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## Township weighs choices in hiring top cop

By Diane Gale  
staff writer

### May opt for temporary turn-around expert

Canton could hire a specialist to correct problems in the police department and then leave, Supervisor James Poole said. The police chief's spot became vacant Saturday when Jerry Cox resigned.

"I think what the police department needs is a fully qualified person to come in for 12 months, and clean it up," said Supervisor James Poole. "And then we can get a person in who will keep it going."

"When you've got things screwed up, you get someone who can straighten it out, and then you put someone in there (permanently)," he said.

The type of person needed to turn the department around would have different characteristics than the person needed to maintain the department on a long-term basis, he said.

Roderick Bartell, of Bartell and Bartell Ltd. consulting firm, will assist the Canton Township Board of Trustees in choosing the candidate for the spot. Finding someone will take 90-120 days, he said.

IN THE MEANTIME, Poole appointed Canton police Lt. Larry Stewart to serve as acting chief.

Bartell completed a study in December 1984 spotlighting a crisis in the police department. Managerial problems were emphasized.

"The study magnified the severity of the situation and showed the misalignment — (Cox's) mismanagement style mismatched to the organization's needs," Bartell said. "To say it called for a resignation is heavy, because people can be developed."

Although the study refrained from recommending Cox leave the office, Bartell said, the resignation will

"speed up" the process of implementing departmental changes.

"The 90 days to get a chief is small compared to how long it would have taken to re-align the chief with the department," Bartell said.

"We didn't say he (Cox) couldn't be developed," he said. "But, the question was: How long would it have taken?"

"We're starting a new era and were very optimistic in thinking things will fall in place quickly," he said.

CHOOSING A NEW police chief will

involve advertising, screening and rating questionnaires, Bartell said.

Bartell's services could cost from \$350 for simply assessing the final candidate to \$7,000. If Canton paid the highest rate and the candidate chosen were not successful in two years, Bartell would repeat the search and selection process at no charge, he said.

Bartell is now screening police chief candidates in Plymouth. But, he doubts candidates applying for Plymouth's spot would be the same type of person the township would want.

"Plymouth and Canton have night and day situations," he said. "Plymouth is looking to maintaining and belt tightening, and in Canton you're looking at growth."

WHILE THE TOWNSHIP searches for a new police chief, Stewart will perform his duties as lieutenant, and take on the chief's responsibilities.

"I'm elated the township board and Mr. Poole have the confidence in me to make me chief, and to do my own job," Stewart said. "It shows me a lot of faith and confidence, and I feel proud."

Cox was involved in many professional organizations including Wayne

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BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

### Greeting the groundhog

Rick Fontaine dives for a line drive (see ball above glove) as a pair of outfielders stand ready to back him up. Nope, Fontaine wasn't getting a pre-spring-training tryout with the World Championship

Detroit Tigers. But he was one of the stellar softballers braving the elements during Canton's Groundhog Softball Tournament. For more on the annual antics, turn to Page 3a.

## Board extends 2 union pacts

### Insurance obstacles hurdled

Contracts with two unions were extended for two years Monday night by the Plymouth-Canton Board of Education.

The board voted 7-0 to ratify two-year extensions of collective bargaining agreements with unions for aides and for transportation department employees.

Both pacts are good through the 1986-87 school year.

Earlier, members of the Plymouth-Canton Educational Aides Association and the Plymouth-Canton Transportation Employees Associations voted to ratify the extensions.

Previously the major item of disagreement was health insurance coverage, particularly for the aides who held out on that issue.

Although both groups received a wage adjustment, the aides received health insurance improvements and some adjustments were made to the health policies of transportation employees.

The aides had already bargained for a 5-percent wage increase in 1985-86 but had a reopener clause to discuss health insurance. With that issue settled, the aides also negotiated another 5-percent hike for '86-87.

The extension with transportation employees also provides for a 5-percent hike for '85-86 and '86-87.

Roland Thomas, board president, thanked both union negotiating teams for being willing to compromise and cooperate with the board to reach the agreements.

IN OTHER ACTION, the board

voted to accept the low bid of National Bank of Detroit on bus bids of \$750,000.

The low bid of NBD for the notes was at 6.1 percent which was some \$1,800 less interest expense than the next closest bid submitted by Security Bank & Trust at 6.35 percent.

The board was informed that the food service firm which runs the cafeteria program for the district is being sold by Del Monte-Reynolds to the Marriott Hotel organization.

Harvey Place, chairman of the Special Education Parent Advisory Council (SEPAC), briefed the board on the position the council is taking on proposed rule changes in state guidelines on special education services. A public hearing is scheduled in February by the state at the Wayne County Intermediate District's auditorium.

## Omnicom claims it's overtaxed

By Gary M. Cates  
staff writer

Omnicom Cablevision is taking the townships of Plymouth and Canton to task on their 1983 and '84 personal property tax assessment.

The cable company objects to being assessed for "house drops" and has taken its case to the Michigan Tax Tribunal.

Prior to 1983, Omnicom wasn't assessed for house drops, said Rick Coleman, Omnicom general manager. House drops are that portion of cable which run from a main line to an individual subscriber's home.

"We had like a \$30,000 jump in the personal property taxes in one year. That's pretty substantial," Coleman said. House drops were included in the company's 1983 and '84 tax bills in Plymouth and Canton townships.

"The house drop is an expendable portion of our plant and it's being looked on as it was a permanent part of our plant," Coleman said.

"In effect, the house drop becomes part of the person's home, it belongs to the subscriber.

"I don't know of any instance where we went out and tore up the cable to someone's house when they moved," he said.

"The converter box has nothing to do with it. The converter belongs to us — that's part of our equipment. If the subscriber loses the converter they pay."

But the townships view the argument differently and have hired attorney Nevin Rose to represent them at the tax tribunal proceedings.

"They agree that the converter box is their property. We are saying that that piece of cable is the personal property of the cable company," Rose said.

"The gas company or the electric company puts a line into your house or apartment and they declare that as personal property. They don't want you to mess with it," Rose said.

"The cable company, on the other hand, says it belongs to the homeowner.

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## Ethiopian plans donation plea to Rotary

By Diane Gale  
staff writer

An unusual chain of events has linked an Ethiopian woman, a Canton Township resident and the Rotary Club of Plymouth.

On Feb. 8, Marta Gabre-Tsadick — the first woman to sit in the Ethiopian Senate — will try to convince Rotary club members to donate money to an organization she founded. The exiled ex-foreign diplomat made the contact through Sandra Aldrich of Canton — a

friend she made after escaping from the African country.

Gabre-Tsadick began Project Mercy in 1976 to aid Ethiopian refugees — long before the recent avalanche of media attention on the country's starvation crisis.

She is the fortress behind a program to distribute admit — an easily digested porridge of oats, milk, sugar and salt for people who are on the brink of starvation and are too weak to digest grain.

"Marta describes it as being for the

people whose bones are being held together by their skin," Aldrich said.

GABRE-TSADICK'S charitable endeavor fits in well with a program adopted by the Plymouth Rotary dubbed "Daily Bread." Club members decided to forfeit rolls served at their weekly meal, and donate the money saved to starving people.

The theme behind the project is "Give THEM this day our daily bread — an altered line in the prayer 'Our Father.' However, the group has not decided exactly where to donate the money.

"We're looking to see what's feasible," according to Dale Kanabe, president of the Rotary Foundation.

There's "a lot of controversy" about how much of the food donated to the country actually makes it to the mouths of starving Ethiopians, "and there isn't one specific group earmarked," Kanabe said.

THE STATELY African woman — who now lives in Indiana with her husband, Demeke Tekle-Wold — began Project Mercy shortly after she came to the United States. She was forced to flee her homeland after the death of Emperor Haile Selassie.

A violent power struggle began among various factions in Ethiopia, and people with governmental rank were especially endangered. Hundreds of lives were claimed during the civil uprising.



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Sandy Aldrich sits in the office of her Canton Township home where she penned her first book, "Sheltered by the King." The suspense-packed, true story documents an Ethiopian family's escape to the United States.

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obituaries

CONSTANCE V. CARMAN
Funeral services for Ms. Carman, 37, of Grant Drive, Canton, were held recently in St. John Neumann Catholic Church in Canton with burial at St. Hedwig Cemetery, Dearborn Heights. Officiating was the Rev. Edward J. Baldwin with arrangements made by Lambert-Vermeulen Funeral Home in Plymouth.

Mrs. Carman, who died Jan. 26 in Southfield, was born in Detroit and had moved to Canton from Chicago in 1975. She was a computer operator with Canton Township. She was a member of St. John Neumann Church, of Angel Flight ROTC, the Polish National Alliance, Girl Scouts, Channel 21, "Rev. Boom, Boom," and was a political advocate.

Survivors include: father, Edmund Kurosky; sisters, Paula M. Donahue of Canton, Pamela M. Leadford of Canton, Karen M. Skoruski of Carleton, Mich., and Glore J. Marinko of Dearborn; and two nieces and three nephews.

DORIS W. LAMBERT
A memorial service for Mrs. Lambert, 80, of Plymouth will be held at 2 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 3, at Plymouth Town Apartments with the Rev. Philip Rodgers Magee officiating. Arrangements are being made by Schrader Funeral Home in Plymouth. Funeral service and burial were held Jan. 30 in Pelham, Mass.

Mrs. Lambert, who died Jan. 26 in Ann Arbor, was born in Massachusetts and lived most of her life there. She moved to Plymouth in 1982 from California. She retired from the University of Massachusetts as a research laboratory assistant in 1962.

Survivors include: husband, Lucien of Plymouth; daughters, Betty Baker of San Jose, and Claire McCubberty of Ann Arbor; and four grandchildren.

MARY E. BUDZYNSKI
Funeral services for Mrs. Budzynski, 70, of Plymouth Township were held recently in Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church in Plymouth with arrangements made by Lambert-Vermeulen Funeral Home.

Mrs. Budzynski, who died Jan. 23 in St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Superior Township, was born in Illinois and had lived in Plymouth Township for 37 years. A homemaker, she was a member of Our Lady of Good Counsel Church. Survivors include husband Chester and several cousins.

RONALD E. WHITING
Funeral services for Mr. Whiting, 51, of Canton were held recently in Lambert-Vermeulen Funeral Home with burial at Riverside Cemetery, Plymouth. Officiating was the Rev. Robert Millar.

Mr. Whiting, who died Jan. 24 in St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, worked in material control for 11 years at the Van Buren plant of Massey-Ferguson. He was a member of Plymouth Elks No. 1780 for 12 years. Survivors include wife, Margot, sons, Kevin and Jeffrey; brother, Vincent of Livonia; sister, Donna Clark of Sterling Heights; and one grand-daughter.

THOMAS W. MCCLELLAND
Funeral services for Mr. McClelland, 66, of Plymouth Township were held recently in Schrader Funeral Home with Gordon Petersen officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to the Michigan Cancer Society. Arrangements were made by Schrader Funeral Home.

Mr. McClelland, who died Jan. 26 in Westland, was born in Ontario, Canada, and moved to Plymouth in 1952 from Canton. He was a supervisor with Consumers Power Co., retiring in 1976 after 24 years employment. He was a member of the congregation of the Jehovah Witness.

WILLIAM H. STEVENSON
Funeral services for Mr. Stevenson, 61, of Livonia were held recently in the Harry J. Will Funeral Home in Livonia with burial at Oakland Hills Memorial Gardens, Novi. Officiating was the Rev. Mark Barnes.

Mr. Stevenson, who died Jan. 20 at home, was born in Richmond, Ky. He had moved from Kentucky to Plymouth in 1937 and for the past 16 years had lived in Livonia. Employed in floor layer construction, he was a member of the Plymouth Church of the Nazarene and of Anglers Unlimited.

Survivors include: wife, Donna; sons, Mark of Brighton and Dwight of Battle Creek; daughter, Pamela Kingsbury of Plymouth; sisters, Karen Dingselov of Canton, Marilyn Hester of Plymouth, Dolie Goto of Northville, and Norma Stobbe of Oldsmar, Fla.; brothers, Ray and Robert, both of Ann Arbor, and Dwight of Jasper, Ala.; and seven grandchildren.

AUGUSTA BUTSCHKE
Funeral services for Mrs. Butschke, 96, of Detroit were held recently in Vermeulen Memorial Funeral Home in Westland with burial at Woodmere Cemetery in Detroit. Officiating was Pastor Robert Gibson.

Mrs. Butschke, who died Jan. 20 in Detroit, was a homemaker and a member of Evergreen Lutheran Church in Detroit. She is survived by several nieces and nephews.

EDWARD W. DETTLING
Funeral services for Mr. Dettling, 69, of Canton were held recently in Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church in Plymouth with burial at St. Hedwig Cemetery, Dearborn Heights. Memorial contributions may be made to St. Joseph Mercy Hospital Heart Research Fund or in the form of Mass offerings. Arrangements were made by Schrader Funeral Home.

Mr. Dettling, who died Jan. 21 in Ann Arbor, was born in Sutersville, Pa., and moved to Canton in 1973 from Detroit. He was a retired IRS agent, having worked for the Internal Revenue Service for 30 years 1946-76. He was a member of Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church.

Survivors include: wife, Luciana; daughter, Luciana O'Keefe of Livonia; sons, Robert and James, both of Canton; sisters, Mary Kryzanski of Detroit and Margaret Grasel of Canton; brother, Frank of Detroit; and seven grandchildren.

ANNA M. MURAWSKI
A memorial service for Mrs. Murawski, 78, of Shadywood, Plymouth, was scheduled for 10 a.m. today in St. Kenneth Catholic Church in Plymouth with burial at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Southfield. The Rev. William Pettit was to officiate. Arrangements were made by Lambert-Vermeulen Funeral Home.

Mrs. Murawski, who died Jan. 25 in Mount Carmel Hospital in Detroit, was born in Detroit. A homemaker, she was a member of St. Kenneth Church. Survivors include: husband, Edmund; son, Joseph Reid of Farmington, daughter, Elaine Reid of Plymouth; sister, Olga

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Frosty temps chill day at the ballpark



Photos by Rick Smith

(Left) Rick Vigil of Mr. Muffler concentrates as he pulls back and tosses the ball over the plate. (Right) Third baseman Mark Savitskie completes the tag, makes an out and does the splits all at the same time. (Bottom right) Jody Boca swings around third base and hustles to home plate. (Bottom) Kathy and Kevin Shankie, bundled up to fight the frosty temperatures, cheer the players.



MR. Muffler won the Sixth Annual Groundhogs Softball Tournament, sponsored by the Canton Parks and Recreation Department, Jan. 26 in Griffin Park.

Mr. Muffler, with a 7-2 victory over the Boczar team, took the championship for the second year in a row.

The Mr. Muffler team got four runs in the first inning of its third game - and victory - of the day, over Boczar. Manager Rick Vigil, Mark Brieschke and Keith Starnick were the top three hitters in the game.

Mr. Muffler also defeated the Thunderbolts, 17-0, and the Snowballers, 8-1. Manager Jeff Boczar's team reached the finals with wins over the Canton Jaycees, 3-2, and Michigan Bell, 17-1.

In the Michigan Bell game, Chuck Janouski had two triples and Tim McCurley had three hits.

The Canton Township employees team won its second game ever, with a 4-1 victory over the Sluggers. The township team is composed of five men and five women.

Other scores: Westside Auto 7, Super Bowl 6, Snowballers 4, Westside Auto 0; Jaycees 4, Rusty Nail 3, Michigan Bell 4, Township Employees 2, Boczar's 3, Jaycees 2, Boczar's 17, Michigan Bell 1.

The teams use orange softballs in the snow. All games have a one-hour time limit.

The tournament was a great success as fun and enthusiasm were the winners of the day. Memories of orange softballs and slipping in the snow will remain with all the participants until they once again play in Canton's version of spring training," said Bob Dates, recreation supervisor.



Talented-gifted classes open

Walk-in registration for Schoolcraft College's talented and gifted classes in the Adventures in Learning program will be held from 2-4 p.m. today in the registration center at campus at 18600 Haggerty, Livonia.

'Brain damaged' seminar set

Registration is open for three Schoolcraft College seminars collectively titled "New Hope for the Brain Damaged." Courses are designed to help the injured, their families and professionals who work with them.

Registration information is available from the community services office at 591-6400 ext. 409. Courses, starting dates and times are: Adjustment for the Traumatically Brain Injured - six Mondays from 6-8 p.m. beginning Feb. 4. Fee is \$40.

Community Reintegration of the Traumatically Brain Injured - one day seminar March 9 for health care providers and professionals. Fee is \$50.

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neighbors on cable

CHANNEL 8 THURSDAY Jan. 31
5 p.m. Cinematic - Johnny Midnight and Federico Balontoni reviews films to be shown on Family Home Theater.

FRIDAY (Feb. 1)
5 p.m. Omnium Game of Week - Boys basketball prep action featuring Plymouth Salem High vs. Livonia Stevenson.

CHANNEL 10 CANTON TOWNSHIP FRIDAYS
6 to 10:30 p.m. Canton Township Board meeting.

CHANNEL 11 PLYMOUTH-CANTON SCHOOLS CHANNEL 13 MONDAYS-FRIDAYS
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# Cantonite snared by coupon book scam

By Dennis Coffman  
staff writer

Telephone soliciting, or "telemarketing," has grown into a multimillion-dollar business in recent years.

It's a rare Canton resident who hasn't been asked to buy storm windows, home modernization, newspaper subscriptions or even long distance telephone service by telephone.

Though most of the companies that do business by phone are reputable, there are a few bad apples. One of these, apparently, is a company selling discount coupons for merchandise and services. The problem is many of the coupons have expired, according to several Canton residents who got stung by the operation.

Bob Taddia of Canton recently bought one of the coupon books, called "Shopping Spree."

MOST OF THE COUPONS in that book were supposed to be redeemable at companies in the Plymouth, Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti areas.

But Taddia found that many of them had expired, or that the companies listed were no longer in business.

"I'm usually hesitant to buy by phone," said Taddia, "but I thought I would be helping the community."

Taddia probably should have been suspicious when the coupon book seller rushed out to his home to collect \$39.95.

"I'm really dissatisfied," said Taddia, who is a mental health worker in Inkster.

"I'd like to help others avoid this type of thing and not be taken," Taddia said. "He's got my money, but that's not the point."

Taddia said the coupon book seller had a temporary office on Main Street in Plymouth — very temporary.

This guy is just making a fortune taking people," he said. "He is saying he is backed, but in fact is not (supported) by chambers of commerce in other communities."

The "Shopping Spree" book resembles many legitimate coupon books which offer discounts on products, services, free dinners and movie tickets when one ticket of equal value is purchased.

ONE OF THE "Shopper's Spree" coupons was supposed to give the holder a free portrait through a Lowe, Mass., studio. Taddia said the purchase was paid and from people who received any photos.

"This is a boiler-room operation, essentially," said Detective Sgt. Norman Aldrich said.

THE RELATIONSHIP BLOSSOMED from 1980 to 1982, while Aldrich collaborated with Gabre-Tsadick on a book called, "Sheltered by the King," an intriguing account of Gabre-Tsadick and his family's runaway to freedom in the United States.

The initial seed of friendship between Aldrich and Gabre-Tsadick was planted when the African woman spoke at Livonia's Ward United Presbyterian Church.

"She's a free and I love her," said Aldrich, a galsy writer and public speaker.

On Jan. 31 Aldrich is speaking in Washington, D.C., at the annual National Prayer breakfast with President Reagan, members of Congress and other diplomats expected to attend.

# Donations requested

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"Religion has drawn us together," Aldrich said.

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"On Jan. 12, 11 tons of amit was sent over on a DC8," Aldrich said.

"The facts may be different, or it may be the same facts and we still wish to go forward. We think that decision (Continental) was a bad decision."

Coleman said the question is a "sticky accounting and legal issue." He believes house drops already are assessed too high.

"We pay a lot of taxes here," he said. In 1983, according to Coleman, Omnicom paid \$330,000 in local taxes and fees. Of that amount, \$40,000 went to Plymouth Township and \$100,000 went to Canton.

"The house drop jump alone was \$22,000 in Canton township," he said.

Plymouth Township Supervisor Maurice Green said house drops weren't included prior to 1983 because the township was depending on Wayne County for assessments. Plymouth Township now does its own assessments.

Other personal property Omnicom is assessed for includes main cable lines, "head end" equipment, power boosters along the lines and converter boxes.

"Continental had the same thing happen and from what I understand, Continental won," Coleman said.

"Continental is the same issue, but it doesn't require us to agree with it," Rose said.

Omnicom's appeal to the tax tribunal is pending. Part of Omnicom's case is based on a similar appeal — Continental Cable vs. the City of Lansing.

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Michigan Attorney General's office about a year ago, but it was declared unenforceable. The principal owners of the (coupon book scam) company had left the area."

SHE SAID such companies have been operating for years.

"We've been hearing about them. They've been prevalent for the last couple of years."

She repeated a common warning: If something sounds too good to be true, it probably is.

"One of these companies offered everything free — pizzas, film. It offered \$150 worth of Kodak film and two tickets for a free weekend at the Holiday Inn, for the price of a \$21.95 coupon book," said Slawnik.

That coupon book company later was found to have a disconnected phone when the BBB tried to investigate it.

Phony coupon book schemes hurt merchants as well as the buyers of the books, because they destroy credibility of legitimate coupon books and merchants who agree to take part.

Slawnik said merchants also get conned into buying advertising in non-existent "yellow page" books that are represented as being similar to telephone company yellow pages, only less expensive for advertisers than the real Yellow Pages.

For both merchants and customers, Slawnik offers this advice: "Do some checking before you write a check."

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Bob Taddia of Canton is warning others not to be conned by a coupon book peddler who set him back \$39.95.

# Township begins process of filling police chief job

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County Police Chiefs, Southeastern Michigan Police Chiefs, Michigan Association of Police Chiefs and the International Chiefs of Police associations. He held officer positions in some of these groups, Stewart said.

Stewart, who began in the Canton police department in May 1978 as a sergeant, was promoted to lieutenant in the spring of 1979. Stewart will apply for the police chief position, he said.

"AT THIS point, I don't know what the qualifications will be," he said. "If I do qualify, I certainly will consider applying for the police chief."

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# Township's oldest schoolhouse gets lease on life from trustees

By Dennis Coffman  
staff writer

A 19th century building believed to be the oldest schoolhouse in Canton may still be around in the 21st Century, now that the Canton Township Board of Trustees has designated it a historic structure.

Hough School, located at Haggerty and Warren, dates back to the early 1800s, when it was used as a one-room schoolhouse that served the children of Canton farmers.

Eight grades were taught in the little red schoolhouse, which had one teacher and no indoor plumbing. Today, the building houses a nursery school and the exterior is nearly identical to the original.

Until Jan. 22, however, the building had been the center of controversy. The Canton Township Historic Commission requested a historic designation for the structure.

The Plymouth-Canton Board of Education wanted the building — or at least the site — to be kept available in case the school district needed it for future expansion from increased enrollment.

To GET AROUND the problem, the Canton Township Planning Department drew up a resolution that designates the school a historic structure but permits the township to move the old school if the district decides to build a new school on the site. The Canton Township Board passed the resolution.

Although the building was on the school district census in 1938, historic commission members believe it dates back to 1825. The school was in the middle of a circular school district, which consisted entirely of farmland. Its teacher would board with area farmers in order to save money.

As approved by the township board, the school board must inform the township if it wishes to use the Hough School property for its own purposes and the township has one year to move the building from the site.

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• BREVITIES DEADLINES
Announcements for Thursday should be submitted by noon Monday for the Thursday issue and by noon Thursday for the Monday issue.

• PLYMOUTH SOCCER CLUB
Thursday, Jan. 31 - Registration for the Plymouth Soccer Club will be held through Jan. 31 at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer at Theodore. Registrations will be accepted from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Friday.

• TAG CLASSES SIGNUP
Thursday, Jan. 31 - Walk-in registration for Schoolcraft College TAG classes in the Adventures in Learning Program will be from 2-4 p.m. in the Registration Center on campus on Haggerty Road between 6 and 7 Mile, Livonia.

• CO-OP OPEN HOUSE
Sundays, Feb. 3, 10 - Plymouth Children's Co-operative Nursery School, located at Warren and Haggerty roads in Canton, will have its spring open house from 1-3 p.m. Parents and children will be able to view the facilities and talk with teachers and board members.

• MYSTERY TRIP
Monday, Feb. 4 - A one-day mystery trip is being sponsored by the city of Plymouth Parks and Recreation Department. The tour price of \$28.75 includes the trip (about 100 miles round-trip) and lunch.

• NURSING SKILLS REVIEW
Monday, Feb. 11 - Registered nurses and licensed practical nurses can review their skills in Schoolcraft College's Continuing Education course, "Physical Assessment for Nurses."

nursing students. The class will review the respiratory, neurological and cardiovascular systems. Registration must be completed by Feb. 4. Forms may be obtained by calling 591-6400, Ext. 410.

• FOOTBALL BOOSTERS
Tuesday, Feb. 5 - Plymouth-Canton Chiefs Football Boosters Club will meet at 7 p.m. in Room 128 of Plymouth Canton High. Anyone interested in videotaping next season's football games should contact the coach or call 455-8197.

• BLOODMOBILE VISIT
Tuesday, Feb. 5 - The American Red Cross Bloodmobile will be at St. John Seminary, 44011 Five Mile in Plymouth from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. For an appointment, call Tom Renaud at 453-6200 or 453-4266.

• FOLK DANCING
Wednesday, Feb. 6 - The Plymouth Northville Canton Area Association will hold its winter meeting at 7 p.m. in East Middle School on Mill Street in Plymouth. Folk dancing will be led by Ann Fowler. A quorum of 20 percent of the area's 111 troops is needed to elect delegates for the council meeting.

• PRENATAL CLASSES
Thursday, Feb. 7 - Prenatal classes for expectant parents will run for seven weeks 7:30-9:30 p.m. on Thursdays, starting Feb. 7. Mothers-to-be should be at least six to seven months into their pregnancy. The classes will include information on nutrition, relaxation and breathing techniques for labor and delivery, and breastfeeding as well as information on care of the baby after returning home from the hospital.

• CHILDREN'S VALENTINES PARTY
Saturday, Feb. 9 - A Children's Valentine's Party will be 10-11 a.m. for ages 3-12 at Canton Township Recreation Center, Michigan Avenue at Sheldon. The party, sponsored by Canton Parks and Recreation, will feature cartoons, a magic show, games, prizes and refreshments. For reservations, call 397-1000 from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

• YMCA ANNUAL MEETING
Monday, Feb. 11 - The Plymouth Community Family YMCA will hold its annual meeting at 7 p.m. in the "Y" office at 248 Union, Plymouth. The public is invited.

• BIRD PTO
Wednesday, Feb. 13 - Bird Elementary School PTO will meet at 7 p.m. in the media center of the school. After a short business meeting, the PTO will sponsor a program on Reye's Syndrome. A question-answer period will follow.

• YMCA CLASSES
Monday, Feb. 25 - The following classes offered by Plymouth Community Family YMCA will begin the week of Feb. 25. To register, call 453-2904 prior to the first day of class.
- Beginning preschool group piano for ages 4-5 from 1:30-2:30 p.m. on Fridays for six weeks in the Charlotte Moore Viculin Music Studio. Introduction to music with emphasis on piano. Group musical games, teach rhythms and notes. Will use piano and help child discover musical aptitude.
- Preschool swimming classes at Plymouth Hilton Inn at various times from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday at Plymouth Hilton Inn pool.
- Preschool tumbling class for ages 3-5 from

20:30 to 11:15 a.m. Mondays and Wednesdays or 4 to 4:45 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays for six weeks in the gymnasium of the Plymouth Salvation Army on Main just south of Ann Arbor Road. The beginning class will teach basics of floor gymnastics, front crawl, backward roll, cartwheels, walk over, and floor exercises.
- Preschool Creative class for ages 3-5 from 10 a.m. to noon in the First United Presbyterian Church on North Territorial Road in Plymouth. Choose any number of days from Monday through Thursday. Children will have group experience in art, crafts, music, games, and forms of creative expression. Classes fill quickly.

• ELKS TOUR TORONTO
Thursday, Feb. 28 - Plymouth Active Senior Elks, in cooperation with Berkley Tours, is sponsoring a trip to Toronto March 29-31. The trip includes bus transportation with snacks served en route, two full breakfasts, a complete dinner at the diner's choice, one nightclub show at Dooley's Supper Club, a three-hour city tour, a stop at the Science Center, two nights at the Plaza II Hotel. The tour departs from Plymouth Elks Club, 41706 Ann Arbor Road east of the railroad viaduct. A \$25 deposit is required by Feb. 28. Make checks payable to Berkley Tours. Full price is \$140 based on double-occupancy. For information, contact Lou Moreno at 721-4697 or Berkley Tours at 559-8620.

• NURSING PROGRAM
Friday, March 1 - The application deadline for admission to the fall semester of the Schoolcraft College Licensed Practical Nursing program is March 1. Minimum requirements for application include completion of two semesters of high school biology and two semesters of mathematics. Residents and non-residents of the college district may apply. Forms are available at the admissions office or by calling 591-6400, Ext. 340.

Schoolcraft alumni group is launched

Schoolcraft College is tackling its image problem head-on by starting an alumni association, whose next meeting is at 7 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 30. "We welcome participation from other interested alumni," said Margot Worley, a 1983 SC graduate who has joined the college staff part-time to build the alumni association. Worley reports to Barbara Geil, vice president for student services. Meeting place will be the Founders' Room in the Waterman Center on campus at 18600 Haggerty, Livonia. An alumni group, long discussed by the board of trustees, has been viewed as difficult to organize at a two-year college, given the commuter nature of the community college and the part-time attendance of many students. But a major goal of President Richard McDowell's administration has been increasing private support from the community and alumni. In its 20-year history, Schoolcraft never had a general alumni association, although several special-interest groups have been organized. This will be the alumni group's fourth meeting.

Law violators to help pay for 6 new prisons

Persons convicted of state crimes will help pay for six new state prisons, under a proposal Gov. James J. Blanchard made to the Michigan Legislature. "These fines would raise between \$3 million and \$8 million. That would support \$75 million of bonds," said Bowman, a former Wall Street bond expert. "Those fines would raise between \$3 million and \$8 million. That would support \$75 million of bonds," said Bowman, a former Wall Street bond expert.

Prisons, education, toxic wastes and economic development are the few areas where Blanchard's third budget foresees significant increases. Otherwise, the \$5.7-billion spending plan will be "up less than inflation," said budget director Robert Natfally, a certified public accountant from West Bloomfield Township. The rate of inflation is expected to be 3.5 percent. Bowman said the state is eyeing a \$200-million bond issue in order to build a half-dozen 550-bed prototype prisons at \$35-million apiece. Blanchard will dip into the general fund to support the remaining \$125 million in bonds that isn't covered by

stopgap measure, it has been triggered nine times in just four years and resulted in the reduction of sentences for half of all felons released since 1981," Blanchard said. "Some felons actually served less than half the minimum sentence for their crimes." "Clearly, the Emergency Powers Act has become a revolving door for criminals and undermining the credibility and effectiveness of the system." "In addition, I will propose that new felons levied on those convicted of state crimes be earmarked to offset the cost of constructing and operating prisons. It is critical that these steps be taken expeditiously in order to ensure that no criminal is released from a Michigan prison prematurely." Budget director Natfally said "educating the communities" will be necessary to get them to accept prison sites. "Only one inmate escaped from our prisons last year. There is more fear than danger in prisons."

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Former GM workers start lawsuit fund
The Legal Fund to Restore Benefits Inc. (LFRB), a non-profit organization formed by former General Motors Corp. employees who have been transferred involuntarily to Electronic Data Systems Corp., will hold a public meeting at 2:30 p.m. Sunday in the Knights of Columbus Hall, 6177 Chicago Road, Warren.

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from our readers

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To the editor: Since reading the Observer's coverage of last week's Plymouth Township Board of Trustees meeting I have tried to find some rationale for what was said that night regarding the 1985 May-flower Hot Air Balloon Festival.

It seems incredible that the trustees would actually adopt an adversarial position to one of the Plymouth community's most successful — and prestigious — events.

I have no intention here to debate the issues that apparently are in contention; these issues may be of somewhat less importance than a few things which seem to have been forgotten in the heat of debate.

First, Plymouth has become one of the most desirable addresses in southeastern Michigan, and that translates into positive value for every resident and business in the community.

Does anyone seriously think this desirability is an accident or something that is automatic? Attractive administrative facilities, predictable garbage removal and timely leaf pick-up are nice, but many areas with far lower property values offer all these things.

Plymouth offers something more — a sense of excitement. This largely is because Plymouth promotes itself, projecting an image to the world that sparks pride within the community and interest from outside. This is why people are waiting in line to buy homes and open businesses here.

Every resident and business in the Plymouth community derives benefit every day of the year from events like the Hot Air Balloon Festival. The idea that the profits from an event like this are only seen on cash registers during the event is fantastically short-sighted.

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SEMTA attorney Walter Clements will recommend seating the three-way member slate selected by suburban Wayne County commissioners rather than the trio appointed by County Executive William Lucas.

"The law is very clear," said a SEMTA spokesman. "We will continue to seat those (commissioners' delegates)."

Clements said the state law setting up SEMTA is the governing law and takes precedence over the Wayne County charter. Lucas' reported veto of the suburban commissioners' choices has "no legal effect," he said.

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During legislative maneuvering, then-Rep. Tom Brown, D-Westland, won an amendment giving suburban county commissioners — rather than SEMCOG — the power to appoint out-

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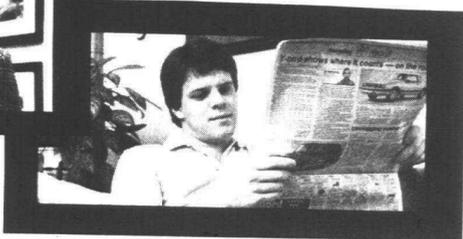
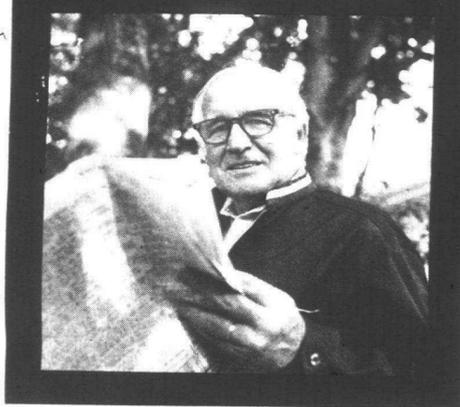
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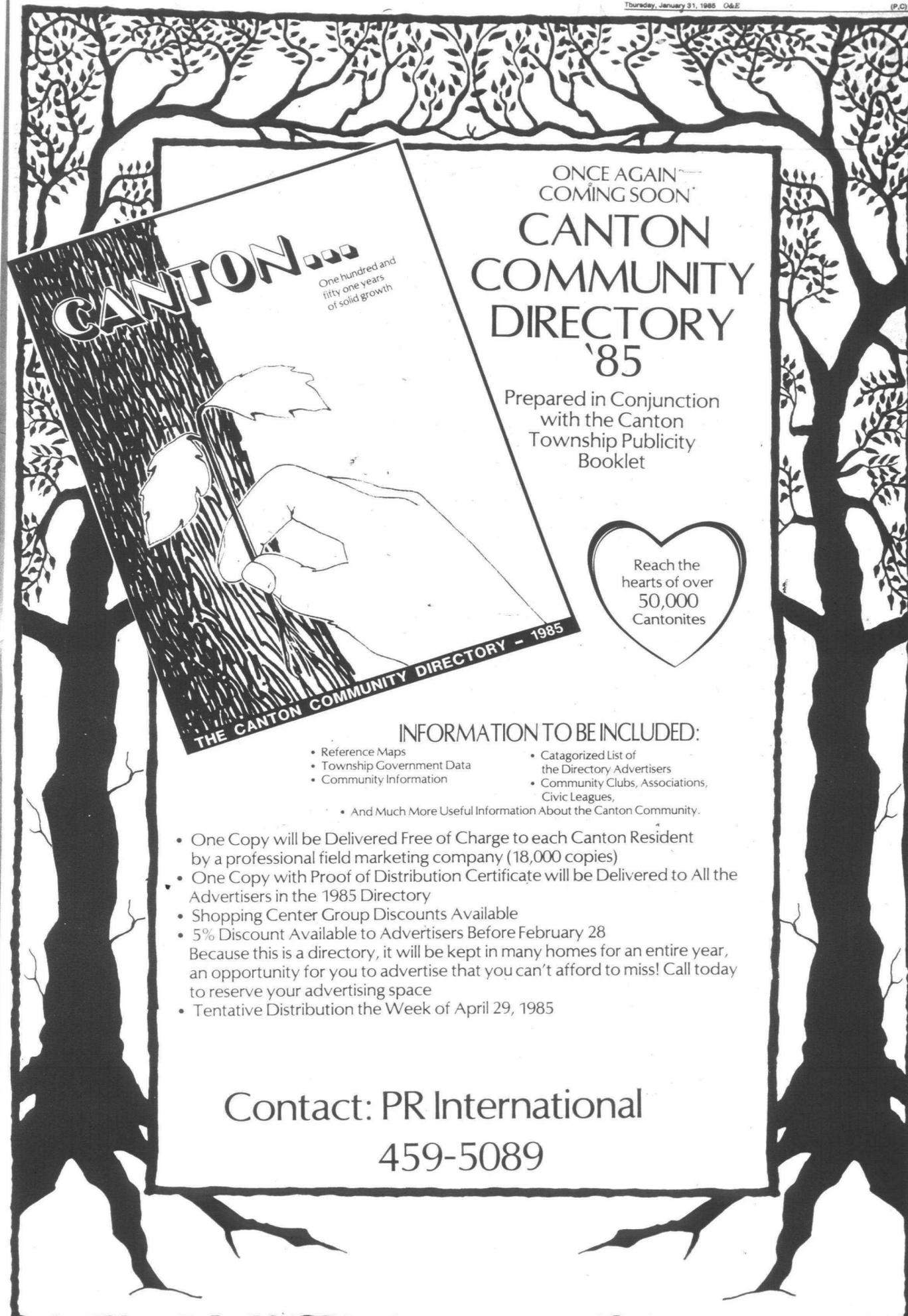
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## Important issue on ballot Tuesday

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The rate of \$8 per \$1,000 state equalized valuation (SEV) has expired and needs to be reapproved by voters. It would be levied for six years through 1990.

If approved, school taxes would remain the same in 1985 as 1984 except for the additional 1.74 mills approved by voters last October and except for any decrease or increase in the individual home's SEV.

If defeated, the tax levy would decrease by eight mills from 37 to 29 mills. For the school district, loss of the renewal would mean a 17-percent cut in its operating budget — some \$8 million or about 250 teaching positions.

That's a lot to give up for a "tax cut" of modest measure to individuals (a savings of only \$20 a month, for instance, for the owner of a \$60,000 home). But is such a small "cut" worth it?

The school board points out that a reduction of 17 percent of employees and programs would be disastrous for students and the community. This loss, combined with past program and personnel reductions, would destroy much of the present program. With passage, school trustees add, there would be time to plan to make maximum use of the funds.

So if you are looking of a property tax break, defeating the tax renewal is really not a wise choice. Instead, be patient and give the governor and Legislature the chance to work out tax adjustments at the state level. These will result either in a decline in your property tax burden via state rebate or through a rollback of some kind in the income tax.

In fact, if you are looking for property tax relief, you probably already got it. While filling out your federal tax returns

for the IRS, compare your property tax deduction on Schedule A this year with the forms you filed for 1983.

Many homeowners will find they actually paid less in property taxes in 1984 than in 1983, primarily because of a decline in value. (Districtwide the total SEV declined from 1983 to 1984 by some \$25 million or 2.5 percent.)

So don't let emotional reactions to that old nemesis property taxes interfere with your making a correct decision Tuesday, Feb. 5, on the tax renewal. The request will not increase your tax burden but keep it the same.

School employees have made sacrifices by accepting modest pay increases in recent years to help maintain a stable tax rate. Likewise the administration has kept a tight rein on costs. Taxpayers should reward those by approving the tax renewal.

A quick look at the written proposal on the ballot may confuse readers into thinking the proposal is a tax increase. But that is only because the proposal is written by lawyers and not communicators. If you read the ballot proposal slowly, word by word, you will see the request is for a renewal of eight mills which expired with the 1984 tax levy.

The polls will open at 7 a.m. and close at 8 p.m. at school voting precincts. Absentee ballots can be obtained from the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools administrative offices at 454 S. Harvey, Plymouth, until 4 p.m. Monday, Feb. 4. The office is open 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

The Observer endorses a YES on the millage proposal and urges its readers to support the ballot proposal at the polls Tuesday. If you disagree with us, still make sure you get out and vote. The decision is important enough that all of us should participate.

Remember, every vote counts.  
— Observer Newspapers

## Lucas out of closet, but the road is rocky

WAYNE COUNTY Executive William Lucas is out of the closet. He admits publicly that he is eyeing the governor's chair.

Lucas, a lifelong Democrat, has no shot at any higher state office as a Democrat and therefore is considering jumping ship to the Republican ranks.

IT'S ANYBODY'S guess as to who will become the standard-bearer for the Republicans against Gov. Blanchard two years hence. But anyone giving it serious thought will have to start mounting a campaign soon.

This is why Lucas has embarked on a series of visits to upper Michigan cities. He wants to get his name known throughout the state, and he wants to see what kind of reception a black from Detroit would get in the hinterlands.

Lucas, now riding a crest because of two years of success as Wayne County executive, might be too ambitious, however. He has any number of problems including (1) recognition problems outside, (2) acceptance as a Republican by loyal party members who don't want a Bill-comerately jumping into their ranks, and (3) racial factors.

It wouldn't be the first time that a black has made a statewide race, but there has never been a successful such race.

DEMOCRAT RICHARD Austin has been a popular vote-getter as Secretary of State, but he couldn't do much in his campaign for the U.S. Senate eight years ago. He was the front-runner until a series of charges by a minor candidate that he was involved in a patronage system. From that point, his lead melted, even though Austin, in fact, had done much to clean up the patronage system in the secretary of state's office.

Right now, there are no black governors and no black U.S. Senators. Ex-Sen Edward Brooke of Massachusetts, one of the most liberal states, held a senate post until a minor scandal involving his divorce caused Massachusetts voters to abandon him.

Speculators hitherto have suggested that Lucas would be a lieutenant governor candidate on a ticket with the Republican candidate for governor, perhaps a role that some Republicans think could be of value to a GOP ticket and a role that Dem bigwigs fear.



Bob Wisler

THERE'S NO suggestion that Lucas, however, is at the point in his life where he is going to be willing to take a back seat. He is at the point where there is almost no tomorrow. If there is a time for a black candidate this may be it, he may be thinking.

The executive is 57 years old. If he doesn't go for the big office now, he will be older and perhaps less demonstrably successful. He has just completed a surprisingly successful two years as Wayne County executive during which he has been able to accomplish a number of reforms in a government that some suspected was unreformable.

But if his ambition has him pining for an office where he can do more, there just aren't any for a Democrat. There are only three such posts in the state — governor and two U.S. Senate seats and the Democrats have them locked up for the time being.

The contrast between Lucas and Blanchard has been interesting. Lucas got off to an immediate fast start as county executive and seemed from the first to be able to bring the government under his control. Blanchard wobbled. His appointments and his helicopter rides brought bad press. The income tax rise he engineered caused a rebellion that had more participation than the Boston Tea Party.

AND YET, here it is, two years later, and Blanchard is steadily eclipsing Lucas' luster. Blanchard has learned the ropes, and he has learned how to appear to be — as well as be — a strong leader. The prominence of the governor's office ensures that he, not Lucas, will get the statewide spotlight now and in the future.

And, as history tells us that any black candidate must be clearly and demonstrably superior to any white candidate, it would seem in the long run that Lucas would have to tough a time to be considered a really strong challenge for the job of governor.



## A looney court decision

If you were told, "You may drink whatever you want, but no one else may sell or give you a beverage," you would think the speaker is:

- a) a looney.
- b) a Michigan Supreme Court justice.
- c) both of the above.

The CORRECT answer is c) both of the above. Our highest state court, which made itself a laughing stock two years ago in unseating sister justice Dorothy Coststock Riley, has done it again.

In a decision published earlier this month, the Supreme Court upheld a Midland District court order suppressing official files in a pair of criminal sexual conduct cases involving child victims.

It said the Midland Daily News was free to report what it knew about the case (you may drink whatever you want), but it upheld the suppression order directing district court personnel to cover up the case file (no one else may sell or give you any beverage).

In so doing, the Supreme Court upheld the constitutionality of the secrecy provisions in Michigan's Criminal Sexual Conduct Act.

THE ACT allows a district court to suppress a case at the pretrial level (a period of up to six months) by withholding the



Tim Richard

names of the defendant and victim and the details.

Withholding the name of the victim is window dressing, the State Bar Association's way of pandering to a public sensitive to the feelings of victims, because no publisher or broadcaster uses those names anyway. It's a defense lawyer's law.

The Michigan law is particularly obnoxious because the court must suppress the case at the mere demand of the defense lawyer. The publisher and broadcaster has no chance to argue its case.

At our suburban newspaper group, we have some experience with this law, particularly in Farmington and Troy. As a practical matter, we may publish whatever we can learn from non-court sources or what we obtained before the suppression order is issued. But the citizenry is denied official court information. That's poor public policy.

PARENTS WORRY whenever a child

molester is on the prowl. They want to know how the molester operates. They may hear a description by word of mouth and want to know if an arrested person matches that description.

In short, they want to know if their kids are safe. Too bad. Our law and Supreme Court say they can't find out or up to six months.

Now, before a shyster lawyer replies that the Midland Daily News was grasping for lurid details, it should be noted that the paper already had the main facts. By seeking to break the district court suppression order, the paper was in effect trying to make the records available to other publishers and broadcasters.

ALL OF THIS is but another example of the legal industry's increasing propensity to want to conduct public business behind closed doors. Judges and lawyers will decide what is good for us to know.

The high court's unfrocking of Justice Riley two years ago was a split decision, but the Midland ruling was unanimous — Michael F. Cavanaugh's opinion was concurred in by James H. Brickley, James Ryan, G. Mennen Williams, Patricia A. Boyle, Charles Levin and the retiring Thomas Giles Kavanagh.

The Michigan Supreme Court is hereby found to be in contempt of common sense. It is sentenced to four years of public derision.

## A chuckle for a stormy day

AS YOU travel along life's highway, it is surprising to learn that you can find reason for a good laugh in the most unusual places.

For instance, the other morning when The Stroller had to battle a four-inch snowfall on his way to the newspaper box, he never thought it was time for a laugh. The wind was howling, the snow was flying and he had to guard his eyes from the elements.

In the mail box was the usual supply of junk mail — many ad folders and magazines begging for some sort of donation.

The Stroller was just about to toss the bundle away when he got his first laugh of the day. There, mingled in with the other parcels, was the spring magazine from a nursery company saying that now was the time to prepare for the garden. It also carried the warning that any time lost would be costly later on.

With the snow beating in his face, The Stroller stood stilled and laughed when he should have been upset with a snow-filled driveway 125 feet from the street.

BUT AS HE picked up the nursery magazine, it took him back more than 50 years ago when he was planning his first garden in what then was called "the country."

One of the old farmers who happened along the road pointed a particular plot of ground and observed:



the stroller  
W.W. Edgar

"This is the best ground around here to raise red raspberries. You'll find out if you try."

With that tip, The Stroller picked up a nursery book from western Michigan and was surprised when he came to the red raspberry section. There it was pointed out that the red latham variety was the best of the lot. This was what The Stroller needed to know, for sure.

The first ad contained the information that the two-year transplants were ready and could be shipped in plenty of time. The price was nominal, too.

Looking a bit further, he found another ad that for red lathams (two-year transplants), but they were 15 cents a plant costlier. How come?

Both nurseries were in the same locality. The difference was that the second ad was printed in color. With a smile, The Stroller whispered to himself, "Why should I pay for a color ad?"

# Blanchard targets Huron, Clinton fisheries

By Tim Richard  
staff writer

More fishing on the Huron, Clinton and other southern Michigan rivers is a major goal of Gov. James J. Blanchard, along with halting any possible decline of Great Lakes water.

Blanchard set "an overall goal of improving fishing activity on southern Michigan rivers by 10 percent or more for the next decade, to provide an additional 2.4 million angler days for Michigan's rivers."

"With the benefit of some \$2.6 million in new funds which could become

His State of the State address, delivered to the Michigan Legislature last week, also called for development of boating access facilities.

BESIDES THE Huron and Clinton rivers, whose headwaters are in northern Oakland counties, Blanchard singled out the Raisin, Kalamazoo, Muskegon, Grand, Saginaw and St. Joseph rivers for "enhanced fishing on southern Michigan rivers."

The Huron arises in the Proud Lake chain, where it is a designated trout stream, flows southwestward into Washtenaw County, then makes a 90-degree turn and flows southeastward to Lake Erie. Dams form such lakes as Kent and Belleville. In its lower reaches, below the Flat Rock dam, it is a salmon stream.

FOR HUNTERS, Blanchard promised to support the recommendations — due next December — of a task force studying ways to enhance wildlife and fish habitat.

Without mentioning numbers, the governor said he would support expanding the number of conservation law officers. He noted that during the economic recession, the number of offi-

ers fell from 216 to 146 in a five-year period.

Because of low-cost senior citizens hunting and fishing licenses, Blanchard said, the state Fish and Game Fund faces a \$5 million deficit by next year. He supported reimbursement of the Fish and Game Fund from the general fund.

BLANCHARD got high marks from state Sen. Patrick McCollough, D-Dearborn, for his stand on the Great Lakes. "The governor supported my package (of bills) on a comprehensive Great Lakes water management plan," said McCollough, a third-term senator whose district includes Garden City.

"My package calls for 1) a comprehensive plan, which the courts say we must have to stop diversion, and 2) changing the membership of the Great Lakes Commission from a commercial body to a more legal and advocacy body."

Blanchard supported a one-year ban on any water diversion, said he would

appoint a Great Lakes program chief within the Department of Natural Resources and called for a single statewide water management plan.

EMEAC, BASED in Birmingham, said a day before Blanchard's speech that it is "adamantly opposed to harmful diversions of water out of the Great Lakes."

EMEAC staff attorney Elizabeth Harris urged Blanchard to support the draft Great Lakes Charter as "a critical step toward preventing widespread potential water conflicts within the Great Lakes basin."

Blanchard's message agreed: "Attacking the Great Lakes basin's water quality problems will require a coordinated effort spanning state and provincial boundaries. A framework exists under the 1978 U.S.-Canada Great Lakes Water Quality Agreement, which is scheduled for review in the next two years."

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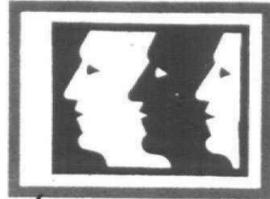
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# Suburban Life

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**THE FINAL WORD** is in and the Penn Theater will not book "Amadeus" until after the Academy Awards presentations in April.

The local showing of the movie, starring Tom Hulce in the title role, has been anticipated for months. Plans were under way for a gala hometown opening with a reception after the showing of the film at the Penn. Plans, of course, included having Tom Hulce come home for the event.

The old never-the-twain-shall-meet syndrome stymied the arrangements.

The arts council and the Symphony League, co-sponsors of the party, were depending on Joann Hulce, Tom's mother, to coordinate his appearance. With Tom in California, then Europe, then New York, and then New Zealand, Jo's mission seemed almost impossible. Adding to the problem was the question, "When can we get 'Amadeus' at the Penn?"

Lauren Falcuson, owner of the Penn, had been working with the planners, trying for a commitment of a firm date.

She couldn't have it at first, because of her \$1.50 admission rate. "Amadeus" was booked only in the high-priced theaters. There followed a time of optimism when the distributor seemed to be mellowing because the Penn was Tom Hulce's hometown theater. Plans progressed to the point that Scott Lorenz was reserving the Mayflower Meeting House for the date, hopefully, March 15.

All that was changed when the film received four Golden Globe awards and was nominated, in several categories, for Academy Awards. The publicity accompanying the Oscar nominations assures "Amadeus" of top-admission houses until late April — at least. Don't give up. There's going to be a party when the film comes to town and Tom, who plays Mozart, will be here. It will be worth the wait.

**WHILE TALKING** to Mildred Livingston about her older son, Larry, I asked about her younger son, Dale.

Dale graduated from Plymouth High School in 1963, attended Kalamazoo College, and was sort of a walk-on member of the football team. Dale was a kicker and Kalamazoo's winning season was attributed to his field goals and points after touchdowns.

He went on to professional football, playing for both the Cincinnati Bengals and the Green Bay Packers.

Dale is doing just fine. He's living in Green Bay where he is in the insurance business.

**SCHOOLCRAFT** College is the local Mecca for would-be beekeepers. Roger Sutherland, who also is president of the Michigan Audubon Society, heads the beekeeper program at Schoolcraft. He is assisted by local beekeepers, among them, David Nairn.

Quite a colony of bee hives has been established in the orchard on the Schoolcraft property along with a honey house, where honey is extracted.

**C.L. COOK** had high score at last Thursday's party bridge games at the Plymouth Cultural Center. He had 7,780 points and Francis LaCombe was second with 5,820 points.

**EVELYN DURFEY**, the former Evelyn Wassman and a longtime Plymouth resident, now lives in Orlando, Fla. She has been working as a hostess at Arnold Palmer's Bay Hill Golf Club for the past 3½ years.

Evelyn was named "Employee of the Year, 1984." The award was presented by Arnie (himself) at the employees' Christmas party.

**PATRICIA MACISAAC**, teacher at the Kiddie Kampus Pre-School in Plymouth, has been appointed child development laboratory supervisor in Eastern Michigan University's Department of Human, Environmental and Consumer Resources.

Patricia, a Plymouth resident, earned her bachelor's degree in elementary education from Springfield College in Massachusetts and her masters degree in early childhood education from EMU in 1984.

## International pianist to solo with symphony

Conductor Johan van der Merwe and the Plymouth Symphony Orchestra will present Handel's famous Water Music Suite, a Spanish-style ballet by a French composer, and a much-loved piano concerto at 4 p.m. Sunday in a concert at Plymouth Salem High School Auditorium.

Brahms Piano Concerto in D Minor will be the featured work with Pauline Martin as piano soloist.

The concerto was written in 1854 as a sonata for two pianos. It premiered as a piano concerto in 1859 with the composer at the piano. It wasn't until almost 100 years later that the Concerto in D Minor became one of the most popular of all concertos.

Pauline Martin has received international critical acclaim as a pianist. She has appeared on numerous radio and

television broadcasts. Her active schedule includes frequent return engagements as a recitalist, soloist with orchestras and chamber musician.

**MARTIN WAS BORN** in Manitoba and now lives in the Detroit area. She holds bachelor's and master's degrees from Indiana University and a doctor of musical arts degrees from the University of Michigan.

The program will open with "Water Music" by George Frederick Handel. Handel's love of pomp and ceremony and the regal festiveness of his music made him a favorite of the English aristocracy for almost half a century. The Water Music has been described as "splendidly inventive and sonorous."

The ballet music is from the second act of the opera, "Le Cid" by Jules Massenet.

**EL CID WAS** the name given to Rodrigo de Bivar, famous 12th century Spanish knight and warrior. The setting is a spring festival in the square of Burgos and the Spanish music is flamboyant and exotic.

Tickets for the concert — \$6 for adults and \$3.50 for full-time college students and senior citizens — will be available at the door. Students 12th grade and under are admitted free.

Advance sale tickets may be purchased at Beitner Jewelry, Ann Arbor Trail, Plymouth; Hammell Music, Livonia; and Arnold Williams Music, Canton Center Road, Canton Township.

There is no charge for the babysitting service for pre-schoolers, provided by a Girl Scout Troop during the concert.



Pauline Martin pianist

## Rice University honors Larry Livingston

Larry Livingston, 43, dean of the Shepherd School of Music at Rice University, has been appointed to the Elma Schneider Chair in Music. The appointment to a permanently endowed chair, an honor usually reserved for faculty members in their 60s, was awarded be-

cause Livingston's "contributions to the development of the school, during the short time you have been here, have been notable."

In response to the announcement, he said, "I am touched and honored by this gesture which I receive not only with personal enthusiasm, but read as symbolic of the university's statement of commendation for the entire school of music."

His mother, Mildred Livingston of Plymouth, said her first reaction to the news from Houston, Texas, was, "Larry would have been so proud." Her husband, Lawrence Livingston, was band director for the Plymouth schools for almost 25 years until his death in 1967.

"**HE HAS WORKED** very hard at Shepherd School, recruiting from all over the country and Europe," his mother said.

Her memory goes back to a 5-year-old climbing up on the piano bench and picking out tunes "by ear."

"He couldn't reach the pedals and he'd sit there playing with his legs swinging." His first musical instruction came in fourth or fifth grade when the youngsters started with a tonette. For young Larry Livingston, it was a pre-

cursor for the clarinet.

He graduated from Plymouth High School in 1960 and continued his education at the University of Michigan.

**LIVINGSTON** earned bachelor and masters degrees at U-M, played in the marching band and traveled to Europe with the band.

His musical career encompasses

both wind ensemble and orchestral conducting. From 1965 through 1969, he was instructor of woodwinds and assistant conductor of bands at Luther College, Decorah, Ia.

He was appointed director of instrumental activities at Northern Illinois University in 1973. While there, he conducted the symphony orchestra and wind ensemble, and supervised the wind band program. He became music director of the Illi-

nois Chamber Orchestra of DeKalb at its inception in the fall of 1974.

He was vice president and music director of the New England Conservatory of Music before going to Rice University in January 1982 as dean of Shepherd School.

He has guest conducted professional and collegiate orchestra throughout the United States. He participated as performer and clinician in an International Jazz Festival in Rome in 1981.

**HE CONDUCTED** a performance of contemporary American and French music in the 1982 Festival de Musique in Evian, France, receiving rave reviews from the French critics.

More recently, he appeared as guest conductor with the Stockholm Wind Symphony Orchestra in a performance of new works by American and Swedish composers.

Livingston has commissioned more than 40 pieces for wind ensemble and premiered works by more than a dozen composers.

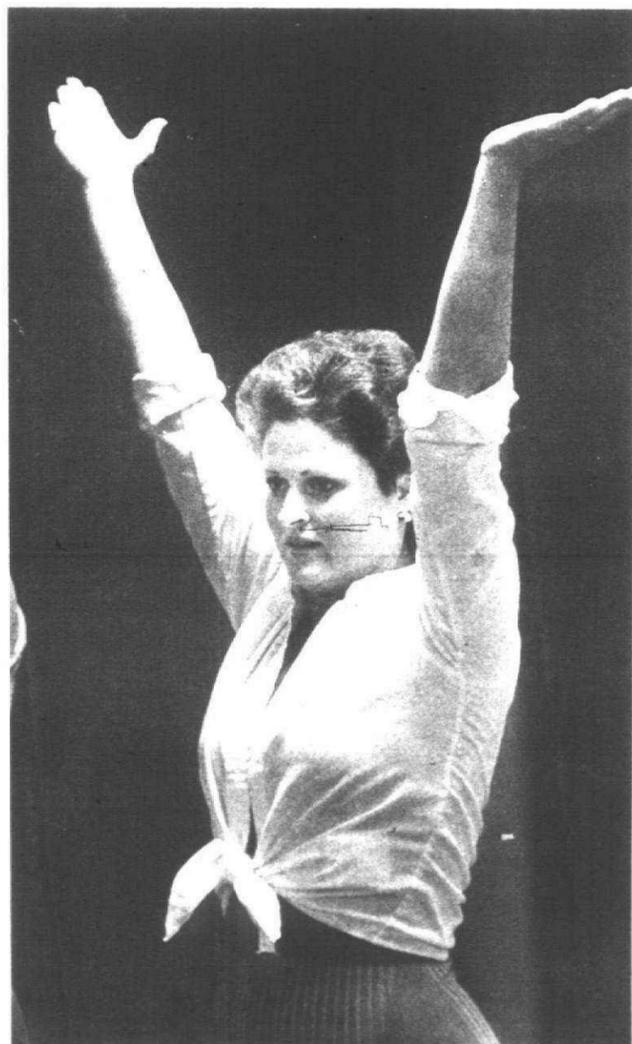
He has taught in California at San Diego State and University of California at San Diego. Larry and his wife, Karen, have two children, daughter Kasey, 12, and son Ryder, 1½.



Dr. Larry Livingston



BILL BRESLER/staff photographer



### On with the show!

"Footlights and Foolishness" opens a week from tomorrow evening at Plymouth Salem High School Auditorium and the director, Bob Berkson, is putting the dancers through their paces. Rosemarie Kramer (right) rehearses at a morning chorus line practice session. Reserved main

floor tickets at \$7 and balcony and student tickets at \$5 are on sale at the Mayflower Hotel. Curtain-time for the two presentations of the Plymouth Community Arts Council musical revue, featuring an all-star local cast, will be 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 8 and 9.

# Let's get together and plan for the future

OK, Canton, can we talk? Recently I received a letter, copies of which also were sent to Jim Poole, our supervisor and to Matt Mordack, our township planner. The letter included a drawing of a "dreamscape" of a welcome center for Canton and spoke to the future of Canton as a hometown.

The question is, now that we have subdivisions, people all over the place of a variety of ages and interests, loads of schools, a brand new police station on the way, even a downtown in the making, what type of area are we? Is this a nice place to visit? Or a place you'd want to live, and grow, and even grow old in?

That's a lot to bite off in one chunk. But if you think about it, somewhere, someone, should have an idea of how we are going to become the hometown we all want.

What happens if all the land is developed, all the streets are paved, all the homes are built? We have all the industry we have room for, even sewer lines. Then we sit back and decide to celebrate — maybe a picnic or take a Sunday ride over to — well, how about the



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planning the idea of a go-cart track with a riding path for horses. Or an old-fashioned ice cream parlor, a great big one, with a park adjacent to it and the whole community expanding from that focal point. Let your mind go.

MAYBE YOU have been to Chicago and visited the amusement park/shopping center they call Old Chicago. It's done in the Old West motif. All the stores are built around an indoor amusement park providing all the rides you could dream of including the cork-screw. All this is indoors, remember, making it a year-round attraction.

We already can boast proudly of a community-owned golf course, which is

appeals about issues of land use, zoning. This is an enormous task in itself as all decisions are based on the long-term effect on Canton. But this large scope doesn't attempt to dictate the aesthetic detailing or motif.

SO, LET'S have at it, Canton! Don't be guilty of too little, too late.

Do you have any ideas for Canton? Is there something you have seen somewhere, just loved it and said to yourself, "Boy, I wish we had something like that where I live?" How many opportunities will you have in your life to be a part of the design of your own town — the real how-it-all-began part?

While you're at it, and still with no lasting commitments to committee work, perhaps some of you have had some experience, or knowledge of how to get funding to begin a project like this.

So for heaven's sake, if you have any ideas, please, please, let's hear them. Time is running out.

We are a relatively young community as far as development goes. As we have learned through this past year, we are rich in history and many of our founding families still live here.

However, as rich in history and tradition and even as unusual as we are, we could lose everything if we let ourselves become a haphazard. We don't want a hit and miss, no focal point, lack-luster town, with no personality, no public appeal, nothing.

PLEASE LET'S not have business popping up here and there, just because it is zoned commercial. Our township board cannot block a business just because we haven't decided what style we want yet.

Believe me, the business community would welcome the best climate we can provide to market their goods. If we can provide an area of public interest, a place that people want to visit just to get a peek, or enjoy the scenery, the merchants will follow and enjoy the trip.

Canton, I know you're out there. And I know many of you are making this your home. I have talked to so many of you who have dreams and ideas. Please, take a minute, discuss it with your spouse, your neighbors, your children.

After all, what will happen when you



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## There's no business like show business

Women from Canton and Plymouth, under the direction of Bob Berkson, are brushing up on their dancing skills in preparation for the arts council's follies. The show will be presented 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday, Feb. 8 and 9, in Plymouth Salem High School Auditorium.

## new voices

Herbert and Kathleen Twiss of Drexel Road, Canton Township announce the birth of their son, Matthew Clifford Twiss, Dec. 28 in St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Ann Arbor. They have a daughter, Lindsey, 2.

Roan and Lori Kerr of Deepwood, Canton Township announce the birth of their son, Christopher Allan Kerr, Jan. 4. They have an older son, Andrew, 2. Grandparents are Rosalie Vaughn of

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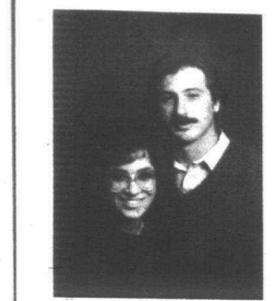
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**Kadoura-Kisielewski**

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Kadoura of Inkster announce the engagement of their daughter, Lori Jean, to James Kisielewski, son of Mr. and Mrs. Casimir Kisielewski of Dearborn Heights. The bride-elect, a 1981 graduate of Plymouth-Canton High School, is a senior at Eastern Michigan University majoring in business management. Her fiancé will graduate from Michigan State University in June with a degree in chemical engineering.

They are planning an August wedding.



**Nelles-Bennardo**

Mr. and Mrs. David D. Nelles of Devon Lane, Canton Township announce the engagement of their daughter, Marcia Lynn, to Thomas Michael Bennardo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. Bennardo of Chestnut Street, Columbus, Ind. The bride-elect graduated from Plymouth Salem High School in 1981 and will graduate in May from Grace College, Winona Lake, Ind., with an associate's degree in nursing. Her fiancé graduated from Columbus East High School in 1978 and from Grace College in 1982 with a bachelor of arts degree in Biblical studies. He will receive his master's degree from Grace Seminary in May.

They plan a June wedding in Calvary Baptist Church of Canton.



**Hetner-Carmody**

Frank and Linda Hetner of Devon Lane, Canton Township announce the engagement of their daughter, Susan Katherine, to Thomas William Carmody, son of Thomas Neil and Elizabeth Carmody of Governor Bradford, Plymouth Township. The bride-elect graduated from Plymouth Salem High School in 1982 and her fiancé in 1980. She is employed as a secretary by Corrosion Fluid Products Corp. in Farmington. Her fiancé is warehouse manager for C.F. Sales Co. Inc., Plymouth.

They plan to married in June.

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Next year's schedules are prepared and applications for registration will be available at the open houses.

## new voices

David and Arlayne Sanders of Thornridge, Plymouth Township announce the birth of their first child, a daughter, Kathryn Louise Sanders, Dec. 28 in Bon

Secours Hospital, Grosse Pointe. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Carson of Grosse Pointe Woods and Mr. and Mrs. George Sanders of Clinton Township.

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## clubs in action

**PLYMOUTH LIBRARY COMMISSION**  
Plymouth Community Library Commission will meet at 7 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 30, in Dunning Hough Library. The special library board meeting is open to the public.

**FRIENDS OF THE MATTHAEI BOTANICAL GARDENS LOBBY SALE**  
Friends will have their monthly lobby sale 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, Feb. 2 and 3, at the gardens, 1800 Dixboro Road, Ann Arbor. Plants for the home, baskets, decorated trays, stationery and handmade pressed flowers will be offered. Outdoor trails and lobby exhibit are free, \$1 fee for the conservatory. Lobby exhibit for February is Poisonous Plants with live materials, posters and photos of plants which are dangerous if eaten or touched.

Docents who have extensive training are at the gardens for guided tours during the week. Call the gardens, 764-1164, for reservations. The grounds are open from 8 a.m. to sunset and inside exhibits from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. seven days a week.

**PROJECT HERS**  
Special program offered by the Women's Resource Center at Schoolcraft College for career planning and assertiveness training for displaced homemakers. It is designed to make entry or re-entry into the work force less traumatic for mature women. Financial aid is available. Project HERS meets 1:30 p.m. Thursdays, beginning Feb. 5. For information or registration and financial assistance, call 591-6400, Ext. 432.

**PLYMOUTH LIONS**  
Annual ladies' night charter anniversary party will be Thursday, Feb. 7. Club meets at 6:30 in the Ladies Luncheon Room of the Mayflower Hotel. Cocktails with cash bar, dinner at 7. President Don Francoeur has arranged musical entertainment. The club will

## Shaw-Welch

Cynthia Marie Welch and Russ Edwin Shaw exchanged marriage vows Nov. 17 in Fort Street Presbyterian Church, Detroit, with the Rev. Robert H. Crilly officiating. Their parents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Welch of Brookline, Plymouth and Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Shaw of Sheridan, Westland. The bride's taffeta gown had appliqued lace on the bodice and sleeves, and her bouquet was fresh yellow and silk white roses with ivy. For something old, she wore her grandmother's engagement ring. Maid of honor Lisa Page and bridesmaids Sheryl Maddox, Laura Rog, Judy Shaw and Cheryl Quantie wore teal green taffeta gowns and carried butterscotch chrysanthemums and tiger lilies.

Bob Shaw was his brother's best man. Groomsmen were Brian Craft, Curt Pommerville, Randy Shaw and David Welch. Danny Welch lit the candles. The couple traveled to northern Michigan after a reception in Karras House, Redford. They are living in Kingston, N.Y., where the bridegroom is employed by I.B.M.

The bride is a 1980 graduate of Plymouth Salem High School and a 1983 graduate of Schoolcraft College. She is a former Kroger employee. Her husband graduated from Westland John Glenn High School in 1979 and from the National Institute of Technology in 1984.



**PREMENSTRUAL SYNDROME SUPPORT**  
PMS Support Inc. presents a seminar 7-10 p.m. Monday, Feb. 11, in the Livonia Senior Citizens Center, Five Mile and Farmington roads, Livonia. Speakers will be Janice Barber, Dr. Edward Lichten of Southfield and nutritionist Janette Karwin of Livonia. It is important that men, husbands and boy-friends attend.

**CHILD BIRTH PREPARATION CLASS**  
Childbirth and Family Resources is offering an eight-week course for expectant parents beginning Tuesday, Feb. 12. In addition to Lamaze techniques, the class includes options in childbirth, the birth process, Cesarean delivery, breastfeeding, early parenting skills. Class is limited to seven couples and is held in Plymouth. For more information, call Diane Kimball, 459-2380.

**WISER MEETING**  
Joe O'Brien will be guest speaker when the support group for widowed persons meets at 8 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 12. Please turn to Page 5

## clubs in action

**ST. KENNETH'S GUILD**  
Women's guild will meet at noon Tuesday, Feb. 12 in the Parish center, 14951 Haggerty, Plymouth Township. Bring a sandwich, dessert and coffee will be provided. Chef Larry James, guest speaker, will discuss "Cooking for One."

**FOOTLIGHTS & FOOLISHNESS**  
Curtaintime for Plymouth Community Arts Council follows will be 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday, Feb. 8 and 9, at the Plymouth Salem High School auditorium, Joy Road west of Canton Center. Tickets go on sale at noon Wednesday at the Mayflower Hotel, \$5 for balcony and for students, and \$7 for reserved seats.

**SINGLE TOUCH**  
Single Touch, cable-TV show serving community singles, hosts a singing dance the second and fourth Thursdays of each month at Mama-Mias Party Hall, 27770 Plymouth Road, Livonia. For information, call 459-6900.

**'SEE HOW THEY RUN'**  
Plymouth Theatre Guild will present the three-act comedy by Philip King, at 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 1, and Saturday, Feb. 2 in Central Middle School Auditorium, Main and Church, Plymouth. Admission is \$4 for adults and \$3 for senior-citizens and those under 18. Advance sale of tickets at Plymouth Book World, Forest Street, Call 455-2632 for special group-rate information.

**STAMP CLUB**  
West Suburban Stamp Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 1, in the Plymouth Township Meeting Room, 42350 Ann Arbor Road, George Ball will present program, "Post offices of the Toledo Strip."

**BOTANICAL GARDENS LOBBY SALE**  
Friends of the Matthaei Botanical Gardens will have a lobby sale 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, Feb. 2 and 3, at the gardens, 1800 Dixboro Road, Ann Arbor.

**60-PLUS MEETING**  
All senior citizens in the Plymouth-Canton Community are invited to the monthly meeting of the 60-Plus Club in Fellowship Hall of First United Methodist Church of Plymouth, 45201 North Territorial, Potluck luncheon is at noon Monday, Feb. 4. Please bring a dish to pass and your own table service. William and Florence Von Glahn will show slides of the Canadian Rockies and California.

**CESAREAN ORIENTATION**  
Introduction to Cesarean Preparation Class for couples anticipating a Cesarean birth as well as Lamaze-prepared couples will be at 7:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 4, in Newburg Methodist Church, 36500 Ann Arbor Trail, Livonia. There is a \$1 charge at door. For information, call Plymouth Childbirth Education Association, 459-7477.

**TEEN-AGE SUPPORT GROUP**  
Four-week support group for teens 13-17, whose parents are divorced or separated, will begin Monday, Feb. 4. Richard Kay will lead the group in SPACE offices, 7:30-9 p.m. Mondays Feb. 4, 11, 18 and March 4. For information, call Roberta Freedman, 258-6606.

**VOCAL SCHOLARSHIPS OFFERED**  
The Plymouth Community Chorus will offer three voice scholarships in 1985. Deadline for application is March 15. Application forms may be obtained from high or middle school offices or by calling 348-7131 or 455-5250.

## clubs in action

**CHORUS COOKBOOK**  
Plymouth Community Chorus new cookbook, "All Our Best," is available at Plymouth Book World and from chorus members. Price is \$7.95.

**BEGINNING STRING CLASS**  
Class taught by Janita Hauk meets 6:30-7:30 p.m. Tuesdays in Plymouth Salem High School Orchestra Room, Joy Road west of Canton Center. Classes are sponsored by Plymouth Youth Symphony.

**ROMP MEETINGS**  
Recovery of Male Potency meetings are at 7:30 p.m. the third Thursday of each month in Conference Room 2, Annapolis Hospital. Confidentiality assured. To register, call 467-4570.

**PCAR ART RENTAL GALLERY**  
Arts Council's art rental gallery on the second floor of Dunning Hough Library has reopened. It is staffed during library hours every Wednesday.

**CANTON COAST GUARD AUXILIARY FLOTTA**  
Flotilla 11-11 invites new members to attend its meetings at 7:30 p.m. the third Tuesday of each month at the Canton Fire Department Station, Cherry Hill at Canton Center. Anyone wishing information about the organization may call Eugene Olson, commander, 455-6527.

**ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS**  
Members of the Tonquish Creek Federation Inc. programs sponsored by the Plymouth Community Y are selling "SPREE" entertainment books. Cost is \$7. Call the Y office, 453-2904, for information.

**CAVALIER FENCING CLUB**  
Club meets at 7:30 p.m. Thursdays. Call Bruce Davis, 455-6418, for details.

**PANCAKE BREAKFASTS**  
The Mayflower-Lt. Gamble Ladies Auxiliary, Veterans of Foreign Wars, will serve pancake breakfasts the first Sunday of each month at the Post Home, 1426 S. Mill, Plymouth. Menu includes pancakes, sausages, eggs, french toast, milk, orange juice and coffee. Cost is \$2 for members and \$1 for children 5 and under. Breakfast is served from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Everyone is welcome. Call 459-6700 for information.

**TOPS MEETING**  
TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) meets 7:30-8:30 p.m. Wednesdays in Central Middle School, Main Street at Church, Plymouth. Ideas on weight reduction are discussed. For information, call 453-4756 or 455-1583.

**CANTON BPW**  
Canton Business and Professional Women meet the second Monday of each month at the Roman Forum Restaurant on Ford Road, cocktails at 6 p.m., dinner at 6:30, and program at 7:30. Dinner charge is \$7.50 per person. Call Noel Bittinger, 459-6000 or 981-1067, for information.

**ST. JOHN NEUMANN SENIORS**  
St. John Neumann Modern Mature Adult Club (MMAC) meets at the church, Warren west of Sheldon, Canton Township, at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. New members are welcome. For information, call Betty Gruchala, 459-4091.

**HEART ASSOCIATION NEEDS VOLUNTEER NURSES**  
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**MOVING AHEAD WISER**  
Newly widowed people meet Thursdays at Newman House, 17300 Haggerty, Livonia. Group is sponsored by the Women's Resource Center at Schoolcraft College. For information, call 591-6400, Ext. 430.

**CREDITORS**  
Creditors older persons' club sponsored by the Community Federal Credit Union, meets Tuesdays at the Elks Lodge, 41700 E. Ann Arbor Road, Livonia, at 11 a.m. with cards and crafts at noon. Activities include picnics, dinners, parties and trips. Membership is \$2 a year and is open to people 55 and older who are members of the credit union. For more information, call Kay Dreyer, 453-1200.

**SWEET ADELINES**  
Midwest Harmony Chapter of Sweet Adelines sings at 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays in the Community Room of Kirk of Our Savior, Westland, Cherry Hill, between Wayne and Newburgh roads. Women who like to sing four-part harmony are invited to attend. For more information, call Barbara Williams, 721-3861.

**ZESTERS**  
Zesters, a club for Canton residents 55 and older, meets at 1 p.m. Thursdays in the Canton Recreation Center, 44237 Michigan at Sheldon. Membership fees are \$1 to join and \$1 per month. The Zesters have monthly pot-lucks, bingo, movies and trips. The club is looking for pinhole players. Lunch is served at 11:30 a.m., and reservations can be made 24 hours in advance. For more information about the club, call the Canton senior citizen office, 397-1000, Ext. 278.

**CIVITAN CLUB**  
The Plymouth-Canton Civitan Club meets at 6:30 p.m. the third Thursday of each month for a dinner at Hillside Inn. Men and women are invited to learn about Civitans, a group of neighbors, business associates and friends - all volunteers interested in programs and projects based on the needs of the community. Call 453-2206 for more information.

**ORAL MAJORITY TOASTMASTERS**  
The Oral Majority Toastmasters Club of Plymouth invites visitors to see how the club enables members to speak up and move ahead, whatever their occupations. The club meets at 7:30 p.m. Tuesdays at Denny's restaurant, Ann Arbor Road at I-275. For information, call Phyllis K. Sullivan, 455-1635.

**EPILEPSY GROUP**  
Epilepsy Support Program, a self-help group, meets 7:30 p.m. in All Saints Lutheran Church, Newburgh at Joy Livonia, on the first and third Thursday of each month for two hours.

**MAYFLOWER-LT. GAMBLE POST 6495**  
Mayflower-Lt. Gamble Post 6495, Veterans of Foreign Wars, meets at 8 p.m. the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month at the post home, 1426 S. Mill, Plymouth. New members are welcome. For information, call the post, 459-6700.

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## ● ISBISTER KINDERGARTEN SIGNUP

Isbister Elementary School at 9300 Canton Center Road, Plymouth, will have its kindergarten registration from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday through Friday during February. Bring your child's birth certificate for the school to see. (There is no school the week of Feb. 18-22).

## ● SNOW REMOVAL

The City of Plymouth reminds residents that they must remove the snow and ice from their sidewalks within 24 hours after a snowfall. Failure to do so may result in the DPW cleaning the walks at a cost of \$40 per hour with a one-hour minimum.

## ● HELPING ADULTS READ

Plymouth-Canton Community Education can help adults read. For more information about Adult Basic Education, call 451-5555 or 451-6660. Open enrollment. Students can begin classes at any time.

## ● CPR CLASS

CPR Heart Saver classes are taught the second Monday of each month at 7 p.m. in Oakwood Hospital Canton Center, Warren at Canton Center Road. This course covers one-person CPR on an adult, and what to do for a person with an obstructed airway.

## ● CUB SCOUTS WANTED

Plymouth-Canton Boy Scout Troop 1539 is seeking new members to learn skills and enjoy camping and canoeing. For information call Bill Cousins at 455-7871.

## ● NEW HORIZONS

New Horizons, a sharing exchange for mothers, will meet the second and

fourth Fridays of each month 9:30-11:30 a.m. at Faith Moravian Community Church, 46001 Warren west of Canton Center Road. For information, call Mary at 455-8221.

## ● CRISIS COUNSELING

If you want help in solving a problem, are looking for a referral, or need information about drugs or alcohol, counselors at Turning Point Counseling and Crisis Intervention Center can help you. Counselors are available 6:30-10:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. Other hours are available by appointment. Phone 455-4900.

Turning Point is a non-profit community service of Growth Works Inc. which offers crisis intervention and counseling.

## ● BEGINNING STRING CLASS

The beginning string class for students grades 4-6 will meet 6:30 p.m.

each Tuesday in the music room of Plymouth Salem High. Janita Hauk, string specialist at Madonna College and Ladywood High School, will be teaching the beginner lessons for violin, viola, cello and string bass. Tuition for the group lessons will be \$50 for the 1984-85 school year. Some instruments will be available at a moderate rental fee.

## ● SENIOR NUTRITION PROGRAMS

Out-Wayne County Human Services Inc. provides to senior citizens age 60 or older, or to the spouse of a persons 60 or older, a hot noon meal five days a week for a suggested donation of \$1. Menus include such items as roast beef, chop suey, chicken, vegetables, fruit and desserts.

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to the client. Reservations for meals must be made 24 hours in advance. For further information, or if you are interested in volunteering to deliver home meals, call 422-2602. The Senior Nutrition Program sites in this area are:

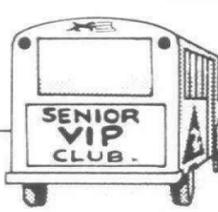
Canton Township Recreation Center, 44237 Michigan Avenue, Canton 48188; Tonquish Creek Manor, 1160 Sheridan, Plymouth 48170.

## ● VETERAN BENEFITS

Plymouth Passage-Gayde American Legion Post 391 reminds unemployed Korean and Vietnam veterans they have until Feb. 28 to apply for eligibility in the federal Emergency Veteran's Job Training Act. The act provides reimbursement to employers of half the starting wages of these veterans trained in certain fields. Interested vet-

## ● SPECIAL OLYMPICS

Special Olympics, an international program of physical fitness, sport training and athletic competition for mentally impaired children and adults, is being formed in the Plymouth-Canton area. Anyone interested in participating should contact a representative of the Special Education Parent Advisory Committee (SEPA) at 455-7684 or 420-0509.



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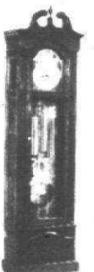
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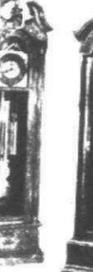
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Chris McCosky

## Frosh tossed a nasty curve

**R**OGER TRICE and his family moved into the Plymouth-Canton school district on Oct. 1, 1984.

Trice is a ninth grader with unlimited athletic potential.

The first person Trice met and became friends with was Plymouth Salem basketball standout Mike White. The White's and Trice's are neighbors.

White encouraged Trice to try out for the Plymouth Salem basketball team. Trice became a starter on the Salem junior varsity team and through the first five games of the season was one of the team's leading scorers.

Before he could play game No. 6, Roger Trice was told he could no longer play basketball for Salem because he was a student at Plymouth Canton.

Roger Trice was heartbroken. Trice came from the Taylor school district. At Taylor, there is no such animal as "random selection." No such thing as "drawing a chip" to determine which high school he belonged to.

APPARENTLY, THE Plymouth-Canton administration sent the Trice family a letter explaining random selection and the process of drawing a chip. The letter, a copy of which is on file at the school board office on Harvey Street, was dated Oct. 15. The Trice's claim they never received the letter.

Yet, the Trice's have an older daughter, a senior, who did draw a chip at the board office. She drew a red chip for Canton, but opted to finish out her prep days at Taylor Center.

Trice's explanation on that: They thought the process was for students already in high school. They didn't understand that it involved ninth graders as well.

And, really, who could blame someone for not fully understanding the Plymouth-Canton Centennial Educational Park system? Who does fully understand it? It's the only system of its kind in the state. And, in many ways, it doesn't make sense.

Some 70 students were in the same boat as Roger Trice. That is, there were 70 students who, for whatever reason, did not draw a chip. The names of those 70 students were fed into a computer. The computer spit some of the names out to Salem, some others to Canton.

"I don't know whose fault it is," said Andy Melin, who was Trice's coach on the JV and had built a close relationship with the freshman. "It just bothers me that because of some communications problem the young man was not adequately informed of the system. If Roger had gone to the board office and drawn a chip, at least his fate would have been somewhat in his own hands."

AS A RESULT of the confusion, Roger Trice is a very unhappy, disillusioned young man. He was just starting to adjust to his new school and new schoolmates. He had just begun to fit into his new environment. Then, boom, one day he's got to start all over again.

He has, as of this writing, refused to play JV ball for Canton. He has instead opted to play ball at East Middle School. There was even talk of him returning to Taylor.

"Certainly it is a great loss to the Salem athletic program. Roger is a fine athlete and a fine person," Melin said. "But, more importantly, here's a young kid, 15 years old, whose first and only friends are Salem basketball players. Now, five games into the season, he's told he can't play with his friends anymore."

"Now, he doesn't want to play at all. This system, it hurts the kids most of all."

Melin took this issue to Dr. Mike Homes, assistant superintendent of instruction, but got little sympathy.

"I AIRED some of my feeling, but I don't think it made any impact," Melin said.

Melin, like everyone associated with the athletic programs within the Plymouth-Canton district, has strong opinions about random selection. They are the same opinions expressed many times in this column.

"I am dead set against random selection," Melin said. "It tends to break up families and friendships, and it alienates kids who have grown up together. Kids that have played together all their lives suddenly find themselves at opposite schools competing against each other. It's unfair to the kids."

"I don't mind saying these things because I truly believe in what I'm saying. Why is it that only the athletes have to suffer? Under this system, there is one band, one radio station, one newspaper — everything is combined except athletics. The athletes are most visible, and they are hurt the most by this system."

"I can't understand why the people on Harvey Street (the administration) keep ignoring the feelings of the people most involved with this — the coaches. It's the coaches that have to deal with the young athletes, not the people on Harvey Street. It's not easy. As a coach, I cannot defend the process to a parent. I will not."

MELIN'S SUGGESTED remedies to the obvious problems involved with random selection are the same as have been voiced here. Combine Canton and Salem into one athletic program. If that cannot be done, then at least draw boundary lines, lines that can change with changing enrollments.

But, these changes will not be made while the current administration reigns. Sad stories like that of Roger Trice will forever go ignored.

Meanwhile, the athletic programs (and thus the overall quality of education) at the CEP will continue to decline while those at Catholic Central and Farmington Hills Mercy will continue to be enriched with Plymouth-Canton talent.

# The athlete's within the artist

By Scott Adler  
staff writer

**I**N THE WORLD of generalizations, there are two stereotypes that would, in most minds, be at opposite ends of the spectrum.

At one end, there is the football player. The "Athlete." All body and no brain. Someone who doesn't think, only reacts. Someone who, minus the brawn, would never pass any classes and who certainly wouldn't go to college on his mind alone.

At the other end of the spectrum is the artist. An effeminate, moody soul whose physical activity is limited to lifting a wine glass and paint brush while pretentiously discussing the Old Masters.

Then there's John Tarr, an artist who is by no means effeminate and an athlete who isn't limited to slapping five. He has heard all the dumb jock and weird artist stereotypes and is quick to point out he is neither.

"I've tried to stay away from the leftfield image (of artists)," he says. "You know, the dressing weird and stuff. I'm just who I am and the other things follow."

TARR IS A 1980 Plymouth Canton graduate who captained the varsity football and track teams. He is now a senior art major at Eastern Michigan University and assisting his old track coach Mike Spitz at Canton.

Unlike the stereotypes, Tarr can draw many parallels between his art and his athletics.

"I've taken a lot of what I've learned in football and running and approached my art with the same tenacity and passion," he said. "I find drawing as hard as any two-a-days (football practices) in August."

"It's the same with coaching. You're thinking all the time. It's a mental strain. Coaching and art are very similar. You're looking for the best combination. Who'll work with who, what combination is going to win, what colors will work with other colors."

Tarr is an admirer of Ernest Hemingway, a great American literary figure who was also a big sports fan.

"I can associate with Hemingway," Tarr said. "We're both really interested in boxing. I saw (Muhammad) Ali once and I thought it was great while all my artist friends who were there didn't care. So athletics and art don't coincide all the time."

MANY OF TARR'S works are on display through Feb. 1 at EMU's Inter-media Gallery in the McKenny Union. His works, most of which are mixed media (not limited to paint on canvas), were chosen for display by a panel of faculty artists.

His exhibit, "Drawings and other stuff," is only one of two displays by a single artist this year.

Tarr is thankful for his success in the path he has chosen.

"It's nice to do this stuff and have moderate success," he said, pointing to professors and friends who gave him encouragement. "I have doubts about myself and my art, but if I wasn't any good I would have quit a long time ago. There are a lot of people out there who are really terrible, who get no encouragement and continue to work at it. I couldn't do that."

"Like in football, I got a lot of encouragement from the coaches. It's important for me to be on the first team."

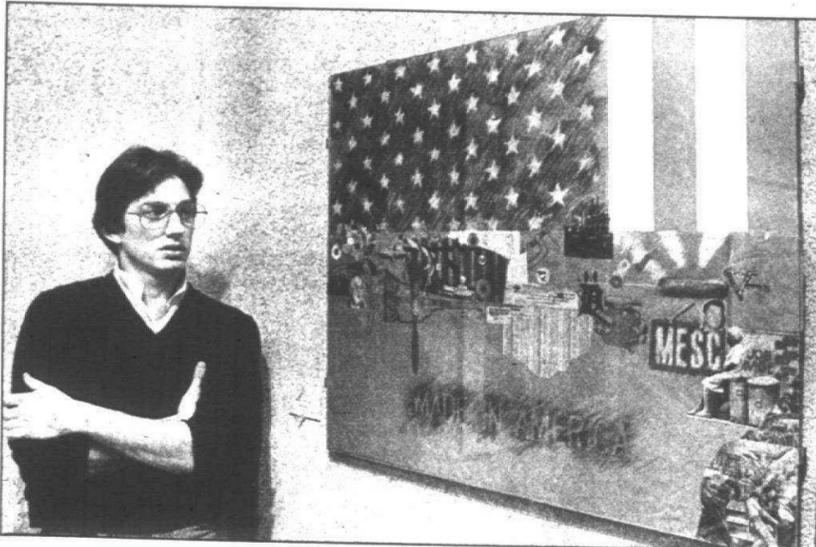
While he enjoys the idea of selling his work, Tarr says he feels like a part of him is lost when he sells something.

"You feel like it's a photo of an old friend and you don't have another copy," he said. "But you have to become immune to that. You have to sell your stuff. What good is it if no one ever sees it?"

TARR HAS SOLD two of his pieces from the exhibit, but he says he realizes the starving artist isn't only a myth, so he is student teaching art at Fiegel and Isbister elementary schools in Plymouth.

He enjoys the teaching, but sometimes the large class size is frustrating.

"I like teaching the younger ones," Tarr said, "But there are a lot of things you can't do with them. They can't grasp abstract things or many times, realism. I try to break things into their simplest form."



BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

Artist John Tarr, a 1980 Canton grad, hasn't forgotten his athletic background.

Communication can also be a problem with younger students, Tarr says. Like the time he was in a first-grade class and started writing the directions on the board before he realized the pupils couldn't read.

While there are drawbacks with the youngsters, Tarr says there are drawbacks with the older students, too.

"The high school wouldn't be bad," he said. "But I've heard some horror stories about them, too, especially student apathy. I have my own ideas about instituting programs that will make it a cultural and environmental thing rather than just something to keep them busy. Art can give them an appreciation of their environment."

Tarr may get the opportunity to put his ideas into action at a Pinckney elementary school. He is considering an artist-in-residence position that would allow him to implement an art curriculum. Pinckney presently has no art program.

IF THERE IS anything that can make Tarr stop his artistic pursuits, he says it would be coaching.

"The thing I'm most proud of is coaching," he said. "It's a real important thing to me. Athletics are very important. Without Mike Spitz, there's a lot of things I wouldn't have gotten out of life."

Tarr is also concerned about the way art is being taught in the public schools. He wonders how much communication goes on between the elementary, middle and high school art teachers as to what students should know when they graduate from each.

"A lot of things build upon one another," he said. "(In art education) things could be a lot better. You have to lay a foundation. We would get much better individuals (coming out of the schools)."

"I don't settle for mediocrity because I know there are better things out there."

*'I've taken a lot of what I've learned in football and running and approached my art with the same tenacity and passion.'*

— John Tarr  
'80 Canton grad.

## Canton's offense hits 99 in win

Like a beautiful butterfly transformed from an ugly caterpillar, the Plymouth Canton offense came to life Tuesday night against Walled Lake Western.

The Chiefs basketball team exploded against Western Lakes League foe Western, winning 99-51 at Canton.

Farmington Harrison held the Chiefs to 29 points Friday, but Canton coach Dave Van Wagoner insisted it was his team's defense that made the difference in Tuesday's win.

"It wasn't our offense that improved but our defense," Van Wagoner said. "We got down and played defense tonight. We played at the intensity level we need in order to be successful."

It was the Chiefs' defense that provided steals and got the fastbreak going, Van Wagoner said.

Canton (4-7 overall, 3-7 in league play) used a 30-point second quarter to trounce the winless Warriors, opening up a 51-22 halftime advantage.

"We would have had 115 points if we would have hit our free throws," Van Wagoner said. The Chiefs were 21 for 45 from the charity stripe.

Jim Schlicker paced six Canton players in double figures with 16 points. Matt Levesque dropped in 15, Dan Olszewski had 14, Kevin Hawkins had 13, Joe Bono scored 11 and Dave Knapp added 10. Hawkins also had 12 rebounds and 4 assists.

"This could be a stepping stone to a successful second half of the season for us," Van Wagoner said.

Brent Stack grabbed 8 rebounds and dished off 5 assists for the Chiefs.

Western was topped by Quint Scannell's 11 points.

Canton takes on cross campus rival Salem Friday night at Salem.

SALEM 67, CENTRAL 59: It wasn't easy, but Plymouth Salem came back and knocked off Walled Lake Central with an excellent second half Tuesday.

"It sure wasn't easy," Salem coach Bob Brodie said of the victory. "We were in trouble at the start. We were down 12 (points) but we didn't try to get it back all at once. We did a pretty good job in the second half and pushed the ball up the court. Our fastbreak worked."

Central jumped out to a 17-10 first quarter lead, but the Rocks closed the gap to two at intermission, 31-29.

Brodie attributed the strong second half to tough team defense.

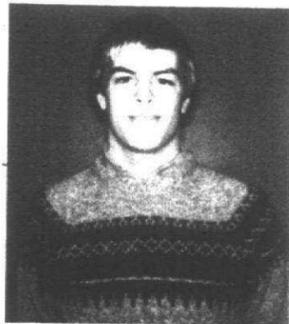
Salem was led by Eric Sovine's 22 points. Sophomore Mike Hale scored 13 points and held Central's big scorer, Tom Cummings, to 3 field goals in the

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# Saline wins Plymouth tourney

**By Chris McCosky**  
staff writer

The tag "prestigious" may once again prefix the Plymouth Volleyball Invitational.

After a couple of down years — years that saw top-ranked teams refuse to compete in the tournament because of a perceived lack of organization — Saturday's 10th annual Plymouth Invitational was termed a success by those who took part.

Twenty-four teams participated in the tournament, 16 more than last year. Among the competing schools were state-ranked powers Saline, Clarkston and Warren Cousino.

"Many of the coaches came up to me afterward and said the tournament was much improved," said Plymouth Salem coach Betty Smith. "They said they enjoyed it completely."

Saline had rather a good time, roaring past Brighton in the championship match, 15-5, 15-3.

**THE DEFENDING** Class B state champions were easily the dominant team in the tourney. Saline's stiffest test came from a weary band of Patriots from Livonia Franklin.

Franklin had blitzed through its pool with an 8-2 record, then upended Clarkston in the quarterfinals, 15-2, 11-15 (Franklin advanced from the two-game match because it tallied more points).

"We did pretty well," said Franklin coach John Miltz. "We are really beginning to play well as a team. We're starting to jell."

Carolyn Smith, a powerful hitter, was the Pats' big gun offensively. Karen Amell, Kris Sandberg and Lori Lotero also played well at the net. Amy Lotero and setter Brenda Bulmanaka passed efficiently and played solid defense along the back row.

With Lori Lotero out with an injury, Franklin took Saline to 13-13 in game one of their semifinal match. But, Franklin lost serve and Saline pre-

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vailed. The eventual champions went on to secure the match with a 15-9 win in game two.

Brighton got to the championship match by topping Warren Cousino 15-9, 3-15, 15-2.

Brighton, in its quarterfinal match, outpointed Westland John Glenn 13-15, 15-10. Glenn, led by strong net play of Laura Grazulis and Carol Hall, went undefeated through its pool.

**BUT THE** surprise team of the day had to be Plymouth Canton. Canton, which hadn't won a match in two years, shed the slump in its first match of the day. The Chiefs knocked off Adrian, one of the tournament favorites, 15-9, 15-6, then went on to place second in their pool with a 4-2 mark.

"The girls played well," said first-year coach Sue Riggs. "We brought up three JV players and their enthusiasm and desire to win really provided a spark."

Sue Moffatt was the Chiefs' primary spark. In her first varsity performance, she excelled both at the net and in the back row. Senior Diana Knickerbocker (at the net) and Kris Ingersoll (serving) were also key weapons for Canton.

Canton was eventually eliminated from the tournament by Warren Cousino in the quarterfinals. Cousino, which finished third in the tournament, knocked off the Chiefs, again on points, 10-15, 15-13.

The host team, Plymouth Salem, didn't survive its pool winning just one of its 6 games.



Canton finally shed its losing streak winning two matches on Saturday. Sue Moffatt (hitting ball) and Vicki Ferko provided much of the spark for the Chiefs.



# Rocks spike Falcons; Churchill trips Chiefs

Thank goodness for Farmington's volleyball team.

That's what Plymouth Salem coach Betty Smith must be saying after the Rocks collected their second win of the season over the Falcons Monday night, 15-7, 15-6.

It was a good night for the Salem servers as they racked up 11 aces over the two games. Tracy Greenhalge and Denise Tackett led the way with 3 and 2 aces, respectively.

The Rocks have had trouble putting together strong offensive and defensive performances on the

same night this season, according to Smith, but that wasn't the case Monday.

"We played very well," Smith said. "It was the first time we put everything together. Everyone was on top of things."

"It also showed the girls just how good they can be and they're excited. I'm really excited about it, too."

The Rocks are now 2-3 on the season.

**PLYMOUTH CANTON** lost a hard-fought match against Western Lakes for Livonia Churchill Monday, 15-10, 15-10.

"Our major problem is that we start strong, let up and then rally to try and catch up," said Canton coach Sue Riggs. "By then it's too little too late."

Diana Knickerbocker and Sue Moffatt were strong at the net for the Chiefs, while Leslee Fidge performed admirably in the back row.

# EMU clinic set

Eastern Michigan University will present its annual Golden Triangle Baseball Clinic on Sunday, Feb. 10 at Bowen Fieldhouse.

The featured speaker at the clinic will be EMU's Ron Oestrike, the 1985 president of the American Baseball Coaches Association.

The clinic begins at 10 a.m. and concludes at 5 p.m. (lunch provided).

Pre-registration, due by Thursday, Feb. 7, is \$8 for coaches and \$4 for students. Registration at the door is \$10 for coaches and \$10 for students.

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Maggie Meisner and the rest of Salem team had a rough afternoon Saturday but rebounded Monday to beat Farmington.

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# Salem remains undefeated

The Plymouth Salem gymnastics team still has its perfect record in tact. But not all is well in the Rock camp.

The Rocks blitzed Northville Monday, 119.15-107.45, for their 6th straight victory of the season.

So what's the problem? Stagnation.

"It seems we've hit a plateau," said Salem coach Kathi Kinsella. "Everything is still the same. The routines are getting a little cleaner and the judging is getting a bit stricter."

"We are going to have to start cleaning it up. We really can't expect a whole lot more from Jackie (Huff) and Beth (Rafal). They have been carrying us all year. The back-up people are going to have to work harder before we can beat Farmington Harrison."

The cause for Kinsella's concern is easy to spot. The Rocks scored 122.55 in their first meet of the season. They haven't come close to that score since. In fact, they have been hovering at 119 for the last four meets.

"We're still beating people by big margins," Kinsella said. "But, we'd better shake out of it. It's like we've gotten used to winning. What they don't realize is that we're beating the teams with less experience. The hard teams are coming up."

Against Northville, Huff and Rafal again led the way.

Huff won the vault (8.25) and uneven parallel bars (7.75). Rafal won the balance beam (8.25) and floor exercise (8.45).

Rafal got seconds on vault (8.2) and bars (7.55), while Huff got thirds on vault (7.6) and floor (8.3).

Sara Michalik scored fourths on vault (7.5) and beam (7.15). Sue Lally got a fifth on bars (8.6) and Jenny Breed a fifth on floor (7.5).

The Rocks, ranked No. 3 in Observerland, travel to Farmington Harrison (7-0) on Monday. The Hawks are ranked No. 2 in Observerland.

**PLYMOUTH CANTON** still hasn't registered its first win of the season, but the Chiefs steadily improving scores have brought the smile back to coach John Cunningham's face.

Last Friday, the Chiefs dropped a tough 116-115.5 meet to Northville. Then on Monday went against state power Ann Arbor Pioneer, losing 138.9-120.25.

"Although the kids didn't win, they came out of both meets feeling very good about themselves," Cunningham said. "I was down last week. We had a short discussion and I told them that the wins and losses were really irrelevant. I get depressed when they don't meet up to expectations. When they don't improve, or if they get worse, that bothers me."

Megan McGow had her best two meets of the season. Against Northville, she won both the vault (8.1) and bars (8.1). And, against Pioneer, she was Canton's top scorer with an 8.0 on vault, 8.0 on bars and an 8.05 on floor (all placing sixth).

Ann Healey took second on floor (8.1) and fourth on bars (7.45) for the Chiefs against Northville. Her 8.1 on floor placed fifth against Pioneer.

Carol Horvath has been steady on beam for Canton. She placed third against Northville (7.35) and sixth against Pioneer (7.45).

April Mosakowski took a fourth against Northville on vault (7.0), Cheryl Bataglia took fourth on floor (7.8).

The Chiefs, 0-6, travel to North Farmington on Monday.



Canton sophomore Megan McGow won a pair of events for the Chiefs against Northville Friday. She scored an 8.1 on both the vault and uneven bars.

# Harrison's depth deflates Falcons

Farmington gymnast Katie MacIntosh put on her most polished performance of the season Monday night, but it couldn't prevent Farmington Harrison from pulling away with a 121.95-109 victory.

MacIntosh won both the uneven parallel bars (8.05) and the balance beam (8.3) for Farmington. The senior also placed second on the floor exercise (8.35) and tied for second with Harrison's Jill Birsa on vault (7.9).

"She's just a marvelous athlete," Harrison coach Linda Perkins said of MacIntosh. "It was the first time I have been able to see her and I really liked her. Her bar routine was beautiful."

But Perkins' team, now ranked No. 2 in Observerland, had too much depth for the Falcons. Tracy Solomon led the way with firsts on vault (8.3) and floor (8.4). She also took second on beam (7.5).

Birsa, besides her second on vault, took third on bars (7.4) and third on beam (7.45).

Lauri Runk and Jamie Lyons tied for third on vault for Harrison with 7.85. Jody Solomon scored a second on bars (7.65) and Julie Runk tied Farmington's Debi DeWitt for third on the floor (8.0).

"We're hanging in there," Perkins said. "We're at a point now where even if someone has a rough time, the others pull up. That's where the depth pays off."

Harrison (7-0) will face No. 1 ranked North Farmington tonight at North Farmington (1-5) are idle next week. The Falcons return to action a week from Monday at home against Walled Lake Central.

**NORTH FARMINGTON** tumbled to its seventh straight victory in a row Monday topping Walled Lake Central, 125.5-91.45.

Eileen Murtaugh had a productive evening winning three events and placing second in the fourth. She won the vault (8.6), beam (7.9), and floor (8.55). She placed second on bars (8.1).

Lucine Toroyan was the winner on bars with an 8.4. Toroyan also placed third on vault (7.5).

Kara Karhu was also productive scoring three seconds: 8.1 on vault, 7.7 on beam and 8.35 on floor.

Lisa Brundie chipped in with a fourth on vault (7.45), third on bars (7.9), fifth on beam (6.75) and third on floor (8.0).

Marilyn Dunn scored a fifth on vault (6.95), fifth on bars (6.95) and a fourth on floor (7.35).

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# basketball standings

The following are the Plymouth-Canton Junior Basketball Association Standings as of Jan. 26:

<b>GIRLS AA</b>	Knicks 7-0 Chiefs 6-1 Celtics 5-2 Jazz 4-3 Bucks 4-2 Fames 3-4 Cubs 2-5 Astros 1-6	<b>BOYS A American</b>	Hawks 7-0 Lakers 6-1 Sonic 5-2 Bucks 4-3 Bears 4-2 Rockets 1-6 75ers 1-6	<b>National</b>	7-0 6-1 5-2 3-4 3-4 2-5 1-6
Results: Wizards 36, Jets 18, Sharks 38, Astros 29, Falcons 38, Rockets 35, Cubs 42, Hawks 37	Results: Pacers 46, Celtics 31, Knicks 38, Lakers 18, Chiefs 31, Jazz 24, Bucks 43, Bulls 18, Bulls 44, Hawks 32, Pistons 43, Kings 33	<b>BOYS B American</b>	T-Birds 5-0 Wings 3-2 Bulls 2-3 Apollis 2-3 Dolphins 2-3 Gators 1-5 Results: Dolphins 26, 75ers 19, T-Birds 30, Apollis 28, Wings 21, Bulls 20	<b>BOYS AAA</b>	11-0 7-2 3-6 3-6 3-6 3-6 3-6
<b>BOYS AA</b>	Spartans 9-1 Volvines 6-4 Hoovers 5-4 Hoovers 4-6 Bohemians 1-9	<b>GIRLS B</b>	5-0 3-2 2-3 2-3 2-3 2-3 2-3	<b>BOYS AA</b>	11-0 7-2 3-6 3-6 3-6 3-6 3-6

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# Observer sports statistics

## gymnastics

The following gymnastics statistics are compiled weekly by Observer sports editor Chris McCosky. Coaches should update their stats with McCosky weekly by calling 591-2300 on Monday afternoons from 12-4 p.m.

TEAM SCORES	(state out: 118.0)
North Farmington	128.4
Farmington	123.6
Plym Canton	120.25
Farmington	111.4
Clarencville	105.3

VAULT	(state out: 7.7)
Tracey Spolton (FH)	9.85
Jackie Huff (PS)	8.7
Eileen Murtough (NF)	8.4
Kara Kahu (NF)	8.4
Lucy Toroyan (NF)	8.4
Lucy Toroyan (NF)	8.35
Karen Dzubek (JG)	8.35
Lisa Brundie (NF)	8.35
Jackie Huff (PS)	8.25
Kate Macintosh (F)	8.2

UNEVEN BARS	(state out: 7.3)
Eileen Murtough (NF)	8.55
Lucy Toroyan (NF)	8.45

## the week ahead

The following boys swim times are compiled weekly by Livonia Churchill head coach Mike Tlan. Coaches should update their times with Tlan on a weekly basis by calling 261-7300. EXT 255 between the hours of 3-4 p.m. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

**200 Medley Relay** (state out: 1:43.47)

**500 Freestyle** (state out: 4:53.00)

**200 Freestyle** (state out: 1:48.03)

**200 Individual Medley** (state out: 2:05.55)

**50 Freestyle** (state out: 22.72)

## swimming

200 Medley Relay	500 Freestyle
Kirk Radatz (Harrison)	4:53.6
Mike Turley (NF)	4:56.2
Eric Bard (Churchill)	4:59.7
Chris Leslie (CC)	5:02.8
Chris Morasky (Stevenson)	5:06.8
Greg Wolf (Salem)	5:09.6
Jeff Albert (Stevenson)	5:10.5
Scott Strawn (NF)	5:15.3
Alex Aftari (CC)	5:16.5
Craig Burdick (NF)	5:18.7

100 Backstroke	100 Breaststroke
John Kovach (CC)	58.5
Brian Gons (NF)	57.3
John Kovach (CC)	59.3
Randy Latoro (Franklin)	1:00.5
Don Hancock (Salem)	1:01.9
Dean Roberts (NF)	1:02.4
Dave Peterson (CC)	1:02.4
Mike Hancock (Salem)	1:02.7
Dan Banochter (CC)	1:03.4
Matt Heppner (CC)	1:04.0

100 Freestyle	400 Freestyle Relay
Brian Gons (NF)	49.1
Mike Turley (NF)	49.4
John Kovach (CC)	50.2
Kevin Evertman (Stevenson)	50.4
Mike Turley (NF)	50.6
Dennis Ward (Stevenson)	50.6
Kevin Evertman (Stevenson)	50.7
Chris Morasky (Stevenson)	51.3
Chris Leslie (CC)	51.6
Eric Bard (Churchill)	52.7

# Canton swimmers rout non-league foe

John Ahrens anchored Plymouth Canton's 400-yard freestyle relay and won two individual meets to lead the Chief swimmers past host Redford Thurston Tuesday, 104-62.

Ahrens took top honors in the 200 freestyle (2:00.9) and the 500 freestyle (5:21.4). He combined with teammates Frank Wisniewski, Mike Lutz and Jim Reimschneider for a first in the 400 freestyle relay in 3:59.

Dean Roberts took two more firsts for the Chiefs in the 100 butterfly (1:02.5) and the 100 backstroke (1:02.6).

Andy Flower was a big winner in the diving competition with 55.8 points. Canton is 4-5 overall.

## sport shorts

**MR. MUFFLER DEFENDS GROUNDHOG TITLE**

Led by the all-weather hitting prowess of Mark Brieschke, Rick Vigil and Keith Starznickie, Mr. Muffler successfully defended its title in the Canton Parks and Recreation Department's 6th annual Groundhogs Softball Tournament Saturday.

Muffler, coached by Rick Vigil, knocked off Boczar's 7-2 in the championship game.

To get to the final's Mr. Muffler whipped Thunderbolts 17-0 and the Snowballers 8-1.

Boczar's earned a championship bid with wins over the Canton Jaycees, 3-2, and Michigan Bell, 17-1. Chuck Janowski and Tim McCurley were the hot hitters for Boczar's.

And the 6th annual foul-weather softball classic also made a bit of history. For only the second time ever, the Canton Township unit won a game. The coed squad topped the Sluggers 4-1.

Twelve teams participated in the event.

**TEEN SKI TRIP**

The Canton Parks and Recreation Department is sponsoring another teen ski trip to Alpine Valley on Friday, Feb. 8.

The cost is \$15 for those without equipment, \$8 for those with.

The group (all supervision provided by the rec department) will leave the Canton Township Administration Building at 5 p.m. and return at approximately 12:15 a.m.

For more information, call 397-1000.

# Ocelots win 7th straight

Behind a stingy defensive effort, Schoolcraft College's women's basketball team raced to its seventh-straight victory, 80-54, Saturday at Delta College.

The win made the Ocelots top schoolcraft survived in overtime at Alpena.

This time Schoolcraft was in command the whole way. Paced by the deadeye shooting of Kim Chandler (25 points) and Missy Aiken (21), the Ocelots sped to a 40-18 halftime lead.

Delta was forced into committing 13 first-half turnovers, while Schoolcraft made just 5.

Aiding the Ocelot effort were Caryn Lamb, Sherry Evans and Rhonda Lancaster with 8 points apiece. Laura Colison was best for Delta with 14 points.

**THE SCHOOLCRAFT MEN** were not as successful, getting into foul trouble early and finishing on the short end of a 95-79 score at Delta.

"It was a tough road game," said Schoolcraft coach Rocky Watkins. "We got in early foul trouble and that pretty much decided the game."

"Statistically, we played a good game. We shot over 50 percent and didn't turn the ball over very much. We didn't have one individual player shoot under 50 percent."

Indeed, the Ocelots, who trailed 44-30 at the half, hit 34 of 58 floor shots (58.6 percent), 12 of 19 free throws (63 percent) and made just 7 turnovers. However, they also were whistled for 25 personal fouls and one technical.

But the only stat that counts is the final score, and Delta was best there. Tony Randall had 18 points for the Ocelots, with Clarence Jones adding 11 and Dwight Pooler 8 and 8 rebounds.

Tony Ford pumped in 25 points for Delta. Steve Williams tossed in 21.

Schoolcraft, now 10-13 overall and 3-4 in the Eastern Conference, plays at unbeaten Highland Park Saturday.

The win improves Madonna's record to 5-4 overall.

Madonna trailed 43-40 at the half before rallying for the win.

# Madonna wins at Dome

The Madonna College men's basketball team won its third straight game Saturday at the Pontiac Silverdome with an 84-77 victory over Nazareth College.

The win improves Madonna's record to 5-4 overall.

Madonna trailed 43-40 at the half before rallying for the win.

Maurice Woods of Madonna led all scorers with 31 points. Jim Sall added 22 points and 12 rebounds, while Tim Proben chipped in with 17 points and 17 assists.

The win improves Madonna's record to 5-4 overall.

Madonna trailed 43-40 at the half before rallying for the win.

Emil Hoika led Nazareth with 29 points. Eric Rolack and Dan Duffy added 13 and 12, respectively.

# All-star travel league eyed in area

While no official invitations have been mailed yet, several bowling establishments on the west side of Observerland are being considered for a new all-star traveling league that is being formed.

If present plans are completed, the league will be split into two divisions with an east side group and the west side group. It is planned to travel on Thursday nights.

The pattern being followed is the same as that used years ago when the Bonanza All-Star league was formed. And it will draw all the present leaders in the various classics around the areas.

**WESTLAND:** Tim Detherage rolled a consistent series of 256, 223 and 225 to get a 704, in the classic and membership in the 700 club. Jay Dishong had a 285 in 693 for second place and Bob Oniewski was next in line with 689. In the men's league Pete Zerger had a 678 series.

**GARDEN LANES:** Mae Lackey won a close race with Jean Steiff to beat her by a single pin. She rolled a 608 while Jean had a 597.

**BEL-AIRE:** Jim Pouter gained a one pin margin over Mort Fredman in the senior house league when he posted a 244 game in a 685 series.

**SUPER BOWL:** Tom Burdziewicz reached his goal when a 278 game gave him a 739 series and membership in the 700 club. In the junior house league, Scott Hall had a 257 for high game.

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## rankings

- The following high school rankings will be prepared each week by the Observer sports staff. Schools eligible for consideration must be located in Livonia, Westland, Garden City, Redford, Farmington, Farmington Hills, Plymouth, Canton or Wayne.
- BOYS SWIM**
- Livonia Stevenson
  - Hill N. Farmington
  - Plymouth Salem
  - Catholic Central
  - Farmington
- BASKETBALL**
- Wayne Memorial
  - Catholic Central
  - Livonia Stevenson
  - Garden City
  - N. Farmington
- GYMNASTICS**
- N. Farmington
  - Farm. Harrison
  - Plymouth Salem
- VOLLEYBALL**
- Livonia Stevenson
  - Bishop Borgess
  - N. Farmington
  - Garden City
  - Livonia Franklin
- WRESTLING**
- Plymouth Salem
  - Plymouth Canton
  - Wayne Memorial
  - John Glenn
  - Garden City

## basketball statistics

**BOYS BASKETBALL LEADERS**

The following basketball statistics are compiled weekly by North Farmington head coach Tom Negoshian. Observersland coaches should update their statistics with Negoshian weekly by calling 363-4284 on Sunday evenings from 4-6 p.m.

REBOUNDING	HS	G	Ave
Paul Robertson	WM	12	13.8
Jeff Varkakis	CL	10	11.1
Rick Anderson	NC	12	11.0
Mike Katschop	PC	9	10.7
Pat McCarthy	PC	9	9.7
Bob Chwilk	NC	9	9.6
Steve Dunning	NC	7	9.2
Vince Enright	NC	10	8.4
Mike Hermsdorf	CC	10	8.3
Steve Dunning	CC	10	8.1
Paul Tavarns	CC	10	8.0

ASSISTS	HS	G	Ave
Paul Robertson	WM	10	8.2
Jeff Varkakis	CL	10	7.0
Rick Anderson	NC	11	6.4
Mike Katschop	PC	11	6.4
Pat McCarthy	PC	11	6.4
Bob Chwilk	NC	12	6.0
Steve Dunning	NC	10	5.3
Vince Enright	NC	10	4.9
Mike Hermsdorf	CC	10	4.4
Steve Dunning	CC	11	4.4
Paul Tavarns	CC	11	4.4

SCORING	HS	G	Ave
John McIntyre	HS	10	29.4
Joe Gregory	BU	10	28.1
Dennis Bubart	RU	11	20.9
Pat McCarthy	PC	9	20.0
Mike Baydarian	JG	10	19.0
Ross Robertson	WM	12	18.0
Steve Dunning	NC	10	18.8
Rock Anderson	NF	12	18.0
Bob Sander	LS	10	18.8
Howard Flowers	WM	12	17.4
Ken George	FH	10	14.3
Jeff Van Vleet	CC	10	13.3
Bob Chwilk	NF	12	13.3

## hockey standings

**SUBURBAN PREP HOCKEY LEAGUE STANDINGS** (Through Tuesday)

W	L	T	P
Liv. Churchill	11	2	0
Liv. Stevenson	11	2	0
Franklin	9	6	0
Wayne	8	6	0
Liv. Berkey	6	4	1
Southfield	4	9	2
Bishop Gorman	3	10	0
B.H. Larsen	1	9	0
Southfield	1	11	0

G	A	Pts
Greg Sawicki (WVR)	13	27
Rob Speer (WVR)	13	18
Tim Ochsler (LF)	13	22
Matt Wijnaker (LC)	12	9
Jay Jewett (SF)	12	20
Bob Wilson (LF)	12	22
A. Buscemi (BHA)	11	14
Dave Ward (BHC)	10	18
Trenton	9	0
Catholic Central	9	0
A.A. Poirer	4	4
A.A. Hagan	4	7
Brother Rice	3	7

W	L	T	P
W	6	6	0
L	9	6	0
T	0	0	0
P	0	0	0

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GYMNASTICS: Observer sports editor Chris McCosky will compile a listing of the top team scores and top individual scorers in each event. Coaches should report their stats to McCosky by Monday afternoon.

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Local Unit	Date of Election	Rate	Increases	Years Increase Effective
County of Wayne	8/7/79	1 mill	None	1984 thru 1985
	8/7/84	1 mill	None	1985 to 1989, inclusive
Wayne County Intermediate School District	8/6/74	1 mill	None	1984 indefinitely
Canton Township	None	None	None	None
Northville Township	9/5/80	50 mill	None	1984 & Future
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	11/3/81	.70 mill	None	1984 to 1986, inclusive
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	12/2/81	1.38 mill	None	1984 to 1986, inclusive
	12/7/82	8 mills	None	1984 to 1988, inclusive
	10/2/84	1.74 mills	None	1984 to 1990, inclusive

RAYMOND J. WOJCIWICZ  
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This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education of Plymouth-Canton Community Schools, Wayne and Washtenaw Counties, Michigan.

ELAINE K. KIRCHGATTER  
Secretary, Board of Education

Printed January 24 and 31, 1985

# EMU sets baseball day

Eastern Michigan University will present its annual Golden Triangle Baseball Clinic on Sunday, Feb. 10 at Bowen Fieldhouse.

The featured speaker at the clinic will be EMU's Ross Destrake, the 1985 president of the American Baseball Coaches Association.

The clinic begins at 10 a.m. and concludes at 5 p.m. (lunch provided).

Pre-registration, due by Thursday, Feb. 7 is \$8 for coaches and \$4 for students. Registrars at the door is \$10 for coaches and \$10 for students.

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### SPECIAL SCHOOL ELECTION

**NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION OF THE ELECTORS OF PLYMOUTH-CANTON COMMUNITY SCHOOLS WAYNE AND WASHTENAW COUNTIES, MICHIGAN TO BE HELD FEBRUARY 5, 1985**

**TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:**

Please Take Notice that a special election of the electors of Plymouth-Canton Community Schools, Wayne and Washtenaw Counties, Michigan, will be held in the school district, on Tuesday, February 5, 1985.

**THE POLLS OF ELECTION WILL OPEN AT 7:00 O'CLOCK, A.M., AND CLOSE AT 8:00 O'CLOCK, P.M.**

The following proposition will be submitted to the vote of the electors at the special election:

**MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSITION**

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Plymouth-Canton Community Schools, Wayne and Washtenaw Counties, Michigan, be increased by 8 mills (\$8.00 on each \$1,000.00) on state equalized valuation for a period of 6 years, 1985 to 1990, inclusive, for the purpose of providing additional funds for operating purposes (this being a renewal of 8 mills for operating purposes which expired with the 1984 tax levy)?

**THE VOTING PLACES ARE AS FOLLOWS:**

**PRECINCT NO. 1**  
Voting Place: Central Middle School. The first precinct consists of all of City Precinct No. 3 and City Precinct No. 5.

**PRECINCT NO. 2**  
Voting Place: Gallimore School. The second precinct consists of all of Canton Township Precinct No. 1 and Canton Township Precinct No. 10.

**PRECINCT NO. 3**  
Voting Place: Isbister Elementary School. The third precinct consists of all of City Precinct No. 4 and all of Plymouth Township Precinct No. 5.

**PRECINCT NO. 4**  
Voting Place: Starweather Elementary School. The fourth precinct consists of all of City Precinct No. 1 and City Precinct No. 2.

**PRECINCT NO. 5**  
Voting Place: Allen Elementary School. The fifth precinct consists of all of Plymouth Township Precinct No. 3, Plymouth Township Precinct No. 4 and Plymouth Township Precinct No. 9.

**PRECINCT NO. 6**  
Voting Place: West Middle School. The sixth precinct consists of all of Plymouth Township Precinct No. 6, Plymouth Township Precinct No. 12, Plymouth Township Precinct No. 13, and all territory of the school district located in Salem Township.

**PRECINCT NO. 7**  
Voting Place: Farrand Elementary School. The seventh precinct consists of all of Plymouth Township Precinct No. 8 and all territory of the school district located in Northville Township.

**PRECINCT NO. 8**  
Voting Place: Fiegel Elementary School. The eighth precinct consists of all of Canton Township Precinct No. 3, Canton Township Precinct No. 4, and Canton Township Precinct No. 11, Canton Township Precinct No. 20 and all of Plymouth Township Precinct No. 10.

**PRECINCT NO. 9**  
Voting Place: Miller Elementary School. The ninth precinct consists of all of Canton Township Precinct No. 4 and all of Canton Township Precinct No. 13.

**PRECINCT NO. 10**  
Voting Place: Hulsing Elementary School. The tenth precinct consists of all of Canton Township Precinct No. 7 and all of Canton Township Precinct No. 12.

**PRECINCT NO. 11**  
Voting Place: Erikson Elementary School. The eleventh precinct consists of all of Canton Township Precinct No. 9 and all of Canton Township Precinct No. 14, and all of Canton Township Precinct No. 21.

**PRECINCT NO. 12**  
Voting Place: Field Elementary School. The twelfth precinct consists of all of Canton Township Precinct No. 8, all of Canton Township Precinct No. 16, all of Canton Township Precinct No. 17, all of Canton Township Precinct No. 19, and all territory of the school district located in Superior Township.

**PRECINCT NO. 13**  
Voting Place: Bird Elementary School. The thirteenth precinct consists of all of Plymouth Township Precinct No. 7 and all of Plymouth Township Precinct No. 11.

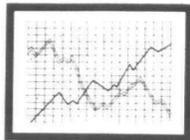
All school electors who are registered with the city or township clerk of the city or township in which they reside are eligible to vote at this election.

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Barry Jensen editor/591-2300



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## business briefs

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Send information for business briefs to business editor, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. Deadline is Monday for publication in the upcoming Thursday issue. If your item is about something to happen several weeks in the future, it will be run more than once, space permitting.

# Do you have a financial plan?

By Sid Mittra  
special writer

Risk Management Planning  
Management of risk involves

The best New Year's resolution is one that imposes upon you the discipline to develop and implement a reasonably well-balanced financial plan. Here are some tips on how you can develop your own plan. Remember: Your plan must cover at least seven areas, represented by seven letters of the word, RETIRED.

making sure that you are adequately covered by at least the following types of insurance: life, disability, homeowners, automobile, health, and liability.

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you really need? If you own your home, does your homeowner's policy cover the replacement cost? If your homeowner's or automobile policy has a liability coverage of \$300,000, how would you handle a liability claim of, say, \$1,000,000?

These and other related questions must be professionally answered. Ask your agent or financial planner to assist you in developing an adequate risk management strategy.

Education Tuition Planning  
Projections of college costs can be a painful experience, especially if your child plans to attend a big name institution or go into an ex-

pensive program (e.g. medical or legal). You may consider putting investments in the name of a minor to have the returns taxed at his or her marginal tax bracket.

Even giving interest-free loans can be an alternative, although the new tax law has severely curtailed its advantages. An advance planning is most essential for developing a sound educational planning strategy.

Sid Mittra is president of Co-ordinated Financial Planning Inc. of Troy and a professor of economics and management at Oakland University.

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## Cocktail pianists establish mood

In many lounges, it's the cocktail pianist who creates the right kind of atmosphere.

Take Joe Jelasic, for instance, the friendly, smiling, bushy-mustached piano player at Birmingham's Machus Sly Fox.

Jelasic has been cocktail pianist at the Sly Fox for eight years. His love for the job is evident — not only by his pleasant manner and smile but also by his note-filled solo excursions on the keyboard.

When he's enjoying a standard, his dark mustache turns up in a grin. After all the years he's been doing this, he still gets a kick out of playing "Stormy Weather," "What I Did for Love," "I'm in the Mood for Love" or "Moonlight in Vermont."

"The thing I like about being at the Sly Fox," said Jelasic between sets, "is the freedom I have to be creative without the pressure. I can create from my heart and soul and try to find the colors to match different moods."

Besides his Sly Fox cocktail-hour sets, Jelasic also plays for the Sunday-brunch crowd at Oakland Hills Country Club. Then there's his Black Tie trio, which performs at special events, and his own booking agency called Black Tie Productions.

THE MOOD created by pianist Susie Woodman is definitely upbeat and fun, at the Kingsley Inn lounge in Bloomfield Hills.

Outgoing and bubbly, Woodman keeps the piano bar lively during her Monday through Friday stints. She's also quick-witted, which helps in her job.

"Hey, you're not Pogo," said a customer peering into the lounge on a Friday evening and expecting to see Pogo, the other piano-bar pianist.

"No," quipped Woodman, "I'm stick."

No stick or stick-in-the-mud, Woodman has been around the pop-music scene in the Detroit area long enough to be able to handle most situations and most requests. However, she's not old enough to have the music of all the great, old-standards songwriters down pat. Which is why when a customer asked for a Jerome Kern medley, she responded with a smile and a bouncy "Chatanooga Choo Choo."

Her life began in the Saginaw area, but she got her start in music in Detroit when she played piano in the Phil Marcus Essex production of "Jacques Brel is Alive and Well and Living in Paris."

Woodman has played with Jonathan Round and rock 'n' roll singer Meatball Woodman, who's also blessed with a singing voice that complements her pop and modified-country style, has a country band called Freeland Star. In that group is her husband, drummer Peter Woodman. She also plays solo piano at the Midtown Cafe in Birmingham and plays with the band Illusion.



Susie Woodman is at the keyboard in the lounge of the Kingsley Inn in Bloomfield Hills. She alternates stints with Pogo at the piano bar.



on music  
James Windell

WHILE JOHNNY Trudell and his 14-piece band continues every Monday night at Jamie's on 7, the nightclub is planning to bring some big-name acts to Livonia.

The Count Basie Orchestra (obviously without the Count, who died last year) will play Monday, Feb. 18. Chubby Checker, the man who made the twist a national craze in the 1960s, comes to Jamie's on Monday, March 11. Checker will be making a rare Detroit-area appearance.

Jamie's also plans on bringing in the Glenn Miller Orchestra in May. (For more information about the entertainment schedule at Jamie's on 7, call 477-9077.)

Another musical event coming to Livonia will be a concert by the Bess Bonnier Trio, featuring Bonnier on piano, Dan Jordan on bass and Tom Brown on drums. Bonnier will play at 3 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 24, at the Livonia City Hall Auditorium. (For more information, call 421-2000.)

## Comedy picks up for rollicking fun

Performances of the Plymouth Theatre Guild production of "See How They Run" continue at 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday at Central Middle School in Plymouth. For ticket information, call 455-2632.

By Victoria Diaz  
special writer

The Plymouth Theatre Guild's production of Philip King's "See How They Run" may disappoint you at first. But hang on until the rollicking second and third acts, and you'll see why this English farce is so often performed by community theater groups, and so often enjoyed by their audiences.

It's just a lot of good, old-fashioned, absolutely crazy fun.

The plot of "See How They Run" has something to do with an English vicar's wife whose ex-boyfriend, an American soldier, comes to town and dresses in the vicar's clothes so that he can take her out on an off-limits "date."

Meanwhile, her vicar husband is knocked silly by an escaped Russian spy, who also dresses as the vicar to conceal his identity. Meanwhile, a fat lady who has a crush on the vicar gets more than a little tipsy at the vicarage.

Meanwhile, the bishop comes to visit. Meanwhile, the vicar, clad in his underwear, and the drunken lady are locked into a closet together. Meanwhile, a cockney maid has her eye on the English vicar's wife's American soldier ex-boyfriend. Meanwhile...

Whoever cast cast Maggie Sergas as Ida, the zany cockney maid, should give her a pat on the back. With a kind of wide-eyed, Sally Field-like style, she's near-perfect in the role — and seems to be having the time of her life. Her accent is remarkably good, she's a real treat to watch and to listen to, and besides that, you'll love her hat.

Patricia LaFramboise as the plumbly Miss Skillion gets most of the big laughs in "See How They Run" — deservedly so. She strikes just the right note of comical helplessness as the sloshed-on-sherry parishioner. She also appears totally comfortable in her role.

BUT, IF YOU'RE confused, not to worry, for the plot is decidedly not all-

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# Players effort creates winner

Performances of the Spotlight Players production of "Death of a Salesman" continue at 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday at John Glenn Auditorium, 36105 Marquette, west of Wayne Road, Westland. Tickets are \$3.50 for adults, \$2.50 for students younger than 18 and persons 62 and older. For further information, call 729-6435.

Due to some thoughtful direction, credible acting and effective behind-the-scenes support, the Wayne-Westland Spotlight Players' presentation of Arthur Miller's "Death of a Salesman" is a real success.

At 63, Loman has not only lost his youth but also his job, his son's respect and his hold on reality. His dream has slowly, but surely, become a larger-than-life nightmare.

# Characters are zany

DIRECTOR Bob Weibel has done a fine job with pacing, and the lively cast seems to have been well-coached in the matter of timing — always critical to the success of a comedy — and especially so in a farce.

# upcoming things to do

- PLYMOUTH SYMPHONY: The Water Music Suite by Handel...
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Sometimes, they're lucky. I've recently returned from an area and have a gold mine of information for them to excavate.

I usually have something to give them: a few guide books, an old column from my file, something that came in the mail.

What also happens, however, is that both my friends and I discover how much other people know about travel. Bring the subject up at a cocktail party, or check an out-of-date magazine, and little nuggets come to the surface like magic.

I went through this little information-gathering process with friends from Farmington Hills recently, and it has occurred to me that we might take it a step further. You might have the information they need. Why not swap information?

THE DESTINATION in this case was Los Angeles. We were enjoying a holiday drink with friends, when they began to talk about an upcoming trip to California.

Where should they stay? Should they try to go north as far as San Francisco, or even on into Northern California, or should they stay around the Los Angeles area and go south?

We haven't traveled the L.A. area since 1978, so our information wasn't very up-to-date, but we had a few thoughts. Bed-and-breakfast accommodations were read about... A remembered Sunday morning at Venice Beach... A friend who stayed at an inn south of the city.

We have a few guide books on our travel shelf. I write the Michigan chapters for Fodor's Guides, so that is always there. I have a copy of Fisher's Annotated Travel Guide to California.

BOB FISHER — immediate past president of the Society of American Travel Writers — launched his new guide book series two or three years ago, with a new twist. His writers give personally-experienced information, and he adds his own notes in the guide-book margins so the reader gets more than just the usual factual information that you would expect in a guide book.

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At that moment, I remembered an article that Mary Augusta Rodgers wrote for this page in 1982. It was about a drive north from Los Angeles through Santa Barbara and Big Sur to San Francisco. Our friends would have to check, because these places mentioned might not be still in business, but there were a few valuable names in the old clipping I found in my file.

In Santa Barbara, there was The Bath St. Inn, an 1873 Victorian house, and restaurants called Norbert's, Penelope's, the Elegant Farmer, Hobey Baker's. A lunch stop at the Cafe Roma in San Luis Obispo north of Big Sur. Ventura, about 30 miles from Carmel, in the foothills of the Santa Lucia mountains, where they found "redwood buildings clustered around a central lodge with a huge stone fireplace. Forty bedrooms, a nice restaurant... A small hotel called the Berezford in California.

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I also have a book called "How To Get Lost And Found in California and Other Places" by John McDermott of Hawaii (Waikiki) Publishing Co., Inc. 1441 Kapiolani Blvd., Honolulu, Hawaii 96814. John and his wife, Bobby, have done books about Australia, New Zealand and other places.

Well that was a first step. If my friends hadn't borrowed these books from me, they could have borrowed good guidebooks from the library.

Our son and daughter-in-law lived in Los Angeles while they were going to school so they know how to stretch a dollar across that large sometimes-unfriendly city.

Our son suggested a restored hotel across from what used to be Grauman's and is now Mann's Chinese Theater on Hollywood Boulevard. The Rooftop? Someone else at the party suggested Inns available on the coast, but he couldn't remember the names.

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My mailbox also had information about a service called Hollywood Location which publishes a listing every weekday morning at 9 a.m. that tells you exactly where and when the movie stars are filming that day and night on the streets of L.A. The list is made up with "custom large-scale maps" for \$19 from offices at 8644 Wilshire Blvd., in Beverly Hills. Only you know whether its worth such a hefty price to find movie stars at work on the streets.

The question is: How many of you have good information about Los Angeles and environs that would help my friends and as well other travelers going to California? I am seriously considering using a regular space on this page for information swapping.

If you have information you'd like to give other travelers about Los Angeles, send it to me pronto c/o the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150.

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I found a brochure on the Ambrose Pierce House, a bed-and-breakfast inn at 1515 Main St., St. Helena, CA 94574. (707) 962-3003. That's in the Napa Valley area north of San Francisco. That reminded me that Andrea Wojack of

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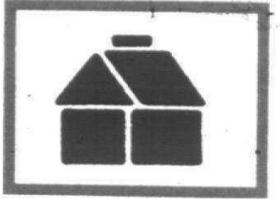
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## exhibitions

### DETROIT ARTISTS MARKET

Through Friday, Feb. 8 — A two-man exhibition of paintings by Sheldon Iden and Charles McGee is running. Iden and McGee are well-known Michigan artists whose work is included in many private and public collections. A catalog will be published in conjunction with the exhibition. Also on display is an Upper Gallery show of work by Lee Bale of Birmingham, Adam Thomas of Detroit, James Pujdowski of Hamtramck and Bob Vandervennet of Detroit. The Detroit Artists Market is located at 1452 Randolph, Harmonie Park. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday. Phone 962-0337.

### MICHIGAN-DEARBORN

Through Sunday, March 3 — Paintings by Detroit area artist Russell Keeter are on display in the UM-D library lounge. Keeter, professor of fine arts at the Center for Creative Studies in Detroit, is exhibiting 14 of his most recent works, which range from portraits to landscapes and are noted for their boldness and large size. His largest work is included. Keeter's art has been displayed in Pennsylvania, the Carolinas, Indiana, Ohio and Michigan. He studied at the Ringling School of Art in Florida and the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts, where he taught before coming to Detroit. UM-D is on Evergreen between Michigan Avenue and Ford Road, opposite the Fairlane Town Center. Hours are 8 a.m. to 11 p.m. Monday through Thursday, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Friday, 1-6 p.m. Saturday and 1-11 p.m. Sunday.

### SELO/SHEVEL GALLERY

Friday, Feb. 8 — Michigan Ceramics '85, the annual statewide juried exhibition sponsored by the Michigan Potter's Association, opens with a reception for the artists 5:30-7:30 p.m., at which awards totaling \$1,500 will be presented. The works will be on display through March 2. First prize funds for the show are available through a grant from the Michigan Foundation for the Arts. The gallery is at 329 S. Main, Ann Arbor. Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday, except Friday, when it is open until 9 p.m. Phone 761-6263.

### DETROIT HISTORICAL MUSEUM

Friday, Feb. 8 — "Black Women in Michigan, 1785-1985," a new exhibition, opens with a champagne reception and program, 6-9 p.m. The exhibit will focus on the community activism of historical and contemporary black women from Michigan, such as Sojourner Truth, Rosa Parks, Dr. Ethlene Crockett and Mother Charlezetta Waddles. Featured on the opening program are Carmen Harlan of WDIV-TV, Deputy Chief of Police Jim Ingram, Dr. Bernadine Denning of Detroit Public Schools and Dottie Jones of the UAW. Donations for the program are \$15 per person or \$25 per couple. The museum is on Woodward at Kirby in Detroit's University Cultural Center. Hours are 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday through Sunday. Call 833-1805.

### VENTURE GALLERY

Saturday, Feb. 2 — "Landscape Images" by Tom Krueger continue through Feb. 23. Reception to meet the artist 8 p.m. Saturday. Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, until 9 p.m. Friday, 28235 Southfield, Lathrup Village.

### HABATAT GALLERIES

Saturday, Feb. 2 — Glass sculpture by Steven Weinberg and David R. Huchthausen continues through Feb. 23. Reception 8 p.m. Saturday. Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, Friday until 9 p.m., 28235 Southfield, Lathrup Village.

### HOOPERMAN GALLERY

Saturday, Feb. 2 — Group of Michigan painters known as "The Art Exchange" are showing their work at the gallery through the month. Reception to meet the 13 artists 1-3 p.m. Saturday. Hours are 10:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 155 S. Bates, Birmingham.

### KINGSWOOD GALLERY

Monday, Feb. 4 — "Three Dimensional Collages" by Jean R. Beach will be on exhibit through the month. Beach has shown widely throughout the Midwest. The gallery is open 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. weekdays, 885 Cranbrook Road, Bloomfield Hills.

### HILBERRY GALLERY

Figurative sculpture in a variety of mediums by an equally wide list of contemporary artists continues through the month. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 585 S. Woodward, Birmingham.

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# Inviting Designer makes sorority elegant

By Mary Klemic  
staff writer

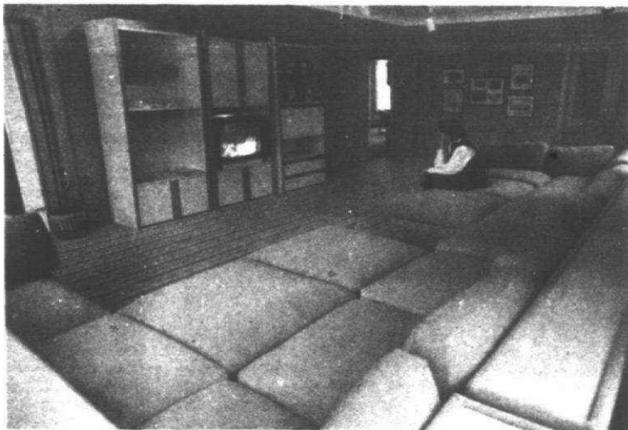
More than 60 persons live in the stately house at 1322 Hill in Ann Arbor. It features various rooms for sitting and/or entertaining, among them a television room, a music room and what its residents call a clock room.

You might think it would be intimidating to redecorate such a large house. But when that task was presented to Livonia resident Carol Fenzan after fire damaged it last September, she took it in stride.

FENZAN, AN interior designer who is a consultant for Honeywell's corporate offices in Southfield, often undertakes this kind of challenge. A member of Alpha Gamma Delta, a national sorority with 132 chapters, she is called upon to travel around the country decorating sorority houses. The Hill building houses the Alpha Beta chapter of the Alpha Gamma Delta sorority at the University of Michigan.

"I wanted just a warm, inviting, elegant look," said Fenzan, who works out of Lifestyle Decors in Livonia, her own business. "We usually do that with most of our houses."

"Usually, I tour the other houses (on a campus) just to get a feeling. Different parts of the country have little different tastes. At the University of Georgia, they had oriental rugs and a crystal chandelier. I finished a suite last fall at Miami University in Ohio.



The television room takes a contemporary design with modular seating, track lighting, special shelves and decorations. It is one of the most popular rooms in the sorority house.

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Fenzan works with a house association board as well, she adds.

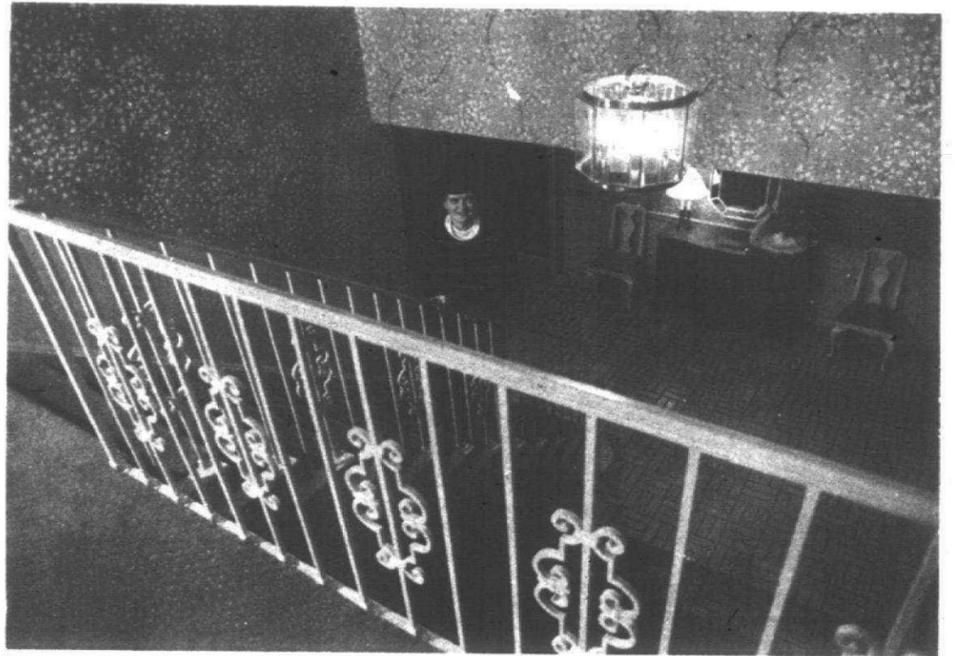
THE ANN ARBOR sorority house is a study in charm and comfort. Most of its rooms are decorated with flowered wallpaper and taupe, blue and other soft colors.

"We're very pleased," said Farmington Hills resident Marion Brewer, a member of the house association.

The television room — "the favorite room in the house," Fenzan says — is furnished in contemporary style. A large modular sofa sprawls under track lights. A macrame piece, custom-made from California, hangs on the wall. Shelf units were added.

"It was covered in a velvet before. So impractical," Fenzan said of the furniture.

FENZAN TOOK out the tile floor and yellow and green in the dining room and installed carpeting, colorful flowered wallpaper and an antique



Photos by ART EMANUELE/staff photographer

Carol Fenzan walks from the foyer of the sorority house to the second floor. The lighting, wallpaper, carpeting and wrought iron railing are all part of the redecorating Fenzan did on a three-month deadline.

light fixture from a Ford estate. "This is much more quiet for dining," she said.

The living room is more formal than the television room. It is decorated in blue and tan, and features a fireplace. A loveseat and six chairs are placed in two separate arrangements. This room is similar to the smaller "clock room," which contains a grandfather's clock.

A piano identifies the music room, which also contains a high-low table that easily can be changed from a card table to a coffee table and back again.

FENZAN IS "really pleased" with the foyer at the front entrance, she says. Here, a large ceramic swan poses on a chest, the flowers in its back arranged to resemble the flower pattern on the wallpaper.

Flowers even are found in the coatroom, where the wallpaper has a pattern of irises.

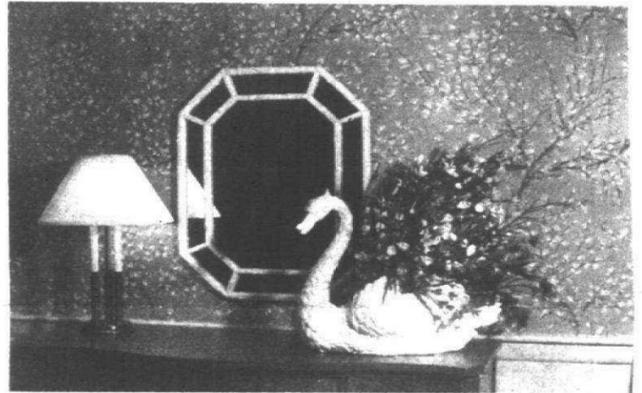
A white wrought-iron railing and dotted carpeting lead to the second floor, where bedrooms are located.

New carpeting and lighting were installed in the second floor hallway, and new sheer curtains placed in the bedrooms. All the rooms and closets were painted.

THE FIRE started in a third-floor bathroom, according to Fenzan. Water seeped downward, its weight pulling down the ceiling in one room and loosening the tile.

"One thing led to another," Fenzan said.

"It really wasn't burned down to the ground, but there was smoke and water damage."



The flowers in the swan vase repeat the pattern in the wallpaper, adding a subtle and elegant touch to the foyer at the main entrance of the sorority house.

The hardest part of the job was having the work completed before the residents returned on Jan. 5, according to Fenzan. An open house was scheduled for Jan. 27.

"We were on a three-month schedule to do the entire house," she said. "And it was during the Christmas season so it was very hectic."

THE ANN ARBOR structure was built in 1923 to house 18. A fire damaged it in 1930, and the following year it was rebuilt and a new front added. In

1945, the house next to it was purchased, and 12 years later the two were architecturally joined to form one large house. It now has the capacity for 75 persons.

Work on sorority houses takes up a lot of Fenzan's time, she says. The week of the open house in Ann Arbor, Fenzan was to head to the University of Illinois. But she also is decorating private homes, including one in Grosse Pointe.

"Each house is different and a challenge, which is fun," Fenzan said.

## Infrequent shoppers will find exciting items

This is another in a series of lessons on art and drawing by special columnist David Messing. He has taught for eight years and operates an art store, Art Store and More, 18774 Middlebelt, Livonia. Messing encourages questions and comments from readers. You may write him at his store or c/o Observer Newspapers, 23352 Farmington Road, Farmington MI 48024.



By David Messing  
special writer

I am a living contradiction; I write, but rarely read, I own a store and yet I never go shopping. First of all, I am not good at comparing prices and second of all, I am a jinx!

For example, you would never want to get behind me in a line at a cash register or in any line for that matter. Like at the bank, one line seems to really be moving along so I think, "that's the line for me" and it continues to move fast until the person ahead of me gets to the window.

Then he or she pulls out a money order from Tahiti or tries to cash some check drafted against the First National Bank of Borneo. Of course the whole bank shuts down as all the tellers all study the transac-

## artifacts

tion just ahead of me. I swear I bought my house faster than some people take at the window in a bank. But I must say a shopping mall is where I really lose it.

For the third time ever, I went with Sandy and the boys to the Fairlane Center. "Oh wow," I said as we entered this multilevel maze of stores. Everyone, shoulder to shoulder, with eyes fixed straight ahead, seemed to know just where they were headed. Sandy jumped into the main stream and shouted, "You guys follow me."

WE DID, like a mother duck with all her ducklings trailing behind. At the first sign of boredom, Sandy said, "You guys go look around the mall, I'll meet you in front of Lord & Taylor's in two hours." So the boys and I kind of sauntered around with a "Where is Lord & Taylor's?" look on our face. I saw a cute little coffee shop that looked down at it or down looking up at it. In frustration I said, "Well, boys, I guess you just can't get there from here wherever here is."

To make a long story short, I was never so glad to see my wife, it seemed like we were there at least six hours. I promised myself never to look bored while shopping again.

few new or unusual items you may not have seen:

This week I received a call inquiring about "Acrylic board" by Crescent. Since I wasn't aware of what it was, I asked Chuck, the Crescent representative, to fill me in. When I told him that the caller was having a hard time finding it, he said it was no wonder because it isn't called acrylic board anymore. Lintex is Crescent's new name for it as the texture is like a fine linen.

LINTEX IS like a heavy-duty illustration board which comes in a 30-by-40 size. So it can easily be cut to any size and its texture is pleasantly less definite than canvas. Lintex is also good for any media and not only for acrylics, hence the name change.

Crescent's latest item is black process board. This board is excellent for photographers who like to only mount their photos for their portfolio. On one side is Raven black which has a slight texture and on the other side is 921 which is very smooth black. The core of this board is also black so however you cut it you always have a black mounting board.

Did you know there is an illustration board which is acid free? This board is double thick and has a wonderful texture for water color. Before I leave the Crescent line, did you know that there is such a thing as "charco-board"? This board comes in white, tan and moss green.

It has a nice, fine sharp tooth for all media, but it is especially great for charcoals and pastels. A 32 inch by 40 inch sells for \$2.85.

Did you ever have to draw or cut a great big circle? There is a "neat" little gadget called (take a breath) a "yardstick beam compass and cutter." It is merely two metal holders that clamp into a yard stick or any similar size straight edge. All you do is set it at the radius you desire and insert either a pencil lead or a razor point. It sells for \$3.50.

SOMETIMES a fluorescent light seems too blue or bright and then again incandescent (light bulb) seems too red or dim. There is now a combination light that offers you one or the other or both at the same time. So if you are getting eyebags from squinting or headaches from dim lighting then consider a "duo-lamp." It sells for \$109.

If you want perfectly inked circles and you are tired of having ink gush out of your ruling pen compass then buy a tech-pen adapter. This little black ring fits into your compass and supports any size technical pen. Cross my heart, it produces perfect circles for \$2.50.

Well, I have run out of room so the Artfolks I received this week will be in next week's column. Don't forget to send your helpful hints to the Art Store & More and write somewhere on the envelope "Artfolks" or simply call me at 476-2296.

exhibitions

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CRANBROOK ACADEMY OF ART MUSEUM

Tuesday, Feb. 5 — Three major exhibits are on at the same time: "Duane Hanson Sculptures," a group of life-size sculptures of the wonderful people who fill our everyday lives inhabit the main gallery through March 3. "Gary S. Griffin Recent Works In Steel" contains 20 major, imaginative works by the new artist-in-residence in the metal-smithing department. Continues through April 7. The third "Architecture in Silver," is sterling silver services by 11 well-known architects who have a lot of fun in a different medium than they're used to. Museum hours are 1-5 p.m. Tuesday-Sunday, 500 Lone Pine, Bloomfield Hills.

SARKIS GALLERIES

Wednesday, Feb. 6 — "The Indignant Artist" features works by some of the world's most outstanding "statement makers." Continues through February. Gallery hours are 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday-Friday, Denter for Creative Studies, 245 E. Kirby, Detroit.

BLOOMFIELD TOWNSHIP LIBRARY

Works of an on-handmade paper by Linda Cohn Golden of West Bloomfield are on display through the month. In addition to the framed works, there's a display of the history of papermaking that goes along with the art. Golden's whose studio is with Phoenix Impres-

DETROIT GALLERY OF CONTEMPORARY CRAFTS

Selection of ceramics, sculpture, fiber and jewelry by gallery regulars and guest exhibitors will be on display through February. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 903 N. Main, Royal Oak.

DETOIT GALLERY OF CONTEMPORARY CRAFTS

Crafts using a heart motif, jewelry,

perfume bottles, paperweights and ceramics are on display through Feb. 16. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Saturday, 301 Fisher Building, Detroit.

TOWN CENTER GALLERY

Paintings by Robert Johnson continue through Feb. 17. Opening reception 6-9 p.m. Friday. Hours are noon to 6 p.m. Wednesday-Saturday and noon to 3 p.m. Sundays, 422 W. Willis at Cass, Detroit.

HILL GALLERY

Group show which continues through March 2 includes works by Louise Bourgeois, Mark diSuvero, Arshile Gorky, Raoul Hague, Michael Heizer, Willem deKooning, Martin Puryear, Tony Smith, Cy Twombly and Jay Wolley. 183 Townsend, Birmingham.

MEADOW BROOK ART GALLERY

"Chinese Art from Private Collections in Michigan" features a broad range of art works selected by a panel of scholars and art curators. Includes porcelain, pottery, jades, sculpture, bronzes, paintings, calligraphies and decorative arts. Done in cooperation with Michigan Council for the Arts, the Chinese American Educational and Cultural Center of Michigan, Michigan Oriental Art Society and Meadow Brook Art Gallery. Continues through February. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 903 N. Main, Royal Oak.

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YAW GALLERY

"The Teapot and The Cup" is an exhibit of works on a theme by 15 different artists. Also showing are Indian Quilt Covers by Linnari Lakshia and Weathervanes by Jonathan Graham Bonner. Continues through Feb. 13. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 550 N. Woodward, Birmingham.

DONALD MORRIS GALLERY

"Men With Bowler Hats" by Lester Johnson will continue through Feb. 23. This group is from his work spanning the years 1969-1971 and includes two 16-by-14-foot diptychs and three self-portraits. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 105 Townsend, Detroit.

UNIVERSITY OF WINDSOR

"Numbers in Retrospect," by Mary

urday, 3000 Town Center, Suite 45, Southfield.

UPPER CLASH GALLERY

Retrospective of oils, watercolors and drawings by the late Harold Cohen are on display through Feb. 16. Cohen was a well-respected Michigan painter who did still life, figure and landscapes. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday at 415 Walnut, Rochester.

HALSTED GALLERY

Photographs by Balhazar Korab will be on display through March 16. Korab, known internationally for his architectural photographs, his occasionally indulges himself by choosing subjects purely for their appeal to him. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 560 N. Woodward, Birmingham.

IRVING FELDMAN GALLERIES

A suite of 14 lithographs on Japon paper by Joan Miro, "La Melodie Acide," is on display through February. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Saturday, 550 N. Woodward, Birmingham.

TOWN CENTER GALLERY

Fantasy Stick Sculptures, wall figures and Fantasy Busts by Chicago area sculptor, James Ebert continue through January. Prints by gallery regulars Azoulay, Schurr, Gibson and Gardner. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Monday-Friday, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, 3000 Town Center, Suite 45, Southfield.

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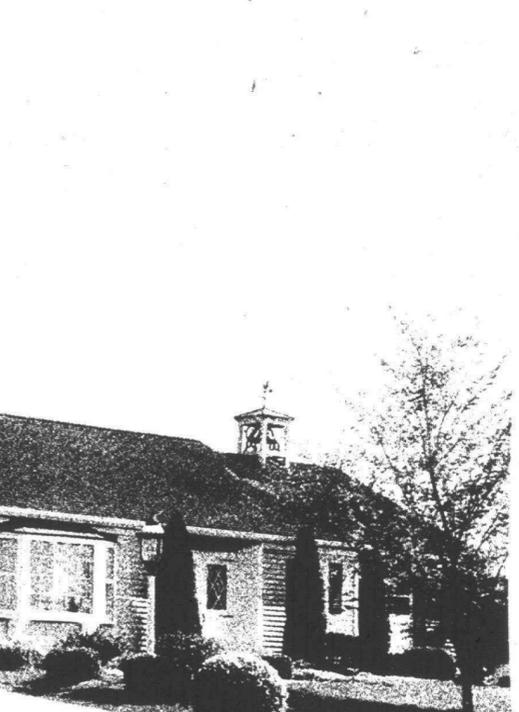
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**BEAUTIFUL SIESTA KEY** Sarasota luxury condo. White sand beach. 2 bedroom, 2 bath, fully furnished. Call Collect Ask for PH. 813-349-2001

**BOCA RATON**, elegant oceanfront 2 bedroom, 2 bath, fully furnished. Beautifully furnished. Feb. 15 to Apr. 15 \$4450 or any longer period. 661-1523

**CONDO on Golf 2 Bedrooms**, optional 3rd bedroom, St. Petersburg area, 13 or 15-20 or 20-27. Beautifully furnished luxury Call Joe #12, 642-8122

**DELRAY BEACH** The Hamlet Court Club Spacious 2 bedroom condo on first floor, completely furnished. Available Feb. 1 thru Apr. 3, 1985. Call Mon. thru Fri. 9AM-5PM. 588-5141

**FLORIDA WESTCOAST** vacation rentals from \$45 day/\$350 week/\$1000 mo. Sugarhill Woods & Burrell Store Marina. Also lots, homes & condos available for purchase. Visit this winter & try before you buy. Suncoast Investment Properties **Plymouth - 455-5810** 1-800-874-6470

**PT MEYERS BEACH CONDOS** 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, all amenities, golf, tennis. Pictures available. 652-4834 or 879-1936

**TAMPA** Saddlebrook Golf & tennis resort. Fully furnished 3 bedroom condo on fairway. After April 4th, Pools, spa, dining. Special rates. Call 357-4850

**VENICE** - Plantation Golf & Country Club. Rent or sell. Lovely 2 bedroom, 2 bath condo on golf course. Available April on. 313-591-1145

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**LONGBOAT KEY** (Sarasota), directly on Gulf. Beautiful 3 bedroom condo, tennis courts, 1 swimming pool, magnificent beach. \$1600 bi-weekly. \$2600 per month. Lower rates off-season. 644-4332

**MARCO ISLAND** - Beautiful & newly furnished condo, in new building on golf with golf view, sleeps 6. Pool, tennis courts, beautiful beaches. 643-8971

**MARCO ISLAND FLORIDA** Beachfront condo rental! Week or month 1-800-237-4377 See O&E Rentals Inc. N. Collier Blvd. Marco Island, Florida, 33937

**Marco Island** On The Gulf of Mexico

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**MARCO ISLAND** Private home, completely furnished 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, beautiful private beach. 675-9065 or 676-9222

**MARCO ISLAND** - "Sea Winds" golf-front beach, 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, beautiful view. Call for brochures. 853-4492. Even. 852-4593

**MARCO ISLAND**, South Sea West-11 on Golf. 2 bedroom, 2 bath, decorator furnished, all amenities. Weekly, monthly. Call after 5pm. 643-2237

**MARCO ISLAND** Two 2 bedroom condos, 1 lightbulb on beach, 1 garden Condo, completely furnished. Call 277-8239

**MARCO ISLAND** Luxury beachfront condo, 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, pool, tennis, boat dock. Cable TV, low weekly/monthly rates. 643-2502

**MARCO ISLAND** South Sea West, 2 bedroom, 2 bath, beautiful furnished, all amenities. Weekly, monthly. Mid-April-Apr. 31 535-5250

**NAPLES** - Sunny Florida, 3 bedroom, 2 baths, screened balcony, completely furnished, pool, close to beach. Monthly. 643-7327

**NAPLES**, 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, furnished close to airport & golf course view. Convenient to shopping. Golf beach 3 month minimum. \$1500 month. 516-7168

**N. PORT MYERS**, lovely 2 bedroom, 2 bath condo on executive golf course. Pool & tennis courts. Excellent location. After 6pm. 512-2772

**ORLANDO** - Disney Epcot. New 2 bedroom 2 bath condo, furnished, pool, jacuzzi, golf, available Feb. 1 thru 14 and after Apr. 5. 474-5154 or 478-8778

**ORLANDO** near Disney World. Apr. 6-13 or 13-20 or 20-27. Beautifully furnished condo, sleeps 4, Pool, tennis courts, etc. \$600 weekly. 642-8072

**RENTAL RENTAL** Condominium at Plantation Golf Country Club, Venice, Florida. 3 bedroom, on the first green, and near Gulf beaches. 878-7393

**SADLERBACK GOLF** and Tennis Resort. Near Tampa. Available March, April, May. 878-5797

**SIESTA KEY** - Excellent beach to bay luxury condominium. 1600 sq. ft., 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 1 week minimum, available Feb. 1 thru Mar. 1985. \$253 week. Evenings 455-9791

**SIESTA KEY, SARASOTA** 2 bedroom, 2 bath luxury condo directly on Gulf Pool, tennis, great beach. Available April. 644-7054

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**JUPITOR-Oceanwalk**, luxury single family 1 bedroom, 2 bath, fully furnished, private pool & yard, 300 steps to ocean, 1 mile from Surf Bicycles Theater. \$2,800 a mo. Available Feb. & Mar. Call after 5pm 546-2346

**415 Vacation Rentals** Abandon Your Hunt - All Areas **REPERAL SERVICES FOR Tenants & Landlords** SHARE LISTINGS. 642-1820

**ACULPULCO** - Private beach estate. Beachfront condo - hotel & villa. All with pool, maid service, excellent location. Also time sharing. 636-9959

**HIGHLANDS** - 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, natural fireplace, all appliances. Special Feb. & March weekend rates. Days, 533-8550 Even. 895-6361

**BOYNE HIGHLANDS** - Condo & cottage, in Harbor Springs. Condo sleeps 4, fireplace, 1 1/2 baths. Cottage sleeps 4, fully equipped. After 5pm 852-5129

**BOYNE MT. SKI ACCOMMODATIONS** 5 bedroom home available. Price according to time & number in the party. Call 313-658-7350

**BOYNE MT. - 3 Bedrooms**, 3 1/2 baths, in fireplace, dishwasher, sleeps 8, great cross country skiing & snowmobiling. Immaculate & reasonable. 644-2729

**COPPER MT. COLORADO** - Luxury 3 bedroom Condo. 75 yards from Ski Lift. Also ski four other areas. Days, 647-2905 even and weekend 643-8941

**GAYLORD** - private Hidden Valley lake front chalet near Otsego Ski Club, Sylvan Knob, 30 minutes from Boyne Mt. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, shuffle board and all amenities. Glassed, sandy, Sandy or Bill 1-917-723-6464

**HARBOR COVE** Luxury Condo, Harbor Springs. 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, view of lake & Nubs. 852-4593

**HARBOR SPRINGS-PTOSKEY** 3 bedroom, 2 bath condo, fireplace, fully equipped kitchen, garage. Sleeps 4-4. Indoor pool, jacuzzi, sauna. 545-5929

**HARBOR SPRINGS**, 3 bedroom Condo, fully furnished. Near Boyne Highlands & Nubs. Nob. Call Tom, 733-2926

**HARBOR SPRINGS** - Potoskey Lake-side Club townhouse, 3 bedrooms, 3 baths. Indoor pool, sauna, jacuzzi. Days 643-2336 or evening 568-2782

**HARBOR SPRINGS**, new 3 bedroom, 4 bath house. Downtown view of Bay View. Close to restaurants. Weekend of Feb. 8 only 644-7826

**HARBOR SPRINGS** - Home, fully furnished 4 bedrooms, heated bank on water. Min. 3 days. \$150 per day or \$700 per week plus damage. 313-426-2867

**HARBOR SPRINGS** close to town & skiing. Beautifully equipped 2 bedroom, 2 bath home with fireplace. Call Tom, 644-1141

**HARBOR SPRINGS/Potoskey Area** Enjoy a ski week or weekend at a completely furnished, luxurious condo. Sleeps 8 Days, 645-9218 or evenings 558-7285

**HARBOR SPRINGS**, Harbor Cove. Special (By owner) rates for winter ski vacations. Luxury condo, fully equipped, sleeps 9 days 645-9409 even and weekend ends before 9pm. 281-1802

**HIGGINS LAKE** - log cabin, 100 ft. frontage, dock & beach, 4 bedrooms & 2 bath. Fireplace, porch, 1 1/2 acres. Call 517-366-5633

**HILTON HEAD** - Available now for 1985 season. Luxury villa on golf course. Prime location - walk to ocean, tennis, golf clubhouse. Sleeps 7. 335-8466

**HILTON HEAD PLEASANT COVE** Resort. 2 bedroom, 2 bath villa. Close to ocean. 2 car garage. 2 swimming pools. Free tennis, racquetball. 335-8466

**HILTON HEAD ISLAND**, oceanfront Villa. 1 bedroom, sleeps 6. Beach, 10 lighted tennis courts, pool, bikes, golf. Spring rates \$1,485. After 4 471-1145

**HILTON HEAD ISLAND** Palmetto Dunes, 3 bedroom, 3 1/2 baths. 1 1/2 acres - bikes. Available weekly. Call collect. (312) 381-9231

**HILTON HEAD**, oceanfront one bedroom, 2 car garage. Escape Winter, start golf season early. 313-626-1178

**HILTON HEAD**, 2 bedroom, 2 bath. Beautifully furnished. Sleeps 6. Beach, tennis, pool. June 1 thru 8th. 335-2520

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**HOMESTEAD** - Luxury Lakefront Condo, 1 bedroom, 1 bathroom, or deluxe gourmet, on Lake Michigan. Fireplace, great view, cross country & down hill skiing. Reduced. 545-2892

**HOMESTEAD RESORT** - Glen Arbor. Spacious luxury 1 1/2 bedroom accommodations. Ski & summer season, reserved pool, preferred dates. Owner. 553-9666

**KIWAH ISLANDS**, Carolina. Select 1 1/2 bedroom accommodations in choice locations. Pam Harrington, Exclusive. 1-800-845-8966

**POTOSKEY - HARBOR SPRINGS** SKI MICHELAN'S NORTH COUNTRY LAKESIDE CLUB CONDO. Completely furnished, luxury 2 bedroom, 2 bath with loft, & townhouse minutes of the area finest ski resort. Cross country from your door on ocean side. Lake. 313-477-1734

**POOL/SPA facility**. Rent by the weekend, week, month or season. 453 E. Lake St., Potoskey, MI 49778 616-347-3572 616-347-7890

**POTOSKEY - HARBOR SPRINGS** Spring Lake Club Condo. Ski North Michigan, 2 bedrooms, 3 bedrooms. Full kitchen available. 616-347-1588 617-321-4248 or 617-321-2390

**SHANTY CREEK/Schum Mountain** Deluxe Ski Chalet, sleeps 12. Fireplace, panoramic view. Call for brochure & color photo. 877-1943

**SKI ACCOMMODATIONS** Michigan's most luxurious resort. Condominium Townhouses are located on beautiful Lake Umbagog. Near Boyne Mt. & Boyne Highlands. Ice skating & cross country skiing available on property. 617-321-4248 or 617-321-2390

**WILDWOOD** WALLACE LAKE, MI 49794 800-432-9290

**SKI BOYNE HIGHLANDS** - Harbor Springs. 4 bedroom, 2 bath cottage with fireplace. Week or weekend. Call Tom, 733-2926

**SKI BOYNE HIGHLANDS/Nubs Nob** Beautiful 3 bedroom Condo. Fully equipped. Lined included. Fireplace. Spectacular view. 681-2799

**SKI CHALETS** - deluxe 3 bedrooms, 3 baths. Fireplace, excellent view of Boyne Highlands & Nubs Nob. For information call & ask for Tom or Shawn. 616-347-3572

**SKIERS** - 2 bedroom cottage on W. Grand Traverse Bay, sleeps all conveniences. Week or weekend. Call Plymouth 430-0349

**SKI VAIL** 3 bedrooms, 3 baths - 3 year old beautifully decorated condo. Take shuttle 1 mile to gondola \$200 day. 313-682-5243

**SNOWMASS COLORADO** - The ultimate skiing vacation. Step out of your room - into your skis. Walk to finest restaurants, shops. Sleeps 4-6. 800-450-6505

**Vacation Home Rentals AT LAKES OF THE NORTH** Deluxe accommodations. Snowmobiling/X-country skiing. 1 major ski resorts nearby. Ice skating, fishing, tubing, boating. Club House/Indoor pool. Hot tub, sauna & fireplace units available. Call Sheri, 616-585-4100

**VAIL** - Scenic townhouse on Gore Creek in East Vail 2 bedrooms, sleeping loft, 2 bath, fireplace, porch. Free shuttle to Village and slopes. 852-2424

**WILL TRADE** use of beautiful (4) bedroom, 2 1/2 bath home in lovely suburb near Vail. Enjoy the winter activities in our area. Downhill skiing, cross-country skiing & snowmobiling. 618-843-7754

**WINTER FUN** - stay at Scenic Hill Motel, Benala, 25 miles N.W. of Traverse City. Enjoy the winter activities in our area. Downhill skiing, cross-country skiing & snowmobiling. 618-843-7754

**416 Halls For Rent** LIVONIA Daniel A. Lord & C. 2 baths, 100 sq. ft. kitchen, A/C, central air, conditioning. Rental for all occasions. Al Zinger 644-0500 0427-3545

**V. F. W. HALL** FOR ALL OCCASIONS (E. of Middlebelt) Air Conditioned - Lighted Parking - Large Kitchen 474-6733

**420 Rooms For Rent** Abandon Your Hunt - All Areas **WE GUARANTEE TO OFFER "QUALIFIED PEOPLE"** SHARE LISTINGS. 642-1820

**BLOOMFIELD HILLS** - furnished, private room in lovely home. Non-smoking. \$250/mo. 647-8213

**FARMINGTON** area, large room and bath for lady senior citizen. New house in Farmington. Kitchen privileges. 477-4400

**LARGE ROOM** in private West Bloomfield home. Lounge chair, phone tie-in, writing table. \$245 monthly. References & security deposit required. 628-9024

**NORTHVILLE**, lovely sleeping room, share a bath \$35 a week plus deposit. 549-9495

**ONE** room, second floor, with home privileges. 728-4340

**ROCHESTER**, kitchen privileges, single, mature, working person. \$49 per week, security required. 651-3236, 623-8573

**ROOM** for rent - Twelve Oaks area. Private home, kitchen privileges. Gentleman preferred. 624-9049

**SOUTHFIELD**, room with full home privileges, employed male, \$215 month, share with 1 1/2 students. \$200 plus bus campus. After 5pm. 644-8731

**WEST BLOOMFIELD** furnished room in the country with private bath & kitchen privileges. \$45 per week. 682-9737

**WESTLAND** - nicely furnished room in private home, light kitchen privileges. \$45/week. Security required. 596-7384

**421 Living Quarters To Share** Abandon Your Hunt - All Areas **WE GUARANTEE TO OFFER "QUALIFIED PEOPLE"** OUR 9TH YEAR **SHARE 642-1620** 84 S. ADAMS, BIRMINGHAM, MI

**AVAILABLE** Feb. 1 or sooner. Look no further! Super location, 4 ways. Near to downtown Birmingham. 2 1/2 bedrooms, 2 1/2 bathrooms. \$223 includes heat. 459-3047

**BIRMINGHAM AREA**, male would like to share 2 bedroom townhouse, laundry facilities. \$150 per month plus utilities. After 7pm. 549-0151

**BIRMINGHAM** Responsible person wanted to share 2 bedroom home near downtown. \$300 month plus half utilities. After 5pm. 644-8731

**FEMALE** mid 30's to share 2 bedroom flat in downtown Birmingham with share \$250 per month includes heat. Call after 5pm. 642-9453

**FEMALE** WANTED to share nicely furnished, spacious 3 bedroom home. Nice area, 10 Mile & Woodward. Call 542-9453

**FEMALE** WANTED, age 30-40 to share large home in Rochester Hills, \$280 month includes utilities & garage. After 4pm 656-1873

**FEMALE**, 28, recently transferred, seeks female to share 2 bedroom apartment in Lakewood Hills, \$280 month. Includes heat. 540-4143 or 446-1833

**PIVE MILE & Inaker** area. Looking for person to share my home. References & references. Call after 5pm weekdays, after 6pm weekends. 532-5742

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**GENTLEMAN** wishes to share with same beautiful home in fine Pleasant Ridge neighborhood. 399-9644 647-7171

**HOME-MATE SPECIALISTS** Featured on "KELLY & CO." TV 7 All Ages, Occupations & Lifestyles. 644-6845

30555 Southfield Rd., Southfield

I will share my charming Victorian home with homest. Minutes walk to downtown Birmingham. Garage space & private enclosed patio. 540-7990

**LAKE SUBURBAN** city let me find you home fitted for your needs. I can be lonely in an apartment when you can have a home atmosphere. Home's Rent same. Novi area. 313-477-1734

**MALE** 30, seeks mature, straight roommate to share spacious 2 bedroom Southfield apartment. \$242.50/month plus utilities. After 4:30pm. 357-2136

**NEW WEST LIVONIA** home to share. Large bedroom available. \$250 per month includes utilities and use of all facilities. No smokers. 664-2647

**NORTHVILLE** area, lady looking for long term roommate to share my 2 bedroom home. Full home privileges. \$250 month. 349-2143

**PROFESSIONAL FEMALE** wanted to share furnished 2 bedroom apartment. \$180 month. Novi area. 477-4803

**PROFESSIONAL non-smoking male** seeks roommate to share house on 18 mile. \$225 plus utilities. 477-4803

**PROFESSIONAL MAN** to share with same furnished house on beautiful lake near Pine Knob. No smoker. \$240 month plus utilities. 644-2647

**PROFESSIONAL FEMALE** wishes to share 3 bedroom ranch, Troy/Birmingham area. Nice neighborhood. \$200/month plus utilities. 644-5887

**REDFORD** 2 rooms available in basement. Share kitchen & bath. Carpeted, private entrance. Working person preferred. 840 sq. ft. 477-4803

**RENT/MT. ME TOO** Westland apartment. Straight Gent. 50's. \$205 month plus one half utilities. 338-6072

**RESPONSIBLE FEMALE** needs same to share furnished 2 bedroom home. Oak Park. Call after 5pm. 399-4285

**RESPONSIBLE non-smoking female** 27 to share with same 2 bedroom apartment. 1800 sq. ft. on 18 mile. \$207.50 plus 1/2 electric. 681-5843