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The Canton Connection

A MUTUAL FUNDS seminar will be held Tuesday at the Canton Public Library. Paul McIntyre of Prudential-Bache will lead a lecture and discussion. For information about time and registration, call the library at 397-0999.

ANNUAL YOUTH AWARDS will be presented by U.S. Rep. William Ford, whose congressional district includes Canton.

An outstanding youth in each of Ford's communities will receive an award. Recommendations of candidates must be postmarked no later than Sunday, March 25, with medals presented Sunday, May 6. Categories are youth aged 14-18; high school graduates aged 18-22; and one for youth groups with significant accomplishments. Nominees should represent a broad range of activities and interests, for which no financial reward has been received. For nomination forms, contact Ford's district office in the Wayne Post Office Building, 3716 Newberry, Wayne, or call 722-1411.

GOOD NUTRITION, strong teeth and body health will be topics of discussion Thursday as a representative of an area dental clinic talks to students at Miller Elementary School in Canton and the Steppingstone School in Plymouth.

WITH SPRING several weeks away, the Plymouth Area REACT team is planning a tornado spotter class for its old and new members. The class will be at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, March 29, at the Plymouth Township Hall, Ann Arbor Road east of Lilley.

The REACT team serves Plymouth and Canton.

CANTON'S BOARD of trustees recently approved funding for three non-profit community service agencies. Funds will come from the federal revenue-sharing account.

Receiving \$6,000 will be First Step, an agency which operates a shelter and counsels victims of domestic assault; the Salvation Army will receive \$2,000 for summer youth programs; and the Plymouth REACT organization, which provides tornado spotting and motorist assistance, will receive \$300.

AN OLD FASHIONED fashion show needs old dresses or newly sewn gowns, right?

Canton's sesquicentennial committee is planning an old fashioned show and luncheon Wednesday, April 18, at the Roman Forum restaurant. Help or donations of old dresses would be appreciated. Some clothes will be made with the help of pictures and drawings.

If you want to help, call Mary Dingley at 495-0509.

FOSTER PARENTS are needed for mentally retarded people in Wayne County. Both individuals and couples are being sought by Wayne Community Living Services, a branch of the state department of mental health.

To qualify, people must be between the ages of 18-65, be in good physical and mental health, have a suitable residence and a source of income. Foster parents are paid around \$700 per month for room and board and receive training.

For information, contact Jan Myers at 348-6200, ext. 236, or write to Wayne Community Living Services, 41001 Seven Mile, Northville 48167.

Group home fight gains steam State urged to intercede

By Arlene Funke
staff writer

Township officials are launching a new fight against what has been termed the "excessive concentration" of group homes in Canton.

This issue prompted Canton officials to file a lawsuit against the state Department of Social Services (DSS) in 1981, which remains in litigation. The current challenge arose over two proposed group homes in south Canton.

The Township Board last week voted 6-0 to urge state officials to deny licenses to proposed group homes for retarded on Dionne and Herbey, and to renew the battle against the concentration of more homes in Canton.

Trustee Loren Bennett was absent.

There are nine group homes in Canton. Another is under construction on Herbey near Geddes. Construction is slated to begin next month on a home on Dionne, south of Palmer and west of Sheldon.

Almost 100 residents, mostly from southeast Canton, attended last week's Township Board meeting to air their views. Most felt their sparsely populated area is being singled out for group homes.

Earlier, residents had circulated petitions in the vicinity, gathered 300 signatures opposing the proposed Dionne

home and turned them in to Township Hall.

"The burden of helping the mentally retarded should not fall to one particular section of the township," said Dionne resident Charles Goff. "This excessive concentration of homes in a small area will undoubtedly lower our property values to a greater degree than other township residents."

AT ISSUE is the state's policy in recent years of moving mentally ill and retarded people out of large, institutional hospitals and into smaller group

or foster homes. There, the residents are supposed to receive individualized training and become integrated into the community.

Under state law, homes of up to six residents may be placed in a community without permission from the local government, as long as state guidelines are met and there are no other group homes within 1,500 feet.

Group homes are on Roundtable, south of Palmer and east of Morton Taylor, and on Haggerty near Palmer, both in the southeastern region.

Others are on S. Canton Center; Sax-

ony, west of Morton Taylor and north of Warren Road; Forest Trails, west of Sheldon and south of Joy; Raintree Court, east of Lilley and north of Hanford; Marlowe, south of Ford and east of Sheldon; Warren Road near Haggerty; and Maben, west of Canton Center and north of Ford.

"There is no question about it — Canton Township is getting a disproportionate share of those homes," said Supervisor James Poole. "We are being discriminated against. They (state) have usurped our zoning authority."

Township officials expressed less optimism about stopping the Herbey house, which is almost finished.

According to Poole, other communities with comparable or larger popula-

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Feting Founder's Day

By M.B. Dillon Ward
staff writer

Canton's residents and representatives, many of them dressed in period costumes, turned out en masse Founder's Day to dramatize the township's Sesquicentennial slogan, "From a proud past to a strong future."

It was 150 years ago Wednesday, March 7, that President Andrew Jackson alighted from a stagecoach in the territory of Michigan, having traveled to Canton to help celebrate its establishment by the territorial legislature.

A lithe "President Jackson," looking dapper in a cutback coat, high-collared shirt and ascot, delivered sesquicentennial greetings to the gathering at township hall Wednesday evening.

"I had to cling to my hat as we clipped along I-94 and I-275 at 50 miles per hour," said the President, also known as Gregg Zellen, an actor who has performed at Greenfield Village.

Canton's commercial area impressed Jackson.

"I was taken aback to see Canton has two remarkably large general stores," he said, "one owned by a redoubtable Dutchman named Meijer, and another owned by a fellow named (pause) K mart?"

Jackson deplored the current administration's multi-billion dollar deficit, tabbing it "a national disgrace. I understand Canton has a surplus. This is wonderful," added the President.

Jackson recalled his 1834 trip to Canton, when he saw "a heavily forested area and wild beasts roaming freely. Travel was slow and hazardous. We had no Holiday Inns.

"The land was cleared by hand. It was an arduous task for a sparse population."

Girl and Boy Scouts, families and officials unable to find space in the room where Jackson was speaking

roamed freely around township hall, socializing and sampling punch, popcorn and tasty appetizers prepared by township staffers. Sesquicentennial jerseys, T-shirts, cookbooks, buttons and tickets for the sesquicentennial ball were for sale, and sesquicentennial bumper stickers were free for the taking.

Dave Nicholson, economic growth director, was imbued with nostalgic spirit, like many others commemorating Founder's Day. It's been fascinating for him to discover how many roads in Canton are named for the families who lived near them. Nichol-

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BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

Scott Larson, 10, truly got into the sesquicentennial spirit on Founder's Day at Canton Township Hall. For more on the historic event, see Page 3A.

Kurtz innocent in assault case

By Marie Chestney
staff writer

A judge has ruled in favor of a Plymouth-Canton school teacher convicted in December 1982 in 35th District Court of assault and battery against a 15-year-old student.

Wayne County Circuit Court Judge Paul Teranes ruled last week that Scott Kurtz, 31, was acting in a proper supervisory role when he used physical force to subdue John James during an altercation which took place in Central Middle School in October 1982.

Teranes' decision overturns one given in 1982 by District Court Judge Dunbar Davis. Davis found Kurtz guilty of the misdemeanor and fined him \$135. Davis ruled that James was not under Kurtz's supervision at the time of the incident and therefore Kurtz had no legal right to discipline him. Kurtz ap-

pealed Davis' ruling, which was based on a 1956 state attorney general's opinion.

In his decision, Teranes ruled that James was indeed under the supervision of Kurtz and that Kurtz never gave up supervision of James throughout the whole incident.

ACCORDING to district court testimony, the altercation began in Kurtz's drafting class.

James came into the class, even though he wasn't a student in the class. Kurtz escorted James to a classroom across the hall, where the student apparently belonged.

It was at this point, Davis ruled, that Kurtz gave up supervision of James, turning him over to the teacher in that room. Any physical force used by Kurtz

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She brings classroom to homebound students

By Arlene Funke
staff writer

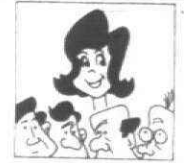
Janet Shazer walks stiffly to her worktable and carefully grasps a pencil in her swollen fingers.

For the past several weeks, 13-year-old Janet has been confined to her Livonia home with a painful bout of arthritis. With swollen, painful joints, Janet is unable to attend regular seventh grade classes at Holmes Middle School.

BRINGING SCHOOL to Janet is Lorna Durand of Canton, homebound teacher for the Livonia school district. Janet is one of a handful of students temporarily served at home until they are well enough to return to classes.

So far this year, Durand has had 17 students who have been out for varying lengths of time because of surgery, sports injuries and automobile accidents. Policy calls for the student to be out for at least four weeks in order to qualify for a homebound teacher, but some recover more quickly and go back earlier.

Durand delivers assignments from



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her students' teachers in a warm, encouraging manner. After a quip or two, it's down to business. Durand visits her students for one hour twice a week, and every moment must count.

"I have some tests for you," Durand said. "You're on your honor. It's a closed-book test."

"Oh, boy, just what I need," Janet responded, with a smile.

DURAND, A 1968 graduate of Thurston High School in Redford, has received a bachelor's degree in special education and a master's in learning disabilities, both from Michigan State University.

After graduating in 1972, she was hired by the Livonia school district the following year and has worked in

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DAN DEAN/staff photographer

A bout with arthritis has prevented Janet Shazer, 13, from attending school. Homebound teacher Lorna Durand of Canton helps Shazer keep pace with classmates by bringing lessons to her.

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(WSDP-FM 88.1 is the student-operated radio station at Plymouth Centennial Educational Park (CEP).)

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MONDAY (March 12)
7 p.m. . . . Jazz Special with Bill Smola.

TUESDAY (March 13)
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WEDNESDAY (March 14)
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THURSDAY (March 15)
7:30 p.m. . . . High school boys basketball

Game of the Week - State tournament regional action from Eastern Michigan University.

FRIDAY (March 16)
11 a.m. . . . Prime Time - A program designed to appeal to retired individuals. 5:30 p.m. . . . CEP Sports Wrap-Up - A half-hour focus on Plymouth, Salem and Plymouth Canton athletics with hosts Tim Grand, Les Smith and Geoff Bankowski.

MONDAY (March 19)
7 p.m. . . . Jazz with Bill Smola.

TUESDAY (March 20)
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fits."

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THURSDAY (March 22)
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obituaries

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Funeral services for Mrs. Widmayer, 70, of Ross Street, Plymouth, were held recently in Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church in Plymouth with burial at Riverside Cemetery, Plymouth. Officiating was the Rev. Francis Byrne with arrangements made by Lambert-Looniskar & Vermeulen Funeral Home, Plymouth.

LINDA S. TUCKER
Funeral services for Mrs. Tucker, 28, of Westland were held recently in the Harry J. Will Funeral Home with burial at Glen Eden Memorial Park. Officiating was the Rev. Dean Beckwith.

STELLA A. BOWERS
Funeral services for Mrs. Bowers, 77, of Marlowe, Plymouth Township, were held recently in Lambert-Looniskar & Vermeulen Funeral Home with burial at Cadillac Memorial Gardens-West in Westland. Officiating was the Rev. Otis F. Anderson. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society or to the Michigan Heart Association.

PRESENTACION RABILLAS
Funeral services for Mrs. Rabillas, 47, of Harsdale, Canton, were held recently in St. Thomas a Beckett Catholic Church in Canton with burial at United Memorial Gardens. Officiating was the Rev. Ernest M. Polcari with arrangements made by Lambert-Looniskar & Vermeulen Funeral Home.

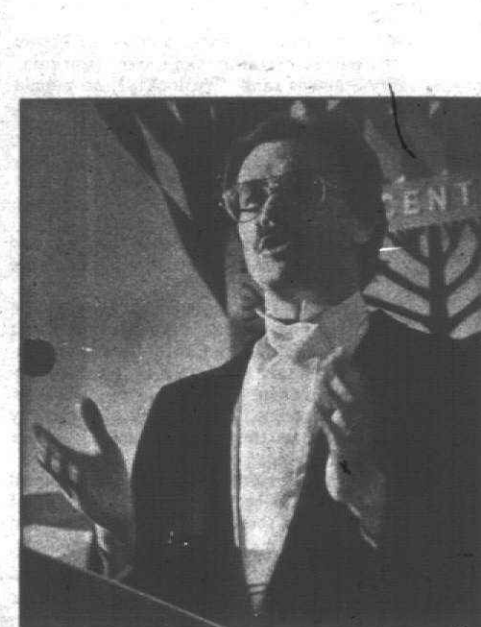
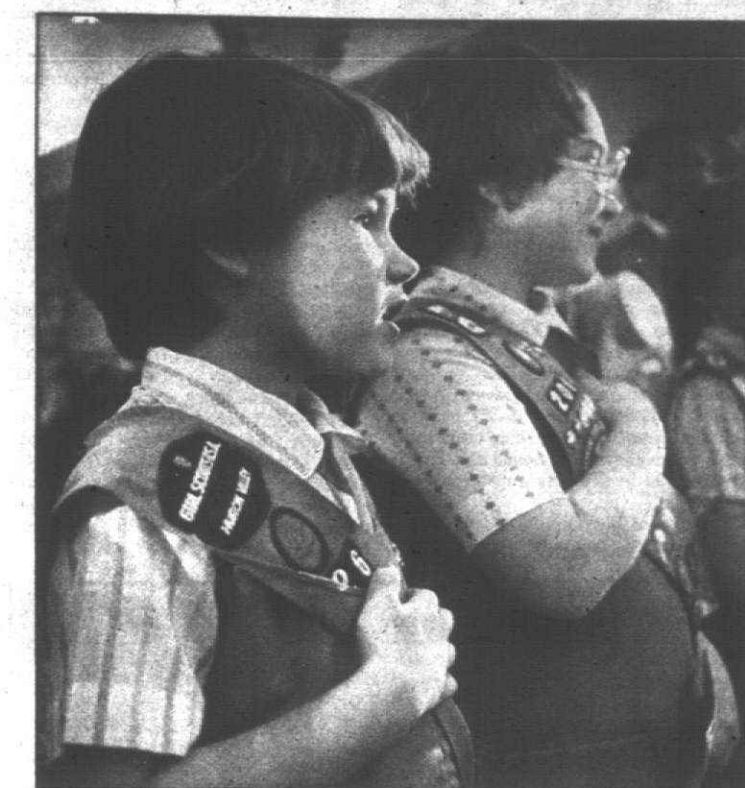
HERBERT F. KNACK
Funeral services for Mr. Knack, 78, of Haggerty Road, Plymouth, were held recently in RG & GR Harris Funeral Home in Livonia with burial at Glen Eden Cemetery, Livonia. Officiating was the Rev. John Grenfell.

ROBERT BOYD ARMSTRONG
Funeral services for Mr. Armstrong, 67, of Wyn-gate, Novi Township, were held recently in Casterline Funeral Home in Northville with the Rev. Lloyd Brasur officiating.

'K' sign up has started
Kindergarten registration is being held this week at all elementary school buildings of Plymouth-Canton Community Schools.

Saluting the Sesquicentennial

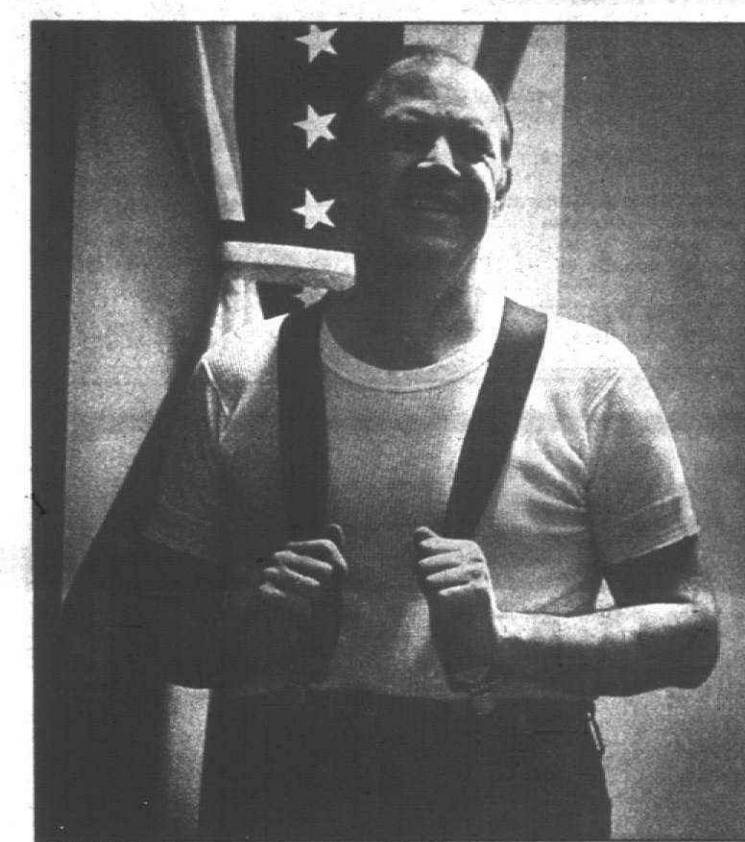
Scouts, officials and costumed Cantonites celebrate a birthday



Founder's Day Coordinator James Kosteva was master of ceremonies Wednesday, recognizing state, county and local officials. He introduced township Clerk John Flodin, saying the official's political emergence dates back to days when Canton's zip code was just a fraction. (Left) Brownie Erin Ryan (left) and Girl Scout Jennifer Geare recite the Pledge of Allegiance. The two were among the troops who opened Founder's Day doings with a flag ceremony.



'President Andrew Jackson' tells an attentive audience at township hall he can remember the days in 1834 when wild beasts roamed freely through Canton, then heavily forested. Jackson, played by actor Gregg Zellen, visited Canton to help celebrate its 150th birthday.



On Founder's Day, Canton Trustee Robert Padgett looked drastically different than he usually does while in township hall. His farmer's garb probably is similar to that of his ancestors, early settlers who farmed in Canton.



Robbers net nearly \$1,000

Canton police are investigating a \$941 armed robbery late last week at Arby's restaurant on Ford Road near Sheldon.

According to reports, two men went into the restaurant shortly before 10:30 p.m. and announced a stickup. One was armed with a handgun.

Three employees were ordered to go to a back room, and the robbers escaped with \$941 in cash, said Canton police Sgt. Alex Wilson. No one was injured.

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son said he still comes across plats of land identified by the names of early Canton settlers - the Padgetts, for instance, whose descendants still prosper in Canton.

TRUSTEE ROBERT Padgett lived up to that billing on Founder's Day. His farmer's outfit was reminiscent of something his great-grandfather probably wore. (Folks later saw Padgett play the part of a farmer who may have lived a life similar to that of his great-grandfather. Along with a cast of local characters, he enacted "From Settlements to Subdivisions," a historical play by Clemie Cyburt.)

State Sen. Robert Geake, R-Northville, on hand to congratulate Canton, read a sesquicentennial resolution introduced to the Michigan Legislature by State Reps. Gerald Law, R-Plymouth, and Edward Mahalak, D-Romulus.

Wayne County Executive William Lucas cast aside his prepared remarks and talked about what impressed him driving through Canton.

"As I observed the farmland and city land, I realized this is what America is all about. These are the people it represents," he said.

Lucas said he'd skip the "whereases" in reading a proclamation passed by the Wayne County Commission "and get right down to the 'therefore.'" (The resolution, on behalf of the citizens of Wayne County, extended congratulations to the people of Canton Township on March 7, Founder's Day.)

Founder's Day Coordinator James Kosteva introduced Commissioner Mill Mack, whose memories of Canton extend back to his childhood "when I used to ride my bike across Canton Township from my home in Wayne."

A CONGRATULATORY note from Gov. James Blanchard was read by Supervisor James Poole, who refused to apologize for his dress. He wore bib overalls, a white shirt, bow tie and a Stetson - considered Sunday best at one time in Canton, he said.

Northville Township Supervisor John MacDonald, next to deliver sesquicentennial sentiments, joked, "Why apologize, Jim? This is what you wear to all our supervisor meetings."

Michael Burley of Canton, chairman of Schoolcraft College's board of trustees, was last to congratulate Canton on "the 340 percent population growth it's realized since its inception, and the quality of education offered through the Plymouth-Canton schools."

As the politics (more than a few of whom had

difficulty pronouncing 'sesquicentennial') left the stage, actors took over. A 15-minute skit, set in an 1836 farmhouse began.

Staff photos by Bill Bresler

Members of a "typical" Canton family, busy with the "Farmer's Advance" newspaper, knitting, primers, and baking, chatted about chopping wood, pesky Indians, warlike rides to Detroit, and the limited selection of goods being sold by the local peddler.

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Board urges state to deny group home licenses

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There are fewer group homes than Canton, with its nearly 50,000 residents.

Since population of the community is not a factor in determining placement of group homes, Poole suggested circulating petitions for a ballot question to change the law.

The issue of heavy concentration of group homes sparked Canton officials to file a lawsuit against the DSS in 1981, charging that Canton was becoming a "dumping ground" for former residents of large state institutions, particularly the mentally ill.

A Wayne County Circuit Court judge ruled there was an excessive number of such homes in Canton. The DSS, appealed to the state Court of Appeals and won. Canton has taken the issue to the Michigan Supreme Court, where it remains.

Residents of southeast Canton expressed fears about property values dropping. One feared the group home residents might hurt his children.

Mentally retarded "should not be put in a closet," but group homes should be "spread among the community," said Francis Winter of Dione.

Winter also said the township should establish supervisory guidelines for the group homes, but Poole responded that state guidelines supersede local controls.

A WINDSOR PARK resident, parent of a retarded group home resident, said she monitors group homes to make sure the residents are well cared for.

She said most group home operators want to work with neighbors.

Attorney Robert Greenstein raised the issue of corporations running group homes as a business. Group homes should be placed in commercial or multiple zoning areas, not in single-family areas, he said.

Greenstein offered to help organize a statewide drive to place the issue on the ballot in November. About 243,000 signatures would have to be gathered by May 31.

"They (corporations) lease or rent homes," Greenstein said. "They don't have their life savings invested in property. If lawmakers don't do it, we have to do it for them."

"Everyone in the society has to carry part of the burden," Greenstein added. "I think we're all willing to bear it, but not unfairly."

Such initiatives take a tremendous amount of work, time and money, trustees said. Poole said he will contact state legislators as well as other township supervisors in Wayne County to see if support can be garnered on the issue of concentration.

PLACEMENT FOR the Dione home is being handled by Wayne Community Living Services. The agency, a division of the Michigan Department of Mental Health, handles placement for retarded in Wayne County.

Construction is scheduled to begin in April, and the home would open in July or August, said Laina Starvas, director of case management for the agency.

The home is designed to accommodate four wheelchair-bound and two ambulatory residents.

Despite the opposition, plans call for proceeding with the project, Starvas said. But until construction begins, "anything can happen," she added.

No other group homes are scheduled for southeast Canton, Starvas said. Sites are selected by advertising for bids in a given community, Starvas explained. The bids are reviewed by various state agencies, including the Department of Health and the Michigan State Housing and Development Authority.

"CANTON HAS its share of homes, but it certainly isn't oversaturated," Starvas said. "We look at the population. We look at the area. We certainly

don't want the appearance of (saturation). We're not going to be looking in that part of Canton in the future."

The agency tries to work with municipal officials and residents, Starvas said. A representative of the agency did not attend last week's Township Board meeting because "no one was invited," she said.

According to Starvas, the Dione home is to be operated by Domel Inc., a non-profit Livonia firm which operates two group homes in Livonia and two in Garden City.

"By and large, we find that once they (group home residents) are in the neighborhood, we have turned a corner," said Carol Park, who represents Wayne Community Living Services in working with neighbors. "We don't presume there would be acceptance, but we do expect tolerance."

physically lowered him to the floor and pounded his head against the concrete floor.

Teranes' ruling has "no bearing" on the disciplinary action taken against Kurtz by the Plymouth-Canton Board of Education, said Norman Kee, assistant superintendent for employee relations. That action is now being appealed by Kurtz to the State Teacher Tenure Commission.

In November 1982, the board accused Kurtz of "excessive use of physical force" against James and placed him on an indefinite suspension, with pay, pending the outcome of a board hearing.

In February 1983, the board ruled that Kurtz could have avoided the altercation, that he had previously shown a propensity to use excessive force against students, that he was trained in karate and that, even though James was defiant, he didn't pose a physical threat to Kurtz or to other students or teachers. The board also ruled Kurtz acted in a highly unprofessional manner.

The city of Wayne resident was suspended without pay until the second semester of the 1983-84 school year. On Feb. 6, he returned to the district as a substitute teacher.

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"We didn't agree with the court's decision in the first place," Kee said. "That's not our philosophy at all. Teachers have the responsibility to take corrective action, but in this case that action was excessive. It's a district policy not to use excessive force."

Teacher innocent on assault charge

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after that turnover was illegal, Davis ruled.

Teranes overturned Davis' reasoning, apparently agreeing with a 1964 state statute which states teachers may use reasonable force on any students attending school when such force is necessary to maintain discipline.

"This is a significant case," said Charles Bokos, Kurtz's attorney. "Davis ruled on that one issue of supervision to find him guilty of assault and battery. It was the first time a judge said an element of supervision was necessary to discipline a student."

Bokos said Teranes also ruled that no unnecessary force was used in the subduing of James and that the amount of force that was used by Kurtz was reasonable.

IN DISTRICT court, James testified Kurtz grabbed his arm, pulled his hair,

with pay, pending the outcome of a board hearing.

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physically lowered him to the floor and pounded his head against the concrete floor.

Teranes' ruling has "no bearing" on the disciplinary action taken against Kurtz by the Plymouth-Canton Board of Education, said Norman Kee, assistant superintendent for employee relations. That action is now being appealed by Kurtz to the State Teacher Tenure Commission.

In November 1982, the board accused Kurtz of "excessive use of physical force" against James and placed him on an indefinite suspension,

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- **KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION**
Plymouth-Canton Community Schools will hold a kindergarten registration 9:30-11:30 a.m. and 1-3 p.m. the week of March 12 in all elementary schools in the district. To register a child, it is not necessary to bring the child to the elementary school. However, the child's birth certificate or other proof of birth will be required to complete registration. All children being registered must be 5 years old on or before Dec. 1, 1984. The kindergarten registration provides the district with information used to plan for future personnel and building needs. Call your elementary school if you have any question about the registration.
- **WHEN PARENTS GROW OLD**
Monday, March 12 - Anyone may attend a series of seminars for children of aging parents to be held 7:30-9 p.m. at St. Michael Lutheran Church, 7000 Sheldon Road in Canton. On March 12, Dr. Warren Garr will speak about the physical and behavioral changes the aged undergo. On March 19, Phyllis Herzog of Child & Family Service of Ypsilanti will assist in improving communication with parents. On March 26, community resources will be explored. The series continues through April 9. Materials for the class are donated by Aid Association for Lutherans.
- **PLYMOUTH COMMUNITY LIBRARY COMMISSION**
Monday, March 12 - The Plymouth Community Library Commission will hold a general meeting beginning at 7 p.m. at the Dunning-Hough Library. Open to public.
- **PLYMOUTH PUBLIC LIBRARY BOARD**
Monday, March 12 - The Plymouth Public Library Board will hold a general meeting beginning at 8 p.m. in the Dunning-Hough Library. Open to the public.
- **GED TESTING**
Monday-Thursday, March 12-15 - GED Testing will be held 6-10 p.m. in Room 253 of Plymouth Canton High School on Canton Center just south of Joy. Testing is sponsored by Plymouth-Canton
- **FREE HEALTH SCREENINGS**
Wednesday, March 14 - Free health screenings for persons 60 and older are being offered at the Canton Senior Center, 44327 Michigan Ave. in Canton. For an appointment, call 722-3308. The screenings are part of the "Discover Good Health" series sponsored by Peoples Community Hospital Authority, which operates Annapolis Hospital in Wayne.
- **CEP PARENT-TEACHER GROUP**
Thursday, March 15 - The newly formed Centennial Educational Park (CEP) Parent-Teacher Group will meet at 7 p.m. in the library of Plymouth Salem High, Joy Road west of Canton Center Road. A student panel will present information on "My educational experiences at CEP." Parents and friends of CEP are welcome.

- **PCAAT MEETING**
Wednesday, March 14 - The Plymouth Canton Association of the Academically Talented will meet at 1:30 p.m. in Pioneer Middle School on Ann Arbor Road west of Sheldon. Sister Eileen Rice of Siena Heights College will talk on "Learning Styles" and discuss how to identify which style is best for your child. Topics discussed will include: How does your child learn best? Does your child learn best by listening to lectures, by a visual presentation, or by getting his hands on things?
- **COMMUNITY BAND CONCERT**
Friday, March 16 - The Plymouth Community Band will give a concert with the Ford Chorus at 8 p.m. in the Little Theatre of Plymouth Canton High School, on Canton Center Road just south of Joy Road. Dr. Leonard Falcone, retired professor of music at University of Michigan, will be the guest conductor.
- **ST. PAT'S DINNER-DANCE**
Saturday, March 17 - Mayflower Lt. Gamble VFW Post and Auxiliary 6895 will sponsor a St. Patrick's Day dinner dance with live music and cash bar. Dinner will be served at 8 p.m., and dancing will begin at 9 p.m. The menu will be corned beef and cabbage for \$5 per person. Although there is an advance ticket sale, tickets will be available at the door. The dance will be in the VFW Hall at 1426 S. Mill just north of Ann Arbor Road. For more information, call 459-6700.

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PURSE SNATCH: An unusual purse-snatching took place in the parking lot of Meijer Thrift Acres March 5.

According to a report, a woman left her purse in her shopping cart while removing bottles from her car. A vehicle raced up and a man reached out the window and grabbed the purse containing \$70.

The thief, who had at least one companion, raced away, hitting several cars in the lot, witnesses said.

MORE THEFTERY: The Stony Brook apartment's contents to be pilaged by car break-ins.

Several cars were broken into, and accessories or belongings stolen. In each case, the thief went in through the vent window.

Among the items reported stolen were cassette tapes, radios, T-tops, camera equipment, binoculars and a computer.

The thefts occurred between March 4-6, according to reports. A similar rash of thefts occurred the previous week.

NOT SO SAFE: Someone broke into a Heritage home March 1, stealing a safe hidden in a closet. Total loss was \$240.

ALARMING SITUATION: An attempted theft at the Pinetree Cleaners on Joy was short-circuited March 5 when alarms went off, according to reports. The thief tried to get in through a vacant building next door. An alarm went off in the cleaners and a nearby business,

scaring off the intruder.

MINTY-FRESH: A burglar with an apparent fondness for peppermint schnapps broke a window and entered a Geddes home March 2.

The only thing reported missing in the break-in was a fifth of schnapps. The thirsty thief left footprints in the snow as he escaped.

PILFERED CASH: Around \$200 was stolen in a break-in at the Quik-Pik store on Lilley March 5.

According to reports, the burglar entered by breaking the glass, reaching in and unlocking the door. The money was in a cash drawer.

HOME BREAK-INS: A burglar entered a doorwall of a Cambridge apartment March 1, stealing a television, microwave oven, lamp, ring and stereo. Total value of the items is \$3,300.

A March 2 break-in on Denton yielded three rifles valued at \$115. According to reports, entry was gained by breaking a window.

MISCELLANY MISSING: A self-propelling snow-thruster worth \$400 was stolen from a Chichester garage March 4.

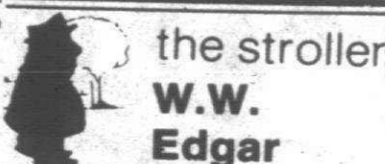
In a separate March 4 incident, a 10-speed bike, tools and lawn mower valued at \$2,200 were stolen from a Harsdale garage.

Opinion

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Mom's cure: dirty socks, castor oil



What became of the old fashioned medicine?
This question comes to mind every time The Stroller visits one of the modern discount drug stores and sees the line-up at the counter. These folks are carrying insurance cards and are seeking all sorts of pills and other types of medicine for whatever ails them.

It has got to the point where most households, including The Stroller's, keep a chart of instructions and watches the clock to see that no pill is missed.

It wasn't that way when The Stroller was young and subject to all the common ailments of youth. When there was any sign of a cold the first thing his mother did was get out the piece of red flannel to wrap around his neck. Why it was always red and no other color always has remained a mystery.

SHE WOULD take the piece of red flannel and use some sort of oil and then wrap it around his neck. This was supposed to be a sure cure.

Along with the red flannel she would make him take a spoonful of castor oil (and this was punishment). But the real remembrance comes when he recalls when he retired at night she made him wrap his stocking around his neck. It had to be stocking he wore during the day.

If it was a chest cold that gripped The Stroller she would go to the cupboard and return with a bottle of camphorated oil. Then, for the next five or 10 minutes, she would rub his chest.

Modern medicine has changed all that but there still are many fond memories of the red flannel and a stocking wrapped around his neck when The Stroller has any symptoms of a cold.

THERE WERE no pills in those days and Mother was a watchdog with any of our ailments as she couldn't afford to call a doctor. (There were doctors who made house calls in those days.)

But the one cure that The Stroller remembers best concerned his grandmother (his mother's mother). She suffered with what she called "rheumatism." It was the same sort of ache that now is referred to as arthritis.

She had tried everything and finally sent for the doctor. After a thorough examination he recommended the oldest treatment The Stroller ever has heard — even after all these years.

He recommended that she take an ordinary wash cloth, moisten it, and then place it on top of her head and keep it moist all day. He added that she should smoke a pipe.

HE DIDN'T suggest an ordinary pipe. He prescribed a corn cob pipe. You don't see them any more, but they were common in those days down in the Dutch Country.

So, all day long, she would sit at the window of the living room, with the moist cloth on her head and a corn cob pipe in her mouth. It was an odd sight. But it seemed to help.

One of the joys of this treatment came at Christmas time when The Stroller, then just a mere lad, made it a point to get her a new corn cob pipe and can of smoking tobacco. There was always a smile in the store when he explained that the pipe and tobacco was a gift for his grandmother.

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She brings school to homebound students

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several schools working with special ed and learning-disabled students.

Durand became the homebound teacher last fall. When she isn't performing those tasks, she works at Emerson Middle School in Livonia, assisting children with learning disabilities and mental or physical impairments.

"I like this a lot," Durand said. "I don't mind traveling. I meet different people and working with different kids, different grade levels."

Most of the homebound students are recuperating at home. On occasion Durand may visit a pupil confined to a hospital. Since few districts in western Wayne County have homebound teachers, Durand sometimes provides short-term assistance to students in nearby communities.

In one such case, Durand has been working with a girl who suffered paralysis and speech loss as a result of car crash injuries.

ADAPTATION TO a student's medical condition requires Durand to be flexible.

For example, Janet's arthritis was diagnosed late last summer. Currently, she is resting at home while undergoing a series of injections of gold, which her physician hopes will put the arthritis in remission.

Janet receives temporary relief from pain by soaking her hands, feet and ankles in a liquid solution of hot wax, kept in a heating unit in her home.

The athletic Janet enjoys softball and gymnastics — activities which must be set aside right now.

"I love running," Janet said. "Hopefully, the medicine will work and I can go back to it."

Janet's mother, Jean, is grateful for the homebound program. "I was sending her to school crying (from pain), but she didn't want to miss."

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face in the crowd

AT THE END of an hour, Durand and Janet have reviewed proportions and ratios for math, and plant reproduction for science. It was time for Durand to climb into her car and drive to the next assignment with 14-year-old Leisa Mellberg.

Leisa, an eighth grade student at Riley Middle School in Livonia, recently underwent surgery on her back and was in a body cast. Unable to sit comfortably, Leisa reclined on a couch while Durand curled up on the floor.

"The cast is uncomfortable at times, but most of the time it's okay," said Leisa.

From Leisa's teachers, Durand brought several assignments: Tapes of French lessons, a history piece on the Civil War and a project on the influ-

ence of advertising.

"I think I've overwhelmed you with these assignments," Durand said. "I'm going to be home all weekend. Call me if you have a problem."

OBVIOUSLY, DURAND cannot duplicate the education a child would receive in his or her regular classroom. Some subjects are too accelerated or too specialized. But she enjoys the challenge.

"I have had a marvelous year," Durand said. "I have to do some pairing down (and) develop lesson plans for each child. I have met a cross-section of (people)."

When she isn't teaching, Durand enjoys bowling and playing golf with her husband, Bob, an electrician with the family-run Durand Electric Co. of Northville.

Durand also teaches Sunday school at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church in Livonia and spends plenty of time with daughters Nicole, 11½, Alicia, 6, and Carrie, 2½.

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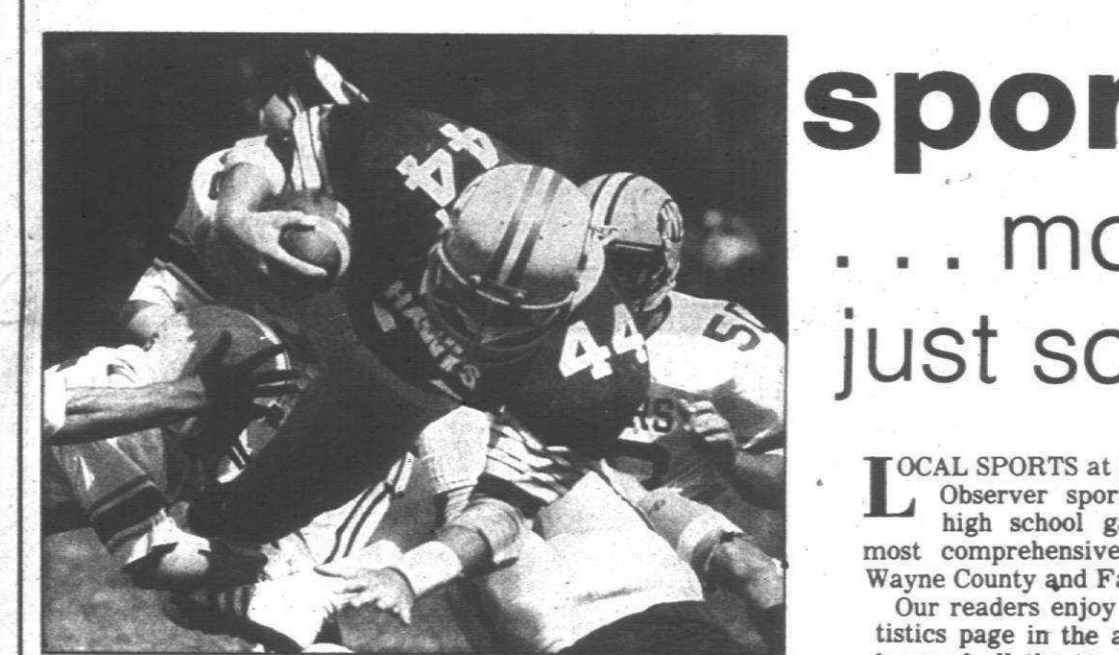
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military news

● COMPLETES TRAINING

Pvt. John Queener, a 1979 graduate of Belleville High School, has completed Army basic training at Fort Dix, N.J. Queener is the son of Phyllis and John Queener of Beck Road, Canton.

While in training, Queener received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid and Army history and traditions.

● GETS PROMOTED

Jeannette Jimmerson, a 1980 graduate of Plymouth Salem High School, has been promoted to the rank of airman first class. Jimmerson is the daughter of James Jimmerson of Woodbridge, and Judith Hopper of Ardsley, both of Canton.

She is a medical administrative specialist at RAF Lakenheath, England, with the U.S. Air Force Hospital.

● COMPLETES COURSE

Pvt. James Heller, a 1983 graduate of Plymouth Salem High School, has completed a Department of Defense broadcast specialist course at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind. Heller is the nephew of Jane and Melvin King of Ridge, Plymouth.

Heller was trained in newscasting, sportscasting and reporting special events and features. He also received

instruction in programming, producing and writing news, sports and feature material for radio and television.

● EARNS COLLEGE CREDIT

Airman John Smith, a 1982 graduate of Plymouth Canton High School, was graduated from the U.S. Air Force telecommunications operations course at Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas. Smith is the son of Gwendolyn Smith of Ardsley, Canton.

The airman was taught to operate teletypewriter and other equipment used in the worldwide Air Force communications system. He also earned credits toward an associate's degree through the Community College of the Air Force. He is scheduled to serve with the 27th Communications Squadron at Andersen Air Force Base, Guam.

● COMPLETES TRAINING

Pvt. John Stone, a 1983 graduate of Canton High School, has completed Army basic training at Fort Jackson, S.C. Stone is the son of JoAnn Anderson and stepson of Art Anderson of Epping, Canton.

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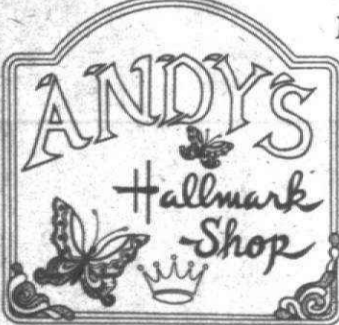
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Erin Go Bragh

It's time for an Irish feast

By Catherine Trainor
staff writer

EVERYBODY KNOWS you don't have to be Irish to enjoy St. Patrick's Day. And you don't have to leave home to enjoy a fine Irish celebration. After all that is one of the mainstays of Irish culture — home and hearth.

Why not just put a few Irish records on the stereo, a few appropriate decorations on the table and gather your family for a real Irish dinner?

We Americans have done some adapting along the way. Did you know the Irish never eat corned beef? Rather they serve boiled ham with their potatoes and cabbage. But, not to worry, corned beef and

cabbage is an easy, delicious meal to prepare and serve.

Today's Shopping Cart offers a number of treats for St. Paddy's day including several ways to prepare corned beef. If that isn't your cup of tea (directions are included for preparing that, too) maybe you would rather try the Luck of the Irish quiche. Whatever you decide, you can top off dinner with a choice of desserts and a cup of real Irish coffee.



You'll have the luck of the Irish with these made-from-a-mix St. Pat's day cookies. Emerald frosting and gumdrop leaves add the final festive touch. They may never make it to the cookie jar.

These shamrocks are people pleasers

These unique cookies begin with angel food cake mix and end in shamrock shapes. Whether you make three- or four-leaf clovers, your family and friends will feel lucky — and very Irish — to be served such a treat.

Nuts and coconut provide a wonderfully chewy texture, and you'll enjoy decorating each "masterpiece" with tinted ready-to-spread frosting. Don't be surprised if some leprechauns offer to put the gumdrop leaves in place.

ANGEL SHAMROCK COOKIES

- 1 pkg. (16 oz.) white angel food cake mix
- ½ cup water
- 1 tsp. vanilla
- ½ cup chopped nuts
- 1 pkg. (7 oz.) shredded coconut
- 1 cup ready-to-spread vanilla frosting
- 2 or 3 drops green food color
- 12 to 15 spearmint gumdrop leaves
- Sugar

Heat oven to 350 degrees. Cover cookie sheet with aluminum foil or heavy brown paper. Beat cake mix (dry), water and vanilla on low speed, scraping bowl constantly, 30 seconds. Beat on medium speed, scraping bowl occasionally, 1 minute. Fold in nuts and coconut. For each shamrock, drop batter by three ½-teaspoonfuls with edges touching (place each shamrock about 2 inches apart). Bake until set and edges are brown, 12 to 15 minutes. Slide foil onto wire rack; cool cookies completely before removing from foil.

Mix frosting and food color; frost cookies. Flatten gumdrop leaves on sugared surface with rolling pin. Cut flattened leaves lengthwise into halves. Place 1 half between 2 leaves of each shamrock to form stem. 2 to 2½ dozen cookies.

Creme de menthe adds color, flavor

Dressed for St. Paddy's Day is this luscious, chocolate-filled creation "spiked" with a favorite liqueur. Creme de menthe adds distinctive flavor and Irish color to the cake batter and the whipped cream topping.

The rich chocolate filling is the perfect complement to the cool, minty taste. Preparation time is kept to a minimum by beginning with a package of cake mix.

Remember this recipe for other holidays and special celebrations. It's a grand finale for any party, and it serves a crowd.

CHOCOLATE-FILLED CREME DE MENTHE CAKE

- 1 pkg. white or chocolate chip cake mix
- 2 tbsp. green creme de menthe
- 3 squares (1 oz. each) semisweet chocolate
- 2 tbsp. water
- 1 cup chilled whipping cream
- 2 tsp. powdered sugar
- 1 tsp. green creme de menthe

3 or 4 drops green food color, if desired

Heat oven to 350 degrees. Grease and flour 2 round pans, 8 or 9 x 1½ inches. Prepare cake mix as directed on package using 3 egg whites except — add 2 tablespoons creme de menthe with the water. Cool 10 minutes. Remove from pans; cool completely.

Place 1 layer, rounded side down, on serving plate. Heat chocolate and water in 1-quart saucepan over medium heat, stirring constantly, until melted. Spread over layer on plate. Top with remaining layer, rounded side up. Beat remaining ingredients in chilled bowl until stiff. Frost top and side of cake. Refrigerate any remaining cake.

High Altitude Directions (3500 to 6500 feet): Grease and flour 2 round pans, 9 x 1½ inches. Prepare cake mix as directed in high altitude directions on package using 3 egg whites except — add 2 tablespoons creme de menthe with the water. Continue as directed in recipe.

Mint-frosted bars are easy to prepare

Flavors in these bars are reminiscent of rich butter-mint candy cushions.

This recipe serves a crowd and the bars are easy to serve and eat. The dough can be mixed and baked quickly, and ready-to-spread frostings make quick work of decorating.

The subtle flavors of coconut and mint blend beautifully for a bar that is sure to become one of your year-around favorites.

MINT-FROSTED BUTTER BARS

- 1 cup firmly packed brown sugar
- 1 cup margarine or butter, softened
- 2 cups all-purpose flour
- 1 cup flaked coconut
- ½ tsp. salt
- ½ tsp. baking powder

- 1 egg
- 1 tub vanilla ready-to-spread frosting
- ½ tsp. peppermint extract
- 2 drops green food color
- ½ cup creamy deluxe chocolate ready-to-spread frosting

Heat oven to 350 degree. Grease jelly roll pan, 15½ x 10½ x 1 inch. Mix brown sugar and margarine in large bowl. Stir in flour, coconut, salt, baking powder and egg. Spread in pan. Bake until light brown, 15 to 20 minutes; cool.

Mix vanilla frosting, peppermint extract and food color; spread over baked layer. Heat ½ cup chocolate frosting until smooth; drizzle over top. Cut into bars, about 2x1 inch. 70 bars.

Toast the saint with real Irish coffee

St. Patrick's Day is the season for the Wearin' of the Green and tipping a cup in honor of Ireland's patron saint.

One way many folks like to celebrate the festive occasion is with a cup of steaming Irish coffee, made rich with the flavor of Bailey's Original Irish Cream.

Keep refreshments sweet and simple with a delicious cookie such as crisp 'n' chewy chocolate chips sparked with the subtle flavor of Irish cream.

BAILEYS IRISH CREAM CHOCOLATE CHIP COOKIES

- ½ cup butter
- ½ cup granulated sugar
- ½ cup brown sugar
- 1 egg
- 1 tsp. vanilla
- ½ cup Bailey's Original Irish Cream
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- ½ tsp. baking soda
- ½ tsp. salt

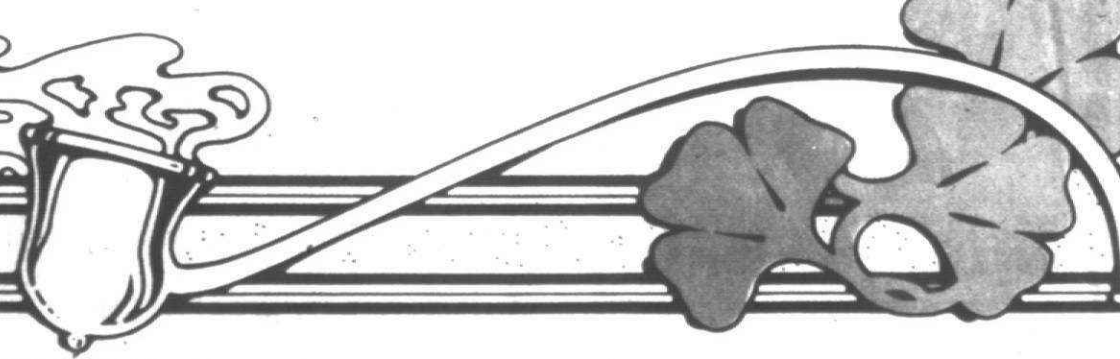
- 1 pkg. (6 oz.) semi-sweet chocolate chips
- ¾ cup coconut
- ½ cup chopped pecans

Cream butter, sugars and egg until fluffy. Add vanilla and Bailey's Irish Cream. Mix dry ingredients and blend into creamed mixture. Add coconut, nuts and chips. Drop onto ungreased baking sheets. Bake at 375 degrees for 8-10 minutes. Cool.

BAILEYS IRISH COFFEE

- 2 oz. Bailey's Original Irish Cream
- 1 oz. Irish whiskey
- 1 oz. freshly brewed coffee
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Try Irish cooking in this new cookbook

For one day a year, Americans of all backgrounds embrace Ireland. But, an important part of Irish life — the food — is largely ignored. "Irish food has been unfortunately maligned — even by Irish Americans," says Marian McSpiritt, co-author, with Mercedes McLoughlin, of the Irish Heritage Cookbook (Tribecca Communications). "I've always loved the food of Ireland and I come from a long line of cooks," McSpiritt says. For the cookbook, she and McLoughlin, her cousin, travelled throughout Ireland gathering over 115 authentic recipes from family members (67 first cousins on one side of the family alone). The result — a combination of tradi-

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Galway Bay corned beef casserole should be served with a 'cuppa'...

It's time to gather round the family hearth for a homey supper and a restorative cuppa. (For the uninitiated, a "cuppa" is a cup of tea — pronounced "tay" by the Irish and served hot and hearty enough to warm the proverbial "cockles of the heart").

Traditional components of a St. Patrick's Day supper are potatoes, corned beef and cabbage. Today's menu features these basics in new guise. In place of ordinary boiled "spuds" there are baked stuffed potatoes flecked with the green of chopped parsley and chives. Instead of slices of slow-simmered corned beef, Galway Bay Casserole is made with thick slices of the canned variety. The slices are set on a bed of sauerkraut (not Irish to be sure but a flavorful combination all the same) and the whole is baked until bubbling hot.

- 1/4 tsp. pepper**
 1/2 cup Thousand Island salad dressing
 1/4 tsp. dry mustard
 1 cup shredded sharp Cheddar cheese
 1 (12-oz.) can corned beef, sliced
 1 tomato cut in wedges
 1 tbsp. flavored breads crumbs
- IRISH STUFFED POTATOES** (Makes 4 servings)
 4 large baking potatoes
 Shortening
 4 tbsp. butter or margarine
 1/4 cup hot milk
 1/4 tsp. salt
 1/4 tsp. pepper
 4 tbsp. chopped parsley
 4 tbsp. chopped chives
 Scrub potatoes, dry and rub with shortening. Bake in 425 degree oven until done when pricked with a fork, about 1 hour. Cut off top third of each potato lengthwise. Carefully scoop out potatoes leaving 1/2-inch shells. Mash pulp and beat in butter and milk. Add salt, pepper, parsley and chives. Continue beating until fluffy, then mound mixture in potato shells. Place on baking sheet and bake in 375 degree oven until lightly browned, about 10 minutes.

A big pot of freshly brewed "tay" should be served throughout the meal, preferably with milk rather than lemon. Use good quality tea either in loose form or in teabags to insure a brew that gives a gentle lift without a later let down. Follow these simple rules endorsed by tea experts: Heat a teapot by filling it with hot water while you bring fresh cold water to a full rolling boil. Empty the teapot and measure one teaspoon of tea or one teabag per serving into the pot. Cover the pot and let stand for 3 to 5 minutes. Stir and strain before serving.

GALWAY BAY CASSEROLE (Makes 4 servings)
 1 (16 oz.) can sauerkraut, drained and rinsed
 1/4 cup water
 2 tbsp. brown sugar

Chocolate-pistachio cake is easy

Chocolate and pistachio flavors team beautifully for a moist pound cake sure to win rave reviews and lots of Irish cheers. But Irish or not, you and your family or guests will remember this St. Paddy's Day treat.

Only three ingredients are needed for the attractive two-tone cake, and the rich chocolate glaze is one you will enjoy using again and again.

CHOCOLATE-PISTACHIO POUND CAKE
 1 pkg. golden lb. cake mix
 3 tbsp. cocoa
 1 pkg. (3 1/2 oz.) pistachio instant pudding and pie filling

Heat oven to 325 degrees. Grease and flour square pan, 8x8x2 or 9x9x2 inches. Prepare cake mix as directed on package except — add cocoa with the water. Bake until wooden pick inserted in center comes out clean, 45 to 50 minutes. Cool 10 minutes. Remove from pan; cool completely.

Prepare pudding and pie filling as directed on package for pie. Let stand until set, about 5 minutes. Split cake to make 2 layers. (To split cake, mark sides with wooden picks and cut with

long, thin knife.) Place 1 layer, cut side up, on serving plate; spread with half of the pistachio filling. Top with remaining layer, cut side down. Spread with remaining pistachio filling. Drizzle top with Chocolate Glaze. Refrigerate any remaining cake.

CHOCOLATE GLAZE
 3 tbsp. powdered sugar
 2 tsp. cocoa
 2 tsp. margarine or butter, softened
 2 tsp. water

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Corned beef brisket is too spicy for many people. You know the kind - it comes in a sealed plastic package and you can see all the herbs and spices almost floating around.

I prefer the plain beef brisket boiled with several vegetables and a smattering of spices. I occasionally glaze the brisket in the oven, too.

What makes beef brisket tasty is the sauce. When I came across a jar of mustard with horseradish at the store, I decided to experiment. The results beefed up the brisket.

MUSTARDIZED HORSE RADISH SAUCE
1/2 cup fresh bread crumbs

1 tsp. coriander
1 cup light cream
1/4 cup jarred mustard with horseradish
1/4 tsp. salt
Pinch of black pepper

In small saucepan, combine bread crumbs and coriander, gradually stir in cream and cook over medium heat until mixture comes to boil and thickens, allowing to boil 1 minute and stirring often. Remove from heat, stir in mustard-horseradish, salt and pepper. Mix well, reheat gently and serve hot. Makes 1 1/2 cups. Refrigerate leftover sauce and use again.

GLAZED BOILED BEEF BRISKET
3 to 4-lb. beef brisket
4 green onions, cut up
2 carrots, pared
2 celery ribs, coarsely cut up
12 peppercorns
1 bay leaf
2 tsp. salt
1 tsp. thyme
1/2 cup cooking liquid, strained from pot
2 beef bouillon cubes, crumbled
Pinch of black pepper
1 tsp. coriander

Roll up beef, jelly-roll fashion if possible, and secure with twine. Bring 2 1/2 quarts water to boil in large pot, add beef and next seven ingredients, let resume boiling, reduce heat to medium low, cover and cook 2 1/2 to 3 1/2 hours.

In small saucepan, combine cooking liquid, bouillon cubes and pepper. Combine coriander and 2 teaspoons cold water, stir into mixture, bring to boil until thickened and translucent, stirring often.

Place meat in shallow baking pan, brush with half of glaze, broil 6 inches from heat 2 minutes; brush with rest of glaze, broil 1 minute. Discard twine, slice meat and serve with mustardized horseradish sauce. Serves 4-6.

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Every year since 1962, a team of spirited Irishmen in Chicago have risen in the wee hours of the morning to begin their celebrating of St. Patrick's Day by pouring bright green vegetable dye into their city's mighty river. In New York City, they've been celebrating with a gala St. Patrick's Day parade since 1762! And in San Francisco, celebrations are highlighted with a grand snake race at high noon.

Regardless of where you hail from, your St. Patrick's meal is sure to be an extra special Irish feast with Luck O' The Irish Quiche, Wearin' O' The Greens Salad, Leprechaun Dressing and Irish Soda Bread.

LUCK O' THE IRISH QUICHE
1 15-oz. can corned beef hash
1/4 cup soft bread crumbs
4 eggs
1 cup milk
Dash of ground red pepper
1 cup (4 oz.) shredded Swiss cheese
1 tsp. flour
Green pepper rings

Heat oven to 350 degrees. In bowl, combine hash, bread crumbs and 1 egg; mix until well blended. Spread mixture in 9-inch pie plate or quiche pan, pressing mixture up to rim of plate. Toss cheese with flour; sprinkle on top of hash mixture. Combine remaining 3 eggs, milk and red pepper; pour into hash-lined plate. Bake at 350 degrees, 40 minutes or until egg mixture is set. Garnish with green pepper rings. 6 servings.

WEARIN' O' THE GREENS
2 cups torn Bibb lettuce
2 cups torn iceberg lettuce
2 cups torn leaf lettuce
1/2 cup sliced celery
1/2 cup sliced cucumber

IRISH SODA BREAD
4 cups flour
1 tsp. baking soda
1 tsp. salt
1/2 cups buttermilk
1/2 cup chopped raisins
1 egg yolk, beaten

Heat oven to 425 degrees. In large bowl, sift flour, soda and salt together. Add buttermilk; mix until a soft dough forms. Stir in raisins. Place dough on a lightly floured board; knead 10 times. Shape into a flat circular loaf about 8 inches in diameter and 1 1/2 inches thick. Place on greased baking sheet. With the tip of sharp knife, cut a 1/2-inch deep X into the dough, from edge to edge, dividing the top of the loaf into quarters. Brush top with egg yolk. Bake at 425 degrees, 45 minutes or until top is golden brown.

One 8-inch round loaf.



LEPRECHAUN DRESSING
1/2 cup dairy sour cream
1/2 cup milk
1 tsp. lemon juice
1/2 tsp. celery salt
Dash of hot pepper sauce
1 large avocado, seeded, peeled, mashed

Blend all ingredients. Cover; chill. Use within a few hours to prevent discoloration. 1-1/2 cups.

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• FAMILY VIOLENCE CONFERENCE

Daughters of the American Revolution will meet at noon Monday, March 19 at the home of Mrs. Alvin Huff. Guest speaker will be John White who will discuss "Consumer Power and Conservation." For information, about the DAR call 453-4225 or 348-2198.

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the view Ellie Graham

YOUNG SINGERS have until Thursday, March 15, to submit applications for the first scholarship grants in this area offered only to vocalists. The Plymouth Community Chorus will present three scholarships.

A \$500 grant will go to a graduating high school senior, and two \$250 awards will go to students in grades 6-11. Students do not have to audition for these scholarships.

This is a wonderful opportunity for young vocalists to take voice lessons and learn to read music. Whether they have ambitions of singing opera, singing with a choir, or launching an acting career, the chance at this scholarship will get them off to a good start.

CHRIS BENNETT Burnette shared some good news with fellow members of the Plymouth Historical Society at the society's Thursday evening meeting.

NORMA SCHMEMAN was guest of honor at a surprise birthday celebration, planned by her son and daughter-in-law, Wendell and Margaret Sikes.

SANDRA BOAK of Plymouth will be guest speaker when the Oral Majesty Toastmasters group meets at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 20, at Denny's Restaurant.

CARL PETERS came in first and Frances LaCombe was second at Thursday's party bridge games in the Plymouth Cultural Center.

KATHLEEN BOMBACH, a freshman at Central Western, has pledged Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority. She graduated from Plymouth Salem High School last June.

SHAWN O'NEAL and Sharon Radionoff, both of Plymouth, appeared in "The Elixer of Love" last weekend. The comic opera was presented by the Eastern Michigan University Music Department in Pease Auditorium.

WINNERS: Douglas Campbell, Grant Carmichael, Andy Dennison, Mike Fody, Kendall Forsterling, Jennifer Harris, Jennifer Johnson, Jenny Kincer, Joy Kirchgatter, Danielle Krahl, Soo Mee Kwon, Brenda Luelleman and Steve Maloy.

Eye appeal

Brownies Becky Hoon (left), Lynn MacLeod, Laura Bevilacqua, Rachel Rees, Melissa Callagari, Bridget O'Donnell, Julie George and Sara Browalski sent out an appeal for eye glasses and ended up with 2,317 pairs plus 40 pounds of jewelry. All will be sent to New Eyes for the Needy Inc. in Short Hills, N.J.



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American furniture antiques forum topic

J. Jordan Humberstone will be keynote speaker at the first of the four-part Antiques Forum series sponsored by the Plymouth Historical Society. His topic will be "American Furniture: Rich Legacy" at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 14, at the Plymouth Historical Museum.



J. Jordan Humberstone

Growth Works offers job training, placement

Growth Works Inc. is recruiting 16- to 21-year-olds for job training and job placement opportunities. The free service offered by Growth Works is in its eighth year, funded by a grant provided by the Wayne County Employment and Training Administration.

PCAC announces student fine art award winners

The Plymouth Community Arts Council has announced the winners of its annual Student Fine Art Awards. Grant Carmichael, 14, a ninth-grader at Central Middle School, was the grand prize winner.

DuMouchelles MARCH AUCTION. Friday, March 16, 7:00 PM Saturday, March 17, 11:00 AM Sunday, March 18 at Noon. Features: FRIDAY: Smoking paraphernalia; SATURDAY: Large collection of Lladro Porcelains; SUNDAY: Fine jewelry, Oriental rugs.

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ST. JOHN NEUMANN WOMEN'S GUILD

Women's Guild will hear Janet Schweitzer, financial planning expert, speak when the guild meets at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 14 at the church on Warren Road. Refreshments will have an Irish flavor. The guild has set a cut-off date of April 1 for reservations for its April Craft.

LAMAZE SERIES

Seven-week Lamaze series will begin Wednesday, March 14 at First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth, 701 Church Street, Plymouth and St. Michael Lutheran Church, 7000 N. Sheldon, Canton Township. Call 459-7477 for information or to register.

NOW MEETING

Northwest Wayne County chapter of National Organization for Women will meet at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 14 in Hoover School, 15900 Levan, Livonia. The chapter will show the film, "Pink Triangle," concerning homophobia and the persecution of homosexuals during the Nazi era. A discussion will be led by a member of the Michigan Organization for Human Rights. For information, call 336-8592. The public is invited.

AAUW MEETING

The Plymouth branch of the American Association of University Women will meet at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, March 15 in West Middle School Cafeteria, Sheldon at Ann Arbor Trail. Chiropractor Bob Rose of Ann Arbor will discuss "Holistic Health." After the main speaker, members and guests may join a smaller group to hear one of the following: Joan Rose, certified myomassologist; Barbara Wade, owner of Healthways in Plymouth; or Margaret Jenner, aerobic instructor at Vic Tanny in Plymouth. For information, call Phyllis Johnson, 455-2907, or Cindy Hillquist, 455-7132.

MOTHERS OF TWINS

Plymouth-Canton Mothers of Twins will meet at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, March 15 at the home of Carolyn Anulewicz. A speech pathologist will be guest speaker. Meeting open to all mothers of twins. For information, call Joyce, 453-2729.

VFW ST. PATRICK'S DANCE

The Mayflower-Lt. Gamble Post Veterans of Foreign Wars will have a St. Patrick's Day dance Saturday, March 17 at the Post hall, 1426 S. Mill Street, Plymouth. A corned beef and cabbage dinner will be served at 8 p.m. with dancing starting at 9 p.m. Music will be

by the Al Sims Trio. Admission is \$5 per person. Tickets are available at the Post Home. Call 459-6700. Members and their guests are welcome.

DYNAMIC AEROBICS

The Women's Association of First United Presbyterian Church of Plymouth is sponsoring Dynamics Aerobics classes beginning March 19 and continuing through May 17. Classes will meet at the church 6-7 p.m. Mondays and Thursdays. Fee is \$25 for 16 classes, \$13 for eight classes. Baby-sitting is available. Call 459-9485 for more information or to register.

PLYMOUTH RNS

Plymouth Registered Nurses Association will meet at 7:30 p.m. Monday, March 19 at the Plymouth Township Hall meeting room, Ann Arbor Road at Lilley. Guest speaker will be James Lindeman, certified blood bank director from Henry Ford Hospital. He will talk about blood products, what happens to a pint donated today. For more information, call Charlotte Wood, 455-4109.

ROCK & MINERAL CLUB

The Plymouth Rock & Mineral Society will meet at 7:30 p.m. Monday, March 12, in the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer, Plymouth. Slide

program will be "Stonehenge Monuments of England." Visitors are welcome.

PLYMOUTH EX-NEWCOMERS

Plymouth Ex-Newcomers will meet at 7:30 p.m. Monday, March 12, in the cafeteria of West Middle School, Ann Arbor Trail at Sheldon. Guest speaker will be Sandy Pallas, whose topic will be astrology. Hospitality after the meeting.

ALPHA XI DELTA

Alpha Xi Delta Alumnae will meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 13, at the home of Carroll Lewis, 23646 Rockford, Dearborn. She will give a "Journey Through the Bible in Glass." RSVP to the hostess, 562-8030, or Suellen Sekulich, 565-7193.

TONQUISH CREEK GARDEN CLUB

The Tonquish Creek branch of the Woman's National Farm & Garden Association will meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 13, at the home of Mrs. Randall Silye, 45224 Pinetree, Plymouth Township. Speaker will be Alesandra Hicks who will give an illustrated lecture on herbs. Co-hostess will be Mrs. Adelbert Stuck.

WOMEN'S DIVORCE SUPPORT

Women's Divorce Support Group, sponsored by the Women's Resource Center at Schoolcraft College will meet 7-9 p.m. Tuesday, March 13, in Room B160 of the Liberal Arts Building. Meeting is free and no registration is required. Audrey Wasserman of the Feminist Therapy Center will discuss how to use the experience of divorce to help you grow and emerge stronger than before. For information, call 591-6400, Ext. 430.

ST. KENNETH'S GUILD

St. Kenneth's Women's Guild will meet at noon Tuesday, March 13, at the church center, 14951 Haggerty, Plymouth Township. Bev Stringham, a color coordinator, will be guest speaker. Bring your own lunch — beverage and dessert will be provided. Mary Hamblin will chair the meeting.

MOM & TOTS FIELD TRIP

Deadline is Tuesday, March 13, for reservations for Newcomers Club Mom and Tots field trip to Chuck E. Cheese on Wayne Road at Cherry Hill. Group will meet there at 2:30 p.m. Thursday, March 15. Each child receives a free slice of pizza, pop and one token and the group will tour the establishment. Call 981-2917 for information or reservation.

CANTON NEWCOMERS FORM NEW INTEREST GROUPS

New interest groups are being formed including crafts, call 453-6552, and a mah-jongg group, call 455-5848. Instruction will be given on both games.

PLYMOUTH TOWNSHIP SENIOR CITIZENS

All Plymouth Township and city of Plymouth senior citizens are invited to attend a film presentation, "Tornado Safety and the Day of the Killer Tornado." The film will be shown at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 13, at the Friendship Station, 42375 Schoolcraft Road. A member of the Charter Township of Plymouth Emergency Preparedness Office will show the film and answer questions. For more information, call Irving Millington, club president, 420-2948, or 420-3321.

COUNTRY CRAFTERS SHOW

Artists and craftsmen have until March 17 to apply for a table at the Catholic Central Mother's Club Country Crafters Show which will be 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, April 7, at the high school on Breakfast Drive, Redford Township. Table rental is \$25. Arrangements can be made by calling Sandy, 477-2304, or Nancy, 533-9006.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S CONCERT

The concert, "Meet the Top Brass," will be at 2 p.m. and 4 p.m. Sunday, March 18, in Plymouth Salem High School auditorium. Admission is \$1.50. Tickets will be on sale in the elementary schools March 13-15.

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Rocks own district title

By Chris McCosky
staff writer

The only thing missing Friday night was the wishbone offense and Tom Moshimer, with his head set on, pacing the sidelines.

Plymouth Salem and Northville, two big and bruising teams, squared off for the championship of the state Class A district basketball tournament at Plymouth Canton.

The teams transformed the normally passive, non-contact sport of basketball into something more akin to football. It was an all-out, last-one-standing-wins war.

The last one left standing Friday night was Salem. The Rocks won the game, and their third straight district championship, 57-42. But, they may have to change the school colors from blue and white to black and blue.

"WE KNEW it was going to be a hard-fought game," said Salem coach Fred Thomann. "Based on our size and their size, and based on their key player Steve Schrader and our key player Rick Berberet, who are big, physical players, we knew we were in for a physical game. But, I didn't know that it would be as physical as it was. It was probably as physical a game as I have ever coached in."

But, a Thomann-coached Salem team rarely backs down in a physical ballgame.

"Oh, we are a physical team," he said. "We like to play physical basketball, no question. We weren't surprised at all. We just had enough basketball ability to overcome Northville. We played better basketball than they did tonight."

Erich Hartnett led Salem in the basketball ability department. He scored

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17 points, hitting seven of 12 shots from the floor. He also made some sparkling assists, six in total.

Jeff Arnold added 15 for the Rocks, including six important free throws in the final stanza. Berberet scored 11 points and five assists.

IN THE physical department, Scott Jurek, Berberet and LeSean Haygood took on Northville's Schrader, Greg Wendel and Dan Perpich. Salem may have won the physical battle as well — at least it didn't have an ill-effect on the rest of Salem's game.

Jurek played a strong game defensively and on the boards, pulling in seven rebounds. He also dished out a good amount of bumps and bruises.

The bumping and elbowing that went on non-stop throughout the game climaxed in a brief exchange between Berberet and Schrader. The skirmish, which occurred with 1:24 left in the game, was broke up before any serious blows were thrown.

"It was fun for me," said Berberet, who was sporting a gash under his eye after the game. "As long as when I get hit, I get the chance to hit back at them. The only problem in a game like this is that I'm limited inside. I get the ball inside and there's three guys on me. It's tough to get my offensive game going. So I just dish out and go to the boards."

The game meant just one thing to Berberet and the Rocks — it earned them a trip to Ypsilanti. They will take on the winner of the Dearborn district (either Detroit Western or Taylor Truman) at 7:30 Thursday night in the state Class A regional tournament at Eastern Michigan University's Bowen Fieldhouse.

THE ROCKS jumped in front of the

Mustangs early and kept control most of the way. Some poor outside shooting prevented the Rocks from blowing Northville away in the second and third quarters. Salem hit just eight of 26 shots in the middle quarters.

Northville made its only serious run at the Rocks in the third quarter. Down 10, 30-20, and failing to score in its first six possessions of the second half, Northville score six unanswered points to pull within four.

Salem outscored the Mustangs 26-16 the rest of the way.

The Rock defense, effective throughout the game, limited Northville to just seven shots in the third quarter.

"Part of that was we changed the tempo on them," said Thomann. "We slowed it down. The pace of the game was a little much, we thought. We weren't getting much of a flow. So we started to hold the ball out a little more, make them come out and get some easier baskets. Which is what we did."

It appeared Northville would pull within four points with three minutes left in the game. Mustang guard Steve Frellick was driving in, seemingly alone, for a layup. Hartnett came out of nowhere, leaped rim-high and batted the shot away.

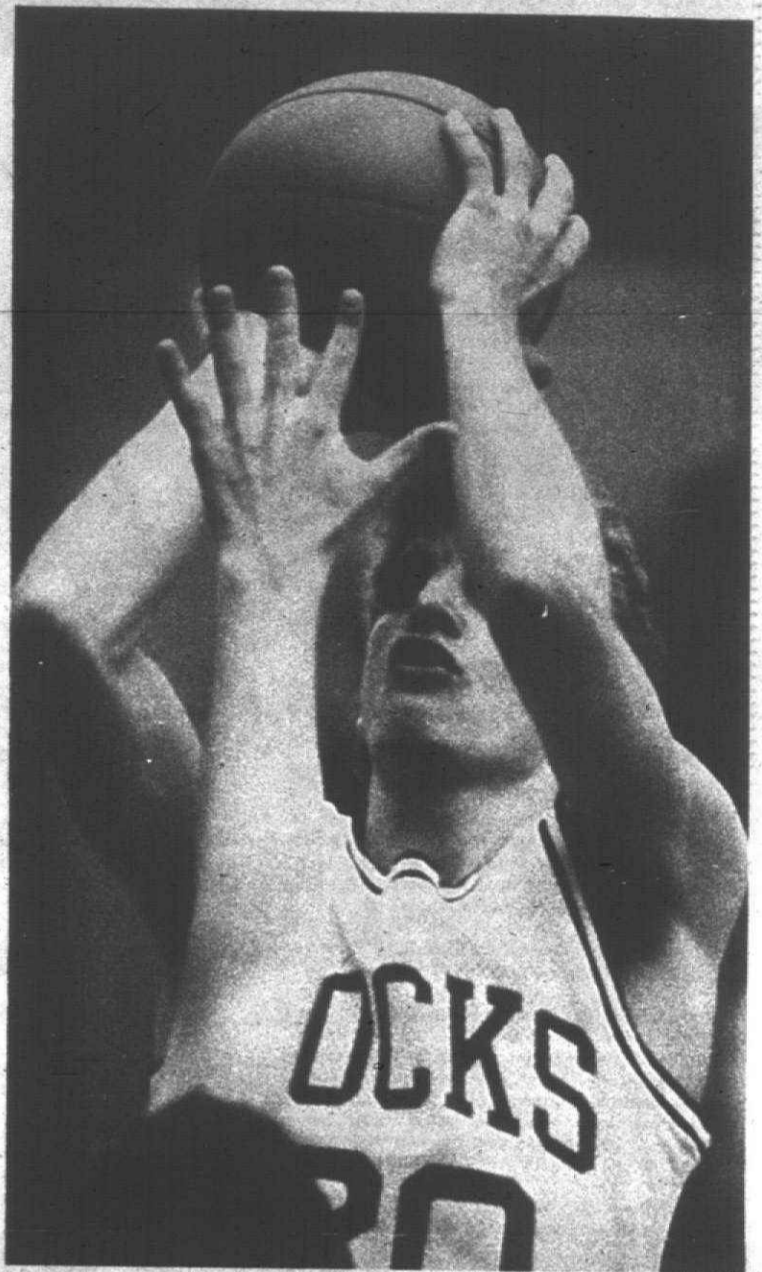
The large and uncharacteristically pumped-up Salem crowd was on its feet in appreciation.

JUREK HIT a pair of short jumpers, Hartnett hit a pair of free throws and a three-point play, and Arnold hit his six free throws down the stretch to ice Salem's win.

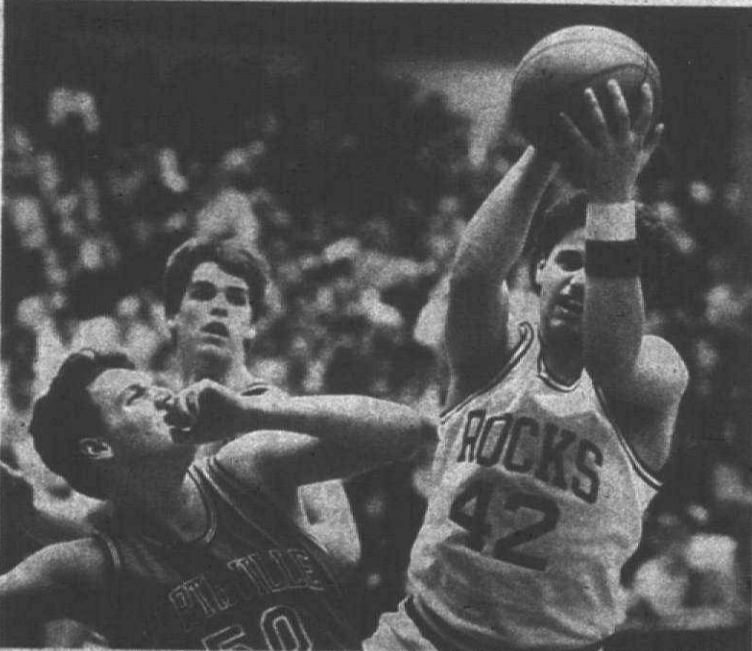
Northville, meanwhile, went scoreless for a three-minute stretch of the final period and committed six fourth-quarter turnovers.

Bob Pegrum scored 12 points for Northville, Wendel added 10.

Salem, Observerland's No.1-ranked team, will take a 19-3 record into the regional tournament Thursday.



Erich Hartnett put on quite a show for the fans Friday night, scoring 17 points, dishing out six assists and making a block worth remembering.



Rock senior Rick Berberet (No. 42) was in the middle of a very physical ballgame. He handed out his share of bumps and bruises and tallied 11 points in Salem's win.

Plymouth Christian goes down with a battle in Southfield district

By Rich Swenson
staff writer

Plymouth Christian's cagers may not have won their Class D district basketball opener against host Southfield Christian Friday, but they did earn some respect.

After a horrendous start, Plymouth trailed Southfield by a 16-2 margin at the end of the first quarter.

But Plymouth chipped away at Southfield's lead, pulling to within six points with just under three minutes to play before losing 50-40.

"We were respectable," Plymouth coach Roland DeRenzo said. "We had a hard time settling down at the start. But we made some shots in the second quarter and gained

out confidence. We gave them a little scare at the end."

PLYMOUTH, LED by Pat McCarthy, finally started clicking in the second quarter. The 5-foot-10 freshman guard hit three long range jumpers to get his team back in the game.

Trailing 28-14 at the break, Plymouth outscored Southfield 15-12 in the third quarter before making its final run in the fourth.

McCarthy scored 14 points to lead Plymouth. Backcourt partner Rod Windle contributed 12.

Chris Seavey paced Southfield with 14 points. Dave Northam tossed in 12 and Khris Bergman had nine.

For Plymouth, its team effort marked a major improvement. The team had lost twice previously to Southfield this season, by margins of 25 and 21 points.

"OUR GOAL WAS to prove that we could play with them," DeRenzo said. "We proved that we could."

"We don't have the speed, the size or the quickness that Southfield has. What we do have is team unity."

Southfield, co-champions of the Michigan Independent Athletic Conference, met Royal Oak St. Mary's in Saturday's regional finals.

Plymouth will have to wait until next season. The young and inexperienced team finished the season with a 6-15 record.



Observer's best

John Jeannotte (on top) from Salem was named the area's best wrestler in his 132-pound weight class.

The entire All-Area wrestling team is featured on page 2C.

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Something special State champ leads '83-84 coaches' team

By Brad Emons
staff writer

This annual All-Area Wrestling Team brings out the best in each weight class, but Catholic Central's Joe Urso, the state Class A champion at 167 pounds, is definitely the elite among the elite.

The CC standout made this year's team, selected recently by the coaches.

"My kids are special, but this kid (Urso) is special," said CC coach Mike Rodriguez. "He'd run five miles in practice, go home and eat dinner, study, and then run 15 on his own."

"He had calluses on his hands from doing pull-ups — just a tremendously dedicated athlete. I could talk about him all night."

Urso came out for wrestling at CC after deciding he was too short to play basketball (he's 6-foot-1). "He wore braces as a freshman and sophomore," said Rodriguez. "He'd get hit in the mouth and be bleeding all the time. His father was concerned about it, but he endured all that."

URSO also excels in the classroom, carrying a 3.46 grade-point average.

"He's very likeable," said the CC coach. "There's not a teacher in the school who doesn't have a kind word about him. He's very Christian. He'd pray before the matches, not to win, but have the strength to do it."

Urso, who holds a career record of 123-20, has been selected to wrestle later this month in the Michigan-Ohio dual meet.

Purdue has already offered him a full-ride scholarship, according to Rodriguez. Notre Dame and Michigan are also interested.

Joining Urso on the All-Area squad are Dan Gibson of Westland John Glenn and Mark Zenas of Livonia Bentley, both of whom finished third in their respective weight classes.

Here is a rundown of the first teams.

FIRST TEAM

Jim Malson, heavyweight, Plymouth Canton: The Canton heavyweight was 26-13 as a junior to go along with individual titles at the North Farmington and Rochester Adams Invitational.

"Jim was much improved wrestler over last year," said Canton coach Dan Chrenko. "He wrestled well in the pressure matches."

Dave Hovey, 98 pounds, Farmington: A state qualifier, Hovey placed fourth in the district and second in the regional tournament to Temperance Bedford's Dave Harper. He won one of three matches at the state meet.

The junior also captured the Western Lakes championship this season and finished with a 29-8 record.

Rick Gillies, 105, Westland John Glenn: A state qualifier, Gillies finished the year with a 32-7 record.

The talented senior was second at both the district and regional meets and won the Plymouth Invitational and Northwest Suburban League (NSL) crowns.

"Rick is the kind of young man every coach wants on his team," said Glenn coach Tom Buckalew. "He works hard and never complains. He's a leader by example."

Dan Gibson, 112, Westland John Glenn: Third in Class A, Gibson scored victories this season over two state champions en route to a 34-3 record.

He was first at the Class A Invitational and named MVP. The junior also won the Rocket Invitational, NSL, district and regional crowns.

"Dan has worked very hard all year and it paid off," said Buckalew. "He should have an outstanding senior year."

Mike Rossi, 119, Westland John Glenn: The senior was a surprise fourth at the state meet, pinning

two opponents.

Mike DiManno, 155, Catholic Central: The senior co-captain finished fifth in his weight class at the state meet.

DiManno is a two-time Catholic League, district and regional champ. This season, he won invitational

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Saturday, March 17 - Canton Senior Citizens will hold its St. Patrick's Day Party from noon to 4 p.m. in the Mayflower Meeting House, 455 S. Main, Plymouth. Admission of \$3 per person includes a sit-down dinner, entertainment by Stan Sklyer, prizes and dancing. Tickets are available at Canton Recreation Center at 44237 Michigan Ave. or by calling Canton Senior Citizens at 397-1000, Ext. 278.

JUNIOR BASEBALL SIGN UP

Saturday, March 17, 24 - The Plymouth-Canton Junior Baseball League will hold registration for its 1984 season from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the cafeteria of Plymouth Canton High School, Canton Center Road just south of Joy Road. Youngsters who will be 7-18 on or before July 31, 1984, are eligible to register. Proof of age is required. Registration fees range from \$19 to \$25. A family rate of \$60 is available. Managers and coaches are needed. Anyone interested in umpiring must register with the league on March 17 or March 24.

TAX COUNSELING FOR ELDERLY

Tuesday, March 20 - Tax counseling is available at the Canton Recreation Center, Michigan at Sheldon, thanks to a program of the Plymouth-

Norville Association of Retired Persons (AARP)

The last day to make an appointment is Tuesday, March 20. Until then appointments are available from 12:30 to 3 p.m. and from 9 a.m. to noon Wednesdays and Thursdays. The service offers tax counseling for senior citizens and the handicapped. For an appointment, call Canton Senior Citizens at 397-1000, Ext. 278.

TAX HELP AT GRANGE

The Plymouth-Norville AARP Tax Aide Counselors for the elderly will be at the Plymouth Grange Hall 1-4 p.m. The service is free; appointments are unnecessary.

Bring any of the following you may have last year's tax returns, any W-2s for 1983; any statements of interest, dividends or pensions received; the total amount of Social Security received and any other amounts of money received; how much paid for hospitalization besides Medicare; and any blank tax forms or booklets. Also homeowners should bring 1983 property tax statements and renters the amount of rent paid and who.

RED CROSS BLOODMOBILE

Wednesday, March 21 - The American Red Cross Bloodmobile will be at the Plymouth Church of the Nazarene, 36500 Ann Arbor Trail west of Riverside Drive, 3-9 p.m. For an appointment, call Dean Hamlin at 420-2950 or 459-7660.

JUMP ROPE FOR HEART

Wednesday, March 21 - Students from West Middle School will be calling on you soon to get pledges for their Jump Rope for Heart on March 21. Each student will be part of a six-member team for a maximum of three hours. The event has been developed to promote physical education with proceeds to benefit the American Heart Association of Michigan.

GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

Wednesday, March 21 - The Western Wayne County Genealogical Society will hold its monthly meeting beginning at 8 p.m. in the Carl Sandburg Library, 30100 Seven Mile, Livonia.

FLORIDA TRIP

Thursday, March 22 - City of Plymouth Parks and Recreation is sponsoring a second Florida trip with departure planned for March 22. The price of \$429 includes seven days/seven nights at Indian Harbour Beach, Fla., one day/one night at St. Augustine, a tour of Kennedy Space Center, day at the beach and optional tours to DisneyWorld, EPCOT Center, Cypress Gardens, Orlando and Rosie O'Grady's. Transportation will be by bus equipped with air conditioning, reclining seats, stereo music and restroom. Adults wanting more information or wishing to make a reservation may call 455-6620.

AARP MEETING

Wednesday, March 28 - The March meeting of the Plymouth-Norville chapter of the American Association of Retired Persons (AARP) will be at noon, preceded by a meeting at 10:30 a.m. of the Board of Directors, in the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer at Theodore. A special invitation to all visitors is extended. Bring your own brown bag lunch; tea and coffee will be available. Paul Cook of Plymouth Area REACT will speak and present films on tornado awareness. Remember to bring canned or non-perishable food for the Salvation Army to the meeting.

DRUG AWARENESS

Wednesday, March 28 - Flegel Elementary PTO will sponsor a free drug awareness program at 7:30 p.m. in the school gymnasium at 39750 Joy Road east of I-275. The program, open to the public, will be presented by Nic Cooper, co-director of Alternative Education at the Centennial Educational Park, and Rick McCoy, student service center teacher. They will discuss the recognition of substance abuse. All interested parents and teachers are welcome to attend.

PARTY BRIDGE

A party bridge group meets at 1 p.m. Thursdays in the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer. Play usually is completed by 4 p.m.

Pupils named essay winners

Students from Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic School in Plymouth and from the Plymouth Christian Academy in Canton have been named local winners in the 15th annual America & Me Essay Contest, sponsored by Farm Bureau Insurance.

The students won first-, second- and third-place awards for their school. Each received award certificates.

Good Counsel winners were Karen Baughman, first; Perry Pinto, second, and Nancy Rezac, third. Winners from the Academy were David Wheeler,

first; Kristopher Mavin, second, and Laura Rowe, third. As their schools' first-place winners, Karen and David's names will be engraved on a plaque for permanent display at their school. The first-place winners advance to state competition from which the top 10 essays in Michigan will be selected. The top state winners, to be announced this month, will receive plaques and U.S. savings bonds ranging in value from \$200 to \$1,000. The topic of this year's contest was "Why America Needs Me."

from our readers

Letters must be original copies and contain the signature and address of the sender. Limit letters to 300 words.

Budget needs balancing

The time has come, as the Walrus said, to talk of many things... but undoubtedly the most important thing is the balancing of the federal budget.

A balanced budget gets the federal government out of short-term money market... and 32 percent of our nation's current debt is short term.

A balanced budget would lower interest rates and stimulate capital investment. This, in turn, would create more jobs and more consumers, thus reducing the unemployment rate. It would get a lot of government out of our lives... and save our children's futures.

Dr. Clifton J. McLellan, Plymouth

ST. PATRICK'S DAY SALE

Optique Boutique advertisement featuring eyewear and contact lenses.

WALARKEY'S PUB advertisement for St. Patrick's Party with live entertainment.

"Grandpa's Treasure Chest" advertisement for a collector's plate sweepstakes.

BLAZO'S RESTAURANT advertisement for breakfast, lunch, and dinner.

Noritake Sale advertisement for fine china and pottery.

Plate Lady advertisement for a 16347 Middlebelt Livonia plate.

Gerry's Beauty Salon advertisement for a new customer special.

GRADUATION ANNOUNCEMENTS advertisement for a 10% off total order.

Ye Olde Pubh advertisement for an Irish celebration.

The Candy Box advertisement for a candy sale.

ALLEN'S KITCHENS & HOME IMPROVEMENT CENTER advertisement for kitchen cabinets.

HAIR CONCEPT advertisement for hair styling services.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY SALE advertisement for Dad's Meat Market and Lenten Special.

Towne & Country Bakery advertisement for cookies and cakes.

Give Your Home A Fresh Look advertisement for wallpaper.

VIDEO TRACK advertisement for video rentals.

GOING SOUTH? advertisement for hair salon services.

A.B.C. CHIROPRACTIC CENTER advertisement for chiropractic services.

CUT GRASS FIRST CLASS advertisement for lawn mowers.

WINE GALLERY PARTY STORE advertisement for wine and liquor.

MIRRORED WALLS advertisement for mirror installation.

Permanent Hair Removal advertisement for electrolysis.

AN IRISH CELEBRATION AT Grunio's advertisement for a St. Patrick's Day party.

CHARMS advertisement for clothing and accessories.

Colorland Service Centers advertisement for video rentals.

Grunio's advertisement for Irish celebration.

Is Health & Fitness Your Game? advertisement for health services.

Colorland Service Centers advertisement for video rentals.

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