

How Royal Oak Financed Its Off-Street Parking

Royal Oak undertook to improve its downtown parking situation about three years ago. Today the city has two downtown parking lots. One, located near the retail shopping district, handles 300 cars at a time. The other, located along the Grand Trunk Railroad, serves for all-day parking of commuters and normal shopper parking. It handles 150 cars.

In addition to its off-street parking, Royal Oak has approximately 600 curb parking meters in operation along its downtown streets.

The city's decision to acquire and operate its own parking lots arose from traffic in the downtown area outstripping the private off-street parking facilities which the Royal Oak Chamber of Commerce had made available for the previous ten years. Leases of vacant property had been made by the Chamber, while the city provided maintenance costs, which were kept to a minimum because of the temporary nature of the leasing arrangements. Parking in such lots was free.

Parking Meters in 1947

Royal Oak installed curb parking meters in 1947, and in December, 1948 it adopted an ordinance "to establish an automobile parking system for controlling and operating present and future parking facilities". This ordinance also created a Parking Advisory Committee, consisting of two city commissioners and five private citizens. It was this committee that worked out the city's present off-street parking areas and coordinated Royal Oak's downtown traffic problems.

As the first step in establishing a parking system, Royal Oak on Mar. 6, 1950 sold a \$325,000 issue of automobile parking system revenue bonds at an average interest cost to the city of 2.80 per cent. A budget for use of this money was set up as follows:

Acquisition of Center Street parking lot \$259,500
Improvements to both public parking lots \$31,818
Additional street and lot parking meters \$22,950
Miscellaneous \$10,732

Bonds Payable Over 21 Years
The Royal Oak bonds are payable at the rate of \$15,000 annually from 1953 through 1964, and at \$20,000 annually from 1965 through 1971. Being issued in February, 1950, they extend over a 21-year period, although the city reserved the right to retire bonds maturing after June 1, 1955 at a small premium over their par value.

To build up the financial reserves of the Royal Oak automobile parking system, the bond issue provides for the system to build up a \$25,000 reserve out of funds on hand when the bonds were issued, plus \$10,000 in each of the two years before the first bonds are due in 1953. This reserve would provide a "cushion" to protect bondholders in the event of a temporary slump in revenues due to a depression or other causes.

Financial Results Good
Financial results of the parking system up to Jan. 31, 1952, as given to the Northville Record by Mr. Knapp, Royal Oak finance director, show that the system's revenues to date have been approximately up to expectations. Total revenue for the fiscal year ended May 31, 1951 was \$60,488 and total expenses were \$15,603, leaving a profit of \$44,885 for

Voters Re-elect Unopposed Slate; Bogart, Allen Win
President Conrad E. Langfield, Clerk Mary Alexander, Treasurer A. Russell Clarke, and Commissioners Claude N. Ely and F. Alton Peters, all unopposed, were re-elected to Northville village governmental offices in light balloting at the general municipal election last Monday.

Presbyterians Plan Building Campaign
The officers of the three official boards of the Northville First Presbyterian Church met Monday evening, March 10, to make plans for a building funds campaign.

Repairs to the century old foundation under the church proper and replacing the old hand hewn logs with steel and concrete supports will be the first part of a more extensive plan, announced the Rev. Dr. Harold F. Fredsell, pastor. Space is needed for the enlarged Sunday School and eight classrooms can be built below the sanctuary, he said.

Del W. Hahn, president of the board of trustees, presided and appointed the following committees to assist with the program: Deacons William B. Crump and Paul H. Steenken; Elders Joseph R. Plunkett and Dr. C. E. Woodruff and Trustees Ed C. Welch, Henry A. Grimshaw and Earl L. Walker. These men will organize the financial campaign. On the building committee to make expansion plans for the next ten years are Messrs. Gerritt Rooks, Robert E. Davis, Walter L. Couse, Charles R. Ely and Maxwell S. Austin.

payment of interest and establishment of the \$10,000 reserve which the bond issue calls for. Final net profit after deduction of these items was \$25,385.

Revenues during the eight months ended Jan. 31, 1952 have been at a somewhat higher level proportionately, than for the preceding year. They totaled \$49,219, with expenses of \$12,527, leaving a profit of \$36,692 for payment of interest for the period, and reserve requirements. Final net profit for the eight months was \$23,593.

It is evident from the foregoing that receipts to date from parking in Royal Oak have been at a high enough rate to provide ample coverage for annual interest and principal payments on its revenue bonds, and that their issuance to provide parking space was a sound measure for the city.

Elected Assessor



Edward M. Bogart

New Commissioner



A. Malcolm Allen

Disinterest of the citizens of Wayne County was named as one of the greatest handicaps of a state legislator by Mrs. Martha Griffiths, State Representative from Detroit, at the Northville Rotary Club meeting last Tuesday.

She said that many bills are passed or defeated by the legislature without state voters ever finding out about them. "Any legislator welcomes comment and interest by the citizens," Mrs. Griffiths said, "so that he can know what the voters want, and how he should proceed."

Mrs. Griffiths was in Northville to inspect the new State Mental Hospital on Seven Mile Road with Dr. Philip Brown, medical superintendent of the hospital.

The representative also pointed out that an effort must be made to convince out-state areas that the legislature is as interested in them as in Wayne County, which provides about 45% of the state's money.

Earlier in her talk, Mrs. Griffiths cited the difficulty in passing a bill calling for chrome yellow paint on Michigan school buses. At the time of the bill's introduction, Michigan was the only state which still painted buses red, white and blue. The purpose of the bill was to use an easily-distinguishable color and standardize it so that drivers everywhere could recognize the school buses on sight.

Ralph Foreman, West Seven Mile Road, a member of the Rotary Club, asked Mrs. Griffiths to take steps to determine if traffic could be stopped in both directions when a school bus is discharging children. At present, only automobiles following the bus are required to come to a full stop when buses are halted.

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Is Northville Failing to Meet Needs of Its Teenagers?

The Village Commission moved ten days ago to prohibit boys under 17 from entering local poolrooms. Four days later, the Northville Record received a letter, reprinted below, in which a senior girl in the Northville High School complains that teenagers haven't any place to go on nights they haven't school work or jobs to do at home.

These two separate happenings point to a problem

that is worthy of the consideration of parents and village authorities.

We are publishing "Bewildered Teenager's" letter, together with the comments of three Northville citizens with a broad background in dealing with youth problems. We hope that other adults, especially parents and village officials, will come forth with an expression of opinion on the validity of "Bewildered Teenager's" complaint.

March 6, 1952

To the Editor:

Recently in many of the magazines I have read articles on "What is happening to our Teenagers today".

Since I am a teenager these articles affect me as well as my friends.

Right now I am a Senior in Northville expecting to graduate in June. Although I have only been in Northville a short time I can begin to realize what is happening.

Unless something is done in the near future Northville is going to be on the "black" list as far as the teenagers are concerned. Everyone is going to gasp when they read this but it is perfectly true.

Why do we have this problem?

Simply because our teenagers haven't anywhere to go on nights they haven't schoolwork or jobs to do at home. Most of us have three or four evenings free a week with nothing to do.

Some of the boys can go to the poolroom but what parent wants to see their boy grow up in a poolroom.

The students aren't allowed to hang around the drug-stores for any length of time because the owners do not want their stores crowded with "noisy" kids and they do not want their stores to become "hangouts".

The Scout building is usually full of younger students and no teenager wants to go around with "little kids".

I know a lot of teenagers would certainly be willing to support a project where they could have a place to go dance, play records, have parties, or anything they feel like doing within certain limitations.

What about it parents, are you going to let down your teenagers?

I am not only talking for myself but for all the other teenagers of Northville.

Bewildered Teenager

Wilson Funk
Recreation Director

The present recreation program has been made flexible

enough to meet the demands of our local youth program as far as our present housing situation will allow. The Northville Rec-

Rotary Club Hears Talk by Legislator

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recreation Committee does not claim to be 100% perfect and the welcome sign is always out for youth to attend their meetings, so they can express their needs and problems.

The Scout Building was built for scouting and after the village council turned the building over to the Recreation Committee the repairs and equipment have been added until today it houses part of the Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, Explorers, committee meeting places, Junior Police, Boys Club, and a place for leadership training courses.

Yet if teenagers would like to try out their ideas, the building can be made available to them to plan and carry out a unit of recreation starting with one night each week to the age limit their committee represents.

The Rev. Harold F. Fredsell, Pastor, First Presbyterian Church "Teenager" has something. As parents we must face the situation as it is, rather than say this problem should not exist. If these young people are going to be out three or four evenings a week let's provide a good environment for them.

We need a community building. If this is a valid need let us finance it as we do our schools, through the taxes of willing citizens. As Americans it is our great privilege to support these free institutions.

Almost more important than a building, however, is additional youth leadership. Our recreational director is to be commended for his work with the younger children at the Scout Building. He needs more help. Some of us can remember the start of the recreational program on purely volunteer leadership. We always looked forward to the day when we would have a paid staff for this important work. Let us strengthen the recreational leadership of our fine community.

This letter from "Teenager" will serve a real purpose if it makes us face the situation. If we lose our young people we lose all. These are America's greatest assets. What better use can we make of our funds and our time than to serve the "America of tomorrow".

Parking Called Key to Shopping Success

Detroit -- The lack of adequate off-street parking facilities may cause an otherwise good commercial center to fail in competition with other retail centers, the Regional Planning Commission warned today in a study on "The Importance of Off-Street Parking and How It Can Be Financed in Michigan".

"We feel very strongly that off-street parking facilities must be considered in the same category as the streets of a city," said T. Ledyard Blakeman, executive-director of the commission. He continued, "There is only one right place for a parking lot and that is within or immediately adjacent to the retail district it is designed to serve. Although we are very much against government interference with private initiative, it is nevertheless in the public interest for government to provide certain services now partially supplied by private business. Off-street parking is one of these services."

Advice For Municipalities
In order to avoid the high cost of providing good parking areas in the future, the report advises municipalities to do two things: (1) With the assistance of a competent planning technician, do a careful job of community planning so that future needs for all services, including off-street parking, may be anticipated. (2) In the zoning ordinance of the community, insert a clause requiring that certain types of new business provide adequate parking space for their customers.

R. H. Amerman, Member Northville Recreation Committee

By request I am answering the letter of "Teenager" appearing elsewhere in these columns, relative to a meeting place for young people.

As a member of the Northville Recreation Committee since its inception, except for two or three years, I can say that we have always attempted to provide for the leisure time needs of youth. We have encouraged them to present their problems and requests to the Committee, and have also had their representatives on the Board to assist in organizing their activities. I am sure that I am speaking for the Committee when I suggest that teenagers are always welcome to appear before the Recreation Committee with their requests and suggestions.

The history of Northville youth activities is studded with an array of opportunities sufficient to keep young people well occupied. In fact, the one criticism that we hear over and over again in the community is that there are far too many planned activities outside the home for young people, that there is no time left for them to do things for themselves.

The following quickly compiled list will illustrate some of the activities that compete for a young person's leisure time:

AT SCHOOL: Plays, Sports, Clubs, Dances, Forensics, Band, etc.

IN THE COMMUNITY: Scouting, Clubs, Hobbies, Seasonal Sports, Dances, Church Activities, Summer Recreation Program, Private Parties, An Excellent Library, the Rouge Parkway, and others.

Any combination of the above, together with some home study, should keep most young people reasonably occupied.

To provide adequate facilities for activities such as "Teenager's" letter implies would require finances, sponsorship, supervision and space not available to date.

The writer would be glad to meet with the author of the letter, her friends and parents, at any time, to share in their thinking. Perhaps a solution to her problem can be found

Firemen Prefer McGee as Chief

Members of the Northville Fire Department indicated their preference for William McGee as fire chief last Monday through an advisory vote which will be transmitted to the village commission for its consideration and approval.

McGee has been chief for the last year.

Gas Pipe Project At Mid-Point Now

The Consumers Power gas main project, now nearing completion on North Center and West Main Streets, should be finished in two to three weeks, according to George Mayhew, Plymouth branch manager of the company.

Two crews doing the work for Consumers Power have been at work replacing old pipe with modern, six-inch, corrosion-resisting lines.

Mayhew said that the crews will begin pipe-laying in the alley south of East Main Street between the First Presbyterian Church and South Center Street late this week or early next week, if bad weather does not slow them.

Mayhew praised both the good will and tolerance of Northville residents and the efficiency and speed of the contractor, the Frank J. Knight Company, of Detroit, during the necessary inconveniences caused by the need for breaking through sidewalks to lay new pipe.

Off-Street Parking Progress Indicated for This Summer

Northville's parking problem continues to receive the attention of village officials and members of the Northville Retail Merchants Association, with indications pointing to progress this summer in establishing more adequate off-street parking facilities than have heretofore been available.

Drive Chairmen



C. Harold Bloom



Dr. W. Leonard Howard

Red Cross Drive in Second Week

Solicitations have begun for the 1952 Red Cross fund campaign, although chairmen have not yet been appointed for every district, said C. Harold Bloom, chairman of the drive, early this week.

Area chairmen will recruit their own workers and canvass their sections of Northville in door-to-door solicitations to fill the Northville quota of \$1,500. Dr. W. Leonard Howard, medical supervisor at Maybury Sanatorium, is co-chairman of the drive. Northville's goal this year, \$400 more than in 1951, was raised because of the continuing Korean war. Bloom said that several large contributions have already been made.

Nationally, the Red Cross will seek minimum contributions of \$85,000,000. One and one-half million volunteer workers will solicit homes and business places throughout the month of March.

"The humanitarian aims of this voluntary organization can be met only if the people everywhere heed the call of their less fortunate neighbors," E. Ronald Harriman, national Red Cross president, said.

Surgeon Massages Stopped Heart, Starts It Beating

George Bennett, of Salem Township, is alive today because of the speed and skill of a Northville surgeon who apparently brought him back to life after his heart had stopped beating prior to surgery.

Tangible evidences of progress this week are:

Scheduling of an exploratory meeting Friday, March 14 between John F. Stubenvoll and Gerald C. Woodworth, members of the village commission's finance committee, and Matthew Carey, municipal finance consultant, to discuss a revenue bond issue to finance surfacing of municipal parking areas;

New Lot Urged
Adoption by the Northville Retail Merchants Association of a resolution urging the Village Commission to acquire, by purchase or condemnation, the so-called Spagnuolo property in the rear of stores fronting on east Main St. and north Center St., and the Lyke property fronting on the west side of south Center St. for additional parking areas.

The Retail Merchants Association also went on record as favoring the installation of parking meters on all close-in municipally-operated parking lots, and the establishment of several non-metered parking areas in the downtown area to provide a place for persons employed downtown to park all day.

Preliminary Meeting
The meeting between members of the village finance committee and Carey is to be merely a preliminary discussion of the various aspects of issuance of revenue bonds, which would be retired from proceeds of street parking meters and those in the off-street lots. This financing method has been used successfully by cities in Michigan and other states to acquire and maintain off-street parking areas without cost to taxpayers.

The suggestion was made at the Retail Merchants Association meeting that if negotiations for the Spagnuolo property promise to be drawn out, the village might endeavor to lease the area immediately and surface it with gravel or crushed stone so it could be placed in use this spring. Parking meters could be installed under this plan, and upon acquisition through purchase or condemnation, the lot could be hard-surfaced if it were deemed desirable.

Discussion of parking meter fees in off-street parking areas centered on the 5 cents for two hours rate commonly used in other cities, with the present 5 cent per hour rate to continue on curb meters. The low two-hour rate in the parking lots would not be burdensome to shoppers, it was felt.

Committee to Study Future School Sites

Eural F. Clark, president of the Northville Board of Education, has appointed a committee to work with Wilfred Clapp of the Michigan Department of Public Instruction, to study possible future school sites for the Northville School District.

The appointment of George L. Clark, N. C. Schrader, Jr. and R. H. Amerman was made at the Monday, March 3, meeting of the board. T. R. Carrington, chairman of the Northville Planning Commission and the Village representative of the Northwest-Wayne Council, gave an explanation of the population trends of the area.

The committee will study the situation in and around Northville to help in estimating the school building needs within the next 10 to 15 years.

FEWER FARM TELEPHONES

Although a somewhat larger percentage of Michigan farm homes had telephones in 1950 than in 1920, the actual number of farm telephones in the state dropped 14,740 in the 30-year period.



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News Around Northville

Pvt. David H. Schoultz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Schoultz of Cady Street, left Monday, March 3, for Parris Island, South Carolina, to train with the United States Marines. His wife resides with her parents, the Harry Gersts of Ball Street, Plymouth.

The Dr. W. Leonard Howard home on Eight Mile Road was the scene of a dinner party Sunday evening, March 9. Guests from Northville and Plymouth numbered 32.

Mr. and Mrs. Lew Bates, of Hartford City, Indiana, spent last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Allison, of First Street. Mrs. Bates is Mr. Allison's niece. Mrs. Allison's mother, Mrs. Anna Whitacre, after visiting here four weeks, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Bates to Pennville, Indiana.

The Ladies Aid of St. Paul's Lutheran Church will meet today, Thursday, March 13, at 1:30 p.m. Co-hostesses will be Mrs. Frank Cochran and Mrs. Emma Copeland.

Mrs. Rex Kennedy and son, Rex, Jr., of Buffalo, New York are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Mary Predmore and mother, Mrs. Maude Harmon of Church Street.

Mr. and Mrs. George Clark left Wednesday for a three-week vacation in Florida.

The Lutheran Ladies Auxiliary will meet Thursday, March 20 at 1:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Marvin Tibble, 965 North Center Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Lawrence of Fairbrook Road returned last week from Key West, Florida.

A birthday luncheon honoring Mrs. Clinton Biddle was given at the Tunis Biddle home on West Seven Mile Road last Wednesday, March 5. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Biddle, Clinton Biddle, Mrs. Dorothy Biddle, Mrs. Ruby Claypool and Mrs. Muriel Parmalee.

Dorothy Jane Congo returned Tuesday from a week's vacation of skiing in Quebec.

Mrs. Drake Older was hostess last Thursday afternoon at a luncheon in her home on Rogers Street. Mesdames R. M. Atchison, E. V. Ellison, F. J. Collins, W. E. McCarthy, Russell Clarke, Frank Martin and H. Handorf.

The second birthday of Richard Sinclair, son of the Robert Sinclairs of Beck Road, was honored by a party at his home on Sunday, March 9. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Defina and daughters, Kathy and Kristine, and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Smith and daughter, Cynthia. The party also honored Mrs. Smith's birthday which was Monday, March 10.

The local Girl Scout troops attended the Northville First Baptist Church last Sunday.

Mrs. Ray Stillson and Mrs. R. M. Atchison attended a statewide meeting of the members of Delta Gamma sorority at East Lansing last week.

Pfc. Linwood Snow, Jr., son of Dr. and Mrs. L. W. Snow, Sr. of West Main street, is home on a ten-day furlough from Ft. Lee, Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles DeNune and daughter, Norinee, of Ida, and Mrs. Lora Smith of Northville with Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Schuler of West Seven Mile road, called at the H. E. Blowers home last Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Stuart F. Campbell attended a reception and informal chamber music concert at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Steinman in Detroit last Saturday evening. The musicians, from the Detroit Symphony Orchestra included four men from the string section and a flutist.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester A. Arthur of East Baseline Road attended the funeral of Chester M. Cramer in Fowlerville Monday. The services were held at the Liverance Funeral Home under the auspices of the Stockbridge F. and A. M. Lodge.

The Presbyterian Men's Club will hold a St. Patrick's Day square dance on Thursday, March 13, starting at 9 p.m. in the church house.

The Wesleyan Service Guild of the Northville First Methodist Church will meet Tuesday March 18 at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Alfred Millington, 46870 West Seven Mile Road.

The Rev. William A. Johnson, pastor of the Northville First Methodist Church, will speak on Wednesday, March 19 at the Lenten supper at the Walnut Street First Methodist Church in Howell.

Your chiropractor, Dr. G. K. Ashton, is now located in the Penniman Building, 861 Penniman avenue, Plymouth, Mich. Phone Plymouth 1016 for appointment.

Mrs. Joseph Denton was honored on her birthday Tuesday, March 4, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Carl Stephens, on Norton Street. A luncheon and an evening party were held on that day. Attending the afternoon affair were Mesdames William Duguid, Horace Boyden, Don Miller, Roy Matheson, Cass Bolton and Emma Reid. The immediate family gathered at the Stephens' home in the evening.

Sgt. Ronald E. (Kenneth) Farrell of the 1st Marine Division, has returned from Korea and is spending a 45-day leave with his parents, the Ed Farrells, of First Street.

Three men from Northville were inducted into the armed forces on March 3. They are Harry E. Earehart, James F. Thompson and Terry Carter Chappell.

Methodists Tell Lenten Speakers

Ann Arbor District Superintendent, the Rev. Dr. Frank Fitch, will give the address at the Sunday, March 16 Lenten pot luck supper at the Northville First Methodist Church. The dinner will begin at 6:30 p.m. with the Bertha Neal Circle of the Women's Society of Christian Service as sponsors.

The Rev. E. Stanley Stone of Farmington Methodist Church will address the March 23 meeting. The Grace Tremper Circle of the WSCS will have charge of the preparations. Slated for Sunday, March 30, the Adult Fellowship will bring the Rev. Glenn L. Frye to the church. Dr. Frye is assistant to Bishop Marshall R. Reed of the Detroit area.

On Palm Sunday, March 6, the Rev. Dr. Harold F. Fredsell, pastor of the Northville First Presbyterian Church, will address the group.

Presbyterian Lenten Services Announced

Family church-night services are being observed during the Lenten season each Wednesday evening at the Northville First Presbyterian Church. A fellowship supper is held at 6:30 p.m. This week a family style spaghetti dinner is being served by the Nelie Yerkes Circle under the chairmanship of Mrs. William Weidner.

Speaking this week at the service held in the sanctuary at 7:30 p.m., is the Rev. Dr. T. Struthers Higgins, pastor of the Central-Northwest Presbyterian Church.

The teachings of Jesus are being presented each week with the topic for Wednesday evening announced as "The Supreme Rule of Life." The Rev. Dr. Harold F. Fredsell, the pastor of the church conducts the informal family service of worship.

Always look out for the sunlight that the Lord sends into your days —Hope Campbell

Novi News

By Mrs. L. Rix

The board members of Novi chapter of the Blue Star Mothers were entertained last Friday by their president, Mrs. Paul Ginstre, at her home on Twelve Mile Road. The card party planned for April 23 at Novi School will be preceded by a dessert luncheon with a prize for each table and door prizes.

Lapee's Beauty Salon has been reopened by Vivian Knight of Plymouth. Miss Knight was formerly employed by the Vogue Beauty Shop.

The Novi School 4-H girls met February 26 at the home of Carol Wendland. This week, Tuesday, the girls met with Carol Clemens. After both meetings refreshments were served.

On Wednesday, March 19, the regular monthly meeting of the Novi W.S.C.S. will be held at the church. A pot luck dinner will be served at 12:30 p.m. Hostesses in charge will be Mesdames Whittington, Cotter, Edelman and Klascerner.

Next Tuesday evening at 7 p.m. a family night supper will be held in the Novi Methodist Church basement. Colored pictures of the Rose Bowl will be shown. Mrs. Cotter, Mrs. Ward and Mrs. Mitchell will have charge.

Arthur Wood of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, who is in Detroit, on business, visited his mother, Mrs. Bertha Wood of West Grand River, March 1 Mrs. Wood and her son visited cousins in Grand Rapids and this weekend will be spent with relatives in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Swegles and daughter, Helen, of Webberville were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Rix on First Street.

The Novi Brownies are now meeting on Tuesday instead of Wednesday of each week. Their leaders for the Senior Group are Mrs. Charles Verhaag, Mrs. Wm. Lessway and Mrs. Rex LaPlante, Sr.; for the Junior Group the leaders are Mrs. Lester Clark and Mrs. Walter Edelman.

The Sunshine Club had their March meeting at the home of Mrs. B. F. Davis on Twelve Mile Road.

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Rolling Down The River



by the PETZ BROS.

Now this other day a lady drives her Studebaker into the service department, gives the manager some instructions, then comes zipping into the sales room. We can see that she has blood in her eye, and start figuring how we can hide under the desk, because for all we know, maybe she's mad at the management.

"How," she asks, "do you go about shooting a husband real dead?"

Well we're greatly relieved that it's her husband, because for all we know maybe she's got a license, but we tell her that we haven't much information on the subject, and no practice whatsoever. Besides we want to know how come such a blood-thirsty idea on the first sun-shiny day we've had since we don't know when.

"That's just it," she says, "it's a beautiful day, so I buy a beautiful new hat, which I wear home for my husband to admire. The sales lady puts the old bonnet in a hat box to make it easier to carry. When I get home my husband opens the door, takes a look at the hat box and says, 'a new hat' Then he opens the box, takes out my old felt, puts the dog-gone relic on my head in place of the new one I'm wearing, steps back and says, 'it's lovely, dear, lovely.'"

Well life is like that and had she traded the '50 Studebaker she drives for a sparkling new '52 model, we know for certain, her husband wouldn't have been confused, but would be filled with honest admiration. It's a wonderful car and we hope you drop around for a bit of demonstration. The zesty V-8 engine, superbly styled body lines, the comfort and in-built economy just can't be beat anywhere. We've a beautiful new hard-top "convertible" too, in both the Commander and Champion lines.

We overheard a couple of girls talking the other day and one of them finally says, "he loves me, I know, but I can't pin him to anything I can put my finger on, or on my finger."

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CHALLENGE TO NORTHVILLE

We have given considerable thought during the past few days to certain aspects of the Village Commission's move at its last meeting to rescind an "unwritten understanding" between a previous commission and operators of local pool rooms. This understanding permitted boys under 17 to play pool in their places of business, in violation of the state law.

We believe the present commission did the right thing when it instructed Police Chief Denton to enforce the law, but we nevertheless are disturbed to the point of commenting upon a situation which may be highly controversial.

It should be said at the outset that we do not agree with those individuals who believe all pool rooms to be breeding places for crime, and that for a boy to frequent them is, in itself, evidence of any lack of moral character. To the contrary, we believe there probably are a lot of pool rooms, among them the local Royal Recreation operated by Mr. and Mrs. Joe Alessi, to which the Record's story and editorial referred by inference last week, that are well run places frequented by boys of good character.

What bothers us particularly is not that under-age boys may have been exposed to questionable associates. That may or may not have been the case. But it cannot be denied that in permitting them to frequent such places in violation of the law, we have given them a prime lesson in disrespect for the law, and for the authorities whose duty it is to uphold the law.

We talk a lot, and with justification, about the manner in which Washington politicians and hangers-on have been twisting the law to their own ends, yet within our own community we have been guilty of evasion of the law for several years. It is hardly a lesson in good citizenship.

Another question arising from the present move to bar boys under 17 from entering the local pool room is: "What recreational facilities does Northville provide for boys in this age group as an alternative to the pool rooms?"

This is a matter to which the Village Commission, and the community at large, must give heed NOW if it is to meet its responsibility to the younger generation in the village. It is not enough to say: "The pool rooms can no longer be your hang-out". That merely puts them into the street, which is probably as bad or worse.

Another aspect of this same problem is revealed by the letter on the Record's front page this week. It is from a teen-age girl who asks where boys and girls in this same age group can go in Northville to spend their free evenings each week. The letter, and the problem arising from eviction of under-age boys from our local pool rooms, are a challenge to the entire community to find a reasonable solution to a pressing need.

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Team	W	L
Ben's Novi Inn	64	40
Holme's Wood Prod.	63	41
Northville Laundry	59	45
White Kitchen	59	45
Bldg. Service Emp.	51	53
Northville Lanes	51	53
Guernsey Dairy	51	53
Thomassons Grocery	50	54
C. Smith Builders	48	56
Gotts Bros.	48	56
Mergraf Oil Products	47	57
Schraders	44	60
Porritt's Drive Inn	40	64

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man 216 and 201; Hays 215; Terry
211; Holman 203; Dayton 202;
Holmes 200.

NORTHVILLE RECREATION LEAGUE STANDINGS

Team	W	L
Cy Owens Fords	63	29
Ford Motor Co.	17	35
Supervisors	53	39
Rooks Hooks	50	42
K-9	48	44
Miller's Service	48	44
Alley Hounds	46	46
State Five	43	49
Painters	42	50
White Kitchen	41	51
Sid and Walt's Serv	36	56
Welch's Whippets	24	68

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Weidner 230; Wagenschutz 225;
Darnell 224, 212-607; Hay 215-
204; Daly 213; Williams 211; Ba-
uer 204; Inmland 200.

NORTHVILLE CLASSIC LEAGUE STANDINGS

Team	W	L
Heichman-VanEvery	49	29
Northville Lanes	41	37
Ply. Hills Fine Homes	41	37
Ham and Eggers	39	39
Parkside Bar	34	44
Cy Owens Fords	30	48

200 Scores—
Ash 246, 205-620; Bong 235, 223-
250; Hawley 232, 202-605; Gross
231; Miller 205; Okerstrom 204;
Riley 202.

NORTHVILLE HOUSE LEAGUE STANDINGS

Team	W	L
Depositors State Bank	61	31
Standard Service	60	32
Northville Men's Shop	59	33
Heichman-VanEvery	59	33
Blatz Beer	55	37
Twin Pines	48	44
Northville Barbeque	42	50
Northville Hotel	41	51
Fred's Oil Co.	34	58
High Flyers	34	58
Bloom's Insurance	32	60
Edison Sales	27	65

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Bongi 214, 202; McArthur 211;
Judy 205, 201; Eshberschultz
203, Hawley 202, 201; Hood 202;
Selby 202; Graham 200.

ROYAL RECREATION MONDAY NIGHT LEAGUE STANDINGS

Team	W	L
Mich. Powd. Metals	74	34
Alessi Gen. Insurance	65	43
Don's Jr. Five	59	49
Royal Recreation	53	55
Northville Lab.	53	55
Lucas Excavating	50	58
Main Hi-Speed	47	61
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NORTHVILLE WOMEN'S LEAGUE STANDINGS

Team	W	L
Villa Dress Shop	68	36
Don's Five	67	37
Sue's Beauty Shop	65½	38½
Harry Wolfe Bdr.	54½	49½
Deane Herrick Jeweler	54	50
C. R. Ely and Sons	54	50
Northville Lab.	47	57
Old Mill	45	59
Bloom's Ins.	45	59
Porritt's Drive Inn	37	67
Tait's Cleaners	36	68

Pvt. Pearsall Ends Basic Training

Pvt. Eugene F. Pearsall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pearsall, 19464 Gerald Avenue, has recently completed basic training at Fort Custis, Virginia. The eight-weeks course consisted of basic infantry subjects including tactics, marksmanship, customs of the service, first aid, map reading and drill. Pvt. Pearsall is now ready to go into specialized training with the Army Transportation Corp.

NHS Cagers Lose to Howell, 45 to 37, in Tournament

Inability to play as efficiently as usual contributed to knocking Northville High School out of the District basketball tournament at Walled Lake last Thursday night. The Mustangs lost to Howell High School 45 to 37. Milford had lost to Walled Lake on Wednesday and Howell was defeated by Walled Lake in the finals Saturday night.

Howell's Hilton was high scorer with 13 points. Charlie Rebitzke's ten markers boosted his season total to 164, ahead of the final tally of 149 for Glenn Howarth and 120 for Dick Somers. Howarth was ill and unable to play in the tourney game. The Mustangs never quite got squared away until the third quarter when they pulled even at 27 to 27 on Lamar Nalley's free throw, but three field goals by Howell's Dunn opened the gap again and the Mustangs trailed the remainder of the game.

The Northville bid for the lead actually began in the second quarter, when they made up a ten-point deficit in the drive to the third-quarter tie, but Howell sharp shooting smothered the effort.

The summary for Northville:

	FG	FT	TP
Rebitzke	2	6	10
Nalley	2	4	8
Stanford	3	0	6
Somers	2	0	4
Thomson	2	0	4
Graham	1	1	3
Nash	1	0	2
Clark	0	0	0
Scheffer	0	0	0
Bailey	0	0	0

Quarter Scores
Northville 8 21 31 37
Howell 18 24 36 45

Bathey House on Sheldon Rd. Looted

Thieves entered the nearly-completed house of Luke Bathey at the corner of Sheldon Road and Sheldon Court last Saturday night and drove away with a new Frigidaire double door refrigerator, a Frigidaire electric stove and Frigidaire metal cabinets which had just been delivered to the house. The articles were valued at approximately \$1,000, and were not covered by insurance because two door locks had not been installed.

Bathey states that the burglary was committed early in the evening because tracks of the truck which carried away the articles were obliterated by the snowfall during the night. He will pay a reward for information leading to return of the stolen articles.

Novi Lodge News

A committee from Novi Rebekah Lodge served dinner to 17 members of the Novi Board of Commerce last Thursday evening.

The teen-agers of the community are invited to a teen-age dance at the Odd-fellow Hall Saturday, March 15. The chap-erons will be Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dumke, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Putnam, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Salow and George Hines.

The Novi Independent Rebekah Club met at the home of Vice Grand Sister Irene Kahrl at 707 South Lake Drive on Wednesday, March 5. Irene Wendland was co-hostess.

Novi Rebekah Lodge No. 482 meets in regular session Thursday night, March 13.

Band to Compete in District Festival

The Northville High School Band will participate in a Class B District band festival at Pease Auditorium, Ypsilanti Saturday, March 15. The Northville band will play at 9 a.m., following the Belleville and Romulus bands.

The band will play for written criticism by three concert judges: Dr. William D. Revelli, of the University of Michigan, and Leonard Fakone and Keith Stein, of Michigan State College. Harry Begian, of Detroit, will be sight reading judge.

Judges' decision will rate bands one to five, and ratings of one will send the winners to the state festival at Lansing. Northville previously competed in Class C, but rising enrollment has pushed the school above the 325 mark and into Class B, where competition is stiffer, said Leslie G. Lee, high school bandmaster.

Presbyterian Youth To Continue Boy-Girl Discussion

Sponsors of the Westminster Fellowship of the Northville First Presbyterian Church, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kay, will continue their discussion of boy-girl relations at the Sunday meeting. The group meets at 7:30 p.m. Plans will also be made for a weekend at Youth Island and for attending the spring rally on April 20.

Northville Lodge, No. 186, F. & A.M. Regular meeting Second Monday of every month at 7:30 P.M. Visiting Brethren Welcome DALE MARTELL, W.M. R. F. COOLMAN, Sec'y.

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Fewer Deaths, But Accidents Are High

The Michigan traffic toll for the first month of 1952 went from one extreme to the other, compared to previous records for January, the state police monthly statistical report shows.

The number of fatalities was 83, or 37% less than for the same month in 1951. There were 3,282 persons injured, a decrease of 7%. Accidents totaled 14,969, a decrease of 4%.

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Girl Scouts Plan Fair to Honor 40th Birthday

The 40th anniversary of the founding of the Girl Scouts of America will be commemorated in Northville by the presentation of a Girl Scout Fair on Saturday, March 15, at the Northville First Presbyterian Church.

The troops in the village will have on display the handicraft, camping equipment and projects completed during the past year.

Officially opening the program at 3 p.m., will be a songfest of Brownie and Girl Scout songs. Participating in the opening flag ceremony will be Carol Ann Sparling, Sandia Schoof, Shirley Allen, Betty Stevens and Gail Blackburn. As members of Troop 6, they are led by Mrs. George Weiss.

The Marionette productions of Troop 8 led by Mrs. Alex Lawrence will be the "Frog Prince" and "The Princess and The Pea." Mrs. J. S. Paige has directed the marionette making as well as the practices for the two works. The scenes for the new production, "The Princess and The Pea," were designed by Mrs. D. Pullen and painted with the help of her daughter, Lucille.

Mrs. A. Millington is general chairman for the fair, with assistance from the troop leaders Mrs. William G. Williams and Mrs. George Weiss will lead the singing.

The executive council of the Northville Girl Scout community committee will serve the refreshments during the afternoon fair. Mrs. H. F. Wagenschutz and Mrs. J. Krutch are co-chairmen with Mesdames W. L. Howard, Robert Coolman and John Clarke assisting.

Extension Leaders Will Meet Friday

Miss Emma DuBord, Wayne County home demonstration agent, will meet Friday, March 14, with leaders of the extension groups at the Northville library. The session will be held from 9:30 to 3:30 p.m.

Leaders of the Wayne County home economics extension groups will be taught the basic dress finishes by Miss DuBord.

Teenagers Invited to Saturday Dances

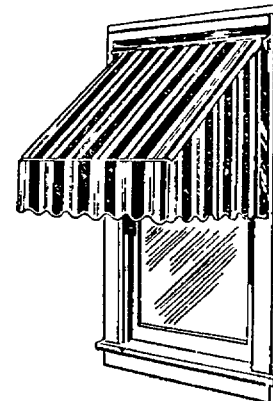
The teenagers of Northville have been invited to attend the Saturday night dances held weekly at the Smith Grade School, Plymouth. The school is open from 8:30 to 12 p.m. for the youth, said Herbert Woolweaver, director of the Plymouth Recreation Department.

An orchestra has been hired to furnish the music for dancing with special entertainment planned throughout the evening. The Plymouth Optimist Club is sponsoring the program. The Smith School is located southeast of Plymouth and northwest of Maple Lawn Drive-Inn.

Donna Schnute Finishes Secretarial Course

Donna Schnute, 738 Grandview avenue, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schnute, has recently completed the secretarial course at the Detroit Business Institute. Donna graduated from Northville High School. She has accepted a secretarial position with the Plymouth plant of the Ford Motor Company.

Pauline Rodgers and Helen Cansfield attended the Monday evening concert given at the Masonic Temple by the Norwegian Boy's Choir.



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COMMUNITY CALENDAR...

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THURSDAY, MARCH 13-

6:30 Father and Son Banquet, Methodist Church. 7:30 Methodist W.S.C.S. to Garden City. 8:00 Eagles Auxiliary, Veterans' Memorial Hall.

FRIDAY, MARCH 14-

7:30 Masonic Council, Northville Lodge 186.

SATURDAY, MARCH 15-

2-4 Girl Scout Fair, Presbyterian Church House.

MONDAY, MARCH 17-

DAR, Mrs. Kenneth Hulsing, 110 Church St., Plymouth.

THURSDAY, MARCH 20-

9:00-3:30 Institute for Community Leaders, Rackham Bldg., Detroit.

FRIDAY, MARCH 21-

7:30 Easter Star. 2:30 Woman's Club, Fashion Show, at Village Library.

MONDAY, MARCH 24-

8:00 Mother's Club.

TUESDAY, MARCH 25-

6:30 Banquet, P.T.A., Lutheran Church House.

THURSDAY, MARCH 27-

9:00-12:00 Representative of Federal Social Security Administration, at Plymouth Post Office.

DAR Chapter to Act on Treaty Passage

At the Monday, March 17 meeting of the Sarah Ann Cochran chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, the chapter will discuss and take action against the passage of the Genocide Convention treaty. The DAR will meet at the home of Mrs. Kenneth Hulsing, 110 Church street, Plymouth.

The treaty, which has been favorably acted upon by the subcommittee of the United States Senate Foreign Relations Committee, will supersede our Constitution of the United States, said Mrs. E. J. Cutler regent of the Sarah Ann Cochran chapter, DAR Mrs. Cutler was so notified by Mrs. James C. Lucas, who is the executive secretary of the national defense committee of the DAR.

The treaty sets up a world government while nullifying not only the bill of rights but the Constitution of our country, said Mrs. Cutler. The DAR urges the public to write their personal protest to Senator Homer Ferguson, Congressman George A. Dandero or the members of the Foreign Relations Committee.

Maybury Top Nurse Attends Workshop

Ellen Davis, head nurse at the Maybury Sanatorium in Northville is enrolled in a workshop to be conducted by the Wayne University College of Nursing, Wednesday through Friday, Mar. 12-14.

Considered in the course will be the practical aspects of the head nurse situation, such as the identification of problems and techniques of study problems in staffing, time planning and assignments.

The workshop is part of the College of Nursing's state-wide in-service program of nursing education, given in cooperation with the Michigan Nursing Center Association, the Michigan League of Nursing Education, and the Michigan Department of Health.

Girl Scout Troop No. 4

Girl Scout Troop 4 met at the Methodist church Wednesday, March 5, 1952. We continued working on our project. Most of the girls got them mostly finished. Several of the girls got them shellacked.

We started to learn some songs that we plan to sing in the Girl Scout Fair a week from Saturday. Judy Robinson, Scribe

Garden Club Plans April 14 Luncheon

A former resident of Northville, Mrs. B. A. Hodge of Plymouth, told the members of the Northville branch of the Women's Farm and Garden Association at their Monday afternoon meeting how to plant, grow and care for peonies. While living in Northville the Hodge's were commercial peony growers.

Attending the meeting at the Fred J. Collins home were 34 members and a guest, Mrs. W. J. Wilcox.

Pouring at the St. Patrick's Day tea were Mesdames W. L. Howard and M. L. Hoysradt.

Tickets for the spring luncheon, set for Monday, April 14, may be secured from Mrs. Ed Mollema and Mrs. J. Haller. Dr. H. E. L. Chapman, extension specialist in horticulture, will be the guest speaker at the luncheon slated for the parish hall of St. Paul's Lutheran Church.

Spelling Contest Opens Competition

Practice spelling bees are in session in the junior high classes at the Northville High School, reports Mrs. Ida B. Cooke, principal of the junior high. The first competitive bee, the grade bees will be held Friday, March 14, with April 4 set for the school bee. This will be followed by the April 25 district bee and the final Metropolitan Spelling Bee on May 9 at the Detroit News Building.

Included in the spell downs will be pupils from Wayne, Oakland, Macomb, Livingston and Washtenaw County schools. As a starter, the students will use the words from their own books and spelling lists, said Mrs. Cooke.

A Webster's New Collegiate Dictionary will be given the winner of the grade bee while the school champion will receive a bronze emblem as well as a certificate of victory. Silver is the color chosen to distinguish the district spelling bee winner. That student will also receive an emblem and a certificate at a presentation planned for the metropolitan finals.

The metropolitan champion will receive a gold medal, a 19-volume set of World Encyclopedias plus a rack and an expense-free trip to Washington, D.C. Winner of the second place will receive only the set of encyclopedias while a Webster's Unabridged Dictionary goes to the student placing third.

Clinic Announced To Aid Women In Small Businesses

Viewing the vast success of the 1951 Small Business clinic, the Michigan Federation of Business and Professional Women in connection with the continuing education service of Michigan State College have set Friday afternoon, April 4, and Saturday, April 5, for its second annual clinic.

Organized to assist small businesses, whether located in private homes or business offices, the clinic will deal primarily with the development and sale of handmade articles.

Mrs. Clifford Sinden of Taft road will be the discussion leader for the group in ceramics. She will deal with the development and sale of ceramics while the topic will also be applied to catering, food shops, sewing and weaving, and jewelry in other groups.

Gift shop owners will be enlightened concerning their sources of supply and financing. A photograph discussion will also be held, as well as a session on the organizing of insurance agencies.

A general session on the legal problems of small business will be conducted Saturday morning.

The clinic, which is scheduled at the Kellogg Center in East Lansing, is designed for all business women without regard to membership in the BPW, said Mrs. Sinden. For additional information, call her at 1180-W1.

Smith-Shover Announce Plans for March Wedding



Darlene Shover

Northville relatives have received announcement from Venice, Florida, of the wedding plans of Monna Darlene Shover and Alfred H. Smith, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Smith of Beal avenue. The wedding will take place on Saturday, March 29, at the Venice-Nakomis Methodist Church in Florida.

Mrs. Shover is the daughter of Mrs. Mandella Stockham of Sarasota, Florida, formerly of Portsmouth, Ohio. She is a hair stylist and beauty operator and part owner of a shop in Venice.

Before moving to Florida for the winter months with his parents, Al conducted a floor sanding business in this area. He is presently employed as a builder in Florida.

After the wedding, the young couple will live in Northville, are planning to visit Northville in August.

Council Honors Girl Scout Leaders

The 44 leaders and co-leaders of the Northville Girl Scout troops were honored by the executive council of the Northville Girl Scout community committee last night at the W. L. Howard home on Eight Mile Road.

The March 12 cooperative dinner was selected as the way to thank the leaders for their part in furthering the national goal and carrying out the ideals of Juliette Lowe, founder of the Girl Scouts of America, said Mrs. John Clarke, president of the council.

The Girl Scouts are this week commemorating their 40th birthday on Wednesday, March 12.

Federated Church To Hear Missionary

The Rev. Paul Zimmerman of Grandview, Tennessee will speak at the Salem Federated Church on Monday, March 17 at 7:30 p.m. A pot luck supper will be held before the talk at 6 p.m.

Rev. Zimmerman, who is a missionary in Tennessee, will show pictures as well as tell of his work in the mountains.

Those attending the supper are asked to bring their own table service and dish to pass.

George Bennett of Salem is in Mt. Carmel Hospital.

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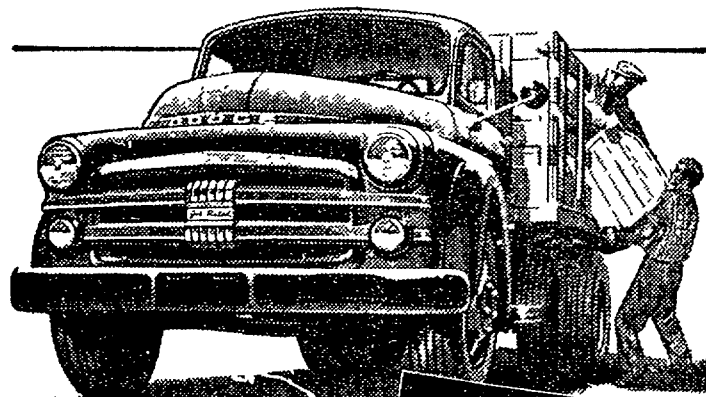
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Old Dutch Cleanser 2 14-Oz. Cans 25c
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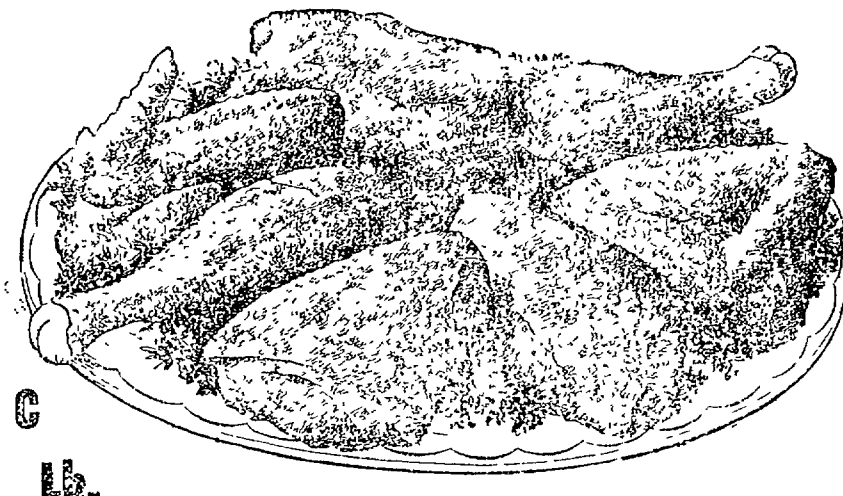
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Lb. **49c** Lb. **63c**

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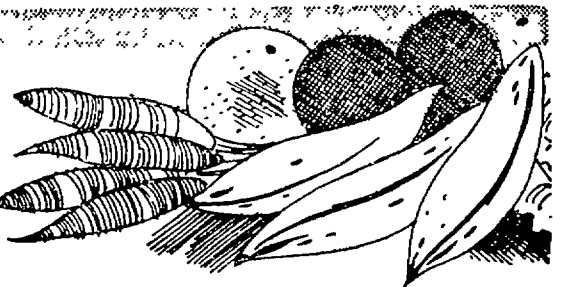
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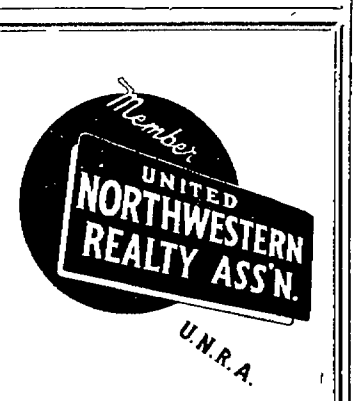
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 Lutheran Laymen's League, third Friday, 8:00 p.m.

Christian Science Churches
 In Christian Science, substance as used to define Spirit will be discussed in the Lesson Sermon entitled "Substance" to be read in all Christian Science churches on Sunday, March 16.
 The Golden Text is from Timothy (2:19): "The foundation of



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Among the Bible citations is this passage, (Ps 125:1): "They that trust in the Lord shall be as mount Zion, which cannot be removed, but abideth for ever."

First Baptist Church, Northville
 Rev. Peter F. Nieuwkoop, pastor
 Sunday, March 16:
 10:00 a.m.—Sunday School with classes for all age groups. Herbert Ware, S. S. Supt.
 11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship. Pastor Nieuwkoop will present the message.
 6:15 p.m., Junior Baptist Youth Fellowship. Mrs. Wm. Stiles, sponsor.
 6:30 p.m., Senior Baptist Youth Fellowship. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Burnett, sponsors.
 7:30 p.m., Evening service.
 Wednesday, March 19:
 7:45 p.m., Hour of Prayer.
 8:30 p.m., Choir practice.

First Presbyterian Church
 Rev. Harold F. Fredsell, Pastor
 Third Sunday in Lent, March 16:
 9:30 a.m., Pastor's Confirmation class meets in the Junior High classroom.
 10 a.m., Sunday Church School.
 Earl T. Gibson, Jr., Gen. Supt.
 Ladies Bible class meets with Mrs. C. M. Chase in the parlors.
 Men's Bible class discussion, led by Robert L. Hart in the church kitchen.
 11:00 a.m., Morning Worship Nursery and Junior Church during the morning service.
 7:30 p.m., Senior Youth Fellowship, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kay, sponsors
 Monday, March 17:
 7:30 p.m., Presbyterian Men's Club Mr. Glenn Cummings, publisher of "The Northville Record," speaks on "The Role of a Newspaper in a Smaller Community."
 Tuesday, March 18:
 7:00 and 9:00 p.m., Men's club bowling at Northville Rec.
 Wednesday, March 19:
 6:30 p.m., Lenten Fellowship supper. Served by the Nellie Yerkes Circle; Mrs. Wm. Weidner, chairman.
 7:30 p.m., Lenten service. Ahe Rev. Dr. T. S. Higgins of the Central Northwest Presbyterian Church, speaks on "The Supreme Rule of Life."
 8:30 p.m., Choir rehearsal, Wm. G. Williams, directing.

Salem Federated Church
 C. M. Pennell, Pastor
 Sunday morning worship, 10:30.
 Sermon subject: "The Hidden Gospel."
 Sunday School, 11:45 a.m.
 Sunday evening hymn sing, 7:30 p.m.
 Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.
 Mndoay, March 17, 6:00 p.m., pot luck supper. 7:30, Rev. Paul Zimmerman.

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Mrs. J. D. Mitchell, S. S. Supt.
 10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship and sermon.
 11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
 7:30 p.m.—Methodist Youth Fellowship, Wednesday. Don Kodel, Youth Counselor in charge.
 Wednesday, 8 00 p.m., Choir rehearsal
 Tuesday, March 18, Family Night with pot luck dinner at 7 W.S.C.S., third Wednesday of each month at noon.
 Palm Sunday, 7:30 p.m., Easter Cantata by Brighton and Novi Methodist choirs.

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 Third Sunday in Lent, March 16:
 8:00 a.m., Holy Communion
 9:30 a.m., Family Communion service and class instruction.
 11 a.m., Morning Worship and sermon
 7 p.m., Youth Fellowship meeting.

First Methodist Church
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 Thursday, March 13, 6:30 p.m., Father and Son banquet.
 Saturday, March 15, 10 a.m., Pastor's Church Membership Training Class.
 Sunday, March 16:
 9 a.m., Worship at Maybury San.
 10 a.m., Church School.
 11:00 a.m., Morning Worship. Sermon: "A Faith To Live By." Junior Sermon: "You Can't Fool God."
 5 p.m., Intermediate Youth Fellowship
 6:30 p.m., Family Lenten Fellowship. Message by Dr. Frank Fitch, superintendent of the Ann Arbor District.
 Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., Choir rehearsal, Ralph Johnson, director.
 Thursday, March 20, Sub-District Camp dinner for this area in this Church. Each church should have five representatives at this banquet and program.

Salem Congregational Church
 Lucia M. Stroh, Minister
 Divine Worship, 10:30 a.m.
 Sunday School 11:45 a.m. Mrs. Ralph Wilson, Supt. Norman Roy, Asst. Supt. and Bible teacher.

First Baptist Church, Novi
 Rev. C. Gillman Morse, Pastor
 10:30, Morning Worship service. Illustrated lesson for boys and girls.
 Bible School in classes. Mr. T. Remein, Supt.
 6 p.m., Youth Fellowship.

OBITUARIES
MRS. JULIAN J. MARKS
 A former Northville resident, Mrs. Vera Lawrence Marks, died suddenly at her home "Casa Roma" in Key West, Florida on Saturday, March 1. Services were held in the Key West, Presbyterian Church on Monday, March 3, and repeated on Friday in the Warrick Funeral Home in Detroit. Interment took place at Grand Lawn.
 Mrs. Marks was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Samuel J. Lawrence and was born in Wyandotte in 1884. The family moved to Northville 50 years ago and purchased property on Fairbrook Road. In 1908, she was

united in marriage to Julian J. Marks, who was affiliated with the Stimpson Scale Company located in the village. After residing in Grosse Pointe for a time, they moved to Key West where Mr. Marks passed away in 1945. Survivors include a son, Robert C.; a sister, Mrs. A. S. Matleson, of Alpena; two brothers, W. D. Lawrence of Muskegon, and Leo L. Lawrence of Fairbrook Road, Northville

MRS. LAURA GORDON
 Mrs. Laura Gordon, who for many years operated the grocery store at the corner of Seven Mile and Farmington Roads, died on Sunday, March 2 in Pontiac, following a short illness.
 Surviving is a daughter, Mrs. Nelie Neal, of New Jersey.
 Services were conducted by the Rev. A. Stanley Stone at the Thayer Funeral Home, Farmington, on Wednesday, March 5. Burial was in the Park View Memorial Cemetery.

MRS. ALFRED A. STEPHENS
 Mrs. Alfred A. Stephens, 90-year-old mother of Bernard A. Stephens, died Saturday at the Clark Memorial Home, Grand Rapids. Services were held Tuesday from the Boyne City Church.
 Surviving is her husband, the Rev. A. A. Stephens, another son, Howard, of Boyne City, a niece, Mrs. Ida B. Cooke of Rouge Street, a grandson, Carl Stephens, of Norton Avenue; two granddaughters, Mrs. M. Willis and Carol Stephens, and two great-grandchildren, Carl Denton-Stephens and Stephen Willis.

WILLIAM COOK SMITH
 Representative of the W. T. Raleigh Company in Plymouth for 27 years, William Cook Smith, died February 26 at Sessions Hospital. Services were held on Friday, February 28 from the Sondergerg Funeral Home.
 Mr. Smith was born in Wingham, Ontario, in 1880. He was a

Baptist Speaker



Ralph E. Compson
 Evangelist Ralph E. Compson, field representative of the Christian Servicemen's Center in San Antonio, Texas, will be the guest speaker at the Northville First Baptist Church on Sunday evening, March 16.
 There are over 200,000 service men located in the six army bases in and near San Antonio. The Christian Service Center seeks to provide the soldiers with a touch of home. The public is invited to hear Mr. Compson tell of this work, said the Rev. Peter Nieuwkoop, pastor of the Northville church.

IN MEMORIAM
 In loving memory of our dear daughter and sister, Catherine Duguid Morris, who left us so suddenly March 11th, 1943. Forget you never, your Sweet Memories will last forever.
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member of the Grange and of the Methodist Church.
 Surviving is his wife, Lily, and a son, Forbes M., stationed in Wichita, Kansas.
 The Rev. Melbourne I. Johnson, conducted the service with burial following in Riverside Cemetery.

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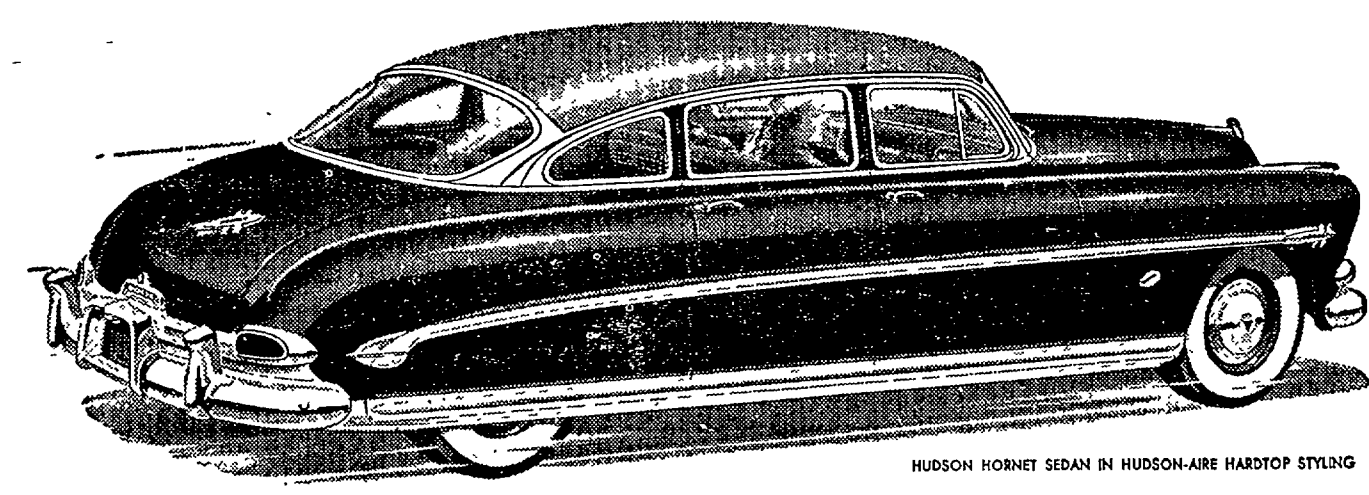
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing on proposed amendment to the Novi Township Zoning Ordinance, will be held at 8:00 o'clock p.m. Eastern Standard Time at the Novi Township Hall on

THURSDAY, APRIL 3, 1952

Notice is further given that the tentative text and the map of said proposed Amendment may be examined at Harry Watson's Gasoline Station, corner of Grand River and Novi Road.

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Birdhouse Contest Winners



Six first place winners in Monday's birdhouse contest pose with their entries. From left, front row: Walter Palmer, Darwin Teshka and Michael Batt, Back row, from left: Harold Wilson, Contest Chairman Mrs. Orson Atchinson, Allan Cockin and Vern Westover. Other first place winners not pictured are Wilfred Jodway and Terry Gates.

**Birdhouse Contest Draws 47 Entries
in Five Classifications, 3 Divisions**

Forty-seven birdhouses, feeders and shelters were entered in the annual birdhouse contest last Monday, sponsored by the Northville Branch, Michigan Division of Woman's National Farm and Garden Association. The contest produced seven first place winners, seven second place winners and six third place winners in the seventh grade, eighth grade and senior divisions. Mrs. Orson Atchinson was chairman for the contest.

Boys made entries with martin, bluebird and wren houses, and with feeders and shelters. Ollie Spencer, Allan Cockin and Clarence Patterson had triple entries in the eighth grade division, and Joseph Wooten had two entries in the senior division.

Judges R. D. Merriam and Edward Mollen awarded first prizes to Wilfred Jodway for his feeder, and to Michael Batt for his wren house, in the seventh grade division. Second prizes were won by Max Hollis, feeder, and Billy Beardin, wren house. David Banks, wren house, and Donald Wummer, shelter, won third prizes. Richard Atchinson, William Wiley, Howard Banks, Dewey Gardner and David Kurkey won honorable mention in the seventh grade division.

First place awards in the eighth grade were won by Darwin Teshka, bluebird; Harold Wilson, martin; Walter Palmer, wren, and Allan Cockin, feeder. Second place prizes were given to Clarence Patterson, martin; Allan Cockin, wren; David Hamilton, bluebird, and Jimmy Weston, shelter. Ollie Spencer, wren; Leo Campbell, martin; Clarence Patterson, feeder, and Roger Nieuwkoop, bluebird, won third prizes.

Honorable mention in the eighth grade division was awarded to Ollie Spencer, Donald Atwood, Charles Hilger, Norman Somers, Allan Cockin, Arnold Lower, Duane Busch, David Waterloo, Ora Greenhoe, Nelson Stratton, Elvin Newton, James Allen, Rollin Gaab, Richard Krafve, Robert Mapes, Edward Shoemaker, Clarence Patterson, Ollie Spencer and Greig Chapman.

Terry Gates' feeder won first prize in the senior division, as did Vern Westover's wren house. Charles Carr won a second place with his wren house Joseph Wooten's double entry of a feeder and a bluebird house won honorable mention awards.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank all my friends, neighbors, Blue Star Mothers, Eastern Star, Kings Daughters, White Shrine for all the beautiful flowers, cards plants and other gifts I received while in Beyer's Hospital and since I came home. They were greatly appreciated. Special thanks to Dr. Handorf of Northville, Dr. Westcott of Ypsilanti, Rev. and Mrs. Johnson.
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The Past Matrons Club regular meeting will be held at the Masonic Temple on Wednesday, March 19 at 12:30 p.m.

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With taxpayers of the nation facing a March 17 deadline for their annual income tax accounting with the federal government, a welcome reminder of one tax relief measure, available for the first time, comes from Joseph W. Lund, president of the National Association of Real Estate Boards.

Every taxpayer who has sold his home during the past year for the purpose of buying another home is reminded that increase in value of the home sold over the original price is now exempt

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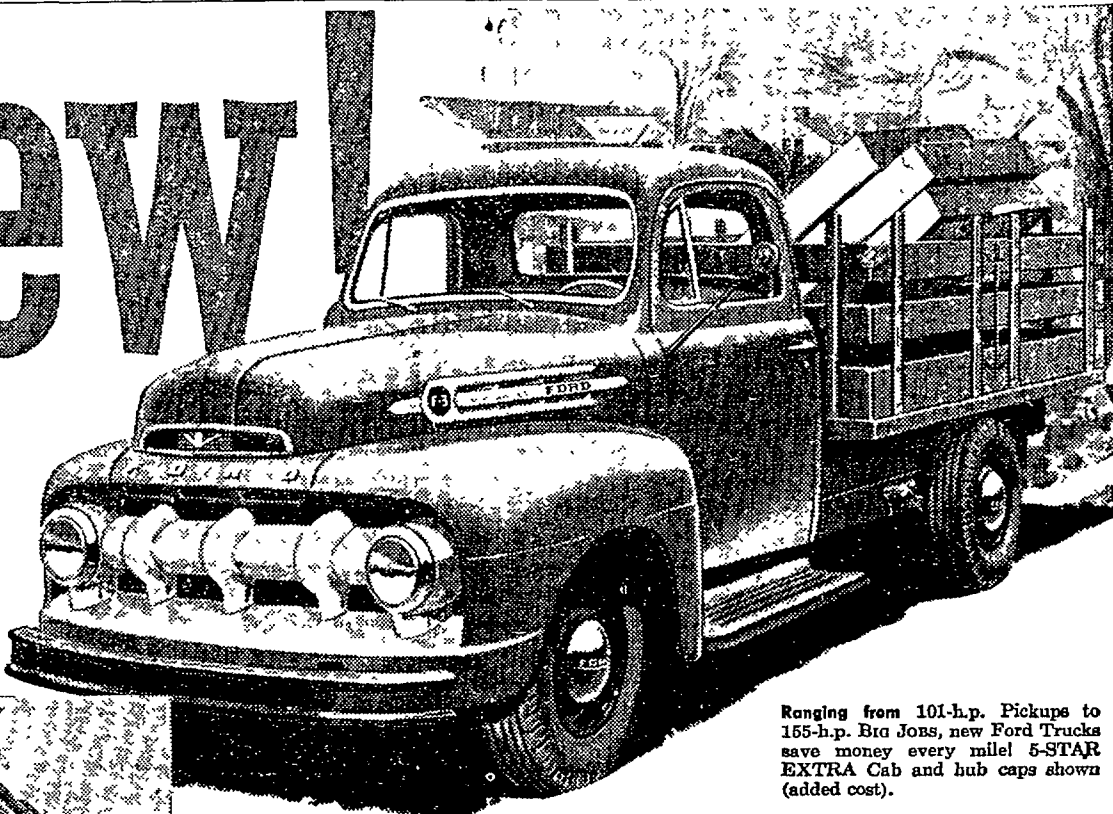
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WEST POINT PARK NEWS

By Miss L. A. Ault

At the home of Mrs. Edwin L. Johnson of Clarita avenue Saturday evening March 1, a surprise stork shower was tendered Mrs. Johnson's sister-in-law, Mrs. Forest E. Ault of Hubbard Avenue.

At his home on Brentwood Avenue last Sunday a small dinner party honored the birthday of Austin Ault. Another small dinner party honored the birthday of Russell Ault at his home on Shadyside Avenue last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Taylor, accompanied by a daughter and granddaughter, all of Detroit, were calling on Mrs. Christina Rehahn of Mayfield Avenue Saturday, March 1.

Mr. and Mrs. William Spencer and their two children of Wayne, were calling on Mrs. Spencer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Vance of Mayfield Avenue last Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Galloway of Garden City were Sunday dinner guests of their aunt, Mrs. Christina Rehahn, of Mayfield Avenue.

Robert Hunter and daughter, Mary Margaret, of Detroit, spent last Sunday evening with his mother, Mrs. M. E. Ault, of Mayfield.

Mrs. George W. Sandau and children of Hubbard Avenue were in Detroit last Saturday afternoon visiting with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Roy Dent.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tallman of Mayfield Avenue were visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Laughman, near Mishawaki, Indiana, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Aittama of Shadyside Avenue are the grandparents again. A second daughter was born Thursday, March 6 to Mr. and Mrs. Max Holland of Detroit. Mrs. Holland is the former Dorothy Aittama.

Stephen Arthur, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith, of Colfax Avenue, was christened in the Assembly of God Church last Sunday.

Mrs. Sherwood Harris of Farmington Road gave a Stanley party in her home last Tuesday.

Guests of the William Barretts of Irving Avenue last Sunday included Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Laurig of Gagetown, Michigan; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lawrig of Birmingham; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kirby of Detroit, and William McClellan of Westmore Avenue.

After a 12-day visit with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilken of Shadyside Avenue, Frank Wilken has returned to his home in St. Petersburg, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Knapp of Farmington road were dinner guests of relatives in Northville last Sunday.

Mrs. J. E. Pollock and Mrs. Francis Wagner of Westmore Avenue recently attended a meeting of the Mothers' Club of the U. of D. High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hoff and their children of Filmore Avenue spent last Sunday at Grass Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Grattup of Farmington Road are moving this week into their newly erected home on Mayfield Avenue.

Freda Ault was the Friday evening dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haas.

Mrs. Julius Walt and her little son, Frankie, of Farmington Road were dinner guests Wednesday of friends in East Detroit.

Mrs. Ernest Tallman of Mayfield Avenue was calling on her sister-in-law, Mrs. Jim Kitchen in Clarenceville Wednesday. The Kitchen, well-known in this locality, are moving shortly to New Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Sandau and daughter, Linda, of Hubbard Avenue were visiting in Toledo last Thursday.

Merwyn McPherson of Hubbard Avenue is spending the weekend with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dent in Detroit.

The next meeting of the Sunshine Sisters will be held in the Neighborhood Church at 2 p.m., Wednesday, March 19. "Slowing Up" will be the topic.

Herman Schult and son, Jimmy, of Ellwood, Indiana, spent the weekend with her parents on Shadyside Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Reddy celebrated their 15th wedding anniversary at their home on Shadyside Avenue last Thursday.

Mrs. Grace Simpson of Mayfield Avenue is spending ten days at the home of friends in Detroit.

If you look carefully at the fields in the Northville village outskirts, you will eventually see small flocks (5-15) of tree sparrows, winter visitors from Hudson Bay.



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Harvey Whipple Fred Foster Van Atta
Following the annual convention of the American Concrete Institute at Cincinnati, it was announced that Mr. Whipple was retiring after 32½ years as secretary-treasurer of the ACI, and that Mr. Van Atta, his assistant for the past six years, had been named to succeed him. This photo was taken at a luncheon held in Mr. and Mrs. Whipple's honor during the convention.

Harvey Whipple Retiring After 32 Years; Fred Foster Van Atta to Succeed Him

Issues of periodicals devoted to the art and many-sided science of construction now on the press, carry announcement of double interest to Northville and vicinity — the story of Harvey Whipple's retirement after 32½ years as secretary-treasurer of the American Concrete Institute, and of the choice, after his six years on the staff, of Fred Foster Van Atta as Mr. Whipple's successor.

The change, effective March 1, was announced to the ACI membership at a luncheon in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Whipple at the Institute's 48th annual convention in Cincinnati. Prof. Herbert J. Gilkey of Iowa State college, Ames, Iowa, one of the ACI past presidents attending, reviewed the growth of the Institute from 352 members to more than 5,600 during Mr. Whipple's period of service, and paid tribute to the organizing and coordinating ability responsible for that development. Professor Gilkey explained that Mr. Whipple had requested retirement two or three years ago to devote more of his time to personal pursuits. He has, however, agreed to remain with the Institute for a time as editorial consultant which will relieve some of the current pressure.

Varied Hobbies
Mr. Whipple's hobbies, largely neglected in recent years, include growing flowers, in particular iris. The Whipple collection of iris varieties totalled some 700, probably the largest in the state at the time. He has long been an amateur photographer and hopes to find more time for the camera, too.

Mr. and Mrs. Whipple have been Northville residents since 1929, when they completed the first of two fine homes they have built in this area. The gardens of the home on Reservoir road were a show place for flower lovers for years. The Whipples now live in a second new home among the trees out West Main street.

ACI Is Clearing House
Mr. Whipple's work with ACI covered a broad and fast-developing segment of the construction field. The Institute is a clearing house maintained by its members for collecting and disseminating information about the "how" and "why" of concrete's use. In addition to his responsibilities of organizing and directing the work of the Institute, Mr. Whipple has edited its "Journal," which became a leader among technical publications of its type.

He said in a brief address at the luncheon party: "People in their personal right as individuals have been my top interest in ACI. Folks have made the Institute, because of their more than a hundred highly specialized interests in construction."

"In effecting policies of our governing board, I have leaned heavily on the working staff and on many members who wrote their help from the world at large. Thus, three major groups, including many close friends, with whom it has been my increasing pleasure to work, have made the Institute."

Mr. Whipple is a member of the Torch Club and of the Engineering Society of Detroit; is listed in "Who's Who In Engineering" and "Who's Who In America." The family includes three daughters: Frances (Mrs. Oscar Karrell, New York City); Jane (Mrs. Edwin A. Brown, Avon Lake, Ohio); and Elizabeth (Mrs. Millard Lampell, New York City), all with many friends in the Northville, Plymouth and Detroit areas.

Van Atta Born Here
Mr. Van Atta, who becomes acting secretary-treasurer of the Institute, is a native of the village, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Van Atta. He attended Michigan State College, graduating in 1934 in civil engineering.

After working in research on aggregate at the Michigan Engineering Experiment Station, Mr. Van Atta engaged in precise level surveys with the Coast and Geodetic Survey, in foundation investigations and early construction phases of the Kentucky Dam of the Tennessee Valley Authority, and in the development of hydrology, hydraulic design and hydraulic model studies for the Los Angeles District of the Corps of Engineers.

Returning to Michigan in 1941 he worked for a few months as a structural steel designer for Jarvis Engineering Works, Lansing, and was called into the Army as a Second Lieutenant about two months before the United States entered World War II.

With Army Engineers He served as assistant to the

PTA to Sponsor March 25 Dinner For Safety Patrol

The Parent-Teacher Association of Northville High School will sponsor a Safe y Patrol banquet Tuesday, March 25, in place of its regular monthly meeting. The 6.30 p.m. dinner will be held in the parish house of St. Paul's Lutheran Church.

Members of the Safety Patrol and Chief of Police and Mrs. Joseph Dent on will be guests for the evening. A speaker from the American Automobile Association has been slated for the evening by Northville Grade School Principal C. T. Pregitzer. A film on the organization of a Safety Patrol will be shown.

The room mothers and members of the PTA will take charge of the preparation of the meal with Mrs. Clyde Dethloff as the chairman. Mrs. Roland Tabor and Mrs. Roy VanAtta and the girls from the Northville home economics class will serve as dining room hostesses. Mrs. L. D. Riley will be pie chairman, Mrs. J. K. Eastland and Mrs. E. W. Ebert ticket chairman, and Mrs. W. E. McCarthy, decoration chairman.

Since there will be no tickets sold at the door, they may be secured from any member of the patrol and from the grade school principal's office until Friday, March 21.

Not too common around Northville during the winter, but here just the same (in the backyard of the Harold Hartley home in Randolph), is the song sparrow, a genuine sparrow.

District Engineer, Charleston, South Carolina, in charge of planning and construction of aircraft warning stations, plans and specifications for harbor defenses, railroad facilities, concrete and timber wharves, earth fill, concrete and asphalt paving, hospitals and cantonments. In the Philippines, he was responsible for reconstruction of major bridges near Manila.

He was released from active duty as a Major in December, 1945, and joined the ACI staff in January 1946. Mr. Van Atta was married to Miss Lois Head of Alabama in 1937. They have two children. The Van Atta home is at 511 West Cady street.

Police Answer 77 February Calls

Chief of Police Joseph Denton, at the last meeting of the Northville Commission, reported the collection of \$550 in fines during the month of February, 1952. Members of the police force answered 77 calls in the four week period, he stated.

The Chief reported as follows: accidents investigated, 4; traffic violations, 58; summons issued, 39; petty larceny 2, and prowler calls, 1.

Juvenile cases, 2, autos stolen and recovered, 1; bicycles stolen and recovered, 2; arrests, 13; court cases, 13; persons bitten by

dogs, 1; dogs to Dr. Cavell and destroyed, 18; dogs to Dr. Cavell and reclaimed, and owners fined, 3; windows found open and unsecured, 5, doors found unlocked, 13, and teletype messages sent out, 5.

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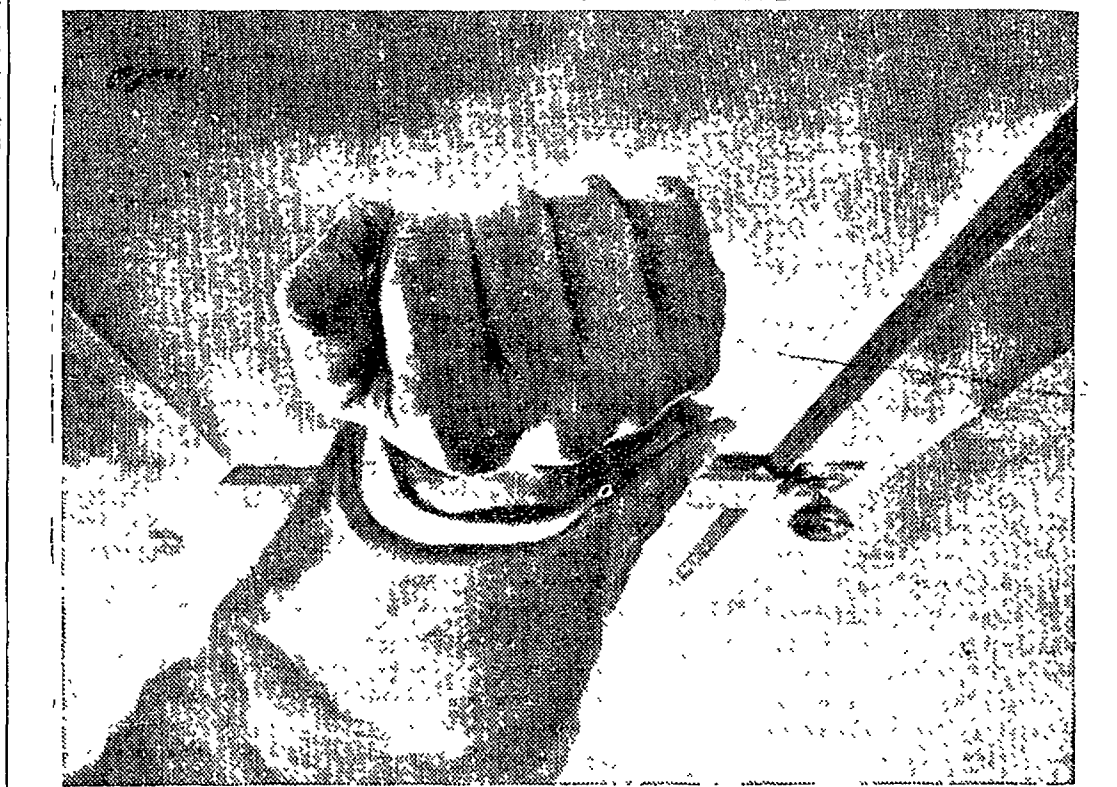
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Tree Preservation Program Repairs Damage, Beautifies Village Streets

Northville's tree preservation program, now in its second year, is a major step toward maintaining Northville's reputation for beautiful trees.

Since the fall of 1950, when a committee of women suggested the program to the Village Commission, 434 of Northville's trees have been trimmed and returned to a sound condition. Ninety-seven trees have been removed because they were hazardous, and replaced with 43 new trees of a highly desirable type widely recommended for street planting.

Work for the preservation program is done by the Green Ridge Nursery, located on Napier road and owned by John Miller. Village budget allocations for the two years are paying for the program, which has totalled \$5,200 to date.

Almost 80 percent of the trees removed were of the soft wood type, mainly boxelders, which

break up quickly in ice and wind storms and present a constant hazard to village homes and streets.

Miller said that tree preservation programs are unusual in smaller communities. They are seldom initiated until trees are dead and very hazardous and removal becomes imperative. Preservation is then almost impossible, he said, and removal crews must damage the town's appearance in the interest of safety.

Miller emphasized that a tree's outward appearance is often deceiving, that an apparently healthy and beautiful tree is sometimes badly decayed on the inside, and removal is necessary.

"We're not in the tree removal business," Miller said. "We want to preserve and beautify Northville's trees by pruning, treating the worst cavities and removing dead wood. When a tree has de-

St. Patrick's Day Dance Planned

The St. Patrick's Day dance set for Friday, March 14, by the Safety Patrol, will have the use of a new Wurlitzer juke box which was put into the recreation building last week. The purchase of the box was sponsored by the various organizations using the building, said Wilson Funk, recreation director.

The juke box will be used during the intermission, though the dancing music will be furnished by an orchestra made up of local youth.

The proceeds of the Safety Patrol sponsored party will be used to help defray expenses for their yearly trip.

Dancing will begin at 7 p.m. and continue until 11 p.m. Tickets may be purchased from any member of the Safety Patrol.

cayed, we remove it because it's necessary."

Decay fungi, Miller said, usually enters a fork or crotch split by expanding ice, or where a limb has been incorrectly cut. Decay moves toward the center of the trunk, weakens it and freezes. This process is repeated in every icy session until the tree becomes dangerous, a condition not apparent until a tree trimmer or crewman examines the tree from among its branches.

Among inferior trees removed are boxelders, Chinese elms and soft maples. These are replaced by trees of long life, hardwoods which take more than 25 years before useful maturity. Northville's large percentage of sugar maples are beautiful and tough and resist the elements despite the low nutrient value of the gravelly soil in this area.

The Bureau of Plant Industry is now working closely with the conservation department and Michigan State College to check the spread of Dutch elm disease and oak wilt, which threaten to kill all oaks and elms in southern Michigan. Dutch elm disease infects the root system of elms and necessitates complete removal of the tree's roots and those of neighboring trees, a very slow and expensive process.

Miller's crews are, at present, working on Northville forestry about five months of the year. Property owners should report immediately any damage to street trees so that injury can be treated promptly.

Article by Simmons Tells of Help For Farmer - Veterans

How the Farmers Home Administration helps veterans get started in farming is told in an article by George R. Simmons, West Ten Mile Road, published by the Michigan Veterans Review.

The article explains how four Jackson county veterans were given loans and technical advice in planning farm operations after they had been turned down by usual sources of credit which could not make old-fashioned "character loans."

Simmons, a past commander of Lloyd H. Green Post 147, the American Legion; a district commander, and a Department of Michigan vice-commander, has been active in veterans affairs for many years. He is a member of the FHA state advisory committee.

The Farmers Home Administration, an agency of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, makes supervised loans to buy livestock, equipment or supplies for farming; to buy family-type farms or to enlarge or develop inadequate farms and to construct, remodel or repair houses or other farm buildings. The aim of the FHA, Simmons pointed out, is not only to make loans, but to make successful farmers.

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Novi Lodge to Give Teen-Agers Dance

A teen-age dance will be given by Lakeside Lodge No. 487, I.O.O.F., at the lodge hall in Novi, on Saturday, March 15.

All children between the ages of 12 and 19 are welcome. Members of the lodge and their wives will act as chaperones. There will be no charge for the dance, or the lunch to be served.

must have actual farming experience, have been reared on a farm, or had agricultural training. He must want to farm permanently, plan to spend his time farming and expect to earn his living that way. Suitable land, of course, must be available, Simmons said in the article.

"As a charter member of my post and an active Legionnaire since 1919," said Simmons, "I know the problems of veterans. And as a lifelong farmer, I know the problems and rewards of agriculture."

"There are many cases where help from this agency is the answer to the dilemma of the returned veteran who wants to farm," Simmons continued.

"Farmers home supervisors are glad to give complete details to anyone interested. The FHA is listed under U. S. Department of Agriculture in the phone book, or a County Agent can provide directions to the nearest office."

Day, MacRae Musical Now Playing; Gary Cooper Movie Scheduled

The musical team of Doris Day and Gordon MacRae will appear in the technicolor production of "On Moonlight Bay" to be presented at the Northville theatre on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 13, 14 and 15. This Warner Brothers show is an outstanding production with 1915 settings which give the picture a festival atmosphere, gay and cheerful.

There are light comedy situations throughout with most of the laughs provoked by 13-year-old Billy Gray. Jack Smith, one of radio's popular singers, fits well into the part as Gordon MacRae's rival. The song and dance routines throughout by the Day-MacRae team are good. This show, which was adapted from the Penrod stories of Booth Tarkington, is good entertainment for the entire family.

The Sunday and Monday, March 16 and 17 feature is "Elopement," starring Clifton Webb and Marglo Gillmore. The romantic complications are guaranteed to leave the picture-goers with a feeling of having been pleasantly and amusingly diverted.

Johnny Mack Brown will star in "Montana Desperado," scheduled for the Wednesday, March 19, family night. Following the 6:45 p.m. western, Johnny Sheffield will be seen in the movie, "Lion Hunters." The Thursday, Friday and Sat-

urday, March 20, 21 and 22 show, "Distant Drums," is a thrill-packed outdoor adventure melodrama. Set in 1840 and photographed in technicolor, the story starring Gary Cooper deals with the daring operations of a group of soldiers in the swamplands of Florida. Worked into the story of their effort to bring an end to seven years of war with the Seminole Indians, is a romance between Cooper and Mari Aldon.

Most of the picture was shot on actual location in the Florida Everglades and the color photography enhances the backgrounds.

STATE OF MICHIGAN
THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF WAYNE
No. 396,167

In the Matter of the Estate of DAN OLSON, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims, in writing and under oath, to said Court at the Probate Office in the City of Detroit, in said County, and to serve a copy thereof upon HARRY G. RACKHAM, Executor of said estate, at 105 Linden Street, Northville, Michigan, on or before the 14th day of May, A. D. 1952, and that such claims will be heard by said court, before Judge Thomas C. Murphy in Court Room No. 305, Wayne County Building in City of Detroit, in said County, on the 14th day of May, A. D. 1952, at two o'clock in the afternoon.
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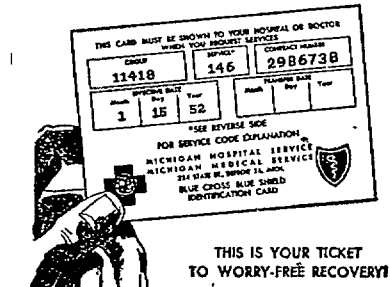
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STATEMENT OF CONDITION

Report of Condition as of the Close of Business, December 31, 1951

MICHIGAN HOSPITAL SERVICE		MICHIGAN MEDICAL SERVICE	
ASSETS		ASSETS	
Cash in Banks and Office	\$ 4,117,581.71	Cash in Banks and Office	\$2,839,154.07
United States Treasury and Defense Bonds	11,981,579.27	Real Estate - Home Office Property	652,994.13
Accrued Interest	60,105.47	United States Government and Government Guaranteed Bonds	5,785,464.42
Subscription Fees - Receivable	247,331.86	Interest and Rents - Due and Accrued	59,087.44
Other Assets	344,555.58	Subscription Fees - Receivable	85,395.03
Total Assets	\$17,021,604.00	Funds Advanced for Veterans Administration	30,860.69
		Other Assets	124,601.51
		Total Assets	\$9,547,726.78
LIABILITIES AND RESERVES		LIABILITIES AND RESERVES	
Reserve for Payment for Services Rendered - Subscribers (Including Unreported)	7,630,855.25	Reserve for Payment for Services Rendered - Subscribers (Including Unreported)	3,848,538.38
Reserve for Unearned Subscription Fees	3,158,450.02	Reserve for Unearned Subscription Fees	1,403,488.09
Reserve for Contingencies	6,059,481.16	Reserve for Contingencies	4,264,879.62
Other Liabilities	192,817.57	Other Liabilities	30,860.69
Total Liabilities and Reserves	\$17,021,604.00	Total Liabilities and Reserves	\$9,547,726.78
Total Benefits Paid Since Inception	\$154,799,846.55	Total Benefits Paid Since Inception	\$67,267,310.23

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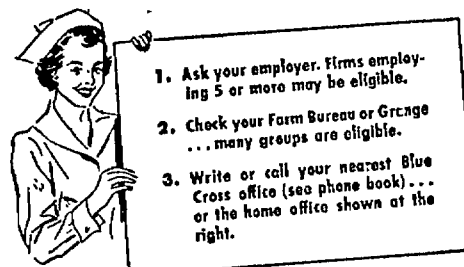
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Northvillites Attend Easter Seal Dinner

Percy C. Angove, of West Main Street, executive director of the Michigan Society for Crippled Children and Adults, and Ed Angove, chairman of the Northville drive, represented Northville at the Wayne Out-County Chapter's seventh annual dinner on Monday, March 3.

Mrs. Ida B. Cooke, Mrs. Percy Angove and Mrs. Ed Angove accompanied the men.

"Northville's part in the tremendous task of addressing, stuffing and sealing approximately one million appeal envelopes to carry the message of Easter Seals, will be handled again by the Northville Rotary Club," said Percy Angove. The annual Easter seal sale will begin today, Thursday, March 13, and end Easter Sunday, April 13.

The 1952 Easter seal, designed in green and magenta, pictures an adult holding two crippled children and symbolizes the work of the Michigan Society for Crippled Children and Adults and its 91 affiliated units throughout the state. The society has been in existence for 30 years.

Bill Chase to Act in Cranbrook Show

Bill Chase, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Chase of East Eight Mile Road, took the part of a policeman in Cranbrook School's operetta, "Pirates of Penzance," which was presented at Cranbrook School in Bloomfield Hills, on March 7, 8 and 9.

The performance on the ninth was a benefit performance, the proceeds of which will be donated to the Children's Hospital of Michigan.

One hundred and fifteen voices participated in the all student chorus, while the orchestra was composed of another 25.

The benefit performance for the Children's Hospital, held for the first time last year, netted \$707.50, which was used to buy "Isolette"—a delicate type of incubator used for premature babies. This year the hospital hopes to construct a new teen-age department, which will extend their services to the children of Michigan through the age of 16.

Jack Wilson Cast in Alma Production

Jack Wilson of Northville, has been named to the cast of the one-act religious play to be produced by Alma College during the Easter season. "Were You There" will be directed by Arthur Turner, Alma College senior from Hemlock.

The play is a religious drama depicting the last hours of Jesus' life, and is built around the simple Bible story.

Also appearing in the production will be Nancy Leece and Jim Lester of Plymouth.

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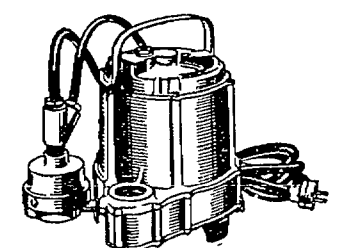
Contractor Named For Hospital Road

Grading, drainage structures and aggregate surface on the drive from Seven Mile road north to the Northville State Hospital, 1.14 miles in all, will be done by the A and A Asphalt Paving Company of Birmingham, at a cost of \$29,845.00, according to a news summary from the Michigan State Highway Department.

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Village Receives Defense Medical Kit

The civil defense medical supply kit, containing \$2,000 worth of equipment, which was purchased jointly by Northville, the state and the Federal government, has arrived at the Detroit Artillery Armory. It will be transported to the Northville medical kit station in the near future, said Philip Ogilvie, civil defense director for the village.

This is a part of a million dollar project of medical stockpiling, of which \$400,000 is for medical first aid stations. The station kit is designed to take care of a large number of casualties in time of disaster and is to be placed in a central location in Northville. The medical kit stations are being distributed to the critical target areas with Detroit receiving 100 of these kits.

Modern coal-carrying railroad cars range in capacity from 50 to 120 tons.

NOVI BROWNIE TROOP NO. 3
Fourteen new members were given Brownie pins at an investiture service held by Novi Brownie Troop No. 3 at its meeting on Tuesday, March 4 at Novi School. They were welcomed into the troop with a candlelight service. Mrs. Erwin F. Gippert was a special guest.

Auxiliary to Give Birthday Dinner to Legion Post

The 33rd birthday of the Lloyd H. Green Post 147, American Legion, will be commemorated Tuesday, March 18, by a dinner given by the Legion Auxiliary. Mrs. Milo Chapman is general chairman of the cooperative dinner.

Assisting her with plans for the entertainment and decorations will be Mrs. Paul Burnham and Mrs. Merrill Sweet. Mesdames Charles Westfall, Irving Becker, Donald Severance and Robin Cotey are also working on the plans.

From the Post, Merrill Sweet, Paul Bead and Dr. Wilbur Johnson have been designated to help with the Tuesday dinner.

Mrs. Paul Burnham, district national security chairman, and Mrs. Morris Cohen, president of the 17th District, gave reports at the March 7 meeting of the 17th District held at the Plymouth post. Mrs. William Bryan, department president, was also present at the meeting.

The Northville post reported reaching their membership quota of 81 members at the annual 17th District luncheon held at Devon Gables March 1. Mesdames Cohen, Severance and Florence Alexander attended.

Five Years Ago: Boys Enter Birdhouses in Contest



Five Years Ago: James Whipple, Dino Politz and Charles Ely put finishing touches on their entries in the annual bird house contest.

One Year Ago—
With the closing of the 1950-51 basketball season, a new activities league composed of Clarkston, Clarenceville, Holly, Huron Valley and Northville was born. The league's name, Wayne-Oakland County league, was chosen by the league student council.

Alice Newton and John Rackov have been named the "top" students in the senior class of Northville High school.

Red-Cross Chairman George A. Locke announced that Northville's quota in the national drive is \$1,000.

Five Years Ago—
Roy M. Terrill, treasurer of Northville township, reports that 96.3 percent of the township tax levy has been paid.

Following the legal requirements of filing petitions with the proper number of names, the Northville Township Board has authorized the question of sale of spirituous liquors on the premises to be voted upon at the spring election.

Farmington High School won the area basketball tournament by beating Northville 22 to 23.

Ten Years Ago—
The doors opened Friday on the second annual Northville Community Hobby Show sponsored by the Men's Club of the First Presbyterian Church.

Fifteen Years Ago—
After three nights of hard basketball, Northville brought home her second district championship trophy, defeating University High School, Ann Arbor, 20-17; Ypsilanti Roosevelt, 29-27; and St. Thomas 21-11 in the tourney held March 4-6 in Ypsilanti.

Sessions hospital has become a Class A institution by action of the board of directors of the American Medical Association.

Charles H. Bloom was the guest of honor March 11 at a banquet in Detroit given in recognition

of his 50 years service with the Michigan Fire and Marine Insurance Company.

Twenty Years Ago—
Wednesday is said to have been the coldest March 9 in 58 years. Northvillites were shivering with near zero temperature.

Only one office was contested in the village election. Village Assessor Charles A. Sessions, who served for 40 years, will oppose Floyd R. Lanning for the position.

A farewell party was given recently honoring William Englishman who leaves Sunday to join the Nashville baseball club of the Southern Association.

Ten half-dollars that were coined in 1858 were brought into the Lapham State Savings Bank the other day.

Kite Day Planned For Fathers-Sons

A Junior Police kite day has been planned by the Northville recreation committee, announces Wilson Funk, director, Saturday, March 29, from 1:30 to 3 p.m. is the day set. Kite building sessions will be held at the Recreation building every Saturday morning until the flying day, he said.

The dads are urged to take part in the building as well as the flying of the kites, Funk stated. The big competition will take place on Ford Field.

Judging for the events will be done by Chief of Police Joseph Denton and Patrolman Daniel Springer.

Four classifications have been set up by Funk: (1) age group under 8 years; (2) 8 to 12 years; (3) over 12 years, and (4) son and dad teams. Competitions will be between those getting the kite highest within a certain time limit and for those members of son and dad teams getting the kite highest in the air.

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