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Culbert tries new plan to preserve land

A new twist to the farmland preservation issue in Canton could allow voters to get tax credits for any millage they pay to allow the purchase of agricultural land development rights.

But the tax credit plan will need favorable votes from Congress—for

federal income tax credits—or from the state legislature—for state income tax or property tax credits—before it can become a reality.

Supervisor Noel Culbert is in the process of sending letters to Michigan and U.S. representatives outlining his

plan for farmland preservation millage tax credits and asking for their support.

A ballot question asking voters to approve a four-mill increase in local property taxes failed by about 500

votes during the November general election.

If passed, the millage increase would have allowed Canton officials to purchase development rights to agricultural acreage in order to prevent building of subdivisions and industries in that area.

The four mills was expected to be levied over a 20-year period and to raise the some \$15 million needed for the project.

Although the proposal failed at the polls, Culbert believes Canton residents want farmland preservation, but are reluctant to have their property taxes raised to the tune of four mills.

Culbert's plan, as suggested to legislators, is to have some kind of bill passed that would provide people pay-

ing a land preservation millage a credit, or cut, on the rest of their taxes to compensate for the additional amount.

Ideally, both the state and the federal governments would pass bills to allow the practice, Culbert said.

The supervisor said the state would probably save money in the long run because less money would have to be returned to local schools and other state-financed programs if the township limited growth.

The actual response of legislators to the proposal awaits their receipt of the letter, but Culbert expects a favorable reaction.

"This (farmland preservation) has become a national movement," he said.

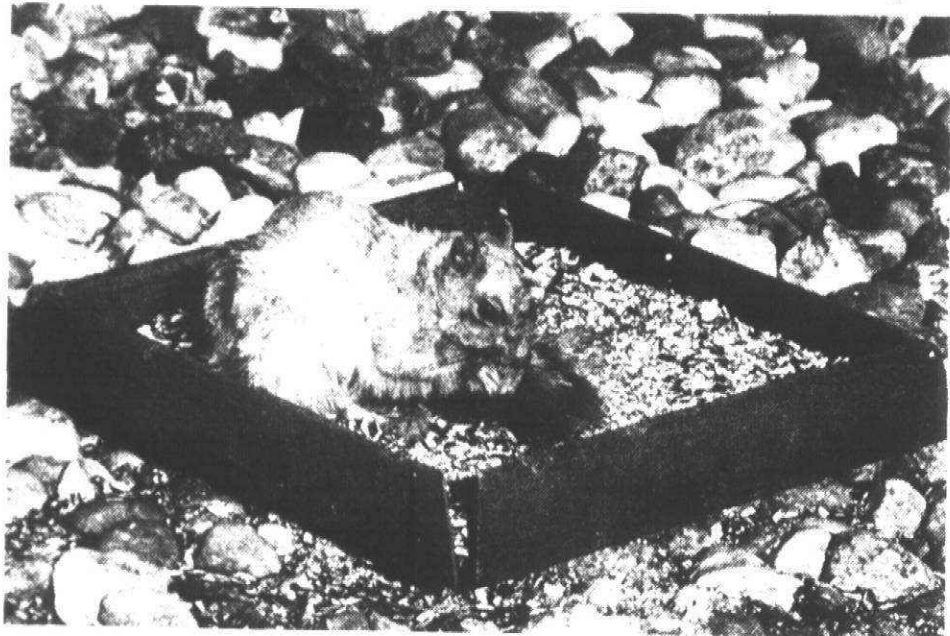
"They're trying similar projects in King County in Washington and Suffolk County in New York, as well as some other places."

Culbert said he plans to have alternative plans for farmland preservation if legislators frown on his proposal.

"But we can only hold on a couple more years, if that," he said.

"I've talked to builders who tell me no one's rushing to develop the western part of Canton (location of most of the land slated for development rights purchase) because the issue is still up in the air."

"By being controversial, the proposal has achieved some growth control."



A meager lunch

Nuts and more nuts from last summer's time of plenty must suffice for this squirrel who scrounges a living near his home at Tonquish Creek. (Staff photo by Gary Caskey)

Violation fines may be hiked

In 1949, most people thought twice before they deliberately violated a non-criminal ordinance in Canton Township.

The penalty then was \$100, a lot of money in the post World War II era.

Other communities have since increased their ordinance penalties, but the Canton fine is still \$100. Ordinance officer Bruce Phillips said many persons pay the fine instead of sticking to the laws.

Canton officials have tried to add more muscle to their laws by increasing the penalty to \$500.

But their efforts have been blocked by what Supervisor Noel Culbert calls "the forgetfulness" of state officials.

ACCORDING TO CULBERT, the penalty can't be increased because the Michigan Legislature failed to amend the state charter township act when it amended state laws governing other units of government in 1969.

Culbert said the amendments allowed all units of government, except charter townships like Canton, to increase penalties for ordinance violations to \$500.

The supervisor said township attorneys discovered the oversight some weeks ago, when he asked them to research the legality of increasing the fines.

"They forgot about us," Culbert said of the Michigan Legislature. "It's incredible that no one ever objected to this before."

Culbert has enlisted the help of State Rep. Tom Brown (D-Westland) to introduce legislation that would enable Canton to increase its ordinance fines.

The supervisor said the increase is essential "to bring Canton out of the dark ages."

Phillips, who is responsible for enforcing township ordinances, agrees.

For instance, he said some builders have refused to comply with an ordinance requiring them to clean streets soiled by construction work because the \$100 fine is so low.

One man, who last year paid a \$100 fine for running a snow removal business from his home, has been ticketed for violating the same ordinance again this year, Phillips said.

Private roads get no-ice law

An ordinance tentatively approved by the Canton Township Board of Trustees could make private roads in mobile home parks and apartment complexes the most ice-free in the township.

The proposed ordinance requires owners of private residential developments to keep streets in their complexes "reasonably clear of snow and ice and safe for vehicular traffic."

If snow and ice are not cleared, the ordinance empowers the township to hire contractors to clear the streets and bill complex owners for the work.

SUPERVISOR NOEL CULBERT said he introduced the ordinance to keep a campaign promise he made to mobile home park residents last summer. The residents—mostly senior citizens—complained that private streets near their homes were clogged with snow during winter months.

Culbert admits that the ordinance will do nothing for snow-bound subdivision residents, however.

The Wayne County Road Commission is responsible for plowing and salting all roads in the township that are not privately owned.

Although the township cannot force the county to clear specific subdivision streets, Culbert said he has requested the road commission to plow major residential roads such as Hanford and Arlington this winter.

Culbert said township employees cannot clear the roads themselves because they lack the equipment.

According to the supervisor, the township could legally require owners of private complexes to plow streets even though it cannot require the county to take the same action.

The Canton board, which has already approved the ordinance for publication, is expected to stamp final approval on the law next week.

Persons interfering with efforts of township-hired contractors to clear private roads of snow and ice would be charged with violating the ordinance. Conviction is a misdemeanor punishable by a maximum \$100 fine and 90 days in jail.



Africa angles

Eight-year-old Kirsta Bloom proudly presents the basket she made as part of a unit on Africa in Cathy Sibert's class at Miller School. (Staff photos by Gary Caskey)



Teacher Cathy Sibert sews 8-year-old Kim Davis into her African headdress.

Score above state on tests

Pupils excel on tests

Plymouth-Canton Community Schools students scored well above the state average on every part of the 1978 Michigan Educational Assessment Program (MEAP).

The statewide assessment tests were given to 2,886 fourth, seventh, and tenth graders here in September.

Both reading and mathematics are tested for all students in Michigan in the state assessment program, which now is in its tenth year.

The tests contain sets of questions to measure students' learning in many different reading and number skill areas.

From 15 to 20 reading objectives and 33 to 45 math objectives are tested.

THE READING AND mathematics tests measure skills which a student should have learned by the time the tests are given.

Each skill is tested with five questions. If the student gives the right answer to four out of five questions, the skill is considered attained.

In the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools this year in all schools and at all three grades tested, more than half the students attained 75 per cent or more of the objectives.

For example, outstanding results were achieved in fourth grade mathematics where in 13 schools 75 per cent or more of the students attained 75 per cent or more of the objectives.

Compared to the state MEAP averages published by the Michigan Department of Education, local students are higher in every skill. In vocabulary, for instance, 82.7 per cent of Plymouth-Canton fourth graders attained the objectives while the state average was 75.7 per cent. In seventh grade here 83.5 per cent achieved the vocabulary objectives compared to 76 per cent statewide.

STATE SCORES for the tenth grade tests, which are new this year, have not yet been published but indications are that sophomores also will exceed state averages.

The range of scores in tenth grade reading here were from 80.7 per cent for vocabulary to 87.4 per cent for study skills.

This year, in a pilot program effort, only 10th graders at Plymouth Canton High took the assessment tests. Plans were for Plymouth Salem High sophomores to take the tests but the district could not obtain enough test papers from the state and had to go with Canton High only.

In mathematics objectives, which covered more specific skills than in the reading, Plymouth-Canton students scored even higher.

More than 90 per cent of the students mastered the objectives in fourth grade pre-number, non-geometric measurement, and geometry; seventh grade, numeration; and tenth grade, integers.

Even in ratio and proportion, where seventh graders all across the state had trouble and only 33 per cent achieved the objectives, Plymouth-Canton students scored at 49 per cent.



Handmade baskets abound in Cathy Sibert's class at Miller School. With their baskets from left are Kirsta Bloom, 8; Robin Offman, 9; and Nancy Lee, 8.

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HOLIDAY DEADLINES

Because of the holidays, the next two Monday editions of your paper will be delivered on Tuesday, December 26 and January 2. Our week is shorter so all advertising and copy deadlines for the issues of Thursday, December 28, and Monday, January 1, will be 24 hours earlier than usual. And the staff of your hometown newspaper extends to you and your family best wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

C & E

Tears say 'No'

A Livonia School District first grader came home recently in tears. She was doing a substantial amount of school work involving Christmas themes, and it conflicted with her own non-Christian background.

The girl, who is Jewish, doesn't know about the U.S. Constitution and its First Amendment prohibition about government establishing a state religion.

But she did realize that something was wrong and countered her Christmas work with drawings of a Hanuka menorah and other Jewish holiday articles.

The Michigan attorney general says recognition of symbols of religious holidays is permitted as part of the overall educational process, "when utilized to promote understanding of their significance but are prohibited when used as the focal point of religious indoctrination."

Frank Kelley, the attorney general, also said part of the issue is in how much religious symbols are involved.

Let's take a look at what this Livonia elementary school girl had to do within a few days:

Observe bulletin boards with Christmas symbols, such as candles, trees and a choir; see a movie in class with a Santa Claus theme; read stories with a Santa theme; prepare for a Christmas music program (not a "winter" or "holiday" concert); complete art projects with a Christmas theme; take part in gift making; and plan for a class Christmas party.

In a routine handwriting exercise, the Jewish child learned there are 24 days left before Christ-

mas and that Christmas trees are evergreens and are green all year.

Some may argue that Santa isn't a symbol of Christmas but only of the "winter holiday season."

But who is kidding whom?

Santa Claus (St. Nicholas, a Christian bishop) is an obvious symbol of the Christmas gift giving tradition, and he disappears from the classrooms and shopping centers around Dec. 24. If he were a real winter season symbol, he would stick it out through January.

If Christmas musical concerts are not religious events but seasonal events, why not have them in January, at the end of the first semester?

In reality, the Livonia district's policy and rules on religious holidays and educational practice in the schools are sound and make sense educationally.

The rules say that religious matters should be taught as part of the education of cultures and that care should be taken to make sure teachers don't "undermine the faith of any child nor question the absence of religious belief."

It is obvious that the specific actions of some teachers may be violating their own school board's policies and rules, not to mention the U.S. Constitution.

But the legal arguments aside, let's not have any more children coming home crying because their own religious backgrounds were apparently undermined in the rush to push Santa Claus and Christmas trees into the daily curriculum.

Besides Jews, there are many Moslems and Jehovah's Witnesses who don't observe the traditional Christmas holiday with its shopping center catalogues and emphasis on gifts.

If Christmas is to be brought into the elementary schools where impressionable children are sometimes not sure of their own heritage and identity, it should be done on an educational basis—not just to push Santa Claus and Christmas musical programs.

LEONARD FOGER
Livonia editor

Christmas—does it belong in school?

The babe is found in history

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By Emory Daniels

Is there a proper place for the Babe in the Manger in the public school classroom?

The issue behind that question is the separation of church and state requirements imposed over the years by the U.S. Supreme Court.

The issue during the Christmas holiday season is whether it is legally correct or proper to sing carols, present pageants which include the nativity scene, or re-tell in some fashion the happening in Bethlehem in the public classroom.

BEFORE JUMPING TO a conclusion, think about what really is required by separation of church and state.

The requirement does ban discussion in public school of religious dogma but should not prevent discussions or programs about Christianity.

By Christianity I refer to the cultural and social composition of western democracy, as opposed to Greek, Roman or other civilization systems.

In a narrow sense, Christianity is a religion describing groups of churches which believe in Jesus as the son of God. But Christianity also has a broader meaning which encompasses the tenets upon which a civilization is founded. Under this broader meaning, describing America as a Christian

nation does not suggest all Americans believe Christ is the son of God.

I think the distinction between Christianity in this broad sense and religion can best be understood with a single word—history.

Those portions of the Christmas story which are "historical" are a part of both the Christian and cultural tradition. Those parts of the Christmas story which are not historical may be important to religion but are not central to the cultural significance of Christianity.

That statement will provoke a lot of disagreement and misunderstanding. So I will quickly state that it is made strictly in the context of what is proper to include in public school Christmas activities.

Within that context, however, I maintain it is quite proper to sing about or tell stories about Mary, Joseph, baby Jesus, Bethlehem, the wise men and shepherds in the classroom.

However, it is highly improper and illegal to discuss such things as the virgin birth or the visitation of angels in the classroom. The difference is that the former is historical, the latter religious.

To refuse to discuss angels or the virgin birth in the classroom does not purport to deny the existence of either.

Likewise, to discuss Mary, Joseph and Jesus in the classroom is only a confirmation of their historical existence. To refuse such a discussion by intent comes quite close to denying history and is, I believe, inexcusable.

THERE EXISTS sufficient historical evidence about Mary, Joseph and Jesus to confirm their existence.

Historical evidence also confirms Jesus was born in Bethlehem, raised in Jerusalem, became a teacher-preacher, and died by crucifixion as a young man.

There also is some evidence, although somewhat scanty, which suggests a journey from the east by three wise men which carried them past the general vicinity of Bethlehem at about the time Jesus was born.

History did not record the actions or whereabouts of lowly shepherds but their presence is as easy to believe as the visitation of neighbors when a newborn child arrives home today.

Thus there should be no problem telling about the marriage of Mary and Joseph, birth of Jesus in Bethlehem, and visits of the wise men and shepherds. Jesus existed on earth as a man in the same manner as did Columbus, King Tut, Beethoven or Isaac Newton.

Should we refuse to talk about Columbus in the public schools because a Catholic queen commissioned and financed his voyage? Then why should we refuse to discuss Jesus in the classroom because his existence also has significance in religious circles?

HISTORY DOES NOT provide any evidence of the virgin birth, angels visiting Mary or the shepherds, or of the resurrection.

These "miracles" have a very important place in religious dogma, but are not historically proven and are not central to Christianity.

The relationship between Christianity and America exists because of the

teachings of Jesus, not because of the miracles surrounding his birth, life and death. "Do unto others" and "Love thy neighbor as thyself" are the keys to Christianity and its social significance for our culture. And the meaning of these teachings of Jesus are not diminished from a social standpoint by deleting accounts of the miracles from the Christmas story.

To individuals living in a predominantly Christian culture, the teachings of Jesus are important if we are to understand the basis of law and justice in our country and how we relate socially to each other.

Whether Christ was born of a virgin, however, does not relate to Jesus the man and his teachings. It relates instead to Christ the deity and His God-mission.

If we wanted to get silly, we could become involved in a language debate and insist that the babe be called Jesus and not Christ or Lord in the public schools. That's fine with me.

Where the problem really lies is with the words of many of the carols which are sung where there are many references to the miracles of Christmas. The problem should be resolved, I suggest, with reasonableness.

Children can be told by parents that the singing of carols is not a declaration of truth. The words have different meaning for different folks. We can sing "Christ the newborn king" without necessarily admitting that Jesus was a spiritual king and not a worldly king.

After all, we sing many songs without committing ourselves to the message contained in the words. Otherwise, you'd never catch me singing or whistling "Dixie."

There certainly is a lot of religious significance to the nativity. But it should be just as proper to discuss the birth of Jesus in a lowly manger just as we discuss the birth of Abe Lincoln in a lowly log cabin.



Penalties and Points

by John Bozzo

Spirit of sharing is public education job

The assignment seemed simple enough.

Survey school systems to discover how they arranged Christmas season programs without violating the Supreme Court edict that public schools be religiously neutral.

Surveying the school systems was the easy part. There are a wealth of programs in both the Redford Union and South Redford schools.

Judging whether these problems are non-religious in the legal sense is a different problem.

Every celebration planned looks religiously neutral enough to me. However, I'm not an attorney or judge interpreting the intentions of a law.

If singing "O Come All Ye Faithful" is called religious by one judge, is the Thurston High School production of "Godspell" religious?

What happens when a grade school choir sings "Silent Night"? When they reach the second verse, "Holy Night," does their song violate the Supreme Court guidelines?

That kind of rationalization seems preposterous to me, but so does a lot of other legal thinking, especially some of the recent First Amendment interpretation.

CHRISTMAS IS a religious holiday. Church activities and the religious story behind the event are more important to me than the gift-giving

and other popular celebrations.

Despite the "religiously neutral" Supreme Court edict, most children are probably aware of the religious nature of Christmas through their own church, parents or friends.

I don't quarrel with the Supreme Court ruling. No one should be forced, through peer pressure or by a teacher, to practice a religion or say a prayer they don't believe.

Yet it would be a shame if because of the ban in public schools, the only information children had about Christmas was from non-religious.

Then Christmas would be totally commercialized. The only ideas children would have about Christmas would be Santa Claus, decorating trees and getting presents.

Although non-religious to my thinking, all of the local school celebrations seem to be in accordance with the spirit of the holiday. Every activity involves giving—a concert or musical show, a senior citizen dinner, collecting money or canned goods for needy people.

Lorraine Yach, principal of Vandenberg School, where a canned goods drive is underway, expressed her feelings well on the subject.

"This is our time of sharing," Ms. Yach said. "We think this is important for children because of the time of year. They need this feeling of sharing."

Ramblings

By CAROLINE PRICE



Separation of church, state demands a ban, says ACLU

If the American Civil Liberties Union has its way, communities across the country will have to put away the fiberglass Virgin Marys and heralding angels that once graced parks and other public buildings.

An issue known as the separation of church and state, which has been around since the early days of the constitution, is being used as the argument against nativity scenes in public places.

Schools are also feeling the wrath of those who want the trappings of Christmas removed from classrooms.

The ACLU has its share of opposition from people who feel nativity scenes and the like are perfectly acceptable decorations for public places.

A school or community building has no business promoting any kind of religious activity, even if it is something as seemingly innocuous as a nativity scene in the park.

Now that doesn't mean you have to rip all the Christmas trees out of the schools. It doesn't even mean a teacher can't tell children what the religious background of Christmas is.

It does mean that no one has the right to show any bias either for or against an individual religion.

Unfortunately, much of the Christmas celebration in schools and government buildings does show a bias. Maybe no one is out there saying "Christianity is the only true religion and all others are bad."

It's more a case of what isn't being said or done. Not everyone believes in the version of Jesus Christ being the son of God. Not everyone believes in Jesus Christ or God, for that matter.

This country was founded on a premise of religious freedom. That means everyone has a right to believe in whatever deity he or she chooses. People have a right not to believe in any God at all.

No one has the right to force you not to worship in what ever manner you want, nor does anyone have the right to force others to worship. I have no quarrel with the advocates of Christianity or Judaism or any other religion. I don't want to have to pay for someone else's version of God and I don't want to be force-fed religious ideology I don't subscribe to.

If public representatives insist on decorations with religious themes, to truly fulfill the spirit of religious freedom they should have decorations representing all faiths (or lack thereof).

Obviously, that could get a little unwieldy. There wouldn't be any room left for people.

There are a few decorations, by virtue of long disassociation from any particular religion, that are acceptable to just about everyone. Christmas trees originated from pagan celebrations of winter. Santa Claus originated from the Christian St. Nicholas, but has little connection anymore.

Both symbols have become highly over-commercialized, which may bother some.

But the goal is to get back to the "true" meaning of Christmas, which is basically a Christian religious rite, should also mean eliminating celebration of the holiday from schools and other government places.

It's not a matter of being a wet blanket about Christmas. I like the holiday as much as anyone, and remember with fondness putting up Christmas trees in school classrooms.

By maintaining the separation of church and state, however, we are maintaining religious freedom for all faiths, not just Christians or Jews or Hare Krishnas.

The minute one lets religion ooze into government, one also runs the risk of letting government regulate religion.

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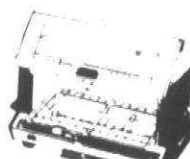
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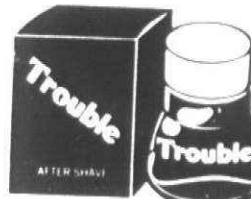
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Readers' forum

Reader opposes proposed sign law

Editor:

I was dismayed by your editorial supporting free-standing ground signs in Canton, which appeared in the Thursday, Dec. 7 issue of the Canton Observer. In my opinion, this editorial does a great disservice to the Canton

community and particularly to that segment of the community trying to avoid unnecessary aesthetic pollution such as that depicted on page 18C of the very same edition.

The voters that supported the passage of the existing sign ordinance regulating free-standing ground signs

in order to avoid the blight you inadvertently depicted, still exist and have confidence that the new administration they helped elect will further tighten the existing sign ordinance to prohibit its continued circumvention because, as you noted in your editorial, "there are still ugly signs in Canton, even with our present set of strict ordinances."

Ever hear of a nonconforming use? You indiscreetly imply via this statement that the existing ordinance has permitted the construction of free-standing "ugly" ground signs which we both know is not true. Further tightening of the existing ordinance is needed to regulate such circumvention as the trailer tactics of certain Ford Road businesses.

Your initial premise that signs have been considered a necessity for merchants serves to cloud rather than clarify the present sign ordinance controversy. The question is not what size sign is permissible but whether signs should be located on the front facade of the building housing the business rather than on the highway berm as an ugly, vision-clogging free standing ground sign. No business or chamber of commerce type in Canton has ever proven the "necessity" of a universal policy permitting free standing ground

signs for every individual business. Arguments that allege that free-standing ground signs as opposed to signs on the building front better serve the motoring public are rather shallow and unsubstantiated except in extreme cases where a business has a massive setback from the highway.

Such exceptions are the purpose of the zoning board of adjustment and are not grounds for drafting a whole new ordinance. Certainly the fast food restaurants and quick service establishment are currently gobbling up Ford Road commercial frontage do not need free-standing ground signs.

McDonalds and the Sagebrush are doing very well without them, thank you.

As a concerned citizen of Canton, I urge your newspaper to reconsider the assumptions and conclusions presented in your editorial.

DAN RICHARDSON

Canton

(Editor's Note: The Observer does not support the new proposed sign ordinance. It has never done so. The purpose of the Dec. 7 editorial was to point out that even small, attached to building signs can be ugly and offensive. After all, how can taste be legislated? One merchant's meat can easily be another person's poison.

Board approves new party store

After hours of discussion at three separate meetings, the Canton Township Board of Trustees finally approved site plans Tuesday for a Lawson store at the northeast corner of Warren and Morton Taylor.

Board members had tabled the site plan request at their Dec. 5 and Dec. 12 meetings because of objections from Windsor Park residents. Residents said another convenience store wasn't needed in the area. Questions about the assessed valuation of the 1/2-acre parcel also delayed site plan approval.

Board members discovered that an assessed valuation of \$100 was used to compute the taxes of the land in 1977. In Canton, the only land assessed at \$100 is subdivision homeowner association parks. The land has never been used as a park.

At Tuesday's meeting, however, Clerk John Flodin told the board the taxation error was the fault of the Wayne County Bureau of Taxation. A county worker had erroneously

assumed that the land was used for a park because the name of the adjacent subdivision—Windsor Park—was printed over the land in the county's plat book.

Flodin expressed confidence that the township could recoup the uncollected taxes from the firm that owned the land at the time.

Although the board spent hours discussing the Lawson site plan at two earlier meetings, township officials debated the architecture of the proposed building and other site plan matters for more than an hour Tuesday night.

Time spent on the routine site plan proposal resulted in what most board members called "a more aesthetically pleasing building."

A Lawson representative agreed to replace the flat roof originally proposed for the store with a gabled roof and to brick all four sides of the building. The original site plan showed a building with brick on three sides and cement block on the back.

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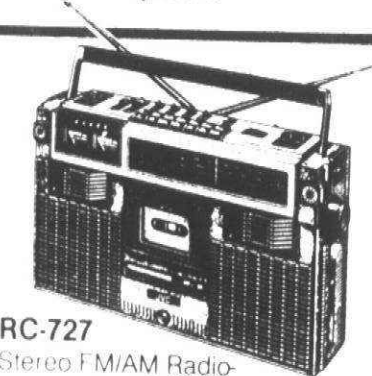
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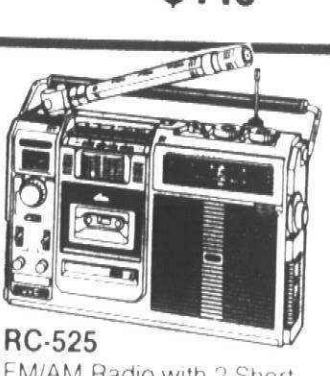
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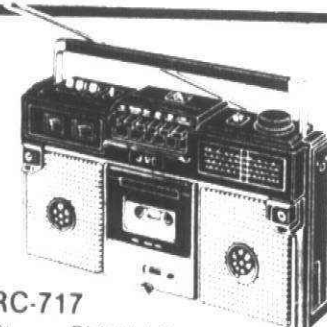
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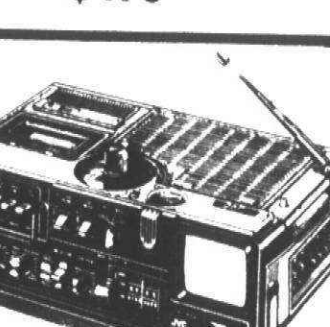
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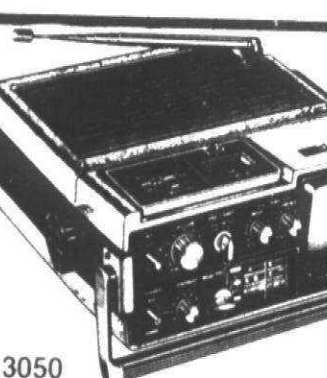
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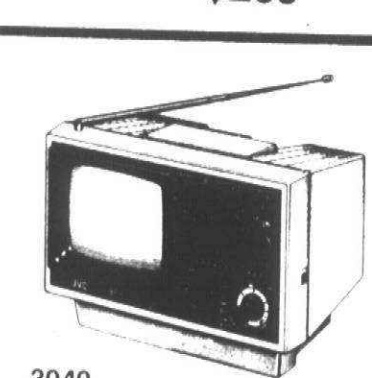
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The Flip Side by craig piechura

Disco song riles YMCA

There's a soul song receiving heavy airplay in Detroit and across the nation with the refrain, "It's fun to stay at the YMCA."

The song is No. 6 this week in Billboard with a bullet.

Now you'd think the Young Men's Christian Association would be tickled pink to receive such free publicity. And you'd be dead wrong.

The YMCA is preparing to sue Casablanca Record and Filmworks for trademark violation, according to an association spokesman. The legal department of the record company refused to comment on pending litigation.

The song is performed by a disco group known as the Village People. Their only previous hit, "Macho Man," is a tune celebrating sexual postures.

The Village People has acquired a reputation as a gay group—a reputation that is not entirely accurate, according to Can't Stop Productions, which represents them.

"Being gay is not admittedly the policy of the group," said the Can't Stop spokesman. "Some of the members of the group may or may not be gay. That is not important. The Village People is into people liberation, not gay liberation."

However, a look at the album covers alone—either "Macho Man" or "Cruisin," gives some indication of the image being put across.

The first album features group members dressed up in different male role models on the cover. The lead singer sports an Indian headdress, while another is decked out in leather and chains. Still another band member is dressed as a G.I., and another wears the hard hat and flannel shirt of a construction worker.

THE SONG TITLES could be construed as a tipoff. Titles on the first album include "Sodom and Gomorrah," "I Am What I Am," and "Key West," also the name of a popular winter watering hole for homosexuals.

"WE ARE MOST disturbed," said John Copeland, vice-president in charge of public relations and urban affairs in the Metropolitan Detroit YMCA headquarters.

"I assume gay people would get some kind of message from the song 'Meet me at the YMCA.'"

Copeland first heard the song performed live on Dick Clark's TV show and thought nothing of it. But he soon received a call from YMCA-New York telling Detroit not to use the song in its programs or publicity because the group had not been granted permission to use the YMCA trademark.

"Our position—and there is only one position we have—is that this is a matter of trademark infringement," said Joe Pisarro, public relations director of YMCA-New York.

"The YMCA name, initials and logo are registered trademarks of the national board of YMCA and cannot be used without the expressed permission of the national board. Neither the performers nor the record company asked for or received permission. They just used it."

THE PARK AVENUE law firm of Morgan, Finnegan, Pine, Foley and Lee has been retained to research the case and report back on the question of trademark violation.

But what of the underlying theme that, as the song states, "They have everything for young men to enjoy; You can hang out with the boys?"

"We're not of the school that says any publicity is good publicity," Pisarro said.

"When they say 'It's fun to stay at the YMCA,' it should be noted that the majority of YMCAs do not have residences. We are most concerned with programming. Many people don't even come to a 'Y' building."

Pisarro said the song also erroneously portrays the YMCA as a male-only institution.

"You should know that out of nine million members, almost 39 per cent are women and girls, amounting to about four million people."

"We couldn't agree more that the YMCA is a place to go, but for different reasons."

The publicity director of Can't Stop Productions said the gay aspect is being blown out of proportion.

Oddly enough, said the production company spokesman, gays discos in New York and San Francisco are boycotting the Village People records. The group is being accused of "selling out" to the straights and ridiculing the gay movement.

Locally, a spokesman for Menjo's, one of the Detroit area's biggest gay bars, said the song is very popular at the club.

"We boycott nothing," said the bartender. "It's a good song."

"I don't feel they're poking fun at gays or the YMCA. They just wrote a song about it. It's a fact of life. That's where guys go to meet guys. The place is strictly a male establishment."

"You can't put males over females in any establishment and expect them not to enjoy each other's company—in whatever context."

So what kind of impact is the song having on the YMCA?

Negative, if you talk to local and national directors of the organization.

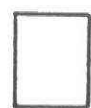
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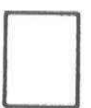
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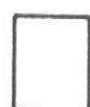
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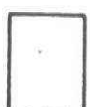
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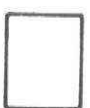
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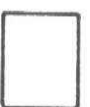
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Gary Quitquit and Sherri Hansen work with (from left) Michael Schmizze, Victoria Crutchfield and Jennifer Hixon in the pool at Central Middle School. (Staff photo)

'I can' acquatics celebrate triumphs

A number of special education students received recognition this week for achievements in swimming in a special aquatics program conducted by Plymouth-Canton Community Schools.

The I Can—Aquatics Program was offered to help elementary pupils who have either a certified handicap or motor development problems, says Gary P. Quitquit, supervisor of elementary special programs and services.

"What makes the program unusual is the amount of individual help and effort on behalf of the instructors to develop strong positive experiences with movement for students."

Offices close for holiday

Plymouth Township Hall offices will be closed both tomorrow and Monday for the holiday.

"The students in the program are moved along towards a level of higher self-confidence and swimming proficiency with emphasis on the former."

The program was held in the swimming pool at Central Middle School. On Monday, parents and staff members gathered to present certificates of achievement to youngsters participating in the program.

"Many of the students have never experienced such a rewarding experience for their efforts, and their expressions upon receiving the certificates reflected their real joy," adds Quitquit.

Youngsters recognized for completing basic water entry skills were Mike Wu, Jenny Jatkowski and Brian O'Shaughnessy.

Those honored for achieving water entry skills and beginning swimming skills included Victoria Crutchfield, Michael Ford, Scott Young, Kevin Dethloff, John Hayes and Larry Rose.

Those who achieved basic swimming skills, floating and breathing skills

included Randy Rafalski, Mike Schmizze, Robby DuVall, Patrick Murphy and Ted Russell, Jenny Hixon, David Groat, Kamille Woods, Mary Jo Jatkowski, Mike Pinkerton, Tom Jatkowski and Butch Brashwitz. Staff members involved in the program

besides Quitquit were: Joanne Olney, an aide at Farrand Elementary; Sherri Hansen, a substitute teacher from Willow Run; Randi Krum, a learning disability teacher at Hulsing Elementary, and Marc Krum, a professor at Wayne State University.

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BREVITIES



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Legislators boost park fees

RECREATION BASKETBALL

Dec. 27, 28—The Plymouth Recreation department will sponsor open recreation basketball from noon to 4 p.m. and 6-9 p.m. on Wednesday and Thursday in the Central Middle School gymnasium.

GYMNASTIC CLASSES

Jan. 15—Classes begin for a six-week session in gymnastics sponsored by the Michigan Young World of Westland, a non-profit child care center and nursery school licensed for children 1-12 years of age. Children will learn conditioning and fitness, tumbling and apparatus work. Adult conditioning and slimnastics classes also are available. Call 522-7150 for more information. Location is 32503 Ann Arbor Trail, Westland.

CROSS COUNTRY SKI CLINIC

Jan. 18, 25—The Plymouth Recreation department will sponsor the clinics at 7 p.m. on both Thursdays. Register at the department office at 525 Farmer Street, from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Fee is \$6 per person payable at registration. Know your shoe size to insure proper fit of cross country ski equipment.

RESUME WRITING

Jan. 30—The Plymouth Recreation department will sponsor a workshop for resume writing at 7 p.m. Tuesday for a \$5 fee. The goal of the workshop is to enable participants to write an effectively targeted resume at any stage in their careers. Register at the department office from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday.

JOB SEARCH WORKSHOP

Feb. 27—The Plymouth Recreation Department will sponsor an overview at 7 p.m., Tuesday, for a \$15 fee. Goal of the workshop is to empower each participant to experience greater power and responsibility in their job campaigns. Register at the department office from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday.

WOMEN'S RACQUETBALL

Registration for a women's singles racquetball league is now in progress at the Canton Township Parks and Recreation Department, 1150 South Canton Center Road. The league will begin the second week in January, and will take place at 10 a.m. Mondays. Games will be played at Racquettime, 36600 Plymouth Road, Livonia. The cost of the league is \$45 for 10 weeks.

OPEN RECREATION BASKETBALL

Dec. 27 and Dec. 28—The Plymouth Recreation Department is sponsoring open recreation basketball from 12 noon to 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. both days at the Central Middle School gymnasium.

LIBRARY CLOSING

Dec. 22-25—The Dunning-Hough Memorial Library in Plymouth will be closed from Dec. 22-25 for the Christmas holiday. The library will close at 9 p.m. Thursday and reopen at 10 a.m. Tuesday, Dec. 26.

SCHOOL BOARD CLOSING

Dec. 22—The Plymouth-Canton Community Schools central administration offices will close at 4 p.m. Friday for the holiday recess and will re-open at 8 a.m. Tuesday, Jan. 2.

SANTA VISITATION

Dec. 12-20—The Canton Jaycees are sponsoring the visit of Santa Claus in individual homes or to meet with groups Dec. 12 through Dec. 20. For information call 459-0093 from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m.

PISTON TICKETS

Plymouth Recreation Department is offering Detroit Pistons discount tickets for the Piston game scheduled Sunday, Jan. 28, versus the San Diego Clippers at 1:45 p.m. Tickets are \$4.50 per person. The regular price is \$7 per person for these lower level seats.

BREVITIES DEADLINES

Items for Brevities must be submitted to the Observer, 461 S. Main, Plymouth, by noon Monday for the Thursday edition and by noon Thursday for the Monday edition.

By MICHAEL MATUSZEWSKI

The best things in life are getting more and more expensive.

Beginning Jan. 1, persons who frequent Michigan's state parks are going to find an increase in the cost of the vehicle permits awaiting them. The permits allow persons to drive their cars into the state parks.

The Michigan State Legislature, Dec. 14, voted to raise the price of both the annual and daily vehicle permits.

Annual permits will jump from \$5 to \$7 and daily permits will be doubled, cost \$1, but beginning Jan. 1 they will cost \$2.

Daily vehicle permits will be raised to \$3 at Warren Dunes State Park. That park is frequented by large numbers of Illinois and Indiana residents.

A bill proposing the increases was first introduced in 1977 in the

state senate by Sen. Harry DeMaso (R-Battle Creek). DeMaso is currently sponsoring a petition drive to roll back recent increases in the Michigan's fuel and weight taxes.

The senate approved the bill June 13, 1977.

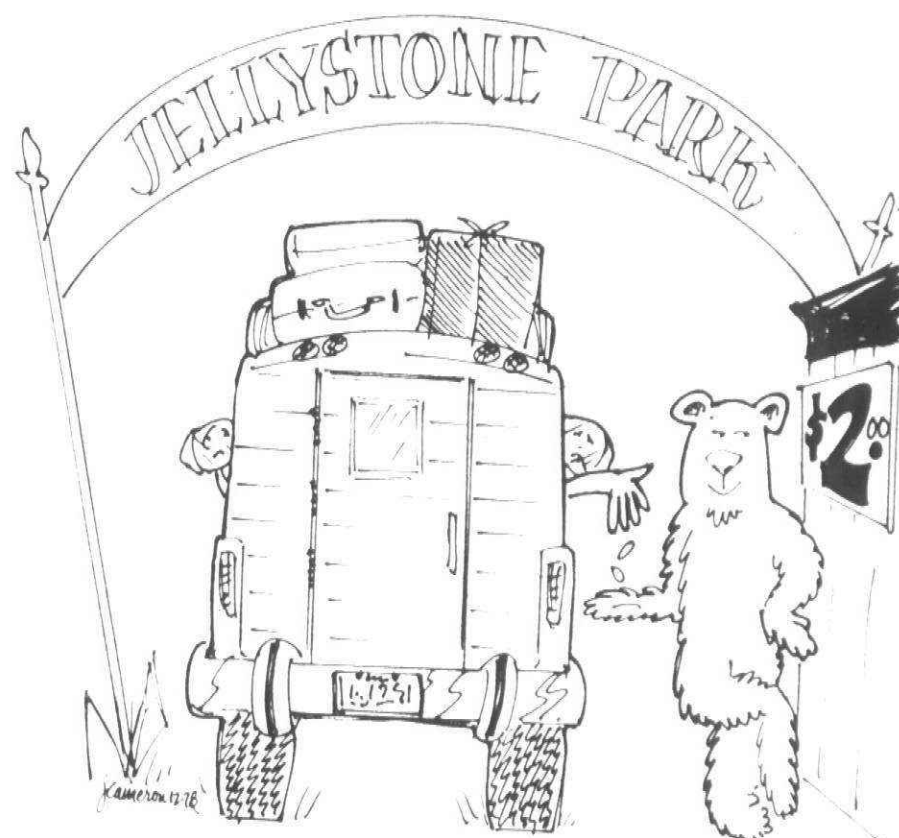
Since that time, the bill was tied up in a number of house committees.

IT MAY COST more, but state parks' ?re?enters should not lose sleep over the increases, said Maybury State Park Manager Tony Klain.

"The only time we man the permit booths," he said, "is when we expect a crowd of people."

"We're really not responsible for making sure everybody gets one of the vehicle permits. If they don't have one, they should come to our office and get one."

"That's the way it works at most parks," he concluded.



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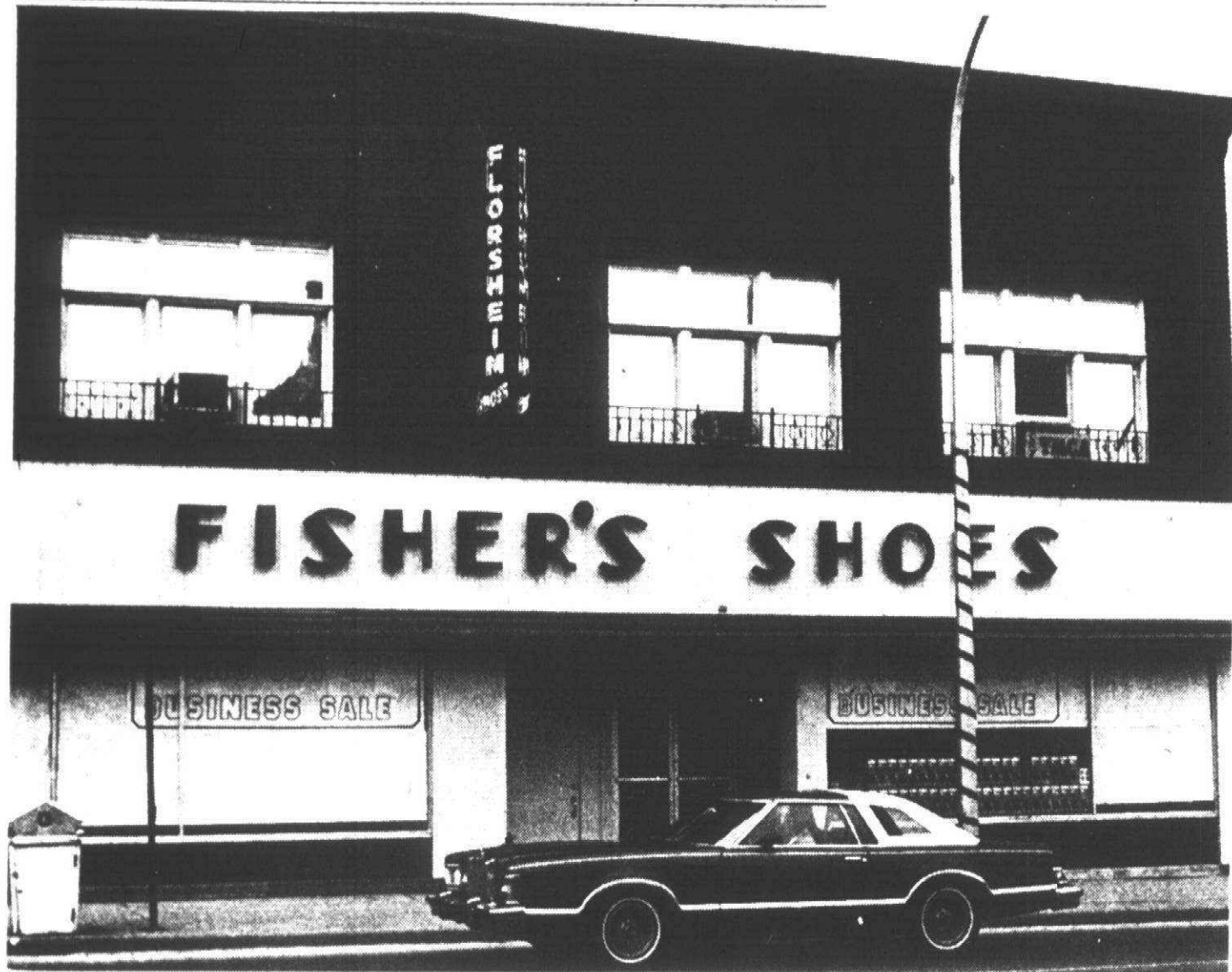
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Fisher's Shoes, one of the older businesses on Main Street in Plymouth, will be closing its doors soon. (Staff photo)

Landmark shoe store going out of business

By W.W. EDGAR

Another old landmark is leaving Main Street in downtown Plymouth.

It is the Fisher Shoe Store that served the folks in the entire Plymouth area for the past 37 years.

The death knell came as a surprise to the many old customers when they strode down Main Street and noted the big sign across the store windows reading "Going Out of Business Sale."

The Fisher Shoe Store will now join the Kresge store in leaving. Kresge is to be replaced with a huge furniture store shortly after the new year. As yet no announcement has been made of a new tenant for Fisher's.

The shoe store has an interesting history and came in to being only because of a fire that virtually ruined Bob Willoughby's shoe store across from the park—in the 1940s.

At the time James Houk, a former mayor and now a member of the city commission, was a clerk with a lot of ambition. In the rear of the Willoughby store was chap named Spike Fisher, who did shoe repair work.

Out of the ashes of the Willoughby fire both Houk and Fisher had the same idea—to become partners in another shoe store.

In telling about the new partnership, Jim Houk revealed that it was agreed to carry the name Fisher. More than that, they rented a store that was only part of the present site.

"At the time," Houk recalled, "Norma Cassidy had her dress shop on the corner. It is now the site of the Willow Tree dress shop. Next to that was Smitty's restaurant and then the little store we had. It was next to Schrader's Funeral Home."

"In due time Houk bought out his partner and Smitty's restaurant passed on. So, we took the restaurant site and enlarged the shoe store."

Fisher's Shoes was a success from the start. In fact, Houk branched out from Plymouth to open a store at Plymouth Road and Evergreen in Detroit, another one in Royal Oak, one in Dearborn and one in Wayne. Later Houk sold the Wayne store and moved his extended service to Ypsilanti.

For years, Jim Houk and Fisher's shoes were synonymous. It was from

the shoe store that he managed his campaign for a seat on the city commission. He won and later became mayor.

He was the city's chief official in 1967 when the city celebrated its centennial. In this role he set up the plan that eventually lead the visit of the late Lord Mayor Frank Chapman, of Plymouth, England, and members of his cabinet.

It was during their visit that Chapman presented to the city the bit of rock taken from the dock from which the Mayflower sailed in 1620. It is the rock that is now on display between the city hall and the Hough-Dunning Library. In 1969, Houk decided to retire, and he did so with a chuckle.

"When I went into the business, I had \$700," he often recalled, "and with that start I finally had five stores. And I am leaving with the largest collection of old-time button hooks—for old-time button shoes—in the state."

When he retired, Houk sold his holdings to the Brown Shoe Company and now that firm has decided to close the doors and remove an old landmark from the city.

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Employees seen as key

City to revamp parking system?

Suggesting that downtown Plymouth's parking capacity is the key to expanding the city's taxbase, the Municipal Parking Commission recommended Monday that the city's parking system be self-supporting and

profit-oriented. The long-awaited parking report was received without comment Monday night by the Plymouth City Commission.

The commission voted to hold a public meeting to discuss the parking recommendations beginning 7:30 p.m. Monday, Jan. 22.

The report suggests the city develop a parking system with these goals:

- Be self-supporting and profit oriented for continual growth.
- Provide excess spaces, especially in active locations, to provide for peak periods.
- Constant enforcement of parking rules.
- Include means for employers to provide parking for each of their employees.

- Remove all employers and employees from prime customer parking locations through a system of permits and secondary parking locations.
- The report suggests that: "A parking system must keep constantly

before it the fact that parking is, perhaps, the city's most important tool in expanding its taxbase in the form of service and convenience to its citizens and customers."

The parking commission said the net revenue from the parking system's operation will be sufficient to cover operations, maintenance and the city's 50 per cent share of debt service for capital structure costs.

The city presently administers a total of 1,013 public parking spaces in lots and on streets and another 431 metered spaces.

AMONG THE MANY revenue suggestions included in the report are:

- A five-year moratorium on city management charges, about \$8,000 per year now.
- Credit to the parking system of all parking violation fines, less court costs.
- Credit increased tax revenue to the parking system.
- Employers and the city itself

would be responsible for parking requirements of employees, with the same rate to be charged.

- Amortize debt service principal for a longer period of time, 40 to 50 years.

- Stop losses of parking violation fines not presently collectable through the court.

- Hire a parking ordinance enforcement officer to work full-time.

- Increase meter rates.

- Annually review prices for parking credits so charge reflects current value.

- Compensate the parking system for any revenue lost by a city commission decision to allow free parking for any reason.

- Consider leasing private lots and consider renting city parking spaces for private use during off-hours.

The parking commission report also includes a special assessment plan to finance the cost of building a parking structure on the Wiedman lot.

Car theft reported

Plymouth police report that an auto stolen from Schraeder's Funeral Home parking lot on Main Street has not been recovered.

William Thomas, of 1338 S. Harvey in Plymouth, reported the theft of a 1974 Ford LTD somewhere between 7-9 p.m., Dec. 17, from the north parking lot of the funeral home. About \$700 in sound equipment was in the trunk at the time, Thomas added.

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The Stroller

Curlers want a home

By W.W. EDGAR

Unlike the youngster who, some years ago, chanted that all he wanted for Christmas was his two front teeth, The Stroller has come across an individual whose wish for a merry Christmas is even odder than that.

"I still have my two front teeth," Frank Ritchie, manager of the Ford Transmission plant, remarked at lunch the other day. "But the greatest wish I have for Christmas is that someone in the western suburbs will soon announce plans for a curling club as an activity for the senior citizens."

To remove any thought that he was kidding, the stocky fellow, who can be most serious at times, began to state his case.

"YOU KNOW," he said, "the curlers are the forgotten segment of the senior citizens. In the past few years, we have built senior citizen homes and have provided clubhouses with square dancing and all sorts of activities."

"They get reduced rates in bowling and golf. They are given places to play cards to their hearts' content. But I have yet to see any plans for the old time curlers to enjoy the game they played in their youth."

Ritchie was moved to take up the plight

of the curlers when he learned that the Detroit Curling Club, long an institution in the inner city, was contemplating a move to the outskirts—possibly to Troy.

"Now I'm not a crochety old fellow," Ritchie went on, "and I like to do a bit of curling a few nights a month. But I'm not going to Troy. I'd go that new curling club in Windsor before I'd travel that far. But why should I have to do that when there are so many places that a curling club could be established here in the suburbs."

"Just look at the cities around here that have ice rinks—Livonia, Redford, Garden City, Plymouth and Westland—and yet none of them has set aside the bit of special ice it would take for curling."

FOR THE uninitiated, curling is an old Scotch sport where "stones" are thrown down the ice toward an object. It is much like lawn bowling, only on ice.

It requires a special kind of ice—a sort of pebbled surface that enables the "stones" to travel on the surface.

The mere mention of curling and the old Detroit Curling Club brought back fond memories to The Stroller. It was to the Detroit Curling Club that he was sent on one of his first assignments when he joined

the sports staff of the Detroit Free Press back in 1924.

"I don't know anything about curling," he complained when given the assignment. "You'll never learn any younger," the sports editor answered, "and what's more, you'll meet a great gang of fellows. And if you are hungry, they'll provide you the best chicken dinner in town."

SO OFF The Stroller went on a new mission. And what he had been told was the truth. Covering the "bonspiel" (tournament) was a lot of fun and the opportunity to find a few friends to relieve The Stroller's loneliness for his Pennsylvania Dutch country he had just left behind.

When Ritchie learned that The Stroller was no stranger to curling, he said, "You are just the fellow I need to prove that I know what I'm talking about."

With that he was off on another reason for establishing a curling club in the western suburbs.

So there it is, Santa—one of the fine old-time curlers would like to give his favorite pastime a new life in the western suburbs. See what you can do for him.

LIT dean honored as engineer

Dr. Stephen R. Davis, dean of Lawrence Institute of Technology's School of Engineering, has been chosen "Michigan engineer of 1979" by the Engineering Society of Detroit.

Davis, of Belleville, will be honored at a Feb. 21 awards banquet. His selection was made by a committee of society members and leaders from the business, industrial and academic worlds.

As dean of engineering since 1973, Davis has used his industrial experience to modify the Southfield-based college's curriculum to meet career requirements of industry. The engineering school offers baccalaureate degrees in construction, electrical and mechanical engineering.

LIT's engineering school has achieved national recognition under Davis, who has initiated and supported

student and faculty affiliation with professional societies.

A nationally known lecturer, Davis is a consultant for the U.S. Army Tank Automotive Command, U.S. Department of Energy, U.S. Department of Defense, Argonne National Laboratory, Forging Industry Association and the DuPont and Westinghouse companies.

Davis earned degrees from Drexel University, the University of Delaware and the University of Illinois. He was a principal design engineer for Ford's truck division and director of technical planning in research and engineering at Cummins Engine Co. before going into teaching.

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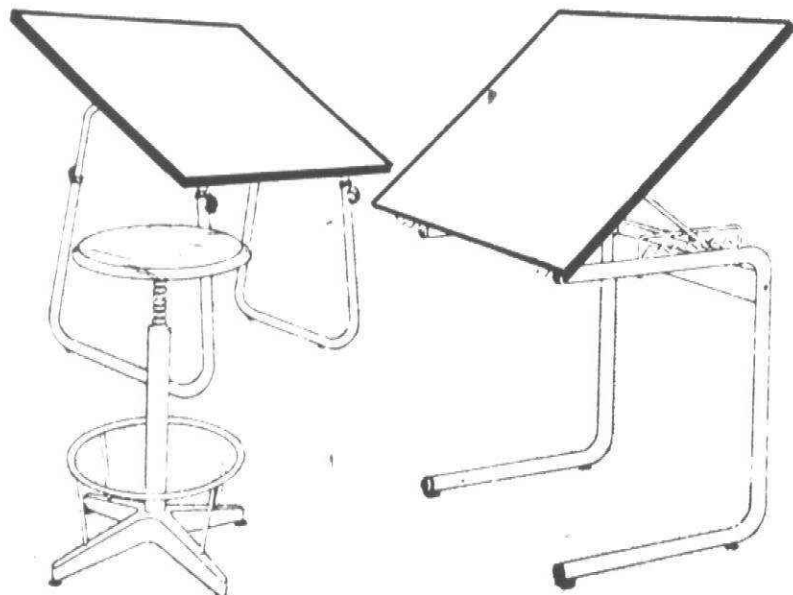
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When 101 travelers headed for Hawaii on the recent Observer & Eccentric tour, reporter-photographer Lynn Orr went along. She made the side trips, tried the beaches, ate native dishes and studied historic landmarks, taking notes and pictures as she went. Here is her first report on the adventure—a day-by-day journal.

THURSDAY, Nov. 16: The first "Aloha" to be repeated numerous in the next two weeks, greets our ears before we leave in the 747 bound for Honolulu.

"The Buddy Holly Story" on the mini movie screen helps to pass a tedious time for some, while a lot of action at the bar works its liquid charms. Travel anxieties apparent, though, witnessed by the long lines at the too few lavatories and the studious attention paid the flight attendants' survival routine.

Louise Leasure, a 70-year-old Plymouth Township resident, making her maiden voyage takes it all in stride, however. After a 7½ hour flight and applause for the pilot when we land smoothly, we're welcomed with slightly wilted leis and a glorious warm sun that's the best Aloha yet.

We meet Dennis, our protector and tour guide to the exotic, whose looks make many of Hawaii's other scenic sites anti-climatic. Then it's on to our first of many buses as we make our way through the industrial section of Honolulu to the Hilton Hawaiian Village. The palm trees appear strangely out of place next to warehouses, but Waikiki beckons with acres of bouganvillea.

Hurray! A sliver of ocean glints as we keep to tradition and check out the balcony where we're rewarded with our first waft of salty air.

FRIDAY, Nov. 17: At the 9:30 a.m. briefing, "Hawaii Five-O" drop-out Al Harrington cautions the Michigan arrivals to slow down. "Just hang loose" is the axiom here. A trip to the garment factory supplies the necessities. Within hours, suits, ties and girdles are abandoned for neon orange and purple matching muumus and shirts. Are these the same people who scorned matching Madras on teenage lovebirds in the '60s?

"Smile, 'cause you're not going home till the plane leaves," Harrington had warned.

First disappointment. A two-hour afternoon bus ride around the city nets a mediocre guide for those on the second bus. "Here's your McDonald's, here's your Kentucky Fried Chicken," he tells the riders eager to hear about the exploits of King Kamehameha and his 23 wives.

We whisk by the only palace on American soil with barely enough time to snap a picture.

Those on the first bus had a great guide, we hear later. Punchbowl Crater, with its awesome vista of acres of graves and the lookout at the crater rim of Honolulu, is worth the trip. The first Polynesian dinner-dance that night brings cheers.

SATURDAY, Nov. 18: First trip to the beach. Yes, those are Mai-tais being sipped around the nearby pools. Smug faces receive the rumor that the first snow fell at home.



With pastels and sketchbook in hand, Quinn Sutton of Birmingham attempts to capture on paper the white sand beach of Maui and the misty outlines of Molokai, a neighboring island.

A trip to the International Market Place catches a woman in bikini and hair curlers crossing the main drag in Waikiki, while a walk down Kuhio verifies Hawaii's sewer problems. Shopping bags bulge as our people drift back to the hotel at dusk. It's still a surprise when the sun goes down in 80 degree weather.

At the Follies Polynesian show that evening, Kimberly Brewer of Plymouth Township, traveling with her grandmother, celebrates her 17th birthday and nearly gets carried away by two burly Islanders. Vacation settles in.

SUNDAY, Nov. 19: Up early for the Pearl Harbor cruise. The Royal Prince carries many of us and a lot of Japanese tourists, cameras on everyone, to the military port.

Narration is in both English and Japanese. An English-speaking tour guide confirms that the story is slightly different for the Japanese on board.

"Not quite so patriotic," she says. Beneath the white concrete memorial, the clear water barely covers the sunken USS Arizona, which sank in five minutes with more than 1,000 men, representing 49 states, on board. Pictures of the smoke-filled harbor 37 years ago and the narrator's quiet voice creates a hush as cameras click and a few eyes moisten.

Expecting a zealously patriotic trip, we are surprised by the quiet dignity of the day.

That evening a couple of us split for a cheap meal at Pancho Goldstein's "greatest Mexican restaurant in Hawaii." It's the only place that fails to serve a wedge of pineapple in the iced tea.

MONDAY, Nov. 20: As many opt for the day-long trip to the Polynesian Cultural Center, operated by the Mormon Church, we get a rental car for a see-Oahu-for-yourself notion. A bonanza when we stop for lunch at the Waoli Tea Room in the lush Manoa Valley.

At the nearby chapel, a 10-minute mist of rain holds Japanese newlyweds in the doorway. While marriage in Japan is a matter of signing papers, the ceremony is expensive. Thousands of couples a year, we're told, choose a wedding-honeymoon in Hawaii as an alternative. Hibiscus splashed vegetation and the quaint chapel are thrown into the bargain.

A trip to the outer suburbs locates government rehabilitation signs and crowded neighborhoods. Expensive, fertile land is reserved for pineapples and sugar cane, not people. A Honolulu traffic jam on return makes us feel right at home.

TUESDAY, Nov. 21: One last coffee on the balcony before a 10 a.m. departure to Kauai, the "Garden Isle" and the oldest in the chain. Jean Scarlett, a 31-year Livonia resident, celebrates her birthday on the Waialua river tour upon arrival after a 20-minute flight. The boat briefly stops for a visit to the enchanting Fern Grotto, where married couples are remarried Hawaiian-style to the graceful strains of the Hawaiian Wedding Song.

Any accommodation complainers are silenced by the arrival at the Coco Palms Resort. Early Zsa Zsa Gabor, the hotel was the setting for Rita Hayworth's "Sadie Thompson" and retains its movie star allure.

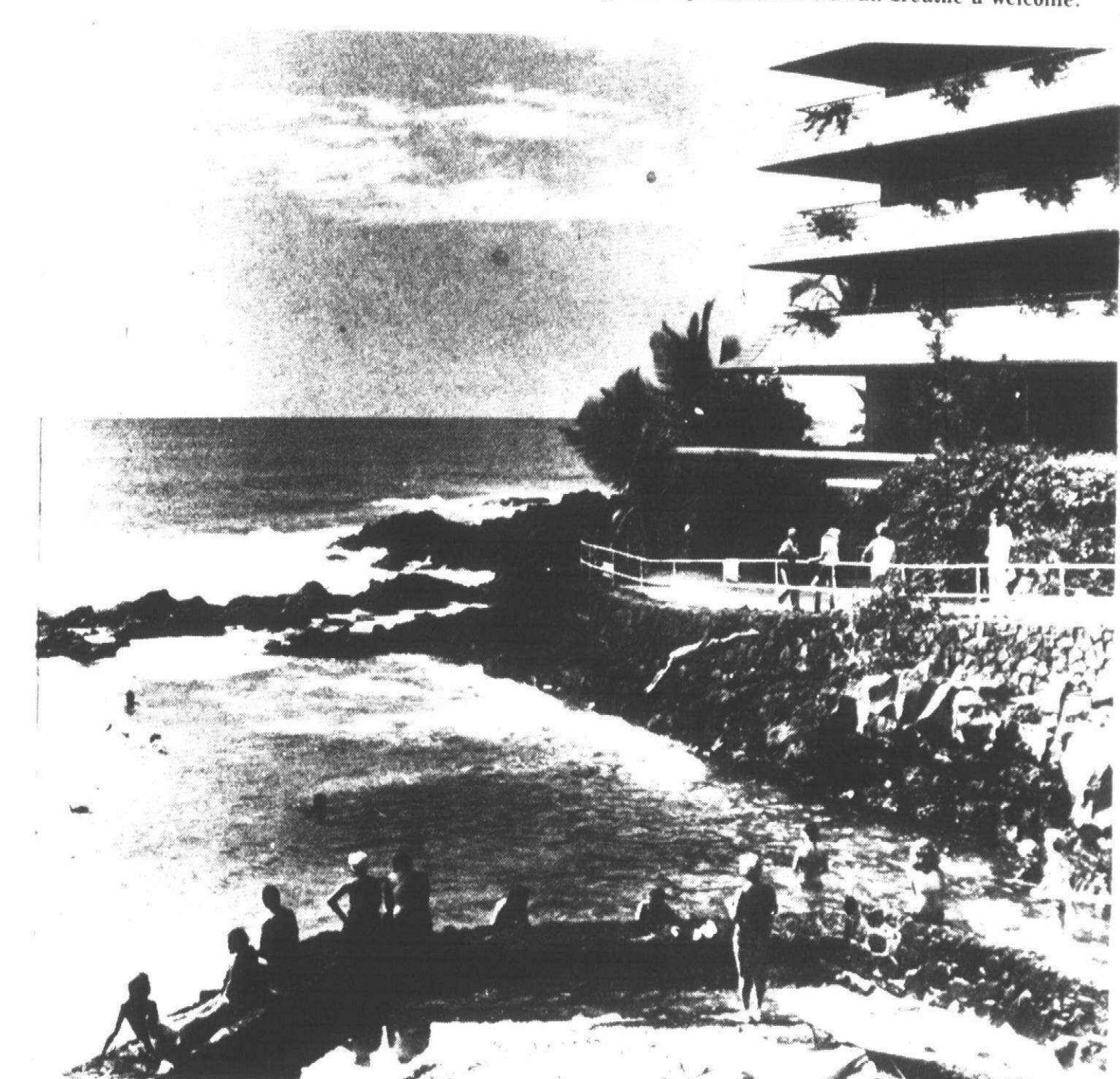
Tony and Pat Urbatz of Livonia end up in the honeymoon suite, which keeps Tony up all night wondering when they'll discover the error. No problem. The Urbatzes retain the 25X27 foot room with 17 windows overlooking two pools, an the lagoon, and the largest coconut grove on the islands. They never used the kitchenette or phone in the commode, but staved off a lot of teasing from friends about the gigantic bed flanked by gold-embossed smoked glass and overhanging green glass chandelier. The significance of the preserved lei in a glass curio cabinet remains a mystery.

WEDNESDAY, Nov. 22: A trip across the road to the beach catches a wild surf today. Swimming is cautioned here—too many reptiles and undertows keep many of us near the pools, replete with mini waterfalls of their own.

Darrell and Carol Underwood of Southfield make a trip to the Slippery Slide, built for the movie "South Pacific," but forego the slide itself, surrounded by danger signs. The 40-foot waterfall drop at the end of the slide holds back all but intrepid trouper.



Bill Hammer (right) of Farmington Hills tries to catch up on some reading, as his wife Lori (left)



Although diving and jumping are taboo, one guest at the Kona Hilton on the "Big Island" of

Hawaii chose to break the rules in favor of a splash into the tidal pool.

After a miniature tree lizard drops from the light onto the phone in one room (thankfully the shrieks fail to draw attention), we rush to catch the torch-lighting ceremony on the grounds of the resort.

With a Missionary's Downfall (rum and creme de menthe guaranteed to dispel lizardy fears) on the table and the ceiling fans lazily spinning overhead in the open-air cocktail lounge, we watch and listen as the drum beats. Blowing of the conch shell hushes the audience.

THURSDAY, Nov. 23: After getting tossed in the salty surf all afternoon, we make our way over the river and through the woods to Paradise Pacifica. Poi (mashed taro root) and sushimi (raw fish) are ignored by many in favor of more rather dry turkey amid the buffet display. A mosquito bite on Thanksgiving Day is the result for many at the outdoor dance extravaganza following dinner. The Philippine fan dance and traditional stick dance sparkle in the jungle setting, while some of the routines recall studio recitals. After all, this isn't Broadway, we rationalize.

FRIDAY, Nov. 24: Going through security to leave for Maui, one member of our tour turns as red as the point-settas gracing the highways when the guard discovers a fistful of Coco Palms sterling silver in her handbag. Since security, rather than theft, is the purpose, she gets through unscathed though mortified.

SATURDAY, Nov. 25: Shopping addicts add to their boodle at the old whaling port of Lahaina, now jammed with tourist traps.

The scenic lovers split for Haleakala Crater, large enough to hold the island of Manhattan, and a breath absorbing visit at 10,000 feet elevation. The "House of the Sun" fills yet more celluloid.

SUNDAY, Nov. 26: The all-day trip to the other side of the island and Hana, the village Charles Lindbergh called home at the end of his life, promises waterfalls and jungles, rather than the white sand beaches of Lahaina. The harrowing, hairpin turns on the bumpy road are worth the trip. So says tour member Dick Pyle of Washington DC, and we follow for a glimpse of "the closest thing to Paradise I've ever seen." Dick is the son-in-law of Stanley and Helen Bankett of Redford Township, other members of the party.

MONDAY, Nov. 27: With four days left, vacationers pick up the pace at Kona, the resort area of Hawaii. "The Big Island." A bus trip from the airport through lava-encrusted terrain surprises the tour members who have come to expect flowering vegetation everywhere.

Built on the rocks next to the ocean, the Kona Hilton's flower-bedecked balconies are a welcome sight as we lunch while the waves crash on the rocks a few feet below.

A catamaran dinner cruise at dusk along the coast begins with another entertainment round of "Tiny Bubbles" as servers continuously fill glasses from the open bar. Crowded on the 65-foot vessel, we roll with the rock of the boat, as a few merry souls brave the pitching dance floor for an easier-said-than-done rhumba.

Navigating the narrow catwalk back onto shore, however, some found the rhumba followed without the music.

TUESDAY, Nov. 28: Another early rise for another, Kona coast cruise to Kealahakua Bay, where the boat anchors to allow swims in the waters where Captain James Cook first landed. Snorkeling equipment provides a first-hand view of sea life at the base of the bluffs which prevent land access to the historic bay.

Two young Islanders, Peter and Richard, demonstrate the ancient (and dying, they inform us) art of coconut palm weaving. We entertain the sneaking suspicion that the Farmington Community Center may latch on to this one.

Following an afternoon in the hotel's tidal pool, where high surf crashes over the black lava rocks, nearly everyone prepares for the Hilton luau and the splendid roast pig, cooked underground beneath coconut fronds in an imu (earth oven lined with hot rocks).

WEDNESDAY, Nov. 29: The last tour, circling the island, takes in Volcano National Park, the site of Hawaii's most recent eruptions (September, 1977), the black sand beaches where lava is pounded into fine grains by the surf, and a fabulous orchid nursery.

Newlyweds Carole and Mike Conklin of Garden City discover that the 420-foot drop of Akaka Falls one-ups Niagara in much the same way Hawaiian coconut cream pie does Big Boy's.

THURSDAY, Nov. 30: With more luggage and less cash, departure is imminent. One woman is hauling a bagful of Maui potato chips as the plane departs at 5:30 p.m. with a scheduled arrival in Detroit for 9:30 a.m. (A five-hour time difference and one-hour Chicago layover consume the night).

A dreary arrival in the Windy City prompts one woman to comment: "Well, gang, we've given up our color TV—it's back to black and white."

Helen Tabaka of Farmington Hills manages to load 11 cases of pineapples into her sons' vans (the record, we've heard, is 32 cases or 256 pineapples).

Snug in our beds that evening, we discover that a winter storm has closed O'Hare, missing us by about 12 hours. With film to the labs and souvenirs unpacked, we realize that Paradise is about 5,000 miles and 60 degrees away.



Central bandmen

Bandmen at Central Middle School can swing out with the latest tunes as demonstrated at the practical arts department open house. Front row (from left) Ken Jenni-

son, Nancy Hofman, John Hurley and Ken Pitts; back row (from left) are Kathy Young, Scott Janis and John Wimmer. (Staff photo by Gary Caskey)

Off the walls

Nicotine queen kicks the habit

By NANCY WALLS SMITH
Look out, world! I've quit smoking. And each day without a nicotine fix brings me to new peaks of irritability. So far I've managed to alienate my husband, my kids, and most of our friends.

It's true that I'll probably live longer if I can keep from smoking, but I can't see that it's going to be much fun if there's no one left who will talk to me. I really don't blame them. I don't even like being around me.

I'M HOPING that once this difficult withdrawal part is over (will it ever end?) I won't turn into one of those typical ex-smokers. You know, the kind of person who sits around all evening telling you about how he or she used to smoke 15 packs a day, but through great courage and personal fortitude was able to quit. And now the rest of the world must quit too.

I'm hoping I won't turn out like that, but you can be fairly certain that I will. I'm also fairly certain that there will be no altruism behind my lengthy horror stories or obsessive conversion attempts. If I have to suffer this much to cleanse and purge my system of the

evils of nicotine, I don't want anyone else to enjoy his smokes either.

I'm finding that the roughest part, so far, is keeping myself from eating anything and everything that will fit into my greedy little mouth. I hear that you can expect to gain about 15 pounds once you've successfully quit smoking.

Fifteen pounds is all that stands between me and a renewal on my membership card in the Lane Bryant chubbette club. So, in order to keep from ballooning my frame into its previous state of deformity, I'm constantly in search of things to put in my mouth that contain little or no calories. Not an easy task!

I drink tea and bouillon, suck on hard candies, eat saltines, carrots and celery sticks, and chew on my thumb a lot. In between, I chomp on the stem to my kid's bubble pipe. Oral deprivation is rough.

I HATE TO admit it, but I do feel better. After all I've been through, I think I deserve to.

I must confess, though, that it was my husband's smoker's cough that led

me to this latest path of righteousness. He was well on his way to developing a morning hack that was beginning to grate on my sensitive little nerves. One morning a couple of weeks ago, I finally screamed, "I can't stand it anymore."

After I explained that it was the cough that had to go, my husband calmly replied that he would be more than willing to quit smoking if I would quit for a week first. There was a definite look of smugness on his face as he made this remark. I'm sure he was certain that ol' wishy-washy Nance would crack after one day of denial.

Well, I fooled the old boy. I could tell he wasn't exactly thrilled after I had gone six days without a smoke. He probably would have been greatly relieved if I'd forgotten the whole thing, but all I had to say was, "Smoke it up, kiddo, 'cause tomorrow you join the ranks of those of us who don't indulge."

Well, it's been two weeks now and we're both pretty proud of ourselves. We may be getting fat and irritable, but at least we can breathe. And that's good. Isn't it?

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Retiring from chill

There's no doubt about it. The winters are getting longer in Michigan. And they're colder, too.

It's also a fact that there's a direct relationship between one's age and winter's chill factor. This has been test proven in my own personal laboratory. Every year it gets colder; and every year it takes a little longer to thaw out.

MAYBE MICHIGAN'S winters wouldn't be so unbearable if we didn't talk about the weather. We could just go about our work, bundled up and blind to the elements...slush, snow, sleet, cold winds, etc.

But unless you wear a set of permanent earmuffs, that's difficult to do.

For example. Turn on the early morning J.P. McCarthy WJR radio show. J.P. prods weatherman Mel Sillars (a witty guy, by the way) into rattling off the temperatures in Detroit, Brighton, Lansing, Grand Rapids, Kalamazoo, Battle Creek, Traverse City, Alpena and the UP.

Then he always talks about the "chill factor," presumably so we will know how cold we'll feel when we get outside.

Now that isn't bad. I think I can live with the fact that it's cold outdoors.

Speaking for the record

By BILL SLIGER

But ol' J.P. doesn't stop there. He calls Sillars back and asks: "What's the temperature in West Palm Beach this morning?"

And inevitably Mel replies: "Clearing skies and 70 degrees."

Either J.P.'s a born sadist, or some airline is slipping him a sawbuck on the side.

THAT KIND OF talk starts you to thinking about the warm sun and wide fairways in Florida.

Admittedly, it isn't all J.P.'s fault. My old friend, Bernie Stadtmiller, has retired to Florida. He's a former long-time Plymouth resident who sold a million flush doors before selling out his business. He really didn't retire. He's got a new career.

He's a magazine publisher. Can you imagine a door salesman in the publishing business?

Anyway, he sent me a copy of his latest edition the other day along with a note suggesting that Harry Crawford and I ought to come down for a few days of golf. Harry's another Plymouth resident and also a longtime golfing partner of Bernie and myself.

Bernie likes to get the "snow birds" down to his windy, well-watered Florida course. It's money in the bank.

Bernie's new magazine business? You wouldn't believe it! It's called Post Card Collector's Magazine. And it's the official, probably only, publication for post card collectors in the United States. And Bernie, who always has been interested in collecting cards, stamps, etc., has become a national authority on old post cards.

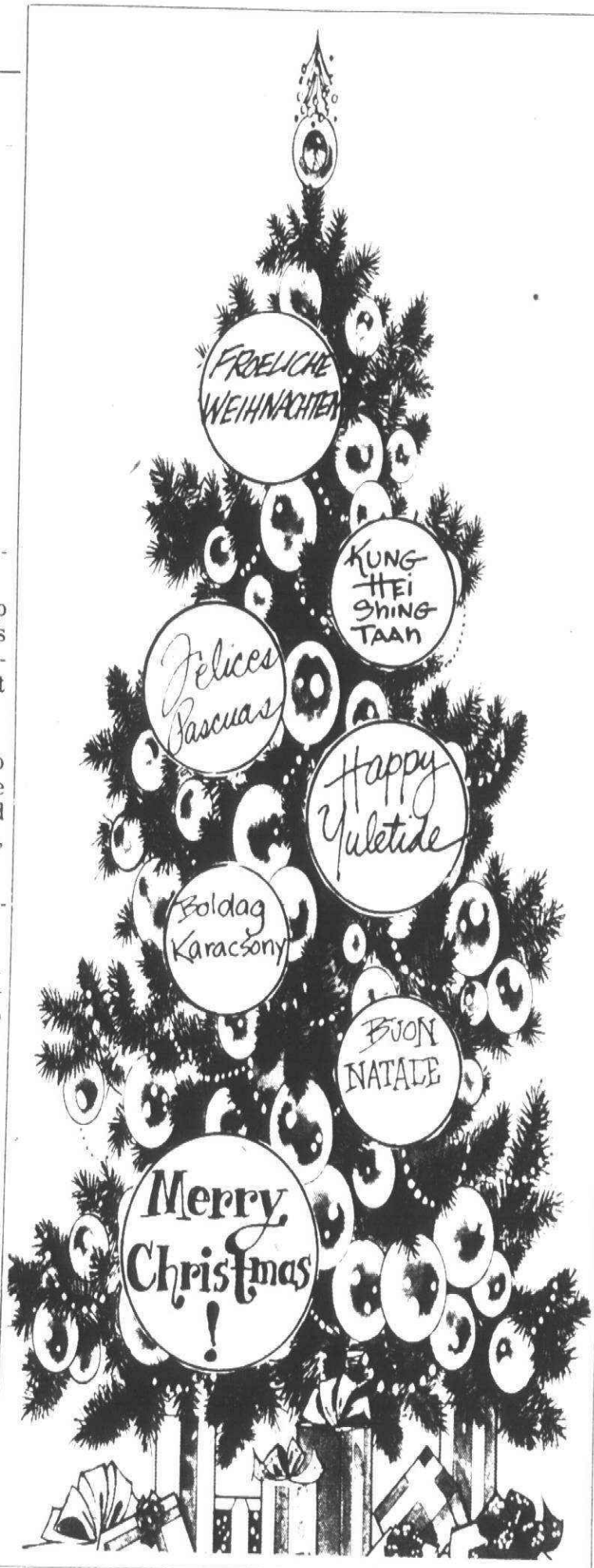
He attends conventions all over the country and his comments are much in demand by fellow collectors. His magazine is filled with reproductions of a wide variety of post cards—historical, humorous, seasonal, etc. He researches their origin and frequently reveals that many famous artists got their start during the "lean" days of drawing illustrations for post cards.

SO MAYBE that's the answer to warmer winters for Michiganiens. Turn a hobby into a business and earn some money while having fun in the sun.

Just because of J.P. and Bernie, I checked out the air flight rates to Orlando. And I was surprised to learn there are substantial savings for planning ahead or flying late at night.

For example, regular coach round trip fares to Orlando from Detroit are \$214. If you are lucky enough to obtain a confirmed reservation, paid seven days in advance, the two-way fare is \$148.50. Early reservations for night flights, round trip to Orlando for one, is about \$115.

What's the temperature in Orlando? Seventy with a wind-chill factor of 68.



A 1944 Christmas mass that continues

It was late December 1944. America's Seventh Army in Europe was battling through Alsace, heading towards the Rhine and Germany.

One 23-year-old infantryman, in combat since August, was exhausted.

Then he heard nine words that mustered an inward sigh of relief. An aid station doctor was saying, "I'm sending you back to the field hospital, soldier."

A bumpy ride in the packed GI ambulance seemed like a jaunt in some chauffeur-driven limousine.

THE JOURNEY ended in the square of a tiny Alsatian village. U.S. medical personnel had taken over the local Catholic hospital.

An ancient structure, the building was two stories, complete with a beautiful chapel. It had been run by an order of German nursing nuns until a few weeks earlier.

The infantryman kept thanking God that he was alive. The first two days he slept almost round the clock.

During the afternoon of Dec. 24, word was passed along that the GI chaplain would say midnight mass in the hospital chapel.

By 11:30 that evening, most patients able to walk found their way into the pews. The only illumination inside the chapel came from two flickering stubby candles on the altar.

There was occasional light from outside, when the 155 mm artillery battery cannons near the village fired at German positions. Their muzzle blasts momentarily lit the area and the chapel's stained glass windows came alive, rattled by the concussions.

As the congregation quietly sat awaiting the start of the mass, there was a slight rustling in the balcony of the chapel.

And then a squeaky organ started playing some familiar notes. Every American recognized them. Then it happened.

A CHOIR OF magnificent feminine voices began to sing:

"Stille Nacht, heilige Nacht!
"Alles schlaft, einsam wacht
"Nur das traute, hochheilige Paar
"Holder Knabe im lockigen Haar,
"Schlaf in himmlischer Ruh,
"Schlaf in himmlischer Ruh!"

Chills shot up and down the young infantryman's spine. Time tumbled backwards to a familiar Christmas story he knew so well.

It happened in 1818, when these same words

A hearty Zalig Kerstfeest and a festive Buon Natale

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Happy Yuletide to Bill Sliger, Jack Hoffman, Bill McLaughlin, John Carlo, Nanette Slavin Rakieten, Bruce Martyn, Sid Abel, Lyall Smith, Al Coffman, Dave Diles, Al Ackerman, Bill Flemming, Lucille Wattrick, Don Kremer, Doc Fenkel, Al Rice, Bill Garwood and Paul Masson.

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May the Yule Log burn brightly for Ed LaCroix, George Worrall, Abdul Jarrar, Bob Jones, Dick Storch, Chuck Wadowski, Tom & Charlotte Kuzma, Jim Jorissen, Earl & Geri Brown, Harry Bouwman, George Maskin, Barbara Rutkowski, Johnnie Walker, Pat McDonald, Ruth Sullivan and Mary Childs.

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Jingle those bells, Santa. Jingle them loud on a midnight clear for Bob Waters, Kathy Himes, Ann Bouie, Wayne Weimer, Ruth Koepke, Carl Cederberg and Nat Sibbold.

In any language, and in any religious belief, may the blessings of the season be yours. MERRY CHRISTMAS!



Tom Riordan

Executive Editor

were sung for the first time. It was in another chapel, not too many miles from where he knelt, at another midnight mass, much like the one he was attending.

The young infantryman silently mouthed the words in English:

"Silent night, holy night,
"All is calm, all is bright.
"Round yon virgin mother and child,
"Holy infant so tender and mild,
"Sleep in heavenly peace,
"Sleep in heavenly peace!"

Tears streamed down his cheeks. So this is what Christmas is really all about, he thought. An emotion he had never felt before welled up within his chest.

WHEN THE PRIEST prepared to distribute communion, there again was movement in the balcony.

Tree heralds Christmas

The fancy tree was ordered from a greenhouse. The big green tree still had to be purchased from a lot by the whole family, and to me this is when Christmas started.

When the tree was selected, everyone had a responsibility. I always had to put it up.

Fortunately, as our son got older, he could help because the trunk never fit in the stand and the tree was always too tall to fit in the room.

After shaving the trunk and pruning the tree, the family had a ritual of deciding which was the best side to face out.

Being the tallest in the family, I put up the lights, but from that point on, the kids took over.

For many years we had to wire up the tree because it was so overlaid with goodies.

We probably could have selected any tree around because no one ever saw what the tree really looked like with all the ornamentation.

WE NEVER tried an artificial tree. This constituted an artificial Christmas to us.

While we were trimming the tree, part of the family baked Christmas cookies. So when the job was done, we were really ready for St. Nicholas.

Even when we were away for Christmas, we always had a tree as a sign of the season.

When it came down, we knew the Christmas season was over and the New Year was upon us.

When does the Christmas season start? Some people with long faces say, "Too early." Merchants say the Friday after Thanksgiving.

The season probably starts at different times for different people. For some people, it doesn't ever start.

It is something that starts inside you when you

Eccentricities

by HENRY M. HOGAN, JR.



make a commitment to think about what you are going to do for other people. This is what the joy of Christmas is all about.

TO ME, THE REAL Christmas season starts when you go out and get a Christmas tree.

When our kids were younger, we all used to go out to a tree farm and search for hours until we found the perfect tree. We would all help cut it down, and it was our own tree.

Then as they got older, we went to a decorator's tree. It was beautiful with its flocking and turquoise lights. Not exactly very Christmasy, but beautiful.

After a while, we called that "Mom's tree," because she was the artistic soul in the family and each child had his or her own small tree with lights and ornaments that fit their ideas of what a Christmas tree should be.

Then we added another big tree which became "Dad's tree." It was green with multicolored lights and basic things like strings of popcorn, candy canes and homemade ornaments. The kind of tree I remembered having as a boy.

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Just Between Us

Is your life 'out of synch'?



By
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"Jet lag" has become a common complaint. "I'm here but my body is still on California time," can be heard not only in business offices but also in many social gatherings. Such air travel complaints highlight the reality that persons often are out of pace, that there are disjunctive features to their lives and feelings. Things, to use another familiar concept, are like a film that is not properly threaded on a projector. It throws out a blurred and disjointed picture that is grating and unpleasant to the sense. Or the sound and the picture are not emerging in appropriate relationship. Things are not adequately synchronized, but are "out of synch."

GETTING ONE'S BODY back in tune with the present time and space after travel probably is one of the easiest kinds of getting in step that we have to do.

Rest — getting some sleep — generally is sufficient to let our "biological clock" get reset and the parts of our body back into harmony.

Getting out of synch occurs not only within our bodies in connection with travel, but also within our relationships. It may be either individual or social, involving us either alone or in connection with others.

Either pattern, individual or social, is unpleasant and something that we wish to avoid or to rid

ourselves of as soon as possible.

Much of our life obviously does not consist of doing things on a totally individual basis. But there are some ways in which being out of synch can be changed primarily by the individual.

When one is out of step with the general tenor and pace of life, for example, or is out of synchronization with the pace of one's work, the burden of changing things often does seem to rest with the individual, rather with the system or the organization.

Doing something about being out of synch does not necessarily mean that a person has to become adjusted to an undesired situation.

THERE ARE THREE typical ways persons try to remedy their synchronization problems.

One is to speed up and try to catch up with the pace at which things are moving.

"Work harder" or "run faster" becomes the motto when one is following the speed-up-to-get-in-synch pattern.

The opposite approach, that of slowing down, often is taken when one feels that he or she is out in front of the pace.

This may occur when a person comes to feel that running too fast is causing too much stress internally, inside one's self.

"I'm going to slow down and let things move

with me for a change" may be the attitude.

A third approach is to drop out of the system entirely. Dropping out may mean quitting the race temporarily or getting into another sphere of living entirely.

During the 1960s and early 1970s large numbers of individuals who were out of synch, i.e., often out of sympathy with the values of the society, attempted to drop out.

Alternative lifestyles, including communal living, singlehood and others, have become a familiar part of the contemporary scene.

Many of those who feel out of synch not only opt to drop out of the larger society's life but also try to create a new life-style compatible with their own sense of pace and value.

MANY FACTORS may contribute to one's feeling out of synch and to one's desire for something different. Fatigue, disagreement with the values and tenor and simply a desire for something different are among the reasons a person may feel at odds and in disharmony with life around him.

Actually, a considerable amount of life involves recognizing that it is necessary to take into consideration the wishes and desires of others and the constraints that they place on our lives.

Family life in particular calls for such recognition. Living in a family means that adults have to

take into account the fact that children cannot move as fast as adults do.

In simple terms, big people have to slow down so that little people can keep up with them or the two generations are out of synch in their movement or in their understanding and comprehension.

Marital partners must work out their patterns of living and development so that they are in synch. One of the most damaging factors in marital life is different growth rates between partners, so that after a period of years they are operating on different wave lengths.

When it is recognized that the differences that are occurring in a marriage are due to being out of synch, rather than to deliberate efforts and intent to make the other person unhappy, the way is open to begin working on specific ways to bring the lives into synchronization.

HAVING RECOGNIZED what is happening, the partners also have to decide what they are willing and able to do in order to make their needs and behaviors mesh appropriately.

Getting in synch individually and socially—in individual, work, love, and family life—and staying in synch is a continuing process and a significant part of the living process.

(The writer is a consulting psychologist and marriage counselor in the suburban area.)

Ask the Educator

Teachers need a lounge to let off steam



JOSEPH HADDAD

QUESTION: At the elementary school where I teach, volunteers and room mothers share the teachers' lounge and workroom.

Some of us don't mind sharing our space, but many of us do object. We feel a loss of privacy in this situation.

Our principal says that we owe this to our volunteers because they give so

freely of their time. How can we convince him otherwise?

Mrs. K. B.

ANSWER: Your principal is allowing a loaded situation to continue. Teachers are human, too, and need a place to gripe or let off steam just like

anybody else. They deserve a moment now and then to let their hair down without being observed by representatives of their community.

Volunteers should be provided with a suitable lounge area of their own.

Teaching is hard work and more stressful than most folks imagine. It helps sometimes to relieve tension and

frustration by complaining in a way that we might prefer to remain private — no matter how much we love our work and enjoy children.

THESE REASONS also underlie my belief that principals themselves shouldn't spend too many hours in the

lounge.

It can be tempting for the principal to set up office where the coffee is brewed. Teachers, however, ought to be free to let off steam occasionally about the school administration.

This should not necessarily be construed as disloyalty. Gripping about the boss is a long accepted part of the

American work ethic. It is as natural as the coffee break.

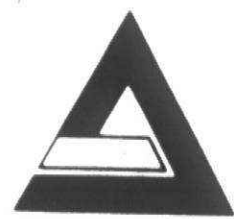
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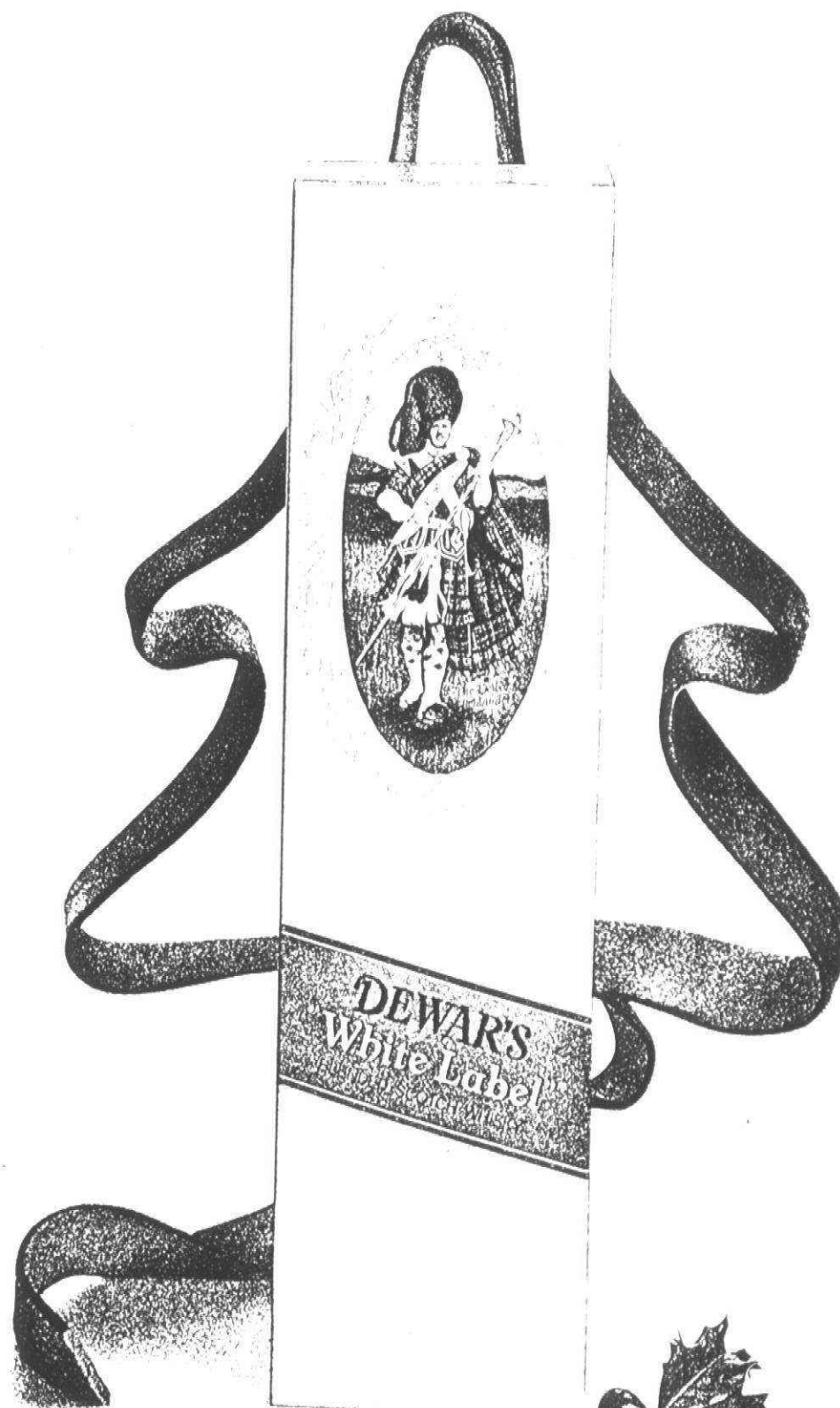


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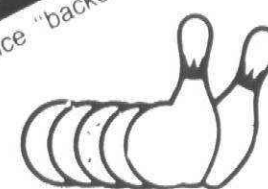
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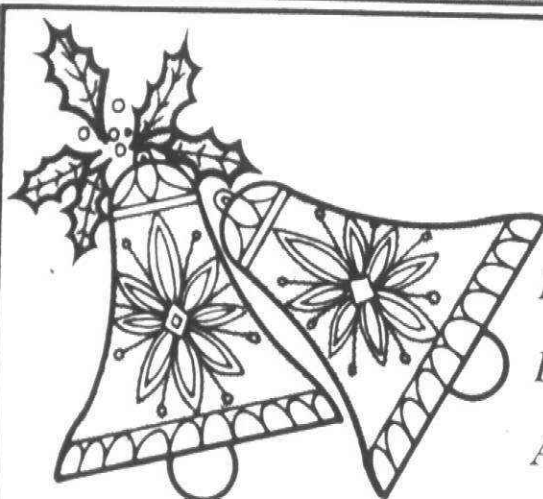
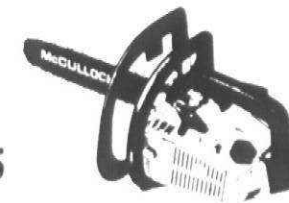
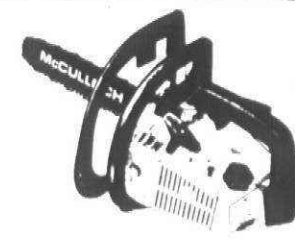
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Laura Sett looks over one of her Irish colleen dolls in her Canton home. More dolls, below, are ready to go to Mrs. Sett's family as very special Christmas gifts. (Staff photos by Gary Caskey)

Decking the halls with Grandma's dolls

By MARGARET MILLER

Irish dolls in green and white—a whole clothesline full of them—represent Laura Sett's preparation for Christmas this year.

They will deck Christmas trees in the homes of her sons and grandchildren. Last year it was tiny skater dolls that Mrs. Sett made for the family, and the year before that it was Uncle Sams for the bicentennial.

The tradition has been going on for 16 years.

Mrs. Sett, who brought up her family of six sons in Redford Township and now makes her home in a trailer in Canton's Holiday Park, has shipped three little Irishmen to Florida for one grandson and his wife and two youngsters.

The rest will find spots on Christmas trees in Michigan, most of them in this suburban area.

Altogether, there were 61 Irish dolls

fashioned by hand in a year-long project. That's one for each son, one for each daughter-in-law, one for each of 22 grandchildren (spouses share in the case of the grandchildren), and one for each of 19 small great-grandchildren.

DOLLS FOR CHRISTMAS is a custom that just happened to evolve, this busy, twice-widowed great-grandmother explained.

"Sixteen years ago I had a bunch of clothespins, so for a little extra I made ballerina skirts for them and gave one to each of the children and grandchildren," she said.

"They just loved them and they all put them on their Christmas trees. Then, the next year, they all started asking what kind of dolls I was going to make them."

So a decorative and unusual tradition was born.

It's one that now keeps Mrs. Sett busy all year.

"I make them all by hand except for the faces, which I buy," she said. "Each doll body is cut out and sewed and stuffed."

Then come the clothing and finishing touches. This year's clan of Irish all have sequin shamrocks on their britches. The little men all have tiny clay pipes, molded by Mrs. Sett with

patient fingers, and the girls have crocheted skirts.

All have crocheted or felt and feathered hats topping their saran hairdos. There are fringed pants and embroidered vests. Tiny shoes also are part of the costumes.

THE IRISH are the first nationality to be represented in the doll collections fashioned by Mrs. Sett. In honor of her first husband, Tom Noonan, she explained.

In other years there have been pixie dolls and Santa Claus dolls and Madonna dolls and Pilgrim dolls and cowboy dolls and Indian dolls, to name just a few.

"I decide each year what the theme will be," she said, "but I don't tell any of the family until I give them out at Christmas."

She always means to save one but it never seems to work out.

"There's always a friend who wants one, so I wind up giving them all away," she said.

The number of dolls to be fashioned keeps going up as new great-grandchildren are added to the family. The cost of the project goes up too.

"I used to be able to make them for 40 or 50 cents each," Mrs. Sett said. "Now the cost is more like \$1.25 to

\$1.50, by the time you buy all the materials like stuffing and felt and sequins and beads.

"I figure I spent more than \$100 this year."

IT'S WELL worth the cost, though, when admiring friends come to see the collections just before they are dispersed and when family members express their appreciation.

Sons Ray, Joe and Jim, all of Redford; George of Westland; Donald of Detroit; and Pat of Harrison, Mich., use them as the main decorations for their Christmas trees each year. Getting a doll each year for each member of the family, they have substantial collections.

But a problem is developing, their mother said.

"The grandchildren start estab-

lishing their own homes and putting up their own Christmas trees and they are coming to get their dolls," Mrs. Sett noted.

"When my one grandson moved to Florida, he took his dolls with him. Now my daughters-in-law are beginning to say their trees look a little bare."

MAKING DOLLS is described by this senior citizen as "good therapy."

"It gives me something to do," she added.

But creating the little critters is not the only thing that keeps Mrs. Sett busy.

She plays in a kitchen band and is active in senior citizen groups of St. Robert Catholic parish in Redford and her present Royal Holiday residence.

She also is a member of auxiliaries for the American Legion Post 271 in

Redford and the World War I Veterans of Foreign Wars in Plymouth. Then there's the Canton Women's Club to fill up some more hours.

She wonders if maybe her interest in making dolls stems from the fact that she had only sons and never a chance to buy dolls as Christmas gifts.

"Well, I did buy a doll as a gift one Christmas," she admitted. "It was a boy doll, for one son when he was only about three. But after we opened presents I found him in the bedroom stamping on it; he said he was a boy and didn't want any stupid doll for Christmas."

But he and his brothers all love their current collections. So when the Irish dolls all are in place on assorted trees, the big Christmas question is bound to be "What kind of dolls will mother make next year?"



Kathy Wood of the arts council passed out grant money to Kathy Schmidt, (from left) Jean Knowles, Marilyn Finch and Judy Stone. (Staff photo)

5 teachers awarded PCAC grant funding

The Plymouth Community Arts Council has awarded \$1,000 in grants to four teachers and one librarian in the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools. Ann Depa, Jean Knowles, Kathy Schmidt, Judy Stone and Marilyn Finch received their grants through the Teacher Projects Assistance program, initiated last year by the arts council.

Ann Depa, a teacher at Allen Elementary School, plans to use her grant money for equipment to enlarge and improve a filmmaking program which was started with a grant from the Michigan Council for the Arts.

"Films are products of creative thinking and writing," she said in her proposal. "In this age of TV and movies, it is imperative that children become more critical of the media that exert such influences over their lives. Working in animated and live-action films will give them another tool to understand and contribute to the world they live in."

"PUPPETRY is a vehicle which fosters the growth of imagination and expression," said Jean Knowles, media specialist at Isbister Elementary School.

Her grant money will be used for a portable puppet stage and other puppet equipment which she foresees as being used by the entire staff to "teach everything from library skills to American history."

Kathy Schmidt, librarian at Gallimore Elementary School, earned a grant for her plans for a kit project "which fills curriculum needs in social studies for the fifth grade as well as a third grade program for gifted children, whose theme this year is foreign countries."

The kits would contain a broad variety of objects reflecting a particular country's culture and could be taken home for study and family observation. Some of the items will be maps, a book of folk tales, film strips and mini-viewers, and art objects.

MARLYN FINCH and Judy Stone of Pioneer Middle School will supervise a mini-grant program for talented and gifted children in the sixth through eighth grades. The students will work on individual in-depth projects and will share the results of their work with other students and local groups.

The aim of the Teachers Projects Assistance program is to encourage teachers to devise arts activities for general curriculum development and to explore existing local resources. Teachers were invited to apply to the PCAC for funds to be used in implementing innovative arts activities which would be impossible without financial assistance.

APPLICATIONS were reviewed by a committee consisting of Kathy Wood, staff administrator for PCAC; Sam Ulsaker, administrator of federal projects for the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools; and Julie Kath.



Canton Chatter

By SHARON STARON 455-5322

Members of Geneva Presbyterian Church had their annual Christmas potluck dinners last Wednesday and Thursday evening. Bozo, played by Ken Beach, and Santa, played by Bob Smith, were on hand for the children.

An animated movie about the nativity was shown and enjoyed by both the young and the older. Christmas carols ended the nights' entertainment in the holiday spirit.

On Dec. 19 the church choir, the senior high youth group and other members went to the Dion Nursing Home laden with gifts for the patients. The congregation had drawn names from a list of the residents at the home and bought them each a gift. Christmas caroling left the patients in a festive mood.

The Christmas tree at Geneva is a special one. It is decorated with mittens and toys for tots. The tree will be 'undecorated' long before any of the other trees in town to make sure the gifts are received by the children who need them.

Members also held their annual Christmas tea and cookie exchange last Sunday afternoon. Everyone in attendance went home with a yummy assortment of cookies.

The congregation at Geneva mixes its social activities with helpful, charitable contributions throughout the Christmas season—a little for themselves and a lot for others.

THE CANTON Newcomers Club craft auction was a huge success. Members contributed such beautiful items for the 50-50 auction that all were sold to the highest bidder.

Auctioneer Karl Barkowski, donated his time to the newcomers. He is a Professional auctioneer.

The club received over \$600 from the event. Plans already are in the making to do it again next year.

In the holiday spirit, the newcomers have made 350 tray and party favors for the senior citizens of Canton. Some of the favors will be used for the seniors' Christmas party at the Canton Recreation Hall and some will go to the Dion Nursing Home. Dale Hall, Canton's senior citizen director, will distribute others directly to seniors who are homebound.

The club also has donated 50 gifts to the Wiltie Home for retarded adults to make their Christmas merrier. The patients will receive a craft kit along with jewelry or after shave lotion.

CHRISTMAS open houses are a fun way to share the spirit of the holidays with friends and neighbors.

Bob and Carol Koeseel of Devonshire Drive had their open house for more than 50 couples Dec. 10 while Bob and Kathy Spencer of Palisades Drive greeted guests to their home last Sunday afternoon.

Much friendship and Christmas cheer were in abundance at both gatherings.



Announcing Judith

Donna and Joe Railla of William Street, Plymouth, decided the usual birth announcement cards wouldn't do for their daughter, Judith. "Anyway, I'm bigger than just about anybody," said the 250-pound father. "That's why I designed the King Kong announcement. An artist friend of mine did the actual drawing."

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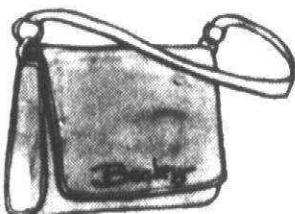
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Parents and friends were invited to the school on Main Street at Church Dec. 14 to join in the fun. There was food, music demonstrations and displays. And the Parent Teacher Student Organization took advantage of the crowds for its bake sale.

There were a student art display, a button making display and a jump rope making booth in the main foyer. The industrial arts department had an exhibit and demonstration in Room 109. Room 103 received a steady flow of traffic as refreshments, concocted by the students, were served in Santa's Kitchen. Guests took advantage of the PTSO bake sale and saw the home living displays.

Swimming demonstrations were in progress in the pool and mini concerts were presented in the red hall.

SCHEDULED EVENTS began at 6:30 p.m. with one of the mini concerts in the red hall.

The intermediate band concert was at 7 p.m. in the gymnasium, while another orchestra concert was in progress in the cafeteria.

The advanced band took over in the gym at 7:30 and Christmas caroling and a sing-along were going on in the cafeteria. This was followed by a choir concert.

The physical education group performed in the gym at 8 p.m. The stage band took over as a grand finale for the music department.

Teachers who cooperated in planning the festival were Diane Gustin and Nancy Mankin of the home living section; Chris Hoepfch, Diane Sproull and student teacher Kathy Graham of the art department; Michael DiCuirci, Judy Plester, Laura Wiener and student teacher Martha Davenport of the music department; Fred Crissey, Marke LaPointe, Barb MacDonald, and student teachers Barbara Butts and Robert Jenner of the physical education and health department.

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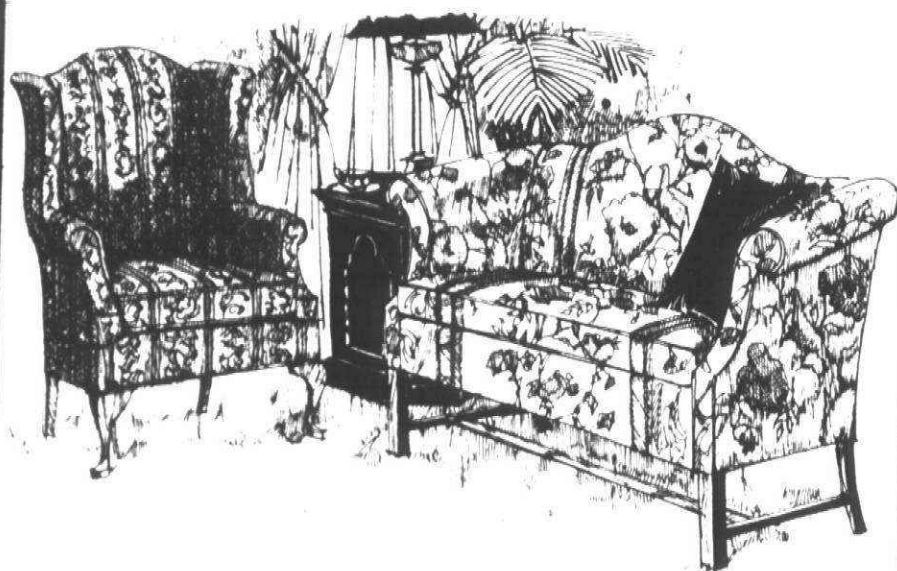
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"This open house was great. The kids did it all. Usually, the parents talk to the kids. This time, the kids talked to the parents," said one of the seventh graders in the Skills for Living class at West Middle School.

The students had planned the whole event—from designing the invitations to setting up the displays. They were under the direction of teachers Karen Janer, Betty Szilagyi and Marilyn Woodruff. Every student was on a committee and assigned to a particular exhibit or work station.

Ongoing demonstrations were featured in the areas of food and nutrition, child care, crafts, consumer education, clothing selection and sewing skills. Students in charge of exhibits answered questions and explained the goals of the one-semester elective course.

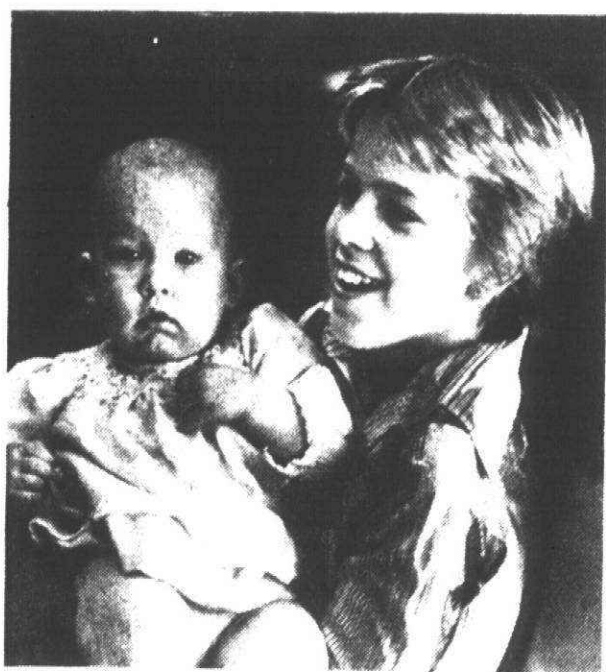
THE OPEN house helped to acquaint guests with the kinds of activities which aim at developing basic survival skills—skills that help the students fulfill their roles as society members in the most satisfying manner.

Refreshments were not only good to eat, they were high in nutritional value. They included fresh fruits and vegetables with low-calorie dips. There were pumpkin bread and fruit punch, all prepared and served by the students.

The consumer education center was popular with open house guests.

Three varieties of peanut butter and canned peaches were taste tested and compared for flavor, price value, and nutritional content to determine the best buy. Guests also tried their hand at making Christmas ornaments at the salt dough craft display table.

Parents commented enthusiastically about the Skills for Living program and noted that the classroom activities carried over to the home.



Fred Gorlitz entertained 11-month-old Nicole Pearson when she visited the skills for living class.



Scott Westerman tested three brands of peanut butter. (Staff photos by Gary Caskey)



Kim Smith demonstrated her embroidery technique.



Chris Townsend and Lisa Maggio helped prepare the punch for the open house.



Barry Bell displayed his mastery of the sewing machine.

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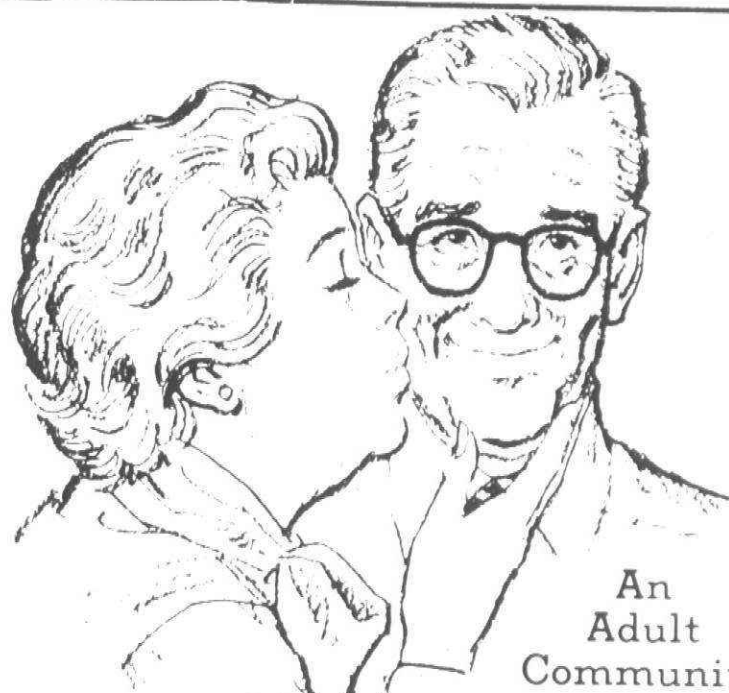
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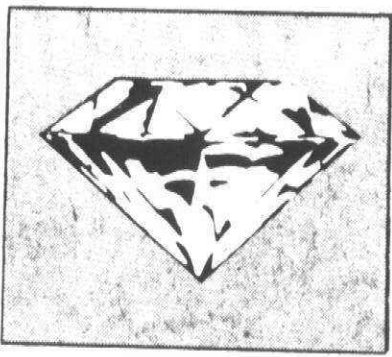
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In The Pocket



By W.W. EDGAR

Elvira Toepfer, the bowling grandmother who has been knocking down pins in the all-star leagues for more than a quarter of a century and who has been the bowling queen on five different occasions, is now collecting a new honor.

The star of the Jac-Ro team has been named Bowler of the Year by the Metropolitan Chapter of the March of Dimes and will be the honored guest at the annual sports award dinner at the Raleigh House Jan. 15.

FRED McCLAIN, of Romulus, who has done a lot of his bowling in the all-star leagues, was named "Bowler of the Year" by the Michigan Majors Bowling Association at its annual meeting. In the balloting, McClain edged Dick Beattie by a single point, 115-114.

This is the second honor he has won in the Majors this year as he captured the Match Game championship last April and has been in the finals of the monthly tournaments five times.

SCORING HIT ONE of its peaks during the past week when four bowlers broke the 700 barrier and a fifth rolled a perfect game.

The barrier-breakers included Mike Lee, who fashioned a 706 in the Little Caesar's Classic at Westland Bowl; John Hurley, who registered his ninth 700 series in the doubles league at Westland when he posted a 721; Dick Smart, who came through with a 706 at

Woodland Lanes; and Gary Asher who rolled a 717 at the Super Bowl.

While the 700 barrier was being broken, Rick James, bowling in the Little Caesar's classic at Westland, gained his share of the spotlight by rolling the second perfect game of his career. His 300 was the starter of a 670 series that enabled him to take the pace-making role.

Mike Lee's 706 was his second barrier-breaking series in the last two weeks. Among the other high counts in the classic was John Wodarski's 679 that was made possible by a 254 opening game.

The women also had a great battle which Pam Anderson finally won with games of 206 and 218 in 572.

Of course, John Hurley stole the show with his ninth 700 series, but there were some other good scorers. Among them were Clarence Mays, who had a 276 in 630; Dennis Kehrer, who had a 251 in 690; and Doryl Magoon, who had games of 220 and 227 in 636.

THE LADIES CLASSIC at Merri-Bowl hit its high point of the season when Claudia O'Hara's team rolled a 2304 count. Claudia had a 619, Char Road had a big 233 game and Elsie Shirley had 605.

Among the other high scorers were Betty Cassel with 213, Magge Felthouse with a 212 and Shirley Karlin with a 209.

Among other big shooters at Merri-

Bowl, Jim Harvey paced the Go-Getters with 248, Grace Kupbal had a 233 in 612 in the St. Genevieve circuit, and in the Invitational Doubles, Linda May was high with 589, five pins better than Mary Soh.

THERE WAS a keen battle in the Youth-Parent league at Farmington Lanes.

Fred McNeese, a 15-year-old, rolled a 591 and his father, Jerry, added a 616 to give the team a 1382 series and a victory over the Hamlin family.

Fred Hamlin, owner of Farmington Lanes, was further humiliated when his daughter, Linda outrolled him, 592-488 for a 1254 series.

Carol Derrick led the Mixed classic with a 269 in 671; Bob Harris and Jan

Vandeervell were the leaders in the Day classic. Harris fired a 269 in 648 and Jan Van deerwell had a 220 in 573.

Gordy Grimes showed the way in the High School loop with a 235 in 601 and Terry Duty topped the Ladies classic with a 223 in 658. Mary Lou Schneider took the runner-up spot with a 234 in 614; Jan Schoenberry had a 247 in 602 and Rita Carveth had 256 in 584.

DORIS MACORKINDALE took top honors in the Livonia Ladies Classic with a count of 233-34-267 in the final game and 550-102- 652 to win the series.

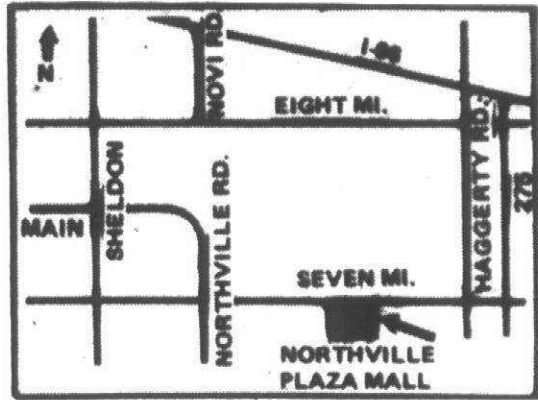
In the other games, Joan Lewis won the first with 201-30-231 and Grace Miller took the second with 201-35-236.

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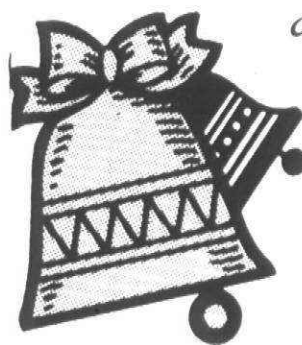
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Christmas greeting

Students in Central Middle School prepared a Christmas greeting for the whole community in the tall windows in the main stairway. (Staff photo)

Best Observer area boys' swimming times

Area boys' high school swimming coaches are encouraged to contact Lavonia Bentley coach Keith Wright, who is compiling the best performances of the season. He may be reached at 422-3070.

50-yard freestyle	
Kevin Gauthier (Bent)	22.7
Paul Petersen (Canton)	23.2
Dave Giandietti (Bent)	23.4
Larry Hein (Steve)	23.4
Tom Weber (Frank)	23.8
Ed Gabriels (CC)	24.5

100-yard freestyle	
Brian Ellis (Bent)	49.5
Kevin Gauthier (Bent)	50.4
Tom Weber (Frank)	51.0
Dave Tanner (Canton)	51.0
John Schoenle (Steve)	51.3
Ron Bonatz (CC)	51.9
Kary Stapleton (Bent)	53.4

200-yard freestyle	
Paul Dudley (Bent)	1:50.1
Mark Winter (Bent)	1:50.8
Brian Ellis (Bent)	1:52.8
Dave Miller (Thurst)	1:53.7
Ron Bonatz (CC)	1:54.2
Greg Boyle (Steve)	1:55.8

500-yard freestyle	
Mark Winter (Bent)	4:53.7
Paul Dudley (Bent)	5:04.2
Mike Larson (Clare)	5:06.5
Greg Boyle (Steve)	5:16.9
John Battista (Bent)	5:19.8
Tim Weber (Frank)	5:20.7

300-yard individual medley	
Mark Winter (Bent)	2:04.7
John Schoenle (Steve)	2:07.8
Norm Casahier (Bent)	2:09.0
Mike Larson (Clare)	2:13.3
Paul Dudley (Bent)	2:14.0

100-yard backstroke	
Kevin Gauthier (Bent)	56.5
Tom Smith (Steve)	57.4
Ed Gabriels (CC)	1:00.0
Norm Gauthier (Bent)	1:02.3
Mike Stetz (Church)	1:03.2
Eric Kirschke (Clare)	1:03.5

100-yard breaststroke	
Mark Winter (Bent)	1:02.2
Larry Hein (Steve)	1:05.0
Dave Pederson (Frank)	1:06.1
Ron Cialo (Bent)	1:09.7

100-yard butterfly	
Paul Petersen (Canton)	54.6
Dave Giandietti (Bent)	56.4
Tom Smith (Steve)	56.6
Norm Gauthier (Bent)	57.0
Brian Ellis (Bent)	57.3
Brian Hurley (CC)	1:01.6
John Klein (Frank)	1:02.4
Steve Viazanko (Thurst)	1:03.7

Diving	
John Schulte (CC)	263.40
Mark Heiden (Steve)	254.25
Don Wynne (Bent)	207.00
Steve Gray (Canton)	190.65
Steve Gaggi (Canton)	173.23
Jim Webber (Clare)	140.45
Keith Wagner (Church)	130.20

200-yard medley relay	
Bentley	1:44.2
Canton	1:46.8
Stevenson	1:47.1
Cath Central	1:51.3
Franklin	1:52.5

400-yard freestyle relay	
Bentley	3:25.2
Canton	3:33.3
Cath Central	3:36.3
Franklin	3:46.5



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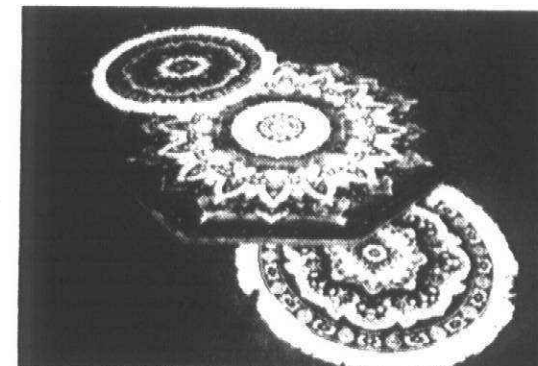
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Giving puts life in the

Withholding has its price

By DAVID T. STRONG

Christmas is about giving. Even if one is not a religious person, it is impossible to avoid being affected by the practice of giving going on at this time.

Some, like Charles Dickens' Scrooge, would say "Bah, humbug! Commercialism, I don't believe in it."

Still there is a basic need within the human soul to give to others. There is a need that is satisfied by the act of giving. Psychologists echo the truth of religious teachings when they say that there is a greater need within persons to give love than ever there is to receive love. The scriptures suggest that the more a person gives, the more he will receive.

IN EVERY CHURCH or organization, there is one or more exemplary persons, often of humble status, who give in a healthy, caring way. These people offer an example for all who will recognize their presence. Such a giver may be a janitor or a widow, or a child who has grasped the lesson of successful giving.

Recently a story appeared in a Detroit paper about a Birmingham family who earn \$60,000 a year and find it hard to keep ahead of their expenses.

Revealing family finances invites reactions, so a group of clergy discussed this family budget and commented on the fact that only \$360 a year out of \$60,000 income was spent

In this Christmas season, two clergymen take a close look at what it means to give. Each in his own way, they reached the conclusion that many miss the chance to learn about a priceless act that can change life. The Rev. David Strong is pastor of Fellowship United Methodist Church in Troy, and his comments were made in the "Moral Perspectives" column he writes once a month for the Oakland County editions of this newspaper. The Rev. James Schaefer, minister of Pilgrim United Church of Christ in Livonia, addressed his words to members of his congregation in a church publication "Pilgrim Progress," and has given permission for their reprinting.



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11 PM
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Dec. 25 10:00 A.M. Christmas Day Service
Dec. 31 10:00 A.M. Family Service
7:30 P.M. New Year's Eve Service
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SUNDAY, DECEMBER 31st
Morning - Regular Sunday schedule of Masses.
Evening - New Year's Eve Mass - 4:44 P.M.
NEW YEAR'S DAY, MONDAY JANUARY 1st
Masses at 9:36 A.M., 11:22 A.M. (Adult Choir)
and 1:07 P.M. (Folk Group).

message of Christmas

Spirit of Christmas is a gift of love

By JAMES W. SCHAEFER

Let's draw some distinctions between "our Christmas" and what other do at this time of year. Happy Holidays or Merry Christmas; Santa Claus or Jesus' birth; getting presents or giving love. One at a time.

A holiday covers many occasions, Independence Day, Memorial Day, Columbus Day, New Year's. Of course, the word began as "Holy Day," but it does not have that meaning anymore around here. Holiday means not going to work or school, having a day to yourself. To say happy holiday talks about what you do on your day off.

To say Merry Christmas is to say much more. It doesn't worry about leisure time or such things; it points to a most joyous occasion. Christmas comes from "Christ Mass," and it is a merry time, a time to rejoice and celebrate.

Jesus was born and became our Messiah. Maybe it was the most important event in the history of earth; I think so. I don't care if you share my joy about Christmas or are Christian or whatever; I want to

express my abundant happiness over the birth of Jesus. It need not offend your beliefs or faith because it is expressing the celebration of mine passed on to you in my demeanor, outlook and solemn pleasure.

SANTA CLAUS is a whole different matter. Here we have an alien being who comes by helicopter and snowmobile despite the poetic reindeer and sleigh.

The poem is innocent, but it has been expanded, distorted and twisted all out of shape. For instance, where did the behavior modification part about being a good little girl or boy come from? Are gifts ever withheld for supposed bad behavior? No! It is a ripoff and disrespectful toward the child.

Nothing disturbs me more than the substitution of the coming of Santa for the coming of Jesus. Good old Santa bountiful with all those goodies spilling out of the mall stores. And this year we have Marlon Brando giving his son, Superman, for Christmas.

Did God say, "I'll send a Messiah if you will be good until Dec. 25?" Of

course not! God sent the son because we needed the son. Put it this way: human beings needed Jesus not because they were good but, as in the Santa liturgy, because they were bad.

The coming of the Christ child in the generous and loving act of God. People didn't really understand it all until after the Resurrection but then we understood the rich meaning of Jesus' birth. God comes to us in an act which we all have experienced but not remembered and look upon as miraculous and wonderful every time it happens.

SO WHAT IS IT that we anticipate and look forward to and relish with such joy on Christmas day? Is it the getting and the big bills from VISA? Is it the self-indulgence of all the presents we receive? Are we training children to think of God as the giver of breakable toys?

Is God somehow involved in the trivialities of perfume and watches, Battlestar Galactica and Star Wars? Tell me, just how do Atari TV games and Budweiser T-shirts tell of God's gift to humanity?

If we are concerned about Christmas

and the coming of the Son, then it seems that the spirit of Christmas is a love gift. It is the giving that is important and the receiving a humbling reception. I don't know about you, but I have learned over the years that giving is so much more important than receiving, although receiving is harder to do. There is so much pleasure in giving, I cannot understand the wanting to receive.

Our happiness at Christmas is following the example of God—doing the will of God. We try to do that all the time. Or, more directly, we try to follow the example and model of Jesus whose birth we celebrate. To be the recipients of God's love is almost an embarrassment; what a gift we have received!

Our celebration is Christmas, Jesus' birth, and the giving of love, not a happy holiday with Santa Claus and the getting of presents. Pleasure is an inner satisfaction and sense of peace and harmony that comes only from knowing that the world is in God's hands and God has come to us in the life of a person, Jesus of Nazareth.

It is his birthday we celebrate on Dec. 25.



A gift of love can be one of service, like the one offered this Christmas season by the Churchill High School Psychology for Living class to residents of the Plymouth Center for Human Development. With their teacher, John Soave, (right), they put on a party for those in the center's sheltered workshop. (Staff photo by Art Emanuel)

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December 25th

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A Promise to All People

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Chancel Choir

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Spinning tops in the dreidel game are Mike Klinger, 12, left, of Livonia and his brother, Gary, 14. With them is their sister Andrea, 7. (Staff photo by Art Emanuel)

Hanuka starts Sunday night

Two thousand year before the American patriots fought the British at Lexington, a battle took place between the Jewish Maccabees and the Syrians that is still observed by Jews all over the world.

Called Hanuka, it is both a patriotic and religious celebration, and at the same time involves gift giving and a festive spirit. This year, it begins at sundown-Sunday night.

"It's one of the happiest holidays," said Frances Klinger of Livonia. "It involves eating, family visits and fun."

At the Klinger home, the children, Gary, Mike and Andrea, will light the first candle on the menorah Sunday night to start the eight-day holiday. In this way they will commemorate the miracle that occurred when the Maccabees rededicated their temple after it was recaptured from the Syrians, who took it in 165 B.C.

For the dedication ceremony, only one container of oil could be found to burn in the Ner Tamid, or eternal light, which hangs over the Holy Ark. This container had enough oil to last one day, but instead it burned miraculously for eight days.

Hanuka is the Hebrew word for dedication. Since that time, Hanuka candles have been lighted in Jewish homes. The Jews believe that by fighting tyranny, the Maccabees maintained the identity and religious freedom of the Jewish people and preserved Judaism.

IN THE KLINGER HOME, the

youngsters have their own menorahs so that each child can personally light all the candles. While doing it, the boys will place on their heads the traditional yarmulke.

First to be lit is the special shamas candle, which sits in a raised position, often in the center of the menorah. It is then used to light the other candles. On the first night only one candle is lit, with one added each night until the final night when eight candles plus the shamas will be set ablaze.

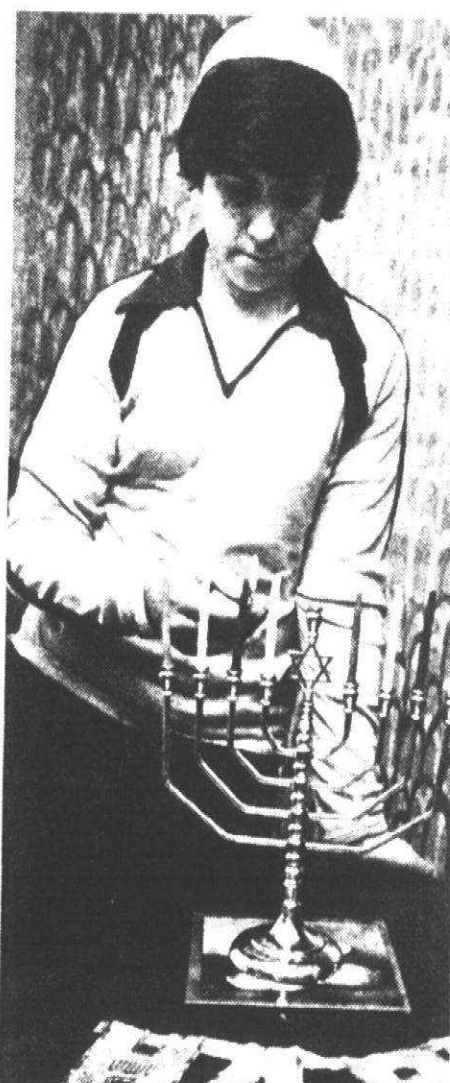
The candles are brightly colored. During the candle lighting, blessings are chanted, after which songs are sung.

The festival of lights is also marked by the giving of gifts, often money but other presents as well. In some cases, a child will receive a different gift each night.

In many Jewish homes the eating of potato pancakes, or latkes, takes place on this holiday. Cookies in the shape of the Star of David, the rampant lion or a dreidel are also served.

The dreidel is a small top that is used in a game special to Hanuka. On each of its sides is a Hebrew letter. Depending on the letter that is face up after the top is spun, the players take action. Playing with pennies, nuts or candy, participants must either put into the kitty, take the entire kitty, win half of it or pass.

The four letters are the initial letters of the Hebrew words, nes, gadol, haya and shem, which means "A great miracle happened here."



Wearing the yarmulke on his head, Gary Klinger lights a candle on the menorah, a nightly custom during the eight days of Hanuka.

Churches plan Yule festivities

A Christmas Eve lovefeast at Faith Community Church of Canton and a Christmas Day Yuletide dinner at Garden City St. Dunstan Catholic Church are among the highlights as congregations in this area bring to a climax the Advent and Christmas season.

Multi-service schedules will be the rule as Christmas Eve falls on Sunday. At least one area congregation, Newburg United Methodist of Livonia, has set five services in the course of Dec. 24, at 9:15 and 11 a.m. and at 6, 8:30 and 11 p.m.

Residents of the Plymouth and Canton area are invited to share in the lovefeast and candlelight service to be hosted by Faith Community Church beginning at 6 p.m. Christmas Eve in the meeting hall of the Canton fire station, Canton Center and Cherry Hill Roads.

The meal, which recalls a practice of early Christians, was revived in the 18th century by the Moravian Church in Europe to celebrate the love Christians share.

Faith Community Church, a Moravian congregation, will serve coffee cake and Christmas punch at its lovefeast. Passing a lighted beeswax candle to each worshipper also will be part of the service, and there will be singing of favorite carols and reading the Christmas story from the Bible.

The congregation, led by the Rev. Darryl Bell, meets Sundays in Pioneer Middle School and plans to build a church home in 1979.

Also a tradition, of a more contemporary nature, is the Christmas dinner scheduled in the church hall of St. Dunstan, 1646 Belton, west of Inkster Road in Garden City.

The parish is sponsoring the dinner, designed to provide companionship on a nondenominational basis, for the fourth year. Food contributions are being accepted and may be left at the church.

Many other congregations are announcing special plans for Christmas Eve services.

BETHEL BAPTIST TEMPLE, 29475 W. Six Mile, Livonia, will present its third annual Christmas cantata at the 11 a.m. worship.

Ron Petty will direct the choir's presentation of "A Christmas Festival," arranged by Jimmy Owens and Otis Skillings. The cantata will be sung again at 8 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 31, and the public is invited to participate both dates. The church is one block west of Middlebelt and the Rev. H.L. Petty is the pastor.

WARD UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Farmington Road and Six Mile, Livonia, plans candlelight services at 5:30 and 7:30 p.m. Christmas Eve, preceded by harp music by Onita Saunders.

Jerry J. Smith will lead the chancel choir in Christmas music and the congregation will be invited to join in carol singing. The Surprise of Christmas is the title of the message by Dr. Bartlett L. Hess, senior pastor. The public is invited to both services and nursery care will be provided.

PARKVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH, 9355 Stark, Livonia, will present its choir in a cantata titled "His Love Reaching" both Saturday and Christmas Eve.

The music by Ron Huff and Bill and Gloria Gai-

ther will be sung at 7 p.m. Saturday and at 6 p.m. Sunday under the direction of Michael Childers.

ST. MICHAEL CATHOLIC CHURCH, Hubbard at Plymouth Road, Livonia, plans a program of Christmas carols during the half-hour preceding its traditional midnight mass on Christmas Eve.

Eighty choir members will sing standard hymns and contemporary carols, with accompaniment provided by Daryl Goff on the trumpet, Dawn O'Connor on the flute and Dave Cisco on the guitar.

The public is invited.

GRAND RIVER BAPTIST CHURCH, 34500 Six Mile, Livonia, will offer special music for its two Dec. 24 services, at 10:45 a.m. and at 7 p.m.

Ray Shuster will lead the chancel choir, Gerald Goslin will provide accompaniment and Martye Lowrey will be guest soloist. The Christmas Eve messages by the Rev. Wilbert D. Gough will be God's Greatest Gift in the morning service and Keepers of Christmas, for evening worship.

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First graders in the chorus all wore floppy felt Paddington bear hats. (Staff photos by Gary Caskey)

A bear takes over at Fiegel

Paddington, the inimitable bear that loves marmalade, had a week dedicated to him and his adventures. The celebration was organized by the media specialists at Fiegel Elementary School on Joy Road.

"The week was an idea we developed to introduce Michael Bond's books about Paddington bear to Fiegel students," explained Dorothy Eden.

"Paddington Bear has gotten more attention lately because now he exists not only in books, but as a stuffed animal. And illustrations of him appear on a whole line of stationery, cards, gift wrap, ornaments, etc."

"Bond's books are well written and thoroughly enjoyable, but American boys and girls are sometimes reluctant to read the books because of the many English expressions and sometimes difficult words that are used throughout."

She said it has been proved that children will read books that challenge

their reading ability if they are highly motivated.

"Motivation is what Paddington Week is all about," said the media specialist.

DURING THE week, there were six presentations of a program in the Paddington-decorated library-media center.

There was a play put on by a small number of third, fourth and fifth graders; two songs about Paddington performed by a first grade class; magic tricks performed by a budding fifth grade magician; and the presentation of prizes for the Paddington coloring and poetry contests.

Refreshments were Paddington's favorite—cinnamon-marmalade buns with hot cocoa. Each child received a Paddington bookmark and third through fifth graders were given an autobiography of author Michael Bond provided by his publishing company.

Parents and teachers cooperated in the preparations. Mrs. Eden wrote to the author and told him about the plans for a Paddington Week. He responded with a special greeting to the Fiegel students and a Paddington footprint, which was displayed in the library.

The week resulted in a host of new Paddington fans who gained an intimate knowledge of the unusual bear and the Browns, his adopted family in England.

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A second public hearing will be held on Monday, February 5, 1979, at 7:30 P.M., Plymouth City Hall, 201 S. Main Street, Plymouth, Michigan, at which time the Plymouth City Commission will announce the Community Development Projects to be submitted to the Wayne County Office of Program Development and Coordination.

PAUL V. BRUMFIELD, City Clerk

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To the Supervisor and Clerk of the Township of Plymouth, Wayne County, Michigan.

Sirs:

You are hereby notified that the Board of County Road Commissioners of the County of Wayne, Michigan, did, at a meeting of said Board held on November 22, 1978, decide and determine that the certain streets described in the minutes of said Board should be County roads under the jurisdiction of the Board of County Road Commissioners. The minutes of said meeting fully describing said streets are hereby made a part of this notice, and are as follows:

Minutes of the regular meeting of the Board of County Road Commissioners of the County of Wayne, Michigan, held at the Board's offices, 415 Clifford Street, Detroit, Michigan, at 9:00 A.M., Eastern Standard Time, Thursday, November 22, 1978.

Present: Chairman Berry, Vice-Chairman Herron and Commissioner Burton.

"Commissioner Burton moved the adoption of the following resolution:

BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Road Commissioners of the County of Wayne, Michigan that it hereby accepts the dedication to the use of the public of the following described roads and they are hereby taken over as county roads and made a part of the county road system of the County of Wayne:

All of Winterset Circle, Chambray, Meadow and Robin Courts, Hillcrest and Normandy Courts East, Hillcrest and Normandy Courts West and Harvest, Hillcrest, Meadow, Normandy, Pine Hill, Plum Tree, Sunbird and Woodway Drives, as dedicated to the use of the public in RIDGEWOOD HILLS SUB'D No. 1, part of the West 1/2 of Section 32, T.15, R.8E, Plymouth Twp., Wayne Co., Michigan, as recorded in Liber 96 of Plats of Pages 35 thru 40, Wayne County Records, constituting 2.415 miles of County Roads.

The motion was supported by Commissioner Herron and carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Commissioners Burton, Herron and Berry.
Nays: None."

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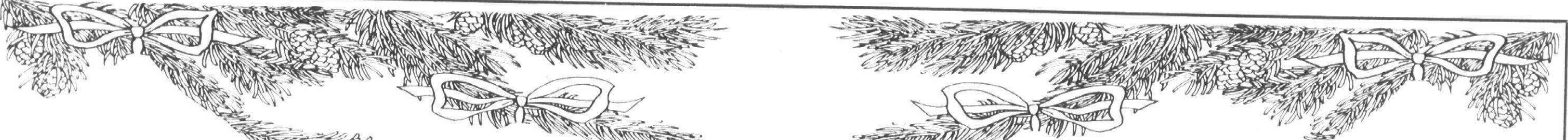
In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand at Detroit, Michigan this 29th day of November, A.D. 1978.

**BOARD OF COUNTY ROAD COMMISSIONERS
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Plymouth cagers rejoice at Churchill

Canton dominates Stevenson, 64-53

By DENNIS O'CONNOR

Plymouth Canton used its exceptional height advantage to its fullest in breezing to a 64-53 victory over Livonia Stevenson in the nightcap of the first round of Livonia Churchill Christmas Classic basketball action Tuesday night.

The Chiefs, 5-1 on the year, face arch-rival Plymouth Salem (6-0) in second-round action tonight. Stevenson, 4-3 overall, battles Livonia rival Churchill in its second game.

Although the final outcome was an 11-point difference, the Chiefs actually had an easy time of things, dominating the boards—especially offensively—for the victory.

Canton raced to an 18-9 first-quarter lead and increased it to as many as 24 points, 50-26, late in the third quarter. All the reserves for both teams saw action in the final six minutes of play.

Despite the easy triumph, Canton coach Craig Bell felt it was a harder victory than most fans saw.

"It wasn't easy," the Canton mentor said. "We played hard and we played well. Any time you beat a Livonia Stevenson team, you can take a lot of pride. George VanWagoner works very hard with his kids."

"We set the tempo early and maintained it," Bell said. "We got back into that type of game plan, and we were happy with that."

"We knew we had to get to the boards and dominate. We're a big team and we have to go to the boards to get the tempo of the game."

"Canton's a good ball club. They're not super, but they are good," said Stevenson's VanWagoner. "They did things better than us and that's why they won."

Butch King led all scorers with 22 (Continued on page 3C)

Salem's 4th quarter crushes Churchill

By DENNIS O'CONNOR

Plymouth Salem turned a close game into an easy 20-point victory by outscoring Livonia Churchill 23-5 in the fourth period to take the first game of the Livonia Churchill Christmas Classic, 62-42, over the Charger cagers Tuesday night.

The Rocks led all the way, scoring the first eight points of the game before Churchill ever got a shot at the basket. The spunky Chargers continued to fight back and actually controlled the tempo of the game from the middle of the second quarter to the end of the third period, pulling within two points, 39-37.

Then the roof fell in on the home team.

Salem dominated the boards in the final quarter, getting countless offensive rebounds for additional scoring

opportunities, while limiting Churchill to only one shot each time down the floor.

"We had a shot at it—I have to believe it," said a disappointed Churchill coach Fred Price. "It was a disastrous fourth quarter. What can I say?"

"We were down two and our rebounders, our big guys, didn't do it. It wasn't as physical as I thought it would be until the fourth quarter. Then the kids let down and you can't do that against a physical team."

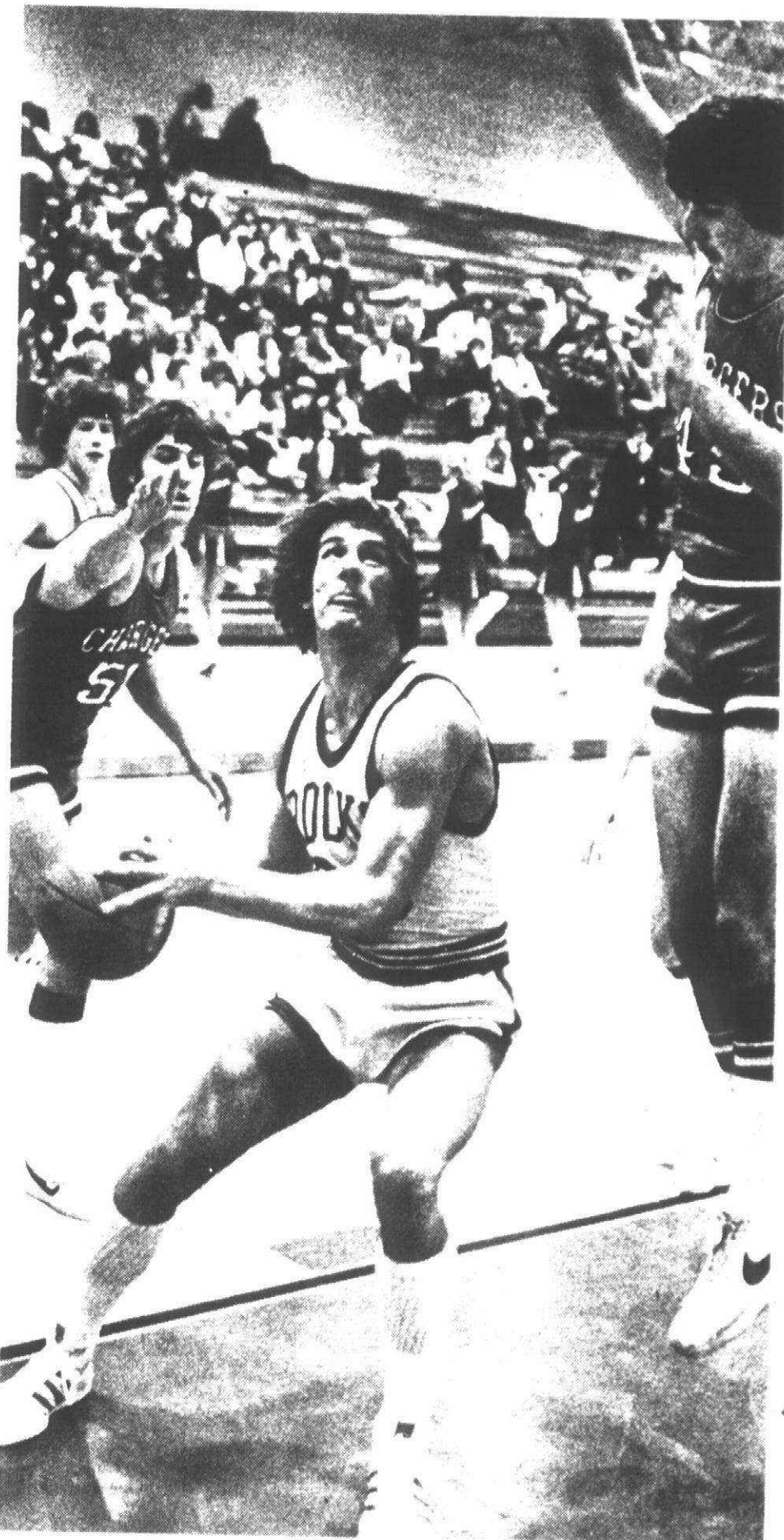
"I was pleased for three quarters," the Churchill mentor said. "I was not elated, but we came back. I felt we were going to put it together and get over the mountain."

"We had a little lull and they took us out of our game and controlled the tempo," said Salem coach Fred Tho-

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Dave Visser returned to the Canton lineup Tuesday after an ankle injury. He didn't see much action but should be in full gear against Salem tonight. Canton defeated Stevenson in this game by 11 points. (Staff photo by Gary Caskey)



Rich Hewlett sneaks under the arms of Churchill's Matt Maleske for two points in Classic action Tuesday night. The Rocks won this battle and face Canton tonight. (Staff photo by Gary Caskey)

Glenn grabs crown

Rocks 2d at tourney

For the second week in a row, Plymouth Salem's wrestling team started with a fury only to be overhauled at the end and miss out on the title at a wrestling tournament.

Westland John Glenn, with 249 points, eventually caught the Rocks last weekend to win the championship of its own invitational.

It was basically a two team race and the competition between the two rivals was much keener than the Rockets' 67 1/2-point margin over Salem might lead one to believe.

Both Glenn and Salem had five individual champions.

The Rocks, as they had done the previous weekend at the Thurston Invitational, performed exceptionally well in the lighter weight classes.

In fact, Salem grapplers reaped individual titles in four of the first five matches contested in the finals.

Jim Schultz, 98 pounds, Jeff Brown, 112, Randy Viperman, 119, and Mark Ross, 126, all decided their foes in championship matches.

Glenn's Paul Demers, who gained a 9-0 decision at 105 pounds, was the only other light-weight wrestler to step into the winners' circle.

The Rockets made their big charge in the middle and heavier weight tussles.

Duane Gibbs, 145 pounds, and Bill Meyer, 155, each pinned their opponents to win personal glory and valuable team points.

Ken Hodge, 165 pounds, and Jeff Null, 178, each decided foes in title matches.

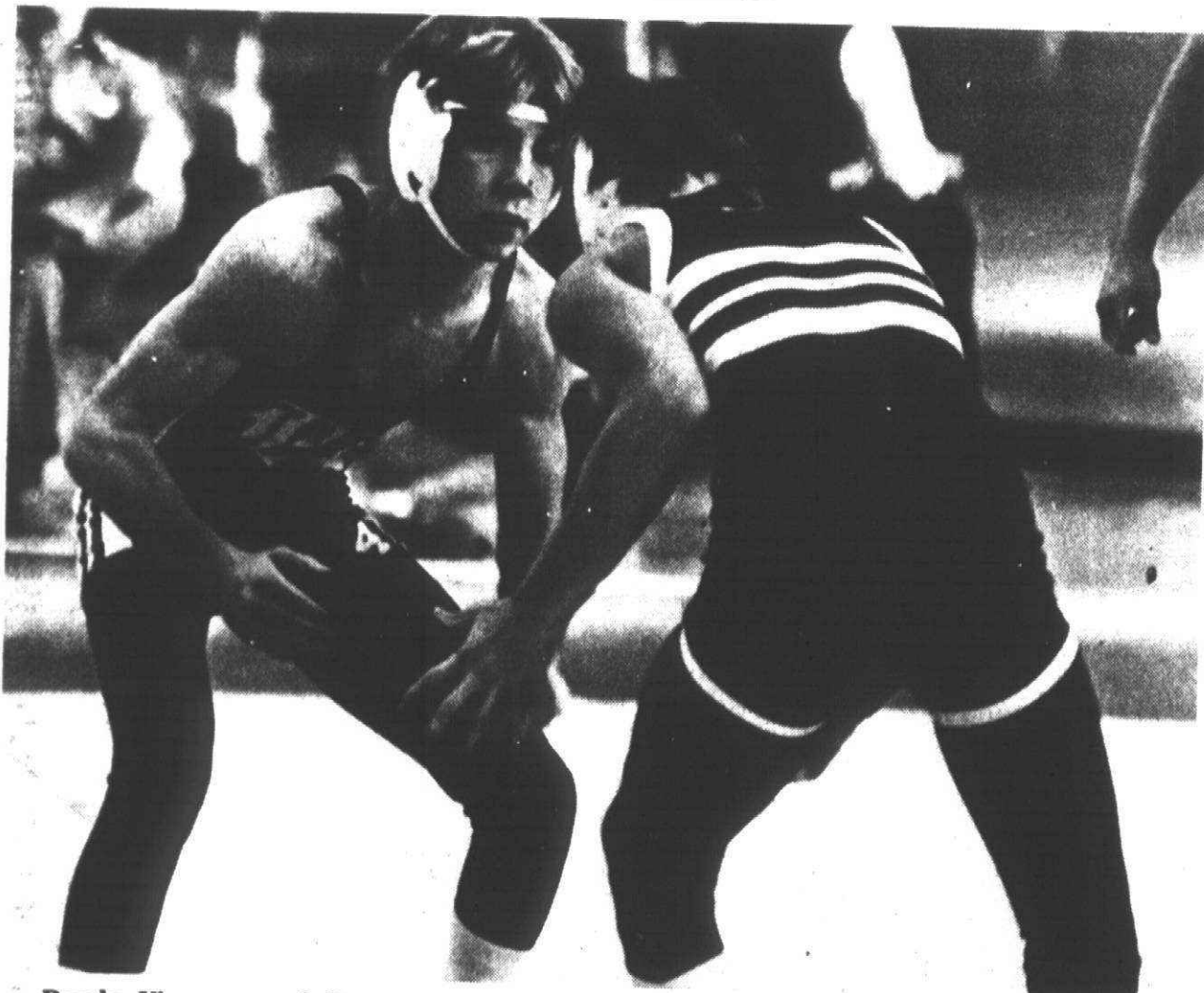
Salem's fifth individual champion of the meet was Jerry Valchine, who proved to be the best wrestler at 138 pounds.

Three other area squads finished among the top 10 in the team race. Livonia Stevenson placed a surprisingly high fifth, Garden City West landed eighth and Plymouth Canton 10th.

Two Stevenson grapplers — Eric Temby, 155 pounds, and Wayne Hoppe, 165 — finished second. Greg Bostwick, from West, claimed the runner-up spot at 138 pounds.

Canton's highest finisher was Dave Vaughn, who placed third at 165 pounds.

"We are a much-improved team. We get better with every meet," said Glenn coach Bob Lusk. "Overall, I think we did really well. We've improved greatly and I think that made the difference."



Randy Viperman (left) was one of five Plymouth Salem wrestlers to win first-place

medals at the John Glenn Invitational Saturday. (Photo by Jim Hollinshead)

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Canton places 10th

Salem 2d at tourney

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"As we keep saying, we keep looking for improvement each week and this was one of our finest days," said Plymouth Salem coach Ron Krueger about the invitational. "We wrestled some fine people and when you have five champions in a tournament of this caliber it says something."

"I was really proud of all the kids that day. They (Glenn) have a senior club and we have a junior club. And when you go against John Glenn and beat them low (smaller weights), well, I felt really good about it."

"John Glenn, overall, has strength and depth which was too much for everybody."

Plymouth Canton's young squad took one third and one fourth place finish. The Chiefs also placed one wrestler fifth and one sixth.

"The kids are still improving," said Canton coach Dan Chrenko. "I was happy and pleased with the learning experience of a tournament like this. It was our first tournament (this year) and it was good for the young kids."

Junior 165-pounder Dave Vaughn continued to impress people with his third-place finish, losing his first match of the season in the second round to the eventual winner from Glenn.

Senior Jay Lee, wrestling at 138 pounds, placed fourth. Tommy Harrel, coming off a week of illness, placed fifth at 105 pounds and Paul Mooney finished sixth at 178 pounds.

GLENN WRESTLING INVITATIONAL

Team Results

1) Westland John Glenn, 249 points; 2) Plymouth Salem, 181½; 3) Grand Blanc, 107; 4) Dearborn Edsel Ford, 98; 5) Livonia Stevenson, 89½; 6) Midland, 81½; 7) Dearborn Heights Crestwood, 63; 8) Garden City West, 60; 9) Romulus, 51; 10) Plymouth Canton, 44½.

Individual Results

Championship first, consolation second

96 pounds—Jim Schultz (Salem) defeated Pete Bologna (Glenn), 5-3; Shannon Hitchcock (Midland) defeated Glen Taggart (GC West), 5-4.

105 pounds—Paul Demers (Glenn) defeated Mac McVior (Gr. Blanc), 9-0; Brian Hollenbach (Midland) defeated Bob Zuener (GC West), 5-1.

112 pounds—Jeff Brown (Salem) defeated Ray Masters (Crestwood), 8-7; Dwight Barclay (Glenn) defeated Rami Fakhuri (Edsel Ford), 7-1.

119 pounds—Randy Vipperman (Salem) defeated Terry O'Neill (Glenn), 18-5; Keith Scalzo (Edsel Ford) defeated Jeff Darr (GC West), 18-0.

126 pounds—Mark Ross (Salem) defeated Darin Dreher (Crestwood), 5-2; Kelly Carmichael (Edsel Ford) defeated Reda Girgis (Gr. Blanc), 7-1.

132 pounds—Dave Ryan (Riverside) defeated Matt Taylor (Edsel Ford), 6-3; Craig Zube (GC West) pinned Dennis Jakubik (Allen Park), :59.

138 pounds—Jerry Valchine (Salem) defeated Greg Bostwick (GC West), 9-4; Paul Martin (Midland) defeated Jay Lee (Canton), 6-3.

145 pounds—Duane Gibbs (Glenn) pinned Doug Need (Midland), 3:45; Ron Carozzo (Stevenson) defeated Tom Markle (Edsel Ford), 6-2.

155 pounds—Bill Meyer (Glenn) pinned Eric Temby (Stevenson), 1:14; Steve Herrgard (Allen Park) defeated Scott Srodes (Midland), 10-2.

165 pounds—Ken Hodge (Glenn) defeated Wayne Happe (Stevenson), 9-1; Dave Vaughn (Canton) won by default over Kurt Hargervas (Allen Park).

178 pounds—Jeff Null (Glenn) defeated Don Kohlstrand (Edsel Ford), 6-2; Jeff Powers (Salem) pinned Mark Szmigiel (Crestwood), 2:07.

181 pounds—Larry Zito (Grand Blanc) pinned Bennett Clemens (Glenn), 1:59; Derrick Humphrey (Romulus) defeated Stan Cinder (Salem), 6-2.

HWT—Darren Cline (Romulus) pinned John Burns (Glenn), 3:39; Dean (Edsel Ford) pinned Jeff Morris (Midland), 4:45.

Childbirth class offered

Childbirth techniques will be discussed by a registered nurse in a series of "Prepared Childbirth" classes to be offered beginning Monday, Jan. 8 at the Henry Ford Hospital Fairlane Center in Dearborn.

Linda Foreback will also offer insight into what happens after the baby is born. The classes will meet 7-9 p.m. for six

weeks. A seventh reunion session will be held after all class members have given birth.

Class size is limited to 10 couples and pre-registration is required. To register call Mrs. Foreback at 349-4106, or the center at 336-2100, ext. 243. There is a \$25 fee. The center is on Hubbard between Evergreen and Southfield.

Men's cage standings

MEN'S BASKETBALL STANDINGS PLYMOUTH RECREATION LEAGUE (As of Dec. 14)

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4	0	x
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3	1	1
2	1	1½
1	2	2½

Team	W	L	GB
Rusty Nail Lounge	1	3	3
Federal Pipe	0	3	3½
Team 4	0	3	3½
Team 6	0	4	4

Last Week's Results:

Century 21 59, Team 6 32; Caesar 56, Rusty Nail 50; Air Tite 57, Team 4 52; Caesar 51, Federal Pipe 34; McAllister's 69, Team 6 30; Wagenschutz 54, MAACO 48.

Recreation activities

Many different activities and local events are being offered by the Plymouth Parks and Recreation Department during these winter months.

The first service is a discount ticket price for a Detroit Pistons professional basketball game at the Pontiac Silverdome available at the Cultural Center. The Pistons, under new coach Dick Vitale, will face the San Diego Clippers on Sunday, Jan. 28 starting at 1:45 p.m. with a discount rate of \$4.50 per ticket for any \$7 seat on the lower level.

The recreation department is also sponsoring a cross country ski clinic on Thursday, Jan. 18 and 25 beginning at 7 p.m. Registration for the clinic takes place at the Cul-

tural Center, 525 Farmer Street in Plymouth, Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Fee is \$6 per person, payable at registration. All persons participating in this event should know their shoe size to insure proper fit of the ski equipment.

Open recreation basketball at Central Middle School in town will be available for everyone on Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 27 and 28. The gym will be open both days from noon to 4 p.m. and 6-9 p.m.

For any further questions about these and other activities, contact the recreation department at 455-6620.

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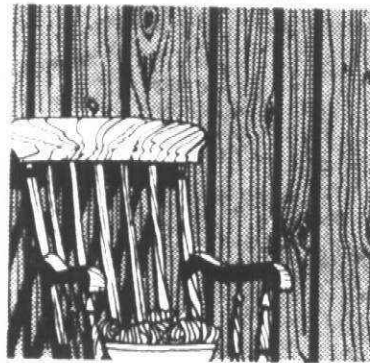
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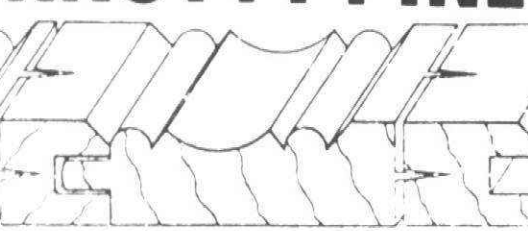
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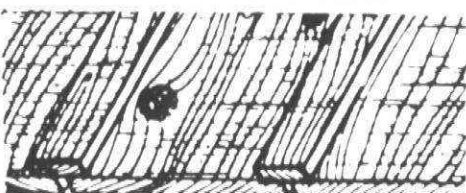
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Doc's Corner

By DENNIS O'CONNOR
Sports Editor



There is more than just basketball at the holidays

Now, I understand there is a big basketball game at Livonia Churchill tonight, but there is also a wrestling tournament coming next week which should spark equal interest in the Plymouth-Canton community.

Yes, the Rocks and the Chiefs square off at 7 p.m. tonight at Churchill, on Newburgh Road just north of Joy Road. But remember, this is just a non-league basketball game. The interest will be there—no doubt many, many community fans will fill the Churchill gymnasium to see the Centennial Park game rivals battle in his emotional contest.

I've already given you my prediction. Salem will win the closely fought contest—simply because at this stage of the season the Rocks have progressed farther than the Chiefs. But things could be different around district time. Canton definitely has the making of a very talented basketball team.

BUT LET'S talk wrestling for a moment.

Plymouth Canton is hosting its second-annual wrestling event next Friday, Dec. 29, and I would like to see the same fan turnout which will occur at the Churchill gymnasium tonight.

These wrestlers deserve a big crowd. As athletes, they work harder than most, and there is definitely a lot of excitement at all wrestling tournaments.

The preliminary round starts at

11:30 a.m. at Canton. The finals are scheduled at 7 p.m. The cost is only \$1 for adults and 75 cents for students for each session.

And, if any of you were at the Canton gym for last year's event, you must remember all the excitement produced as Plymouth Salem and Redford Thurston battled to the final two matches before a winner was determined.

These same two teams are back this holiday season and are expected to head the eight-team competition. Last year, Salem fell to the Eagles at the Canton event.

This year, Thurston, once again, edged the Rocks by eight-and-one-half points three weeks ago at Thurston's tourney. So this holiday showdown should be better than ever.

Add a few top teams in Oakland County, Birmingham Seaholm and West Bloomfield, not to forget Warren Lincoln, and you've got the makings of a very interesting tournament.

Canton wrestling coach Dan Chrenko and assistant Dan Riggs both worked hard last season to make this tourney a success, and next week's event should be better than ever.

TONIGHT'S BASKETBALL game at Churchill will no doubt be a crowd pleaser, but let's not forget the wrestlers. They, too, can offer an exciting time for sports fans in this community.

Rocks explode in 4th quarter

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mann. "Then all of a sudden we got inside. We started going to the free throw line and started to spread it."

"Our press set the tempo early for us but we didn't capitalize on it." Kevin Kelliher (15 points) and Howard Monk (eight points) were especially tough on the boards during the fourth-quarter Salem spree. Barry Owens played a strong inside game with eight points. Rich Hewlett

reached double figures with 13 points, despite getting in foul trouble the second half.

Guards Matt Etienne and Paul Dillon did an admirable job coming off the bench in the fourth quarter, pacing the attack with Hewlett on the bench.

Dave Krick, Churchill's senior co-captain, was the only Charger in double figures with 12 points. Ralph Jarrot added eight points while Mike Talovich and Karl Eberly chipped in

with seven points each.

Salem remains unbeaten at 6-0. It plays Plymouth Canton tonight in the second half of the Churchill Classic. Churchill, 3-3 on the year, faces Livonia Stevenson for its second game.

SALEM-CHURCHILL

Plymouth Salem (62)—Barry Owens 3, 2, 2, 8, Rob Neu 0, 2, 2, 2, Rich Hewlett 5, 3, 4, 13, Kevin Kelliher 6, 3, 7, 15, Howard Monk 3, 2, 5, 8, Matt Etienne 3, 2, 3,

8, Bill Thumm 1, 0, 1, 2, Paul Dillon 1, 0, 0, 2, John VanWagoner 1, 2, 2, 4, Jim Anderson 0, 0, 0, 6, Brian Kelliher 0, 0, 0, 0, Eric Hedt 0, 0, 0, 0 Totals: 23, 16, 26, 62

Livonia Churchill (42)—Dave Krick 6, 0, 1, 12, Mike Talovich 1, 5, 8, 7, Karl Eberly 3, 1, 1, 7, Ralph Jarrot 4, 0, 1, 8, Chris Harvath 0, 1, 3, 1, Matt Maleske 2, 0, 0, 4, Brian Kersten 1, 0, 0, 2, Greg Hovemale 0, 0, 0, 0, Bob Hathbun 0, 1, 2, 1, Bill Beller 0, 0, 1, 0 Totals: 17, 8, 17, 42

Total Fouls: Salem 19, Churchill 22 Fouled Out: Jarrot (Ch), Eberly (Ch), Hewlett (S)

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Livonia Churchill 10 10 17 5 42

Salem tops Observerland

Suburban Eight League As of Dec. 18				Inter-Lakes League			
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Plymouth Salem	2	0	Pontiac Northern	2	0		
Livonia Bentley	2	0	Milford Lakeland	2	0		
Belleville	1	1	Livonia Stevenson	1	1		
Allen Park	2	1	Waterford	1	1		
Dear Edsel Ford	0	1	Farmington	0	2		
Trenton	0	1	W.L. Central	0	2		
Dearborn	0	2					
Tri-River League				Catholic League First Division Central			
	W	L			W	L	
Melvindale	3	0	Birm. Brother Rice	2	0		
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Taylor Kennedy	2	1	Det. Catholic Central	0	2		
Southgate	1	2	Redford Bishop Borgess	0	2		
Dear Hts. Riverside	0	3					
Southgate	0	3					
Northwest Suburban League				Catholic League Second Division West			
	W	L			W	L	
Westland John Glenn	2	0	Orch. Lk. St. Mary	2	0		
Redford Thurston	2	0	Hart. St. Florian	1	1		
Livonia Franklin	1	1	Detroit St. Andrew	1	1		
North Farmington	1	1	Wland. Mt. Carmel	1	1		
Garden City East	0	2	AA Gabriel Richard	1	1		
Redford Union	0	2	Redford St. Agatha	0	2		
Western Six League				Area Overall Records			
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Plymouth Canton	2	0	Plymouth Salem	5	0		
Livonia Churchill	2	0	Westland John Glenn	5	1		
Northville	2	0	Livonia Bentley	4	1		
W.L. Western	1	1	Plymouth Canton	4	1		
Farm. Harrison	1	1	Redford Thurston	4	1		
Waterford Mott	0	2	Livonia Stevenson	4	2		
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			Redford St. Agatha	2	3		
			Det. Catholic Central	2	3		
			Redford Bishop Borgess	1	5		
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			Redford Union	0	4		
			Garden City East	0	5		

Chiefs scalp Spartans

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points, many of which came in the first quarter on fast break layups. Rusty Mandle added 10 and Mike Leary and Mike Gollnick netted nine points each.

Stevenson's bright spot in the game was the play of Evan Lyall, who scored a team-high 20 points and held his own under the boards and from the outside. Bruce Dominak added 13 points.

This contest also marked the first appearance for Stevenson's top player, junior Dave Hall, who suffered a knee injury during the football season.

Hall hit four of eight shots from the floor and sunk two free throws for 10 points in this initial appearance. Although he looked decent for his first bit of action, Hall was a little shy under the boards.

"He would have helped us on the boards but I think we was a little leary going inside—but it was his first game," said VanWagoner.

Bell also agreed that a healthy Hall playing inside would have made Stevenson a bigger threat.

CANTON-STEVENSON

Plymouth Canton (64)—Rusty Mandle 3, 4, 5, 10, Butch King 9, 4, 5, 22, Mike Leary 4, 1, 2, 9, Jay McKinley 4, 1, 2, 9, Mike Gollnick 3, 3, 5, 9, Scott Adler 2, 0, 0, 4, Dave Visser 0, 0, 0, 0, Frank LaSola 1, 1, 1, 3, Dave Ursu 0, 2, 2, 2 Totals: 23, 18, 24, 64

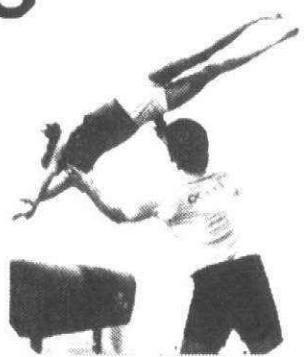
Livonia Stevenson (52)—Evan Lyall 9, 2, 4, 20, Tom Finn 0, 0, 0, 0, Paul Garner 0, 0, 0, 0, Bruce Dominak 6, 1, 5, 13, Jim Harkrader 0, 0, 1, 0, Dave Hall 4, 2, 2, 10, Craig Beyrand 1, 0, 0, 2, Kevin Gallagher 0, 2, 5, 2, Tom VanWagoner 1, 0, 0, 2, Jim Fox 1, 0, 1, 2, Tom Huff 1, 0, 1, 2, Dean Massab 0, 0, 1, 0 Totals: 23, 7, 28, 53

Total Fouls: Canton 17, Stevenson 16 Fouled Out: None
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Livonia Stevenson 9 9 17 18 53

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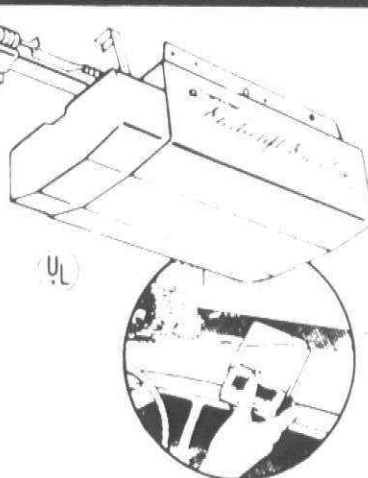
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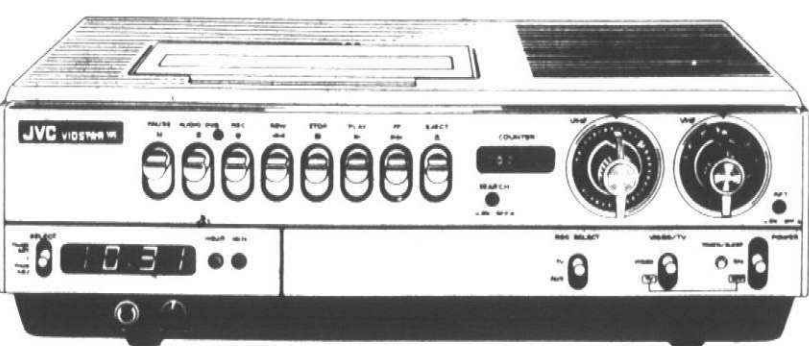
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Hawks 3 0 1
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Chiefs honored

Senior four-year letter winner Kathie Peck was honored as both the best defensive player and best hustler at the Plymouth-Canton season-ending girls' basketball banquet, held Monday night at the Canton cafeteria.

Peck took home two trophies for the awards, which were voted by her teammates.

Senior three-year cager Dawn Malek won the Most Improved Player trophy for her performance this season at the forward position.

Both the varsity and junior varsity squads were honored by coaches Mike McCauley and Pat Cunningham at this banquet. The Chiefs varsity won the Western Six League and Plymouth Salem District titles this season, rolling to a 20-3 overall record. The junior varsity finished with a 16-3 mark.

Bentley cagers edge injured Shamrocks

Livonia Bentley had five players in double figures Tuesday and defeated Detroit Catholic Central, 68-65, in a non-league basketball clash.

Eric Thorderson pumped in 18 points, Steve Booth had 15, Steve Goble 13, Kurt Thorderson 12 and Chris Bollin 10. Kurt Thorderson also had nine rebounds.

"It was a well played basketball game both ways for us," said Bentley coach Jim Komula. "Both our offense and defense had fine games. It was one of our best games on the boards so far this season."

Jeff Blanz collected 22 points for the Shamrocks, while Greg Wednt had 16 and Craig Herberholz 13.

The Bulldogs held quarter leads of 19-11, 35-33, 52-48 and the final 68-65.

"The kids ran our offense to a tee tonight. I think the key was the fact that we had five players in the double figures," Komula said. "We didn't have a strong fourth quarter but the kids held tight to win."

The Bentley JV squad lost, 81-68.

BENTLEY—CATHOLIC CENTRAL

Livonia Bentley (48)—Eric Thorderson 8, 24, 18, Steve Booth 6, 34, 15, Steve Goble 5, 33, 13, Kurt Thorderson 5, 23, 12, Chris Bollin 4, 23, 10. Totals: 28, 12-21, 68.

Detroit Catholic Central (65)—Jeff Blanz 9, 4-6, 22, Craig Herberholz 6, 13, 13, Greg Wednt 8, 0-0, 16, Mike Lewis 3, 0-1, 6, Joe Chops 1, 2-4, 4, Steve Clifford 2, 0-5, 4. Totals: 29, 7-19, 65.

TOTAL FOULS—Bentley 15, CC 18. FOULED OUT: Wednt and Herberholz (C).

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NOTICE OF CANCELED MEETING

PLYMOUTH-CANTON COMMUNITY SCHOOLS WAYNE AND WASHTENAW COUNTIES MICHIGAN

The Regular Meeting of the Board of Education of Plymouth-Canton Community Schools, Wayne and Washtenaw Counties, Michigan, scheduled to be held on Monday evening, December 25, 1978, at the Board of Education offices, 454 S. Harvey Street, has been canceled.

The next regular meeting scheduled to be held will be Monday, January 8, 1979, at the Board of Education offices at 7:30 p.m.

FLOSSIE TONDA, Secretary
Board of Education

Publish December 21, 1978

WAYNE COUNTY ROAD COMMISSION

To the Supervisor and Clerk of the Township of Plymouth, Wayne County Michigan:

Sirs,
You are hereby notified that the Board of County Road Commissioners of the County of Wayne, Michigan, did, at a meeting of said Board held on November 9, 1978, decide and determine that the certain portion of County road described in the minutes of said meeting of said Board should be absolutely abandoned and discontinued as a public highway, reserving therein the easement set forth in said determination.

The portion of the minutes of said meeting fully describing said portion of County road is attached hereto and made a part of this notice, which is given under and by virtue of Act 283 of the Public Acts of 1909, as amended.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand at Detroit, Michigan, this 21st day of November A.D. 1978.

BOARD OF COUNTY ROAD COMMISSIONERS
OF THE COUNTY OF WAYNE, MICHIGAN
MICHAEL BERRY, Chairman
JOSEPH M. HERRON, Vice Chairman
FREDDIE G. BURTON, Commissioner

ARMAND J. MATTE
Acting Secretary and Clerk of the Board

RESOLUTION

Commissioner Burton moved the adoption of the following Resolution:
WHEREAS, pursuant to petition and in accordance with the provisions of Section 18, Chapter IV, Act No. 283 of the Public Acts of 1909, as amended, this Board, by Resolution dated September 28, 1978, set a date of hearing on said petition and directed a Hearing Examiner to hold said hearing, and
WHEREAS, said hearing was held at the time and place appointed, and the Board has considered the Findings of Fact as reported by its Hearing Examiner concerning the advisability of absolutely abandoning and discontinuing

Part of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 28, T-15S, R-8E, Plymouth Township, Wayne County, Michigan, described as beginning at a point distant S. 89° 56' 28" W. 581.43 ft., along the South line of Section 28 and N. 00° 42' 53" W. 185.29 ft., along the West line of Beacon Trail Subdivision, recorded in Liber 96, Pages 60 and 61, Wayne County Records, from the Southeast corner of Section 28, T-15S, R-8E, AND PROCEEDING THENCE S. 89° 56' 07" W., 119.64 ft., thence along a circular curve to the right, radius 945.00 ft., central angle 91° 29' 18", arc 24.35 ft., chord N. 89° 17' 14" W. 24.55 ft., thence along a circular curve to the right, radius 55.00 ft., central angle 142° 51' 40", arc 137.14 ft., chord N. 76° 56' 58" E., 104.27 ft., to a point of reverse curve, thence along a circular curve to the left, radius 50.00 ft., central angle 58° 24' 43", arc 50.97 ft., chord S. 60° 49' 31" E., 48.80 ft. to the POINT OF BEGINNING.

AND
WHEREAS, the premises were viewed in accordance with said statute.
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that it is in the best interest of the public that the above-described county road or portion thereof be absolutely abandoned and discontinued and that said road or portion thereof is hereby absolutely abandoned and discontinued.
The motion was supported by Commissioner Herron and carried by the following vote:
AYES: Commissioners Burton, Herron and Berry
NAYS: None

Publish December 7, 14, 21, 1978



CITY OF PLYMOUTH MUNICIPAL BUILDING AUTHORITY

NOTICE OF INTENTION OF ENTERING INTO TAX-SUPPORTED CONTRACT OF LEASE AND OF RIGHT TO PETITION FOR REFERENDUM THEREON

TO THE TAXPAYERS AND ELECTORS
OF THE CITY OF PLYMOUTH, MICHIGAN:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the City of Plymouth has approved and executed a Full Faith and Credit General Obligation Contract of Lease with the City of Plymouth Municipal Building Authority of Plymouth pursuant to Act No. 31, Public Acts of Michigan, 1948 (First Extra Session), as amended. Such Contract provides, among other things, that said Building Authority will acquire an addition to and remodel the existing City Hall, together with site improvements and all necessary equipment and furnishings for the use of the City and WILL ISSUE ITS BONDS TO FINANCE THE ESTIMATED COST OF THE SAME FOR SAID CITY IN THE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF \$585,000. Said bonds will mature serially in not more than 30 annual installments, and will bear interest not exceeding 10% per annum on the outstanding principal balance.

The Contract further provides that the City will lease the facilities from the Building Authority and WILL PAY AS RENTAL TO THE BUILDING AUTHORITY ALL SUMS NECESSARY TO RETIRE THE PRINCIPAL OF AND INTEREST ON SAID BONDS, TOGETHER WITH ALL COSTS OF OPERATING AND MAINTAINING SAID FACILITIES AND ALL COSTS of said Building Authority in connection therewith, regardless of whether the facilities are completed or are tenable. The principal amount to be borrowed by the Building Authority will be indebtedness of the City for purposes of City Charter debt limitations, and said principal amount, together with the City's rental obligation for payment thereof, may be increased to cover increased costs of the facilities.

CITY'S CONTRACT OBLIGATION
BY VIRTUE OF SAID CONTRACT AND ACT, ALL OF THE CITY'S REQUIRED PAYMENTS TO THE BUILDING AUTHORITY WILL BE FULL FAITH AND CREDIT GENERAL OBLIGATIONS OF THE CITY PAYABLE FROM ANY AVAILABLE FUNDS OF THE CITY, AND THE CITY WILL BE REQUIRED TO LEVY AD VALOREM TAXES ON ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY WITHIN ITS BOUNDARIES, WITHOUT LIMITATION AS TO RATE OR AMOUNT AND IN ADDITION TO ANY OTHER TAXES WHICH THE CITY IS AUTHORIZED TO LEVY, TO THE EXTENT NECESSARY TO MAKE THE PAYMENTS REQUIRED TO RETIRE THE BONDS AND INTEREST THEREON, IF OTHER FUNDS FOR THAT PURPOSE ARE NOT AVAILABLE.

SAID CONTRACT SHALL BECOME EFFECTIVE WITHOUT VOTE OF THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY, AS PERMITTED BY LAW, UPON THE EXPIRATION OF 45 DAYS FOLLOWING THE DATE OF PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE, UNLESS A PETITION REQUESTING AN ELECTION ON THE QUESTION OF WHETHER SUCH CONTRACT SHOULD BE EFFECTIVE, SIGNED BY NOT LESS THAN 10% OF THE REGISTERED ELECTORS OF THE CITY, IS FILED WITH THE CITY CLERK WITHIN SAID PERIOD. If such petition is so filed, said Contract shall not be effective without an approving vote by a majority of electors of the City voting on the question.

This Notice is given pursuant to the requirements of Section 8(b) of the aforesaid Act 31, as amended. Further information concerning the details of said Contract, the facilities being financed and the matters set out in this Notice may be secured from the City Clerk's office. A copy of said Contract is on file in the office of the City Clerk for public inspection.

PAUL V. BRUMFIELD, Clerk, City of Plymouth

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In the spirit

The stingiest of skinflints finally gets into the Christmas spirit in "A Christmas Carol" at the Henry Ford Museum Theater. Performances are at 2 p.m. Dec. 26-31 and Jan. 6, and 2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Jan. 13 and 20. Admission is \$2.50 for adults and \$1.75 for kids under 12. In rehearsal (right) Tim Veestra of Dearborn balances on James Collicott of Ann Arbor.



Channel 56 schedules a night for Christmas

On Christmas Eve Channel 56 will be the scene of no fewer than 10 Christmas shows. And since the Christmas season also coincides with Hanuka, Channel 56 will be presenting a special dealing with the Jewish celebration.

On Monday, Dec. 25, at 5:30 p.m. and Tuesday, Dec. 26, at 10:30 p.m., Emmy Award-winning actor Ed Asner hosts "Hanukkah."

Asner narrates this historical and cultural examination of the ancient Jewish festival. The story is depicted through films and paintings showing the holiday's history and how it is celebrated today throughout the world.

On Sunday, Dec. 24, the Christmas specials get under way at 9 a.m. "The Sounds of Christmas" combines Christmas songs as well as a ballet and puppet version of "The

Nutcracker." AT 9:30 A.M. the Camerata Singers of the University of West Virginia recreate some Christmas customs on "A Touch of Renaissance Christmas." At 10 a.m. is an encore showing of "Simple Gifts: Six Episodes for Christmas."

"Wonder Anew," at 11 a.m., features more than 500 students from St. Olaf College participating in their annual holiday festival. Nicolai Rimsky-Korsakov's fantasy opera "Christmas Eve" follows at noon.

At 5 p.m., it's a recreation of Charles Dickens' most popular short story, "A Christmas Carol." Big Bird and company are next, at 6 p.m., on "Christmas Eve on Sesame Street." Christmas, from London to Bethlehem, is explored, at 7 p.m., on "Christmas Around the World."

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Christmas Day Brunch

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DSO record is its first in 20 years

The first Detroit Symphony Orchestra recording under the direction of music director Antal Dorati was released in the Detroit metropolitan area last week.

The recording, an all-Tchaikovsky album with the words "Dorati — Detroit" on the front and a color photograph of the Renaissance Center on the flip side, is the first record the DSO has put out under a major recording contract in almost 20 years.

The new release includes the "1812 Overture" with some interesting special effects. London Records engineers included the sounds of a Civil War cannon, 10 peal bells of the National Cathedral carillon in Washington, D.C., and the sound of the 24,000 Liberty Bell given to the United States as a Bicentennial gift by Queen Elizabeth II.

The LP also features Tchaikovsky's "Capriccio Italien" and "Marche Slave."

The orchestra's contract with London Records is for one year with a three-year option clause. There will be at least three albums a year.

Two more albums are scheduled for release in early 1979. They are a Bartok album featuring "Deux Images" and Suite No. 1, Opus 3; and an album of rhapsodies consisting of Dvorak's Rhapsody No. 3 in A-flat, Enesco's Rhapsody No. 1, Ravel's "Espagnole" and Liszt's Hungarian Rhapsody No. 2.

Lobbi Bar hosts Trudell orchestra

John Trudell's orchestra will perform in the Lobbi Bar in the Hyatt Regency through Dec. 30. The orchestra will perform Monday-Thursday, 6:30-10:30 p.m., Friday and Saturday, 7-11 p.m. During this period, db's Club will be closed.



Carolyn Tribble manages to kill off Toby, played by Joseph McNally, as best she can without a gun.

It looked like curtains, but the show went on

The opera "The Medium" by Menotti normally ends with Madam Flora shooting Toby, a deaf mute. But in last week's production by the Eastern Michigan University Opera Workshop, the pistol was misplaced.

Orchestra director Francesco DiBlasi relates the story:

"In the pit, I was waiting for the shots to bring the orchestra in on six grandiose chords. No pistol shots.

"Quick thinking on the part of Carolyn Tribble, in the role of Madam Flora, saved the situation. She lunged towards Toby and choked him to death.

"With my hair turning gray, I then gave the cue for the six chords."

DiBlasi thinks Menotti may have liked this ending as well as the original.

Scarab Club taking entries for exhibit

All Michigan artists are eligible to submit entries to the Scarab Club's All Michigan Silver Medal Exhibition, to be held in the club's gallery in the Cultural Center at 217 Farnsworth in Detroit from Jan. 22 to Feb. 10.

Paintings and sculptures will be exhibited, with each contestant limited to two entries per category. A first prize of \$100, a second prize of \$75, and a third prize of \$50 will be awarded in each category.

Entries will be taken Jan. 8-13 at the gallery, which is open from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. The entry fee is \$8 per category, or \$6 for club members. A 25 per cent commission will be charged on all sales. For more information, call 831-1250.

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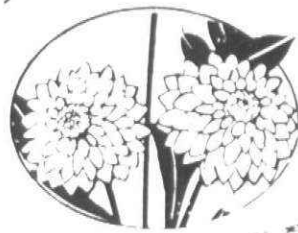
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Combination Holiday Discount Tickets to both Village and Museum are available from Dec. 26-31 at the Village Greenhouse. Prices are only \$8.25 for adults and \$2.50 for children 6-12. Children under 6 enter free. Individual adult admission \$3.50. Individual child-admission \$1.50 per ticket.

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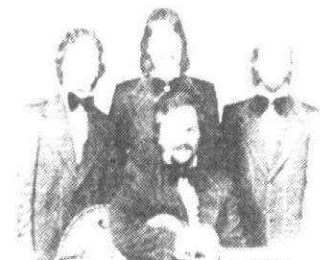
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★ Museum: Along the Street of Shops, craftsmen will be demonstrating some 15 different projects. ★ Special Tea: Special afternoon tea served in the Grand Dining Room. ★ Christmas Carol: The classic Dickens tale presented on the Museum Theatre stage by the Greenfield Village Players. Performances daily at 2 p.m. Ad \$2.50. 5-12 children under 12 \$1.50. 13 & over \$2.50. 14 & over \$3.50. 15 & over \$4.50. 16 & over \$5.50. 17 & over \$6.50. 18 & over \$7.50. 19 & over \$8.50. 20 & over \$9.50. 21 & over \$10.50. 22 & over \$11.50. 23 & over \$12.50. 24 & over \$13.50. 25 & over \$14.50. 26 & over \$15.50. 27 & over \$16.50. 28 & over \$17.50. 29 & over \$18.50. 30 & over \$19.50. 31 & over \$20.50.

Extended Holiday Hours.
Hours: The Museum will be open from 9:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Henry Ford Restaurant open for lunch and dinner. One special dinner will be served on Dec. 26-31. 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Beloved New Year's Eve.

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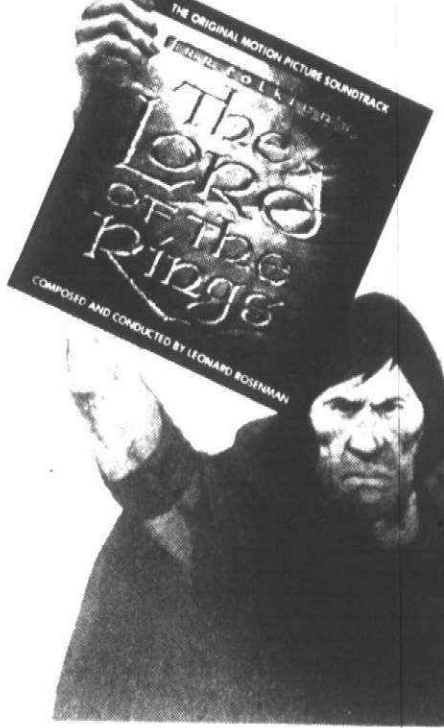
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The Detroit Symphony Orchestra's Christmas Festival, now in its second week, continues Friday night with the third annual "Messiah" sing along. A full performance of "Messiah" without the sing along will be presented Saturday. Both begin at 8:30 p.m. at Ford Auditorium in Detroit.

Tickets are also still available for the six performances of the "Nutcracker" ballet, which will be offered

Dec. 28 at 8:30 p.m., Dec. 2 at 2 and 8:30 p.m., Dec. 30 at 2 and 8:30 p.m., and New Year's Eve at 9 p.m.

The New Year's Eve performance will be followed by a New Year's celebration in the Social Room of Ford Auditorium. The audience is invited.

Tickets are available at the Ford Auditorium Box Office (dial 962-5524 for Master Charge and VISA orders) and at all Hudson's ticket outlets.

Hart skating opens

A 104-foot oval ice skating rink with tiered seating for 800 people has opened at the Hart Plaza along downtown Detroit's riverfront.

The rink is open and free to skaters during daylight hours weekdays and weekends.

The rink has a warm-up room with benches and lockers (bring your own lock) that will be open between 11 a.m. and 2 p.m., Mondays through Fridays. An attendant also will be on hand during those hours to play musical selections over the rink's sound system.

Snow will be cleared from the ice weekday mornings if necessary.

Plans call for the facility to become an outdoor amphitheater during the warmer months, according to Detroit Recreation Department officials.

The French collection opens at the institute

The Detroit Institute of Arts has opened seven new galleries of French decorative arts.

Highlights of the new galleries are a mid-18th century drawing room and the gallery of the Mr. and Mrs. Horace E. Dodge Memorial Collection, displaying Sevres porcelain, terra cotta sculptures and fine furniture.

Adjacent galleries are devoted to the display of intricate gold and silver objects, clocks, tapestries, porcelain and furniture in addition to

recent acquisitions of paintings and sculptures.

Visitors may also see seasonal decorations appropriate to the parlors and bedrooms of a pre-Revolutionary home, an 18th-century dining room and a 17th-century Jacobean room in the institute's American Wing.

The exhibition "Textile Masterpieces," from the permanent collection, will be on view through Jan. 14.

The international display includes Japanese kimono silks, a 17th-century English jewel cabi-

net covered with white satin, and ceremonial robes of Alaska and Africa.

"20th Century Afro-American Art," works by black artists, will be exhibited through Dec. 31.

All of the museum's galleries will be open on the regular schedule, 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Sunday, except on Christmas Eve, when the museum will be closed. It is also closed on Mondays, including Christmas and New Year's Day.

YMCA offers swim, gym

Youngsters can sign up for classes in swimming and gymnastics to be held during Christmas vacation in the North-western YMCA, Seven Mile and Lahser.

The classes will take place at 2 p.m. Dec. 27-29 and at 11 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 30. The fee for the four-day program is \$15 for Y members, \$25 for non-members. Single programs will be available for \$7.50 and \$12.50, if the child takes up only one skill.

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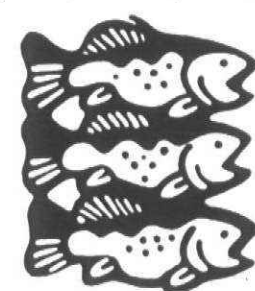
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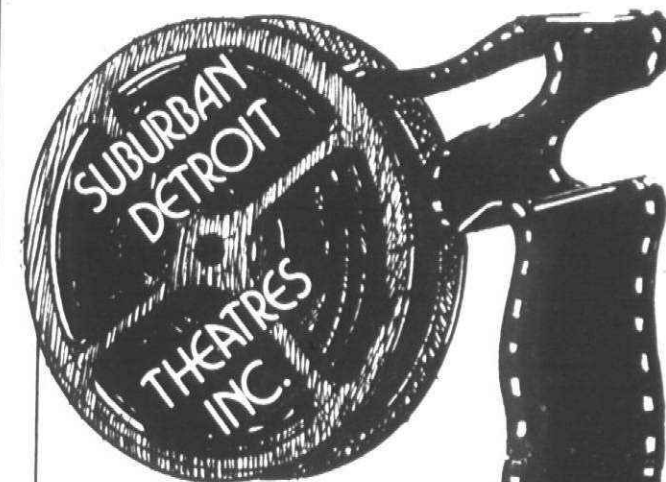
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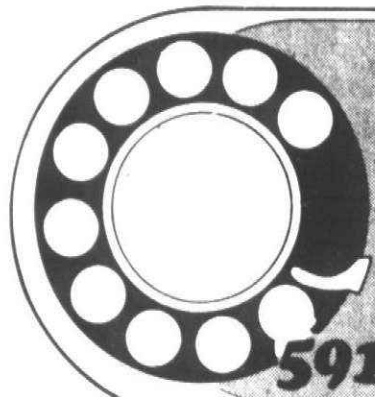
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EXCELLENT COLONIAL

This attractive home has 3 huge bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, a 20 ft. kitchen with built-ins, carpeting throughout, center hall slate entrance, beautiful family room with fireplace, full finished basement and a 2 1/2 car garage. \$74,900.

HARRY S.

WOLFE

COMPANY

3238 Five Mile 421-5660

Livonia \$59,900

Gorgeous brick ranch in choice area. 3 bedrooms, 2 fireplaces, 1 1/2 baths, magnificent 20' family room with impressive full wall fireplace, beamed ceiling and down wall with a view of a wooded area, full basement, country kitchen.

Quality & Prestige

Striking brick 4 bedroom colonial on approximately 1/2 acre. Family room with fireplace, huge master bedroom suite with full bath and walk in closet, formal dining, kitchen with built-ins and breakfast nook, first floor laundry, 2 1/2 baths, 2 car side entrance garage, privacy fence, close to X-Pressway. Just listed \$94,300.

CENTURY 21

Hartford 414, Inc. 478-6000

LOOKING FOR

A Nice three bedroom, Brick Ranch in Livonia? Then you should see this one offering two baths, large country kitchen, finished basement, covered patio, oversized two car garage and more. \$63,900.

FIRST FEDERAL

Realty 478-3400

HEARTH & HOME

Visions of family gatherings are easy in this 3 bedroom brick ranch with beamed family room. Natural fireplace, attached garage on large lot with unique view of evergreens on winding street. \$65,900.

TEPEE

25200 Five Mile 533-7272

312 Livonia

LIVONIA

Don't miss out on this sharp 1 1/2 story home offering 3 bedrooms, carpet thru-out, 1 1/2 car garage, 16 x 31 above ground pool. Just a few blocks from Livonia Mall.

Century 21

CEDAR SHORES

1-698-4500

ITS SHARP!

And it also has a "Home Protection Plan", this lovely 3 bedroom brick ranch home in good area. 1 1/2 baths, basement and 2 car garage. \$48,500.

Realty World

C.W. Allen 421-2100

LIVONIA CALL ED SEXTON

LAND CONTRACT SPECIALIST. Charming and spacious 4 bedroom brick colonial, 2 1/2 baths, formal dining room, all built-ins, first floor utility, family room with fireplace, finished basement, attached garage, assume 7% mortgage. Immediate possession. Make offer. Asking \$94,900.

Norwood

No. 14 Inc. 348-3090

LIVONIA "NEW LISTING"

HURRY!

\$51,900 3 bedroom brick ranch in prime Farmington Rd. Schoolcraft area. Country kitchen with doorwall to large patio, finished basement, large 2 1/2 car garage. FAST OCCUPANCY. Priced under market! 32338 Lyndon. Call Jerry Still 927-2300.

CENTURY 21

HALLMARK INC.

LIVONIA

QUAD LEVEL

Mint condition, offering 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, family room with wet bar and fireplace, built-ins, Cathedral ceilings, attached 2 car garage. Close access to I-275. At \$76,900.

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CEDARSHORES

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RAMBLING RANCH

Beautiful 3 bedroom brick ranch, 2 full baths, family room with natural fireplace, attached garage, full finished basement. \$62,900.

CENTURY 21

Hartford South, Inc. 464-6400

No. 1 C-21 Office in Mich. 1977

312 Livonia

TRI-LEVEL

For those who want more. Exceptionally attractive brick tri-level complete with 2 car garage. You'll love the 24 ft. family room, kitchen with built-ins, 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, tastefully carpeted throughout. \$65,900.

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COMPANY

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BEST WISHES

IN 1979

REAL ESTATE NETWORK

O'Hara & Co.

REALTORS

464-0400

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New Construction

MOVE IN BY JANUARY

Offering 3 bedroom brick ranch, 2 1/2 baths, 1st floor laundry, Mother's dream kitchen with nook, family room with natural fireplace including raised hearth, full basement, 2 1/2 car attached garage with side entrance, 80 x 130 lot. Approx 1700 sq ft of living space. \$94,450. Call.

MIKE WICKHAM

CENTURY 21

Hartford South, Inc. 261-4200

RANCH - 3 bedrooms, immediate occupancy. By Owner - New Home! Custom built, attached garage. Must see 18605 Mayfield \$94,900. 338-0373

RARE: 8 1/4% Interest

Impressive 3 bedroom brick ranch with full basement, formal dining room, country kitchen with all built-ins, thick plush carpeting in cozy living room with a warm full wall natural fireplace, 1 1/2 bath off the generous master bedroom, attached 2 car rear garage, all nestled on pastoral 95x265 lot with an abundance of mature trees, easy access to freeways, shopping and parks/schools. This value will not last! Asking \$69,900.

ONE WAY

322-6000 464-0800 459-5222

NEW LISTING

"Cream Puff" ranch in a very good area on 112 X 46 ft. lot, 3 big bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, huge built-in kitchen, 1st floor laundry, electric air cleaner & door opener. Central air, attached garage, dynamite basement & more. High 70's. 464-9600.

TIFFANY TRI

Very clean 3 bedroom split-level in Schoolcraft Newburgh area, built-in kitchen overlooks 22 ft. family room, gas heat, central air, 24 X 24 aluminum garage. \$64,900. Call 464-9600.

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CENTURY 21

CORNERSTONE 478-4660

OF DEARBORN, INC.

LIVONIA OFFICE

261-1600

PRIME-WELL DONE!

No, not a steak but a super tri-level with fireplace, 1 1/2 baths, family room with fireplace, 2 car attached garage, on nice lot. Central air and more for \$75,900.

CENTURY 21

CORNERSTONE 478-4660

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(No. 1) COVINGTON BY THE LAKE. Charming different 8 room, 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath Colonial style architecture. Spacious home on a premium lot. Immediate occupancy. Owner transferred. Bloomfield Hills schools. Home reflects strong pride of ownership. Area of property appreciation. Call for full details and personal tour. M1. 06213.

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851-4100

312 Livonia

FIREPLACE

Super Sharp. Well maintained three bedroom brick ranch, central air, decor in excellent taste. Family room with full wall fireplace and door wall leading out to big back yard. Basement tiled and partially finished, with ceiling tiles and paneling to complete rec. room. 1 1/2 baths. Located across from a small wooded park area. \$69,900. Call 261-0700 (55961)

REAL ESTATE ONE

FIRST OFFERING

Super sharp 3 bedroom brick home in Bai-Lynn subdivision. Featuring a 23 ft. family room, country size kitchen with built-ins and refrigerator, 1 1/2 baths, patio, and a 2 car garage. Offered at \$69,900.

HARRY S.

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COMPANY

3235 Seven Mile 474-5700

HARD TO BEAT

A beautifully decorated tri-level with an exceptional floor plan. 3 large bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, modern kitchen with built-ins, 24 ft. family room that's outstanding and a 2 car side entrance garage. \$60,900.

HARRY S.

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COMPANY

3238 Five Mile 421-5660

SHOWPLACE

It will be love at first sight as soon as you walk into this spacious tri-level, 3 good size bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, spacious 22 ft. family room, modern kitchen with built-ins, screened in porch, complete with 2 car garage. \$63,900.

HARRY S.

3/8 OLFE

COMPANY

3238 Five Mile 421-5660

THE ONLY THING WRONG WITH THIS HOUSE IS IT ISN'T YOURS YET! Come see this brick 3 bedroom tri-level with carpeting thru-out. Family room with gas fireplace, 1 1/2 baths, 2 car garage-large lot. \$58,900.

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312 Livonia

THINK BIG!

Here's a beautiful 3 bedroom brick Colonial in a fine brick area in Livonia. Panelled family room with wood burning fireplace-Full basement-2 car attached garage-All aluminum trim. Call today for more information \$74,900.

EARL KEIM

OF DEARBORN, INC.

LIVONIA OFFICE

261-1600

OVER CROWDED

Has your family outgrown your present home? Then call us on this 3 bedroom colonial with large spacious rooms, 1 1/2 baths, family room with fireplace, basement, attached garage, mint condition. \$61,000.

Century 21

HARTFORD S. 261-4200

LIVONIA - WEST

Start the New Year right in this new 3 bedroom brick ranch with large family room and full basement - close to I-275 for Dad and shopping for Mom. Need fast occupancy? Call for details. 348-3944

Quick Occupancy

On this newly remodeled 4 bedroom chalet, new kitchen, large rooms, attached garage, huge private country lot. \$63,900.

Century 21

HARTFORD S. 261-4200

314 Plymouth Canton

ARISTOCRATIC

describes this beautiful, traditional Versailles colonial with quality everywhere throughout the 4 bedrooms, formal dining room, 2 1/2 baths. Warm yourself in front of the raised, natural fireplace in the family room, wet bar, large foyer, window greenhouse, underground sprinkling system, 2 car attached garage. The master bedroom has its own bath and walk in closet. View this magnificent home today. Asking \$91,500.

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Boardwalk Div. 459-3600

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Plymouth's Finest Community. We are proud to announce the final phase of this exciting new development. Only 12 more new home sites are available. Two builders to choose from. Reservations are now being taken. For information call 474-3400.

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Five acre estate. Four bedroom Colonial, 2 1/2 ceramic baths, study plus impressive foyer. Living room and formal dining room plus handsome family room with wood burning fireplace. Country kitchen with built-ins, first floor laundry room also walk in pantry. 2 1/2 car attached garage plus full basement. \$154,900. Call 326-2000 (55642)

REAL ESTATE ONE

CANTON

IMMEDIATE OCCUPANCY. New Colonials from \$72,500. Canton Twp. Joy Rd. Sheldon. Builder. 455-8080

ONE WAY

314 Plymouth Canton

CANTON

Occupancy 10 days or less, three bedroom brick ranch with 2 baths, sunken family room with natural fireplace, professionally finished basement. Stove, dishwasher, garbage disposal, upgraded cupboards. Privacy fence, double patio, 2 car attached garage. Priced at \$62,990. Call 455-7000 (55711)

REAL ESTATE ONE

Reflections

316 Westland
Garden City

ACRES

2.86, ideal for horse lovers with a like new barn, and fenced pasture plus of course a long sprawling ranch, with beautiful family room and two fireplaces. \$72,500. Call 522-8300

Family Room

With Natural fireplace is just one of the nice features of this home on just under a half acre with two full baths, 3 bedrooms and an attached 2 1/2 car garage. \$37,500. Call 522-8300

Integrity,

EXTRA NICE
Clean and neat 3 bedroom ranch. Carpeted throughout. 2 car wired garage. Nice area of Garden City. Just \$36,900

Realty World

CAMELOT 525-5600

Mint

Condition

In Surrey Heights, this full brick and aluminum ranch has been completely redecorated with a modern kitchen, new carpet, upgrades throughout the 4 bedrooms, full basement, hardwood floors. Close to schools and shopping. Low assumption. Call today. Asking \$46,500

Century 21

Boardwalk Div. 459-3600

WESTLAND

HOT NEW LISTING - Trim your tree in this spacious family room with full wall fireplace, includes 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, homemaker kitchen with appliances, oversized garage with opener, and large fenced yard backing up to the woods. Priced to sell. See it today.

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Real Estate Commission (Brokerage Fee) Lowered!
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316 Westland
Garden City

7 1/2% INTEREST

Assume mortgage on this tastefully decorated brick ranch built in 1989. 3 spacious bedrooms, country kitchen, doorwall to deck, carpeting thru out, professionally finished basement, central air, 2 car garage. Only \$46,900.

Castelli

525-7900

30805 Ann Arbor Trail

BARGAIN HUNTERS

Clean-up this 3 bedroom brick ranch with full basement and 2 car garage in prime Livonia schools area of Westland. Listed at only \$45,500 and make money. Hurry won't last.

GRAMCO

525-7400

BRICK RANCH

3 bedrooms, full basement, large kitchen and 2 car garage. Just listed. \$37,900.

Century 21

HARTFORD S. 261-4200

Christmas Special

This won't last long so see it today! Ranch featuring 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, carpeting throughout, full basement featuring fireplace and bar, also large 2 1/2 car garage with much, much more. \$37,900.

Century 21

TODAY 425-7900

GARDEN CITY NEW LISTING

If a doll house is your dream, then this 1 bedroom home with full basement is just the home for you. \$30,000 down on land contract will buy this home. Priced to sell at \$14,900.

Norwood

No. 8, Inc. 522-2900

NEWBURGH AREA

Absolutely professionally finished rec room in spacious basement. Almost new 3 bedroom brick ranch, 2 1/2 car garage. Lovely carpeting. Just listed at \$49,900. Call for address. We can arrange terms.

Century 21

ABC REALTY 729-8686

316 Westland
Garden City

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING?

Buy yourself the best present ever. This 3 bedroom ranch offers a basement, spacious rooms and lovely decor. Excellent location. Call for details. All this and more for \$44,900.

Century 21

Hartford 424 Inc. 525-4444

FABULOUS

Super 3 bedroom brick ranch, 1 1/2 baths, country kitchen, pantry, all appliances, window treatment, alarm system, central air, family room with fireplace, doorwall to patio, 2 car garage, automatic door opener. \$56,900.

Castelli

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30805 Ann Arbor Trail

FANTASTIC

Beautiful brick ranch with 3 spacious bedrooms, country type kitchen, super family room with fireplace, doorwall to patio, newly carpeted rec room, 2 car garage, on cul-de-sac. \$56,900.

Castelli

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IMMEDIATE OCCUPANCY

With Livonia Schools. Charming 3 bedroom brick tri-level with family room and warming fireplace. 1 1/2 baths, carpeting and 2 car garage. All for only \$54,900.

Realty World

C.W. Allen 421-2100

GRAMCO

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316 Westland
Garden City

WAIT NO MORE

for this super sharp 3 bedroom brick ranch featuring 1 1/2 baths, family room, gorgeous full finished basement with wet bar, central air, 2 1/2 car garage. Hurry on this one! \$49,900.

Century 21

TODAY 425-7900

WESTLAND

Dreams Come True

with this 4 bedroom ranch that offers a basement, spacious kitchen, lovely carpeting, family room, 1 1/2 baths, fenced yard. Clean! Only \$44,900.

Century 21

Hartford 424 Inc. 525-4444

FANTASTIC

Three Bedroom Brick Ranch, with full finished basement, family room, attached 2 1/2 car garage. \$66,900. Call 522-8300.

Integrity,

Realtors

GARDEN CITY

NEAT 2 bedroom, basement, good area, move-in condition. \$31,900. For details call JERRY GREEN.

McFarlane

BROS. 421-2400

WESTLAND

You must see this beauty!! 3 bedroom brick ranch. Large country kitchen with doorwall to patio and barbecue. 1 1/2 bath. Has oversized garage and fenced yard. Asking \$35,900. Call Today.

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316 Westland
Garden City

Hassle

Free Living

In a condominium in Colonial Estates. This brick and aluminum 2 story home offers private living and maintenance free. An end unit, this condo features 3 bedrooms, 2 walk-in closets, upgrades throughout, kitchen appliances, central air, power humidifier, 2 car attached garage with direct access. See this home today. Asking \$66,900.

Century 21

Boardwalk Div. 459-3600

LIVONIA SCHOOLS

Beautiful 3 bedroom brick ranch with full basement, 2 1/2 car garage and large patio. Asking \$45,900.

Century 21

Hartford South, Inc. 464-6400

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318 Redford

"Redford South"

Beautiful brick home with modern kitchen, formal dining room, 3 large bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, beautiful finished rec room, gas heat, huge 2 car garage. Asking \$52,900.

Century 21

TODAY 538-2000

SELLER WANTS AN OFFER

Clean, A-1 condition 2 bedroom Full basement, central air, built-in dishwasher. New kitchen cabinets, carpeting. A real dollhouse. Perfect for newlyweds or bachelor. \$31,500. Four Seasons Realty 582-8444

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THANK YOU!

Thank you Redford residents for making me the No. 1 CENTURY 21 SALESPERSON in Michigan in 1977. I couldn't have done it without you.

"\$35,900"

To \$49,900 3 bedroom homes, some features are large kitchen, carpeting throughout, garages, basements.

SOMETHING SPECIAL!

First Aid \$58,900 - JOY BEECH DAILY. Spacious 3 bedroom brick ranch with breezeway, attached 2 1/2 car garage on cul-de-sac court. NATURAL FIREPLACE, 1 1/2 baths on main floor, LARGE KITCHEN, shower in semi finished basement. Hesitate and you'll be sorry! 9205 Garfield Court.

"SELLERS"

Sellers, please call me. I have a long list of buyers wanting Redford Two homes. I can save you money.

"JERRY STILL"

937-2300

No. 1 C-21 Salesman in Mich. 1977

Century 21

HALLMARK INC.

318 Redford

IMMEDIATE OCCUPANCY

Near Six Mile on 1/4 acre wooded lot. Custom built 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath tri-level, with family room and attached 2 car garage. \$67,900.

Realty World

C.W. Allen 421-2100

JUST LISTED

COLONIAL CHARMER. If you are looking for something special, an older home with character, here it is! This well decorated, brick Colonial offers a large living room, formal dining room, 3 bedrooms, basement and garage. It is super sharp and won't last, so call today to see it. \$40,500.

EARL KEIM

OF DEARBORN, INC.

LIVONIA OFFICE

261-1600

318 Redford

CUSTOM BUILT

Fantastic brick ranch, 3 spacious bedrooms, country kitchen with built-in, Florida room, enormous custom fireplace, marble sills, wet plaster, superbly finished basement, bar, fruit cellar, wine cellar, central air, attached 2 car garage with sewer drain, automatic door opener. Beautifully decorated. \$79,900.

Castelli

525-7900

30805 Ann Arbor Trail

FIREPLACE

Super Sharp! Beautiful and well maintained large four bedroom family home, brick maintenance free. Oversized 2 car garage, natural fireplace, good sized lot. Many extras. Quick occupancy. \$65,900. Call 477-1111 (56171).

REAL ESTATE ONE

Wakenden, N. of 7 1/2 bedroom, possible 3. Call ENZO to see.

STARTER SPECIAL

ONLY \$19,500

Century 21

GOLD KEY HOMES

27349 W. 7 Mile Redford

255-2100

SUPER STARTER

Lovely 2 bedroom ranch home, formal dining room, partial basement, 2 car garage. \$31,900.

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ROBERT BAKE ~ Realtor

1005 W. Ann Arbor Trail
Plymouth 453-8200

CITY OF PLYMOUTH! THE BRICK EXTERIOR AND ALUMINUM Siding will keep your outside maintenance concerns with ownership of this one-story home - a most important neighborhood. You'll find 3 bedrooms, 1 full bath, 2 half baths, a formal dining area, slate foyer, finished lower level with fireplace, a covered patio area, and a heated 2 1/2 car attached garage with opener. Further, this lovely home includes Central Air and an electronic air purifier. YOU'LL BE PLEASED AT \$71,900. 453-8200

HERE IS A HOME WITH A DELIGHTFUL EXTERIOR AND A STRONG FLAVOR OF THE OLD SOUTH. Tastefully restrained styling and the added enjoyment of a Plymouth location that will forever grow in value. Rear yard privacy is assured with a border of dense tall trees. Inside, there are 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, a formal dining room, and easy to maintain kitchen with breakfast area, an inviting family room with oversized fireplace, and 2 1/2 car rear entrance garage. The living room and dining room open to an extensive deck overlooking the picturesque yard. A MORE INTERESTING HOME WILL BE INDEED. DIFFICULT TO FIND! \$69,900. 453-8200

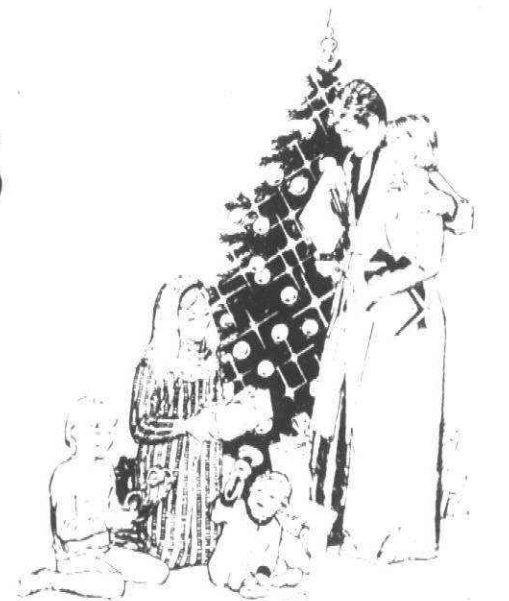
PLYMOUTH! Three (3) Picturesque Building Sites with superb surroundings. Sewer, gas and water available. Two are an Acre in size. The third measures 1/2 x 1/8. A pond touches the corners of two of the sites. PARTICULARLY DESIRABLE FOR HIGH CALIBER HOMES. \$35,000. \$49,900 and \$74,000. 453-8200

CONDOMINIUM LIVING IS AT ITS BEST IN BEAUTIFUL PLYMOUTH COLONY FARMS. Just 48 units tucked around picturesque Walden Pond. This two-story example boasts 2 buoyant sized bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, formal dining area, fireplace, 1st floor laundry, basement, and attached garage. The rear yard terraces are next year's summer retreats. Central Air and underground sprinklers are among its many features. \$79,900. 453-8200

MERRY CHRISTMAS

Wishing you and your family just the nicest kind of holidays. We hope the season abounds with love and laughter for you. It's been a pleasure serving you.

HAPPY NEW YEAR!



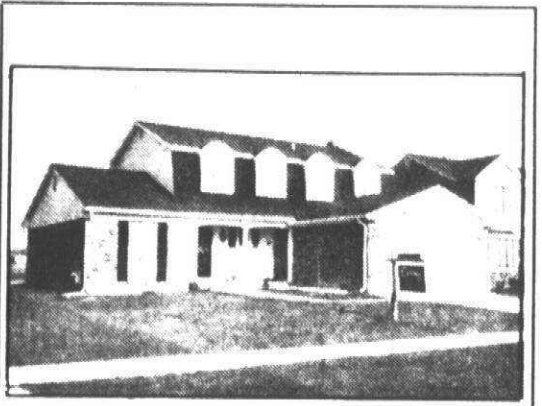
AFFORDABLE
sharp 4 bedroom bi-level in one of Westland's nicest subs. 1 1/2 baths, large garage, family size kitchen, good market value at \$51,900. 453-7600

EARTH TONE
decor throughout this lovely 3 bedroom colonial, wired for fire and burglar alarm, basement even under family room, formal dining and family room with natural fireplace, and French doors, 2 feet extra wide attached garage, and more. Call for other features at \$75,900. 453-7600

EBENEZER SCROOGE
wouldn't pass up this elegant 4 bedroom colonial with 2 1/2 baths, 22 ft. master bedroom, large family room with natural fireplace, and 2 car attached garage. All this, located on the privacy of a court. Asking \$73,900. Also, quick occupancy. Century 21 Hartford West, Inc. 420-2100

5 ACRES
surrounds this quality built brand new quad level with main floor utility, formal dining, 3 large bedrooms, den, heat/air fireplace in family room, attached garage with separate heated work area, hurry you can still choose your own carpet and colors. Priced at \$135,000. 453-7600

13 ACRE PARK
adjoins the yard of this immaculate tastefully decorated 3 bedroom home with formal dining, natural fireplace in oversized family room, central air, basement, 2 car attached garage and much more. Priced at \$75,500. 453-7600



QUALITY & QUANTITY
only a year old with every feature you could imagine. Sunken living room, formal dining, fabulous natural fireplace in spacious family room, library, carpeted hardwood floors, main floor utility, central air, window greenhouse, four large bedrooms, basement and attached garage. Must see at \$95,500. 453-7600

SANTA'S ELVES
are just putting the finishing touches to this new fantastically elegant 4 bedroom split level home with huge family room and fireplace, side entrance 2 1/2 car attached garage. All this located on a one acre lot. This home is custom. Asking \$89,900. Century 21 Hartford West, Inc. 420-2100

THE CHRISTMAS GIFT
you don't have to assemble. A nicely packaged 3 bedroom home with a natural fireplace in 20 ft. family room, spacious basement, excellent condition, close to schools. Priced at \$52,900. Call 453-7600

RUDOLPH
may not be able to guide you to this lovely 3 bedroom brick ranch with full basement, huge family room with roaring fireplace, and 2 car attached garage, but we can. Asking \$69,900. Century 21 Hartford West, Inc. 420-2100

SANTA SAYS
you better hurry if you are looking for something special like this beautifully decorated 4 bedroom Lake Pontcharque level home with finished rec. room, large family room with fireplace, attached 2 car garage. Asking \$78,900. Century 21 Hartford West, Inc. 420-2100

FROSTY
would melt if he got close to this hot 3 bedroom split level home with 1 1/2 baths, family room, and garage. Asking \$57,900. Must see! Century 21 Hartford West, Inc. 420-2100

CHARLIE BROWN
would love the large lot surrounding this spacious 3 bedroom ranch with fireplace in living room, full basement, 2 1/2 car garage. What a buy for \$49,900. Century 21 Hartford West, Inc. 420-2100

LARGE LOT
surrounds this warm 3 bedroom ranch with family size kitchen, natural fireplace in 27 ft. family room, den, attached 2 car garage, 30x36 out building. Immediate occupancy. Priced at \$77,000. 453-7600

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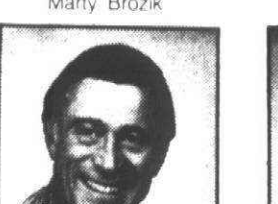
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**319 Homes For Sale
Wayne County**

CLEAN & compact home - Wayne, Michigan. Remodeled, 3 or 4 bedrooms, desirable neighborhood and location. Assumption By Owner. 729-2721

DETROIT

Cheaper than renting. Be a proud owner of this two bedroom home in the "Old Redford Area". Only \$18,900. Call 261-2600.

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3 FAMILY income. Will consider Land Contract. Near Dearborn area. Recent all major improvements. Good condition. Immediate occupancy. Only interested buyers. Will consider renting. GL 5-3340

**319 Homes For Sale
Wayne County**

MUST SELL FAST! Charming colonial, 3 bedrooms, center staircase, formal dining room, family room, large basement, extra insulation, 1 1/2 baths, 2x28 garage. Possible Land Contract. Assignment at 8% Asking \$49,900. Call Now.

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**302 Birmingham
Bloomfield**

BEVERLY HILLS brick ranch, 2 1/2 story, 4 bedrooms, family room, 2 1/2 baths, 3 car attached garage, zone heat, beautiful yard. Buyers only. 645-1087

**302 Birmingham
Bloomfield****A Franklin Find**

Custom built for owner. Quad-level, 5 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, family room, 2 fireplaces. Studio ceilings, large beautiful landscaped lot with towering hardwood trees in Franklin Village. Mnt. move-in condition. Call for further details and private showing \$155,900.

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Your money buys you deluxe extras in this fine Birmingham 4 bedroom Colonial, such as up dated kitchen, hardwood floors, solid oak woodwork, attic fan, humidifier, Library & Florida Room, built-ins & custom stained glass windows. \$159,500.

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BLOOMFIELD HILLS, Tri-level on large lot contemporary style, cathedral ceiling in foyer, 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, family room, 9 1/4 mortgage available. For sale, by owner. 642-9184

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COUNTRY LIVING on nearly an acre. Immaculate home offers 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, fireplace, family room, large 1st floor laundry. Beautiful yard, circle drive. Immediate possession. \$128,900.

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Bloomfield****ALL OF THE CHARM**

AND WARMTH you'd expect from an English Tudor. A meticulous classic on gorgeous, deep lot in prime Birmingham neighborhood. Lovely new kitchen, dining room with built in china cabinets, bay windowed, living room with fireplace, library plus 3 large bedrooms. In Top condition - unusual value for area! \$89,500.

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OWNER LEAVING COUNTRY MUST SELL. meticulously maintained sprawling 4 bedroom ranch home on approx 1 acre. Beautifully landscaped, extra wide circular drive, 3 fireplaces, inground swimming pool, zoned air and radiant heat, drinking fountain, family room and library. Located in Beverly Hills, north of 13 Mile. Birmingham schools and mailing. Will accept any reasonable offer. 647-5561

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BIRMINGHAM, BY Owner, gracious English home, 3 bedrooms, 3 full and 2 half baths, living room with fireplace, dining room, library, kitchen with breakfast room, recreation room with fireplace and wet bar, large screened porch, completely remodeled in 1975. Walk to schools. Shown by appointment only. \$215,000. 642-7812

BIRMINGHAM - Brick 1 1/2 story, 3 bedrooms, fireplace, dining room, freshly decorated. Screened porch, 2 car garage. basement. Asking \$64,900. 648-5658

BLOOMFIELD Custom year old Georgian Colonial with Island Lake privileges. 1 acre treed site. 4 bedrooms, library, family room, 4 baths.

BLOOMFIELD Unusual ranch (5000 sq ft multi level) under construction. Secluded wooded setting near Cranbrook. 5 bedrooms (1st floor master bedroom), 5 baths, family room, game room, 3 fireplaces.

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Good starter home. Vacant and fast possession is available. Astorwood sided 1 1/2 story bungalow with carpeted living room, kitchen, two bedrooms and laundry room on first floor. Huge 23 ft. x 11 ft. bedroom upstairs. Fenced backyard. Full price only \$39,900. 557-3500

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FRANKLIN VILLAGE (No 1). Immediate occupancy on approximately 3800 sq ft brick California ranch split-level home. Property offers a view overlooking the premium wooded site and most of Franklin Valley. Living room, dining room, kitchen, 3 bedrooms and 2 bathrooms on the first floor, with a family room, den, 4th bedroom, second kitchen and full bath on the sun light lower level. Home features 2 natural fireplaces, enclosed front courtyard and an abundance of old world quality workmanship. Owner transferred. Immediate occupancy. Priced at market value for fast sale. \$216,500. ML 04333

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Spectacular setting for this 2 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath contemporary Pecky cypress, brick and glass construction, greenhouse and underground sprinkler system. Possible land contract. \$198,000.

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Bloomfield****BLOOMFIELD VILLAGE**

A truly gracious brick Colonial on a large lot. Formal dining room, family room fireplace, four large bedrooms, two full and two half baths. Basement. Big 2 1/2 car garage. Occupancy at closing. \$214,900.

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BLOOMFIELD HILLS SCHOOLS, Pine Lake privileges. Brick, center entrance Colonial, 5 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, paneled family room with fireplace, full basement, central air, gas heat, many extras. Mini condition. \$155,000. Immediate possession. By appointment only. 681-2718 756-4280

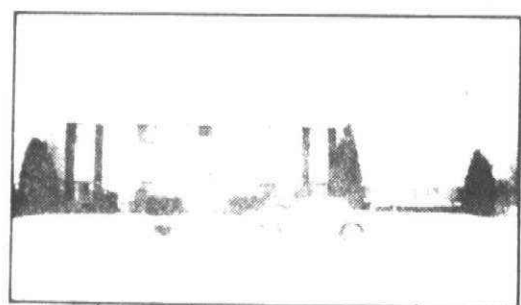
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SOUTHFIELD F O U R B E D R O O M S U P E R S M A S H I N G Tri-level home, chef's gourmet kitchen with spacious pantry, cozy fireplace, family room, sharp Florida room, generous size lot. \$69,900. 557-6700

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LIVING SPACE PLUS IN THIS 2,400 sq. ft. Ranch, 2 1/2 baths, family room, first floor laundry, lovely decor thru-out, central air, outside you find an inground heated pool plus a lovely circular drive. \$89,900. 548-1500

BEAUTIFUL TREED SETTING for this T-H-R-E-E Bedrooms BRICK RANCH, fireplace living room, family kitchen, finished recreation room, plus full bath in basement, and attached 2 car garage. \$52,000. 548-1500

CLARENCEVILLE Just Listed! Three bedroom Tri-Level, home is sharp and clean, brick with new aluminum trim and gutters. You'll love the all brick area, family room, 1 1/2 baths, all appliances are optional. Could be immediate. Asking \$55,900. Please call Mary Capelli at 476-9100. LM3

SOUTH REDFORD You'll love the big country kitchen, 3 bedroom ranch in all brick area, full basement is tiled, partitioned with separate furnace and work rooms, carpeting throughout, 2 1/2 car garage. Asking \$48,900. 476-9100. LW1

CANTON Carriage Hills offers this picturesque Colonial with 4 bedrooms, family room, fireplace, 2 1/2 baths, full basement, appliances and more! Attached garage, storage sheds and more! \$75,900. PB5. 455-5200

LIVONIA A most desirable area. See this neat as a pin ranch featuring 3 bedrooms, full basement, family room and fireplace, central air. Also an attached garage with opener and lovely landscaping! \$57,900. PD1. 455-5200

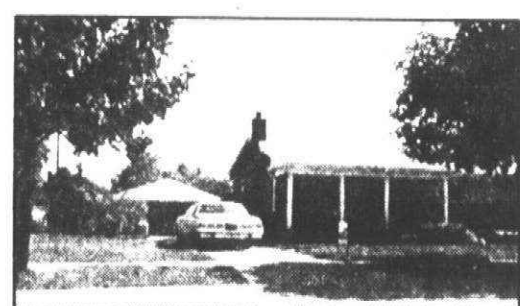
ROMULUS Brand spanking new! Be the first to live in this 3 Bedroom aluminum sided home. It has a full basement, carpeting thru-out. A dishwasher, and central air. \$41,900. Don't hesitate. WR1. 721-8400

ROMULUS This new home comes with your choice of carpet colors! It has 3 Bedrooms, central air, a dishwasher, plus an attached 6x4 6 shed. \$36,900. WW2. 721-8400

NORTHVILLE Exquisite Colonial features 4 bedrooms, formal dining room, family room, fireplace, many appliances in kitchen and much more! Outside an attached garage, covered deck and more! \$103,900. PB2. 455-5200



WESTLAND Immaculate 4 bedroom, 1 1/2 story home in West land features carpeting throughout, basement, fenced yard, 1 1/2 car garage and more. Ask for Bob or Lyn. \$35,900. 476-9100. LK3



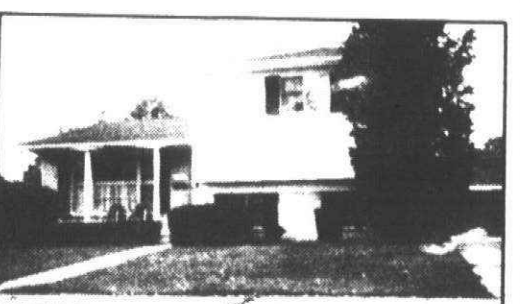
LIVONIA Sharp 3 bedroom brick ranch in all brick area features a large family room, central air, 1 1/2 baths, finished basement, 2 car garage. IMMEDIATE OCCUPANCY! Asking \$63,900. 476-9100. LF1



INKSTER Located in a nice area this 3 Bedroom brick will go FHA or VA. It has a full basement with work bench, ceramic bath, kitchen extras, and a large front porch. WB3. \$22,900. Call to see. 721-8400



WESTLAND This 3 Bedroom aluminum sided home is completely remodeled. It has a family room with a fireplace, carpeting thru-out, and a 1 1/2 car garage. Must see. \$45,500. WH2. 721-8400



PLYMOUTH Beautiful Quad Level offering 4 bedrooms, family room, fireplace, basement, 2 baths, garage, inground "GUNITE" pool and manicured landscaping! \$91,500. PR2. 455-5200



CANTON BREATHING ROOM—Large estate lot boasting this beautiful colonial featuring 4 bedrooms, formal dining room, family room with fireplace, basement and 2 1/2 baths. Large attached garage with opener and lovely wood deck! PR1. 455-5200



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Pine Lake Estates

Beautiful Colonial with beach privileges on Pine Lake. 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, 2033 sq. ft. of living area. Formal dining room, family room, fireplace. Central air conditioning. Basement. Lawn Sprinklers. 2 car garage. \$108,900. B201.

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Classic Georgetown, 3100 sq. ft. Colonial. Air conditioning, bay window in dining room, Italian ceramic tile foyer, Crown moldings, wet bar and fireplace, premium cabinets, side entry garage - wood insulated windows. Including carpeting & tile. Just beautiful! \$139,900. BINDER HOMES CALL: 851-1616

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Just listed in Orchard Lake Village on Cass Lake. Secluded location yet spectacular view from this charming Colonial with large living room, inviting paneled family room with fireplace, large enclosed porch, all facing the lake. 3 spacious bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths plus changing room with shower downstairs for swimmers. Second floor laundry in addition to lower level laundry. Seeing it is falling in love. Just imagine the fun of skating, snowmobiling, iceboating, ice fishing from your own front yard, not to mention the summer sports to look forward to. Buy a way of life for the rest of your lives.

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OWNER TRANSFERRED

(No. 1) 2700 sq. ft., 8 rooms, 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 bath colonial with walk-out lower level and ravine setting backing to Commons, park and stream. Located in one of West Bloomfield's most prestigious areas. Priced below market value for fast sale. ML 9931.

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THE GRACIOUSNESS OF NEW ENGLAND

High on Top of a wooded Glade, this elegant and spacious 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath Colonial. Many features included. A full finished basement with bar, very large foyer with spruce plank floors, country kitchen & walk-in pantry, 2 fireplaces, plus conveniently located to shopping and schools in W. Bloomfield. \$145,000. 826-4000.

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PRIVACY

Brick wing colonial with 4 bedrooms, family room, breakfast room, patio and first floor laundry. Anderson windows and wet plaster. Indicate the quality of the home. Large lot. \$99,500.

THINK SUN

Winter price for summer fun on West Bloomfield Lake. Walkout basement to patio and lake. Gracious foyer with circular staircase. 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 bath and 2 half baths, family room, library and formal dining room. \$180,000.

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West Bloomfield 851-7000

SCENIC ACREAGE with privacy

for this executive ranch. Enjoy the view from large wood deck. Fireplaces in family & rec rooms. 3 bedrooms, 3 full baths, ceramic tile foyer. Insulated garage. \$129,900.

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Paradise Found

A beautiful view with miles of rolling countryside. This lovely 3 bedroom brick ranch features a huge country kitchen drenched in sunshine, door-wall to covered deck, 2 car attached garage. \$53,900.

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REDUCED FOR QUICK SALE...This gorgeous four bedroom Colonial is a great buy. It is in super condition with new carpeting in the living room, dining room and stairway. Butcher block counter tops and a no wax floor are kitchen features, plus a double premium lot, 9" of insulation in ceilings and acoustical tile in family room. All this for only \$94,500 with IMMEDIATE OCCUPANCY.

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PLUMTREE on Pine Lake, W. Bloomfield, new large 4 bedroom

Colonial, 2 1/2 baths, large family room with brick fireplace, island kitchen, with built-ins. Big side entry garage, luxury features throughout. Bloomfield Hills schools. Kroll Bldg. Company. 626-2462

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CUSTOM BUILT

Upon entering this stately four bedroom Pillared Colonial you are greeted by a massive 12 x 12 slate foyer, a stairway with wood spindles, not wrought iron. The numerous list of extras include all brick exterior with aluminum trim, hardwood floors under carpet, all wood casement windows, a natural wood burning brick fireplace in family room, central air with electronic air purifier, full basement, paneled and partitioned with indirect lighting, and all appliances included. \$106,500.

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TWO MONTHS NEW

PICTURESQUE Provincial Colonial, just listed, owner transferred. Custom 3300 sq. ft. of elegance & paneled doors, crown moldings, prize carpeting and draperies. Central Air, etc. Spacious kitchen with island counter. Cathedral - beamed ceiling in large fireplaced gathering room with superb wet bar. Separate Master Suite with Roman tub and shower in attached bath. On large setting with circle drive in prestige W. Bloomfield area. \$213,000.

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CONTEMPORARY

Combining the warmth of Tradition and the excitement of Contemporary living, this Colonial with 18 ft. ceilings, open staircase, and the tasteful use of ceramic tile flooring (650 sq. ft.) and professional decorating, is a masterpiece. Sure, it has all the necessities... four bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, central air, 2 1/2 car attached garage with opener, separate formal dining room, first floor laundry and basement, but listen further...three doorways off living room, family room and kitchen, all affording a beautifully wooded view, and a patio combining redwood cedar and natural brick virtually surrounding the entire home. Call for a personal tour - you won't be disappointed. \$114,900.

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304 Farmington Farmington Hills

SCENIC VIEW
Overlooking ravine site in lovely Farmington Hills. Ideal for the nature lover. English two story brick and stucco colonial with fireplace, family room, convenient kitchen, first floor laundry and central air. Three bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, tiled basement, two sliding glass doors, automatic underground sprinkler and attached 2 car garage. Price reduced to \$89,900. 557-3500

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Quality built Ranch at an affordable price. 3 bedrooms, modern bath, full basement, carpeting, dishwasher & disposal. All for \$46,500.

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WOODED RAVINE
With winding stream, 4 bedroom, two baths, all brick bi-level ranch with 2 fireplaces, family room and 2 car attached garage. A home with a view \$110,000

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MEADOWBROOK WOODS
Situating on a large treed lot in one of Farmington Hills' most prestigious areas is this unique 3 bedroom brick ranch home. Featuring the newest concept in family living with a huge gathering room and natural fireplace, formal dining room, extra large dream kitchen with lots of table space and bay, 2 1/2 baths, first floor laundry, full basement, and an attached 2 car garage. Offered at \$134,900. HARRY S.

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DRAKE HEIGHTS
(No 1) New on the market. Charming, prestigious colonial, 8 rooms, 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, formal dining room, family room with fireplace, spacious first floor laundry, turned garage plus central air. Extremely attractively decorated. No fuss, more right in. Close to schools, shopping and easy expressway access. Call for details and personal tour \$103,900. M.L. 06382

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FARMINGTON HILLS
Excellent starter ranch, carpeted, separate utility room, enclosed rear patio, fenced yard \$28,900.
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Farmington Hills
Hurry! You'll want to move in immediately to this immaculate 4 bedroom Colonial on approximately 1/2 acre of land dotted with apple trees. A spacious Florida room has been added for your leisure living, spring, summer and fall \$94,900. Call 477-1111 (55664).

REAL ESTATE ONE
Gorgeous Split-Level
Make your dream come true with this beautiful spacious 5 bedroom brick Split Level. Featuring: 3 1/2 baths, formal dining room, family room, basement, fireplace and two 2 car attached garages. Enjoy overlooking the beauty of your fully landscaped yard while sitting on your deck which circulates this Split Level. Asking \$121,900.

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LONG LAKE PRIVILEGES
UNION LAKE AREA
Rustic ranch with gathering room with cathedral ceilings and fireplace, 3 spacious bedrooms, custom kitchen, first floor laundry, full basement, 2 1/2 car garage. Situated in prize Union Lake Area neighborhood. February completion \$77,900. Call 363-8307.

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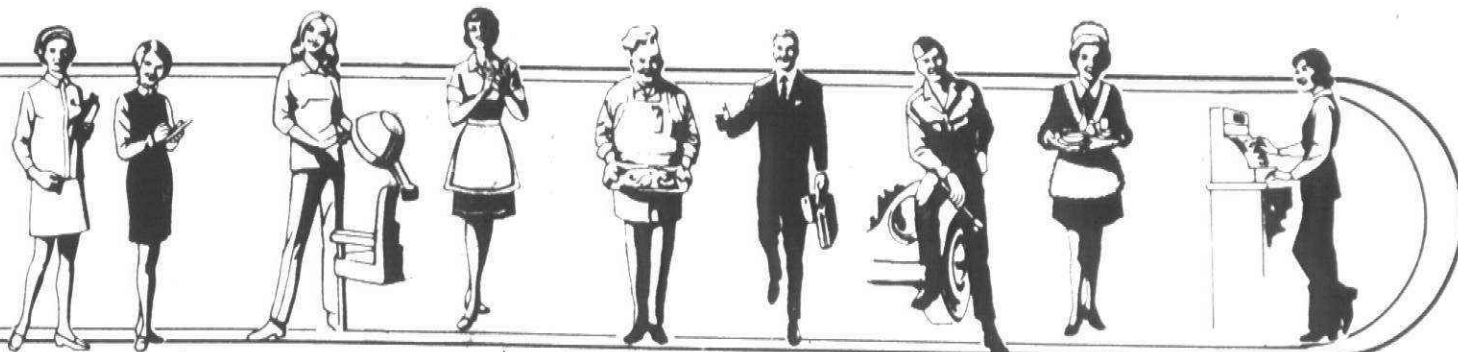
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Bench assemblers and misc shop help. No experience necessary. Steady day shift. Apply in person only.

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\$13,000 - \$16,000

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\$3 to \$3.15 per hour. Applications will be accepted thru March 2, 1979 from Livonia residents at least 18 years old by June 1. Some jobs start in April. Apply to: City of Livonia Civil Service Commission, 32625 7 Mile Rd. An Equal Opportunity Employer

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Night shift. Luxury apartment complex in Southfield. Call between 9 AM and 5 PM, Monday through Friday. 557-5338

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for full and part time, including Management Trainees, if you are people oriented, a person who cares about enjoying their work, where you work, and with whom you work, we're interested in you for our executive health club facility. Call Barb. 855-2300

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WAREHOUSEMAN

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TELLERS

Livonia area

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Computer Programmer with a minimum of 2-3 years experience on a systems 3 model, 12 disc system utilizing RPG II program language. Successful applicants shall have experience in a manufacturing operation. Call Larry Strauss between 8AM-5PM. Or apply in person at Numerics Inc., 1450 North Milford Road, Highland 887-4111 An Equal Opportunity Employer

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YOUNG MAN

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YOUNG Men

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YOUNG or middleaged man

in good physical condition for warehouse, shipping and receiving. Experience in warehouse warehousing preferred. Over transportation. Five day week, Monday thru Friday. Hours flexible. Apply Ash Wallace, 3274 Franklin Rd. Bloomfield Hills. 855-7010

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DENTAL ASSISTANT

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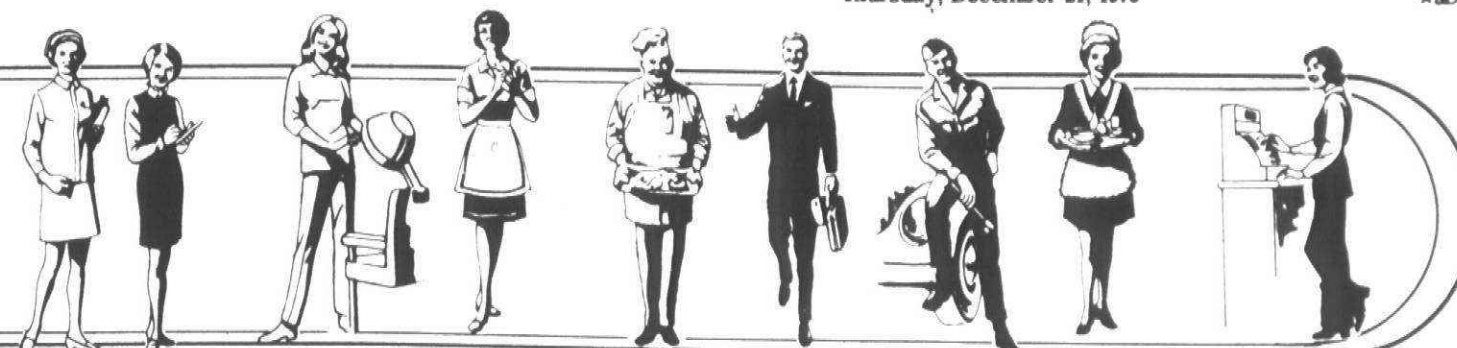
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CLERK TYPIST for office at M-59/Crooks, Rochester area. Some general office experience preferred. Good starting salary, excellent fringe benefits. Call 651-8000 for appointment. Equal Opportunity Employer M/F

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COMPUTER-Data Entry operator. National book wholesaler, located in Livonia is presently looking for someone who is familiar with data entry devices and system III, model 150 operation. Afternoon shift. For further information call George Conquest. 325-1500

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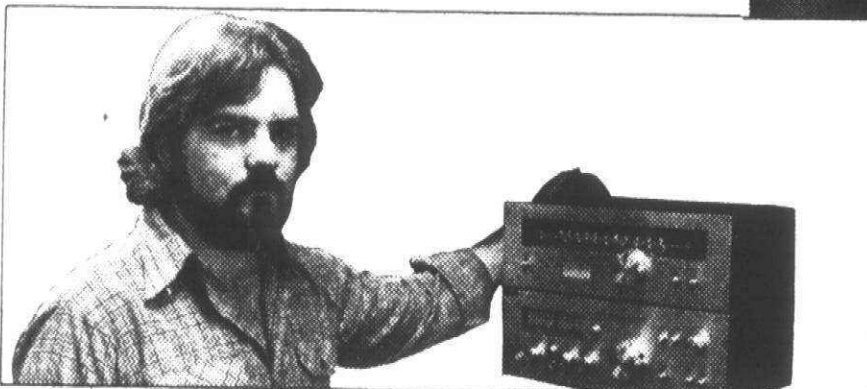
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