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tion manager at the Associated Newspapers in Wayne and at the Dearborn Press & Guide Newspapers in Dearborn.

As circulation manager, Gibson oversees a workforce of 11 full-time and part-time employees, more than 1,400 youth carriers and 75 adult drivers and adult newspaper carriers.

A graduate of Roosevelt High School in Wyandotte, Gibson holds a certificate in business management from Walsh College. He lives in Dearborn with his son, Troy Jr., a senior, at Fordson High School.

"My focus is service - working with area managers to satisfy all customers and to make sure they receive a complete newspaper on time on Thursdays and Sundays," Gibson said.

"I plan to be active in the community, recruiting youth carriers and demonstrating that having an Observer Newspaper route is a learning experience in business and in life," he added.

Gibson can be reached at (734) 953-2118.

Geiger has worked at the Observer Newspapers for 23 years. A Livonia resident, he has

been an assistant home delivery manager and from 1978 until 1993 he ran circulation operations in Farmington, North Livonia, Plymouth and Canton.

Geiger's position will involve consumer sales and marketing of the HomeTown Savings Card, a discount card for area businesses available free to subscribers. He will also be involved in establishing a Newspaper in Education Program for the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers.

He can be reached at (734) 953-2234 or by e-mail at lgeiger@ec.humcomm.net.

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tract with commanders.

The commanders' deal expired June 30. Terms of the old contract are continuing until a new accord is reached. State law prohibits them from walking out.

With the public safety deal, salaries for officers at the top of the scale will increase from \$47,697 to \$49,128. Starting salaries will go up from \$31,547 to \$32,493.

For the public safety officers' contract, which expired Dec. 31, discussions began in October, Goss said.

"Both sides were resolved to get a good agreement," Goss said. "Both sides are happy

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with the agreement. These guys probably are the hardest-working public safety folks anywhere. They have a big job."

Unlike most other municipalities, which have separate police and fire departments, Farmington's public safety department

requires officers be prepared to handle police, fire and medical emergencies.

Officer Purves said the contract settlement was noteworthy because it enabled "a lot of small gains in a lot of areas" and included an increase in the retirement benefits package. Four officers are eligible for retirement.

"We thought everything went well (with the talks)," Purves said. "Within a short period of time, we worked out a contract that was beneficial to both sides."

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Mrs. Johnston was born May 4, 1919 and died Dec. 31 at Botsford Hospital in Farmington Hills. She was a homemaker and a member of St. Alexander Church in Farmington Hills.

She is survived by daughters, Liane Johnston, Mona (Gilbert) Hyndman and Mari-Beth (Lucy) Snowberger; sons, Norman (Barbara), Thomas (Sandy), David (Christine) and Michael Dell (Sylvia). She is preceded in death by her husband, Norman, and son, Arthur.

Arrangements made by Heene-Sundquist Funeral

Home in Farmington.

HAROLD L. CAMPBELL SR.

Services for Harold L. Campbell Sr., 69, of South Lyon, were held Jan. 3 at Northrop-Susman Funeral Home in Northville with the Rev. Dan VanderVelde officiating. Burial took place at Oakland Hills in Novi.

Mr. Campbell was born Sept. 19, 1930 in Plymouth and died Dec. 31 at University Hospital in Ann Arbor. He was a quality control supervisor for Ford Motor Company and an Army

veteran. He was volunteer firefighter with Farmington Hills and Novi and was a captain of a station with the Novi Fire Department. Mr. Campbell was also a member of the Northville Christian Assembly where he was the head usher for many years.

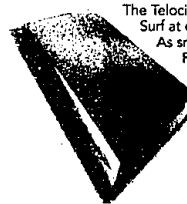
He is survived by wife, Cyndi; sons, Harold (Dawn) and William (Kathryn); brothers, Herbert, Gene, Floyd and Dale; 10 grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

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