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Lois,

Marian's Food Bank job must be volunteer, because she is also director of accounting for Delhi Township. I've always thought down deep that Marian was a good person, even though she was hard to get along with.

No new developments since the meeting with Rick Jones. Shirley left for Florida after Thanksgiving, and with Tama living and working in Battle Creek - and probably extremely busy on her new job - I have my doubts that anything will get done. I wish I had all the information she has - I'd revive Mersdirt and put it on the Internet. In fact, the old Mersdirt is available on my personal website, [www.stevharrysite.com](http://www.stevharrysite.com), as well as the start of a new Mersdirt.

I'm glad Tom is doing better. You two sure are putting up a good fight.

I'm feeling fine, was doing a lot of running up until a couple weeks ago, when slippery streets kept me inside. Carol continues to have all kinds of problems - balance problems, no strength or stamina, cough. A month or so ago, she had an endoscopy to see if there was anything wrong in her throat, and they find scar tissue at the bottom of her swallow tube (as the doctor described it). He said he stretched it out, but she hasn't been any better.

We are thinking about driving to Arizona and staying there for a few weeks this winter.

I've been busy at the computer writing political stuff. I will probably run for state representative again in 2 years. I also scanned a bunch of my mother's old black and white family photos - about 250 of them - and put them on my website.

Did I tell you that Carol and I took Peter Kong and Ted Kulinski with us on a trip up north in September? I went pretty well, except the cabin we stayed at in Wellston was pretty shabby. We took a canoe trip on the Manistee river and visited Ludington and Frankfort.

Steve