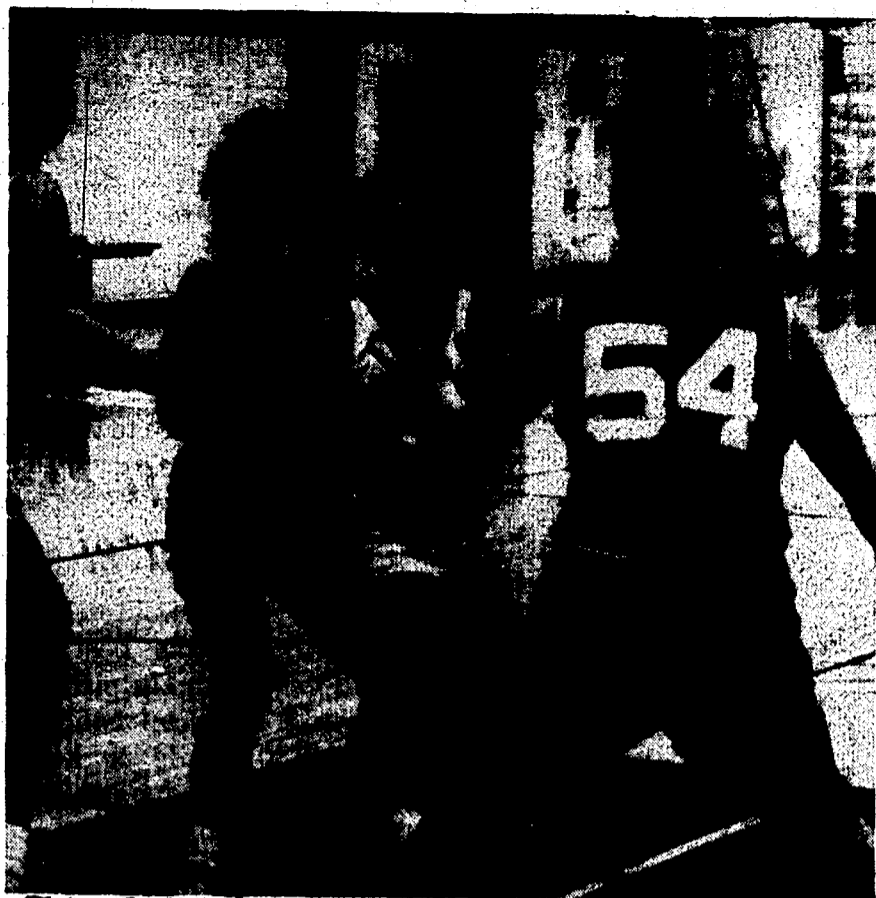
The Canton boys cross country team did not qualify for the state finals, with the exception of their top runner, Brian Beach.

Beach slipped on the muddy course and did not finish the race after his

ankle was stepped on by another runner.

"He was very disappointed," commented Canton boys coach Jim Hayes. "But he is only a junior and will be back.

"This season was remarkable for him," Hayes said. "He went from being on the junior varsity team and being about the 15th runner on the team last season to being Canton's only representative in the state finals. It's unfortunate the season ended the way it did, but it won't take away from all he did throughout the rest of the season."



### **Sandwiched!!**

Salem's Jill Estey grapples for a rebound during the Rocks' loss to Walled Lake Western in the first round of the league play-offs. (Crier photo by Chris Farina)

## **W.L. Western drops Rocks in first round**

BY JANET ARMSTRONG

The Salem girls basketball team came out on the losing end of the stick Thursday against Walled Lake Western, 51-47.

The loss, which came in the first round of the Western Lakes Activities Association playoffs, denies Salem the opportunity to play for the league championship.

While they can go no further in the league playoffs, they still have the district playoffs to look forward to.

According to Salem coach Fred Thomann, the Rocks were down from the opening jump ball.

"We started off down," said Thomann. "We made a number of runs at them."

Jill Estey was lead scorer for the Rocks, tallying 21 points in the game.

Thomann said Western deserved the win.

"They did a good job of spreading the lead out," said Thomann.

Salem played in a consolation game yesterday against Livonia Franklin.

The Rocks begin their district playoffs Nov. 17.

## **Palastra offers tickets to '88 gymnastics show**

The Palastra Gymnastics Club of Westland, which features a number of local tumblers, is offering seats for the Gymnastics '88 Victory Tour, featuring the 20 Olympic Stars and the Soviet mens and womens teams, at the Palace of Auburn Hills on Dec. 4 at 3 p.m.

Palatra Club tickets will be discounted to \$15 per ticket while they last. If ticket sales are high, Palastra will have the opportunity to earn special awards and equipment from the United Staes Gymnastics Federation.

Seats can be yours by calling Janet Glinsky of the Palastra Parents Club at 981-5354 evenings.

## **Canton swimmers leave John Glenn in their wake**

Canton girls swim team defeated Westland John Glenn last Thursday, 117-51, in a conference match up.

The Chiefs took eight first places on their way to improving their record to 7-2 overall and 5-1 in the Western Lakes Activities Association.

Nicole Drake, Val Gildhaus, Chris Lang and Lori Engelhuber won the 200 yard medley relay with a time of 2:02:27 and the 400 yard freestyle relay was won by Kristy Brugar, Lang, Kelly Rische, and Engelhuber with a time of 3:57:05.

Individual winners for Canton include Lang in the 200 yard individual medley with a time of 2:29:43; 50 yard

freestyle winner Engelhuber with a time of 26:39; 100 yard butterfly winner Beth Yack, 1:12:82; 100 yard backstroke winner Janet Roberts, 1:11:73; and Drake won the 100 yard breast stroke with a time of 1:18:53.

Diver Amy Van Buhler won her event with 187.35 points.

The victory over John Glenn followed a first place finish at the Belleville Invitational Saturday Oct. 29. It was a Canton first.

Tomorrow the Chiefs will travel to Churchill for the divisional championship meet.

## **Salem tankers sunk by Livonia Churchill**

The Salem girls swim team was defeated by Livonia Churchill last Thursday night, 92-80, bringing the Rocks record to 4-3 in the conference and 6-4 overall.

Salem could not win a race, but ended with seven second place finishes.

The 400-yard freestyle team of Julie Hickey, Tammy Hickey, Nicole Bosse and Stacie Anderson finished with a time of 3:56:30.

Anderson finished second in the 200-yard medley relay with a time of

2:09:74 and Bosse came in second in the 50-yard freestyle with a time of 26:86.

Also finishing second were diver Jenny Syria with 182.60 points; Sarah Andrews in the 100-yard butterfly (1:06:64); Anderson in the 500-yard freestyle (5:24:38) and Trisha Hill with a time of 1:10:93 in the 100-yard backstroke.

Next Thursday night the Rocks will host Livonia Stevenson at 7 p.m.

## **Ford begins work on three city soccer fields**

BY RITA DERBIN

Construction is underway on three new soccer fields in Plymouth Township.

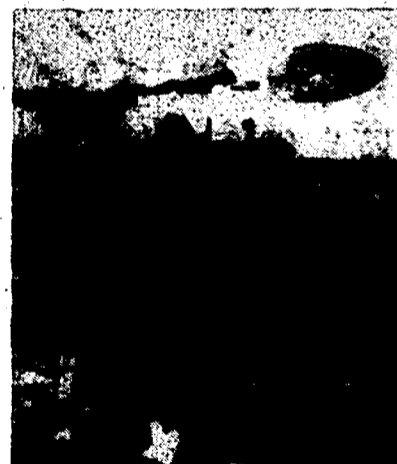
The Ford Motor Company Climate Control Division, located on Sheldon Road has donated the use of company land to the City of Plymouth to build the fields, which Chuck Skene, director of Plymouth Parks and Recreation, hopes will be open next fall.

The fields and a gravel parking lot will be built on 1,600 acres of located between the Ford plant and railroad tracks on the southside of the building.

"Having Ford donate the use of their land has been a great help to Plymouth," Skene said. "We are very short on soccer fields because the only fields we can use are through the schools, Hines Park fields and private land. Unisys has donated the use of a soccer field and now Ford. We are very grateful to the community minded people in those organizations.

"This fall 1018 kids participated in the Plymouth soccer club so it is obvious we need a lot of fields," Skene added.

The fields will be used for games by the Plymouth soccer club and Premier teams. All three fields will be used for a year the field use will be rotated to assure good playing conditions, according to Skene.



Pictured from left to right, Plymouth City Manager Henry Graper, Ford Sheldon Plant Manager Paul Pictels, and Bob Weller break ground for three new soccer fields. (Crier photo by Dan Jarvis)

A physical fitness course with 10 stations is now open to the public on the Ford property opposite of the soccer fields. Just north of the course will be 1 1/2 miles of a wooded walking area that is under construction and will be open to the public this spring.

Revamped softball fields on the northeast portion of the Ford property are also open to the community, said Skene.

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**ADDRESS** \_\_\_\_\_

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## Curiosities

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**CHRISTMAS OPEN HOUSE** at Heide's Flower and Gifts (Coming sooner this year) 9 to 9 Friday, Nov. 18; 9 to 6 Saturday, Nov. 19; noon to 4 Sunday, Nov. 20. 985 W. Ann Arbor Trail (at Harvey) downtown.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY NICOLE ANNE WEBB!** Watch out — she's 15 years old now!!! Ooooh that "is" scary! — Love Aunt K.C.

**DALE WEBB:** Is you're bowling team "really" in last place?

Gary — Happy Anniversary! Thank you for the best 19 years of my life! I love you — Peg.

**WHAT A BLAST — Right Peg.**

**JACK A:** Light the other end.

**TO ELIZABETH ANNE WEBB:** I sure hope you are being a good little girl. I hope to stop at your house on Christmas Eve this year to give you presents instead of a piece of coal in your stocking. I have my eye on you! Santa Claus

I'm still waiting to see Phyllis & Peg in their green dresses. We will be the only office with live walking Xmas trees.

"YOU CAN'T BE too picky or you won't get anything" — Barney White on politics in 1988.

**Don't Worry — Be Happy**

Phyllis — You're making marvelous progress!

## Curiosities

**Brown Noser!!!**

**WHEN YOU WISH** upon a star your dream come true.

**GO GEORGE BURNS!** Hope you're as lively at 102!

I offered the lady in (Scarlet) I mean Rose & Gray, to take Wisconsin against Ohio State and to give her points but she refused.

**MIKI** — Thanks for the phone call! Glad to hear that everything at "State" is going "Great"! Take care — Peg.

"**YOU KNOW WHAT'S** really cool about French, Dad? You can read all the sweatshirts in the mall." — The South Lyon B-ball star.

**SPARTAN DETRACTORS:** look who's in second place with a Wolverine QB out for the season. Roses repeat?

"Team Bush"

**SCOTT RANSOM** and P.T. Barnum: can it be true? (Congrats)

Shel — **YOU** played a great game! — Gary, Peg & Julie.

**ROBERT FITHIAN** where are you?

**JON CHRISTOPHER:** It's time for socks.

President who?

**BLACK SHEEP** at Tremors?

**DAVE CAMPBELL (THE YOUNGER):** there's no blackmail in my history. I'm still one-up on 'got-ya' score. (Just help the Capitol)

**BrightEyes:** Here I go again ... Always doing something for them ... nothing ever in return. (The game continues!)

## Curiosities

**ARIES** (March 21st - April 19th) women under this sign tend to suffer a state of depression during the fall months of the year. This will end mid-December with just a slight recurrence around New Years Day, due mainly from a lack of recognition of those close to their hearts.

Need anything mended, repaired or hemmed? Contact Mike at Mich. State.

3 cheers for Ohio State — Ip, Ip, hooray!

**JAYNE ROSSER** is older as of Monday.

**MARGARET GLOMSKI:** happy birthday!

**WE AREN'T TELLING HOW OLD PHYLLIS** will be!

Mary, when do I get the almost baby picture?

Hi Judy, Pat Rose, Bob & Larry. Or is it Larry & Bob?

**BOB HENRY** provides battery power and hot coffee — Thanks!

**DON BIDWELL** supplies warm coats — thanks brother. Quick action too! — Dan Jarvis.

**LITTLE DON** can visit any time. — Jessica

Juanita B. has just been declared by government authorities as our country's most recent lethal weapon.

Julie — You certainly are in a great mood! I'm sure the only reason is because you have only 3 1/2 days of school this week. Right?

**CONGRATULATIONS SOPHIA & KARL** on your new home.

**SNOW!&**

## Curiosities

**WHO DID JENNIFER** Kless vote for? 45

**DID YOU NOTE** the complete results in this election edition? Boy, it was a long night.

**THIS YEAR'S ICE FEST** to help the YMCA. Details to come.

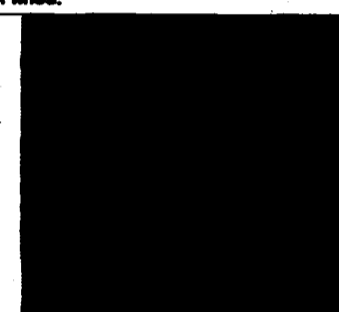
Phyllis, only 10 more days to the big 45. As a help I give you this helpful hint. Page 848 of the Yellow Pages.

If Mich. State Played football as well as they milk cows & grow veggies they would be ranked No. 1. Right Ed & Phyllis?

Isn't that nice, the green & white finally decided to play football this past weekend.

**HOW DID SARA** stand the blasting trumpet?

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- 55 Hackberry & Revere
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- 70 Oak Haven Trailer Park
- 87A Newporte Dr. & Newporte Ct.
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- 131 Brookline & Franciscan
- 162 Sunflower VI Subdivision (Holmes Rd.)
- 181 Fordham Green Apts. (E. of I-275, off Ford Rd.)
- 35 Shadywood Lane in Lakepointe
- 179 Plymouth Manor Apartments (plus several other apartment complexes)
- 85 & 85A Honeytree Apartments
- 32 Crestwood to Greenbriar in Lakepointe.
- 92 & A Leeann Lane to Hanford
- 15 Carol to Ross, E. of Sheldon
- 13 Linden to Harvey, W. of Main

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# Crier Classifieds

## Curiosities

The "Voice of the Universe" is inside you. Z

HANK GRAPER lets his Spartan stripes show in his umbrella. (Thanks)

If you didn't vote— Don't complain!

JOANNE DELANEY survived another birthday.

Hench heads home hopefully. We hear he's engaged. How engaging!

Jayne — "Break a Leg." — Peg G.

CONGRATULATIONS WMMQ in Lansing on your new Guide!

PHYLLIS REDFERN'S surprise birthday party bash (set for Nov. 19) is being moved to a larger hall — MSU Stadium. Get tickets now!

Hurricane hurry pass the cleaner. I'm going for another dish. Look out, incoming grease. We've had it. The bubbles have collapsed. Defeat. Tornado down...

BEAUREGARD says, "Thanks Joanne."

Shel — I think your coach needs to seriously consider the possibility that he needs to find a new optometrist!

LESTIE VAN FLEET gets older soon.

Happy Birthday, Margaret! Have a great day! — Peg G. (P.S. Rumor has it that this year's celebration is going to be a little quieter than last year's. Is there any truth to that statement?)

Red is a happy camper, but watch out for burnout. That's the malaise when nothing matters. Just remember, you matter. Blue.

"Excuse me, but that wasn't me." AHHH, the sweetest words from you. Next the brakes....

OPPOSE J.O.A.? Join us at the Detroit Press Club (on Howard St. downtown) from 5:30-8 p.m. tomorrow. Donations \$15 each towards legal fees.

HoneyBunny — Glad to have you back where you belong!!!! — Your, S.C.

Phyllis — Yourself control never ceases to amaze me!

Jayne — Happy Belated Birthday! — Peg G. (P.S. I didn't forget — I'm just "fashionably late!")

Kathe (with an "E") Welcome to The Crier staff. Glad to have you with us! — Peg.

The lady on Ann Arbor Rd. took down the black flag and put her scarlet & gray one back up, but she is keeping the black one handy.

MOM: we'll meet the plane on Dec. 9th

Kevin K. — I promise not to make you go on any "educational - historical" tours while you're home this weekend. — Julie's mom.

DID YOU VOTE?

NOV. 8 was not only presidential election day - it was Steve Mansfield's birthday. If his day comes with president elections, that makes him 11 years old, he says.

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Household furnishings consigned to Elias Wines, latest known address was P.O. Box 47545 Oak Park, MI, will be sold at Public Auction to the highest bidder on Saturday, Nov. 19, 1988, 11 am at University Moving and Storage, 13500 Ashurst Ct., Livonia, Mich.

Household furnishings consigned to Christina Montague, latest known address was 11897 Day Rd., Maybee, MI 48150, will be sold at Public Auction to the highest bidder on Saturday, Nov. 19, 1988 11 am at University Moving and Storage, 13500 Ashurst Ct., Livonia MI

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Household furnishings consigned to John Steven Williams, latest known address was 703 Hawkins, Ypsilanti, MI, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder on Saturday, Nov. 19, 1988 11 am at University Moving and Storage 13500 Ashurst Ct., Livonia Mich.

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