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Canton future hangs on groups' findings

Canton faces some major changes

Two committees were established in 1985 to study the pros and cons of revamping Canton's government and both face 1986 deadlines for submitting their findings.

One group is gathering information about the possibility of switching from a charter township format to cityhood. The other is reviewing the effects of hering a superintendent to handle the day-to-day administrative tasks, which would slash the supervisor's duties

Proposals to establish both committees were made in August by four Canton Township trustees Robert Padget, Loren Bennett, Steve Larson and John Preniczky

THE TOWNSHIP SUPERINTEND-ENT Implementation Committee is scheduled to compile information and present a recommendation to the Canton Township Board by spring 1986. The chances of meeting that deadline

'It's a lot more complex than I originally thought," said Ed Portschell, implementation committee chairman. But I-would certainly expect us to have our report completed in 1986."

The goal of the five-member group is to work out a process for hiring a superintendent and cutting to part-time the offices of supervisor, clerk and treasurer

We're just trying to wade through

perintendent's responsibilities would be and bow they all interact," Portschell

Laws outlining those duties are "vague," he added:

That's probably deliberate to allow the municipalities to decide for themselves how they want their government to be organized and how they should Portschell said

In an effort to learn from history Dan Durack, committee secretary, has contacted municipalities with superin-

"I've asked whether they think it's a sood idea, bad idea and, if they could do it over again, what they would do differently." Durack said.

THE COMMITTEE IS planning to

treasurer to get a better understanding of how the departments run and how rsonnel interact.

Two major questions concerning the change have already been answered: The township is legally allowed to adopt the strong superintendent format during the current term. And the change can be implemented without a vote of the people.

"In fact if it went to the vote of the people it would only be an advisory question," Durack said, "Only the township board can make that change.

If the change is made mid-term ending with the 1988 election - the office holders would keep their current wages, said Durack, Canton's personnel

The board has the authority to give

pervisor to the superintendent," excluding the supervisor's duty as board member and the responsibility of signing tax assessment rolls. Durack added.

The committee is also developing a job description and salary scale for the superintendent.

Reasons for hiring a superintendent, as presented by the trustees at the time of the proposal, include pinpointing responsibility, creating a more professional and efficient system and establishing consistency in governmental operations when new administrations are elected.

Other members of the Superintendent Implementation Committee are: Robin Koebel, Canton Michigan National Bank manager; Phil LaJoy, Canton merit commissioner, and Ira Bar-

ANOTHER FIVE-MEMBER committee is reviewing the options of changing Canton's government from a harter township to a city

Determining the effects of cityhood has been the job of the City Review Committee, which has an April 30 deadline to present its findings to the board, according to David McDonald,

"Right now we are essentially in our factfinding stage," McDonald said. "We have to look at the assumption that with a city there is increased taxation but that's not necessarily true."

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Local puns keep Rivers flowing

By Peter A. Salinas special wr .er

When I was born my family wore black. Then they flipped a coin heads they left me at the hospital, tails they took me home . . My husband wasn't very active on our honeymoon. In fact, I kept wanting to put coins over his eyes . . His wife is just like Mari-

lyn Monroe - dead!" If these one-liners sound familiar, that may be because you've heard them delivered by Joan Rivers on "The To-

Plymouth resident Mary Cortese, a 43-year-old employee with Ford Motor Co.'s customer service division, authored these and more than 50 other jokes Rivers has used in her comedy routines. She now delivers Cortese's

material regularly. She has been sending Rivers material "on and off for about the last seven

CORTESE MET the stand-up comic after sending a humorous letter about her own family while Rivers was performing at the Dearborn Hyatt Regen-

"Her secretary passed the letter along to Joan Rivers," Cortese said. She wanted to meet me, and talk about using some of the material from my letter in her show. I met her the next night and saw her show

Rivers apparently liked the style of wit Cortese has - especially about her

"My Aunt Mary had her hair done by a funeral director," Cortese guipped

night. She got a bargain from him, but didn't realize he only styled the front.

Cortese is always on, and there were few moments during this interview when she wasn't joking about some-

went to my high school reunion the other day. I was listed in the book under deceased." Talking about a recent trip to Cali-

fornia where she met with Rivers, Cortese said she left on a Friday the "It wouldn't have been so bad, but

the fire extinguisher I carried on the plane set off the metal detector, and the stewardess made me put my inflatable rubber raft under my seat.

She said that some people go to California to see Beverly Hills or Disney-"The only thing I wanted to see was Marilyn Monroe's grave. I just had to see if there was really a flower there from Joe DiMaggio. All I found was a

WHEN TALKING about the the jokes she has written for television, she uses first person, as though Rivers is

delivering the line. She says she tapes some of Rivers shows and tries to think like Rivers

might about various topics Sex and spousal relationships are two such topics, although Cortese is

'My husband and I got dressed for a night on the town, and went down to the street to hail a taxi. The driver wook us straight to 'Let's Make a Deal'

"I heard the pandas Ling and Ting at

but she had to stand against a wall all . the zoo mate every 12 years - I know what that feels like

> Cortese finds the television comedy shows "Golden Girls," "Cheers" and "Family Ties" especially funny (and not just because they're on NBC). She "Golden Girls" is typical of her family, and that Carla on "Cheers" is just crazy and gets away with so much.

> Although much of the humor she writes and enjoys is the type that picks on people, she says she doesn't like in people.

> 'You have to be able to laugh at yourself. Everyone has faults. Rivers kind of humor struck close to home when I first heard it. It's like looking into a mirror. Sometimes comedy is just on the verge of tears."

CORTESE'S LETTER WRITING has gotten her the chance to meet other stars and local television personalities.

She has met Dionne Warwick and Leslie Uggums at the old Elmwood Casino, and got to know Detroit newscas-ter Beverly Payne. She first met Ann-Margret's husband before he invited her to meet his wife.

I was glad he got the chance to see us together, so he wouldn't ever get us confused on the street," laughed the petite Cortese.

She jokes about her mother and other family members a lot. Her elderly mother recently underwent serious sur gery and suffered a minor stroke while in the hospital

You know, when life throws these things at you, you just kind of take a deep breath and hope for the best. But once it's over and you know things are going to be okay, you can joke about

people

some things. It's either that or you start screaming.
"My mother wanted to know if she

had to pay extra for the stroke . has a little trouble getting around now, so instead of the bathroom, we take her. to the carwash for a good cleaning. Comedy on the verge of tears.

THE WORKPLACE IS another place where humor not only is welcome but often is a necessity "because it helps keep people at ease — especially working in customer relations.

Cortese says she is the only woman in the office who has "slept her way to the bottom.

"Oh, I pick on one woman at the office a lot. Seems there is always one person who gets picked on more than the others. Anyway, she picked up one of those sex manuals, and in one section it called for the man on the top andthe woman on the bottom - so she went out and bought bunk beds."

Cortese said Rivers has been very helpful to young aspiring comedians, and that she has a club in California where comics can make a start.

"She is really a sweet person under that tough exterior," Cortese said. "I hope she doesn't sue me for letting the cat out of the bag."

Will Cortese ever take the plunge and do a stand-up show on stage? A stand-up show?" she reflected.



Mary Cortese of Plymouth spends some of her free time writing iokes for comedian Joan Rivers.

olice chiefs favor improved 911 syste

By Dennis Coffman staff writer

Most police chiefs are convinced that western Wayne County would benefit significantly from an "Enhanced 911" emergency communication system.

The police chiefs of the City of Plymouth, Plymouth Township and Canton Township are among them. John Santomauro, Canton police

chief, endorsed the new system. "It's still at the study stage, and we're ex ploring its implementation but I can see that it would be a great enhancement," said Santomauro

There are some features of interest, such as providing a location when the caller is incapacitated. Also, the call can be traced so crank calls can be policed.

The enhanced system is being touted as an improvement over the existing 911 system because the instant a caller in trouble completes the phone connection by dialing "E911" the police department's computer knows his name, telephone number and address - even if the caller cannot speak

Police then can send emergency equipment and personnel to the address and try to re-establish telephone con-

tact with the caller. Santomauro said most officials have agreed that E911 is beneficial. "It's mainly a political decision. There is no debate on the merits of the system. We have to find out if the cost factor is

prohibitive."
THE CONFERENCE of Western Wayne (CWW), which is coordinating the efforts of 17 communities interest ed in considering an E911 system, has asked each of the local governments to name a representative to a CWW com-

Computers to speed emergency reponse

mittee that is studying E911. Santomauro is Canton's representa-

tive. Carl Berry, Plymouth Township police chief, is the Plymouth Township representative to the CWW E911 committee on which he also serves as chairman.

Santomauro, Berry and Richard My-ers, police chief of the City of Plym-outh, all have come out in favor of the enhanced system. Plymouth Township Supervisor Maurice Breen and Plymouth City Manager

Henry Graper have said they believe E911 would be an important improvement in responding to emergency situ-"It's a much better system," said Graper. "But we will introduce discus-

sion of it when it comes time to prepare the new budget (April). The earliest we could consider it is during next year's budget discussions. 'We will look at all departments be fore we make a decision. We have a 911 system now. It's been estimated that it would cost us in the \$15,000 bracket

I'm in favor of it. It would be a great

service to the city and the police de-

partment," said Graper

Neither Canton nor Plymouth Township has a 911 system. Emergency calls to those communities go through the City of Plymouth Police Department dispatcher

The CWW has yet to present its proposal to the City of Plymouth. However. Chief Myers is already convinced of the added benefits of the E911 system. "I'm definitely in favor," said Myers

'I have seen it in action in Chicago Technically, I was really amazed. On the computer screen, we can get the name of the person calling and the address. It's a good emergency service, and it cuts down on false runs."

Plymouth now has a basic 911 service; that is, callers who dial 911 from Plymouth exchanges that begin with 453, 455 and 459 are automatically routed to the Plymouth Police Depart-

BUT PLYMOUTH also receives calls from Plymouth Township and Canton Township residents who dial

Neither of the two townships has its own 911 system, so those residents must first dial 911 and then the city routes their calls back to their respec

'There are some features of interest, ? such as providing a location when the caller is incapacitated.'

- John Santomauro Canton police chief tive police departments.

"Maybe I should?

Enhanced 911 would break those calls up and the computer would route them selectively to the townships, said Myers. "Right now, it's actually quicker for residents of the townships to NOT use 911 and instead, use their own police department numbers.

Myers said the city gets many emergency calls from residents of Plymouth Township and Canton Township as well as Northville Township.

Even though the city has a basic 911 system in place, Myers said the basic system is not compatible with Enhanced 911. The city, as is the case with most other municipalities, would have to start from scratch if it went to E911. However, the city's new dispatch console and call director could be tied into

"The city is not as critical as are the other areas," said Myers, "if E911 does not come to pass. But E911 would mean that we would no longer need to receive calls from other municipalities and that we would not have to transfer those calls.

MYERS POINTED out that it is time-consuming for the city's police department to have to receive emergency 911 calls from Canton and Plymouth township residents and then relay those calls to the proper police department.

"And time is of the essence in emer-

ncies," said Myers. Myers said he is "already sold" on the merits of E911 and has so stated in a memo to Graper. He said he expected the Plymouth

City Commission to hear a presentation from the CWW's executive director, Ann Wagner, in 1986.

But the big issue is how it will be paid for," said Myers. "It's like putting a man on the moon. It's up to the people to decide where the money goes and there's not a lot of it around."

The CWW is trying to enlist as many of its 17 member communities as possible in the E911 system, to make the system efficient, comprehensive and cust-effective

'The economy of scale would hold the cost down," said Myers.

He suggested that, for maximum effectiveness, the neighboring communities of Plymouth, Plymouth Township, Canton Township and Northville Township should vote to participate in E911.

THE BIGGEST task, according to Myers and other police chiefs, will be feeding every name and address into the computer that the telephone company would use for E911. Telephone boundaries do not follow

geographic boundaries," said Myers. Each municipality must provide addresses to Michigan Bell. That is the time delay. According to Myers, even if the three

townships and the city voted to join E911 in January, it would still take two years to get the system on-line.

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262 to 259. Churchill High School,

which finished in second place in November, came in third with 233 points. Franklin, Stevenson and Churchill each solved three of the four computer programming problems. The difference in points is a result of differences in the time teams submit solutions and errors in programming.

with 167 points, just ahead of Catholic er competition should contact Dan Central's 160-point score. Other teams Kinczkowski at Franklin, 523-9329. in the competition were Dearborn High - Other competitions have been sched-Academy (89), St. Agatha (81), Wayne- and Friday, March 7, at Franklin.

Memorial (80) and Canton High School

FRANKLIN SENIOR team captain Steve Luty, Terry Ralph and Eric Zitzewitz were joined in this month's competition by John Pokryfky. Stevenson, led by Paul Fontana, had a strong showing that was typical of its performance in the past two years.

Dave Darmofal, Scott Shurin and Brad Szonye tearned with Fontana. Competition will continue at 3:30 n.m. Friday, Jan. 10, at Canton High School. Students who attend schools in -Wayne County and who are intereste Landing fourth was Plymouth Salem in representing their school in comput-

School (91 points), Plymouth Christian uled for Friday, Feb. 7, at Churchill

Survivors include: son, the Rev. Neil

Morse of Canton, daughter, Ellen

Thorn of Beulah, North Dakota, broth-

Robert Tanner of Lansing- sisters.

RAYMOND J. KENEALY

Funeral services for Mr. Kenealy.

68 of Livonia were held recently i

Cemetery, Livonia. Officiating was Dr.

Mr. Kenealy, who died Dec. 13 in St.

Mary Hospital, Livonia, was a manu-

facturing specialist for Ford Motor Co.

facturing engineering staff at Ford

World Headquarters from 1950-80. He

terian Church, was a retired voluntee

with Schoolcraft College in career

Survivors include: wife, Doris; sons,

nia; brother, John of Grosse Pointe

BETTE J. ADAMCZAK

58, of Muskegon were held recently in

the Shorten Funeral Home in Mason

Ohio, with burial at Vine Street Hill

Cemetery, Ohio, Arrangements were

Mrs. Adamczak, who died Dec. 26 in

Canton, was born in Kentucky. She was

a homemaker. Survivors include: hus

band, Raymond, brother, John Van-Hook of W. Va., sisters, Cindy Starret

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Funeral services for Mrs. Adamczak.

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obituaries

DAVID M. WHEELER

Funeral services for Mr. Wheeler, 23, of Canton will be held 11, a.m. today (Thursday) in Lambert-Vermeulen Fu- ers. Don Tanner of Houghton Lake, and neral, Home on Ann Arbor Road in Plymouth with burial to be at Glen Marjorie Bauhann of Grand Rapids and Eden Cemetery, Livonia. Officiating Jean Groome of Pinehurst, N.C., six will be the Rev. John N. Grenfell. grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Mr. Wheeler, who died from a snow- dren City, worked part time for the City of Plymouth and for the City of North ville. He graduated from Plymouth Salem High School in 1980 and from the National Institute of Technology, Livo- Harry J. Will Funeral Home in Livonia nia Survivors include: parents, Carolyn with burial at Parkview Memorial and Terrell Wheeler of Canton; sister, Deborah of Canton: grandparents, Sar- Bartlett L. Hess ah and Charles Hamilton of Dearborn;

WARREN K. WESTFALL

A memorial service has been held for Mr. Westfall, 72, of Plymouth with was a member of Ward United Presbyarrangments made by Schrader Funer-

Mr. Westfall, who died Dec. 27 in planning and placement office, taught clock repair for four semesters at Ann Arbor, was born in Plymouth. He had retired in 1970 from the Wayne Schoolcraft, and was active as chair-County Road Commission where he had man of citizenship service for the Livobeen a foreman. He was employed with nia "Early Risers" Fiwanis Club. the road commission for more than 30 years. Survivors include: wife, Marga-Dennis of Plymouth and Dean of Livoret: son. William of Traverse City: daughter, Barbara McDonald of Canton; and three g: and-daughters.

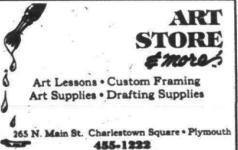
LUCY M. PARKER

Funeral services for Mrs. Parker, 82, of Canton were held recently in Schrader Funeral Home with burial at Bellevue Cemetery in San Bernardino, Calif. Officiating was Pastor J. Mark Barnes. Memorial contributions may be made to the Plymouth Church of the

Mrs. Parker, who died Dec. 24 in Wayne, was born in New Haven, Mich. She grew up in the Lansing area and attended Lansing High School. She of Canton, Frances Johnson of Kentuclived in Lansing until 1960. She worked ky, Nancy Hibbs of Wilmington, Ohio, as a secretary to the chief of plants of Patsy Hedrick of Virginia, Jo Hibbs of the Lansing Water and Light until her Ohio retirement in 1960 when she moved to

From 1960-64 she worked for the L.R. Wallace Co. in Pasadena as office manager. In 1964, she and husband Oren D. Morse spent six months assisting missionaries in South Africa on a volunteer basis building and repairing church altars and pulpit furniture. Af er her husband's death in 1968, she lived in Upland, Calif., and then moved

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. Investor News - Jim Lanzi and Brian Davis host legendary stock picker Frank Beyond the Moon — Host Mike Best.

Get In Shape. Keep in Shape. Boys Basketball - Plymouth Salem 8:30 p.m. vs. Livonia Stevenson.* 9:30 p.m. Single Touch - Singles on the move

with host J.P. McCarthy and co-host discuss the singles lifestyle with guests Claudette Bernier and Ed Zelenak

FRIDAY (Jan. 3) Northville BPW Presents - Non-verbal communications.

. Hollywood Hotline - Holiday film reviews and previews. Omnicom Videotunes - A variety

of music videos. 7 p.m. . . The Oasis - Rock and wrestling come to the Oasis. Jeffrey the Body takes on Dave "Dr. Daniele." Guests include the Truth who sing "I'll Be There" and Dr. Z does "Take Me

To the Outer Limits." Issues in Depth - Spouse Abuse. Guests are representatives from First Step and a doctor who counsels patients who abuse their

Canton Wheels Square Dancing -Square dancing from the Canton Country Fes-. Flights of Fanasty - A look at the 1985 Michigan International Air Show in Kala-

SATURDAY (Jan. 4) (Salurday's programming on Omni-8 same as Friday's schedule).

CHANNEL 15

THURSDAY (Jan 2)

Made With Pride in Michigan - A fashion show featuring Michigan designers and manufacturers, sponsored by the Fashion 12:30 p.m. Epidemic Kids, Drugs & Alcohol

A film presentation on how young people are handling or not handling drugs and alcohol. Family viewing with a discussion afterwards would be helpful to most families with teenag-

p.m. . . . Canton Update — Sandy Preblich, host of the Sandy Show, and Canton Supervisor James Poole discuss social, political and legal issues as they relate to Canton and its resi

... Water Babies - Parent-toddler 1:30 p.m. Water Babies — Parent-todd swim group of the Wayne-Westland YMCA. . Variety Showcase.

Youth View — "A Very Special Baby," the Christmas story in a contemporary

setting performed by teens from Canton and What's a DJ If He Can't Scratch? - A look at the modern-day method of spinning re-

. Don Korte Big Band Sound - A look back at the Canton Country Festival.

... Busting Barriers - Special people making music. Handicapped kids and seniors record their music at Talent Live Studios in Canton. Guests include Carrie Young, J.J. Jackson, and the New Trend. 8 p.m. . . Quiz Bowl.

Game of Week - Schoolcraft College Women's Invitational Tournament.

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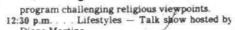
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A report on activities in Wayne County. 2 p.m. . . Health Talks — Hospital medical show covering general interest topics.

TNT True Adventure Trails - Uncle Ernie spins his own brand of patriotism and religion accompanied by home movies. 3 p.m. ... Divine Plan - A continuing religious

3:30 p.m. This is the Life - Presentations on modern-day problems and how to deal with

them from the Lutheran Church. 4 p.m. . . Yugoslavia Variety Hour - Ethnic music and dancing. . Madonna Magaziné.

Jokes-A-Plenty - Wild and whacky 5:30 p.m. . Tailgate Ramblers - Music with a 6 p.m. jazzy touch.

7 p.m. . . Busting Barriers. Get in Shape, Keep in Shape Pedal your way to good health and a great shape. Norm Compton interviews Vaunda

Carter, Schwinn Bicycle representative whodemonstrates the proper way to exercise.

8 p.m. . . On Our Own - A program produced by Handicap Media Inc., explaining and exploring everyday life from the viewpoint of handicapped persons.

30 p.m. . . . Community Upbeat — A program

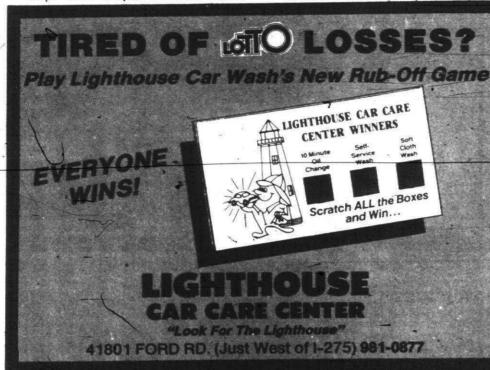
in and about the Plymouth, Canton, Novi, Northville and Livonia area.

9 p.m. . . Off the Wall — Seldom seen music

30 p.m. . . . Family Living — A series by Lutheran TV. This week, "Julio:" To get money to expand his business, a shoemaker's son tricks his father into selling his property SATURDAY (Jan. 4) noon . . . Jokes-A-Plendy. 12:30 p.m. . . . Let's Go Eat — Beth Leonard, a

fan of Let's Go Eat, invites Jeff and Pete to prepare an easy, yet nice, dinner for them. Water Babies. 1:30 p.m. . . . Epidemic: Kids, Drugs & Alcohol. Tailgate Ramblers.
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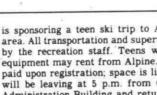
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news itself. It prospers on an ability to recall

such esoterica as the four-letter word begin-

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Squaring off against a crossword puzzle

has been called everything from stimulating

to more fun than mowing the lawn. Easier to

mull over zarfs, the coffee cup holders, than

to contemplate the encroachment of

"I could either cut the grass or do the

f Troy describes his first serious introduc-

ion to crosswords. That was eight years ago

Now, Jablonski, an advertising copywriter

can't start the day without a puzzle fix. "It

gets the blood flowing through the grey cells.

If he eats lunch in his office, it's compli

nented by a crossword. He subscribes to the

unday edition of a metropolitan daily news-

paper because it reprints the Sunday New

*EVEN THE mathematical puzzle - I

"It's a challenge and I love a challenge,"

said Bea Segel of Westland. "It keeps my

"It's the first thing I look for when I get the

On the other side of this game sit the real

word mongers, crossword editors such as

Linda Bosson, of the United Media Enterpris-

es in New York, from which the Observer &

Eccentric newspapers buys its puzzles. The

puzzles are created by freelance crossword

It's Bosson's job to check for inaccuracies

misspellings and repetition in the puzzles.

Among her most used sources are Webster's

New World Dictionary and Webster's Third

International Dictionary. United Media's puz-

zles range from tough teasers to easier ones

generated by computer. But alas for Bosson,

the computer program contains too many

rossword cliches for her taste. "It makes me

She'd like to edit those out and give clues

paper," Virginia Cook of Livonia said.

To me, that's what the morning's about."

ossword puzzle," is the way Mike Jablonski

crabgrass on your bluegrass.

York Times puzzle.

mind on the ball."

quirm," she said.

an't pass it up," he said.

• CANTON CRICKETS Saturday, Jan. 4 - Registration for the Canton Crickets preschool program will begin at 8 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 4, in the lower level of Canton Township Administration Building on Canton Center Road just south of Proctor. The state-licensed program for 3- and 4-year-olds meets 9:30-11:30 a.m. Monday-Friday with an afternoon session 1-3 Tuesdays and Thursdays from Feb. 3 to June 13. The class, limited to 13 pupils, is for Canton residents only. Driver's license required for proof of residency with only one registration per person. Activities include crafts, low-organized games, story time, special events, field trips, snack time. Parents are assigned snack times. For further information, call

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Monday, Jan. 6 - A Snowmobile Safety Class will be held 6:30-8:30 p.m. Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Jan. 6, 8, 9, and 10, in the cafeteria of Plymouth Canton High School, Canton Center Road just south of Joy, sponsored by Community Education Department of Plymouth-Canton Community Schools. The purpose is to help youth age 12-16 and adults earn a certificate to operate a snowmobile. No charge. Register the first night of the class.

GANTON C-C LUNCHEON Wednesday, Jan. 8 - U.S. Rep. William D. Ford. D-Taylor, whose 15th District includes Canton, will be the guest speaker for the Canton Chamber member luncheon beginning at noon in the Roman Forum Restaurant. For reservations, call 453-4040.

• TEEN CHEMICAL DEPENDENCY

Thursday, Jan. 9 - A series of free one-hour lectures on chemical dependency and treatment for adolescents will be presented beginning at 7 p.m. at West Middle School, Ann Arbor Trail at Sheldon, Plymouth. The series of four lectures will examine the signs and symptoms of adolescent chemical dependency, how the disease affects the family and the various treatment programs available. The first lecture will define chemical dependency and its symptoms, and discuss the unique differences between the disease in adolescents and adults.

The lectures are co-sponsored by Plymouth-Canton Community Schools and the Catherine McAuley Health Center's (CMHC) chemical dependency pro-gram. Presenters will include: Neil Carolan, director of the chemical dependency program at CMHC; Charles Gehrke, M.D., medical director of the chemical dependency program at CMHC; and Kathleen Bishop, family counselor for the adolescent unit of Huron Oaks, CHMC's chemical dependency

TEEN SKI TRIP Friday, Jan. 10 - Canton Parks and Recreation is sponsoring a teen ski trip to Alpine Valley Ski area. All transportation and supervision is provided by the recreation staff. Teens without their own equipment may rent from Alpine. All fees must be paid upon registration; space is limited. The group will be leaving at 5 p.m. from Canton Township Administration Building and returning about 12:15 a.m. Fees are \$15 without your own equipment or \$8 with your own equipment. For information, call 397-1000 between 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. weekdays. Registration is in person at the parks and recreation office, 1150 S. Canton Center Road.

LIBRARY STORYTIME

COLLEGE FINANCIAL AID

Monday, Jan. 13 - A four-week preschooler storytime will be held at 10:30 a.m. from Jan. 13 to Feb. 3 in the Dunning-Hough Library, 223 S. Main, Plymouth, for children 31/2 to 5. Registration is required and will be at 10 a.m. in person on Jan. 6.

Thursday, Jan. 16 - A four-week toddler storytime will be held in Dunning-Hough Library at 10:30 a.m. Jan. 16 to Feb. 6 for children age 2 to 31/2 with a parent. Registration is required and will be held in person at 10 a.m. Jan. 9. For more information, call the library at 453-0750.

Wednesday, Jan. 15 — Financial aid opportuni-ties for students attending college next fall will be discussed at a forum beginning at 7 p.m. in Room 164 of Kresge Hall at Madonna College, I-96 at Levan, Livonia. Both parents and students are encourged to attend BLOODMOBILE VISITS

Saturday, Jan. 18 - From 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at St. Kenneth Catholic Church social hall, 14951 Haggerty near Five Mile, Plymouth. For an appointment call the Rev. Fr. William Pettit at 420-028

American Red Cross Bloodmobile will be located

at the following locations to accept donations of

Saturday, Jan. 25 - From 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at First United Presbyterian Church of Plymouth, 701 Church. For an appointment, call Karen Karam at 420-2030

• FUND ANNUAL MEETING Tuesday, Jan. 21 - The annual meeting of the

Plymouth Community Fund United Way will be at 8 p.m. in Plymouth Township Hall, 42350 Ann Arbor Road at Mill. Purpose of the meeting is to elect four board members, four officers, hear reports from the president, secretary, and treasurer of the Fund and to conduct such other business as may come before the board. Open to public. Refreshments will be served.

© COMEDY AT MADONNA Sunday, Jan. 26 - The musical comedy "The

Night Harry Stopped Smoking" (a play for children of all ages) will be performed by the Michgian Opera Theatre at 3 p.m. in Kresge Hall Auditorium at Madonna College, I-96 at Levan, Livonia. Opera singer John Davies created the anti-smoking comedy as a non-threatening message to counter the cig-arette advertising that is influencing children. Admission is \$2 for adults, \$1 for senior citizens and children younger than 12.

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dealing with the extant instead of the extinct. "I think names and faces in the news are more interesting than the name of an obscure

that has obscure history and geography definitions" he said. But he has learned a short obscure word through the puzzles - rood, defined in the American Heritage Dictionary as a cross or crucifix. "It drove me absolutely

snapped up by crossword puzzle people," Bos-

are familiar to even those without interest in international politics or college football.

erate a different kind of cross word. "We once defined icon as an idol. We received an irate letter from the Russian Orthodox Church telling us that icons are not idols,"

"You try to be very sure you don't offend people. You have to be careful with anything geographical or you're liable to get a letter

Puzzle solvers evidently love to quibble over clues or catch the crossword writer in error. Letters labor over such oversights as a clue placing a New England state in the wrong location or mixing up the tibia, the-

Yet all this worry about fitting words to a puzzle can divorce them from real meaning. They are after all, convenient ways to fill in the blanks and far enough removed from evunreal. It's easy to believe that obscure words, like quipu, a Peruvian string knotted in a specific way to signify words, were in-

THAT'S AN attitude with which Jablonsk would agree. "I hate coming across a puzzle

Crossword cliches are almost inevitable because the English language contains a limited number of short words beginning with vowels. That's why puzzle writers adore such words as egret, em, erg, el, awl and OPEC. "If a famous person comes along with a short name beginning with avowel, that name gets

Thus the names U Thant and Ara Parsigian

OCCASIONALLY, puzzle definitions gr

om the people who live there."

shin bone, with the fibula, the ankle bone.

eryday North American conversation to seem wented by crossword inventors to fill in those Wike Jablonski can't start the day without his crossword puzzle. "It gets the blood flowing the start the day without his crossword puzzle." odd spaces at the bottom of puzzles.

But take heed from Bosson's own experi-"There in a glass case in the Smithsonian was a real live quipu. It gave me a funny

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Effort targets young criminal offenders

Youngsters who fall into trouble with the law at an early age may be diverted from a life of crime under a program launching next month in the

Labeled a diversionary program, the projec would take in youngsters as young as 7 and up to 16 years of age who have been cited by school officials and police as having problems with truancy, vandalism, substance abuse, shoplifting or abusive be-

The program is regarded as "good opportunity" for first-time offenders, and may plug a gapping need for juvenile attention in the suburbs.

"I've felt for a long time that there's been a need to do something of this nature," said Dale Yagilla, director of Plymouth's Growth Works, which will administer the program. "There are over 10,000 cases handled in Wayne County Juvenile Court each year, and there's a tendency for cases from the outcounty area to be overlooked."

RESOURCES are limited in the county's juvenil system, he said, and consequently reserved for only

"There are only so many beds in the youth home and probation workers have large case loads. The amount of work done with families is limited," he

"I was in a meeting with one local government official who had a stack of pethions that were rejected by the courts. He was saying that something needs to be done about this thing." Yagilla added.

The program is partially sponsored by Wayne ounty through a \$20,000 matching grant with Growth Works. Three other similar programs are funded through county tax dollars and opening soon. They include two Detroit locations, in the Warren-Connor area and the 12th Precinct, and in River Rouge. Growth Works will handle its share of the program responsibility by offering staff ser-

The program is designed for children and their

classes. The services would include Parent Effect tiveness Training classes and programs in employ ment, work-service restitution and youth mentors a special focus of the program.

"We'll use volunteers, adults paired up with oungsters and that person could be like a big ther, big sister or big aunt to that child, taking him fishing or just sitting and studying with them, said Sue Edwards, the county's program coordina-

"SOME OF these kids come from homes with no kind of communication between the parent and child," she added. "Mainly (the mentor) is an adult who could serve as a role model, someone to talk to on a whole facet of life

According to Yagilla, they plan to begin recruiting volunteers soon to act as mentors in the program. Participation would require working each week with a child on their particular goals for 12-16 weeks. Children will be accepted into the program starting in early February.

Besides meeting with their mentors, youngsters will be expected to meet with staff members and other participants in group setting each week. Where it applies, parents will be asked to attend an existing drug education program in the Plymouth-Canton School District and a "Tough Love" pro-

In the Plymouth-Canton area, Yagilla said drug abuse is at the core of many delinquency problems. "We find they commit a lot of different crimes. bbreakings and enterings, larcenies. I'd like to help parents understand that this is a treatable thing.

"PARENTS feel real alone when their kids are in trouble. And they're often not comfortable sharing the problem with their families or friends, who might be judgmental about it." Yagilla said. "A lot of times things look hopeless, and they're not."

According to Edwards, the program has been modeled after a similar operation in Oakland County called the Youth Assistance Program.

Groups study Canton changes

Because Canton is a charter township there are some services - the most important being road maintenance - provided by Wayne County. If Canton were to become a city the county is relieved from maintaining Canton's roads.

Committee members have met with Wavne County officials to determine what the county spends on Canton roads.

A BENEFIT OF becoming a city is that Canton would receive \$1.5 million annually in weight and gasoline tax rebates from the state, McDonald said. Presently, the county receives this money.

"We're also focusing on the presumption that one of the advantages of becoming a city is that Canton would no longer face annexation by other cities," McDonald said

As a township there is a possibility of annexation but as a charter township "it appears it is more difficult," said McDonald. Dates for public hearings to obtain comments

from residents on becoming a city will be set. The first is tentatively targeted for the beginning of

"I think potentially this is a big issue but I don't see a tremendous surge in interest in this," McDonald said.

Despite extensive newspaper coverage, McDonald said, the committee has received only one letter from a resident expressing an opinion. "I get the feeling there aren't a whole lot of peothere and we just don't know it," McDonald said. "As a committee we would certainly solicit opin-

Many possibilities could result from the commit-If the group decides it-would be in Canton's best interest to become a city, pending agreement from

the majority of trustees, the board could initiate a Residents also could conduct a petition drive to have the issue placed on the ballot

IF IT MEETS voter approval, the next step would be to elect a charter commission, which would write the city charter. Canton voters also would vote on the city char-

Another possibility is that the committee - appointed by the board - could make a recommendation to go to cityhood and the board could fail to

If we recommended to the board that Canton Township should stay a township, at anytime the residents could circulate a petition recommending

that the issue be put on the ballot," McDonald said. Other members on the City Review Committee are: Ted Grabbe, who manages a 12,000-car fleet for the Association of American Railroads; Sandy Preblich, hostess of the "Sandy Show" on Omnicon Cablevision, Henry Whalen, roll manager for Ford Motor Co., and Dianne Neihengen, Canton coordina-

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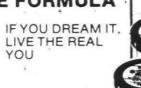
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Reader tells of 'amazing stories'

I believe Hollywood screenwriters could develop their own "Amazing Stories" scripts from the tales that residents of Plymouth Township have been receiving in the past few months.

On two occasions in the past six months, Plymouth Township residents were asked to approve two different millage proposals with virtually no specific data provided by both past financial performance and future Of course we were given the customary

data of what one mill would cost to an owner of an average \$80,000 home, but not once were we provided details that would allow taxpayers the ability to really know how funds have been recently allocated or how the proposed funds would really alter the township operations.

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Nov 21 1985 that the township would be

adding four additional clerks in the town-

ship offices above current staffing levels -

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to reduced pressure on general operating

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needs that the new millage funds had pro-

vided. Amazing that this was never dis-

2. The concurrent passage of an addi-

tional one mill for the newly created library

district freed the township of more than

\$100,000 that had been previously funded by

I am obviously disappointed that the

elected leaders of the township do not have

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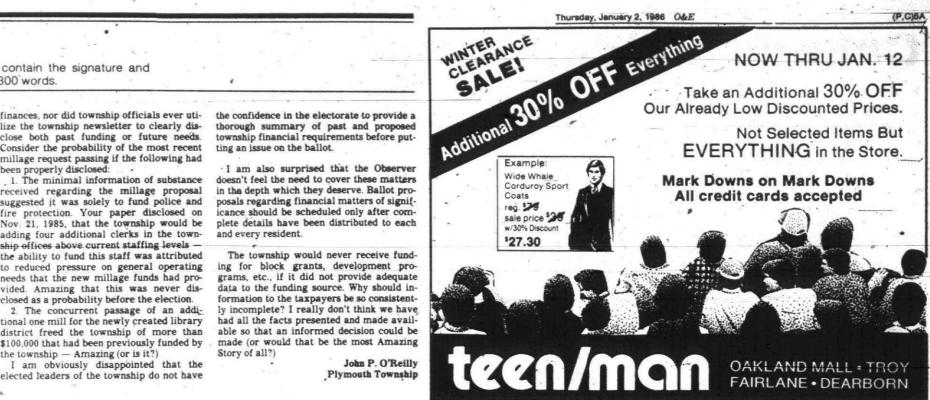
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close both past funding or future needs. township financial requirements before putting an issue on the ballot Consider the probability of the most recent millage request passing if the following had I am also surprised that the Observer 1 The minimal information of substance doesn't feel the need to cover these matters in the depth which they deserve. Ballot proreceived regarding the millage proposal suggested it was solely to fund police and

posals regarding financial matters of significance should be scheduled only after complete details have been distributed to each The township would never receive funding for block grants, development pro-

grams, etc., if it did not provide adequate data to the funding source. Why should information to the taxpayers be so consistenty incomplete? I really don't think we have had all the facts presented and made available so that an informed decision could be made (or would that be the most Amazing Story of all?)



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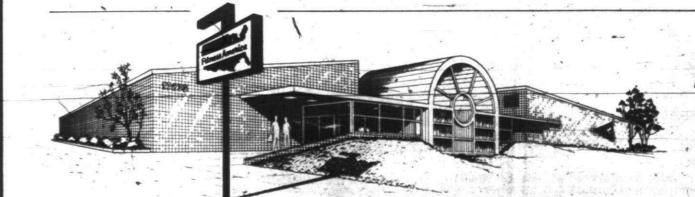
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College building cash rides prison coattails

Sen. Patrick McCollough, D-Dearborn. don Road. When the state acquired the Lyn Bankes, R-Livonia.

tion," intoned Sen. Doug Cruce, R-Troy. thing other than a children's mental in-Robert Geake, R-Northville. "I don't see the Wayne State Univesi-

ty library project," demanded Sen. Da- Oakland University vid Holmes, D-Detroit. "They're zipping it through," complained Rep. Mat Dunaskiss, R-Lake

package: \$323 million in construction.

including \$154 million for new prisons and \$58 million for colleges. The companion bills meant different things to different people.

While most Democrats supported it,

posed. Sen. Richard Fessler, R-West Bloomfield, was absent. And the second expower plant at Northville Regional complain their air is polluted by heavy, black ugly smoke" from the

BANKES, A first-term Republican from Livonia, said she was "upset at voting against prison money. The only \$350,000. money absolutely necessary was the

prison construction money. drive through the bill for new build- provements.) ings. The colleges are using the popularity of prisons to drive through a bill which does both (construct colleges and

prison buildings). Geake, a member of both the Senate Appropriations Committee and Joint Capital Outlay Committee, said the package also includes

• \$10 million for continued construction of the \$33.5 million Scott Re-Board of Commissioners, after ducking

• \$1 million for clear title to the former Plymouth Center for Human "A personal victory," beamed state Development properties west of Shel-"A gork barrel," sniffed state Rep. site from Wayne County, there was a clause saying the land would revert to the county if the state used it for any-

There was something here North-stitution. The state intends to sell the land, possibly to a private developer. • \$225,000 for plans and the start of construction of a \$9 million library for

McCOLLOUGH, WHOSE Senate district includes both the University of Michigan-Dearborn campus and Garden City, trumpeted his victory in get-THEY WERE talking about the ting \$350,000 in planning money same bills - the joint capital outlay toward \$11 million worth of renovations at the UM-D campus.

This was not an easy assignment given a commission report questioning the future of the UM-Dearborn campus," said McCollough, referring to a report by Gov. Blanchard's special all area Republicans but two were op- commission on higher education which did indeed question the need for UM-D.

"The turning point in our effort came this fall when budget director Robert ception was Geake, who said constitu- Naftaly accepted my invitation and ents would be pleased by an unspeci- toured the Dearborn campus with me,"

"Only then - after witnessing the Psychiatric Hospital Nearby residents need for better classroom space, the replacement of 10 outmoded modular structures, and the use of otherwise abandoned space in the old student activities building for university and community-oriented cultural programs did he agree to include the initial

thanked McCollough and two Dear-Despite his own "yes" vote, Geake born-area state representatives for agreed with her, noting that "the popu- winning \$25,000 in special aid for lar clamor for prisons was used to steam line and heating system im-

DUNASKISS' northern Oakland County district had been eved by the state Corrections Commission for a regional prison, and he is unhappy about

Area residents are vehemently opposed to the site - near an elementary and the Oakland County

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vor of vacant land next to a mental for one or more projects. Examples: hospital in Pontiac

Dunaskiss voted against these two Meanwhile, the Corrections Commission took the Orion Township site off its

Dec. 19 agenda and will consider it again in January. Reason for the delay is that the site is state recreation land not be converted to another use without

FACH STATE university got money

• UM-Ann Arbor got \$1 million toward a chemical sciences building and \$675,000 to renovate their Natural Sciences Building.

• Michigan State scored \$1.6 million toward a veterinary center, \$1.1 Senate Majority Leader John Engler, him he's wrong. million toward an engineering building paid for with federal funds, and it may and \$3.5 million to complete a plant and soil sciences building.

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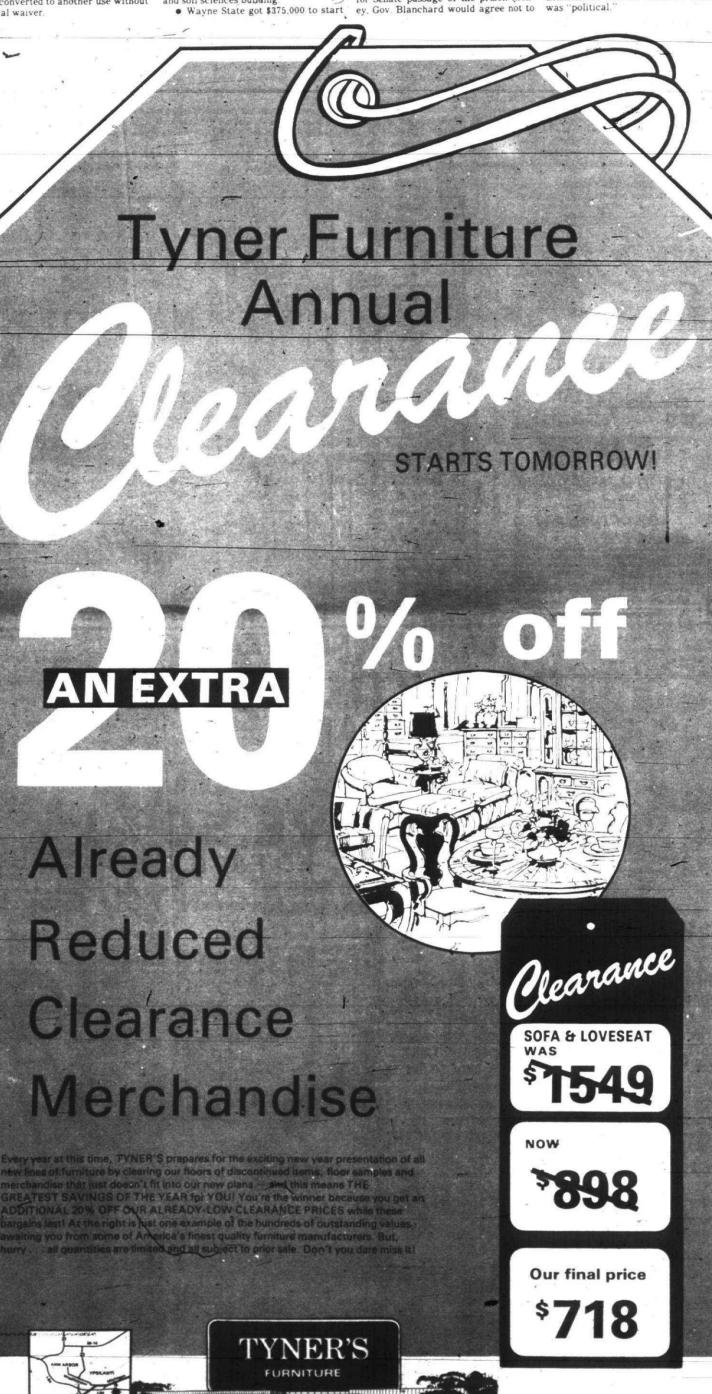
renovations of Mackenzie Hall, use his line-item veto. Blanchard had \$850,000 to start a biology building and earlier vetoed money for the CMU \$1.4 million to complete an engineering project

Blanchard in a news conference accused Engler of "holding crime-ONE BONE of contention was a sci-fighting money hostage." The Demoence building earmarked for Central cratic governor urged Senate Republi-Michigan University, home base for cans to. "work around him or convince

But Geake said Senate Republicans Engler demanded that in exchange fully supported the position and felt for Senate passage of the prison mon- Blanchard's veto of the CMU building

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ALZHEIMER'S GROUP

Alzheimer's Disease and Related Dispist; Gina Frankhart, recreational therorders Association (ADRDA) will meet apist; and Jane, Makielski, registered 1-3 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 8, in the com-nurse. Men and women of all ages who munity room of the Arbor Health suffer from arthritis are encouraged to Building, Ann Arbor Trail and Harvey participate. The class will follow the in Plymouth. There will be a presentation and discussion by Allen Cary of by the National Arthritis Foundation Comerica Bank about the financial con- where the instructors took their train siderations with long-term care.

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Jan. 10 is the deadline to register for maintaining control over their disease. p.m. Tuesdays beginning Jan. 14 in the call Pat Haggerty at 453-8894. Reichert Health Building in the St. Joseph Mercy Hospital complex. The \$20 • DIABETIC SUPPORT materials fee is payable at the first

The Plymouth Support Group for the be Amy Borkowski, occupational theraformat of the self-help course offered

The course will emphasize these basic concepts: each person with arthritis is different; there is no right treatment tive adult volunteers will be held form for everyone; having arthritis is not a 10-11 a.m. Jan. 9 in the St. Joseph Mer- hopeless situation - there are many cy Hospital Education Center at Cathe- ways a person with arthritis can feel rine McAuley Health Center in Ann Ar- better; and with education, an arthritis bor. Volunters work at Arbor Health sufferer can determine which self-Building in Plymouth, St. Joseph Mercy management techniques are best for and Mercywood hospitals, Huron Oaks him or her. The course will cover ex-Chemical Dependency facility, Maple ercise, joint protection, medication, nu

The Western Wayne County Self Help sign up attend an information meeting for Hard of Hearing (SHHH) will meeet or for more information, call the volun- at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 22, in Geneva Presbyterian Church, 5835 Sheldon north of Ford Road, across from Harvard Square Shopping Center, in Canton. The program will feature an a six-week series to help arthritis pa- introduction to Cued Speech Reading tients learn how they can be the key to by Lorraine Zaksek, speech pathologist for Oakwood Hospital. No charge; ope The class will be offered from 6:30-8:30 to the public; for more information

A Diabetic Support Group will begin

meeting 7-8 p.m. the third Monday of The self-help course will be taught each month at Oakwood Hospital Canby three Mercywood Hospital employ-ees who work with older adults suffer-ter roads in Canton.





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snowed last Saturday night and Sunday morning. I came over to my office to clear the sidewalks and while

parking lot came too. . . . It's now four days later and the city

its walks clear? sidewalks and parking lot across the street from my office haven't seen a shovel or a snow plow. Maybe they won't see one until Jan. 2, 1986, when City Hall is opened and back on full force again because of the new holiday schedule that the Mayor and City Council declared.

> So, citizens of Plymouth, if you get a ticket for not clearing your walks, drive by Westchester Square and see if the city has cleared its sidewalks at the southern end and if they haven't, whatever is good for the goose should be good for the gander, as the old saying

Thanks given Ball helpers

On behalf of the Plymouth Symphon League, I was delighted to see such wonderful coverage of our Christmas Candlelight Ball in the Dec.19 issue.

While it is always flattering to see one's self in "print," it is unfortunate ty - always without pay, often without onnected with this event were barely Please allow me to publicly thank

Christmas Ball co-chairwomen, Joan Kisabeth and Chris Krivick. _ Along with the rest of the Nighten

gale group of the League, these two staunch supporters gave endless hours of time and talent in keeping their fincoordinating the myriad of details that culminate in the kind of special eve-

those most important are the workers - the unseen, unsung people who work tirelessly for the good of the communihat two of the most important women praise. So please, Observer, join me in honoring these two lovely ladies and thanks for your continued support of the Plymouth Symphony League.

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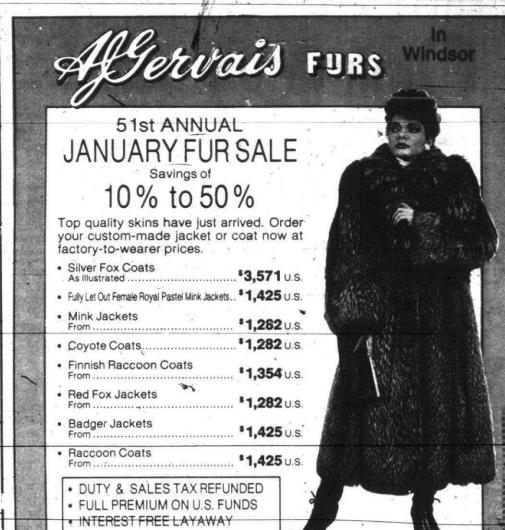
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Can it last?

Our region's economy could improve into 1987

JILL IT last? That's the big Economically, 1985 was an

excellent year, and the top prognosticators told the Economic Club of Detroit last month that 1986 will be almost as good - with some slippage in auto sales and industrial plant construc-If they're right, 1986 will be our fourth

straight year of economic growth without serious inflation — the first time since the 1960s that has happened

In this region, we're almost used to a recession every three or four years. "When the nation catches cold, southeastern Michigan gets pneumonia." The question nagging us is not whether 1986 will be fairly good, but what will happen in '87?

THERE ARE signs of a levelling off. Auto sales are predicted to be about 10.4 million in '86 compared to 11 million

Imports are still flooding in, and Washington shows little inclination to stem the flow. General Motors' reduction of smallcar production shows domestic car makers aren't entirely concerned about the

Consumer debt is high, with little room to grow. Production of durable consumer goods may level off.

Those are the bad signs. BUT THE GOOD signs indicate that any downturn in '87 will be slight - nothing like the troughs of 1971 and 1974-75, and certainly nothing like the depression of 1979-82.

Nationally, inflation has been halted. Price increases are in the 3-4 percent

That's extremely significant. Previous recessions have been fueled by the inflationary psychology of "buy now because tomorrow the price will be higher." Consumers over-bought houses and durable goods, and companies built up large inventories, causing inventory-adjustment recessions. As of today, that psychology seems to have been broken.

OPEC, the oil cartel, seems to be breaking apart, reducing chances of artificial fuel shortages. Our auto plants have been automated

and robotized, and the biggest blue-collar job losses probably are behind us. Management structures have been sim-

plified. Some of the old class warfare mentality of labor-management relations

ude of "we're in this together," at least

outside the UAW. Manufacturers have developed better relationships with suppliers and "just-intime" delivery systems. These reduce both their need to tie up capital in inventories and the danger to us of an inventory-ad-

FINANCIALLY, the southeastern Michigan region seems in fairly solid Interest rates are drifting lower — ex-

cellent news for auto and housing sales. If factory construction is down, contractors are expecting to build a lot of houses, roads, college classrooms, prisons, department stores, hotels and convention

Michigan banking is ready to take part in the world economy. This year we'll have statewide branch banking. We'll also have our first foreign bank (Japanese) Within three years, we'll be seeing multistate banking corporations, and there's a chance our region will be headquarters The old shortage of capital for fledgling

business is being corrected. The venture capital conventions in Ann Arbor seem to be bearing more and more fruit. A new kind of financial institution called a-BID-CO (business and industrial development corporation) is likely to be created by state law, filling a niche between commercial banks and venture capital firms.

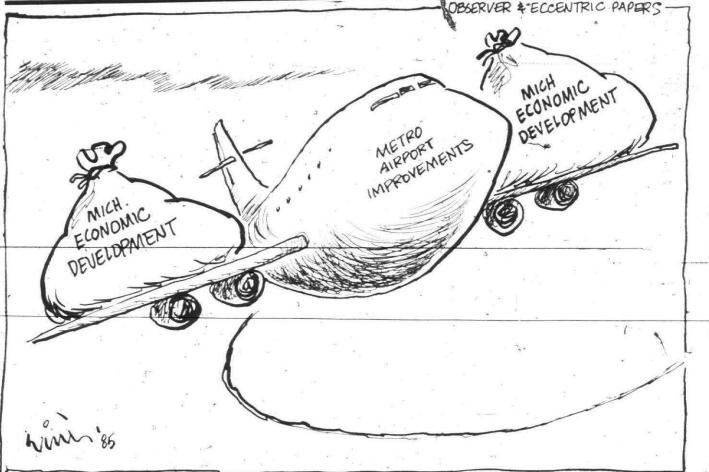
FINALLY, the attitude of government, which used to treat corporations as The Enemy, has changed

Gov. James Blanchard has hustled to bring industry into Michigan, risking his eputation with the Democratic old guard. And as the companion articles on this

page demonstrate, county governments, eviously concerned with courthouses and drains, are seeing they have a role in the emerging reindustrialization of southeastern Michigan. Wayne County's Bill Lucas and Oakland's Dan Murphy will compete for the Republican gubernatorial nomination and with Blanchard on the basis of who can really produce the most

That kind of positive political competition can mean our economic upturns will be longer and our recessions, milder than we've known in the past. Things are looking up.

Tim Richard



Metro Airport means jobs

AM extremely optimistic and enthusiastic about future prospects for Detroit Metropolitan Wayne County Airport. Carefully controlled growth promises to stimulate our economy and provide considerable opportunities for our When I accepted this position - which

includes, among other things, jurisdiction over both Detroit Metro and Willow Run airports Wayne County

Executive William Lucas advised me of his vision for Detroit Metro His main objectives: 1) To provide a first-class facility

for the traveling public, particularly residents of Wayne

and Meyers

economic development in Wayne County. As a longtime business administrator in the private sector, I embrace these principles and believe Bill Lucas has his priorities admirably in order. OBJECTIVE 1 means the public comes-

first. In managing the airport, we don't automatically concede to the dictates of the airlines. Expansion will occur only by means of a logical and orderly master The second objective holds great

promise for a job-starved metropolitan

area anxiously seeking economic develop-

Detroit Metro has become the nation's fastest-growing urban airport and how ranks among the largest dozen American airports - up from 19th two years ago. One airline, Republic, has doubled its number of daily flights from Detroit, and Northwest Airlines is seeking to do the same. At this time, approximately 900 lights arrive and depart every day.

This means jobs. Around 8,000 people are employed at Metro, and off-airport development is booming, as an ever-in-

nities the airport offers, as a stimulant to _ Romulus, Livonia, Taylor and other near by communities Additionally, as Wayne County and

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southeastern Michigan become increasingly accessible to more parts of the nation and the world, the Detroit area be comes much more attractive as a conven ient location for conventions, tourism business expansion, and relocation by national and international firms.

BEST OF ALL, this economic stimulation comes at little or no expense to the taxpayer. Not many realize that no county money goes into Metropolitan Airport. It is a self-sufficient, user-supported

facility. Landing fees and concessions payfor operation and maintenance. Capital costs and major improvements are financed by FAA grants and bond issues backed by the airlines."

To accommodate Republic, Northwest and other carriers, we are discussing bond issue designed to solve some of the inconveniences associated with this rapid

The need is clear. Detroit Metropolitan Wayne County Airport will handle more than 15 million passengers this year. This exceeds the predictions in our original

creasing number of air cargo companies southeastern Michigan. and related industries are popping up in master plan for the year 2000. 2) To take advantage of all the opportu-Oakland's base broadens

welcomes new year IT DOESN'T seem possible that 48 years have passed since we realized a dream by building our own home in the wooded section of an old abandoned farm

An old farm bell

in the suburbs outside Detroit. But each year when New Year's Eve. arrives, we are reminded of the many years that have moved along.

When we moved into the finished home, we were as proud as peacocks, but we made a deal on how we were going to handle the work that was to be done. It was agreed the lady of the house would have back from Pennsylvania with an iron ketcharge of all indoor furnishings, and The Stroller would take care of the outside

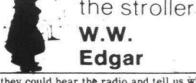
That agreed upon, The Stroller immediately wanted several of the things he had always liked back home in the Pennsylvania Dutch country

FIRST OF these was an old-fashioned soap-making bowl. Next came a large iron bell that was used to call the cattle in from the fields.

So a trip was arranged to get them. We found what we wanted in the little town of Seigersville. We managed to get them into our car, and now the bell is used to usher in the New Year.

It is attached to a large white pole a few steps from the kitchen door. Each New Year's Eve our neighbors and friends from town are invited to ring the bell and

This used to be quite a program. We didn't have television, where we could see the ball being dropped from the roof in Times Square, New York. So we had our guests stationed a few feet apart where



they could hear the radio and tell us when to start ringing the bell.

No New Year's Eve comes along that we don't recall the days when we drove tle and a bell in the trunk of the car.

THERE WAS A history for each of these pieces that have helped decorate the garden for more than four decades.

The iron kettle is now hung up and held loft by three poles. It is about three feet off the ground, and each spring it is filled with flowers.

The Stroller always makes certain that the flowers add a great deal of color. He starts with geraniums - lots of them and then has ivy hanging over the sides. The old iron bell that was used to call-

cattle still does some calling. If The Stroller is far down in the orchards and flowers, and meal time comes around, the bell is used to call him back to the house. NO NEW YEAR'S would be official un-

less the bell were rung. It's the only bell of its kind, at least in our neighborhood. And it is always good to hear the next morning that neighbors from blocks away heard it. It is an unusual way of wishing everyone a Happy New Year.

ector, Economic Development Group, TRONG ECONOMIC growth, which

took form in 1983 and accelerated in 1984, brought thousands of jobs to Oakland County in 1985. This year, strong progress was made in revitalizing our economic base with the kinds of jobs that bring in money from outside

Some of the year's highlights: • Electronic Data Systems — 8,900

• GM Saturn headquarters with engineering center - more than 1,200 people • GMF Roboties - with 800 jobs in 1986 and 1,300 by 1990. • Comerica Operations Center

more than 2,000 jobs. Nippondenso — research and development center in Southfield.

• Chrysler - purchasing 500 acres in Oakland Technology Park for future op-

• United Parcel Service in Madison Heights — a \$15 million mechanized parcel distribution center to employ 650.

♦ Aviation Group — a \$6 million exec utive transportation center at Oakland/ Pontiac Airport.

• GM Chevrolet-Pontiac-Canada Group - starting an \$81 million prototype manufacturing center in Auburn Oakland Technology Park projects

 totaling 30,000 jobs by 1995. tions in the fourth quarter, reflecting an- World Computer Corp. headquarters in Oakland Technology Park — to employ ticipated sunsetting of industrial revenue 300 in 1986.

IN 1985, OAKLAND County again the volume of office construction. In fact almost two-thirds of the state's office building construction took place here.

Office construction during the first six months of 1985 was 75 percent greater than in the similar period of 1984. Likewise, residential, industrial and commercial grew from 1984 to '85. Residential construction far surpassed all Michigan counties in 1985. And it is projected

the 1985-90 residential construction in southeast Michi- Joach gan will occur in Oakland County

DURING 1985, Oakland County's Economic Development Group (EDG), with expanded staff, has greatly broadened its

A series of small business seminars has been conducted by our entrepreneurial specialist in conjunction with SCORE (Service Corps of Retired Executives) and the Michigan Department of Commerce. Our loan programs have been very active, with a flurry of EDC loan applica-

bond financing.

In addition to marketing Oakland Counranked first among Michigan counties in ty nationally and internationally, we have responded to nearly 2,000 inquiries for economic information, business assistance and site and building locations. EDG likewise is helping a group of city

managers and community representatives in southern Oakland County address challenges and opportunities that will become evident with the completion of I-696 in DURING THE year's third quarter, our

Local Development Company (LDC) ranked third among 552 similar organizations in the U.S. loan volume. LDC is a vehicle for financing fixed assets of small businesses through the Small Business Administration 503 program. EDG also is furnishing staff support to the recently organized Oakland County

Community Growth Alliance (CGA), a countywide coalition of private and public organizations. The CGA's activities include establishment of business incubator, federal procurement and small business assistance centers. It's rewarding to report these positive

trends toward achieving more jobs for our county residents as well as developing a stronger and more diversified economic It shows that Oakland County truly pro-

vides its businesses and residents with an environment that promotes prosperity. Originally a civil engineer, the writ-

er headed his own marketing consulting firm in the construction industry before joining County Executive Dan-iel T. Murphy's administration in 1983.

Area U.S. reps help Reagan to win on tax rule

Here's how area members of Congress were recorded on major roll-call votes during the week end

TAX BILL RULE - By a vote of 258 for and 168 against, the House adopted the rule for debating legslation to give the U.S. tax code its first houseclean-

ng in nearly four decades. Coming soon after the House had bottled up tax reform by rejecting essentially the same rule, this vote was a major breakthrough for President Reagan, Democrats who run the Ways and Means Commitee, and others who wanted the House to pass

Most members voting yes favored the taxoverhaul bill as well as the rule for debating the bill Voting yes: Carl Pursell, R-Plymouth, Dennis Hertel, D-Harper Woods, William Ford, D-Taylor, Sander Levin, D-Southfield, William Broomfield, R-Bir

The bill (HR 3838) later was sent to the Senate on non-recom vote. The bill: Shifts a tax burden of some \$140 billion from

individuals to corporations · Lowers tax rates and reduces the number of brackets for individuals and businesses.

· Closes or tightens a host of loopholes that companies and wealthy individuals have used to avoid • Drops some six million poor people from the

· Makes dozens of other major changes in behalf of a fairer and simpler tax code. Supporter Tip O Neill, D Mass, the House speak

er, said a vote for the rule was "a vote for the working people of America over the special interests . ? for the individual taxpayer over the well-financed corporations. Opponent Buddy Roemer D-La., who objected to the bill's higher taxation of the timber and oil and

gas industries, said the rule "reminds me of a Loui

siana bullfrog, all mouth and no guts. This rule does

not alow us to touch the guts of the bill." CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS - The House adopted, 230 for and 196 against, an amendment to the tax bill (above) to permit a tax credit of up to \$100 for a contribution to a House or Senate candi

On joint returns, \$200 would be the maximum credit. Because tax credits enable individuals to lower their taxes by the full amount of the credit, his was seen as a form of public financing of cam-

paigns.
The amendment was drafted by House Democrats, who touted it as a way for small contributors o offset the influence of political action committee (PAC) money in House and Senate races. But many Democrats vote against it and many Republicans

Democratic opposition and GOP support was based mainly on a suspicion that members of single issue pressure groups, which tend to favor Republi can candidates, would utilize the tax credit much more than would union members, minorities and other small donors in Democratic ranks.

Members voting yes favored the tax credit for small congressional compaign contributions. Voting yes: Pursell, Hertel, Ford, Levin and Broomfield. GOP SUBSTITUTE - By a vote of 133 for and

294 against, the House rejected the Republican substitute to the Ways and Means Committee's taxverhaul bill (above Like the Democrats' committee bill, the GOP plan was designed to neither raise nor lower federal tax

receipts. Among other similarities with the committee legislation, it eliminated a host of tax breaks for business and used the newly-found revenue to permit a lowering of personal and corporate tax rates. But it was more accommodating to business, primarily in shifting \$110 billion of tax burden from individuals to businesses, compared to the Demo-

crats' transfer of \$140 billion. Also, it phased in a top individual rate of 35 percent, compared to the Democrats' 38 percent. And it set'a \$2,000 personal exemption for itemizers and non-itemizers, except for taxpayers with incomes of more than x\$100,000. The Democrats set only a \$1,500 exemption for those who itemize deductions. Members voting yes supported the GOP alterna-

tive for overhauling the tax code. Voting yes: Republicans Pursell and Broomfield.

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RECOMMITTAL - By a vote of 171 for and 256 against, the House rejected a motion to effectively till the tax-overhaul legislation (above) by sending i back to the Ways and Means Committee.

Senate, it was advanced by a non-record, voice vote. In the absence of a roll-call on final passage, this recommittal vote provided contituents with the nost definitive record of where individual members

When the bill later was passed and sent to the

verhaul bill. Voting yes: Pursell. Voting no: Hertel, William Ford, Levin and Broomfield.

BUCKLEY NOMINATION - The Senate confirmed, 84 for and 11 against, the nomination of James L. Buckley to sit on the U.S. Court of Appeals

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James Buckley was confirmed to sit on Supporter Orrin Hatch, R-Utah, said: "Few indithe U.S. Court of viduals have had the diversity of legislative and executive experience that uniquely qualify former Appeals for the Senator Buckley to participate in judicial oversight District of

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intervention, depression management, oss and grief, alcohol and substance abuse, and problem-solving methods.

Training is open to any interested person, no previous experience is necessary. After the initial training program it is required that volunteers make at least a six-month commitment to three nights per month. For further information and a training schedule. contact Sue Davis at 455-4902 from 9 a m. to noon Monday through Friday.

FREE PRESCHOOL

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LEARN TO SKI

Canton Parks and Recreation is again offering two sessions of the "Learn to Ski" program at Riverview program at Riverview Highlands. The first session will be the weeks of Jan. 6, 13 and the second the weeks of Jan. 20, 27. Each session consists of four lessons over two weeks at 7 p.m. for adults (16 and older) and at 4 p.m. for junior (15 and younger). Each lesson will last 45 minutes for be-ginners who want to learn the basics of skiing, with free skiing after each lesson. The charge of \$34 per person in-cludes four lift tickets, four lessons and four equipment rentals. Skiers provide their own transportation to the Riverview Highlands Ski Area. For information, call 397-1000

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"Feeling Good" is the name and the goal of this class from noon to 1 p.m. Mondays at the Plymouth Salvation Army Community Center, Main Street 142- block south of Ann Arbor Road. Instructor Jan Fuller will lead you through a series of exercises and stretches to increase your flexibility All levels of physical fitness can be ac-commodated. The charge is \$1 per session. For information, call the Canton Seniors at 397-1000 or the Salvation Army at 453-5464.

SENIOR VOLLEYBALL

Recreational volleyball for senior citizens is offered from 10 a.m. to noon Thursdays at the Salvation Army Community Center, Main 11/2-block south of

Ann Arbor Road in Plymouth. There is a fee of \$1 per visit. For information, call Jeff Beachum at 453-5464.

OPEN BASKETBALL

Plymouth Salvation Army offers open, informal men's basketball 7-10 p.m. beginning Wednesday, Jan. 8. The charge is \$1.50 per visit. For informa-tion, call 453-5464.

• TEEN 3 ON 3 BASKETBALL

A teen 3 on 3 basketball league is being sponsored by the Salvation Army Community Center, Main just south of Ann Arbor Road in Plymouth. The league will begin Jan. 8 and run through March with games being from 3:30 to 7 p.m. Wednesdays. Ages are 13-18 (or high school) only. For more information, call-Jeff Beachum at 453-

DANCE SLIMNASTICS Dance Slimnastics Ltd., a nationally

recognized aerobic fitness organization, is beginning a new series of aero-bic dance classes the week of Jan. 6. The new session, titled "Lookin' Hot," will run for eight weeks. Dances are preceded by a series of floorwork exercises designed for concentrated spot toning of the waist, hips and thighs Persons of all ages are welcome, experience unnecessary. Classes will meet at 10 a.m. Mondays and Thursdays at Dance Unlimited (baby-sitting available) and at 7 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays at Stepping Stone School. For more information, call 420-2893 or

DYNAMIC AEROBICS

Canton Parks and Recreation De partment, in conjunction with the Wayne Westland YMCA, is offering the popular seven-week session of "Dy-namic Aerobics" classes beginning Jan. 13. Baby-sitting will be available. The classes will be 9:30-10:30 a.m. and 10:30-11:30 a.m. Mondays and Fridays in the lower level of the Canton Administration Building, Canton Center Road just south of Proctor. The fee is \$35 per person. Register in person or by mail with Canton Parks and Recreation. 1150 S. Canton Center, Canton 48188 For information, call 397-1000.

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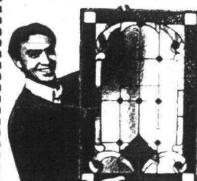
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In late March we started getting serious about the upcoming telephon. The project was to bring the Plymouth-Canton community together closer than it had been since we city folks took over and drowned out the farmer-city relationship that worked so well for so

It seems that great peril and threat of peril brings a community together better than anything. For us, it was the realization that our children were being torn away from our community, our families and life itself by substance

So, we took up arms along side Nick rom the school system, John-Schwartz and the Canton Rotary: Linda Salvador from Plymouth, and Bob Card from McDonalds, along with loads of community service groups and individual volunteers. Businesses donated items for the auction and food for the produc

Together, we joined the Omnicom staff and followed a schedule (script)' developed by Linda Salvador and produced a telethon not unlike that of any network level. We even had a variety of real stars that live in our area step forward and join us hosting or auc-tioneering. Indeed, the excitement was starting to grow

IT ALSO WAS a good time to bring you up-to-date on the activities at the Senior Citizen Center on Michigan Ave-

tor, keep things rolling, as the active for years. seniors demand. They are involved in everything from trips to local attractions and on a grander scale, to other states and vacation spots. There are classes and lectures, not to mention the many sports teams as well as our very own Senior Kitchen Band that has made a name for itself far and wide.

We also took time to tell of some of me, it's usually later — the later the sented by the Detroit area Filarets choir with the fantastic lunches provided at the better senior center Monday through Friday.

pork chops, turkey tetrazini, scalloped chicken, beef stew, stuffed peppers, sweet and sour pork Finally in late March we had the

HOW. CAN I recreate the warm excitement with its unifying effect? The progress we made that weekend is still seen today. A Substance Abuse Task Force was

formed and nearly 100 people were trained to spot and assist a substance abuser. Now there are groups in elementary and high schools. We have merchants, clergy, teachers, police all specially trained to help our kids.

We made a declaration that weekend that was heard for miles. Our kids were not useless druggies. They were, first and last, our children. And we were not about to et them drift away for our lives without a fight.

No matter how involved any of them are, were, or will be, in substance abuse of any kind, we want them back. Also, the children who are involved today need us all now, more than ever. but rather a time to really start paying attention and doing something.

THEN IT WAS on once again to the

Cow Chip Fling question We needed to step back and put it in perspective. The community was being torn apart over what amounted to no

worth the fury it caused. I must confess we did have a ball, reading the letters from other com-Diane Neihengen, coordinator, and i munities throughout the nation that Louise Spigarelli, assistant coordina- have been sponsoring Cow Chips Flings

> TIME TO CATCH up on a few birth Shirley and Joe Roberts, and Rick Byrnes (my nephew). Of course, sooner or later, I would

> have to mention spring cleaning. With We spent a moment or two congratu-

Melissa Jean Slade of Royal Oak and

hanged marriage vows Nov. 2 in First

resbyterian Church of Plymouth. The

Rev. Philip Rodgers Magee officiated.

outh and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilkins

of Wendover, Troy. The bride is em-

Troy. Her husband is employed by Mer-

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Thomas Michael Wilkins of Troy ex- finale of the local group's

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I Slade of Beacon Hill Drive, Plym- will be the guest organ

loved at Complete Travel Service in formed in Detroit in 1935

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Canton chatter Sandy

ning you need to do is for prizes. It was the seedling giveaway, hoping to make

Laurel

lating the Canton Whoppers. Canton's senior volleyball team, that finished first in its division of the Sports Program for Retirees Inc.(SPRI).

Finally, we started to prepare for the Channel 56 auction I went down there expecting to work-

on the phones and ended up working on the boards, putting up bids, and keeping track of the bids for four days. I love it. In the latter part of April, I took you throw a party the easy way." I had ound the best price, with excellent food, in a lovely setting, a simply marvelous afternoon, for a bridal shower honoring my youngest sister, Gail. All this at the Roman Forum in Canton. lection, greet your guests, have your party. Leave the dishes on the table and enjoy. The only shopping or planits annual blood drive the same day as

to sing

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the church, 11420 Conant

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Since then, the group ha

and won numerous na

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year-long observance.

it and so did my guests. tification Committee came alive, pre-

senting the biggest and best Free Seed-

Approximately 10,000 trees were given away that day. The extra trees were planted by our D.P.W. for future use in the community. The committee step by glorious step through "How to is stronger than ever and promises another bumper crop of free seedlings for

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Adding more fiber to diets

had cancer of the colon generated mew concern and interest in measures of

om the long line for the free trees.

dreamed they would attract such a tre-

mendous response to their giveaway.

Actually, they had almost 10 times the

people they had expected.

The Beautification Committee hadn't

prevention and detection. The American Cancer Society estimates that 96,000 new cases of colon cancer will be diagnosed this year, and 51,600 people will die of the disease. It is second in deaths from cancer only to

How this occurs is not fully understood. The inhibitory activity of some types of dietary fiber may be connected with their ability to absorb and remove toxic substances that have been deposited in the intestines, thus decreasing the time these substances

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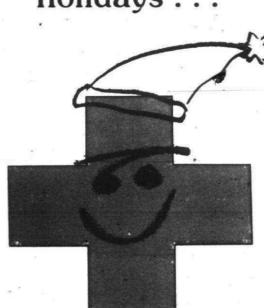
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MORNING PLAY

PLYMOUTH-CANTON

UNCHEON WITHOUT PARTNERS Members of the Plymouth New-Local Parents Without Partners comers Club have until noon Monday.

Jan. 6, to make reservations for their chapter will meet at 9 p.m. Saturday January luncheon. Call Barb, 451-0796, Jan. 4 at the UAW Local Hall on Plymor Rose, 455-0113. Group will meet at outh Road in Livonia. The public is inrited to the fund-raiser dance. Admis- 11:30 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 9, at Northsion is \$4 for members and \$5 for non-ville Charlie's on Seven Mile for hospimembers. For more information call tality with luffich at noon. Guest speak- . 1308, between 9 a.m to 5 p.m. Monday er will be Lorene Green, handwriting through Friday. Pickup is at 5757 Lil-Pat. 721-2202, or Ellen, 455-3851. analyst. Admission is \$9.

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PARENTS

For more information call the instructor, 459-2678, or the Childbirth and Family Resource Center, 459-2360.

 SHAPE UP WITH BABY Post-natal exercise class for mothers and babies under 7 months is slated for 10 a.m. Wednesday, Jan. 8 in Faith Community Lutheran Church, 46001 Warren Road, Canton Township. Class includes exercises for mom and baby, relaxation and breathing techniques. baby massage and informal discus-Touhey, instructor, 459-2678, or Child-

birth and Family Resources, 459-2360

● 60-PLUS LUNCHEON All senior citizens are invited to the

60-Plus monthly potluck luncheon at noon Jan. 6 in Fellowship Hall of First United Methodist Church of Prymouth, 45201 N. Territorial, Plymouth. Bring a food dish to pass and your own table service. Glenn Deakin of Detroit Edison will narrate a film on "The Myths.

PLYMOUTH HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Society will meet at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan 9, in the museum, 155 S Main, Plymouth, Irene Kuehnlein and Mary Ann Reese of Monroe will pres ent the film, "Massacre of the River Raisin 1812." Reese also will discuss the history of Monroe's French Town
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Passage-Gayde Post 391 of the merican Legion will meet at noon \$100; second, \$50; and third, \$25. Infor-Sunday, Jan. 5 at 173 N. Main, Plym- mation available at Plymouth Canton outh. For more information, call the and Salem high schools general offices,

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new voices area are eligible to compete. The topic lence in the Youth-Oriented Record and

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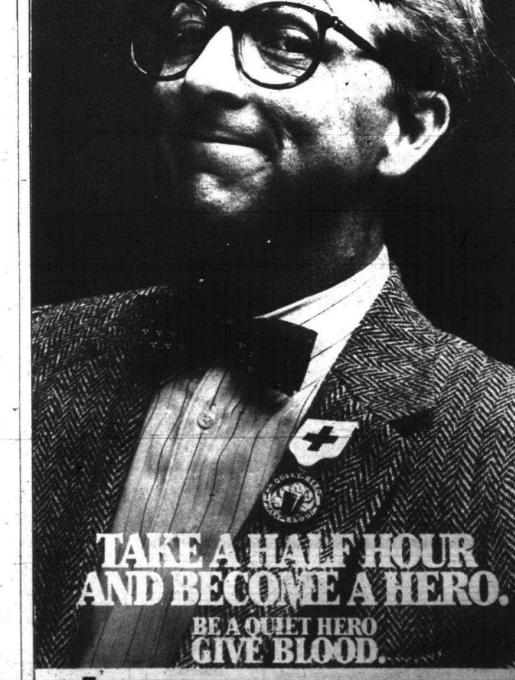
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10:00 a.m. Worship

9:00 a.m. Church

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- BAPTIST

BETHEL BAPTIST TEMPLE 29475 W. Six Mile, Livonia Sunday School Morning Worship

> - NEWS RELEASE -JANUARY 5 11:00 A.M. "AMERICA & THE BIBLE "6:00 P.M. "HERE'S THE QUESTION" Feb. 2 - 12th Anniversary

10:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.

FELLOWSHIP BAPTIST CHURCH

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MEETING AT THE HISTORIC PLYMOUTH GRANGE, 273 UNION 9:30 A.M. Sunday School (For all ages)

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AN INDEPENDENT BAPTIST CHURCH" SCHEDULE OF SERVICES-425-6215 or 425-1116

SUN. 11:00 A.M. SUN. 7:00 P.M. WED. 7:00 P.M. WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY

First Baptist Church

28440 LYNDON, LIVONIA, MI

9:40 A.M. Sunday School

11:00 A.M. Holy Communior

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Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Service 7:00 p.m. Wednesday Service 7:00 p.m Nursery Available

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Redford Baptist Church 7 Mile Road and Grand River 533-2300

9:30 A.M. "WHAT TO LOOK **FOR IN 1986'** '6:30 P.M. Evening Fellowship Service

Dr. Wesley P. Hustad Riev. Mark Fields-Sommers Mrs. Donna Gleask Interim Pastor Associate Pastor Director of Music

GRAND RIVER BAPTIST OF LIVONIA 9:30 A.M. - Family Bible School 10:45 A.M. Worship

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Wednesday 7:00 P.M. - Mid-Week Prayer

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11:00 AM 6:30 PM 7:15 PM

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SAINT ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

591-0211 10:30 A.M. Holy Eucharist & Church School Sunday Morning - Nursery Care Available

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of Canton 981-0499 Meeting at: Canton High School Canton Center at Joy WORSHIP 10:00 A.M **Bible Study Reformed Church in America** PRESBYTERIAN

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Worship and Sunday School - 8:39, 10:00 and 11:30 a.m. "WHY WORSHIP?" "HOW TO WORSHIP!"

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WORSHIP & CHURCH SCHOOL

9:15 A.M. & 11:00 A.M.

459-0013

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"ELIJAH'S MANTEL" Dr. Whitledge Preaching

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"FOLLOW THE LIGHT" Church School (Nursery-12th) 10:30 A.M.

VILLAGE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH 25350 W. Six Mile, Redford (btw. Beech Daly & Telegraph)
Rev. Robert M. Barcus 534-7730 Worship 10:00 A.M. - Church School 11:15 A.M.

> "PRIORITY OF HUMAN NEED" hursday-Weekday Program For All Thursday Bible Study 7:00 P.M. People Growing In Faith And Love

ST. TIMOTHY PRESBYTERIAN (U.S.A.) 16700 Newburgh - Livi 11:00 A.M.

WURSHIP & CHURCH SCHOOL E. Dickson Forsyth, 464-8844

UNITED METHODIST

ST. MATTHEWS INITED METHODIST 30900 Six Mile Rd ir Merriman & Middlebe avid T Strong Ministe 422-6038 10 00 A M Worship Service 10 00 A M Church School (3 Yrs 8th Grade)

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ALDERSGATE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 10000 BEECH DALY ROAD MINISTERS CLEMENT PARR RANDY J. WHITCOME

9:30 & 11:00 A.M. Worship Service "EVERYBODY HAS TO START OVER SOMETIME" :30 A.M. Nursery Care & Adult Church School 11:00 A.M. Nursery thru Senior High Church School

NARDIN PARK UNITED METHODIST CHURCH WORSHIP 9:15 & 11 A.M. "WHEN GOOD THINGS MAPPEN TO BAD PEOPLE'

Dr. William A. Ritter, Pastor Rev. George Kilbourn Rev. David R. Strobe, Assoc. Pastor Judy May, Dir. of Christian Ed. Mr. Melvin Rookus, Dir. of Music Singlés Ministry, Rev. Strobe



FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF PLYMOUTH 45201 N. Territorial Rd. 453-5280 9: 15 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. Worship & Church Schoo (Nursery - 12th)

nisters John N. Grenfell, Larry J. Werbil, Dr. Frederick Vosburg NEWBURG UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 36500 Ann Arbor Trail Livonia's Oldest Church Church School and Worstrip 9:15 & 11:00 A.M.

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WORSHIP SERVICE 10:45 A.M. EVENING SERVICE 6:00 P.M.

Child Care

Farmington Hills 661-9191

Volunteers keep talking books in constant repair

staff writer

The conference room of Farmington Hills Branch Library is reserved from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. the second and fourth Tuesday of the month throughout 1986, a reservation that has been renewed every year since 1980 for the equipment used by the handicapped. Our experience in the telephone

together to do this," said Leigh La-Chappelle, one of about 15 retired Bell elephone employees who repair from 800-900 Talking Books machines each year in the library's conference room. LaChappelle does not think of his twice-a-month visits to the library as work to be done, nor does he think of

himself as a volunteer worker

This is a social event for us," he said "We used to do this individually. Take the machines home and repair them in our own basements. Now we one another with problems that one or said. the other may have more experience

corded on the special machines in the Oakland County Library for the blind and physically handicapped, housed in the local library. They are available for the blind as well as anyone who has difficulty in holding a book.

IF UP TO 900 repairs a year sound Telephone Pioneers, who utilize the like a large number, LaChapelle says, space repairing the machinery and "Think about it. If you have defective eyesight or a physical handicap you are much more likely to spill the coffee on company just lends itself to our getting the book, knock it over, hit it off the table. I think that number would be about average for any library(of its

But the local library is far ahead of its sister libraries in the repair depart

"As a rule there is a pile waiting fo us and we keep up, even if we have to schedule another day in the month to it. The (Michigan School for the Blind) library in Lansing is stocked to pairing, and as the work load increases the ceiling they are so far behind and I've heard the same thing is true for the rown-bag it to the library. We help library in Wayne County," LaChapelle

The keeping-up earned the Teleequipment with us and we make a party out of it."

Michigan Award from the Michigan so a light comes on the same time the bell rings.

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Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

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But Talking Books is not all the In another instance the group was phone switchboard so a company could way for others to follow." machinery in the library that needs reput it on display in working order.

Telephone Pioneers who gathered this month to work on the Talk-

ing Book machinery are (clockwise from bottom right) Jerry Sausr,

Braillewriter machine to allow a deaf woman to know when she was reaching the end of her typing space. Normally a relong-service employees, both activities, but work are long-service employees, both activities, but work reaching the end of her typing space. Normally a relong-service employees, both activities, but work reaching the end of her typing space. with. The library has given us storage phone Pioneers who work here the bell rings seven spaces before the end tive and retired, who have been in the space so we don't have to lug any "Volunteers Helping All to Read in of the line. That machine is now wired industry for at least 18 years. The comr society of men and women who have The Pioneers encourage those of us

Pioneers repair. They repair whatever called upon to repair an outdated tele-dustry and who are still preparing the all over the U.S.," LaChapelle said. "I It's been in existence for 74 years, never had seen a Talking Book before "That took a while but we did it," now has about 602,000 members and is we started this and some didn't even is the world's largest voluntary associ-

Lyons, Gerald Lingle and Frank Howell. contributed to the progress of the in- who can to repair the books, and this i

Leo Hawkens, Mike White, Leigh LaChapelle, Web Luginbill, Ha

know such a thing existed." The group that gets together here never spend time on any formal bus

think most of us who are doing this now

"One person might order parts and another take care of re-charging batteries. But there are no officers. Every-

Lie detector an enemy of truth

said that he would take a lie detector test if it were required by his boss and then he would resign.

In one instance they modified a

so does their skill.

Shultz obviously was angry not at the press but at the new directive of President Reagan that mandatory polygraph tests will become standard for many more government officials. This re uiremewnt will seem like an affront o those who seek to serve our nation with integrity.

It is an advancement for control. is a defeat for morality.

Is this government lie detector testing not a symptom of deeper problems which have become evident among the wants to catch whom? The officials say that they want to catch spies in the highest levels of our nation. Will this in get it from our president as well. fact happen? Won't the harm be worse than the value? Experts claim that Soviet trained spies are able to fool the polygraph tests.

THE TRUE PROBLEM we face is a The lying of our presidents has hurt the morality which gives even our presi- nation far more than the sale of secrets dent an excuse for lying. Americans re- to the Soviets. The implication of nember clearly the presidents who Reagan's directive is that underlings

moral perspectives

Rev. David Strong

bombings of Cambodia and Watergate. A morality which requires polygraph

government with checks and balances est level can still lie. The plan sets us detector. This plan will, I believe, di o protect us against the misuses of backwards. power which would hurt the people.

lied to us about the U-2 plane over Rus- lie but not the president and his advissia, Cuba's Bay of Pigs invasion, the ers.

Why don't we require those who re- tests for mid-level government emhighest leaders of our nation? Who quire the tests also to face the tests? If ployees harkens back to the days of the the Soviets. The risk of secrets being this is such a good way to bring back McCarthy witch hunts. Many people sold is a price we must be willing to truthfulness in government, why not get hurt. On the one hand the real spies pay to keep our society an open one. get away and on the other hand people Our founding fathers designed our are frightened. And others at the high-should not be required to face the lie

ANYONE WHO WATCHES the pro- ness in government officials.

rupts. Should we still expect honesty at the highest levels of government? The answer is yes. Yet leaking information government rules, has been one of the ways in which the American people learned the truth. In these cases we are petter off because someone decided to reveal the truth by breaking govern

Lying will always be a problem in overnment. Yet we suffer the most when those at the very top lie to protect themselves or our "national security." Such acts diminish our faith in our leadership and damage our nationa

Officers of the executive branch

church bulletin

BREAD FOR WORLD

Bread for the World will have a Church, W. Chicago and Inkster roads, zens for Decency. Fairlane Assembly is neeting at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. Redford. The Rev. Dave Blake will at 22575 Ann Arbor Trail, one light east Sounsel Church, Penniman and Arthur streets, Plymouth. -Margaret Weber, 3745 or Sue at 562-2805. the coordinator of Metropolitan Detroit Bread for the World, will show a film on hunger and discuss the past achieve- • FAIRLANE ASSEMBLY ments and future goals of Bread for the

BETHANY WEST

separated and divorced Christians, will listed in "Who's Who in American Canada and is involved in a full-time more information, call Clara at 722 have its general meeting at 8 p.m. SatWomen," recently was sent by the musical ministry as a singer. The sin4224 or Mary at 722-9198 or 453-8218.

8, in the annex of Our Lady of Good speak on "Divorce - Part II." For more information, call Dick at 388-

urday, Jan. 4, at St. Robert Bellarmine church to attend the Conference of Citi- gles group is open to all singles of Telegraph and one block south of The Single Adult Fellowship of Fair-

ter of worship, teachings and Dorothy Edwards, a professor and

workshops at 7 p.m. Friday, Jan. 10.

divorced or widowed. For more information, call the church office at 561-3300. Child care will be provided dur ing the meeting.

lane Assembly will start a new semes- • WOMEN FOR JESUS

Angie Steinburg, wife, mother and grandmother, will speak at the next meet of Women for Jesus. The group educator, will speak on the fight against pornography, and p.m. Sunday, Jan. 5, at Fairlane Assembly of God in Dearborn Heights. Edwards, who is

Detroit Henry Ford High School

classes of 1960-61 will hold a combined

reunion in June 1986. Call Fred Me

whether they have never married, are

space permits, the Observer & Ec- meyer Cole, 644-5584. McGee, Observer & Eccentric News- of 1976 will hold a 10-year reunion 1955, 1956 and 1957 will hold a com-48150. Please include the date of the reunion as well as the first and last per ticket and name and address to: P. 981-2385; Dick Baylerian, 559-0575; or name with telephone numbers.

O. Box 52126, Livonia 48152.

Corell Jones, 883-2675.

• FARMINGTON Farmington High School class of 1966 will hold a 20-year reunion Aug. 9 at the Novi Sheraton Oaks. Help is needed in locating classmates. Contact

Kimball High School class of 1966 will hold a 20-year reunion Saturday Aug. 9 at the Northfield Hilton. Call Sally Gabler, 589-1658 or Bob Roland,

. GARDEN CITY WEST Garden City West High School class of 1980 will hold a five-year reunion March 1. For more information, call

As a public service and when McAlpine, 652-7873, or Doris Vehitenga during the day at 349-7343 or HENRY FORD Greg Wroblewski, 557-8678 evenings.

• FRANKLIN

June 21. Deadline for reservations is bined reunion on Saturday, June 21, Dec. 31. If interested, send \$5 deposit 1986. Call Susan Wilmot Hitchcock,

Lake Racquet Club in Clarkston. For information call 332-2644 or 334-5708.

Drive, Farmington Hills 48018 or call • SALESIAN Salesian High School class of 1966 will hold a 20-year reunion next spring. Those interested should call 525-3868.

> Trenton High School class of 1976 will hold a 10-year reunion Saturday Southgate. Call 373-6377.

gel, 464-3163, or Karen Kontour Ship-

North Farmington class of 1981 will hold a five-year reunion June 21, 1986, at Roma's of Livonia. Call Lisa Salisbury, 661-1383.

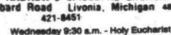
Pontiac High School January-June class of 1936 will hold a 50-year reunion on May 24, 1986, at the Deer day, Dec. 28. Call Charlie DiMaria, 362-

• NORTHVILLE

Westland John Glenn High School class of 1980 will hold a reunion Jan. 3, 1986. Call Kevin Kozlowski, 595-3163.

NORTH FARMINGTON

July 5, 1986, at Crystal Gardens in Polish carols presented

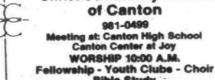


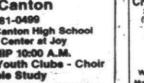
Saturday 5:00 p.m. - Holy Eucharist Sunday 7:46 a.m. - Holy Eucharist 9:00 a.m. - Christian Education for all ages 10:00 a.m. - Holy Eucharist

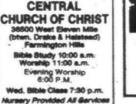
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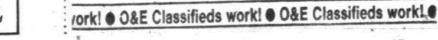






SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:30 A.M. Of Life

Nursery Provided



class reunions

centric Newspapers will print announcements of class reunions. Send the information to Marie paners 36251 Schoolcraft Livonia 1:00 am and 12:30 pm

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SUNDAY WORSHIP 10:00 a.m. REV. LEO J. BEAUCHAMP 348-2265

restaurant. Help is needed in locating

BALDWIN Birmingham Baldwin High School class of 1936 will hold a 50-year reunion on June 21 at the Fox and Hounds

Livonia Franklin High School class Cass Tech High School classes of

Northville High School class of 1966
will hold a reunion on July 26, 1986.
Help is needed in locating class members. Call Mary Kay Smith McEvoy,
477-3472, or Jerry Imsland, 476-1579.

St. Catherine High School class of 1936 will hold a 50-year reunion in June, Call Constance Mink Grand, 573-35794.

MACKENZIE

Mackenzie High School class of 1936
Will hold a 50-year reunion on Saturday, June 21, 1986, in Fairlane Manor, Dearborn. Help is needed in locating classmates. Call Alex Nagy. 474-1467.

CODY

Cody High School class of January 1966 will hold a 20-year reunion on April 12, 1986. Call Mary DeSatta Re
A Polish Christmas carol concert will be Wladyslaw Budweil. Stanley Zydek will be the guest organ soloist.

The Filarets choir with the Our Lady Queen of Apostles church choir at 3 p.m. Sunday. Jan. 5, at the church, 11420 conant, in Hamtramck.

The Filarets, a 60-member mixed choir, is celebrating its 50th anniversary. Sunday's concert will mark the grand finale of the local group's year-long observance.

The 2½-hour performance is open to the public at no cost.

The cast from "Everyone Loves Opal" which Avon Players will stage starting Jan. 10 includes Joe Urkshus (front row) as a policeman; (middle row, from left) Tim Penn as Brad, Myska Reeck as Opal, Fred Shulak as Sol, and (back row) Amy Sharpe as Gloria and Jerry Anderson as a doctor.

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things to do

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AYON COMEDY

will open its second production of the 645-3635. 1985-86 season, "Everybody Loves Opal," on Jan. 10. The comedy by

AVON AUDITIONS John Patrick centers on a lovable bag lady who has lived in her family home for Thornton Wilder's "Our Town" on on the edge of the city dump for many Jan. 20-21 at the Avon Playhouse, years. Three "cons" hiding out from 1185 Washington Road, Rochester the law move in with Opal and plan to Try-outs will begin at 8 p.m. both But Opal wins them over to her side small New England town at the turn failed attempts on her life. The play ages ranging from teen-agers to senruns weekends until Jan. 25 at the ior citizens. It will run three consecu-Avon Payers Playhouse, located on tive weekends beginning March Washington Road in Rochester Cur- For details, contact director Lee tain time is 8 p.m. Friday and Satur- Storves at 656-1130. day and 7:30 p.m. on Sunday. For ticket information, call 656-1130.

P.S. Porter to Springsteen, opening available. For details, call 761-1451. University's General Lectures Hall. • HISTORICAL PLAY The production features the lyrics of WSU Theatre box office. Cass and rv of black America from Hancock, 577-2972.

BERRY IN CONCERT merce Road, Orchard Lake. A sopra-information, call 925-7138. no, Berry will sing a selection of songs ranging from Broadway show • AT WHISPERS LOUNGE Michigan Lyric Opera. She has sung Mile.

with the Michigan Opera Theatre an "Kanal," Andrzej Wajda's graphic many other community orchestras film on the last days of the Warsaw and theater groups. A freewill offeruprising, will be shown at 7:30 p.m. ing will be taken and refreshments Thursday, Jan. 23, at Madonna Col- will be served after the Orchard Lake

Cranbrook P.M.'s Encore Cinema

film series will return for a full season beginning Jan. 22 with a special The musical comedy, "The Night presentation of "The Passenger," Harry Stopped Smoking," will be per- gripping Italian film directed by Michelangelo Antonioni in 1975. The atre at 3 p.m. Jan. 26 at Madonna Col-film, which stars Jack Nicholson and lege. The play is for children of all ages. It was created by opera singer frustrated reporter who adopts the John Davies with a non-threatening identity of a dead man, assuming also the risks of the man's gun running ising. It relates the perils of smoking The movie will begin at 8 p.m. in Cranbrook Kingswood auditorium

Eis and Evie Wheat, say classic films will be shown bi-monthly. Upcoming attractions are "Three Women," "The Lost Honor of Katharina Blum" and Avon Players Community Theater "Muriel." For ticket information, call

Avon Players will hold auditions insure her life and then murder her. nights. The drama about life in a one-by-one after a series of hilarious of the century calls for 21 roles in

O PAXTON PERFORMS

Tom Paxton, a songwriter who blossomed in the 1960s and continues Erit Gill of Southfield, Linda to write topical songs, will perform Quiroz of Franklin and Nicole Hakim Jan. 9 at The Ark, 63712 South Main and Thomas O'Connor of Birmingham Street, Ann Arbor, Shows are at 7:30 will star in an original musical revue, and 10 p.m. Advance tickets are

The Detroit Center for the Per-America, highlighting the country's forming Arts presents the Detroit diverse social and romantic move- premier Jan. 24 of the play "Colored ments during the last 50 years. It runs Peoples Time," which was first perthrough Jan. 26. Performances are at formed at the Cherry Lane Theatre in 8 p.m. Thursday-Saturday and 7 p.m. New York. The play by Leslie Lee inday. Tickets are available at the chronicles the music, dance and histothe Civil War until the Montgomery bus boycott. It uses 13 vignettes to bring alive people who were responsi Noted local singer Dorothy Berry Curtain time is 8:30 p.m. at the Easof West Bloomfield will give a free town Theater, 8041 Harper at Van public concert at 4 p.m. Jan. 19 at Or- Dyke. Performances are Friday and chard Community Church, 5171 Com- Saturday through Feb. 15. For ticket

tunes to operatic arias. She will be ac-companied by Beverly Labuta. Berry

The Whispers Lounge, in the Novi Hilton, will present Intrigue Jan. 7-12 is a member of the Detroit Symphony and Rage Jan. 14-19, 21-26 and Jan. Chorale and has been a soloist with 28-Feb. 2. The hotel is on Haggerty the Detroit Symphony Orchestra and Road south of the I-275 exit at Eight



Paul Michaels (left), Nicole Hakim of Birmingham and Hal opens at Wayne State University Jen. 16. The original musical revue runs through Jan. 26. Adams will appear in "P.S.: Porter to Spr

second runs Hugh

Gallagher

"Little Big Man" (1977), 1:30 Saturday night n Ch. 50. Originally 150 minutes. TV time slot: 153 minutes. It's a comedy, it's a tragedy, it's an American

epic. Arthur Penn's film of Thomas Berger's novel is movie opera (and horse opera) at its best. Dustin Hoffman plays Jack Crabb, either one of the world's great adventurers or one of the world's great liars. The action keeps on coming, and along the way Penn has a great deal to say about the American experience and myth building. Gen. Custer, Wild Bill Hickok and other western luminaries appear Chief Dan George gives an inspired

The Subject Was Roses" (1968), 12:30 Sunday ight on Ch. 7. Originally 107 minutes. TV time

lot 145 minutes. Jack Albertson, Patricia Neal and Martin Sheen give outstanding performances in this film version of the Pulitzer Prize winning play. It is a sad, umcomfortable look at family relationships. Everyone ries so hard to make things work out, but they ever do. Albertson won an Oscar for his reprise of the role he originated on stage. This is essentially a



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"Pat Garrett and Billy the Kid" (1973), 12:30 Wednesday night on Ch. 7. Originally 106 minutes TV time slot: 150 minutes.

Another American myth is the subject of this curiosity from Sam Peckinpah. A chubby Kris Kristofferson is grossly miscast as the dim-witted outlaw. The great Bob Dylan is reduced to being a scraggly Greek chorus for the bloated drama. His acting debut is less than auspicious. But there are

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pluses. James Coburn is excellent as the oppor-

bit as Gov. Lew Wallace (later to write "Ben Hur"

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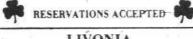
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PLYMOUTH LANDING, 340 Main, Plymouth (455-3700), is located in a the main dining rooms. Our table was came less crowded, our service did not rian period. Plymouth Landing has a Points awarded - 11.

turn-of-the-century factory building. ready by 8:30, but we have begun to improve. SERVICE - 15 points The restaurant decor remains true to the 1890s, with stained glass, brick walls and lighting that suits the Victo
The restaurant decor remains true to expect (but not accept) delays in reserting maximum. Points awarded — 9.

The drinks were strong and reasonship and lighting that suits the Victo
PHERE — 15 points maximum.

The drinks were strong and reasonship priced, but the high point of the \$10.95. The fresh salmon special at \$10.95.

by D. Gustibus

detract a bit. Since our table was not ress was pleasant and helpful, but ser

ready for our 8 p.m. reservation, we vice overall was slow and disappointlocated within a partitioned portion of hours, and we often had to ask the waitetables were fresh, the house dill dressthe dining room, is small but adequate. ress for water and other needs. At first The few dinner booths in this location it seemed a problem of too few waiare not as quiet as tables and booths in tresses but even as the restaurant be-

meal was the hot hors d'oeuvres for \$13.95 was juicy but without any real

As an illustration, let us hypotheti-

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After such a nice beginning, the

SALAD - 5 points maximum, powered by the cheese. The marbl The Veal Picante at \$9.95 was tender

quite a bit heavier. DESSERT AND

COFFEE - 10 points maximum.

were included in abundance in this out- the entrees were better than average, the Plymouth Landing. Although our standing appetizer. At \$9.95, this was a but they were unimaginative and more hors d'oeuvres were an unbelievable bargain of delicious seafood, well bland than we would have wished EN- value, the rest of the dishes were also worth the price. The bread and rolls TREE, VEGETABLES AND quite reasonably priced. PRICE/

A COUNTING FOR TASTE - 100 Although the dessert selection was somewhat limited, the two cheesecakes points maximum. Total points award salad was a letdown. Although the veg- we tried were both good. The pumpkin cheesecake was especially well fla- pared simply, the Plymouth Landing is ing did not have much dill taste. vored, with the pumpkin taste not over- a very nice place to dock.

> tions, comments and suggestions of favorite restaurants in the Observer & Eccentric communities. Write to D. Gustibus, in care of Observer & Eccen-At \$47 per couple for a meal which tric, Entertainment Department, P.O.

> > Another evening, same guests (if they proved worthy), try a horizontal

what different and contains more vari-

ables than a vertical one does. Let the

focus be the wine, say a Chardonnay

wines come from these nations, three

hold the vintage constant and let the

Vertical wine tastings review the effects of time

never cease to amuse me. Some are the idea all by himself. He would cre-same winemaker. In most cases the just feel right as they pop into my type- ner party was the better for it. writer And then there are those that

and the customer. Apparently the lathaving for some people familiar with that exercise would be.) wine. Alas, there were not three in stock of the wine he wanted. After some pondering he noted that there were others from the same chateau but of different vintages. Then the light three different years and we can do a

planned carefully, thought through ate his own vertical tasting, a truly grapes for the wine would come from over an extended period of time. Some original idea for him. I'm sure his din-All of this by way of introducing the topic: vertical wine tastings. The con- cally presume we were to do a Beau-

choice lines overheard in any of a vari- cept is defined roughly as comparing lieu Vineyards Cabernet Sauvignon ety of places where wine-speak occurs. two or more different vintages of the tasting: Each year B.V. issues three difsame wine, e.g., a 1976, 1977 and 1978 ferent Cabernets: a Beau Tour, a I only caught the last stages of the Mouton Cadet. (I suppose it would still Rutherford and a George de Latour. conversation between the salesman be a vertical if one were to sample Using the middle of these for our exthree different vintages of red Bor- ample, we know them all to come from ter was looking for three bottles to use . deaux from three different chateaux, the Rutherford area of Napa, probably at a modest dinner party he was soon but I don't quite see what the point of

THE WINES need not reflect consecutive vintages. They could be from able on some shelves and somehow sethree great vintages years from the cure a 1977 from someone (let your went on. "I know. I'll get one from last decade, or from three relatively weak vintages. The whole point of a evening be influenced by who has what be bright and fruity and have overtones should always be a subtler experience vertical tasting is to review the effect to contribute to the needs of the eveof time on a kind of wine, the constants ning as their admission)

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predominately so

Richard Watson ounces, we would immediately see the of the mouth, an expression of the still- sections of France or California, three first differences between them. The present tannins in the wine). By the

traces around the edges of the glass and the color in general should be more wine should be more complex, that is, muted, less fresh appearing. brightest and most grapey and pro-

er hue. The '77 may show bits of brown

choices of wines and friends for the THE TASTES: the youngest should Drinking wines with some age on them

youngest should be the brightest in col-The '79 would have a slightly deep- fruit should be more subdued, the wine mates within the same valley. Depending on the variables selected the differences will be greater or less quality reduced by a fair amount. The than with the Cabernet tasting. But it will be a different kind of path in win it should have more layers and produce The noses (smell): the 1981 the a greater variety of taste sensations, judging you will be following with a all of them pleasant.
The 1981 should have seemed to be Whichever kind of comparison eve-

the most unidimensional of the three. ning you have, do not rush to judgement as to which vintage or region vou prefer. Rather, focus on describing of harshness (a "grabbing" at the back and should reward the concentration of the wines under consideration. You will





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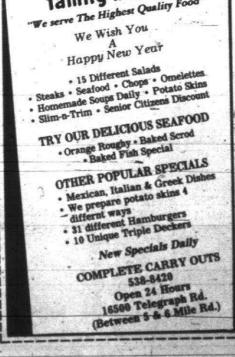
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Thursday, January 2, 1986 O&E



Nothing to look ahead to in '86

EADLINES FOR 1986 that you'll probably never see.

· Basketball teams from the Western Lakes Activities Association (WLAA) and the Metro Suburban Activities Association (MSAA) all finish the month tied for first in their respective divisions. No team from either conference boasts better than a 500 record.

February

· The WLAA basketball season ends with every team tied at 8-8, forcing athletic directors from each school to determine a playoff format.

· After supplying two solid months of vocal incentive. Plymouth Salem wrestling coach Ron Krueger is sidelined with severe laryngitis just prior to the state district tournament. As a replacement, CEP athletic director Paul Cummings hires Hulk Hogan to inspire the Rocks

· Farmington jolts Flint Northwestern in the state basketball tournament, ruining both the Wildcats' 66-game win streak and Falcon coach Rich Roy's pledge never to smile immediately following a game-

 The Detroit Red Wings shock their followers by winning their final five home games of the season. The team's sudden success, which boosts their win total to 15 for the season, is credited to the late signing of former Michigan State stars Don McSween of Plymouth and Mike Donnelly of Livonia, who run their

unbeaten Joe Louis Arena string to 23 games.

• Former Plymouth Canton, Farmington Harrison and Michigan State standout Bob Wasczenski drops out of the University of Toledo -after two days of spring practice, saying he did not like his role in the Rockets' offense.

· Kim Archer announces that, after two knee operations, she is giving up her basketball career at Michigan State. The Livonia Bentley grad adds she will pursue a career in bowling

• The Michigan High School Athletic Association (MHSAA), unable to decide which football playoff format to subscribe to following the 1986 season, announces the sport is being dropped in 1987.

June

 Westland John Glenn's Tony Boles and Southfield's Torin Dorn reach agreement for the first-ever Scholarship Stakes. The two speedy football stars will race each other in three sprints, covering 40, 100 and 220 yards. Both wish to attend Michigan on a football olarship, so the winner will go the loser must shop elsewhere. The MHSAA likes the idea and adopts it as an annual event.

· After carefully studying Eastern Michigan University's plan to pay coaches according to team performance, the Catholic League replaces their coaches' contracts with pay-perwin premiums. All coaches will be paid for

. The WLAA athletic directors in conference since the end of the regular basketball season, decide a coin flip is the fairest way to determine a champion. In the final, Livonia Churchill coach Don Albertson calls tails and wins the title, disappointing a vocal Livonia Franklin throng.

July

 Bob Wasczenski signs a baseball contract to pitch for the Chicago Cubs, commenting that he opted for the National League so he could

August

 In a surprise development, officials from the WLAA and MSAA announce plans to merge the two leagues. The new 20-team conference, to be known as the Western Metro Suburban Lakes Activities Association (WMSLAA), will be divided into five four-team divisions, with champions in each sport decided by computer

 Bob Wasczenski leaves the Chicago Cubs after two weeks, claiming it had been four days since his last pitching start.

September

· A record 180 women register for the Observer & Eccentric golf tournament, but only two - Livonia's Geralyn Repasky and Birmingham's Ann Lauer — sign-up in championship flight. The 178 remaining golfers all claim they have a better chance to win something in the other three flights.

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McSween MVP at GLI



Don McSween (center), a native of Plymouth, is congratulated by his Michigan ning goal in overtime Friday knocking off Michigan Tech in the first round of the staff writer

The types of leaders populating the world age as varied as the climates Some are quiet and peaceful, others long-winded. Some demand attention by their mere presence, while others go about their jobs without fanfare but with such efficiency that their under-

lings unknowingly imitate them. Somewhere among those descrip-tions is Don McSween. The team captain for Michigan State's hockey team, McSween has talent that demands attention, the steadiness to lead by exam-

ple, and the experience to earn respect. If that makes McSween sound like the Smith Barney of college hockey, then you're getting the message.

"I can't say enough about the kid," said MSU coach Ron Mason of his junior star. "He's an All-American on and off the ice. He doesn't get a lot of points, so he doesn't get the recognition he deserves. He's a Rod Langway-type

HIGH PRAISE, comparing the Redford Catholic Central grad from Plymouth with an All-Pro defenseman. But Mason believes it, and at Sunday's conclusion of the Great Lakes Invitational at Joe Louis Arena enough of the media did to vote McSween the tournament's Most Valuable Player.

- McSween's blue-line steadiness was evident enough in MSU's 8-3 trouncing of Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute (RPI) in the finals. But he contributed in other ways, too.

In Friday's 2-1 overtime victory over Michigan Tech, it was McSween who got the game-winning goal. If was only his second of the season (after 21

Against RPI, the defending NCAA champions, McSween chalked up three assists. He also anchored the Spartans' penalty killing unit and made occasional appearances on the power play.

McSWEEN TYPIFIES MSU hockey at Joe Louis. Bluntly, the Spartans are unbeatable at the arena they refer to affectionately as "Munn East" (MSU plays its home games at Munn Arena). They have won 16 straight there, including four consecutive GLI titles.

McSween has done his part. Sunday marked the third time he was named to an all-tournament team at Joe Louis.

"We play real well here," McSween

hockey

said. "Playing in front of so many Michigan State people helps.

"It started before I got here. It's some kind of mystique. We feel confi-dent when we get here, we feel comfortable. We know we can win, and I think other teams are intimidated somewhat."

But it goes beyond confidence. MSU's success has stretched too far to be merely a feeling. The roster changeover since the streak began is evidence of that. Many of the current Spartans had no part in MSU's illustrious past.

THAT'S WHERE leadership comes in. Enter McSween.

"They know it's a big tournament, McSween said of his uninitiated teammates. "We talked about it when we started practicing after Christmas.

We tell them about all the great victories we've had here, about all the guys who've made the all-tournament team, about what we do when we win it, like singing the Spartan fight song in

We just try and convey to them that it's a big fournament and how important it is to win. One guy won't win it for us, it takes 20. That's the kind of attitude you'd like to have all year long, but the mind can get kind of lazy. The Spartans have been battling

lethargy throughout the first half of the season. With several key players gone from last season's potent squad, they were struggling with an 11-7-1 record entering the GLI. MSU is now 13-7-1.

"WE HAVE been struggling a bit," said McSween. "We lost a couple of one-goal games, and that hurt us because we have such a young team.

"That's why we've been pushing this tournament, the past history and the foundation we can lay for the future. We want to put ourselves in position to win that final game here in March.'

That "final game" would be in the Central Collegiate Hockey Association (CCHA) (CCHA) championship tournament, which MSU won at Joe Louis last year. Should the Spartans make it that far, history would be in their favor.

And that's something an experienced, talented leader like McSween would be certain to point out.

State's elite flock to Salem tourney

By Chris McCosky staff writer

One thing about Plymouth Salem wrestling coach Ron Krueger, he isn't one to shy away from tough competition.

He has brought together 17 teams for the 13th annual Plymouth Salem Invitational Wrestling Tournament this Saturday and among them are some of the state's most potent teams.

"We put us a field together this time," Krueger said. Yes, he did.

For starters, there's Eaton Rapids, last year's Salem Invitational champ and the defending Class B state champs. Redford Catholic Central will come into the tournament ranked No. 5 in the state Class A coaches' poll. Class B powers Montrose and Fenton will be there, along with arda powers Garden City, Westland John Glenn and, of course. Plymouth Salem

OTHER TEAMS are Plymouth Canton, North Farmington, Wayne Memorial, Redford Union, Ann Arbor Pioneer, Belleville, Flushing, Mount Clemens, Portage Northern and Ypsilanti.

"I would have to say Eaton Rapids is the favorite," Krueger said. "I've seen them a couple of times this year and they are awfully good. Montrose is coming on strong, too.

"I'll tell you something else, too. Catholic Central, as much as people like to keep them down, is one tough team. Teams in our league (the Western Lakes) would have a difficult team beating them. We might beat them in this tourney, but head up, they'd be a

An interesting sidelight to CC's entry into the tourney: Krueger's son, Lee Krueger, wrestles at 167 pounds for the Shamrocks. It'll be a homecoming of sorts for the young freshman.

WHAT: The 13th annual Plymouth Salem Invitetional Wrestling Tournament.
WHEN: Saturday, Jan. 4. Wrestling starts at

finals at 7 p.m.

champ Eaton Rapids and Observerland teams Sa-lem, Plymouth Canton, Westland John Glern, Gar-den City, North Farmington, Redford Union, Wayne Memorial and Catholic Central. WHERE: Salem High School, Joy Road west of Canton Canter.

Canton Center.

HOW MUCH: All-day pass costs \$2 for students, \$3.50 for adults. Morning session costs \$1 for students, \$2 for adults. Late session (consolation and finals) costs \$1 for students, \$2.50 for adults.

WHAT ELSE: Meet is co-sponsored by Loc Performance of Plymouth. Meet director is Ron Kniener.

"That's one way of seeing my boy wrestle," Ron Krueger said.

DON'T COUNT the host team out of contention, either. The Rocks, led by 126-pounder Dave Dameron, have been very impressive this season placing third at the Temperence-Bedford Tour-ney, winning the John Glenn tourney and placing third last weekend at the Davison tourney.

Dameron has won his weight class in all three tournaments, earning MVP honors at both Bedford and Glenn. He is 14-0 on the season, giving him 113 career victories at Salem — 15 wins shy of the school record.

"I don't know if we'll be champions or not," Krueger said of his team. "But, we'll give out three trophies and we're fighting for one of them.

Wrestling will begin at 10:30 Saturday morning. The consolation matches are expected to begin at 6 p.m. with the finals at 7 p.m. All-day tickets will be on sale, \$2 for

students, \$3.50 for adults. Tickets for the morning session cost \$1 for students, \$2 for adults. Tickets for the late session (consolation and final rounds) are \$1 for students and \$2:50 for adults. Salem is located on Joy Road, just west of Canton Center Road.



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their resumes to the school. They

In six years, Cook produced only one

winning season. His 1983 team finished

with a 7-2 record, but failed to make

His record, however, may have been

(school) or 459-0549 (home).

the Catholic League playoffs.

lower at parochial schools.

Michigan

Borgess coach

Hubert ends career on top Nation's best on display on GC ice

the 1986 U.S. Figure Skating Associaion (USFSA) Championships when 2 national competitors from Michigan will perform in a exhibition Sunday Jan. 5, at the Garden City Civic Are

at 3 p.m., is being hosted by the Michigan National Competitors Fund ommittee and sponsored by the Garden City Figure Skating Club. All proeeds will be donated to the USFSA's nemorial fund.

The two-hour exhibition will feaure performances in singles, pairs and ice dance-by skaters qualifying for the 1986 U.S. Championships Eastern Great Lakes Regional medal sts are also slated to perform.

Michigan skaters qualified recently om the Midwestern Sectional Championships held last month in Indianapolis. The U.S. Nationals are scheduled for early February at the Nassau County Coliseum in Long Is-

Seven teams competing in Senior Dance and Pairs will be on display. U.S. WORLD TEAM MEMBERS Rene Roca of St. Clair Shores and Donald Adair of Romulus will partici pate in Senior Dance. They were the 1986 Midwestern Sectional champi ons and 1985 silver medalists at U.S.

Also skating in be Livonia's Jodie Balogh and Northville's Jerod Swallow, 1985 National Junior champions and 1986 Midwestern Sectional Bronze Medalists. Balogh and Swallow were U.S. Internaonal team members last year.

Swallow and Rochester's Shelly Propson, 1985 National silver medal-sts, will also be featured in Senior Pairs. They will be joined by the brother/sister team of Susan and Jason Dungjen of Troy, silver medalists at last month's Midwestern Sectional: and Deveny Deck (Plymouth) and Luke Hohmann (Novi), the 1985

Senior Pairs: Susan and Jason Dungje (Froy). Midwestern Sectional aliver medalists. Deveny Deck (Phymouth) and Luke Rohmann (Novi), 1986 Midwestern bronze medalists and 1985 National Junior champs; Shelley Propson (Rochester) and Jerod Swallow (Northville).

Junior Dance: Kim Barget (Utica) and Jame

Junior Dance: Kim Barget (Utica) and James Schilling (Detroit), 1986 Midwestern champs; Ann-Morton Neale (Mt. Lebanon, Pa.) and Dee Pascoe (Romulus), 1986 Midwestern silver medalists; Lisa Punsalan (Cieveland, Ohio) and David Shirk, (Riverview), 1986 Midwestern bronze medalists; Jennifer Goolebee (Grosse Pointe) and Peter Chupa (Grosse Pointe Woods), 1986 Midwestern fourth place; and Jennifer and Jeff Benz (Export, Pa.), 1986 Eastern Great Lakes Regional champs.

Great Lakes Regional champs.

MIDWESTERN SECTIONAL MEDALISTS

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Novice Dance: Mary Beck (Rochester) are bailed Schilling (Detroit), 1986 Midwester

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ompetitors Banquet (dinner, enter

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National Junior Pairs champions

fourth: Anne Fischer (Fraser), fifth

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1986 Midwestern bronze medalist.

EASTERN REGIONAL MEDALISTS

David Schilling (Detroit), 1986 Midweste champs, Katle and Ben Williamson (Trenton

ship than a 10-10 with the University o Central Arkansas recently. Secondly, National Junior silver medalists.
Senior Dance: Rene Roca (St. Clair Shores)
and Donald Adair (Romulus), 1986 Midwestern he certainly yearned for a spot on the Great Lakes Intercollegiate Athletic chambs, 1985 National silver medalists and 198 Conference First Team along with his partner in crime, free safety Paul Mac-

Instead, Hubert and Mackey were re-Junior Ladies: Jeri Campbell (Garden City). legated to the second team for the sec-1986 Midwestern bronze medalist.
Junior Palins: Paula Vielngardi (Freser) and
Jeff Meyers (Lake Orlon), 1986 Midwestern
champs, Shanda and Brandon Smitt, (Rocheter), 1986 Midwestern bronze medalists. ond-straight season, which really cheesed off Chargers' defensive coordinator Dave Dye.

"That's upsetting," said Dye. "We felt we had the two best defensive backs in

TEFF HUBERT, who once ran the

In four years at Hillsdale, the 6-1,

210-pound defensive back perhaps

came away with the bigger piece, but

for Hillsdale in the NAIA Champion-

First, Hubert wanted a better result

he didn't get his wish on two counts.

wishbone offense for Plymouth

Salem, pulled hard for two

things to happen this football

IT DIDN'T exactly have Hubert dancing in the streets either. He and Mackey teamed up for 13 interceptions this season as Hillsdale won the GLIAC and advanced to the national cham

"That was just politics," said Hubert,

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ing, assists and rebound leaders, and

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Numbers support Hubert's and Mac-

Last year, after a 6-4 season, both Hubert and Mackey were tabbed on the second squad. This season, despite the Chargers' championship drive, Hubert and Mackey both were on the second

DYE, WHO felt that his players were deserving of the award, made a stipulation to the GLIAC coaching board that either both get on or neither of them get on. Instead Louis Scarpino and Rick Wyka, both from Grand Valley, were chosen to the first team.

But that's not to say Hubert's career at Hillsdale has been filled with disappointment. Quite the contrary. The converted defensive back lists a number of high points in his four years Hillsdale defensive backfield, he had

under Dick Lowry. One was his first start as a freshman against Grand Valley, who had Jeff Chadwick at the time. Another was an interception in the NAIA championship during the same Getting our kicks in '86 season against Carson-Newman of Tennessee to preserve the Chargers' 20-13 win with two minutes left.

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And, of course, there was this season's opener against Wisconsin Whitewater when Hubert returned an inter-

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The Observerland winter season sta-

tration major at Hillsdale. "You know ception 35 yards for his first collegiate the slowest time amidst a bunch touchdown.

"Those were just highlights," said As a strong safety, Hubert said he key's case. Hillsdale was No. 1 in the Hubert. "The semifinal game we won excels more in a zone-type pass de-NAIA in scoring defense, second in both to get to the championship. Nothing rushing defense and total defense. Hu- beats that. The Mesa game is the best bert had seven interceptions; Mackey thing that's happened to me at Hills-

> to the pros. Both Detroit and Cincinnati from 15 or 20 yards, we were pretty have offered him tryouts. Green Bay is stingy." also on his list.

Playing against the likes of Chadwick (who caught only two passes against Hillsdale in Hubert's freshman backing days at Salem. He turned down year), plus his size and hitting ability, he believes he has a chance. "That (Chadwick) shows it doesn't matter what college you play for. If

collected 112 tackles. The only concern in his quest for the pros is speed. He'd like to trim his 40yard dash time from 4.75 to 4.65. In the was a lot more intense."

you have the talent, they'll find you,"

fense than in a man-to-man arrange-

field," said Hubert. "We'd do pretty much what we wanted. (The opposition) SO NOW Hubert hopes to take his act nickeled-and-dimed us to death, but

HUBERT'S KEEN sense of where the ball is can be traced to his quarteroffers from Miami of Ohio and Saginaw Valley to attend Hillsdale, which quickly converted him to a defensive back. "Ldidn't know I had it in me," sai

sive standout for the Rocks. "It seemed unnatural at first, but I just improved from there "It was hit or be hit," he added, "It

And certainly not wishy-washy.

Hubert, who admittedly wasn't a defen-

· Former Plymouth Canton, Farmington Harrison, Michigan State, University of Toledo and Chicago Cub standout Bob Wasczenski enrolls at Slippery Rock to resume his football

straight football game, prompting

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WMSLAA officials to invite the Eagles

ranking in the NCAA's Division II. But OU's players and coaches, recalling the snub of their team the previous year unanimously vote not to accept a bid to Redford Thurston wins its fifth-

 Schoolcraft College qualifies three teams - volleyball and men's and women's soccer - for the NJCAA championships, with tournament sites set for Buffalo, N.Y., Tallahassee, Fla and Des Moines, Iowa, all on the same weekend. Athletic director Mary Gans attends all three finals, driving to each

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said. "He has had a problem with his stamina. He still can't go as long as some of the other kids, but he's getting better. His legs have gotten much

he basket strong.

ional basketball skills

Making the transition easier to han- have more fun in Spain. I used to play dle for both Brodie and Diaz is the fact basketball every day. And then go out that Diaz came to America with excep- with my friends. In Spain, there is no age for drinking. We would go out and have a couple of beers and play cards Can't do that here. Still, he's happy with the opportunity ven to clean it

he's been given and he's having a good time playing ball on a good Salem

A scholarship to an American college would be the icing on the cake

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Antonio Diaz, a foreign exchange student from Spain, has been a

vital component in Salem's 4-1 start this basketball season

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circuits, which features such perennial ham Brother Rice.

During his stint. Cook produced sev eral outstanding players including "We'd like to finalize this as soon as Chuck Gregory, a wide receiver at Bospossible," he said, "We're looking for ton College; and Fred Owens, a reserve experienced people. We're offering a running back at Wisconsin. Several other Borgess players perform in the Interested candidates should send small college ranks.

DESPITE A DISAPPOINTING 2-7 record in 1985, two of Cook's players tackle Ed Dreslinski and fullback Mike Stewart, were named to the All-Area team. In 1984, Borgess won its first two games before a string of injuries, in cluding a season-ending one to Owens better had his team not played in the in the third game, devastated the Spar-Catholic League's Central Division, tans They eventually finished 4-5.

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Diaz fitting in at Salem

sary. Diaz understood the Salem of- guys. It's easier. They are big, strong

fense, the Salem defense and the Salem and slow. Here, everybody is faster. It's

mates by name, he knew who the coach sixth man and often gefting more play-

Except nobody told Diaz he couldn't scored 12 points against both Trenton

dunk the basketball in pregame warm- and Walled Lake Western and has been

pre-game gitters - more so consider- team," said Makara. "He's a real good

he went up to slam one through. He sense, too. Makara is a Spanish IV stu-

missed the dunk, ironically, and caught dent at Salem and in Diaz he has a full-

outs, it's tough. I'll be talking and basketball scholarship would be nice."

brange hole and try to keep the other America) is I miss my friends in

team from putting the ball in the Spain," Diaz said. "I'm making some

ing he was making his American debut. passer. He's a definite plus for us."

was. Everything seemed to be muy ing time than the starters, has been a

game plan for the season-opener a faster pace game."

was very different from the high school

game he is playing at Salem. He played

in recreation leagues, usually against

"IN SPAIN, I played with more big

guys," Diaz said in broken, but passable.

English. "I prefer to play with the big

Diaz, playing the role of Salem's

big factor in Salem's 4-1 start. He

a consistent force on the glass at both

"I really like having him on the

He's a plus for Makara in another

Diaz who just turned 18, is living

"I come here to learn English," he-

said. "It is very important to know

English in Spain, for college and for ca-

HE PLANS to study economics in

"I would like to go to college here,

So far, he has had no offers from

"The hardest thing (about living in

college, either in Spain or in the U.S.

with friends of his family in the Beacon

Hill subdivision in Plymouth. His fami

ly is still in Spain.

American colleges.

time tutor. Makara also has his own

older and stronger men.

By Chris McCosky

Salem coach Bob Brodie.

Having a foreign exchange student

Brodie figured he'd given Antonio

Diaz all the preseason training neces-

against Trenton. Diaz knew his team-

the rest of team, naturally hyped with

His first trip through the layup line,

"Hey, you can't do that," Makara told

ell from team captain Paul Makara.

6-foot-7 senior from the northern sea

THE PROBLEM is, basketball is a

different language all together," said

Brodie. "He's trying to pick up on all

the things I'm telling him, and when

you only have a minute during the

I'll see Antonio's eyes getting smaller and smaller. I tell him, "if you're

confused, just put the ball in the little

For his size, Diaz possesses solid

oft perimeter jump shot and can go to

'He has great fundamentals," Brodie

passing and shooting skills. He has a-

The referee assessed Salem

the befuddled Spaniard.

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from Spain on your basketball team is,

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the figures for a company. For instance, I have been looking at the Standard and Poor's report in my library on Hasbro Inc., the world's biggest toy maker.

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The first thing in the footnotes in the Standard and Poor's report is "Data as originally reported." What this means is that the figures you see in 1975 are for the

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That kind of figure is useful in seeing how much growth actually has taken place in the present businesses, assuming that

they were part of the company all along. There is nothing wrong with the figures the way they are presented by Standard and Poor's - as long as you understand how they are constructed and what they really represent. When the figures are not "pro rata," they can give the effect of much greater growth than what actually occurred. Or to say it another way, they don't show how the growth came about.

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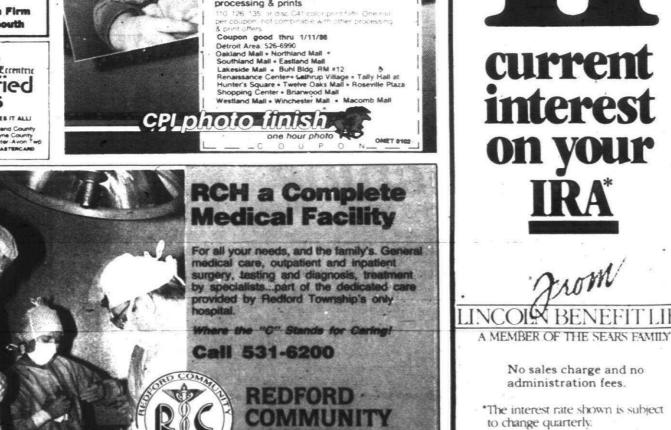
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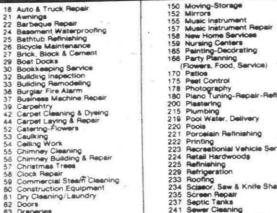
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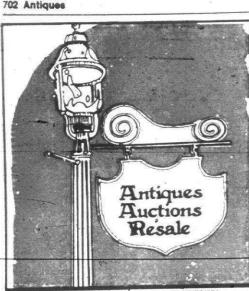
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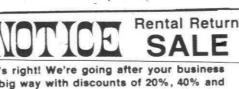
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Miniaturist carves **Adams Collection**

The newest creation in the miniature world is a three-piece set of oriental furniture called "The Adams Collection." But the story began many years ago in the lives of three women who make the miniatures possible

Hortense Adams, a Birmingham resident, owns the antique Chinese furnishings that are miniaturized. Her daughter, Clarissa Goad, is owner of Miniature Makers' Workshop where the collection is reproduced and sold.

Judy Shelhaas of Plymouth is the extraordinarily talented wood carver commissioned by Goad to carve the replicas. It was destined that the experience and interests of these three people one day would meld to create a new product for miniature collectors.

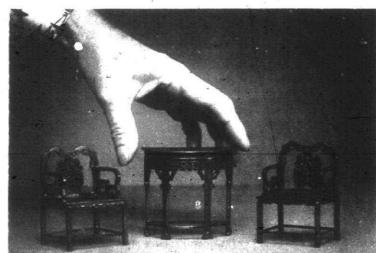
The home of Hortense Adams is filled with family treasures from China. Purchased shortly after the turn of the century by Goad's grandfather, Henry Carr Adams, each item of furniture was carefully selected by Goad's grandmother to bring back to Michi-

HENRY CARR Adams was a professor of economics at the University of Michigan. He had been fiead of his department for 40 years when he was asked by the United States government in 1912 to go to China as a consulting accountant on railroads.

"Railroads were in a terrible mess in China back then," Mrs. Adams said. "Some were owned by Germany, France, England, and Russia, and they needed a neutral person to come in and try to figure out what to do."

Henry Carr Adams earned so much respect from the Chinese that they sent an envoy to Michigan to place a memorial on his grave when he died in 1922.

Thomas Adams, Hortense Adam's husband and Clarissa Goad's father, was only 12 years old when the family went to China to live. Today, their home is a showplace for unique oriental cabinets, teakwood tables and chairs, a pair of chests, various sized stools, a Ming vase, a folding screen, porcelain lamps and plates, colid brass



The intricately hand-carved teakwood miniatures of "The Adams Collection" are the work of miniature artist, Judy Shellhaas of

When Clarissa Adams Goad was a little girl, her father gave her a doll house. It was a replica of her home where her mother still lives

Goad's love for that doll house, not now in her possession, may have set the course of her destiny when she went shopping in Royal Oak last Christmas season at the Miniature Makers' Workshop,- and ended up buying the store.

GOAD WAS was 3 years old when her parents built and moved into their Birmingham farmhouse in 1935 Famihistory and her mother's antique Chinese furnishings continue to influence her business sense.

The Adams Collection, recently announced, is a three-piece set of two in-tricately handcarved basswood walnutfinished armchairs priced at \$320 each. The D-shape matching console table is \$430. Priced for connoisseurs, the set is first in a series of miniature antique Chinese furniture to be offered to col-

Judy Shellhaas of Plymouth is a well-known artisan and teacher of min-

Goad are miniature soulmates and seem to be made for each other in the business

Like Goad, Shellhaas was influenced by childhood memories of furnishings in her grandmother's house. Also simi lar to Goad's early dollhouse love. there was a miniature house that Shell house loved and lost.

terested in architecture, built a onelong. It took her six months to make

or design, but seeing a doll house in a toy store one day excited her into trying tiny furniture making and a new

miniature furniture, then switched to carving Victorian miniatures copied from inherited family heirlooms and historic settings. She wields an X-acto knife with the skill of a brain surgeon to carve the elaborate flowers, fish and

In high school Shellhaas, who was in-

inch-scale house that was four feet When her parents' home was destroyed by fire, all was lost, including her miniature house Later in life Shellhaas studied interi-

career began. At first, Shellhaas made Colonial

> On the national scale, "It's a \$300 million business," Goad said. "There is a huge market for handcrafted miniature things. It is the largest adult col-

framework of the Chinese Adams Col-

A LIFELONG resident of Birming-

ham, Goad is an accomplished jeweler

and metalsmith. She wants to encour-

age artists to work in miniature. She

says anyone who paints, sculpts, sews,

blows glass or works with metal can

also work in miniature.

Hortense Adams stands between two of the heir-

loom pieces of Chinese furniture, which have

been reproduced in miniature for "The Adams

lective hobby in the United States."

Miniature making is an ancient art once used by pharoahs so that replicas of their possessions could be interred with them in their tombs.

Today a growing market for miniatures has turned the art into big busi-

Architects and real estate developers use miniature models as sales and planning tools; the advertising industry uses miniatures for photographic purposes and television commercials; museums devote whole wings of their buildings to miniatures depicting his-

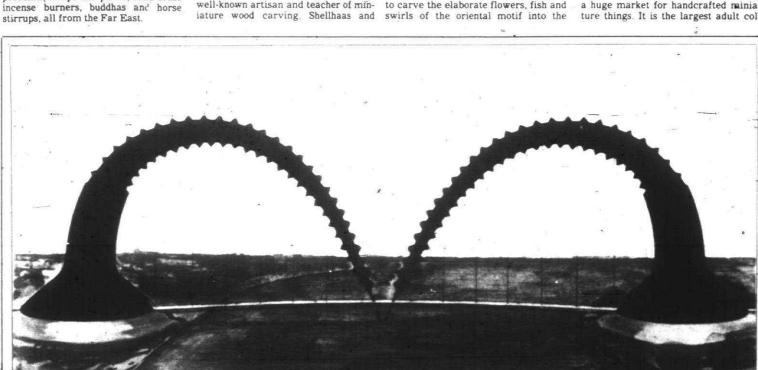
torical events and settings; and theatri cal producers use them for stage mod-

Collection." They were brought from China by

her father-in-law, Henry Carr Adams.

When new pieces are added to the Adams Collection each year, it will to-tal 24 pieces, Goad said. Only one dozen new sets will be produced so that only 12 people can own the collection.

The Adams Collection is advertised nationally in miniature collectors magazines. For a mere \$1,070, the first in the series can be purchased at 1725 W 14 Mile in Royal Oak, where the Miniature Makers Workshop continues its big little business



The etching, "Double Screwarch Bridge," State III by Claes Oldenburg is one of three variations on the same theme by the same artist that are in the exhibition. Each of the three images is about 24

by 51 inches. Oldenburg used the classical approach for these works. The one pictured is etching and aquatint with monotype. The others are etching, and etching and aquatint.

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By Corinne Abatt staff writer

The exhibit "20th Century American Printmakers" on display at Cranbrook Academy of Art Museum through Jan. 26 says a lot about American art in

The prints by 31 artists date from 1905 ("Connisseurs of Prints," John Sloan) to 1983 ("Voice II," Jasper Johns). The show, well hung and easy to follow, is enjoyable as well as informa-

For one thing, many names more often associated with paintings are represented here — Thomas Hart Ben-

ton, Milton Avery, George Bellows, Edward Hopper and Helen Frankenthaler.

In the first part of the show, most of the artists were concerned with documenting life around them. A lot of them, such as Peggy Bacon and Reginald Marsh, worked as illustrators, and their prints with urban scenes and subjects artfully chosen and rendered, reflect their flair for documentation.

Hopper, represented by three etchings, never veers from the gentle, lonely beauty that fills so many of his paintings. He doesn't document, he cre-

Literal documentation diminished as other artists regarded printmaking techniques as a pure art form to be ex-

plored and expanded. Figures become little more than elements in the larger design as the print techniques become more sophisticated.

SOME MAY find it important to ask themselves if the absence of the figure in later prints had anything to do with detached objectivity of the 50s and 60s, or if, at some point, studio photographers, photojournalists and TV cameramen were sating appetite for figures.

Sure Andy Warhol was using faces such as Marilyn Monroe, but it was the cookie cutter repetition of the famous face rather than the sensative approach which caught the public's fancy Among the exciting modern ones are

three related works by Claes Oldenburg "Double Screwarch Bridge, State I." State II and State III. The first is an etching, the second an etching and aquatint and the third an etching with aquatint and monotype.

"Oriental Restaurant" by Richard Estes incorporates the same type of detailed photo realism that is found in his paintings. Frank Stella's 66 by 51 inch Talladega Three II" filled with color and luminesence that gives it the quality of a stained glass window.

The elements of design are all important in Roy Lichtenstein's "The Reclining Nude," and she has those in abundance.



"Coney Island (Luna Park)," 1929, a lithograph by Louis Lozowick, is one of four by him in the exhibit. This one, departing from the traditional picture of life, presents vignettes which suggest the flurry of activity. The image is almost 13 by 9 inches.

the Whitney Museum of American Art. Hills.

The exhibition is made up of selec- The museum is open 1-5 p.m. Tuesdaytions from the permanent collection of Saturday, 550 Lone Pine, Bloomfield

Monte Nagler said his photographic resolution for 1986 is to do more unusual portraits such as this one. His shot of the Santo Domingo Pueblo Indian, Josephita Coriz, was taken in Al-

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Resolutions for photographers

your resolutions should include your

If you found a new camera, lens or flash unit under the Christmas tree, re-solve to thoroughly read the instruction manuals and familiarize yourself with

all controls and functions. Check out all your existing equip ment to make sure it's in good working condition and that all batteries are

Make that all important resolution to take more pictures in 1986. The more shoot, the more photographic knowledge you'll gain Branch out into new areas by including shots of subjects different than what you're used

Try to look deeper through the viewfinder and tune into your feelings and what you're trying to "say" with your photograph.

RESOLVE TO take some of your faorite-negatives or slides, have enargements made, get them matted and framed and up on the wall. Living with hotographs will inspire you to go out and take more.

Resolve to take a photography class in 1986 to improve your knowledge and readers, I'd like to offer best personal appreciation of photography Many

By Avigdor Zaromp

The Quest for Excellence series completed its second annual cycle with the Grand Final contest at Orchestra Hall

The series sponsored by the Maccabees Mutual Life Insurance company gives young musicians exposure and fine classes are available in the area provides a chance for them to win scholarships. Don't forget the many fine photogra-The series consisted of 13 weekly

This year is going to be different!

second back surgery and my unbridled

passion for food I feel that by summer

This year I am taking my family on

Last year the farthest we traveled

burg's Art Store in Plymouth! I am

going to finish remodeling my home

my cars better, draw paint and sculp-

ture more and find leisure time! This

mean better. I mean I am going to

write better this year, oh, that should

FOR CHRISTMAS- my employees

ive me a thesaurus to help me fulfill

iv last goal. So now I can write, "as

nother year dawns anew I aspire alti-

efficacy. Gee, that sounds good. The

only problem is that it took me 24 min-

utes. 16 M&M's and a half of a bottle of

Diet Coke to look up all those words! I

am, however, a goal setter.

inous improvement in my writing

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I'm going to keep up my dog better,

let's see . . . I guess, the Olen-

I could be mistaken for Jabba the Hu

from our Art Store in Livonia .

ests, the weekly winners take part n the final contest There was a respectable turnout for the final event, which was free to the public. Judging such a contest is never

simple and easy. In this situation.

things were even more complicated because several different instruments were involved. Since all 13 contestants demonstrat ed ability, they deser e to be men-

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every time." I even need deadlines for

my artwork and writing. If I receive a

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terrupt them and say "No, I'm sorry,

but I have to work on a deadline or

pick-up date." Why? Because I know

So I know "me" but do you know

Are you the artist, who has for 10

years only worked a black and white or

one color medium? Are you one who

even sells paintings but lacks back-

ground in the drawing media? Are you

secretly afraid that you will be asked

to draw people. Do you fear the com-

mercial commission? Have you ever

wondered about sculpture or anatomy

WELL COME on you guys, make

some resolutions' Set some goals and

then make the commitment. Remem-

ber the word commitment means "no

I believe in goals. I must always alternatives" or otherwise stated "go

have a goal' Did you ever hear the say- for it " Maybe all you need is a better

ing. "if you aim at nothing you'll hit it spot at home to do your art. Perhaps

but feared you weren't good enough?

me, and "me" will never find the time.

sion and the customer says,

Violin - Kevin Case and Elizabeth Rowin, bass trombone - Anthony Giles, piano - Damon Gatewood, Kurt Kunzat, Lourdes Santiago and Julianne Alicia Stegink; alto saxophone - Andrew Dahlke and Kevin Stewart, marimba - Todd Alan Johnson, flute - Mark Estes, horn -

Ketherine Canfield. Three of the more fortunate contestants won the top prizes, totaling \$10,000, which must be used as scholar-

THE TOP PRIZE went to alto saxoone player Kevin Stewart, who aved a portion of the Concertino da Camera by Ibert. Stewart reached the didn't win a top prize on that occasion. This is an example of the principle that fort was made to base the judgment on petition.

Second-prize winner was cellist Ali- have it detached from the popularity of cia Steging, who played three move- the instrument.

Case, who played the first movement the same instrument category, chosing

from the Symphonie Espagnole by a winner in each. Many exotic instru-Lalo These selections present an idea ments could still be lumped into one of the total program, in which most of category, but a comparison in each catthe items were outside the familiar egory would make more sense. The selection of winners isn't a sciencess and satisfaction in their musical tific process and many people in the careers. For those who did not win this audience had their own ideas about the time, there are going to be other occabest players. Two of my own selections sions. Hopefully, genuine talent will al-

ments from a Hindemith cello sonata.

Third prize went to violinist Kevin

your talent is apparent but you lack the

Oh, by the way, I said, "sensitive

and not touchy! A touchy artist might.

just as well, hang a sign around their

neck that reads, "Hi, I'm a touchy art-

ist. I am insecure and will never in

prove in my ability or attitude." You

see, you never know until you are ex-

posed to a learning situation. Our or

painting class, for example, is right

next to my sculpture class. Sue

Rothamel is an excellent oil teacher

So, often I drift into her class to lis-

ten or just watch. Then I give a know-

ing nod and walk out. But, just between

you and me, I am thinking, "Gee,

didn't know that," or "Wow is that a

neat technique." Honestly I would be of

with a wealth of information.

push to begin or change subject/media be terrific

technical know how.

often comes from loved anes.

coincided with the ones chosen, but it ways be in demand. would be inappropriate to state which

Nelson Chase of Bloomfield Hills. by the largest group of four contes- attends Lahser High School. He prefinal stage last season as well, but tants, failed to win any of the top viously won first place in the Livoprizes. It was evident that a great ef-

such contests should be made within

We wish all of these contestants suc-

Editors note: Third-prize winner,

Kevin Chase is the son of Mr. & Mrs.

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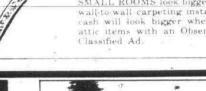
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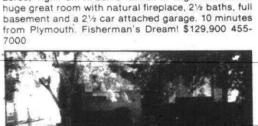
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O TOWN CENTER GALLERY Bowden's original Creation Themes on canvas. plate and collegraph are on display along with new works by Hasagawa, Helenon and Richmond. Con tinues through January, 3000 Town Center near the atrium. Southfield. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

CANTOR/LEMBERG GALLERY 20th Century Master Prints are on display during January. Included in the exhibit are major works by Chagall, Matisse, Picasso, Miro, Leger and Dubuffet. Chagall's rare self-portrait and two works from his most important color suite, "Four Tales from the Arabian Nights," are included along with

Dubuffet's "Personnage au Costume Rouge." Other outstanding works in the show are "Centenaire rom readers. You may call him a Mourlot." 1953 by Miro and "Les Femmes au Per-522-6311, write-to him at his store or roquet." 1952 by Leger, part of the Centennial Celein care of the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 33203 Grand River bration Portfolio done in honor of Mourlot's 100 years of publishing. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 538 N. Woodward, Birmingham. CRANBROOK ACADEMY OF ART MUSE-

"Steve Murakishi: Recent Works" consists of three major paintings which will be on view through Jan. 26. These two dyptichs and a fourpanel painting deal with emotional spirit. Murakishi was artist-in-residence in the printmaking department in 1981. Hours are 1-5 p.m. Tuesday-Sun-Closed holidays, 500 Lone Pine, Bloomfield

FEIGENSON GALLERY Recent work by Detroit/Chicago artist, Nancy Pletos continues on display through Jan. 25. These are new painted wood constructions with an image ry of snakes, birds and rustic cabins. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 310 Fisher Build-

ARNOLD KLEIN GALLERY French, English, American lithographs, etchings, Maitres de L'Affiche and authentic Rookwood vases are on display through Jan. 25. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 4520 N. Woodward,

WHITNEY BUILDING Photographs of people by John Sobczak are on display through Jan. 11. In the Center Court, Whit-Building, Grand Circus Park, Detroit.

 SARKIS GALLERIES "Crafts Faculty Exhibition" continues through Jan. 15. This is the first time in two years at the Center for Creative Studies-College of Art and Design craft faculty has exhibited together. Repre sented are: Susan Aaron-Taylor, fiber; Herb Babcok, glass; Maxwell Davis, ceramics; Pieter Favier, wood. Mollie Fletcher, fiber, Mary Anne Jordon fiber; Karen Miller Thomas, metal; Tom Muir, metal. Gordon Orear, ceramics; and Albert Young, culpture. Yamasaki Building, second floor, 245 E.

OAKLAND COUNTY COURTHOUSE Paintings and mixed media works by Helena Babini are on display through Jan. 3. Open during regular business hours Monday-Friday, 1200 N. Tele

CADE GALLERY Group exhibit, "Neo Troit in December" continues through Jan. 15. Includes works by 20 artists. lours are 10:30 a.m. to 7 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday,

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 ALICE SIMSAR GALLERY New work by William Weege is on display through Jan. 8. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tues-RUBINER GALLERY Monoprints/Drawings by Robert Burkert are on display through Jan. 4. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5:30.

p.m. Tuesday-Friday, until 5 p.m. Saturday, 7001 Orchard Lake, West Bloomfield O'NEILL POTTERY Grand opening Christmas Sale continues through Jan. 9. Local artists are exhibiting their work.

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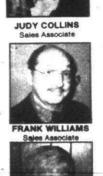
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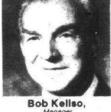
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