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Preschool money on seesaw ride

By Diane Gale
staff writer

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probably give each school district \$2,000 for each 4-year-old enrolled in the program."

● Headstart is offered to 3- and 4-year-olds who are in low-income families and foster homes.

● PLUS, Pupils Learning Useful Skills, is offered to children who will be 4 years old by Dec. 1 and live in specially designated areas, as well as children who qualify for Headstart.

● IPSEP, Infant Preschool Special Education Program, is for certified handicapped youngsters until they are 7 years old.

Community Education and the Child Care and Development preschool programs also are offered for a fee.

Ray Hoedel, associate superintendent for finance, isn't surprised by the likelihood the district won't receive state funding for the program because the district is expected to receive \$1.5 million less in state aid next year compared to this year.

EXTRA MILER: Beverly Burnette, a special education aide at Tanger Elementary School, was honored as an Extra Miler at the last meeting of the Plymouth-Canton Board of Education.

Burnette, who has been with the school district for the past 14 years, started her career at Farrand Elementary School and moved to Tanger in 1977. She is known as an outstanding aide, said trustee Jeannette Wines, exceptionally sensitive to the needs of special students. She has been commended for consistently staying ahead of problems, and for working positively with both the teacher and students in her special education classroom for learning disabled students.

In presenting the award, Wines lauded Burnette for her helpfulness, concern and interest in the school district.

BOARD CHOICES: 2A PAC, the political action arm of the Plymouth-Canton Education Association, in conjunction with the bus drivers and secretaries, have announced their endorsements for the Plymouth-Canton Board of Education.

The teachers, bus drivers, and secretaries endorse incumbents Dean Swartzwelder and Roland Thomas.

Bill Heath, PAC chairperson, announced that representatives of the school unions met with the candidates on May 6.

"Swartzwelder and Thomas are both knowledgeable, qualified, experienced and support reduced class size, particularly in the elementary schools," stated Heath.

Both candidates also support presenting various viewpoints to the students and have pledged to make themselves available to hear employee concerns, added Heath.

IN CONCERT: Two residents recently participated in a public concert as part of the Michigan Week Youth Arts Festival. Jennifer Bugosi and Leah Szafran, both Plymouth residents, are members of the Children's Ballet Theatre directed by Karen Milligan. The ballet group was one of three groups chosen to perform in the "Gala Concert" Friday evening, May 8, as part of festival activities. The dancers performed Capriccio.

SC HONOREES: A number of residents were among those recently honored by Schoolcraft College for either retirement, years of service or contributions to the college.

Keith Burton of Plymouth was among Schoolcraft retirees honored at the annual Employee Recognition Luncheon. Burton, retired professor of computer information systems, joined the college in 1969. Joined by families, friends and colleagues, the retirees received a clock, a resolution noting their individual contributions to the college, a copy of The History of Schoolcraft College by Sam Siskin, and a plaque. Burton was also named one of the college's 1986-87 Distinguished Alumni.

Among the faculty members honored were: James Siskin, who was named one of the college's 1986-87 Distinguished Faculty; and James Siskin, who was named one of the college's 1986-87 Distinguished Faculty.

ACHIEVERS: Mike/MAX

About \$250,000 in state money for a preschool program in Plymouth-Canton Community Schools is taking a teeter-totter ride.

"The state for the last couple of years has talked about providing a program for 4-year-olds and at one point they informed the district it would be eligible and included in the state aid provisions," said Dr. Michael J. Homes, assistant superintendent for instruction.

But the district learned recently a proposed change in legislation by the state Senate would disqualify Plymouth-Canton.

"The program would expand the opportunities of the preschool program to more youngsters," Homes said.

Whether the Plymouth-Canton school dis-

trict will receive aid will be determined by which of two criteria is used.

IF THE MICHIGAN Education Assessment Program testing is used, the district would be eligible.

But if the number of children in the district who receive free lunches is used, Plymouth-Canton won't get the state money.

State House Bill 4280 recently was passed using MEAP test results as the guideline.

However the Senate Appropriations Committee is considering allotting \$10 million and restricting the program to school districts with at least 32 percent of students eligible for hot lunches, said state Sen. Robert Geake, R-Northville, whose district includes Canton and Plymouth.

"Eligibility of the hot lunch program is a good measure of need," Geake said. "We'd

probably give each school district \$2,000 for each 4-year-old enrolled in the program."

Shirley Spaniel, executive director of elementary education, said using the House guidelines, Plymouth-Canton would have been eligible for 120 students in the preschool program.

"The pre-school education program is one of the best programs the state could initiate," said state Rep. James Kosteva, D-Canton.

For every \$1 spent on preschool education for children who wouldn't receive adequate learning skills at home, the state can save \$7 in long-term costs dealing with social problems created by those youngsters, Kosteva said.

PLYMOUTH-CANTON OFFERS free preschool programs:



BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

Plastic baggies filled with silver paint and silver spray paint canlids were found at various sites in the woods behind Hulsing Elementary School.

Danger zone

Sniffing inhalants can cause brain damage

Sniffing any kind of inhalant — spray paint, nail polish remover, glue or lighter fluid — on a regular basis can have serious consequences.

"It's real, real dangerous stuff. It can lead to pretty pronounced brain damage," said Jackie Vincenti, clinical psychologist for adolescent chemical dependency at the Livonia Counseling Center.

"As concentration in the brain increases, kids using it may become drowsy and become unconscious," she said.

Spray inhalation can interfere directly with breathing or can produce irregular heartbeats, noted a flier issued by the Michigan Substance

Abuse Information Center.

Short-term effects, Vincenti said, range from mild intoxication to disorientation.

"They will experience confusion, slurring of speech, dizziness and a high. They also will experience distortion of perception, visual and auditory hallucinations and disillusional ideas.

"It's been known to induce quite a bit of aggressive behavior," she said.

Physical symptoms include nasal secretion, watery eyes and poor muscle control.

Experts don't know yet whether sniffing inhalants fosters a physical dependency, Vincenti

said, but there's no doubt that psychological dependence results over time.

"If a kid is doing a lot of this, they're doing it for feeling. My guess is it will take them on to bigger and better things. By the time I get adolescents, we're talking marijuana, alcohol, LSD, mescaline."

Children 8 to 16 years of age with an average age of 14 are most likely to abuse inhalants, Vincenti said.

Professional counseling almost always is required of regular users who want to kick the habit, she said.

City, DPW reach agreement

By M.B. Dillon
staff writer

Plymouth Department of Public Works employees will receive a 3.67 percent wage hike if a proposed three-year contract is approved at Tuesday's city commission meeting.

The agreement, ratified by employees, grants a 45-cents across-the-board hourly increase for each of the next three years.

Entry level pay for laborers, beginning July 1, will be \$9.51 an hour. Top-of-the-scale pay, reached in three years, will be \$11.63.

Maintenance workers who operate trucks, graders and bulldozers will earn from \$9.78 to \$11.49 hourly, depending upon experience.

Entry-level mechanic assistants, a newly created position, will earn \$12.41 hourly. Mechanics will be paid \$14.61.

Negotiations, which took only 20 days, were among the smoothest in city history, City Manager Henry Graper said.

"We feel it's a very excellent settlement and we only had to meet on two occasions to come to this agreement," said Graper, attributing the rapid meeting of the minds to "the people we're dealing with."

"The Teamsters are a very professional union. They came up with very reasonable requests, and we're very satisfied with the wording of the contract."

The increases "fall in line with the

increases given to our non-union employees, and our police and firemen," said Graper. "The only item we could not get them to consider was the payoff of the outstanding sick-time, but the unfunded liability for that department is around \$2,000."

"We do not feel that, at this time, it poses any particular threat to our present or future budget."

DPW workers, who'll keep their 12 sick days, may enroll in a Health Maintenance Organization or Preferred Provider Organization under the proposed pact.

The department's 16 employees are eligible for a 100 percent pay-off

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Huffin' paint for a high?

By Doug Funke
staff writer

Huffin' spray paint, a Canton mother claims, has become a serious problem for some middle school students in the Plymouth-Canton community.

A police official maintains that the practice is isolated and involves only a handful of young people.

The principal of a middle school here said she doesn't know the magnitude of the problem.

Kids obtain a high by filling a small sandwich bag with spray paint, then sniffing into the bag. It not only can become addictive, psychologists say, but can result in brain damage.

The mother offers as evidence her 13-year-old son and several of his acquaintances.

SHE SAID she's identified five users by talking with her son and other parents, but suspects many more. "If there's eight kids, there's got to be eight more kids."

The students attend Central Middle School, she said.

The woman recovered 30 bags with silver paint residue from a wooded area near Hulsing Elementary School in Canton last week.

Dave Boljesic, community relations officer for the Canton Police Department, questions her interpretation of the evidence.

"I don't think it's widespread at all," he said. "I talk to kids I know, and they don't even know what huffin' is."

"The son admitted to doing it for over a year. There could be 100 bags back there and that would be one every three days or less."

THE SON said he and two others do it regularly, and a third acquaintance has done it once or twice, Boljesic said.

"I have no idea how widespread it is," said Patricia Moore, principal at Central Middle School. "I feel it

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Youth symphony takes the stage

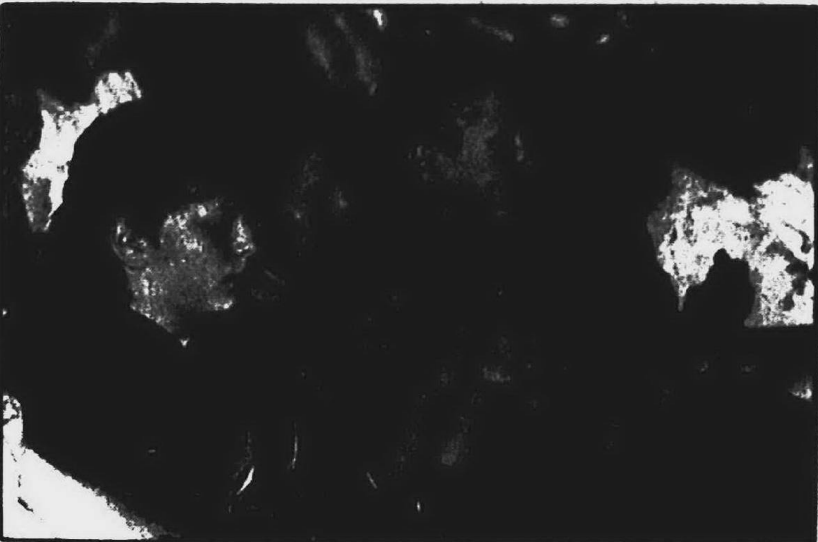
THE LIVONIA Youth Symphony took the stage of Plymouth Salem High School auditorium last Wednesday morning in an effort to recruit strings in the future.

The musicians put on a special concert for all the fifth graders in Plymouth-Canton Community Schools.

The concert was to help develop an appreciation for orchestra music in young people and to encourage interested pupils to sign up for the

youth symphony. A number of Canton and Plymouth young people play for the Livonia Youth Symphony, especially since the Plymouth Youth Symphony disbanded a couple of years ago.

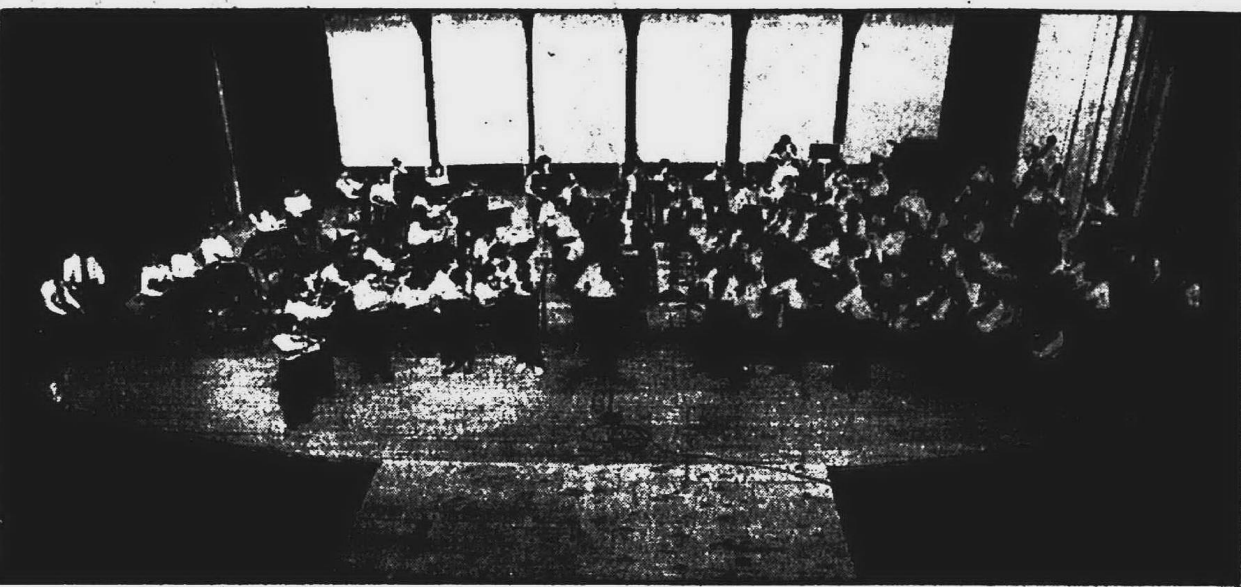
Symphony supporters believe the Plymouth Youth Symphony came upon hard times when the school district dropped the elementary strings program. They fear the same fate may face the Livonia Youth Symphony and so put on the concert as a "recruiting" tool.



Some members of the audience applaud, while others check their watches.



Janita Hauk of Plymouth conducts the strings for the Livonia Youth Symphony.



The Livonia Youth Symphony takes the stage of Plymouth Salem High auditorium Wednesday morning as a recruiting effort.



Staff photos by Bill Bresler

June Francoeur, orchestra assistant, helps Lori Brennan (left) adjust her violin strings.

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● DEADLINES

Announcements for Brevities should be submitted by noon Monday for the Thursday issue and by noon Thursday for the Monday issue. Bring in or mail announcements to the Observer, 489 S. Main, Plymouth 48170.

● ON SECULAR HUMANISM

Tuesday, May 19 — A panel discussion on secular humanism will be held at 2 p.m. in the fellowship hall of First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth. Members of the panel discussion, sponsored by the Elders, will be ministers from three local churches: Thomas Pals of First Baptist Church of Plymouth, Kenneth Gruebel of Geneva Presbyterian in Canton, and moderator Philip R. Magee of First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth.

● 'SEEING MICHIGAN'

Wednesday, May 20 — The annual meeting of the Friends of the Plymouth Dunning-Hough Library will feature "Seeing Michigan," a sesquicentennial slide presentation by photographer, lecturer, instructor Joseph Messana beginning at 7:30 p.m. in the Plymouth Cultural Center. Admission is \$2 at the door or by a Friends membership card. No charge for students.

Messana will take viewers on a journey to many parts of the state on its 150th birthday to view points of interest, historical and modern works of architecture and sculpture, the Mackinac Bridge and Mackinac Island, Tahquamenon Falls, Pictured Rocks National Lakeshore, historic Fayette, historic lighthouses, and visits in Petoskey, Traverse City, Harbor Springs, Grand Rapids, Holland, Kalamazoo, Lansing and Frankenmuth.

● DENTAL CARE

Wednesday, May 20 — Plymouth dentist Dr. Patrick Houlihan, a graduate of the University of Michigan and University of Detroit Dental College, will give a talk to parents from 10:30 to 11 a.m. about the importance of dental care for the small child. Houlihan will discuss how to select a dentist, at what age to begin taking a child to the dentist, techniques of good oral hygiene, what to do in dental emergencies and advances in dentistry. To register call the library at 453-0750.

● MICHIGAN WEEK FAIR

Wednesday, May 20 — Isbister Elementary School will have a Michigan Week/Sesquicentennial Academic Fair 1-7 p.m. May 20 and from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Thursday, May 21. The public is encouraged to

attend and view displays of student writings, projects, and Young Author books.

● EXPECTANT ADOPTIVE PARENTS

Friday, May 22 — A series of four Expectant Adoptive Parent Classes will be offered at 7 p.m. in Botsford Hospital, Farmington Hills. The classes, for families waiting to adopt an infant up to age 2, will provide information on the physical care of an infant, growth and development, selecting infant clothes and accessories, common infant health problems, and child safety. To register or for information call Terry or Jim Alor of Plymouth, directors, at 453-7383.

● CEP SENIOR PARTY

Tuesday, May 26 — The Centennial Educational Park 1987 Senior Party, "Sea Cruise," will begin 9 p.m. Sunday, June 7, and last until 4 a.m. in Plymouth Salem High School. This is a closed party for 1987 CEP graduates only. Students leaving prior to the end of the party will not be permitted to re-enter. No one will be admitted after 11 p.m. Tickets are \$12.50 per student in advance or \$15 at the door. Tickets will go on sale Tuesday, May 26, and continue on sale through June 2 during fourth hour in the upper commons at Salem and the main lobby at Canton.

● FIEGLE FESTIVAL

Thursday, May 28 — Fiegle Elementary School will hold its Festival and Ice Cream Social 5-9 p.m. The festival will offer games, prizes, rides, balloons, hot dogs and ice cream. Fiegle is on Joy Road just east of I-275. Tickets at four for \$1 will be sold at the door.

● PSYCHIC TALK

Thursday, May 28 — "An Evening

With a Psychic" will be 7-10 p.m. in Room B101 of West Middle School, Sheldon and Ann Arbor Trail, Plymouth, by the Plymouth Community Family YMCA. Psychic Diane Martina will speak about psychic phenomena and how it is alive in each of us. The program will include a group "visualization" trip and psychic answers to questions about personal experience.

● SANDBOX FILL

Saturday, May 30 — The Plymouth Jaycees is holding its annual Sandbox Fill through May 30. The price of sand is \$3.50 per wheelbarrow delivered to the home. For more information, or to place orders, call 453-7868 after 3:30 p.m.

● CEP PARENT COFFEE

Thursday, June 4 — The Centennial Educational Park Parent Coffee will begin at 9:30 a.m. in the conference room at the main office of Plymouth Canton High School. Plymouth Salem principal Gerald Ostoin and Plymouth Canton High principal Tom Tattan will co-host and Ted Wybrecht will present the program.

● DRIVER EDUCATION

June 16-25 — Driver education classes will be offered 5:30-7:30 p.m. Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays for two weeks June 16-25, July 14-23, Aug. 11-20. The training is for ages 15-18.

● VFW DINNER DANCE

Friday, Sept. 25 — Canton VFW Post 6967 will sponsor a dinner dance beginning 6:30 p.m. Radio DJs will be spinning the Platters. The VFW still is recruiting new members. Interested people may inquire at 1699 Morrison, Canton.

Snake gives store slip

A 13½-foot python snake either escaped or was stolen last Wednesday from the Tropical Paradise Pet Shop on Main Street in Plymouth.

Since the pet hasn't eaten in about three weeks, it could be dangerous now, said Leonard Henning, owner of the shop.

The snake, 10 inches in diameter, has teeth and could bite. However, a more serious injury could result if the snake were to wrap itself around a person and constrict.

"When they want to move, they can move pretty fast," Henning said.

The snake escaped once before

when it was left unattended for only a minute in front of a house on Ann Arbor Trail in Plymouth, he said. It was found two weeks later near the Plymouth Elks hall on Ann Arbor Road a couple of miles away.

Henning suspects that the snake, a mascot for the store, was stolen.

"Everybody knew I had the snake here. He was making visits to local schools. I hope somebody will find him or, if he's stolen, someone will return it."

Anyone with information on Monty the python is asked to contact Henning at 451-0064 or Plymouth Police at 453-8600.

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Atlantic City for a day of gambling, a boat cruise of the Cape area, the Whimsical Village tour, daily breakfast and two dinners. For information, call the Plymouth Community Family YMCA at 453-2904.

● **HOLLY HOTEL**
City of Plymouth Parks and Recreation in cooperation with Bianco Travel & Tours will sponsor a day trip to the Holly Hotel Wednesday,

May 29. The price of \$35 includes bus transportation, coffee and doughnuts, lunch, ticket to the musical revue, stop at an orchard, on-enroute snack and beverage service. For information, call the recreation office at 453-6422.

● **ELORA MILL**
A special trip for Canton residents 55 and older is being planned by Canton Township Senior Citizens in

cooperation with Bianco Travel & Tours for an overnight stay at Elora Mill in Ontario Friday-Saturday, May 23-24. The charge of \$120 per person (based on double occupancy) includes transportation, accommodations at Elora Mill (a five-story grist mill converted into a country inn), one dinner, one lunch, evening entertainment and tours of the Elora area and Elora Monastery country. For information call Canton Seniors at 397-1000, Ext. 278.

● **WINDSOR/JACKSON DAY TRIP**

The "Y" Travelers will sponsor a day trip to Windsor for shopping and to the Jackson Seniors Gardens from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 27. The charge is \$30 per person. For information call 453-2904.

● **STARS OF DETROIT, WINDSOR**

The YWCA of Western Wayne County is planning a "Stars of Detroit, Windsor" day on Wednesday, June 3. The charge of \$32 per person includes travel, cruise, luncheon and the crossing. The group will be leaving the YWCA at 26279 Michigan, Inkster, at 9:45 a.m. for the Detroit River docks to board the Star of Detroit. After a 2½-hour cruise including a hot and cold buffet, the group will cross to Windsor for a peek at the floral gardens lining the river and then take a Canadian shopping spree of Windsor china shops and British import specialties before returning to the YW at about 5 p.m. Payment confirms reservations by May 15. For information, call the YWCA at 561-4110.

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18 outstanding awards at the eighth annual RE/MAX Award Banquet for the Detroit Region held recently in Lovett Hall, Greenfield Village.

Among those receiving awards are Art Anderson, David Beardsley, Marda Benson, Ben Denny, Sam Dibble, Donna Foreman, Chuck Hromek, Chuck James, Phyllis Lemon, Gert Prochaska, Danny Rea, Joan Sturgill, Beverly Way, Ken Wroblewski.

The 1986 Newcomer of the

Year was presented to Phyllis Lemon for a production of about \$2.5 million within a six-month period. Some 21 full-time agents average \$2.75 million in sales per agent. The awards were based on sales in excess of \$1.5 million to more than \$5 million in sales.

DAY IN MAY: ERA Mark Realty Northwest raised more than \$1,000 for the Muscular Dystrophy Association during the firm's annual "Day in May for MDA" fundraising campaign.

Michael Workman, president commented: "If everyone in every town in this country cares the way people here do, along with the businesses that sponsored us, we can rest assured that a cure will soon be forthcoming."

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Students huffin' paint?

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would be a public service to let parents know this is one thing children do to get high.

"We've talked to our health teacher to make sure this is included in the substance abuse unit," she said. "I certainly will contact my fellow

principals at other middle schools because I don't think it's isolated to this middle school."

Cheryl Clason, principal at Hulsing, said she wasn't aware that the woods near her school were used for huffin' until contacted by the concerned mother last week.

CLASON immediately called police.

"My students aren't doing that at all. In intensive questioning, there was never an elementary student's name mentioned."

Teachers in the upper grades at Hulsing notified their students of what was happening and the health consequences, she added.

Canton police have indicated that they will increase patrol there at the beginning and end of the school day, Clason said.

"Obviously, they can't be here every day," she said. "Intermittent enforcement is the best kind, when you don't know when they're going to be there."

City and DPW reach accord

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Workers comp deadline beaten

Starting at a midnight deadline, Michigan's two-party, two-house Legislature finally agreed Thursday on a revised workers compensation law.

A House-Senate conference committee wrapped up a compromise, and both houses passed it.

The Senate vote was 33-1 with two absent. All Observer & Eccentric area senators voted yes.

The House vote was 93-0 with 15 absent. All area representatives voted for it except three who had excused absences: James Kosteva, D-Canton; Gerald Law, R-Plymouth; and Wilfred Webb, D-Hazel Park.

THE SENATE set up the conference committee showdown Tuesday by rejecting a House-passed bill initiated by Blanchard. The House then

refused to agree to Senate changes. If new legislation hadn't been in place Friday, Michigan law would have been unclear on which injured workers qualify for benefits.

House Speaker Gary Owen, D-Ypsilanti, said "ego" had prevented the Senate from approving a bill most of the business community supports.

Guy Gordon, spokesman for Senate Republicans, said cited "major areas of disagreement."

1. "We had long sought a nationally recognized definition of disability," a goal of business, which considered Michigan's definition too loose. The new, broader definition says a worker isn't considered disabled if he could perform some other job "suitable to his or her qualifications and training."

2. "In response to a 1986 Michigan Supreme Court ruling, we wanted to clarify legislative intent on coordination of benefits," he said. In 1982 the Legislature decided workers injured before 1983 would not have their benefits "coordinated" — that is, reduced when other benefits such as pensions are collected.

Some employers cut benefits for workers receiving payments, although lawmakers insisted they intended the practice to affect only newly injured workers. The high court ruled that benefits could be coordinated. The Legislature wrote language into the specifically reversing the high court ruling.

3. "We sought to make workers comp the exclusive remedy to eliminate 'double dipping' — where you could collect workers comp, Social

Security, and then you find a sympathetic jury and get something there, too."

GORDON SAID Senate Republicans were greatly irritated at House Democrats and Blanchard for waiting so long to act on the issue.

"We introduced the bill seven weeks ago and sent it to the House," Gordon said. "The House kicked it out a week ago. The governor held a news conference and said, 'There's a compromise and it's non-negotiable.' We were unjustly accused of holding up this thing. The governor never had one conversation with legislative leaders."

The Associated Press contributed to this story.

S'craft offers computer training for amateurs

Non-professionals can learn computer and word processing skills during a series of workshops sponsored by Schoolcraft College.

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• Wordperfect — The five-week introductory course meets Tuesdays and Thursdays, beginning Tuesday,

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Man who opened doors for the blind retires

A Westland man honored for opening doors to opportunities for blind people has chosen a day of his own.

Joseph J. Pumo, who is visually impaired himself, retired May 1 as executive director of the Greater Detroit Society for the Blind, a United Way-affiliated, non-profit agency.

His retirement, however, does not mean the end of 37 years of service to the blind and visually impaired. In fact, next month he will present a paper on computer applications to blind people in the United States at a conference in the Orient.

Pumo, 58, has dedicated much of his life to improving career and educational opportunities for the blind and visually impaired.

His work has been aimed at breaking down the attitude barriers that hinder a blind person's educational and employment opportunities.

At the Society for the Blind, Pumo was responsible for the direction and supervision of the agency's Specialized Occupational Services Department, initiating and developing programs to provide improved employment opportunities for blind and visually impaired people in southeast Michigan and the United States. These programs emphasized such areas as basic education, career planning, vocational training opportunities, and employer and commu-

nity awareness of the potential of blind workers.

"I feel fortunate that my position at the Society (for the Blind) has provided me with sufficient latitude to publish in various professional journals and develop several programs which have been adopted by much of the blindness system," Pumo said.

His credits his parents with giving him the roots he needed to grow and develop his own skills. Despite the fact he was visually impaired, his impairment was caused by a fall from a tricycle at age 3.

"Fortunately, my parents refused to let his illness around me merely because I was visually impaired," Pumo said.

"Consequently, I was enrolled in public schools and allowed to grow up and socialize with my sighted peers."

He attributes his success in developing innovative programming for blind individuals in his empathy and "understanding of the expectations and limitations that blind people see in themselves as well as the restrictive attitudes of the sighted population."

Pumo has a master's degree from New York University in rehabilitation administration and counseling. He obtained graduate credits from the University of Michigan in Reha-

bilitation and Guidance of the Handicapped.

He earned a bachelor's degree from Rutgers University, New Jersey, with a major in economics and a minor in English and psychology.

Pumo and his wife, Mahal, have two children. Kenneth Pumo of Livonia, an area manager for Frances Unlimited, and Dr. Dorothy Pumo of Long Island, N.Y., a professor of cell biology at Hofstra University.

PUMO AND his wife are looking forward to attending the first Asia-Pacific Conference of Computer Applications by Blind and Visually Impaired Persons, co-sponsored by the China Ministry of Education and the Taiwan Committee for the Blind, in Taipei, Taiwan, next month.

In his presentation, Pumo plans to address state-of-the-art computer applications by blind people in the United States and the research and development of the Society's 4-Sights Network, a national telecommunications information system for the blind and visually impaired. They will then visit and travel in the Orient.

Pumo gives much of the credit of his success to his wife, who "for the past 37 years has provided me with the stimulus and unwavering support I needed."

Some of Pumo's most notable accomplishments include the direction and supervision of the 4-Sights Network and the development and management of a variety of local and national conferences concerning career planning and the use of technology in education and employment.

He created and developed the Occupational Information Library for the Blind, which is used as a basic occupational resource throughout the United States and 14 foreign countries.

His programs include job readiness clinics for the training of visually impaired job seekers on high school and college levels, career programs for visually impaired students enrolled in public schools, and programs for teaching public school personnel methods of working with the visually impaired.

HE ALSO developed a film strip series aimed at creating independence for the blind and visually impaired. The most recent addition to the series will focus on Pumo's presentation in Taiwan.

An example of his work is the Three Tracks to a Successful Career conference held in April at the

Southfield Hilton. The three-day conference focused on training, technology and careers.

The event was attended by teachers and counselors, visually impaired students and their families, prospective employers, as well as blind and visually impaired professionals who have successfully achieved fulfilling careers.

Blind students had the opportunity to interact with blind people representing occupations ranging from judge to journalist, business executive to engineer, physical therapist to social worker.

This year's conference was an expanded version of the original Careers Unlimited program Pumo initiated in 1967. The program has been presented biennially since that time.

AT THE conference, Pumo was honored by several different individuals and organizations, including Barbara M. Wilson, society board president, who presented Pumo with a plaque honoring him for "opening doors to career opportunities for blind people."

Pumo has received numerous awards for his work, including a certificate of appreciation from the Michigan Association for Education and Rehabilitation of the Blind and Visually Impaired in 1984.

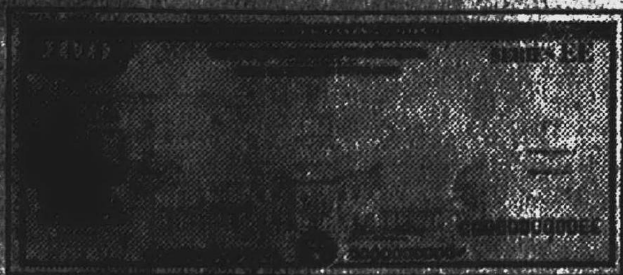
Additional honors include a citation in 1983 from the President's Committee on Employment for the Handicapped, Outstanding Rehabilitation Worker, Ohio Rehabilitation Association, 1984; and 1977's Outstanding Professional of the Michigan Rehabilitation Association.

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH BOARD OF TRUSTEES - REGULAR MEETING May 12, 1987

Supervisor Ereen called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. and led in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

All Board members were present except Mary Brooks and Jim Irvine who had been excused.

Supervisor Ereen presented service award certificates to Dave Barnes (Department of Public Works) commemorating seven years as a Township employee and Steven Rapson (Police Officer) commemorating eight years as a Township employee.

Mr. Horton moved to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of April 28, 1987 as submitted. Supported by Mrs. Hulsing. Ayes all.

Mr. Mumfakh moved to approve the minutes of the special meeting of April 28, 1987 as submitted. Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes all.

Mrs. Hulsing moved to approve the agenda of the regular meeting of May 12, 1987 as submitted. Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes all.

Mr. Horton moved to approve the RUD Option requested by the Selective Group, Inc. - Application No. 940 (Woodlone North) as recommended by the Planning Commission and accepted by them as a general development plan. The approval is subject to the following conditions:

1. The subject property meets the criteria as established under Section 17.1, Statement of Principles.
2. The general layout proposed is consistent with the Statement of Principles Section, Section 17.1.
3. At the time of Tentative Preliminary Plat submission, the general layout shall be revised to avoid the straight connection between Ann Arbor Trail and Ann Arbor Road, as indicated in the preliminary development plan.
4. The applicant defines what type of treatment will be given to the open space areas.
5. Approval of the Township Fire Chief.
6. Approval of the Township Engineering Consultant.

Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes all.

Supervisor Ereen tabled the allocation of surplus monies from the 1986 and 1986 surplus CDBG Funds to the June 9 Board meeting.

Mr. Horton moved to approve the Professional Engineering Service Agreement with Dietrich, Bailey and Associates, P.C., 107 S. Main Street, Plymouth, MI 48170.

This Agreement shall commence immediately upon acceptance by the Township Board and shall continue in effect until terminated according to the terms of the Agreement. Either the Township or Engineer may, at any time, by giving the other party thirty (30) days notice in writing, terminate this Agreement. In the event of termination, the township shall, upon receipt of all required reports, data and Township property, pay the Engineer for time spent performing work described in the Statement of Work up to the date of the termination.

Supported by Mrs. Hulsing. Ayes all.

A copy of the contract is in the Clerk's office.

Mr. Horton moved to accept, for first reading, the Amendment No. Ordinance No. 50 - Solid Waste Ordinance. Supported by Mr. Mumfakh. Ayes all.

Mr. Mumfakh moved to approve the request for change in working hours for Township officers for those employees who are not otherwise covered by a contractual agreement.

The new hours will be 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. with 1/2 hour for lunch effective Tuesday, May 26 thru Friday, September 4. Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes all.

Mr. Mumfakh moved to accept the public utilities for Pine Cove Subdivision as recommended by the Township Engineer. Supported by Mrs. Hulsing. Ayes all.

Mr. Mumfakh moved to approve the watermain easement submitted for Meadow Hill Condominiums which has been approved as to form and substance by the Township Attorney and Township Engineer. Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes all on a roll call vote.

Mr. Horton moved to approve the sanitary sewer easement for Meadow Hill Condominiums which has been approved as to form and substance by the Township Attorney and Township Engineer. Supported by Mr. Mumfakh. Ayes all on a roll call vote.

Mr. Horton moved to receive and file all items under 2. Communications - Resolutions - Reports. Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes all.

Mr. Bailey reminded the Board that his firm is in the process of doing sewer metering for the township sewer system. The metering has been going on for approximately three and one-half weeks.

Because of lack of rain, Mr. Bailey asked the Board if they wish to have the meters run for another week. The Board agreed to leave the meters run for another week at a cost of \$7,500.00.

Mr. Horton moved to adjourn. Supported by Mrs. Hulsing. Ayes all.

The meeting adjourned at 8:10 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by:
Barbara Hulsing, Clerk

"The preceding is a summary of actions taken at the regular meeting of the Board of Trustees, May 12, 1987. The full minutes are on file in the Clerk's office where they are available for perusal during regular working hours."

Printed May 14, 1987

A diagram of a 3x3 grid. The middle row contains the names 'WAYNE', 'WARREN', and 'VENOY' from left to right. The bottom row contains the name 'FORD' in the center. There is a small black square in the top-right cell of the grid.

How a guest got trapped in his local hotel room

One of my recent columns indicated that the old Plymouth Hotel at the corner of Ann Arbor Trail and Main Street was torn down in 1927.

Walter Ash, who was born in Livonia but has been part of the Plymouth scene for well over 60 years, phoned to tell me the date should have been 1937.

Ash should know because he was partner in another business with the man who owned the hotel. I visited with Walter, a genial gentleman of 78, to learn more about the hotel, and about his own business career in Plymouth.

THE OWNER of the Hotel Plymouth was Ralph J. Lorenz, a second cousin of another hotel owner, Ralph G. Lorenz of the Mayflower.

To differentiate, I shall refer to the Hotel Plymouth Lorenz as R.J. R.J.'s family emigrated from Austria to North Dakota when he was a boy. He came to Plymouth sometime between 1915 and 1918. He began to run the Hotel Plymouth shortly thereafter.

The previous owner was Dan Adams. The hotel was then called the Adams House. An earlier Adams House stood at the same site in 1857

(see page 4 of my "Pictorial History of Plymouth") but it had been destroyed in the fire of 1893 that ruined the entire block.

R.J. married Dan Adams' widow and became the hotel proprietor sometime between 1918 and 1920.

About 1931, R.J. turned the operation of the hotel over to Bill Simpson. It is believed that R.J.'s wife said he was spending too many hours running the hotel and devoting too little to their two children.

Simpson not only managed the hotel, he established a beer garden on the first floor facing Main Street. One walked through the beer garden to get to the hotel registration desk. The dining room was at the rear.

PART OF THE hotel building was occupied by David Galen's meat market at the corner of Main and Ann Arbor Trail. There was a barber shop at the other side of the beer garden.

The building began to deteriorate in the 1930s. Galen, who died many years ago, told me he had to jack up one of the structure's uneven ceilings in order to move in a new freezer. Later, he discovered that the maneuver had locked a hotel guest



past and present

Sam Hudson

in his room above. The man was captive until the jack was removed and the floor of the room settled.

One day, as Galen sat in the hotel barbershop, he saw the wall begin to bulge. The building was soon condemned and Lorenz had the structure razed. In its place he erected the building that housed the D & C store for many years until Lou Goddard built the Mini-Mall there. A Detroit Edison office now occupies the spot.

Bill Simpson moved his beer garden to the building the Oddfellows had built in 1925 on Main not far from the corner of Ann Arbor Trail. It is now the Mayflower Meeting House.

Simpson's Beer Garden was about where E.F. Hutton now has its bro-

kerage business. Eventually, Simpson sold the tavern to Ted Box. Box later moved the business to a new building on Ann Arbor Trail opposite Kellogg Park. He called it The Box Bar.

But back to R. J. Lorenz.

In 1931, after turning over management of his hotel to Simpson, Lorenz built a gas station at the corner of Main and Wing Streets. A brick building with a crenelated top like a small battlement, or a White Tower hamburger place.

The station still occupies the same spot, although it is no longer used as a gas station. When the building was put up, Wing Street was a gravel road. There was a cornfield behind the station.

Tonquish Creek, since covered up,

ran south behind the building, flowing east under Main Street just south of Wing.

WALTER ASH comes into the story in the mid-1930s, when he became a partner of R.J. Lorenz in the gas station business.

Ash had enrolled in Plymouth High School at age 12 and graduated at 16. Being younger than his classmates had its disadvantages. "I was too young to make the football team, or to have dates with girls."

After graduation, Ash worked on the family farm in Livonia. He then pumped gas and related chores at an Austin Oil Co. station at the corner of Main and Mill streets. He became R.J.'s partner at Wing and Main in 1935.

In 1944, R.J. sold his half interest in the business to Alfred Wick. In 1948, Wick sold his interest to Ash. Ash kept the station open from 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. At one time he had eight employees including mechanics John Hammernick and Adolph Schmidt, who started with him in 1950.

When Ash retired in 1975, he had

been in business at the same location for 40 years.

During World War II, when gasoline was rationed, it sold at the frozen rate of 18.7 cents per gallon. In 1975, the price had risen to almost 60 cents.

Ash sold the business to Don Hickman who ran it as a gas station for about a year, then used it as an auto repair shop. The building and lot was still owned by R.J.'s widow Emma, her husband having died some time before. Hickman eventually acquired the property and is its current owner.

During Ash's years in business, he was active in the Plymouth Chamber of Commerce. From 1938 to 1939, he was a member of the board of directors of the Retail Gasoline Dealers' Association of Michigan.

An avid student of the Civil War, he had a 600-volume library of books about that conflict until a few years ago when he sold it to another Civil War buff.

Today, Walter Ash and his wife, the former Harriett Corwin of Cherry Hill, live on Dewey Street. They have a daughter, Mrs. Joel Barnes, also a Plymouth resident.

clubs in action

AREA DAR

The Sarah Ann Cochrane Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will meet at noon Monday, May 18, at the home of Mrs. Albert Heindryckx for a sandwich luncheon. The program will be on resolutions adopted during the 95th Continental Congress in Washington, D.C. It will be presented by Mrs. Robert Wiloughby, who serves on the national resolutions committee. For more information, call 453-4425.

LOCAL NURSES

The Plymouth Registered Nurses will meet at 7 p.m. Monday, May 18, at Plymouth Township Hall, 42350 E. Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth. The meeting will include a salad potluck, with dessert and beverages provided. Price is \$3 per person or two for \$5. Al Woods, a registered pharmacist at Annapolis Hospital, will present a program on handwriting analysis.

ORIENTATION

The Plymouth Childbirth Education Association will offer a Lamaze orientation class at 7:30 p.m. Monday, May 18, at Newburg Methodist Church, 36500 Ann Arbor Trail, Livonia. This introduction to the Lamaze birth technique will feature

a film, "Saturday's Children." Advance registration is not required. There is a \$1 per person charge at the door. For more information, call 459-7477.

MOMS OF TWINS

The Western Wayne County Mothers of Twins Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. Monday, May 18, at Holy Cross Lutheran Church, 30650 Six Mile, between Middlebelt and Merriman in Livonia. A "Grandma's Night" and potluck dinner are planned. A short business meeting will follow. For more information, call Marilyn Coleman, 728-7144.

COFFEE TIME

The Plymouth Newcomers will hold a neighborhood coffee at 10 a.m. Tuesday, May 19. Those attending will be able to learn about the organization and to meet new friends. For reservations, call 453-0852 or 459-8316.

NEWBORN CARE

The Plymouth Childbirth Education Association will offer a two-week course for expectant couples on newborn care. The course will begin at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 19, at Geneva Presbyterian Church, 5835 N. Sheldon Road, Canton. The class-

es give information on care and development of the newborn from birth to the age of 3 months. To register or for more information, call 459-7477.

CANTON GOP

The Canton Republican Club will meet at 8 p.m. Tuesday, May 19, at the Canton Historical Museum, 1150 S. Canton Center Road, Canton.

REFUNDERS

The Refunders Club will meet at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, May 20, at the Plymouth Grange Hall, 273 Union St. Those attending should bring refund forms, proofs of purchase and complete deals to trade. New members may attend.

EXERCISE CLASS

The Plymouth Childbirth Education Association is offering a six-week prenatal exercise class beginning at 7-8:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 20. The class will continue through June 24 and will be held at Newburg Methodist Church, 36500 Ann Arbor Trail, Livonia. Classes include non-aerobic exercises for toning and strengthening. To register or for more information, call 459-7477.

TALENTED

The Plymouth-Canton Association for Academically Talented (PCAAT) will meet at 8 p.m. Wednesday, May 20, at the cafeteria of Central Middle School in Plymouth. Those attending will discuss reorganization of the group. The meeting will also include presentation of an appreciation award. The public may attend. For more information, call Cindy Hillquist, 455-7132, or Mary Jane Weidenbach, 981-4638.

STATE'S ARTIFACTS

The Plymouth branch, American Association of University Women, will meet at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, May 21, at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer St. State Sen. Jack Faxon, D-Farmington Hills, will speak on preservation of Michigan's artifacts. For AAUW membership information, call 453-6115.

THESPIANS

A reunion banquet is planned for all former members of the International Thespian Dramatic Honor Society, Troupe 354 of Plymouth Salem/Canton High School. The event is planned for Friday, May 22. For more information, call Gloria Logan, 451-6600 Ext. 243. Logan is also looking for addresses of alumni.

LET'S DANCE

Westside Singles will hold a dance from 8:30 p.m. to 2 a.m. Friday, May 22, at Roma's of Livonia, on Schoolcraft Road west of Inkster Road. Dressy attire should be worn. For more information, call the hot line, 562-3160.

DIVORCE GROUP

The Women's Divorce Support Group will meet from 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday, May 26, in the conference room of the Lower Waterman Campus Center at Schoolcraft College, 18600 Haggerty Road, Livonia. Attorney Jacqueline Theisz will discuss legal aspects of divorce. The support group is sponsored by the Women's Resource Center at the college. Advance registration is not required. For more information, call 591-6400 Ext. 430.

WISER

WISER-Widowed in Service will meet at 8 p.m. Tuesday, May 26, at St. David's Episcopal Church, 27500 Marquette, off Inkster between Ford and Cherry Hill in Garden City. The speaker will be Margaret Wolds, former teacher and founder of the "New Start" group for widowed people. Advance registration is not required. The support group is spon-

sored by the Women's Resource Center at Schoolcraft College in Livonia. For more information, call 591-6400 Ext. 432.

RETIRED PERSONS

The Plymouth-Northville Chapter No. 1311, American Association of Retired Persons, will meet at noon Wednesday, May 27, at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer St. Those attending should bring a sack lunch. Coffee and tea will be available. Helen Gilbert, an author from Plymouth, will speak on "Tonquish Tales." Area senior citizens may attend.

HARASSMENT

A sexual harassment workshop will be held Saturday, May 30, in Room 104 of the Administration Building at Madonna College, 36600 Schoolcraft, Livonia. The program is sponsored by the Detroit Area Chapter, Association for Women in Science. The first session will begin at 9 a.m. Topics to be covered include harassment in the workplace, in high school and in academia. An attorney will discuss sexual harassment and the law. A panel discussion is planned for 12:45 p.m. The public may attend; there is no admission charge. For more information, call 349-3161 or 370-3403.

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FISH NEEDS HELP

A Plymouth-Canton volunteer or-

ganization of neighbors helping neighbors is in need of volunteers to answer calls or drive on a once-a-month basis. For more information call FISH at 485-1110.

FIRST STEP VOLUNTEERS

Anyone interested in volunteering for First Step, the western Wayne County project on domestic assault, may call Theresa Blase at 555-3230 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. "Our volunteers come from all walks of life. They are sensitive, caring people interested in helping families to see alternatives to living in violence," says Judy McDonald, executive director of the center in Westland. Volunteers provide services such as peer counselors, child advocates, 24-hour crisis line workers, night managers, fund-raising, community education.

CANCER VOLUNTEERS

Anyone will to serve as a van driver or in another volunteer capacity in the Michigan Cancer Foundation office on Main Street in Plymouth

may call the foundation's West Service Center at 334-4110 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Volunteer drivers last year logged more than 34,000 miles. Because radiation therapy and chemotherapy often require daily visits for several weeks, a patient often will have five, three or more drivers during the course of one week's treatment. Michigan Cancer Foundation is a Plymouth Community Fund/United Way Agency.

CEP VOLUNTEERS

Teachers at Plymouth Salem and Plymouth Canton high schools need volunteers to type, make bulletin boards, help in the reading lab, input for computer circulation in the library, or serve as speakers and resource people in the areas of social studies, German and French. Native French and German speakers also are needed. If you can donate an hour a week, call Cyndi Burnstein 1-10 p.m. at 485-9435.

AMATEUR PERFORMERS

The Plymouth Community Arts Council is updating its list of amateur performers who are willing to share their time and talent with students. The resource list is provided by the PCAC to all elementary teachers in Plymouth-Canton Community Schools. Particularly needed this year are dancers, singers and musicians. If you or someone you know has a special skill they are willing to share, call Pat MacIsaac at 483-9061.

EMERGENCY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Plymouth Township Office of Emergency Preparedness needs volunteers to be trained in skills that will be used during an emergency or disaster. Training includes damage assessment, shelter management, first aid, emergency operating center support and service weather spotting.

Training meetings are held from 9 a.m. to noon on the fourth Saturday of each month in Plymouth Town-

ship Hall at Ann Arbor Road and Mill. Township residency is not required. All training is free.

WANTED: CIVIC RADIO HELP

Plymouth Area REACT Team is looking for members for emergency radio communication (no experience necessary) and other community programs. All residents from Plymouth, Canton, Northville and surrounding areas are invited. The group meets at 8 p.m. the second Thursday of each month at Plymouth Township Hall, Mill at Ann Arbor Road. For more information, call 485-9009 or 483-7841.

TRIDE WITH US

Plymouth Area Citizens Team program is made up of volunteers from Plymouth and surrounding communities who patrol the Plymouth area. The organization is looking for volunteers to devote one night (four-five hours) per month to be the "eyes and ears" for the community. Those interested in going on

an observation ride with a PACT member should call 485-2979.

MEDICAL HELP

Henry Ford Hospital is looking for men and women 18 and older as volunteers at the Plymouth Center on Main Street east of Farmington. Needed are people with all types of skills to help with patients or to perform clerical and other tasks. Nurses also are needed for blood pressure screening. For information, call the volunteer services department at 876-1876 from 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

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Schoolcraft candidates stress backgrounds

By Wayne Peal
Staff writer

Schoolcraft College Trustees candidates stressed background more than issues during Thursday's "Meet the Candidates" forum.

That's because they differed little on the issues.

All said no to tax increases; yes to fine arts classes and part-time instructors. All pledged to keep tuition low and education quality high.

But Laura Toy, Wendell Smith, Charles Greig and Robert Sadler each promised to bring a special perspective to the community college board.

Two will be elected June 8. Winners receive six-year terms.

TOY STRESSED her long association with the school.

"I've been with the college since

we had hard times and through the good times as well," Toy said. "I think we're the number one community college in Michigan."

Toy said Schoolcraft should continue its innovative collective bargaining method.

"We sit faculty and management down and ask them what their needs are," she said. "It's a much more humanistic way to bargain. It's a participatory style of management."

Toy, 33, holds an associate of arts degree from Schoolcraft and is a member of the Schoolcraft College Foundation and Schoolcraft Alumni Association. The Livonia resident has been a trustee since 1981. Toy owns Caldwell Florist, Livonia.

SMITH SAID he's prepared for a full term after serving as an interim board member since October.

"I feel I've gotten the best orienta-

tion you can get," the Plymouth resident said.

Smith said Schoolcraft programs should be flexible enough to meet employers' changing needs.

"We find we even have to build buildings that are multi-functional," he said.

Smith, 55, is president of Nu Trax/Chatham Supermarkets, Inc. He has been a national vice president and state president of the U.S. Jaycees.

GREIG STRESSED his long background in education.

"I've been in education all my life," the 66-year-old Northville retiree said. "I should think my expertise would serve me well."

Greig is a consultant for the Wayne County Intermediate Schools. He is also executive secretary of the Wayne County Association of School Administrators and the Wayne Coun-

ty Retired Superintendents.

Greig said Schoolcraft should do more to help high school dropouts.

"We need to pick these kids off the street, test them to find what their abilities are and develop a program to help them make it," he said.

SADLER SAID his time spent coaching youth and adult sports sharpened his ability to listen to people's concerns.

"With the experience I've had, I'd be able to add insight," the Livonia resident said.

Sadler, 33, coached youth hockey in Livonia and Redford Township and has been an instructor with the Livonia Schools Leisure Time program. He is a product design engineer for Ford Motor Co.

Sadler said he was concerned about development of Schoolcraft property. The college is working

with a private developer to construct an office complex on about 18 undeveloped acres. A hotel may also be included.

"To my way of thinking, the best

way to find out about it is to be a Schoolcraft Trustee," he said.

Incumbent Joanne Stimpson is running unopposed for a four-year seat. Stimpson didn't appear during Thursday's forum.

Benefit dinner set

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Yeast rolls complement any dinner

Contrary to popular belief, it's very difficult being a good food writer, a good cook and a good liar.

Once again this year, the annual springtime Janes Gang gathering is upon us and I will have to contend with smiling through another one of those store-bought, sugary-sweet buns that never slice the way they look on TV. If that wasn't enough, I'll have to peddle in appreciation of the "dinner rolls" my sister baked that everyone could tell came right from a "poppin' fresh" container. I am sure those rolls were one of the reasons God made butter.

My sister happens to be one of those people who allows yeast rolls to intimidate them. While I have attended gatherings that could have had the guests playing hockey with the rolls, there's really very little to be scared about when baking rolls.

Though any bread recipe can be baked as rolls, dinner rolls are usually enriched with some extra butter, eggs, sugar and sometimes sour cream and cheese. Refrigerator rolls were originally devised to provide a week's worth of fresh rolls and breads from one batch of dough. The dough is held, covered and weighted to prevent rising in the refrigerator and can be used as needed.

So a roll is a roll, is a roll you say? Basically yes. In content, that is. Shape however, is another story. One traditional shape is the Parkerhouse roll named after Harvey D. Parker, owner of the well-known Boston hotel of the same name.

To make Parkerhouse rolls, roll once risen dough on a lightly floured surface to about one-third of an inch thick. Cut into rounds using a biscuit or cookie cutter. (Your's truly thinks on old jelly glass with Wilma Flinstone on it works best, but they're hard to find). Using a chopstick or the blunt edge of a knife, make a deep indentation across the diameter of each roll and then fold one side over NOT even with the bottom. Brush with butter, allow to rise, then bake. (You know, after all the research I did on this article I was rather disappointed that Harvey Parker got all this fame and adulation just because he folded his rolls a little different. I guess I expected more.)

A cloverleaf roll is simply three small balls of dough cooked in a buttered muffin tin. Dip each one-inch ball of dough into melted butter and place 3 balls in each muffin tin. Allow to rise and watch everyone go ohhhhhh and aahhhh.

Now fan shaped rolls always impressed me. Even the ones in the grocery store always turned out perfect. To this day, I never knew that all you did was roll out the dough to 1 1/4-inch thickness and then slice into one-inch strips. Stack 6 layers deep and cut into one and one half inch squares. Stack on end in a buttered muffin tin, brush with butter and allow to rise for pull apart rolls that will simply melt in your mouth.

Crescent rolls are especially attractive and because they are so small and dainty, I feel like I could eat 12 and not notice any were gone. To make crescents, roll out the dough into one quarter inch thickness and cut with a sharp knife into triangular wedges. Roll each wedge from the wide end (caution here -- you'll really screw up if you start at the point). Place on a baking sheet with the point underneath. Then bend ends toward each other to make a moon shape. Leave two inches between each and allow to rise.

Soft sided rolls, like the ones served in my favorite Chinese restaurant are easily made in a cake or pie pan. Shape the dough into 2-inch balls, dip in melted butter and place them almost touching a butter cake or pie tin. The best yeast rolls are glazed with a simple brush of melted butter which gives a fine, soft finish. If you are looking for a clear shine, beat one egg yolk with 1 tablespoon of water and brush before baking. For a slightly darker glaze, brush one egg yolk with 2 tablespoons cream.

So if you really want to do somebody who brings poppin' fresh rolls to a party a favor this year, send them this copy with the attached recipes in a plain, unmarked envelope. Better yet, include a few samples. Bon Appetit!

STANDARD YEAST ROLLS (makes about 16)

1 pkg. active dry yeast
1 tsp. sugar
2 tbsp. lukewarm water
1 cup milk
2 tbsp. butter
2 1/4-3 cups flour
1 1/2 tsp. salt

In a small cup, dissolve yeast and sugar in water. Let stand until foamy, about 10 minutes. In a saucepan, heat milk with butter till melted. Cool to lukewarm. In a mix-

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Microwave not just for reheating



photos by RANDY BORST/staff photographer

Renee Deter removes the standing rib roast from her combination convection-microwave oven. Many people just use the microwave for reheating, she says, but adds that, with a bit of experimentation, almost any food can be cooked in a microwave with delicious results.

Fast oven a valuable tool

By Arlene Funke
special writer

Many microwave owners never venture beyond warming up leftovers or heating water for instant coffee.

Renee Deter, a home economist and former food demonstrator, thinks the microwave can be a valuable kitchen tool, no matter the size or makeup of the family. Deter has two microwaves in her Farmington Hills home, which she uses to the exclusion of her conventional stove and oven.

"The number of microwaves (being bought) has been building as women go back to work," said Deter, who has considerable experience demonstrating microwave cookery.

"People realize this tool adds to their expertise in providing nutritious meals to their family. I very seldom use my oven or range top."

DETER BELIEVES people are intimidated by their microwave ovens. They don't know how to convert recipes, how much time to allow for cooking, or they fear ruining an expensive cut of meat. So they use the microwave primarily for warmup.

"You have to be willing to risk some failures to gain experience," Deter said. "Don't let failure be the last word. There are enough people around to provide the correct information, if people would just ask."

"Depending on your lifestyle, warmups are fine. The trick is to find out what and how much you can use this tool. How can I maximize its use?"

Deter (pronounced (Dee-ter), 39, is a home economist with the Washtenaw County Extension Service, where she provides education on a variety of topics.

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Microwave meal is quick & easy

RENEE DETER'S MICROWAVE BREAD PUDDING

1 loaf raisin bread, cut in cubes
2 cups milk
1/2 stick margarine
5 eggs
1 cup sugar, divided
1 tsp. cinnamon

Combine milk and margarine and microwave on high for 3 minutes until margarine melts. Beat eggs and 1/2 cup sugar together. Add hot milk mixture to egg mixture. Place bread cubes in round tube microwave dish. Mix 1/2 cup sugar and cinnamon together

and sprinkle over bread cubes. Pour liquid over bread cubes and push bread into the milk. Place light covering of wax paper over dish. Microwave at 70 percent for 15-17 minutes. Let stand for 3 minutes. May serve hot or cold, with rum sauce.

STEAMED VEGETABLE MELODY WITH CHEESE SAUCE

1/2 bunch broccoli
1/2 head cauliflower
1 carrot sliced thinly and diagonally

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The finished meal is delicious as well as beautiful to look at. Potatoes and carrots make a colorful and nutritious addition to the platter. Asparagus with hollandaise sauce is simple and fast when cooked in the microwave oven, which keeps food tender and juicy.

MackKinnon lives a lifelong dream

By Mary Rodrique
staff writer

He's been caterer to the stars, cooking for Paul McCartney, Rod Stewart and a European court.

Bob Seger is among the regular clientele at his popular downtown Northville eatery. For chef Tom MacKinnon, it's living a dream.

"I always knew I wanted to cook — ever since I was 4 years old and my mother was a food major," said MacKinnon. "At 12 I went to work for my dad in the Dearborn Federal Credit Union cafeteria."

MacKinnon got his first paying job at 15 washing dishes at Blakeney's Ranch House in Farmington Hills, his hometown. Several other restaurant stints were to follow, including the Great Dane on Northwestern Highway and Restaurant Duglass.

"Over the years I finally made it to cook," said MacKinnon who lives in Northville with his wife and two children.

A GRADUATE OF Southwest Vocational School in Walled Lake, MacKinnon got a degree in culinary arts from Schoolcraft Community College, where he was named Grand Champion in 1976 for a liberty bell sculpture done in tallow (lamb fat).

The unlikely creation was a winner in the Michigan Food Show during the Bicentennial year, and took further honors in Chicago.

Honing his cooking skills, MacKinnon created his own European tour. He spent six months cooking for Count D'Ansembourg (a family friend) in his Luxembourg castle. At Romeyer, a Belgian restaurant with a three star Michelin rating, MacKinnon perfected saute, pastry, sauces, and garde mange (salad and dessert making).

"It was like military school," recalled MacKinnon, 31. "Nine chefs lived in the same 12 by 12 box. But it sure was fun learning."

MacKinnon got his own apartment when he



BILL BRESSLER/staff photographer

Tom MacKinnon has realized a lifelong dream becoming the owner of his own restaurant, MacKinnon's, in Northville.

went to work at Wittmeyer Pastry Shop in Brussels, where he learned to make chocolates, ice creams, pastries and other delicacies.

"I didn't gain weight because I had to walk two miles to work every day," he said. Everyplace he worked, MacKinnon took pictures of food.

"I'd take pictures of the whole recipe, the presentation, always with having my own restaurant in mind. I can look at pictures and know the recipe."

MACKINNON worked for Paul McCartney during his Wings Over America tour and for Rod Stewart in Brussels. He was also a bartender at the Hard Rock Cafe in Brussels.

Back home, MacKinnon put together a food program for the University of Michigan-Dearborn campus in 1978 at Fair Lane Mansion, the former home of Henry Ford. He worked at a few more places before launching MacKinnon's six years ago.

"It was a diamond in the rough," MacKinnon said. "The town was in the middle of a

renovation — there were plywood boards out front instead of sidewalks."

The building, just east of Center on Main, was a former coney island with a liquor license. MacKinnon and his partner, Leonard Wades, a 65-year-old retired orthodontist, transformed the restaurant into a cozy place with Tiffany lamps and nature paintings Wades created himself.

An outdoor cafe was added the second year, complete with umbrellas and a fountain. It can seat 40, compared to seating for 62 inside.

The cuisine is nouvelle American.

"It's worldly — European but American, too. I use a lot of Michigan products with (European) techniques. My favorite part is inventing in the kitchen. I just do the fun stuff."

MacKinnon admits to many 16 hour days, but "I don't notice it."

Much of the staff of 42 have been with him since the beginning, including day chef Kirk Stephens and night chef Steve Shaugenessey.

MACKINNON'S cuisine has received additional exposure on the former Good Afternoon, Detroit show, where he was billed as the No Nonsense Chef creating quick dishes for three years. He was also a regular feature on Channel 7's Kelly and Co. and Channel 50's Morning Break show.

MacKinnon is working on a cookbook with chef Larry Janes (Janes writes the "Taste Buds" column in the Observer & Eccentric) on new American cuisine. He promises the 250 recipes will include secrets cooks always want to know, like how to work with chocolate, and sauces. It will include a whole line of appetizers and a section on barbecue and smoking in addition to entrees and desserts and 50 recipes that can be completed in 4 minutes (from his Good Afternoon, Detroit file).

The cookbook should be available by Nov. 1 at Kitchen Glamour, Hudson's and area bookstores.

Microwave ovens lose bun-warmer image

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SHE FORMERLY worked for the Oakland County Extension Service, and also was a consumer services representative for the Michigan Consolidated Gas Co. Deter, who graduated from Eastern Michigan University, was a consultant to a major manufacturer of microwave ovens, and has prepared foods with the local chefs Douglas Groch (Chef Douglas) and Yvonne Gill.

Deter recommends that microwave owners take a class to learn how to operate the appliance, then build confidence and success with easy recipes.

"Unless people got classes, they made mistakes and they were discouraged, and (the microwave) ended up being a glorified

bun-warmer," Deter said. Microwaves are renowned for cooking quickly. What are their other advantages?

BECAUSE MICROWAVES cook so rapidly, there is little evaporation, Deter said. Meats and fish are moist and tender. Vegetables retain crunch, color and vitamins. A special browning dish is required to brown or crisp some foods which require a short cooking time.

Because the dish is prepared more quickly, there is less cleanup, Deter said. Often the entire dish can be prepared in the same container. Speedy cooking results in less energy expended. When used properly, the microwave is safe.

"I like to see small microwaves used by

seniors," Deter said. "If (the person) has a fainting spell, the microwave would shut off (unlike a conventional stove). I think it has an advantage to people with limited mobility, because all you have to do is push buttons. They can prepare the food themselves, or reheat what somebody else brings."

Deter received her first microwave oven several years ago from her husband John, a financial planner. Now, their home has a standard microwave oven and a micro-convection oven, which combines microwave energy and dry heat.

SHE ENJOYS preparing and serving tasty, nutritious food that has eye-appeal. She likes to delve into new methods for preparing and marketing food, and getting information to the public.

"I like to be creative," Deter said. "I enjoy photographing (food). I'm interested in new technology, on how people can help themselves, such as using videos as an option for classes."

Deter emphasizes that cooks should refer to the cookbook and instruction booklets which accompany their microwave. Charts are provided showing the amount of liquid needed and proper cooking times.

A few more hints are as follows:

• Rotate, stir or move the food during the cooking time to allow for even heating.

• Cook dense, heavy food first. Allow these foods to stand while preparing other dishes which need less time.

• To convert recipes from conventional cookery to microwave, find a recipe that uses comparable ingredients, then reduce moisture or volume.

• Cook fresh vegetables on high power for seven minutes per pound. Cover vegetables, allowing a vent for steam to escape. Tight-skinned vegetables, such as potatoes and squash, should be microwaved, uncovered, piercing first with a fork to allow steam to escape.

• Always take care to avoid being scalded when removing covers.

• If a recipe calls for cooking 5-7 minutes, cook to the lesser time to avoid overcooking.

A lot of people have problems in realizing that the molecules still cook after turning off the microwave," Deter said. "Remove the food when it looks moist, or slightly undercooked. So often we have the tendency to cook things to the 'done' look."

"You can always add more time, but you can't take it away."

Recipes reveal oven's versatility

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Wash and separate vegetables. Slice carrots. Place on round tray and cover. Cook vegetables on high 4-6 minutes. Allow to stand. Pour cheese sauce over and serve.

CHEESE SAUCE

2 tbsp. butter or margarine
2 tbsp. flour
Salt and pepper to taste
1 cup milk
1 cup shredded cheddar cheese

Melt butter in 2-cup measure, about 45 seconds. Blend in flour until smooth, then add milk and microwave on high 3 minutes. Whisk well and microwave 1 minute more on high. Stir in cheese until melted and pour over vegetables. (Recipe courtesy of J.C. Penney microwave class.)

RENEE DETER'S FISH STUFFED WITH CRAB

1 lb. sole or monkfish (2 fillets)
¼ cup chopped onion
¼ cup chopped green pepper
1 tbsp. chopped red pepper
1 6-oz. can crabmeat, drained
2 tbsp. bread crumbs
½ tsp. salt (optional)
½ tsp. lemon pepper
Sauce (Optional)
½ cup tomato juice
¼ tsp. oregano
¼ tsp. basil
3 lemon slices

Combine onion and pepper, microwave in microwave-safe bowl on high for 3 minutes. Stir in crabmeat, bread crumbs, salt and lemon pepper. Take one fillet and lay it on microwave rack. Spoon on crumb mixture and cover with second fillet. Mix tomato juice, oregano and basil to make sauce. Microwave on high for 1-2 minutes. Pour ¼ of the sauce over fillet and top with lemon slices. Cover with wax paper. Microwave on full power for 6-8 minutes, or until

bottom is flaky. Rotate dish halfway through. Serve with remaining sauce.

MEAT LOAF

Combine in mixing bowl:
1 lb. ground beef
½ lb. ground pork
1 envelope onion soup mix
1 slice bread, crumbled
1 egg
¼ cup tomato juice or milk

Pat into baking ring. Sprinkle with browning powder or reserved onion soup mix. Cover with waxed paper. Microwave on high for 6-8 minutes or to 150 degrees. (Recipe courtesy of "The Microwave Cookbook and Primer" by Maryann Zepp, 1987, Good Books)

QUICK CHERRY CRUNCH

Spread evenly in 8-inch square baking dish:
1 can cherry pie filling
Combine in bowl and sprinkle over pie filling:
1 pkg. single-layer yellow cake mix
¼ cup nuts, chopped
2 tsp. brown sugar
2 tsp. cinnamon
Melt and pour over top:
¼ cup butter, melted

Cover with waxed paper and microwave on high for 12-14 minutes or until topping is no longer doughy.

(Recipe courtesy of "The Microwave Cookbook and Primer")

ALMOND BUTTER CRUNCH

Combine in 2-quart glass measure and microwave on high for 12 minutes or to 300 degrees:

1 cup butter
1 ½ cups granulated sugar
1 tsp. corn syrup
3 tsp. water
Stir in 1 cup almonds, chopped

Pour onto buttered cookie sheet. Cool and break into pieces. (Recipe courtesy of "The Microwave Cookbook and Primer")

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Becoming a chef

Road to profession starts with education

On the first day of school, culinary students eager to become master chefs always ask me, "How long did it take you to become a chef? When can you call yourself a chef?"

This is a valid question for a young person just starting in the culinary field. Students can look forward to at least two years of schooling, many years of work experience, and required continuing education courses to climb the ladder of chef certification as defined by the American Culinary Federation, the nation's largest professional association of cooks and chefs.

These career requirements came as a result of Congressional lobbying by the ACF in the 1940s. The U.S. Department of Labor changed the classification of cooks and chefs from domestic status to professional status. Chefs were finally being recognized as skilled professionals, not unlike lawyers and accountants.

The road to becoming a Certified Master Chef begins with education. Many students attend full-time culinary programs such as those found



Benita Wong

at Oakland Community College, Schoolcraft College and Macomb Community College. Other students opt for an apprenticeship program, such as the one at Oakland Community College, which allows them to work full-time, study part-time and complete their course work in three years.

Upon graduation and verification of 6,000 hours of cooking experience, apprentices must pass an American Culinary Federation Educational Institute standardized test to become a Certified Cook or Baker. College students do not need to take this test but must verify their working hours. Both need to join their local ACF chapter which for this area is the Michigan Chef de Cuisine.

Some students and apprentices are subjected to the rigorous "mystery box" test in order to graduate. Students are given a box of foodstuffs, i.e. beef, sole, broccoli, strawberries, etc., of which they have no prior knowledge and are expected to produce a four- or five-course meal. At the end of the day, the meal is served to a panel of judges.

The Certified Cook or Baker is the first rung on the ACFEI certification ladder. After several more years of experience and responsibility in the kitchen, the cook can apply for Certified Working Chef or Pastry Chef. After more years of experience, responsibility for such areas as personnel, menu planning, payroll and cost control, the chef can apply for Certified Executive Chef or Pastry Chef.

In just the last five years, the newest and highest level of certification has been defined - Certified Master Chef. To reach this level, the candidate must pass a series of very rigorous tests, both practical and oral. This two-week long test is done only

at The Culinary Institute of America in Hyde Park, New York, since all testers must have already achieved the Master Chef level.

There are only 21 Master Chefs in the United States. Michigan, and specifically the Detroit area, is the home of three of them - Chef Miles Cibulka of the Golden Mushroom in Southfield, Chef Leopold Schaal of Macchus Red Fox in Bloomfield, and Chef Leon Kortstjens of St. John Hospital in Harper Woods, who are all members of the Michigan Chef de Cuisine, along with more than 160 other cooks and chefs in the Detroit area.

Returning to the problem of how to answer my students' questions, I usually answer, "It takes a lot of time, education and love of the business."

Benita Wong is a Certified Working Chef. She runs the catering department at Oakland Community College and is a chef/instructor at Washtenaw Community College.

Homemade dinner rolls are a real treat

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ing bowl, combine yeast mixture with milk mixture and add 1 1/2 cups of the flour. Beat vigorously till well combined. Cover with a towel and allow the sponge to rise for 1 hour. Stir down the sponge and stir in the salt. Add 1 cup additional flour to make a soft dough. Turn onto a floured board and knead until smooth and elastic, about 10 minutes. Butter a large bowl, turn dough in the bowl to butter the top, cover with a towel and allow to rise for 1 hour. Punch down, make favorite roll shape and allow to rise, then bake in a 400° oven for 12-15 minutes or until golden.

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1/2 cup milk
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1 packet active dry yeast
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1 1/2 cup lukewarm water
2-3 1/2 cups flour

In a saucepan, heat milk with butter till melted. Cook to lukewarm. Stir in sugar and salt. In a mixing bowl, dissolve yeast in water, let stand 5 minutes. Beat egg and milk mixture into yeast. Beat in 3 cups flour. Beat well. Place dough in a well-greased bowl. Turn dough to cover, then wrap with plastic wrap and place a plate with a weight on it in the refrigerator for up to 5 days. To use: remove as much dough as needed and prepare the rolls and allow to rise until doubled in bulk, about 1 hour. Preheat oven to 425°, place rolls as desired and bake for 12-15 minutes or until golden.

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TV spots for "The French" (PG-13) are attractive, but don't be misled. They've picked out the film's sexiest scenes and 40-second television commercials.

Don Barlett (John Cusack) runs through a predictable series of misadventures while trying to catch up with his girl, Lori Greenberg (Wendy Gazelle), who is vacationing with her family in the Caribbean.

Barlett teams up with an eccentric ex-cop, MacLaren (Robert Loggia), to destroy drug-running gangsters whose leader, Victor Ramsey (Jerry Stiller), has kidnapped Lori and her family.

THERE'S VERY LITTLE heat in the pursuit, which has two speeds, slow and stop. When the film fails to have viewers with its tedious pace and childish predictability, it falls back on that old reliable technique: "Mix in everything."

The film has adolescent romance with intimations of steamy sexuality, drugs, kidnapping, murder, travel and romantic locales. Top it off with the old standard, a salty captain

helping the young hero mature at sea while the storm battles their boat. That's "Hot Pursuit" — 88 minutes of dreary, childish cinema.

For more sophisticated delirium, try "L'Amour Des Mueurs" ("The Year of the Jellyfish" — unrated). For almost two hours the Jellyfish is becalmed on the Riviera, while the 18-year-old Chris (Valerio Kaprisky) guards a girl. Most of the other guys on the beach, in the beds and on the slick yachts also are asked, as are some of the guys, but that's not the problem. The problem is that Chris is mentally unbalanced. Apparently it all stems from the death of her dog, Howard.

This terrible trauma leads Chris down the road to degradation, depravity and other nasty things. She has a lesbian roommate, Tani (Hedwig Thibault), at boarding school. Tani covers for Chris while she is getting pregnant by Vic (Jacques Perrin). That was in a flashback and we're spared the agony of her abortion while her other depravities are paraded across the screen.

CHRIS HAS an affair with a German couple and the husband is so disgusted he leaves his wife, who



the movies
Dan Greenberg

Chris panders to Vic's father. Meanwhile, Chris' mother is getting it on with Romain (Bernard Giraudeau), the local pimp, for whom Chris has the hot. She seems to be the only girl in the region that Romain desires.

Now, the motivation for all this has to be more than the death of the dog. Chris' father is a workaholic? Vic's wife is drowning in ennui?

So is the audience. What is truly remarkable about this film is that it packs so much activity into two well photographed hours that are so monotonous. Apparently the message of "Jellyfish" is that life is decadent, boring and tedious. So's the movie.

If you're not snoring after hotly pursuing jellyfish, try "Ishtar" (PG-13). Best of the three, it's still no bargain. This Elaine May film about a never-has-been songwriting team, Rogers and Clarke (Dustin Hoffman and Warren Beatty), falls pretty flat on its satiric face.

Surprisingly, Elaine May's talented sense of comedy is poorly realized in this elaborate film about two losers who find fame and fortune singing in a Moroccan nightclub, the Chez Casablanca. In their spare time they entangle themselves in Middle Eastern politics and an Arab revolu-

tion led by Isabel Adjani.

"ISHTAR" IS GREATLY faulted in structuring a comedy around the Middle East's tragic problems. That topic just is not funny, particularly the way it's handled. This inappropriate subject is compounded by a one-dimensional, stereotypical bad guy, the Emir, and his CIA supporter. There's plenty to satirize, but it takes more than foolish caricatures to make points about international conning.

If the central motivation for the chase, the map, were more clearly drawn, the film would have been fleshed out. As presented, the situation is a weak, one-line signal for revolution. It's hard to believe the map stimulated any passion or violence. If the characters don't care, why should the audience?

None of this would matter if events were a simple backdrop for enlightened nonsense by Hoffman and Beatty. While there are occasional moments of hilarity, for the most part the comedy fails to strike a spark.

Lack of energy and personal charisma lead to "Ishtar's" downfall. The film may not be as dull as "Hot Pursuit" and "Jellyfish," but it's close behind.



John Cusack is Dan Barlett, a young student who follows his girlfriend to a Caribbean island and misadventure, in "Hot Pursuit." Also in the film are Wendy Gazelle, Robert Loggia, Monte Markham, Shelley Fabares and Jerry Stiller.

table talk

More mystery

Another "Murder Mystery" dinner at the Roadhouse in Brighton is coming up at 7 p.m. Friday, May 22. Guests will dine on entrees of lake trout, prime rib or walnut chicken, as actors from Ann Arbor draw diners into a play that unfolds as the night progresses. Dinner and show is \$35 per person, with a portion being donated to the University of Michigan Burn Center. For reservations call the Roadhouse at 229-4800.

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Q: What can I win in this sweepstakes?

A: The top prize will be \$50,000.

Q: How do I enter?

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Q: What is the deadline for entries?

A: Entries must be received at the above address on or before July 1.

Q: Are there any restrictions for entries?

A: Yes. Because each subscription includes three drawings without charge, Super Lotto subscriptions will not be entered in the sweepstakes. Multi-draw subscriptions can be entered only after all drawings on the ticket have been conducted. All entries become the property of the Michigan Lottery and cannot be returned.

Q: How will the sweepstakes drawings work?

A: A series of random drawings will be conducted by a Lottery drawing manager. All winning tickets will be drawn on July 1, 1987, and they will be mailed to Lottery officials no later than July 15.

Q: What happens next?

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Loan avoids payless county paydays

A \$60 million loan will help Wayne County to meet its payroll — for now.

County commissioners unanimously approved the loan Thursday, heading a warning from county executive Edward McNamara.

McNamara said "payless paydays" would begin in June without the loan.

The county will issue \$60 million in tax anticipation notes through the Michigan Bond Bank. Notes will be

paid off when county taxes are collected in February.

Commissioners were to have approved the loan last week, but delayed. A letter from deputy county executive Michael Deegan apparently ended their concerns.

Deegan's letter described the role of Miller, Confield, Padlock & Stone, the county's bond counsel. Commissioners questioned whether Miller, Confield representatives could serve as bond counsel for the county and the state bond bank, as well as serv-

ing on a county advisory committee to screen bond applicants.

"A conflict of interest we thought was there, wasn't," Commissioner Susan Raina, R-Norville Twp., said.

Commissioners are hopeful, but

not certain the bond issue will ease financial pressure through the end of the year.

A dispute with the state over \$60 million in budget cuts payments worried some commissioners, even as they voted for the bond issue.

As of last week, the dispute was unresolved.

Wayne County has reached bond issues, Commissioner Milton Mack, D-Warren said. "If this isn't resolved, we could see the fourth largest county in the U.S. facing bankruptcy by next year."

Computers taught

Schoolcraft College's Continuing Education Services Division is offering an eight-week course in micro-computer applications, beginning Friday, May 22.

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Rocks lose softball showdown to Lions

By Dan O'Meara
staff writer

There was no doubt Plymouth Salem's softball team was capable of challenging for a state championship, but the same was true of South Lyon.

Two of the top ballclubs in Class A went head-to-head in a predistrict qualifying game Wednesday, and the latter emerged with a 1-0 victory on the Rocks' field at Centennial Educational Park.

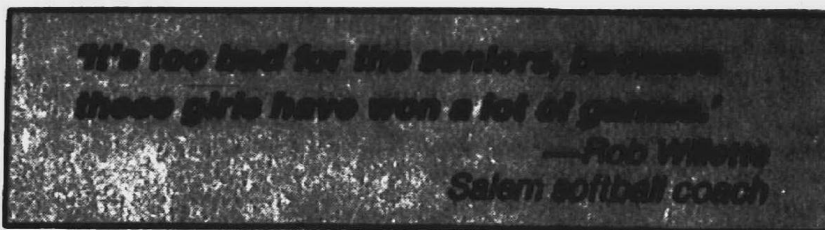
"It would have been nice to meet them a little later on," Salem coach Rob Willette said. "But if you have

to play a good team, you're going to face them sooner or later.

"We played as well as we could. You just can't win a game without scoring a run."

South Lyon, 18-7 overall and the No. 1-ranked team in the state, will play Plymouth Canton at 4 p.m. Friday in a predistrict game at Canton. The loss put Salem's season record at 17-3.

THE LIONS, who lost in the state semifinals a year ago to eventual winner Livonia Franklin, received outstanding pitching and the game-winning hit from Andrea Nelson.



Pitching for the first time in two weeks, she tossed a two-hitter. She had been idle since suffering a bruised arm in a game against Milford. An opposing player fell on Nelson's pitching arm while she was sliding into second base.

"I kept telling (the Salem players)

that just because she was hurt didn't mean she was not going to pitch," Willette said. "So it's not like we weren't ready."

"It's too bad fast-pitch softball can be dominated by one player," he added. "If a team has someone who can strike out a lot of people and

knock in a run, you don't need too many fielders."

South Lyon scored the game's only run after two were out in the third inning. Renee Wheeler walked and Nelson, who is bound for the University of Michigan on a softball scholarship, drilled an RBI double to the fence in left field.

KIM BERRIE pitched a five-hitter for Salem, and the Rocks got a couple of excellent plays in the field to keep the Lions from scoring in other innings.

South Lyon put two runners on base with back-to-back singles in the

first, but Sheryll Gildo stabbed a low liner off the bat of Melinda Choate for the third out.

In the fifth, the Lions again had runners at first and second with two down and Nelson at the plate, but Sandy Oberliesen made a shoestring catch on a fly ball in left field to get the Rocks out of the inning.

"Kim did a pretty good job," Willette said. "The girl who scored walked, but you can't fault (Berrie) when you give up only one run to the No. 1 team in the state."

Salem's best scoring opportunity

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BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

Mike Burt of Plymouth Canton returns a volley to North Farmington's Jay Graff during their No. 1 singles final in the WLAA tennis championships. Burt was runnerup in the

league, but he defeated three-time defending champion Ken Davidson of Farmington Harrison in the Western Division finals.

Canton runnerup to resurgent N. Farmington in league tennis

By Dan O'Meara
staff writer

A review of North Farmington's boys tennis season reads like a classic rags-to-riches success story.

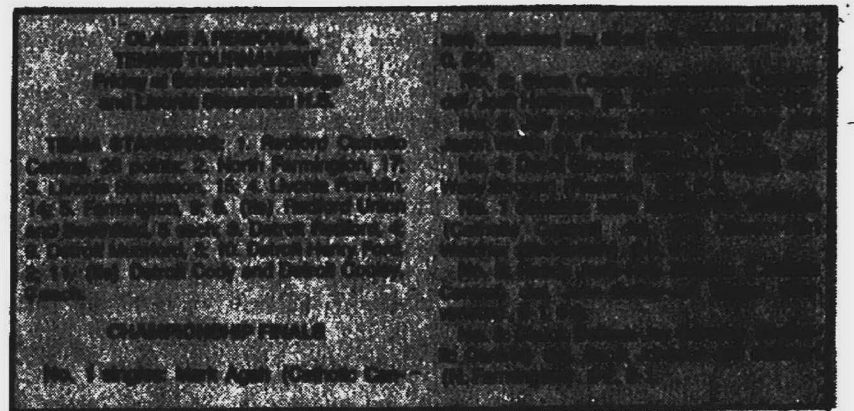
The Raiders, having had little to brag about in recent years, did a turnaround this spring and won the Western Lakes Activities Association championship under first-year coach Marianne Ring.

The 1987 squad also became the first North team to qualify for the state tournament in Friday's Class A regional at Schoolcraft College, and that kind of success wasn't expected of the Raiders when the season began.

"I didn't think they were very confident," said Ring, who played tennis at the University of Michigan and was a nationally-ranked junior player.

"BUT ONCE WE started winning, their confidence really took off. We were always taking it one match at a time, but we realized we had a shot because we were doing very well."

The Raiders went unbeaten (10-0) through the WLAA dual-meet season and finished 11-1 overall. North ended up with league champions at Nos. 1 and 2 singles in Jay Graff and Josh Hoffman, but the Raiders were noted for having a strong lineup



from top to bottom by season's end.

"When we started, I had them fill out cards," Ring said. "I wanted to know what their goals were and what they thought we could do as a team."

"I'm going to go back and look at those cards, because I think it will be pretty interesting to see what they said."

HAVING GRAFF move into the school district from Danville, Ill., gave the Raiders another talented player and made the team stronger, Ring said. Plus, it enabled her to play Hoffman, who had been the team's No. 1 singles player, at No. 2 and thus strengthen the lineup.

"I knew a few of the players, but I didn't know the potential of the

team," Ring said. "It took a long time to figure out the lineup, especially the doubles. The weather was very bad at the beginning of the season, and I didn't have many chances to experiment with doubles combinations."

North was represented in three flights at Wednesday's WLAA finals — Jason Weiss was the No. 3 singles runnerup — but the entire team put the Raiders in the driver's seat after Tuesday's Lakes Division championships. North singles and doubles teams advanced to the division final at every flight, helping the Raiders accumulate a league-high 17 points entering Wednesday's action.

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Salem edges Canton for district title

By Dan O'Meara
staff writer

Plymouth Salem coach Ken Johnson thought Jill Estey would make a difference in Saturday's district soccer final against Plymouth Canton.

His prediction was very precise as Estey scored the winning goal in the Rocks' 3-2, two-overtime victory at Ann Arbor Huron High School.

Salem, 13-2-2 overall, will meet the Brighton district winner in a first-round regional game at 4 p.m. Wednesday at Centennial Educational Park. The championship game will be played Saturday at 2 p.m. at Lansing's Waverly High School.

Estey, Salem's leading scorer, didn't play when the teams tied 1-1 in the regular season, and Johnson figured the sophomore forward would play a decisive role in the postseason meeting.

SHE DID JUST that as far as determining the outcome, but the

Chiefs played an excellent defensive game and kept Salem's big scorers in check much of the time.

"Jill — it was a good thing we had her," Johnson said. "But I must say the Canton team didn't deserve to lose. There was no domination at all."

"In fact, I think (Canton) played a slightly better passing game. We just hung in there with stamina and spirit."

With less than two minutes left in the second overtime, Estey took a centering pass to the right of the Canton goal but was tripped up. She got up quickly and fired the shot that broke the deadlock.

"It was typical Jill," Johnson said. "I knew she'd do it."

"If she shoots 20 times a game, eventually she'll hit it."

CANTON PLAYED a zone-style defense against Estey, and coach Don Smith was pleased with the overall effort.

"That was the only real shot she

had the whole game," Smith said of Estey's goal. "She had a couple indirect kicks, but no real shots."

"I think they figured they'd handle us pretty easily (with Estey in the lineup), but I think we proved them wrong."

Salem led 1-0 at halftime on Sara Hayes' goal, and the Chiefs tied it when Candi Jones' shot glanced off the fingertips of outstretched goalie Ellen Schnackel.

THE ROCKS came right back, however, to go in front again on Rachel Thiet's header. But Canton's Jenny Russell tied it a short time later with direct shot.

Canton, 11-3-3, had the best scoring chance in the first overtime, but Jamie Royston, who replaced an injured Schnackel, managed to cover a shot that hit the Salem goalpost.

"We were making their defense make a lot of mistakes back there," Johnson said, "but we couldn't capitalize on them."



RANDY BORST/staff photographer

District soccer

Carrie Maier, left, led Farmington to a 2-1 district soccer win over Livonia Ladywood, but the Falcons lost 3-0 to Livonia Churchill in Saturday's final. See Page 3C for results of district semifinal games involving Plymouth Canton and Salem, North Farmington and Farmington.

Canton trounces Harrison in track

PLYMOUTH CANTON trounced Farmington Harrison 79-49 to improve its record to 3-0-1 in WLAA girls dual meets Wednesday. The loss dropped Harrison to 3-1 in the league.

The Chiefs dominated in the running events, winning all but the 3,200-meter contest, and they also captured three of the four field events.

Canton's Heather Miller won the 100 dash (13.9), Tricia Carney the 200 and Angie Miller the 400 (1:03.8). The latter was the Chiefs' only double winner in individual events, also taking first in the high jump at 5-3.

In the longer runs, Canton's Sherry Figurski won the 800 in 2:37.2 and Cindy Spessard the 1,600 in

girls track

5:46.0. The Chiefs' lone relay victory came in the 800 in which they had a 1:53.4 time.

In other field events, Canton's Susan Ferko won the shot put (31-3) and Vicky Minar the discus (88-6).

Harrison's Tracey Radke won the long jump (14-8), Jane Peters the 300 hurdles (50.1) and Jenny Anderson the 3,200 run (12:42.2).

The Hawks captured the 400 relay with a 53.9 clocking, the 1,600 in 4:37.3 and the 3,200 with a 10:40.0 time.

Salem trackmen smash North

Plymouth Salem won its fifth straight dual meet in boys track Wednesday as the Rocks trounced North Farmington 83-53 on the latter's track.

Salem, 5-0 in the Western Lakes Activities Association and 5-1 overall, dominated the contest by winning three relays, all but one of the running events and three field events.

Kevin Jones got two of the Rocks' victories, winning the 1,600- and 3,200-meter runs with times of 4:47.0 and 10:19.0.

IN ADDITION, Salem's Brian Neuhardt won the 200 dash in 23.3, J.P. LaRoche the 400 in 52.2 and Alan Rye the 800 in 2:05.0. The Rocks also won both hurdles races, Keith Smith taking the 110 highs in 16.2 and Jeff Armstrong the 300 lows in 41.1.

In the field events, Jay Blaylock was first in the discus (135-6), Doug

boys track

Soho in the high jump (6-2) and Sean Hunter in the long jump (20-1 1/4).

The Rocks also won the 400 relay in 45.8, the 800 in 1:35.0 and the 3,200 in 9:05.0.

North's Mark Weintraub won the 100 dash (11.5), Andy Avery the shot put (44-5) and Brad Armstrong the pole vault (8-6). The Raiders, 1-3, turned in a 3:40.0 time to win the 1,600 relay.

FARMINGTON HARRISON also chalked up another victory in a successful dual-meet season, defeating Plymouth Canton 75-62 Wednesday. The Hawks improved their record to 6-0.

Despite losing three relay races,

Harrison won the meet on the strength of Aaron Yaverski's domination of the sprints, Mark Bonasso's double victories in the field events and first-place finishes in both hurdles contests.

Yaverski turned in times of 10.5, 22.8 and 53.2 to win the 100, 220 and 440 dashes, respectively, and Bonasso won the shot put (43-3) and discus (133-1 1/4).

HARRISON'S BOB Conlon won the 120-yard high hurdles in 15.6, and teammate Wes Wood captured the 330 lows in 40.1. The Hawks got first place in the 880 run, Chad Burgess posting a 2:04.4 time.

Canton's Jay Swiecki won the mile

(4:37.6) and two-mile (9:37.3), Tyrone Reeves the long jump (21-3 1/4) and Steve Genyk the high jump (6-0).

The Chiefs recorded relay times of 45.6 in the 440, 1:35.3 in the 800 and 3:49.9 in the mile. Harrison won the two-mile relay in 8:35.9.

FARMINGTON WON three relays and dominated the running events Wednesday as the Falcons crushed Livonia Stevenson 88 1/2-48 1/2 in boys track.

Brandon London won the high jump (6-0), long jump (19-9) and 400-meter dash (51.8) to pace Farmington, 3-3 in dual meets.

Pat Imus, Bill Lindbert and Matt Walter each won an individual event and participated on winning relay teams, too.

Imus was the 300 low hurdles winner (42.4), Lindbert won the 300 dash (23.4) and Walter outdistanced

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the week ahead

BASEBALL
Monday, May 18
 Liv. Church at Ply. Canton, 4 p.m.
 W.L. Western at W.L. Western, 4 p.m.
 Farm. Harrison at Northville, 4 p.m.
 Farmington at W.L. Western, 4 p.m.
 W.L. Central at N. Farmington, 4 p.m.
 Ply. Canton at W.L. Western, 4 p.m.
 Red. Thurston at Taylor Center, 4 p.m.
 Luth. West at Farmington, 4 p.m.
 St. Agatha at Edsel Ford, 4 p.m.
Tuesday, May 19
 Dearborn at Garden City, 4 p.m.
 Woodhaven at Redford Union, 4 p.m.
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 Bishop Borgeas at W.L. Western, 4 p.m.
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Wednesday, May 20
 South Lyon at Garden City, 4 p.m.
 Farmington at Farm. Harrison, 4 p.m.
 Ply. Canton at Ply. Canton, 4 p.m.
 W.L. Western at W.L. Western, 4 p.m.
 W.L. Central at N. Farmington, 4 p.m.
 Red. Thurston at D.H. Annapolis, 4 p.m.
Thursday, May 21
 Redford Union at Dearborn, 4 p.m.
 Wayne Memorial at Trenton, 4:15 p.m.

PREP SOFTBALL
Monday, May 18
 Ply. Canton at Liv. Church, 4 p.m.
 Liv. Church at W.L. Western, 4 p.m.
 Northville at Farm. Harrison, 4 p.m.
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 Liv. Church at Ply. Canton, 4 p.m.
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 Claremont at Luth. West, 4 p.m.
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 Redford Union at Dearborn, 4 p.m.
 Trenton at Wayne Memorial, 4:15 p.m.

BOYS TRACK
Tuesday, May 20
 Metro Conference at Luth. West, TBA.
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 Liv. Church at Farm. Harrison, 3:30 p.m.

Glenn downs Salem diamondmen

By Ken George
 special writer

When two baseball teams with a combined record of 23-4 meet — and they're fighting for first place — something's got to give.

Something gave Wednesday, and it was Plymouth Salem, which fell to Westland John Glenn, 9-5, on a combination of strong hitting, excellent pitching and clutch defense.

With the win, Glenn (15-2) clinched first place in the Lakes Division of Western Lakes Activities Association over Salem (10-3).

Junior Clint Straub went the distance on the mound for Glenn, giving up two earned runs on three hits. Straub also provided much of the firepower at the plate, going 3-for-4 with a double and a home run. He had two runs batted in and scored three runs.

"He's a gamer," said an excited coach Norm Hoenes after the game. "The tougher it gets, the tougher he gets."

JOHN GLENN took advantage of Fidel Casero's wildness in the first inning for three easy runs. Casero walked the first four batters and at one point threw 11 straight balls.

Chiefs split twinbill with Franklin

Plymouth Canton held off a late rally by Livonia Franklin to beat the Patriots 8-7 and gain a split in the second game of a baseball double-header Wednesday.

The Chiefs built an 8-4 lead after six innings, but Franklin scored three times in the top of the seventh to come within a run. The Patriots had the tying run at third base when Steve Waite struck out the last batter to end the threat and the game.

Franklin won the first game 5-2 behind a 10-hit attack. Vince Fox hit a two-run homer to account for Canton's only runs, and Tony Boucher had two of the Chiefs' three hits.

"We didn't get beat because we didn't hit," Canton coach Fred Crissey said. "We got beat because we didn't play defense."

Following a pop out and a strikeout, Casero walked two more batters before being removed by Salem coach John Gravin.

Glenn, which left the bases loaded, went hitless in the inning.

"He can do that (lose his control) from time to time," said Gravin. "But he's been good with that this year. He had two strikes on a few of those hitters, and he was actually just a pitch or two from getting out of the inning."

Three runs is usually enough with Straub on the mound, but Salem came right back in the first, with Tim Dowd hitting a two-run home run well over the 385-foot mark in right-center following a walk to Jerry Sumner.

Dowd, who is hoping to play at either Eastern or Western Michigan, raised his season's RBI total to 27. It was his fifth homer.

Though Salem started out with a bang, it finished with a whimper, getting just two hits the rest of the way.

IN THE SECOND Glenn got two more runs on a monstrous home run by Rick Tavormina off Shane Smith. Straub, who had doubled, scored on the play.

Salem threatened in the third and fourth innings, each time putting runners on second and third with two outs. Straub got out of trouble in the

fourth when what looked like a double by Sumner was caught on a dive by centerfielder Chris Scheffer.

In the top half of the inning, Scheffer had singled in two runs to give Glenn a 7-3 lead.

Salem rallied for two runs in the fifth, thanks to three errors, two by Scheffer.

Straub added some insurance for himself in the sixth with a line-drive homer to left.

Salem closed to within 8-5 in the bottom of the sixth on a botched catch and a bad relay throw, and again had runners on second and third, when Straub closed the inning out with a strikeout.

Casero returned to the game in

baseball

the seventh in relief of Smith and Straub knocked in the final run with a single.

"I had to get him back in there to get his confidence up," said Gravin. "We have some big games coming up."

THE GAME ENDED the way big games should end — with a great play. Pat Pettit dove and speared a one-hop liner behind second base, then recovered in time to complete a force at second.

"They're definitely the best team we've faced," said Gravin. "They have a ton of pitching with Straub, (Bill) Barber and (Mike) Hammon-tree."

"Clint got a little tired," said Hoenes. "But, he is our No. 1, and I would rather lose with him than bring someone in."

Barber, the No. 2 pitcher, was hurt and unavailable.

Glenn had beaten Salem earlier in the season, 3-2.

Rock softball team squeaks past Rockets

Jessica Handley scored the game-winning run in the top of the seventh inning Wednesday as Plymouth Salem edged Westland John Glenn 6-5 in Lakes Division softball action.

Handley walked to start the rally and was sacrificed to second by Marcie Walker. Ann Mundinger then hit a grounder to third and was thrown out at first, but, when the first baseman threw wildly to third, Handley coasted home on the error.

Salem's Denise Tackett smashed a two-run homer in a three-run fifth inning that gave the Rockets a 5-3 lead, and Mundinger had an RBI

triple in the third when Salem went in front 2-0. Handley also had a three-base hit.

Laura Sewesky, making her first varsity start, was the winning pitcher, extending her record to 3-0.

Salem trackmen roll over Raiders

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the competition in the 3,200 run (10:20.6).

LINDBERT and IMUS teamed up with Chris Inch and Mark Langdon to win the 1,600 relay in 3:38.2, and Walter and Inch were joined by Don Sweeney and Ron Smedley in

giving the Falcons first place in the 3,200 relay (8:35.1).

In other events, Farmington's Andrew Holliday captured the pole vault (12-0), Tom Hundt the 800 run (2:04.8) and Steve Quenneville the 1,600 run (4:50.6).

The foursome of Lamont Hardge, Randy Ryan, Karl Borbi and Dave Barringer won the 800 relay for the Falcons with a 1:35.5 effort.

Stevenson's Ed Belyk won the shot put (50-½) and the discus (140-4).

Former prep star wins wrestling title

Dave Dameron, former wrestling standout at Plymouth Salem, won a national championship in Greco-Roman competition May 3 in Schenectady, N.Y.

Dameron, who recently was named the University of Michigan's freshman athlete of the year, competed for the Ann Arbor-based Cliff Keen Wrestling Club at 136½ pounds in the Esporl Tournament.

Dameron earned the 20-and-under bracket's No. 1 seed for the World Team Trials July 27-Aug. 7 in Pensacola, Fla. The wrestlers selected from that competition will represent the United States at the World Championships Aug. 10-15 in Vancouver, British Columbia.

In the tournament final, the 18-year-old Dameron defeated Paul

Walker, a junior at the University of Wisconsin, 9-2.

IN EARLIER matches during the one-day tournament, he whipped New York's Gene Monaco 18-0, pinned Chris Saba of New York in 3:20 and defeated Oregon's Shawn Gritelli 17-9.

Under the rules governing the competition, Walker and Gritelli, who was third, can challenge Dameron for a place on the World Team in Pensacola. But Dameron needs only to defeat each of them one more time to secure his position. They would have to defeat Dameron twice to supersede his performance in the national meet.

Dameron, a former Class A state champion while at Salem, posted a 23-13 record in his first year at U-M.

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Chiefs finish 2nd in tennis

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"During the season, you just never know how a player is going to play on a particular day," Ring said. "That was one thing about our team. Everyone seemed to balance each other out."

"If SOMEONE wasn't playing well, the others compensated and played better. That was the chemistry thing. If I said someone was down, that seemed to motivate them to do better."

Ring took on a potentially difficult task for a woman, coaching a boys sport, but she developed a rapport with her players which established her authority and became part of the team chemistry, too.

"It was very gratifying for me," the 26-year-old Ring said in regard to producing a winner in her first try at coaching. "In the beginning, it was important to gain their respect, and being a woman I didn't know how it would be."

The Raiders probably won't sneak up on anybody next season, however. North has only one senior in captain and No. 3 doubles player Scott John-

tennis

son. Otherwise, the team returns in-lact.

Plymouth Canton, with 14 points and two singles players and one doubles team in the finals, was North's closest challenger and ended up second.

CANTON'S JIM Gallagher won the No. 3 singles title, while third-place Plymouth Salem's Bob Barr won at No. 4 singles, and Scott Hobbs and Matt Lore captured the No. 3 doubles championship.

At No. 1 singles, Graff defeated Canton's Mike Burt, who eliminated three-time, defending champion Ken Davidson of Farmington Harrison in the Western Division finals.

Livonia Franklin enjoyed its best finish with a fourth-place showing. The Patriots had one champion — the No. 1 doubles team of Aaron Tweedy and Chris Mazer — and two runnersup.

def. Bob LaChance-Mike Schultke (Churchill), 6-3, 6-2.

No. 3: Scott Hobbs-Matt Lore (Salem) def. Jeff Williams-Dan Nowicki (Canton), 6-3, 6-2.

LAKES DIVISION FINALS
Tuesday at Livonia Stevenson

No. 1 singles: Jay Graff (N. Farmington) def. George Gerig (Stevenson), 6-4, 2-6, 7-5.

No. 2: Josh Hoffman (N. Farmington) def. Clement Diglio (Stevenson), 6-0, 6-2.

No. 3: Jason Welles (N. Farmington) def. Layne Harrington (W.L. Central), 6-0, 6-2.

No. 4: Bob Barr (Salem) def. Joe Howitt (N. Farmington), 7-5, 6-2.

No. 1 doubles: Breach-Garard (Salem) def. Berman-Steinbock (N. Farmington), 6-0, 6-3.

No. 2: Bailey-Wiegel (Stevenson) def. Rooman-Greenberg (N. Farmington), 7-6, 6-0.

No. 3: Hobbs-Lore (Salem) def. Johnson-Seitman (N. Farmington), 6-4, 2-6, 7-5.

WESTERN DIVISION FINALS
Tuesday at Plymouth Canton

No. 1 singles: Mike Burt (Canton) def. Ken Davidson (Harrison), 4-6, 7-5, 6-4.

No. 2: Paul Fujimoto (Franklin) def. Doug Kamieski (Canton), 7-6, 7-5.

No. 3: Jim Gallagher (Canton) def. Scott Smith (Franklin), 6-4, 3-6, 6-1.

No. 4: Wally Stroyan (Franklin) def. Steve Schmidt (Canton), 6-4, 2-6, 6-1.

No. 1 doubles: Tweedy-Mazer (Franklin) def. Herrmans-Sarsfield (Harrison), 7-5, 6-3.

def. LaChance-Schultke (Churchill) def. Riggio-Ryke (Harrison), 4-6, 6-1, 6-4.

No. 3: Williams-Nowicki (Canton) def. Nagy-Verant (Churchill), 6-4, 6-4.

No. 2: John Bailey-Jeff Wiegel (Stevenson)

Plymouth Canton's Mike Burt led the Chiefs to a second-place finish in the WLAA tennis championships. Teammate Jim Gallagher

won the No. 3 singles title, and Jeff Williams and Dan Nowicki were runnersup at No. 3 doubles.

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FIVE-MILE RUN

The Ninth Annual Canton Country Festival Five-Mile Run is scheduled for Saturday, June 20.

The race begins at 9 a.m. with check-in and late registration set for

8 a.m. at the Canton Township Administration Building. The registration fee is \$6 prior to Thursday, June 18, and \$7 after that date.

Entries should be sent to the Canton Parks and Recreation Department, 1150 S. Canton Center Road,

softball standings

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Plymouth Rock II	1	2
Mack's Machine	1	2
Rusty Nail	0	3

WHITE DIVISION

	W	L
Bowling-Trophy/Press Box	3	0
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Canicle	2	1
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Moeller Manufacturing	1	2
Pepsi-Southtown Market	1	2

BLUE DIVISION

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Amoco	2	0
Gingell Chiropractors	2	1
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Schultz Agency	1	1
Express Package Service	1	1
Canton Free Methodist	0	1
Dearborn Gage	0	2
Plymouth Towne Apartments	0	2

GREEN DIVISION

	W	L
Dental Diplomats	2	0
Christ Good Shepherd	2	0
Eagle MTC	1	1
R & N Flooring	1	1
St. Michael I	1	1
St. Michael II	1	1
St. Michael III	0	2
Geneva Church	0	2

LEGAL NOTICE

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH "SUMMER HOURS"

Please Take Notice: that beginning Tuesday, May 26, 1987, all Township Hall offices will begin summer hours. They are as follows:

8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. Residents may make payments of water bills (checks only) by using the mail slot to the right of the rear entrance doors.

Regular working hours will resume on Tuesday, September 8, 1987. The regular hours are as follows:

8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

The Township Hall is located at 42350 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth, Michigan 48170. Telephone 453-3840.

ESTHER HULSING, Clerk

Publish: May 14, 18 and 21, 1987

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH "DOG LICENSES"

LEGAL NOTICE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE beginning June 1, 1987, dog licenses are \$7.00. Dog licenses are available in the Treasurer's office at Township Hall, 42350 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth, Michigan. Telephone 453-3840. Office hours are 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday thru Friday.

To obtain a license, you must show proof of a current rabies vaccination. The above is in accordance with the Charter Township of Plymouth Dog Ordinance, NO. IV-G.

MARY A. BROOKS,
Treasurer

Publish: May 18, 1987



CITY OF PLYMOUTH SUMMER WORKING HOURS

Beginning Tuesday, May 26, 1987, all City Hall offices will begin summer working hours as follows:

8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. - MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY

Residents may make payments for tax bills, water bills and parking tickets by using the drop box located next to the Treasurer's office window before and after regular office hours.

Payments for tax bills and water bills can also be made at the following local banks:

Comerica Bank - Lakepoint Village Branch
First of America Bank of Plymouth
National Bank of Detroit - Main Street, Plymouth

Regular winter working hours will resume on Tuesday, September 8, 1987 as follows:

8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. - MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY

35th DISTRICT COURT

The 35th District Court is located near Hillside Inn at 660 Plymouth Road, and has office hours as follows:

8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. - MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY

GORDON G. LIMBURG, CMC
City Clerk

Publish: May 18, 1987

Rocks gain final over River Rats

All three and three games played in Plymouth Salem advanced to the Class A district soccer final by beating Ann Arbor Haven 4-0 at Canton's Memorial Educational Park.

The game was only three minutes old when Haven scored what proved to be the game-winning goal as an assist from Lisa Hayes.

Hayes, a freshman, scored the next two goals to give the Rocks a 3-0 halftime lead. Hayes assisted on Haven's first goal at the 10-minute mark, and Mary Smith had an assist on the second, which came just four minutes later.

Hayes's successful penalty kick 15 minutes into the second half concluded the scoring.

"JILL IS AN expert on that," Salem coach Ken Johnson said of Hayes's ability to capitalize on such opportunities. "She puts it right in the corner."

Salem's domination on the offensive end was evident in that it had 20 shots on goal to only three for the River Rats. Ellen Schnackel was in goal for the first half of play, and sophomore Jamie Royston, who had been performing on the JV squad, completed the shutout in the second half.

Huron played a very conservative game, keeping eight players back on defense and seldom venturing into Salem's end of the field.

"They didn't want (the score) to get away; they wanted to keep it respectable," Johnson said.

CANTON 7, BELLEVILLE 3: After escaping with a 1-0, sudden-death victory over Ann Arbor Pioneer in the first round of the district tournament, Plymouth Canton grabbed an early lead Wednesday en route to a 7-3 triumph over Belleville.

"We came out with a little more desire," Canton coach Don Smith said. "I think (the earlier game) scared them a little bit. Plus, another day's rest might have helped, too."

The Chiefs took a 4-0 halftime lead as Michelle Lonigro opened the scoring and later added three assists.

Candi Jones got Canton's second goal, and Molly Menard scored the last two of the first half. Russell had two first-half assists, Michelle Fortier and Lonigro one each.

Raiders advance in soccer

Beth Chrisco scored three goals and Kristi McMinn had four assists Wednesday as North Farmington trounced Walled Lake Central 6-1 and advanced to the district soccer final at Walled Lake.

The Raiders took a 3-1 lead into halftime, Chrisco scoring the first two goals, Mo O'Brien getting the third and McMinn assisting on all three.

All three figured in the second-half scoring as O'Brien, McMinn and Chrisco scored in succession to give North a one-sided victory. McMinn got her third assist on O'Brien's goal, and Sandy Spahn's passes led to the Raiders' last two goals.

North recorded 23 shots on goal,

the Vikings four. Leanne Adle was in goal for the Raiders, who improved their record to 7-9.

FARMINGTON 2, LADYWOOD 1: Farmington overcame a 1-0 deficit in the second half Wednesday to defeat Livonia Ladywood in a district semifinal soccer contest at Schoolcraft College.

The Falcons made a rush on the Ladywood goal to get the tying score. Jennifer Misaros penetrated the Blazers' defense with a pass to Margaret Martin, who outmaneuvered the Ladywood goalie and passed to Carrie Maier, who tapped the ball into the net.



PLANNING COMMISSION, NOTICE CITY OF PLYMOUTH, MICHIGAN

A special meeting of the Plymouth Planning Commission will be held on Thursday, May 21, 1987, at 7:30 pm in the Commission Chambers of City Hall to consider the following:

NR-87-11 - Site plan review for 684 West Ann Arbor Road. New service garage and showroom building. Property zoned B3 General Business.

All interested persons are invited to attend.

Publish: May 18, 1987

SCHOOLCRAFT COLLEGE NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

"In compliance with Act No. 43, State of Michigan second extra session of 1963, the Schoolcraft Community College district publishes this notification of public hearing on the 1987/88 college budget. This hearing is to take place at 7:45 p.m. on Wednesday, May 27, 1987, at the Administration Building, 18400 Haggerty road, Livonia. A copy of the budget is available for public inspection at the above address.

ADELARD H. RABY III,
Vice President for
Business Services."

Publish: May 18 and 20, 1987



NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS

WEEDS AND GRASSES TO BE CUT ON LOTS IN THE CITY OF PLYMOUTH, MICHIGAN

On or before May 15, 1987, it shall be the duty of every owner, occupant or person having charge of any land within the City of Plymouth, Michigan, to cut and destroy noxious weeds and grasses upon said land, or shall cause the same to be done. Failure to comply with this notice and Article 6, Revised Section 9.62, 9.65 and 9.66 of Chapter 106 of the Plymouth City Code means that the City will enter upon said lands and mow the weeds and grasses and bill the property owners for the service.

The City will begin mowing all unmowed lots or plots of land on May 26, 1987 without further notice to the property owners.

GORDON G. LIMBURG, CMC
City Clerk

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Monday, May 18, 1987, 6:45

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**CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH
BOARD OF TRUSTEES - SPECIAL MEETING
May 12, 1987**

Supervisor Breen called the Special Meeting of the Township Board of the Charter Township of Plymouth to order at 7:01 p.m. in the large Conference Room of the Township hall.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Maurice Breen
Esther Hulsing
Smith Horton
Abe Mumfakh
Andrew R. Pruner

MEMBERS PRESENT: Mary Brooks (excused)
Jim Irvine (excused)

OTHERS PRESENT: Jack Nora, Attorney
Larry Groth, Fire Chief

The item to be discussed was the progress in negotiations with Local No. 1406 of the International Association of Firefighters. It was moved by Mr. Pruner to move to Closed Session. Supported by Mr. Mumfakh. Ayes all on a voice vote.

The Closed Session was ended by Supervisor Breen at 7:30 p.m. after which the Board returned to Open Session.

It was moved by Mr. Mumfakh and supported by Mr. Pruner that the Special Meeting adjourn at 7:32 p.m. Ayes all on a voice vote.

Respectfully submitted by:
Esther Hulsing, Clerk

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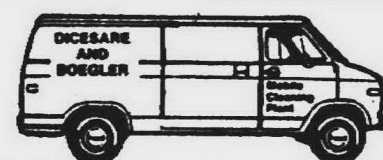
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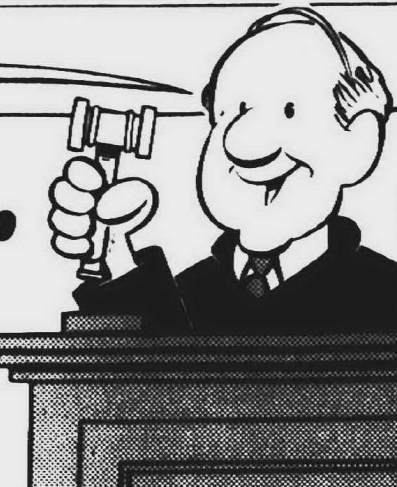
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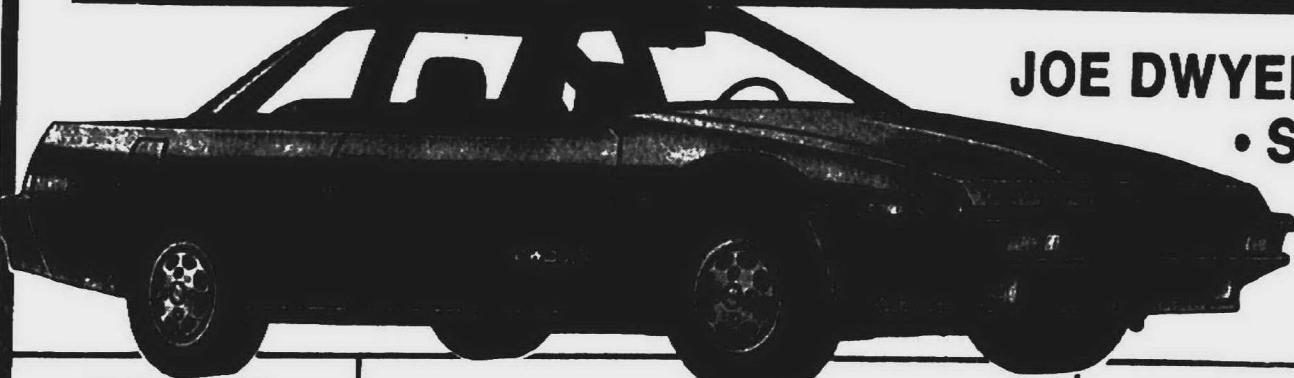


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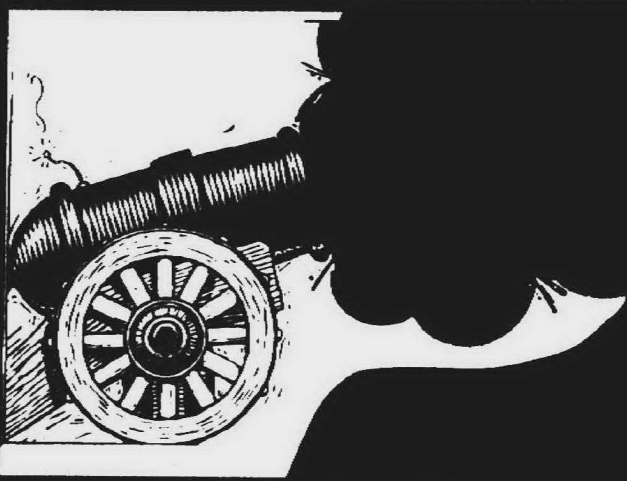


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Summer ROMANCE

By M.B. Dillon
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Ernie and Sly weren't the first, and won't be the last, to recognize that when summer arrives, so does our yearning for romance.

"My libido gets going in the summertime," said a 34-year-old Livonia man who requested anonymity.

"I think it's due to the hot weather, but that's just my theory."

Westland's Gloria Mathiesen, 20, met her boyfriend last May at a party.

"It's easier to meet people in the spring and summer. In the winter a lot of people I know don't want to go out because it's so gross out. People have more time during the summer and there's more going on."

"People are happier in the spring and summer. There's sunshine," added Mathiesen, who with her boyfriend enjoys outdoor summer sports.

Garden City's George Vaclavek, 22, agrees that weather has lots to do with the pining of the heart. "During the summer, you can actually see what a person looks like. People are out and about doing things and you can see more of them."

Vaclavek, taking a break from his job at a college bookstore, says it's easier to go camping and to travel in the summer.

"I just got back from a weekend date in Chicago. In the winter you really can't walk around and see all the buildings."

"It was sunny and in the 80s, so we went to the beach. They have five miles of waterfront, sand, grassy areas, boats, and people — right off Lakeshore Drive."

THE RIGHT ENVIRONMENT can help spawn love affairs, he added.

"I went to Lake Tahoe for a summer and stayed a year. I started out as a snackbar attendant and when I left I was assistant casino supervisor at Harrah's."

Experiencing romance in a scenic resort like Tahoe isn't unusual, and "I had a couple. People move in and out a lot," he said.

Cathi of Farmington Hills can attest to a

setting having everything to do with falling in love.

A few summers ago, she landed a job serving buffalo burgers at Ruby's — a touristy restaurant within yodeling distance of Mount Rushmore in South Dakota.

Being in the right place at an opportune time led to a three-month romance with Mr. South Dakota (no kidding).

WHEN THE topic turns to love, it seems few theories can be refuted.

It's a seldom-studied, albeit all-important, facet of human life.

"It is amazing how little the empirical sciences have to offer on the subject of love. Particularly strange is the silence of psychologists," says Leo Buscaglia, an education professor at the University of Southern California who lectures and writes about love.

"We are biased against all theories that try to prove the power of love and other positive forces in determining human behavior and personality," offers Pitirim Sorokin, Harvard University sociologist.

"It appears to us something illusory. We call it self-deception, the opiate of people's minds, idealistic bosh, unscientific delusion."

It's Buscaglia's opinion that the flourishing of love depends less on sunshine than on the ever-present, basic need all of us have to give and receive affection.

"One loves because he wills it, because it gives him joy, because he knows that growth and discovery of oneself depend upon it," he says.

We've probably all willed love into our lives. But that's not to say joy is necessarily the immediate outcome.

Reminiscing about a bombed attempt at summer love, a Redford Township woman recalls something that happened to her one June.

The phone rang. It was a long-awaited call from an 18-year-old she was mad for.

Against her better judgment because she'd just had four teeth pulled, she said yes when he asked her to double date with some friends that night.

After catching "Sometimes a Great Notion" at the drive-in, they were enjoying a few cocktails in a strategically parked car when he went to kiss her. She finally broke the news: "I had four teeth pulled today."

"What?" he replied in disbelief.

"I had four teeth pulled. I'm getting braces."

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One summer memory

It lasted from June til October of 1979, and for years it filled my head with the sweet melancholy of unfulfilled fantasy.

She was, I was sure, perfect. My friends called her GM, which stood for genetic marvel.

She was a summer intern at the Detroit Free Press, and I met her at a party shortly after her arrival from the University of Madison, where she had just graduated. There were fashion photographers at the party, and I assumed she was a model when she caught my eye the instant she entered the room.

Someone introduced us. She was a fellow writer. She had a boyfriend back in Madison.

Tall and curvy with a wild head of hair, she was witty and had a contagious laugh. I went home infatuated and called

her the next morning for a date.

We became instantly and deliriously (for me) inseparable. I had been absolutely possessed by a recent divorce and hopelessly depressed. Suddenly, though, the past was forgotten.

We played tennis and Frisbee and softball — she could throw and hit as well as most men. We loved the same movies. We gobbled down huge amounts of Mexican food at Xochimilco's before it was trendy. We sat on summer nights in the bleachers at Tiger Stadium.

She talked less and less of her boyfriend.

We always knew that summer would end.

Days grew shorter, colder. Fall approached.

She sent out job resumes and applications. No matter what, she said, we would stay friends. We would write and

call and continue to share our uncanny sense of knowing each other so well.

Something more than the fall was wrong, though.

There was mutual respect, mutual love and mutual lust. Yet, only rarely would she spend the night.

She would come over after work or on the weekends, and at midnight or one in the morning, she would leave. Maybe tomorrow, she'd say.

Early one morning I went to her place. She was to pick me up for a U-M football game and I had no reason to be there, but I was, sitting in my car watching her leave the apartment a star reporter.

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Inside



Workout warmup

It's time to hit the golf courses, tennis courts, softball diamonds or hiking and biking trails. But muscles that performed no task more strenuous than changing the channel selector all winter aren't ready for summer's more active lifestyles.

Boatominiums

When boaters slip their vessels into a boat well these days chances are they own the parking spot as well as the boat. More and more boaters are sinking their cash into these "boatominiums."

R & R in the jungle

Does documenting the sexual habits of orangutans sound like your kind of vacation? Is unearthing Mayan treasures in the muck of Belize your idea of a swell time? Then boy, has Earthwatch got a vacation for you!

Photo finesse

Capturing all the fun, sun and sand of your vacation on film can be a snap. Proper preparation before you shoot will make sure that everything clicks.

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You don't have to eat in to eat out



CAMILLE McCOY/staff photographer

Eating out is in at outdoor cafes such as Norman's Eton Street Station in Birmingham.

By Sharon Dargay
staff writer

Monsieur. Madame.

I 'ave a lovely table for deux near le piano bar. If you would be so kind to follow me.

Pardon? Zis is not to your liking? My apologies. A booth perhaps?

Zis also is not acceptable? Hmmm. . . .
Ow about our newly remodeled sushi bar? Le banquet room? Le snack bar?

Ow about le sidewalk because zat's where you are going to end up in a minute if you keep zis up.

You want to sit outside?
Mon ami! Why didn't you say so? Zats easier zan keeping up zis phoney French accent.

I can show you somesing in le Wayne County. Or le Oakland County. Ow about somesing in le Birmingham?

Birmingham

• Norman's Eton Street Station, 245 Eton — With flowers in bloom and lights aglow, the fenced patio "is so beautiful you'd want to have a wedding there," says office manager Jane Linder.

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Sky's the limit when eating out at these locales

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The patio seats 60 and the menu includes fish, stir fry, steaks, salads and sandwiches with prices ranging from \$4.95 to \$14.95.

• **Midtown Cafe**, 120 S. Woodward — The walled patio seats 60 doors 11:30 a.m. to 3 p.m., daily, weather permitting. The lunch menu ranges from \$1.99 for a salad greens salad to \$8.95 for scallops. Dinner, at \$19.95, tops the dinner menu.

• **Ashby's of Birmingham**, 395 S. Woodward — The breakfast and lunch crowd can watch passersby from three choppy tables. Hours are 7 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Saturday and 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., on Sunday. Fare ranges from \$1.50 to \$7 and includes such items as omelette, waffles, French toast, sandwiches and salads.

• **The Big Chill**, 111 Henrietta — The specialty here is American and Italian ice cream, but soup, salads and sandwiches, ranging from \$1.35 to \$3.50, also are available. Twelve people can dine alfresco from 10 a.m. to 11 p.m., Monday through Saturday and noon to 9 p.m. Sunday.

"Waiter."
"Yes sir?"
"I'd like to send a bottle of champagne and this rose to that foxy lady in red."
"Which lady, sir?"
"In red by the first table... no, the second table... walking there, by the third... hurry up, we're losing her! She's at the corner. She's, she's — oh, she just crossed the street. Darn these sidewalk cafes!"

Farmington

• **Dagwood's Deli**, 33179 Grand River — Hanging baskets, palm trees and potted plants set the mood for sidewalk dining. The fare includes croissant, pita and submarine sandwiches, salads and dinners, ranging from \$1.50 to \$4.50.

Plymouth

• **Cosy Cafe**, 15 Forest — "I remember last year during the Balloon Festival, the balloons were coming down Elm Arbor Trail and it was quite a sight. It's a pleasant atmosphere — early in the evening as the sun goes down." Nick Ristich paints a pretty scene for the cafe on quaint Forest Street in downtown Plymouth. Patrons stand in line for the 15-16 canopied seats, which Ristich claims add a European flair to dining out. The fare includes 10 different kinds of quiche daily, and specialties such as made-for-two raisin walnut rolls, (\$2.40), turkey supreme salad, (\$4.75), and a variety of sandwiches averaging \$3.50 each. Lunch is served to 3 p.m., daily. Hours are 10 a.m. to 8 p.m., Monday through Thursday, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m., Fridays, 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., Saturdays and 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Sundays.

• **Penniman Deli**, 620 Penniman — Outdoors or out of luck. That's the rule of thumb at this downtown carry-out deli. Patrons who scramble for the six outdoor seats can swig soda pop and munch sandwiches while watching shoppers browse nearby shops. Prices range from 99 cents for hot dogs to \$1.95 for corned beef sandwiches. Salads average 99 cents, and range from 85 cents for potato-macaroni to \$3 for shrimp. Penniman's is open from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday through Friday and from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Saturday.

• **Mainstreet Deli**, 275 N. Main — These tables and 15 seats overlook the parking lot and neighboring businesses on Main Street. Dinner, average \$4-7, and lunches, \$3-5, are 7 a.m. to 2 p.m., Monday through Saturday and 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Sunday.

• **Station of the Sun**, 11451 Plymouth — A cool wooden deck, topped with a canopy, overlooks the parking lot and Main Street. The menu includes a variety of sandwiches, salads and dinners. Lunch, \$3-5, is 11:30 a.m. to 3 p.m., Monday through Saturday and 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Sunday.

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beach and hair stylist, Marlene." "Let's eat outdoors so everyone can see us, Frank." "Great, Marlene! Romance on the patio. Love under the stars!" "I've got a \$1.99 left after my manicure." "And I still have \$3 in change." "I'll meet you at the Whippy Whirl Snack Bar at 8 p.m., Frank." "At the umbrella table, next to the bike rack, Marlene."

Rochester

• **B Bar**, 423 Main — The outdoor seating at Mr. B's may be the best kept secret in town. "It's in the back, a little below level, so you don't get a complete view of the parking lot," said Terri Kalich, manager. "A lot of people don't know we have it." The patio accommodates 60 patrons and "is packed" on weekends, according to Kalich. Fare includes hamburgers, pizza, ribs and sandwiches, with prices ranging from \$3 to \$10. Hours are 10-2 a.m., Monday through Saturday and noon to 2 a.m., on Sundays. The patio closes at 1 a.m.

• **Lipuma's Coney Island**, 621 Main — Patrons can munch tacos, burritos, coney islands, submarine sandwiches and salads while overlooking Paint Creek. The wooden deck has a bench and table seating for about 20 people, but patrons also take carry out orders to the banks of the creek. Prices average \$1.10-\$1.50. Lipuma's is open from 10:30 a.m. to 9:30 p.m., Monday through Saturday and from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Sundays.

Southfield

• **Bakers Loaf**, 29580 Northwestern Highway — If it weren't for the five tables and 20 chairs on the landscaped patio, people "would sit on the grass," says Monique Pieper, manager. "They'd bring blankets. People love to eat outdoors." The fare includes croissant sandwiches, (\$1.75), pasta and Greek salads, (\$2.75), and pizza and quiche, (\$2.35). Hours are 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m., Saturdays and 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Sundays.

Troy

• **Friday's**, 3150 Crooks — The patios at Friday's Troy and Southfield locations, (26299 Evergreen) each seat 30 patrons. The menu includes American and ethnic fare, steaks, seafood, salads, sandwiches, appetizers and 350 different drinks. Prices range from \$2.95 to \$2.95. Hours are from 11 a.m. to 2 a.m. Monday through Saturday and 10 a.m. to 1 a.m. on Sundays.

Sports conditioning

It's a wise athlete who works up to working out

By Wayne Peel
staff writer

The thwack of a golf club, the thong of a tennis racket — they're among the most common sounds of summer.

Unfortunately, so are the snap, crackle, pop of too-tight muscles and the moans and groans of improperly conditioned athletes.

Warmer temperatures bring droves of Michigan residents to the golf courses, tennis courts, softball diamonds or hiking and biking trails. But muscles that performed no task more strenuous

than changing the channel selector all winter aren't ready for summer's more active lifestyles.

Health experts say conditioning can spell the difference between an active summer or one spent on the sidelines.

But sports-related injuries are on the rise — an indication that advice too often goes unheeded.

"Injuries are increasing because the number of people participating in sports is increasing," said Karl Glass, an athletic trainer with Henry Ford Hospital's center for athletic medicine.

"What we find is people rush to participate without taking time for conditioning or warming up properly."

A few moments of warm up and cool down exercises are recommended for all summer activities.

"Cooling down is just as important as warming up," said Gregory Gingell, director of the Gingell Chiropractic Center, Plymouth.

Even low-impact sports such as golf can be dangerous without proper conditioning.

"We see a lot of golfers with injured back muscles," said Dr. Frederick Maibauer of the Crittenton Hospital Fitness Institute, Rochester Hills.

Here's a list of summer's most frequent sports injuries — and how to prevent them:



"The shoe should be adaptable to the surface," Gingell said. "For instance if you're running on rugged terrain you might want to seek out a shoe with more ankle support. If you're running on pavement you need more cushion support."

Downhill courses should be avoided, he added.

Leg aches are caused by failure to properly cool down after running. "As you start to run, lactic acid builds up in your muscles," Gingell said. "Cooling down is mandatory."

A proper post-run regimen lasts 10-20 minutes and includes jogging in place followed by stretching leg, lower back and arm muscles. Gingell also recommends stretching the entire spine.

"Cooling down exercises force nutrients into the musculature, clearing out the toxins," he said. "That should prevent the kind of pain that comes up 24 hours later."



Sport: Golf.
Injury: Back pain.
Causes and cures: Hitting a golf ball is an unnatural act. Tremendous pressure is placed on arm and back muscles.

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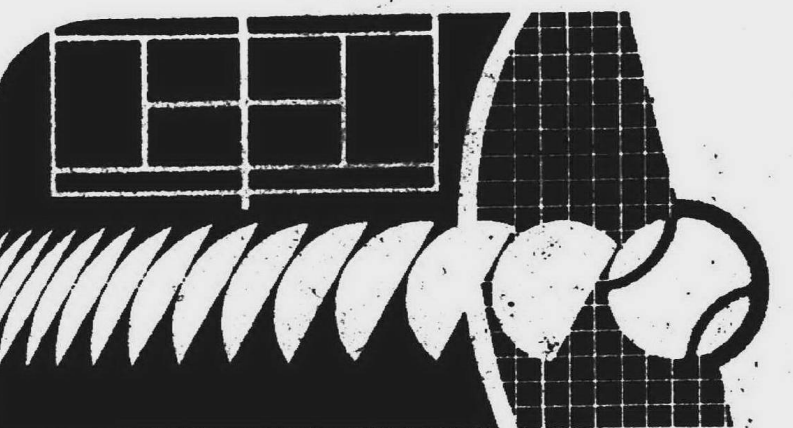
"Golf looks so easy and that's part of the problem," Maibauer said. "People think they can go out there without any warmup."

Instead, a stretching regimen similar to that of a runner is recommended. Golfers should also exercise their back muscles before teeing off.

"Flexibility exercises are important and it's important golfers do enough of them to make a difference," Maibauer said.

Like runners, golfers must also fight the temptation to overdo it.

"You have the golfer who gets a two- or three-day break and suddenly he wants to play 36 holes," Maibauer said. "That's a lot of golf for someone who pushes pencils all day long."



Sport: Tennis.
Injury: Tennis elbow.
Cause and cure: Tennis elbow is a misnomer, Maibauer said. The real problem is with the player's wrist. "Classically, it's because of a poor backhand with too much use of the wrist," Maibauer said. "You should try not to flex your wrist; you have to be sure you're playing properly." Because tennis isn't a stationary game, players should also take time to limber up their arm and leg muscles.

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The Belle Maer Marina on Lake St. Clair has put its boat parking spaces up for sale.

These boaters buy a piece of the lake



Hugh and Mary Vestal of Rochester Hills bought a "boatominium" for Proud Mary to rest in when she's stopped rolling down the lake.

By Carol Azizian
staff writer

Hey buddy, wanna buy some swamp land in Florida?
How 'bout a nice little bridge in Brooklyn?
Or maybe a 40-by-15-foot piece of Lake St. Clair?
OK, OK. So you're some enlightened suburban couple. Didn't mean to insult your smarts.
Tell you what I'm gonna do. Skip the first two offers.
But, the third one's a real oyster in the pearl of life. Yeah, that's it. Poetry . . . pearl in the oyster of life.
So how 'bout it? Keep your head above water with our low monthly payment plan. We'll even throw in the oyster. C'mon, everybody else is doin'

it. You don't wanna feel like a fish outta water, do ya?

Some folks buy a piece of the rock. Others, such as Hugh and Mary Vestal of Rochester Hills, purchase a portion of the lake.

"When I was young, I was so gullible that my dad would tell me, 'Someday, somebody's going to sell you a hole in the water,'" Hugh recalled. "Now, we own a 40-by-15-foot hole in the water."

In marina-speak, they own a well, a slip, a parking spot for Proud Mary, their 33-foot luxury power boat. "We were throwing money down the drain by renting the well," Mary said. "We plan to stay in boating for a while and this is a good investment."

THE VESTALS are among a growing number of boat owners at the Belle Maer Marina in Anchor Bay (on Lake St. Clair) who are sinking their cash into "boatominiums." Why? Simply because it's the wave of the future.

And, like any other novel idea or fad, this one caught on. Belle Maer owners put 406 out of their 850 wells up for sale in January. So far, they've sold 330 of the 406 slips.

One man bought five wells. Even people who didn't own boats purchased slips hoping they would get a return on their investment.

"We expected it to be a successful development," said owner/developer Marc Howard. "But we didn't know they would go so quickly."

"There's a general shortage of wells in the area and a big demand for (spaces)."

The demand prompted owners of smaller marinas in Holland, Charlevoix and Traverse City to "go condo" about five years ago. The "boatominium" phenomenon probably was launched in Florida and California nearly a decade ago.

Not every mariner, however, is jumping on the bandwagon — or rather, the boat.

"I'm not looking to sell my property," said Alvin Wagner, owner of the 770-well Jefferson Beach Marina in St. Clair Shores. "I want to be the renter, stay in charge and expand."

Howard, who still rents 444 of his 850 wells, believes he has the best of both worlds.

HOWARD AND his partner, Eric Foster, bought the marina for \$2 million three years ago and spent another \$6 million redeveloping it — building three miles of sea wall, paving roads, adding new plumbing and electrical systems, dredging the entrance.

Without "dramatic" rent increases, the owners could not have paid off their mortgage, Howard said.

"Developing (waterfront) property is so expensive and it (forces) us to charge such high rents that it takes the pleasure out of boating," he explained. "This was the most sensible decision for everyone."

Almost everyone. Some folks landed in financial hot water and had to ship out.

The widow who owned an old wooden boat and (parted) it in the well next to ours lost her job and could no longer afford to stay in the marina," noted Pam Marin, executive assistant to Oakland University's president Joseph Champagne. Marin, also a boat owner, is renting a slip and debating whether or not to purchase one.

Claiming his business action didn't price anyone out of the market, Howard said, "we made accommodations for people who couldn't buy wells by reserving over 100 of them for rentals."

Diehard power boaters like the Vestals, who sink \$15,000 a year into their hobby, believe they're better off financially as owners than renters.

They were paying nearly \$3,700 a year to rent a well during the summer months and park the vessel on land in the winter.

Their "boatominium" cost \$35,400. With a 15 percent down payment, their monthly payments — on a 15-year mortgage — are about \$310. They also spend

\$528 a year in (condo) association fees to maintain the wells and adjoining docks; \$100 a year in property taxes (the price could go up to \$300 in 1989); \$100-\$150 a year for electricity (to operate the air conditioner, refrigerator and microwave).

There are other expenses — covering the slip with shrink wrap during the winter, hoisting it in and out of the water; insurance and monthly boat payments and gasoline.

"It's expensive," admits Mary. "But it's worth it."

"This is our floating cottage," she mused, pointing out the silver blue decor in the spacious vessel. It houses a queen-size bed in the starboard side, sofa bed and V-berth in the port side.

"We escape here every weekend and leave for work from the marina on Monday mornings." (The companies they own — Carbide Surface Co. and Colonial Bushings Inc. in Fraser — are located about 15 minutes from the marina.)

Her goals are almost as firmly anchored as the Proud Mary.

"If we ever bought a bigger boat, we'd sell the well, too — a package deal."

"It's easier to sell the boat if you have a place to store it."

Sinking cash into bottomland

What do you own when you buy a boat well?

The bottom line is bottomland.

That's the land — sand, clay, whatever — anchoring the lake.

So, if you purchase a 40-by-15-foot well at the Belle Maer Marina on Lake St. Clair, you own 40-by-15-feet of bottomland.

Even though lakes are state property, wells can't be privately owned.

Belle Maer, for instance, was once privately owned farmland. Thirty years ago, the owner dug out a marina. And, over the years, it was passed on from owner to owner. When Marc

Howard and Eric Foster, the current owners, put 406 of their 850 wells up for sale, they gave title deeds to the bottomland to the individual buyers.

At marinas like Jefferson Beach in St. Clair Shores, only 50-60 percent of the bottomland (from the shoreline out to approximately 500 feet in the lake) is privately owned. The remainder belongs to the state.

"Technically, if we wanted to sell wells, we couldn't deliver titles to the bottomland on state-owned property," explained Alvin Wagner, owner of Jefferson Beach Marina.

"But, we could work out a long-term lease agreement if we got approval from the state."

Jefferson Beach Marina would still lease the property from the state and be responsible for maintaining it, explained Mogens C. Nielsen, chief of the Great Lakes Submerged Lands Management Unit of the Michigan Department of Natural Resources.

"Individual owners would have exclusive rights to the well. But the state would be dealing with a corporation and not a bunch of individuals."

'Hamtramck'

Truth is funnier than fiction when east meets west

By Louise Okrutsky
staff writer

During last week's premiere episode of the locally produced situation comedy, "Hamtramck," the priest who returns to work at his old east side parish sums up his attitude for his home town by saying "You love it and you hate it."

That's my impression of the half hour program that might spawn an intermittent series. In case you missed it, the plot revolves around a Hamtramck family's reaction to their daughter marrying a west sider and moving to Farmington Hills.

IT'S TOUTED as a series that zaps the foibles of east siders and west siders, those two cultures that count Woodward as a sort of demilitarized zone. The west side likes to think of itself as new, sophisticated and affluent. The east side prefers itself as ethnic, working class and brash.

Sometimes the program hits the mark. Tom Ryan, playing the father of the Hamtrams of Hamtramck, mourns the fact that most of the trees on the east side were cut down by Dutch Elm disease. "Now we're like Warren, 200,000 people and four trees." However, the program succumbs to a series of stock jokes that Tom DeLisle, the program's producer and a son of the east side, should have been able to do without. There's the series of ethnic reception jokes. Then there's the old women with nylons around their knees jokes.

Live around Detroit long enough and you're bound to hear these. Move from the east side to the west, as I did, and people go out of their way to tell them to you. I have a defense. Truth is funnier than fiction.

THE EAST side is a gritty, no

frills kind of place where kids are told to come in for supper when the church bells ring at 6 p.m. Old ladies stand on porches across the street from each other and yell out the latest gossip.

At various points in town, the same street switches from officially being in Hamtramck to Detroit and back again. It was on a block such as this that the owner of a bakery chose to beg the question and decided that he was located in Hamtramck Heights.

You can distinguish an eastsider from a westsider by the clothes they wear. No one over the age of 50 on the east side would be caught dead in a jogging suit. East side grandmothers who receive them as presents from well meaning but misguided west side relatives end up trying to say something polite like, "I'll sleep in them if it gets real cold this winter."

WESTSIDERS HAVE been seen at civic meetings casually dressed in furs and gold lame loafers. On the east side, this ensemble generally conjures up fond memories of Elvis.

But it's the way they treat their trash that really separates the two sides. Transplanted eastsiders must figure out what to do with their trash between garbage collection days. Incidentally, it's called garbage collection on the east side, trash pick up on the west.

Eastsiders tend to view curbside trash pick up as vaguely unsanitary. Civilized people stick their garbage in dumpsters in the alley. None of this moving the week's accumulation of trash from garage to curb for them. Westsiders see alleys solely as breeding ground for vermin.

Another telling custom is the garage sale. On the east side, west side trendies could find Bakelite plastic

radios in pristine condition. For an eastsider, a west side garage sale takes on mythic proportions. After all these are people who sell furniture when they're merely tired of the style. That's practically throwing away good stuff. The west side is the land of unheard of garage sale bargains — if only eastsiders could get there without getting lost on the winding subdivision roads.

EASTSIDERS VENTURING out to the west do notice a few things.

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The cast of Channel 4's locally produced situation comedy "Hamtramck" celebrate a "real east side wedding."

Here's how to kick the 'you know' habit

Dear Joan:
My colleagues tell me I have the habit of saying "You know" about every other sentence. I want to break this habit. Can you make a suggestion that would help me in my struggle?

You know, you know in Utica

Tape record all your phone conversations for a week. Then play back the tape and count the you knows. This will make you aware of just how severe a case of you knows you have.

Also, you will become exasperated with the sound of your own voice and the inarticulate message you give. While you're at it, check for other "non-fluencies" such as, you understand what I'm saying?, like OK (at the end of the sentence), you know what I mean?, do you get the picture? Keep taping your phone conversations until you have one that is totally free from these repetitious fillers so many people are using today. Good luck!

Dear Joan:

The man I work for in the capacity of secretary has the annoying habit of demanding my attention when other employees are in the office needing immediate attention. He will come charging in with something for me to copy or sign right then and there. He expects me to drop everything and do his bidding immediately.

I have the feeling he does this on purpose to show everyone he's in control. What can I do to put a stop to his overbearing actions?

Ticked in Troy

It sounds as though the man you work for has a bad case of management insecurity. What you can do is ask for a transfer within the

business etiquette
Joan K. Dietch

company or find another position outside the company.

You're in a tough spot. As his secretary you can't go over his head and complain to the powers that be about his unprofessional behavior, and you can't say to him, "If you will just be patient, Mr. So & So, I'll take care of that as soon as possible." That would only add to his insecurities.

The confident and well-mannered executive understands what an important part the secretary plays in a smooth-running office and treats her/him with respect.

Fortune Magazine (March 12, 1979) described the traits of a highly qualified secretary or administrative assistant:

A metabolism that seems to improve under pressure
A natural instinct for creating order out of chaos
An appetite for the toughest chores and the ability to complete them without supervision
A clamlike facility for keeping secrets

A sure-handedness in dealing with even the most difficult people, which many include her/his own boss

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Science

A little R & R in the jungle

By Rich Perlberg
staff writer

Elizabeth Buckner has washed orangutan feces, endured body-covering chigger bites and shared a bedroom with an 8-inch scorpion.

That's how she spends her vacations. The rest of the year, Buckner leads a typical life, commuting from her Bloomfield Hills apartment to her eighth-floor Ren Cen office where she works in the media department for Young and Rubicam.

For the last two summers, though, her vacations have taken her to the Indonesian forests of Borneo and to the isolated jungles of the Amazon where she has volunteered for scientific expeditions with Earthwatch, a non-profit research organization.

Founded in 1971, Earthwatch sponsors research expeditions around the world. More than 15,000 Earthwatch volunteers have assisted 950 projects in 75 countries.

Volunteers, who pay \$1,000 to \$1,500 plus transportation costs for their two-week expeditions, may study fish populations in New Hampshire or unearth Mayan treasures from the jungle muck of Belize.

OR, LIKE BUCKNER, they may find themselves documenting the foraging and sexual habits of orangutans.

"What did I know about orangutans?" asks Buckner two years after her trip. Not a thing, as it turned out, but it was the bizarre and outrageous nature of the expedition that appealed to her.

"I was at a stage in my life to do something different," she said. "I had three weeks vacation, I was single and I was somewhat bored with Europe."

Borneo was not Europe. No cathedrals. No tours. Few creature comforts of home.

What Buckner found was "a reality with no basis" to her life in Detroit. There was not only the exotic, but also the strange: flying fish and tree-climbing fish. Really. She has pictures.



Elizabeth Buckner of Bloomfield Hills makes friends with a baby orangutan in the wilds of Borneo during a recent scientific expedition.

vacation sponsored by the Earthwatch organization.

There was also a completely different sense of adventure. "The people there really respected other people," she said. "I was told it was because it's an oral culture. They can't give you physical space, so they give you mental space."

BUCKNER was part of a team of seven women and two men who helped document the behavior of orangutans that were being released to the wild after years of living in pairs.

She became fond of the animals, despite a taste of watching and weighing the animals' feces so that scientists could study what the orangutans eat. "It was the most repulsive thing I had done in my life," she said.

A YEAR LATER, in 1984, Buckner was on a another Earthwatch adventure, this time in a remote Colombian outpost near the Equator.

"The part that really seemed great to me was that you had to take a dogged canoe to get to there," said Buckner.

Actually, it was an aluminum boat with a small outboard motor. But it was a three-hour trip that started in nowhere and ended in a muddy, snake-infested river bank. When people want to get away from it all, this is the place to go.

"Friends asked me why we didn't have a truck there for transportation," said Buckner. "Why would we need a truck? There was no road."

The research team lived in a raised hut, bathed in the river and wore heavy boots as protection against the mud and the poisonous coral snakes.

"I won't go back to the Amazon," she said. "It was hot, humid, and exhausting. I was eaten alive by chiggers and there were snakes all over the place."

THAT DOESN'T mean that she did not enjoy her expedition. The rewards included spectacular scenery, warm friendships with the rest of the team, and the sense of achievement by a small group separated from the rest of the world.

"There is no concept of time there," she said. "Someone had to remind us when to take our malaria pills."

"And I really enjoyed being in the forest. The beauty was just overwhelming. There is an incredible amount of respect. The forest respected me, and I respected the forest."

Buckner is not finished with Earthwatch. Her next trip will be to the Fiji Islands and she also wants to land a spot on an African expedition.

Earthwatch vacations are not for everyone, she cautioned.

"If you need flush toilets and running water, if you have dietary problems, if you can't stand eating rice all the time — and that means breakfast, lunch and dinner — if you can't stand being dirty all the time, if large scorpions in your bedroom bother you, then you won't enjoy it," she said.

Otherwise, Earthwatch information can be obtained by calling (616) 926-6200.

Wasp pulls a sting on pests

Walking through the woods this spring has been marvelous. Temperatures have not been too hot or too cold. Rain has not dampened our spirits. Insects have not been bothersome.

Such perfect conditions have enabled those in the woods to walk leisurely and observe carefully such things as wildflowers blooming and emerging, birds singing and nesting and frogs calling and mating.

A slow jaunt through the woods can yield some fascinating discoveries. For instance, as I was looking down at some large flowered trillium blooming by the trail, I noticed a wasp on a log.

I identified it as a wasp because it had a narrow constriction between its thorax and abdomen. When I looked more closely, I saw it was a female ichneumon wasp laying eggs.

ICHNEUMON WASPS lay their eggs in the larva of other insects, including other wasps. It is believed they can detect the vibrations of feeding larva inside a log. In addition to antenna that



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Ichneumon wasp parasite on pests

are about half as long as their body, the female ichneumons have a long filament extending from the end of their abdomen. This is called an ovipositor.

Some ichneumon wasps have ovipositors two or three times as long as their bodies. The ovipositor consists of three filaments: one is hard and drill-like, the other two are soft and U-shaped

to fit around the "drill."

Different species of ichneumon wasps lay their eggs in different hosts. There are some that lay their eggs in the larva of cutworms that infest your garden. Another species will lay its eggs in tent caterpillars.

After an egg is laid, the wasp larva develops and lives inside its host. It will feed on the host without killing it until the wasp is just about ready to emerge as an adult.

Many species of ichneumon wasp are found in woodland areas, but some are attracted to the lights of your home. They are orange-brown in color and about an inch long. If one should enter your house, try to release it unharmed because it will help reduce the insect pest population.

Summer: the time for romance

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"What did you say?" he asked again.

On it went. The fellow in the front seat finally turned around, exasperated.

"She said she got four teeth pulled

— one, two, three, four!" he growled.

The 17-year-old with the bloody sockets and her dumbfounded date walked around the block a few times — in silence and at a pace too fast for her.

Too late, she had realized her mistake. The two didn't date again for

about eight heart-wrenching (for her) years.

If you've made a similar blunder in the pursuit of summer romance, there's hope.

The couple later walked out of the chapel of love as man and wife. It happened in July.

A memory from the summer of '79

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Deep in pain I raced back to my place, waited for her, suffered through the game in silence, finally asked her about him.

She had, she said, been intimate with him all summer. She was as obsessed sexually with him as she was emotionally and intellectually with

me. She was sorry. She couldn't help it.

I told her I couldn't see her any more. We cried. A week later, I told her I couldn't not see her anymore. We cried again. I would see her on her terms. Her last month in town, she spent her free waking time with me, her sleeping time with him.

An old friend, editor, mentor and professor worked at a paper in Long

Beach. I told him about her talents, and her about his. He offered her a job. "You're going to love him," I said.

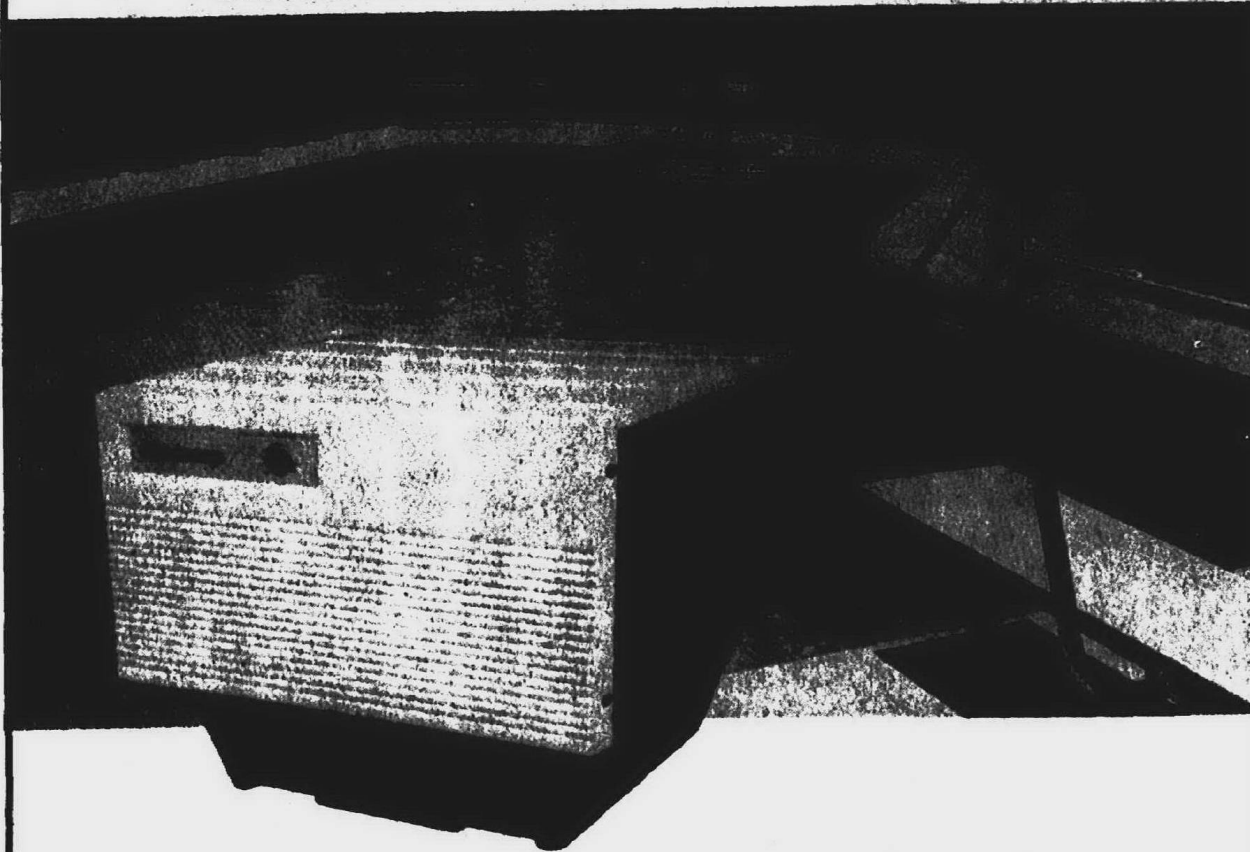
Indeed, she did. He left his wife and moved in with her. He got cancer and died. She works in San Francisco for a bigger paper now. We write occasionally. I still miss her and the summer of '79.

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The secret of taking night shots is to snap at twilight, about 10 minutes after sunset, before the blackest night sets in. This is the lighthouse and fishing pier at Manistee, Mich.

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Framing can make or break a photo. These two men are framed by a breaking wave on the north shore of the island of Oahu in Hawaii.



Keep your camera by your side even aboard the plane. This is the view above a thunderstorm, 35,000 feet over the central United States.

By Randy Borst
staff writer

An annual ritual is about to occur.

This summer we'll all flock to our favorite vacation spots for a while and try to forget the workaday world. In the process millions of pictures will be snapped and processed, then leave us wondering what went wrong.

Photography is an integral part of any holiday. It's an attempt to capture, for a lifetime of viewing, a few days of fun. Whether using top-of-the-line 35mm single lens reflex or a simple point-and-shoot camera, good travel photos start with some study and planning before the trip.

Using travel guides, create a rough outline of what might make good photos. Make sure photography is allowed inside museums or government buildings on the list. It won't hurt to go to the library and find a picture book of the countries or cities on the itinerary. Seeing how other photographers have approached the subject will serve as a source of inspiration and ideas. Picking strategy ahead of time gives an added measure of confidence.

IF THE CAMERA has been gathering dust all winter, don't expect it to work like it processed in your mind before the trip. Look for any problems in the finished pictures. Use the flash when taking the test roll to make sure it works with the camera. Camera manufacturers have known for all slaves to the battery. Put in a new one and take at least five pictures on the trip, knowing the camera is in good working order.

Most people are afraid of the camera. The possibility of losing the camera or the window of the airplane, the rapidly changing panorama of clouds and the landscapes below, and the need to take photos that help and relate to the rest of the trip. Make a list of what you want to see in the front or rear of the airplane. Sitting in the middle will give you a better view of the wing and the tail.

A word of caution: Photography is not allowed in the Soviet Union, India, and most of Eastern Europe. Don't allow yourself to be taken from aircraft. When flying over a foreign country always ask if aerial photography is allowed. Getting a camera confiscated before reaching a destination is a sure way to spoil any vacation.

Try to capture the unique character of the area during the trip. Different styles of dress, local architecture, and patterns of the land and unusual weather are all fair game. Looking for details will be more fun and

make the photos more interesting and keep memories of the vacation alive many years after it's over. Good photographers are always alert to their surroundings and pay close attention to how the scene is shaping up in the viewfinder.

PROPER COMPOSITION can make or break a picture. Take a few minutes to study the scene in the viewfinder. If it doesn't look good now, it won't at home either. Take the time to change the lens or move a few steps closer. Giving photos a professional look begins by mastering some basic skills of composition:

- Look through the viewfinder and ask yourself, "Is this really what I want the picture to look like?" More often than not the best part of the picture is what the photographer chose not to include.

- Don't cut the photo in half at the horizon. Tilt the camera up or down slightly to include more or less of the land or sky.

- Use surrounding objects to frame the main subject. Foliage, clouds or a group of people can be used to help isolate the center of interest from the rest of the scene.

- It's not necessary to always have the main subject in the center of the picture. Moving the subject to the left or right, top or bottom of the frame helps add impact to the photo.

- Try to shoot during the early morning or late afternoon. The low sun angle makes for intriguing shadows and color changes. If possible, avoid the harsh light of the sun at noon. Overcast skies provide soft, saturated colors on slide film.

The night provides another opportunity for dazzling photos. The secret here is taking the picture during the twilight, about 10 minutes after sunset, not during the dead of night. This will cause objects in the foreground to be silhouetted against a deep blue sky. Lights and signs on buildings and the headlights of cars will be illuminated, giving the distinct impression of nightfall in the finished picture.

A steady support for the camera is necessary for this type of work. If a tripod isn't handy use a window ledge or the fender of a car to help keep the camera steady. A self-timer can be used to trip the shutter to prevent shaking the camera. Exposure is tricky too. Take more than just one shot at different settings relying on the camera meter as a guide.

There are times on every trip when pulling out the camera seems more trouble than it's worth. Take the time and make the shot. Photos that never get taken always come back to haunt the photographer.

ALWAYS BE on the lookout for candid shots of friends and family. A picture of the spouse trying to hail a cab for the first time in New York or one of the children poking through the ruins of the Acropolis provide a more humorous and personal view of the trip.

When called upon to take a group shot of the family the photographer has to become a director. Most people need help when posing in front of the camera. Don't just line them up in front of the local landmark. Ask them to sit, stand and try to get some natural poses. If necessary, show them how to sit and stand and how to place their hands. The extra effort will pay off handsomely and produce a photo anyone would be proud to hang on the wall.

Hanging pictures on the wall is just one way to display all the effort spent recording the vacation. Some photographers choose slide shows while others use photo albums to show their work. Above all be selective and critical when choosing pictures to represent the trip. Don't include 15 pictures of the same sunset. A single bad shot can spoil the entire effect of the presentation.

Sometimes it is disappointing to see how few good pictures are left after the editing process. Don't worry. Practice makes perfect. There is always next year, another summer and a new destination.

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Always keep your camera ready for the unexpected. This picture was taken and processed within 60 seconds over Manhattan, New York.

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