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Northville, Michigan, Thursday, September 15, 1955

A meeting called Monday evening by Mrs. A. C.

Carlson, Red Cross chairman, was held to

determine the new Red Cross blood program

for Northville. Members of this discussion group

tion year; and

Whereas the Northville BPW

Club, as an affiliate of The Na-

tional Federation of Business

and Professional Women's

Clubs, Inc. is likewise contrib-

uting much toward the im-

provement and progress of bus-

iness, industry and civic needs

in our community; Jow, Therefore, I, Claude N. Ely, Mayor of the City of Northville,

do hereby proclaim the week

beginning Sunday, Sept. 25 and

ending Saturday, Oct. 1 as Na-tional Business Women's Week

in Northville and urge our

leaders of business and indus-

try to join in this observance.

Mrs. Mabel Stenson, president of the BPW, stated this year's theme is "Aim High" for the civic

work in the Northville commu-

nity. She hopes all members will

be present to hear the mayor and

to start the first meeting off with

a bang. She also added she was

proud to say Dorothy Yroman,

vice-president, is a niece of

Mrs. Patterson Entertains

entertained

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Mustangs VS. Plymouth NORTHVILLE SCHOOL TAX CUT **Coach Sees Victory If** Lutheran Church They Have "Will To Win"

several promising newcomers from the reserves, will take on Plymouth Friday night at Ford Field as a starter in one of the toughest football schedules in the team's history.

It will be the first of six home games which are expected to draw an attendance that will put the local athletic association in the black by the end of the season. It starts out with a deficit of about \$800.

Can Northville win against a team from a school three times as large and with a proportionately larger student body to draw from?

Coach Ron Schipper doesn't try to predict either the winner or the score, but he does say: "If the kids want to win the game badly enough they'll win it." Schipper knows his team will

be green in the starting game but he figures the same will be true of Plymouth. Practice sessions haven't been held long enough to drill many of the fine points of offense or defense into the Mustang squad. Some of the letter men from 1954 will have the advantage of their experience last season, but it takes time to weld a large group of experienced and inexperienced players into a free-wheeling team with drive

and stamina. Knowing these things from past experience, Schipper is neither cocky or pessimistic about Mustang prospects Friday night. All week long he has had a "let's see what, "ro can attitude toward i " a "nis" boys work-ing long and hard at scrimmage

Northville Downs will be the

scene of a spectacular outdoor

extravaganza Sept. 19 when pub-

lic officials, members of the press,

and special guests in the Detroit area will join with Dodge dealers in getting their first look at the 1956 Dodge cars.

Mayor Cobo of Detroit and mayors of all suburban Detroit

communities in which Dodge's

21,000 employes reside have re-

ceived personal invitations from

William C. Newberg, Dodge presi-dent. Editors of all community

Dodge To Stage Showing of 1956 Cars

At Northville Downs On September 19

The Northville Mustangs, with and practicing offensive plays. 16 letter men from last year and The Mustangs' offensive line will average about 180 pounds, Schipper says, The defensive line will be a little heavier.

Coming up from last year's re-serves and regarded as probable starters Friday night will be two sophomores, Dick Buckley, cen-ter, and Bill Yahne, end. Bob Wagenschutz is also regarded as a starter in the fullback position, in which he has shown considerable aptitude this year. Wagenschutz played at center last year.

Dick Biery is another soph who will get his first baptism in a first string spot Friday night. Biery has done well as quarterback in practice sessions but has been having a lot of trouble with his ankle. If the ankle improves he is likely to be in the lineup a lot

during the game. The tentative starting lineupfor the Plymouth game will be Bill Yahne, right end; Jim Burrell, right tackle; John Fisher, right guard; Richard Buckley, center; Harold Moore, left guard; Bill Heslip, left tackle; Dave Biery, left end; Bud Bell, quarterback; John Chapman, right half-back; Larry Graham, left halfback, and Bob Wagenschutz, full-

back. Others on the roster, many of whom will get into the game, are Dick Biery, Mac Burns, Dale Cook, Jerry Davis, John Fisher, Rollin Gaab, Jerry Geer, Roy

Mission Festival Sunday, Sept. 18

St. Paul's Lutheran church has set Sunday, Sept. 18 as its an-nual Mission Festival Sunday. The guest speaker will be the Reverend Edward A. Westcott of Milan Lutheran church, former Nigerian missionary. Rev. Bernard J. Pankow, past-

or of the local Lutheran church, will exchange pulpits with Rev. Westcott and will speak to the Milan congregation,

Red Cross Branch Maps 1956 Plans

A planning committee for the Northville branch of the American Red Cross met Monday evening at the home of its president Mrs. A. C. Carlson, to discuss future plans for the Northville Blood Bank and to set up a yearly calendar of Red Cross activities. April 27 is the first date that the Northville branch has been

able to secure for the Bloodmobile unit. It is hoped that the citizens will ring this date on their calendars in red, for full participation will insure the blood supply for the Northville area. Unlike many communities which

have commercial blood banks where blood must be purchased Northville has access to a Red Cross Bank which serves the community free of charge, asking only that arrangements be made to replace the blood. Anyone wishing to replace blood that has been used from the Northyılle bank before the Apr. 27 date may go to St. Michael's school in Livonia

or Sept. 28. Anyone needing blood from this area may contact Mrs. Carlson, Mrs. Emma Reid or Mrs. Clifford



Mayor Claude N. Ely will be the guest speaker at the opening of the Northville Business and Professional Women's club Monday, Sept. 26. As this is also the celebration of the National Business Women's Week beginning Sept. 25 and ending Oct. 1, the mayor has issued the following procla-

are, left to right, Mrs. Samuel Geraci, Miss Ruth Knapp, R.N., Mrs. Clifford Winter, Mary Hollis, Mrs. Edith McKenna, Mrs. A. C. Carlson and Charles Carrington.

Whereas we are emphasizing "Aim High"—in this pre-elec-tion year: and **Novi Girl Scout Elected Chairman of** Leader Training **Safety Committee** Schedule Is Set The Beacon Room at Hillside

Inn was the scene of the Wayne district safety meeting of the Michigan Bell Telephone Co. The meeting was held for the purpose owing dates: of emphasizing safety precautions and sharing the progress of

other central offices in their program of safety measures The Wayne district includes the central offices of Farmington, Luzon, Northville, Plymouth and Romulus. Maxine Harrison of 201 church, Southfield. N. Rogers St, Northville, is the newly elected chairman representative from the Northville office. Kay Peterson and Norene Denune are members of her com-

mittee. John Dawson was the special speaker and he spoke on the general problem of safety. He said that the Wayne district of Michigan Bell Telephone Co. has earned an enviable record for safety and is the outstanding district in the state in lost-time-injuries

Mrs. A E. Patterson of Reser- | Traffic Violations

School Board Tackles Overcrowding, Budget, **Annexation Problems**

The Northville Board of Education found itself at its first meeting of the new school year Tuesday night like a family returning from a long summer vacation.

Its garden was over-run with weeds in the form of numerous new and pressing problems. Its budget for the coming year is as tight as the family refrigerator is bare of food, with the prospect of a \$10,000 deficit by next June.

Ford field was reported to be in as poor condition for the coming football season as the returning vacationer's unmowed lawn.

The final blow was the request for annexation received last sumfor annexation received last sum-mer from three Novi school districts. Because of the numerous problems involved, which have been aggravated by Ford's plan to move its Lincoln division into Novi township, the request is

about as popular at the moment as would be a visit from a large to the need for useful articles of family of relatives on the day after the family vacation ended, the handicapped workers in their The board started its meeting plant. at 7:30, recessed for a half hour at

10:30 to inspect High School Principal Elroy Ellison's newly remodeled office, and then recon-vened until 1:30 to transact the rest of its accumulated business.

Tax Rate Cut Most important decision of the Training will be available evening from the standpoint of shortly to all girl scout leaders property owners was to reduce the school tax rate for 1955-56 to \$1945 per \$1,000. It was \$22 and people desiring it on the fol-Brownie, Tuesday, Sept. 20, 3:30-2:30 at the Methodist church last year. The \$2.55 cut reflected

a \$3 reduction in taxes to meet in Birmingham;- Brownie, Weil interest and principal payment on the school district's \$290,000 nesday, Sept. 21, 7:30-10 at Huntington Woods Lutheran church; Brownie, Thursday, Sept. 29, 12:30 to 3 at United Presbyterian of outstanding bonds and an in crease of 45 cents to raise money for operating expenses.

Tuition Rates Set

Intermediate, Wednesday, Sept. Important to neighboring school districts whose children come to 21, 9:30-2:30 at Birmingham Community house; Intermediate, on Northville as tuition students Tuesday, Sept. 27, 7:30-10 at Unit- was the board's determination ed Presbyterian church, South-, that they must pay the local field; Intermediate, Thursday, school district \$17767 this year Sept. 29, 12:30-3 at First Baptist for each elementary pupil and for each elementary pupil and church, Royal Oak; Intermediate \$199.50 for each high school stu-

training for Brownie leaders on dent. Thursday, Sept. 22, 9:30-2:30 at No Decision on Annexation Birmingham Community house No decision was reached on the For additional information call request for annexation-made by Mrs. Florence Hayes, neighbor-Novi No. 8, East Novi No. 2 and

Novi No. 9, Fr'l, several weeks hood chairman. The following Novi senior girl ago ,although the situation was discussed at considerable, length. outs participated in the S

Asks for Discards The Goodwill Indústries again requests the attention of parents

apparel that can be renovated by This time of year is when the sorting of clothes of school children is taking place and all clothes, outgrown and worn can be used

by the organization. Goodwill Industries can help and be helped during this change over period. Over 400 handicapped employees are ready to take your summer discards, work on them, cleaning and repairing them for sale in one of their six retail outlets.

These Goodwill stores sell at a price that will enable others, less fortunate in material things, to buy necessities for themselves and children.

Goodwill's local representative, Miss Edith Sorenson of North-ville, Plymouth, and Rosedale Gardens says that the next Goodwill pick-up will be here on Mon-day, Sept. 19, giving you plenty of time to set aside your discards and call her at Northville 571.

"Remember that you will help yourself, you will help the handicapped keep gainfully employed and you will help others buy necessary clothing at a price they can afford to pay," said Miss Sorenson.

newspapers, radio and television executives and commentators in the Detroit area, as well as those in nearby Michigan cities, also have been invited.

The show, an outdoor production of more than an hour in length, will begin at 8 p.m. It will feature wide-screen motion pictures, a breathtaking display of pyrotechnical fireworks signaled by bursting aerial bombs, and Dodge executives from Detroit, persons are expected to attend. I new '56 line of Dodge models.



WILLIAM C. NEWBERG Dealers who last year saw the

will be headed by a contingent of to project Dodge sales to the high est point in the company's hisled by Newberg. More than 2,000 tory, will be introduced to the

Dodge completely redesigned which subsequently enabled them

and

Whereas National Business Women's Week will be celebrated day in honor of Mrs. R. R. Peethroughout the nation beginbles of Cleveland, O. Out of town guests were Dr. and Mrs. W. G. ning Sept. 25 and ending Oct. 1; Paterson and Mrs R. Rennie of

Mayor Elv.

Thereas the organization of The National Federation of Business and Professional Women's Danzer of Royal Oak and Mrs Clubs, Inc. is contributing much | Harvey Whippel and Mrs. Bertoward the development of nice Marshall of Northvlile

Top Police Report her friends at a luncheon Tuesern Oakland girl scout baby-sit-Ninety-six traffic violations are ting booth at the Michigan State listed on the police report for August. Other police calls include one grand larceny case, two miss-Detroit, Mrs. Harold McCracken | ing persons, two autos stolen, 93 of Bloomfield Hills, Mrs. Ruth summons issued, one petty larceny, two vandalism cases, 18 court cases, 18 arrests with fines | totaling \$1,010 collected.

Mrs. Leshe Clarke.

Carol Wendland, Sharon Clarke, that answers must be found to Linda Cook, Suzanne Mairs, Clau-many questions that confront both dia Mairs, Sandy Moody, Nadine Northville and the Novi districts. Hayes, Jackie Bailey and Judy Among them are the probable Wood. Transportation was furnished by Mrs. Vincent Hayes and areas, which will have an im-

Two Northville Men Board members were not en-In Disorderly Charge tirely pessimistic toward the anfair Sunday, Sept. 11: Kay Ray, nexation but they pointed out Richard and Edward Robinson

both of Northville were arrested and charged with disturbing the peace on Sept. 3. The incident involved altercations at the N&G

growth in population in the two Lunch on Center St. Both pleaded guilty and were (Continued on Page 10)

fined \$15 and costs.

FIRE RAGES 6-APARTI BLI

Fire raged through a six-apart-i from end to end and appeared others burned out were the Wil-i ment frame building back of the to be a total loss. It was owned liam A. Jordans, the Dennis Schoenfeldts, Louis Meisner, Mil- | said the fire started in a carport Ford garage in the early hours by Frank Summers who was va-Monday morning and endangered cationing in northern Michigan ford Howell and Herman Rose, between two of the apartments. the lives of the occupants as well when the fire occurred who shared an apartment, the It completely destroyed the Pet-The personal effects of the tenas adjoining properties. It was Gordon Petersens, who managed the apartment building, and the finally brought under control by ants were completely destroyed the Northville Fire department in most instances, either by fire Noes All were given after three hours. or water. Only Mr. and Mrs Jostemporary she'te . and clothing

The insurance inspector who | from the heat surveyed the ruins afterwards ersen's Studebaker sedan and spread quickly through the attics to adjoining apartments

awakened of the building, whose ceilings the sleeping occupants of the adjoinwere a composition material Fire ing apartments, who in turn Chief William McGee said the aroused their neighbors. construction of the building Fire fighters were impeded in would not be permitted under their efforts to control the blaze Northville's present building code by the fact that the building was although it was probably in connot located on a street which gave formity with building regulaleady access for the file engines tions at the time it was by

No.se from the front tires of Another deterient to spredy confull force of 5 fremen. putting out the c he burning car as they blew out | t of was the





News Around Northville

President Mrs. Bebe Myers and of the Women's International Sr. Vice-President Mis. Gloria League for Peace and Freedom, Brown attended the Fourth District rally of the VFY Auxiliary Post No 9039 in Detroit Sunday.

The VFW held their Fourth District rally at the Sgt. Romanski Post No. 6896 in Detroit Sunday. Those attending from Northville were Commander Clavton Myers, Fred Robinson and Wilfred Troop.

Carolyn Ingham, who spent several weeks with Mr. and Mis. Gerritt Rooks of Seven Mile Rd., has returned to Ann Arbor to resume her duties as teacher in the University high school.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Westover of W. Seven Mile Rd. received word Hollywood, Calif. Vernon gradu- stown Ver. ated from Northville high school

in 1952 and has one more year to serve in the navy. He arrived in this country Sept. 2 from French he will go to Davidsville, R. I for the remainder of the time. Mr. children, Gail and Stanley. and Mis. Westover are going to California Sept. 26 and will meet their new daughter-in-law.

Judge and Mrs John Dethmers Essie Niriders. Mis Johnson is of E. Lansing spent Sunday with a niece of Mrs Nirider. the Gerritt Rooks on W Seven * * * Mile Rd

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Stevens and daughter, Betty, have just returned from a week's field trip high school in 1955 and will marwith the Michigan Minerology Society in Bancroft and Madoc, Canada.

Alta Powers and Mrs. Cy Frid, president and secretary, respectively, of the Northville branch Great Lakes, Ill.

Obituaries Alexander Murtagh

Dies at Age of 69 Alexander P. Murtagh, born Feb. 22, 1886 in Malone, N. Y., died Sept. 12 at Sessions hospital in Northville. He was the son of 7:30 p.m. Sept. 13 at the Caster-Patrick and Mary Murtagh. His line Funeral home. Requiem Mass residence was at 448 Evergreen in Plymouth where he lived for in Malone, N.Y. at 10 a m. Friday,

returned Sunday after attending the Annual State Conference. The meeting was held Saturday and Sunday at the Harry Riceman summer camp in Dryden, Mich.

* * * Mr and Mrs. James Clark and daughter, Diane, are visiting their color effect to be achieved. A parents, the W. F Clarks, of West carpet of purple and gold crocus St. and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred planted in drifts will be long re-Smith of Beal St. They spent the membered, but a smattering of

week end with Mrs. Clark's sister and family, the Harry Germans, of Belding. They will return to Norfolk, Va. Wednesday, Sept 21 where Jim is serving at the Naval ing. Air station.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Defina and daughters, Kathy and Kristy, rethat their son, Vernon, was mar- turned last week from a visit with ried Sept. 3 to Marcia Nichols of relatives and friends in Willam-

Mr. and Mrs. Essie Nirider an-nounce the arrivial of a baby girl, Nancy Lynn, born Aug 26 at Ses-Morocco and will be home to sions hospital, weighing seven visit his parents Sept. 19, then pounds, three and one-half ounces. The Niriders have two other Mr. and Mis. Robert Johnson

have returned to their home in Cincinnati after visiting with the

James N. Wiley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Wiley of Eight Mile Rd., enlisted in the navy Aug. 10. James graduated from Northville ry Miss Caroline Miller of Lawton, Mich. Oct. 22 at St. Mary's church, Paw Paw, Mich. His ad-dress is S. R. 479-27-48 Co. 443

Bt 123 Reg. 12 Recruit Tr. Command, U.S. Naval Tr. Center, daughters, Mrs. Beatrice Plam-

ondon and Mrs. Eleanor Prough of Northville, and Mrs. Betty Ra-

Murtagh of Plattsburg, N.Y. There will be held at St. Joseph church

uses up the strength of the bulbs and they fail to bloom in three or four years Dr. Chapman of Michigan State university advises five inches from the top of the bulb to the ground level He suggests moving tulip bulbs only when they fail to bloom. The striped tulips that come up in the spring as a surprise are infected with a disease called Rembrandt. If end bulbs are left

Mrs. Nora Barkley of Detroit, and Mrs. Gertrude Traynor, Miss Mary Murtagh and Miss Kate Blue Color In Spring There should be quantities of

material sent with them.

The

by Paul Newton

Early Spring Bulbs

blue in the spring garden. This can be achieved by Glory of the Snow (chronodoxa luciliae) planted by the hundreds; also by planting blue squill (scilla siberica) which comes a week later the past eight years He is sur-vived by his wife, Winifred, and Francis cemetery, Constable, N.Y. care botryoides) planted in



clumps near the edge of the woods or at the base of a tree.

Unusual Bulb

GREEN An unusual bulb to have in the garden is the checkered lily (fritillaria moleagris). These bulbs should be planted in a grouping of five or six. They are hardy and THUMB will grow in ordinary soil. The checkeled patterned flower grows in a graceful manner and is good in flower arrangements.

It is always a treat to have Planting bulbs ceases to be a some unusual varieties in your routine task when the gardener spring garden. The water lily tu lip (tulips kaufmanniana), the lady tulip (tulipa clusiana), and has a special plan in mind or a the nodding tulip (tulipa australis) are worthy of a special spot ın every garden. The tigridia, a mixed colors is soon forgotten. bulb planted in the spring, has a novel and interesting blossom useful in flower arrangements.

Planting Easter Lilies If your Easter lily was planted

outside this spring it must be mulched with eight inches of leaves which are held in place by The early spring bulbs should tree branches. All mulches are be planted near the home, so they put on after the ground is frozen, can be easily seen from the wintheir purpose is to prevent heavdows. The first snow drop or ing of the soil when there is winter acorite that pushes its alternate freezing and thawing head up through the snow is in our Michigan winters. equal to the thrill of seeing the

first robin in the spring. A few iris reticulata which peep through D.A.R. Will Discuss the snow in March are always a joy. These are not too hardy and **Antique Show Plans** the bulbs should be tucked just under the edge of a large stone, which acts as a protection through the winter.

The Sarah Ann Cochrane chap-Bulbs should be ordered early ter of the Daughters of the Amer-Late orders are sometimes filled ıcan Revolution will meet at the with second choice bulbs. Bulbs home of Mrs. David Mathers, 1303 Park Place, Plymouth, on Monare shipped at the proper planting dates. The correct planting day, Sept. 19.

depths are generally stated in Plans for the antique show to be held Oct 11-12-13 at the VFW your catalogue or on the printed Hall in Plymouth, will be present-If the soil in your garden is heavy with a great deal of clay, ed by Mrs. Harry Deyo, chairman. The book, "Hatchet in the Sky" don't plant quite so deeply Shalwill be reviewed by Mrs. William low planting of tulip bulbs causes Milne of Northville. Guests are propagating, but deep planting cordially invited to be present.

> Unless highway deficiencies are overcome to a very substantial extent within the next ten years, the nation will not attain the higher employment and family income levels of which it is capable.



Here are four members of the Mustang backschutz, fb; Larry Graham, lh; Bud Bell, q, and Dave O'Neill, c. field, from left: John Chapman, rh; Bob Wagen-



Moore, lg; Richard Buckley, c; Bill Heslip, lt, Part of the Mustang line, from left, Bill Yahne, re; Jim Burrell, rt; John Fisher, rg; Harold and Dave Biery, le.

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Mustangs Practice Long Hours for Plymouth Game Coach Schipper **Bears Down Hard**

If the Northville Mustangs don't win their opening game with Plymouth Friday night it won't be because they haven't been putting in full time on the practice field for the past two weeks, or because Coach Ron Schipper hasn't tried to drill them thor-oughly in the fundamentals of football.

The accompanying pictures show the Mustangs in a typical drill session ,with Schipper directing the backfield (above) and the line poised to clear a path through the opposition.

The interested spectator below is Lee Shipley, an ardent Mustang fan who now finds time to attend practice sessions as well as the games at Ford Field. Shipley, who retired this year after 50 years of barbering in Northville, should be able to give his old customers some fine pointers on Mustang strategy each Saturday this fall as he "fills in" on the third chair in his old shop.



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Eleven New Teachers





Home address: Flint. Graduate Siena Heights College, Adrian. Worked on M. A. at University of Michigan. Majored in English: minors history, Latin. Teaching experience: Mancelona iwo years; Davison High School six years. Will teach high school English.

PATRICIA DORRIAN





GERTRUDE L. FEY

Home address: Plymouth. Graduate Michigan State Normal College. Worked on M.A. at U. of M.) Majored in math; minor in English. Experience: North Branch, Birmingham and Livonia. Will teach Junior High math,



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Home address: South Lyon. Graduate Michigan State Normal College with B.S. Degree, Majored later in elementary. Experience: Rural, South Lyon two years. Will teach sixth grade.

DONALD VAN INGEN

Welcomed To Faculty The new school year opened with a full roster of teachers for the Northville school system. Pictures of 11 teachers who joined the staff for the first time this year appear on this page.

Russell Amerman, superintendent, said, "We can feel very fortunate that we have been able to complete our full teaching staff before the school term opened. We feel we have a well qualified staff and are grateful that we have been able to fulfill our original program schedule of the basic education courses as well as subjects in the spe-cial fields, including the new Type C program. I understand that some of our neighboring areas are as many as 20 teachers short."

Amerman went on to explain that several classes in the high school program are overcrowded and attention is being given to relieving the condition but that the basic difficulty is lack of space.

A tribute to the Northville teaching staff was received this week in the form of a letter written to the high school principal by Edward G. Groesbeck, director of registration and records of the University of Michigan. The letter reads in part, "Enclosed are copies of the official academic records of graduates of your high school who ecently received degrees from the University of Michigan. Michigan.

"Your students have done well. We appreciate the preparation your school has given them which has aided them through their university career. It is no doubt, encouraging to you as you see their continued progress....



Wayne university looks for its gieatest enrollment in history th.s fall, with registrations expected to be near the 20,000 mark. Classes at the university, which begin Monday, Sept. 19, are expected to be filled to capacity. The enrollment rise has become great, that officials have seriusly considered fixing a limitaion on the total enrollment.

Dr. Henry Pixley, director of admissions, records and registrations, expects this year's enroll-ment to be up from 1,500 to 1,700 Home address: Holland. Graduate of Hope College. Majored in social science, minors, over last year's 17,296 students physical education and Spanish. Experience: who registered for on-campus military service 3'2 years; Clarkston 11/2 classes in September, 1954. years. Will teach Junior High social science. While final enrollment tabula- | 1956.

tions will not be available until October, Pixley has indicated that all colleges and schools are reporting increases in enrollment. Admissions to most divisions are up by 10 per cent. The College of Education reports their registration has increased 20 per cent.

Wayne university's previous record high was in September, 1950 when 18,307 students enrolled for on-campus programs. The student total dropped slightly during the past five years but is expected to climb steadily in the future, university officials predict.

Students will find a new music building completed and ready for use this fall. Work has also begun on the State Hall classroom addition. This building was completed in 1948. Officials expect the Community Arts building to be ready for occupancy by fall of



CLARENCE C. MASON

Home address: Jackson, Graduate University of Michigan. Majored in political science and minors in English, speech, and social science. Experience: Breckienridge High School. Will teach ninth grade English.

HELEN T. BRADSHAW

Home address: Northville. Graduate Wayne University. Majors in social science and language. and minor in science. Experience: Substituted in Detroit schools. Will teach first grade.

ROSEMARY VAN INGEN

Home address: Wyandotte, Graduate Michigan State Normal College-1952, Majored in art; minors industrial art, social science. Teaching experience: Comstock 1952-43; Clarkston 1953-55. Will teach high school art.













4 – Thursday, September 15, 1955 – THE NORTHVILLE RECORD | Conservation Plan



Commissioner A. Malcolm Allen proposed at the last meeting of the Northville city commission that a citizens' advisory committee be set up to study the relative need for various public improvements. If we interpret his reasoning correctly, he feels that such a citizens' committee might serve as a buffer for the city commission in determining how Northville's \$100,000 surplus this year should be spent to serve the best interest of all sections of the city. Mr. Allen, and indeed every member of the city commission, is realist enough to know that no municipality can long hold on to such a sizable pot of gold when there is an obvious need for so many improvements. He and his fellow commissioners anticipate, we are sure, that there will be pressure from many sources for a share in the windfall; also that it will be difficult for an elective commission to refrain from greasing the wheel that squeaks the loudest.

Again, if we may presume to interpret Mr. Allen's thinking, we are certain that he would like to grease immediately every wheel that squeaks. He knows, however, that even the present \$100,000 will not suffice to make everyone happy this year. Instead, a long range public improvement program must be developed, with due consideration not only to the over-all picture, but also to the relative immediate need for various parts of the program. The commission must then decide when it makes up next year's budget how much of its new revenue from racing shall be spent for public improvements and how much shall be used to pay operating expenses so taxes can be reduced somewhat.

It should be rather obvious to the average person, we feel, that the citizens' committee suggested by Mr. Allen could serve a useful purpose if it is wisely set up. Even though its recommendations would not be binding upon the commission, they could be distinctly helpful not only as a buffer in standing off pressure groups in the interest of all the people but as the independent judgment of a group not subject to elective pressures.

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In view of the foregoing considerations, it was sur-prising to hear Commissioner John F. Stubenvoll come which have been pleading for which have been pleading for out in active opposition to Mr. Allen's proposal. Mr. Stubenvoll is, we believe, an excellent commissioner. He has been generally sound in his approach to public matters. We do not recall that he has ever been "on the fence" when there has been need for taking a position publicly on any important matter. In fact, while his bluntness in advocating the things in which he believes has been a virtue at many commission meetings, it probably has earned him a few enemies among those with whom he has disagreed.

Mr. Stubenvoll's principal argument against the citizens' advisory committee proposed by Mr. Allen was that the new city commission which will be elected when a new appeal for more building money charter is voted on this fall may not want such a committee, or that it may not want the same members who might be chosen now. In that event, he argued, it might prove embarrassing to the incoming commission to drop the committee entirely or change the complexion of its membership. He voiced the additional objection that any committee appointed now would hardly have a chance to get well started at its job before the election, and that for this reason its appointment might as well be postponed until afterwards.

We believe Mr. Stubenvoll is absolutely correct in saying that an incoming administration might find it em- 1956 legislature," he said. barrassing to drop such a citizens' advisory committee if it is appointed now. We do not understand, however, why there should be any necessity for a new city administration to do with an overflow of mento change the complexion or duties of such a group unless obviously incompetent or not fully representative of the various segments of our local citizenry. Because we have confidence in the integrity and good judgment of the present city commission, we would be quite willing to have it initiate the advisory committee, rather than leave it up to a new commission whose membership is not predictable at this time. It is to be hoped that Commissioner Stubenvoll will not persist in his opposition to the citizens' advisory group if his colleagues on the commission wish to appoint it now.

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fall as the Conservation depart-ment's beefed-up planting pro-gram continues its steady growth. winter, will fall somewhat short proposals frequently became en-Previously, 17 machines were of the 1955-56 goal because of the meshed in politics. available to carry out planting destructive spring frost last May, chores in state forests; with the when much of the planting stock additional 25, state foresters hope in state nurseries was severely to set out 5,000,000 trees on 6,000 damaged. acres of public land before snow

flies this fall. The 25 new machines were de-At present, over 58,000,000 motsigned and constructed at the deor vehicles are clogging U. S. partment's forest fire experiment highways. The congestion is not station near Roscommon. The staonly dangerous but often fatal. tion had to set up its own "assembly line" methods to build the It also contributes to-costly deheavy-duty planters, which were lays and higher operating costs.

HIGAN MIRROR A REPORT FROM THE CAPITOL By Elmer White

MICHIGAN'S HARD-PRESSED because there's no place to send ter by the day," said George B. TAXPAYERS took a breather of these unfortunates," said a mental McIntyre, state director of agrihealth expert.

a sort when Gov. Williams dis-During the last session, com-mittees of both the House and closed an \$18 million surplus. But they still kept paying. Senate fought over bills which The governor said that the inwould take over tuberculosis hosin collections and a numpitals at Grayling and Howell for ber of economies in state governthe care of mentally retarded ment had built up the surplus children. from the dust of a \$65 million

deficit two years ago. The battles were fought and lost. Tuberculosis officials pleaded that the space would be needed if those who already had contracted the disease could be found.

> GRISLY PROBLEM OF TRAF-FIC DEATH will also be considered at the special session. An 11% increase in the number of fatalities for the first seven months of 1955 over last year was announced by State Police. This apparently convinced the governor that no more time can be lost before taking action.

The legislators will again be asked to pass laws which will

tighten driver licensing, reduce gram is to plant a total of 10,000 highway speeds and provide funds to maintain files of driver records. Existing law provides for files but money must be appro-

properly. These and other laws have been recommended in past years by Conservation commission last the State Safety Commission, but influence.

> FARM GROUPS HAVE TAKEN new heart in their campaign to move the state fair out of Detroit For years the drive has waxed hot and cold with charges flying this year.

that the Detroit fair is "a carni val" and that farmers have little opportunity to display their products in the proper atmosphere.

Latest impetus to the take-the fair-outstate campaign came with Michigan State University's centennial farm equipment exposition which drew thousands to the campus. It was the first test of an outstate function devoted exclusive-

ly to farmers and their equipment. "The campaign to move the fair out of Detroit is getting hotculture.



Opponents of the idea say that the engineering and industrial exhibits, the sideshows and midway **NEW OFFICE HOURS...** at Detroit is what makes the state fair solvent. After years of deficits, the fair **The NORTHVILLE RECORD** is now earning a small sum or "at least it's paying for itself," said McIntyre. The final decision rests with Mon.-Thurs. 8 to 5 Friday 8 to 7 the legislature, however, and its membership is still outstate-minded though Detroit and other met-**Closed Saturdays** ropolitan areas are gaining in **GOVERNMENT REFORMS** is continuing in Michigan, though -PLYMOUTHthe approach is slightly changed **PENN THEATRE** For five years, the Legislative Committee on State Government Reform has been operating as a -AIR CONDITIONEDresearch group, studying ways 'to improve the functions of state government. Wędnesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, September 14-15-16-17 There have been a number of notable ideas written into law for CinemaScope - with Stereophonic Sound the agencies. ELEANOR PARKER --- GLENN FORD "That function is now finished and we must promote some of the —in other ideas we have developed,' "INTERRUPTED MELODY" said Senator Frank Andrews (R-Hillman). He is chairman of the committe working for acceptance (Easiman Color) of new ideas. Among them: Abo-The true, tender story of Marjorie Lawrence lition of the state superintendent News of public instruction and the auditor general as elective offices. Saturday Matinee - September 17 "HIAWATHA" (Color) PLUS 5 CARTOONS Showings at 3:00-5:00 PLEASE NOTE FIVE DAYS — Sunday thru Thurs. — September 18 thru 22 CinemaScope — with Stereophonic Sound MARILYN MONROE — TOM EWELL EVELYN KEYES — SONNY TUFTS

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Gov. Williams took the opportunity to blast Republicans in the for state colleges and universities.

Republicans said the problems couldn't be solved with mere money, that a complete survey of the needs of higher education should be undertaken.

The study is now under way under the direction of Senator Don Vander Werp (R-Fremont), chairman of the Senate education ommittee.

"We'll have something for the

ANCIENT PROBLEM of what tally retarded children is coming home to roost. The governor is getting ready

It was at this point of fiscal desperation that the legislature passed the \$30 million a year business activities tax. A business boom did the rest. Republicans said this year's surplus would be more like \$13 million, Rep. Rollo G. Conlin (R-Tipton), chairman of the House

taxation committee said: "The governor seems to be op-

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duction in state government," said one bureau chief. "Services may

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News Around Northville

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Lander of De- confined to his home with a dis troit were Friday evening dinner located vertebrae. guests of the Geracis on Clement

Rd. The Landers were celebrating a wedding anniversary.

* * * Mrs. T. J. Knapp attended a family dinner party Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lyton Haddock on Ilene Ave., Detroit.

. . . Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Frogner were hosts to their bridge club Saturday night at which time William Stirton told of his trip around the world and of a special survey he made in Indonesia for the state department. . . .

Sunday callers at the Dr. Cavell home on Griswold St. were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cameron of Dearborn, Mr. and Mrs. John Clark of Farmington, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Garfield of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Palmer and children of Plymouth.

* * * Dr. and Mrs. T. G. Hegge spent Labor Day week end with Dr. and Mrs. Richard Bates. Dr. Bates is on the staff of the Great Lakes Naval Base hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles King of Plymouth and Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Clark of Detroit were Saturday evening dinner guests of the D H. Clarks of Seven Mile Rd.

Linwood Fritz, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Fritz of Center St., will return to Michigan State Sunday for his junior year. Linwood is studying art and plans to teach after receiving his degree.

Mary Crusoe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Crusoe left last week end for Milwaukee where she is entering Marquette univrsity

Clifton D. Hill of Beck Rd. is



Mrs. E. E. Miller, Mr. and Mrs Wendell Miller of Plymouth and Mrs. George Taylor were Sunday

dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ned Stirton of Detroit. * * * The meeting of Past Matrons

of Orient Chapter will be held at the home of Mrs. Charles Freydl. It will be a dessert-luncheon with Mrs. Nellie Freydl acting as assistant hostess.

Mrs. William B. Walker enter tained the members of her bridge group Tuesday, Sept. 13 at her home, "Happy Acres" on Eight Mile Rd.

Cynthia Mellen will resume her dance workat the Jordan Dance studio starting Sept. 17. She has been vacationing this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Brown of W. Main St. entertained a long time friend, Lincoln Hannaford, of Chicago. Mrs. Brown motored to Chicago with him and will return this week by plane.

Norma Lemmon, daughter of the Bud Lemmons of Novi St, returned to Grand Rapids this week to resume studies for her senior year at the Grand Rapids Bible Institute.

Mrs. Lottie Stockman attended the wedding reception of her great niece, Barbara Ann White to Thomas Rageza at Pontiac on Saturday, Sept. 3. She was also a guest at the home of her nieces and brother in Lake Orion, By

ron and Flint for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Gordon of Carpenter St. have returned from Country in northern Michigan.



The gardens of her grandpar- I gladioli and marigolds and white ent's home on Meadowbrook Rd. satin kneeling cushions completin Novi, was the setting chosen ed the scene.

by Eileen Leavenworth for her Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John marriage to Michael D. Rowland R. Leavenworth of Wayne, the morial high school, Mrs. Row-

on Aug. 27. A multi-hued garden scene white lace, pleated net and satin Michigan State Normal college, with a double trellis framed the made with a fitted bodice com- Ypsilanti, and her husband is emcouple as they were united in a plemented by a tiny seed pearl ployed with the Robertson plumb double ring ceremony by the collor and full-length sleeves ing and heating company. Reverend E. A Britton of the tapering to the bouffant skirt. On their return the cou week's stay in the Copper | Wayne First Congregational | Matching seed pearls embroider- make their home at 4391 Fourth church. Large baskets of white ed the tiny cap holding her fin- St

gertip veil. The bridal bouquet of white roses was in the colonial style with rosebud caught streamers

Preceding the bride and her father, maid of honor Ann Green wore a ballerina-length gown in turquoise with a matching tiara and carried a colonial bouquet of turquoise and white.

Similarly gowned, bridesmaids Florence Godin, Loraine Darling and Joan Rutherford wore melon pink, apricot, and pale green, while flowergirl, Linda Rowland niece of the groom, wore soft yellow and ring-bearer, Billy Ritter wore a miniature tuxedo. Best man for Mr. Rowland was

Robert Leverenz, and ushers for the ceremony were Leonard Gra-biac, Jack Leavenworth and Robert Billingsly.

Mrs. Leavenworth wore a street-length charcoal and white taffeta dress with white accessories for her daughter's wedding, and the groom's mother, Mrs. John E. Rowland, wore blue taffeta with white accessories and both mothers had corsages of pink gladioli.

Immediately following the ceremony, a wedding supper was held at the home of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Behrendt, followed by an evening reception for 200 guests. The new Mrs. Rowland chose a charcoal grey corduroy suit with

white accessories for her goingaway ensemble, as the newly weds left for a week's trip in the Upper Peninsula.

Both graduates of Wayne Mebride wore a formal gown of | land is a first year student at

On their return the couple will



300 at Smith - Nowland Wedding Reception

A double ring, early morning | ending in points. It was fashioned ceremony united Janice Smith with a tight fitting bodice and and Gerald Nowland in marriage square necklme. Bands of emat Our Lady of Victory church broidered seed pearls and sequins Saturday, Sept. 10. circled the neckline. The skirt

was very full, falling in folds The service was read at nine o'clock mass and the church was from embroidered hip bands and lecorated with green palms and ending in a chapel train. The white mums and gladioli. scalloped finger-tip veil was held The bride, daughter of the Le-land V. Smiths of 419 Yerkes and cut beads. Janice carried a Ave, was escorted down the aisle cascade bouquet of white orchids on the arm of her father. and stephonotis with a white

She wore a lovely pure silk wedding gown, with long sleeves tallete with boat necklines and fitted bodices with full skirts. The back interest of the gowns was accentuated with pleated panels and bows at the waistline.

The matron of honor was Mrs. Garry Vance of New Boston, sister of the groom. Her gown was moss green and she wore a matching headpiece. The bridesmaids were Mrs. Robert Wagenschutz of Plymouth, sister of the bride, and Mrs. Ross Snow also of Plymouth Both wore raspberry colored gowns with matching headpieces. Each attendant carried cascade bouquets of yellow and bronze mums

Lynda Kay Wagenschutz, niece of the bride, was flower girl and wore white nylon. She carried a basket of yellow and bronze mums and her headpiece was a dainty band of mums.

Mrs. Smith, the bride's mother, wore a street-length gown of Dior blue dull satin with black accessories. Mrs. Nowland, mother of the groom, chose a navy blue street-length dress trimmed in white and wore navy accessories. Both mothers wore corsages of pink glamellias

A wedding breakfast for 40 guests followed the ceremony at 11 o'clock at the Alfred Sibley nome at 370 Eaton Dr.

An evening reception was held for 300 guests at 8 o'clock in the Farmington American Legion post home. Carolynn Smith, sister of the bride, was in charge of the guest book and Judy Junod served the punch. The reception was catered by Black's of Northville. Mrs. Gerald Nowland graduat-ed from Northville high school and is now employed by the Bur-

roughs Corp. in Plymouth. Mr. Nowland graduated from Trenton high school and served two years with the U.S. Army in Europe. He is now employed by the Wayne county forestry division.

The young couple are now makprayer book. The bride's attendants wore St. in Northville.



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Your Correspondent Mrs. Carlton Hardesty Phone Northville 1410-M11

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bacon of Flint, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wheelar and family of Ypsilanti were Sunday visitors of the C. L. Wheelars.

Mr .and Mrs. Robert Wheelar and baby, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Wheelar of Holly were Sunday callers of the A. C. Wheelars. Mrs. Donald Tiffin attended a

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esty, Mrs. Alta Opdycke and Bert Rider attended a picnic at Waterloo, Ind. Sunday. Mr .and Mrs. Frank Buers and Knowles Buers went to Frank Sutton's funeral in Ohio Saturday.

Mrs. George Tanner, Sharon and Jim spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. George Bennett. Mrs. George Brown and Mrs. C. J. Hardesty worked at the cancer booth Wednesday at the State Fair. Linda Kelly was taken to St.

baby shower in Detroit at the

home of Mrs. Louis Tiffin Wed-Mr. and Mrs. E. Evans of Ply-

mouth were Saturday afternoon

calleis at the Charles Stacey

Mr. and Mrs. Carleton Hard-

Joseph's hospital to have a tonsilectomy. Kay Roberts was injured Friday evening when she was thrown from her horse.

W. W. Davis and family of Pontiac were Sunday visitors at the Herbert Famuliner home. Mrs Herbert Famuliner and daughters, Susan and Laura, spent Wednesday at the Tom Kelly home in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollie Heppler of Austin Dr., announce the engage-

ment of their daughter, Sheila, to Craig Rathburn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rathburn of Northville.

Northville Youth Score in Riding **Competition Here** By Jane Hoyt

ngagement

GArfield 1-7625 Northville youth took many honors in the Second Annual International Junior Equestrian trials at Franfield Farms near

Northville last week. Ideal weather brought out a record number of spectators to witness the trials. There were well over 60 entries in the dressage class. Kitten

and Janet Spenesley from London, Ontario, placed third. Karen Parachek from Toledo was fourth, Winners from Northville

pleasure classes were won by Patty and Randy Haass, Kathy Kellogg and Sarah Schrader, in that order.

The well known Hanes Brand. 1 pc. . \$1.98 3 pc. . \$2.85 eted International Junior cham-Ladies Flannelette Gowns . . . \$2.69 might eventually lead to the 1956 Olympics in Australia.

In the individual jumping Fournier's Arabian fille, Elan, class, Joanne Wallace took the won second place at the State honors for the Northville Acade- Fair, and Cynthia Donahue on my and Livonia, and in the Hunt- Soda Pop won the amateur five er Seat Horsemanship class, Julie | gaited class at Zeeland, Mich.





Gay Duerson returned to New York Sept. 7 on the S.S. Italia was spent in London. after a year's study at the Sor-bonne in Paris. Mrs. Stanton Schaefer, Mrs. Harry Duerson and Mrs. Orrin Kilbourn of Connecticut were there to greet her.

The Longshoreman's dock strike started that day and complicated the debarking procedure. The crew of the Italia were forced to remove the baggage from the ship and the passengers were kept on the boat from 9 in the morning until 2 that afternoon. Gay, Mrs. Schaefer and Mrs. Duerson spent the rest of the week in Simsbury, Conn., before returning to Northville Sunday. During her year in Europe, Gay

Smith and Marilyn Cole carried the torch for the Northville Academy with a first and third. Ted-dy MacManus from Bloomfield and Randy Haass from Northville took second and fourth, respectively

Academy Teams Score The stadium jumping and the cross country competition in class B were won by Northville Academy's two teams, the Detroit Triangles and the Livonia Railtoppers. In the relay the Birmingham B team from Outlands placed second and the Railtoppers and Detroit Triangles placed third and fourth. The Triangles won the events with approximately 299 points which entitles them to the Junior Equestrian Team Trial Challenge trophy in Class B. This trophy has been won by the Northville Riding Academy's B team four consecutive times out of five trials.

The members of the team are as follows: Sally Sample riding Robin Hood, Marilyn Cole riding Dream Girl, Sara Cameron riding Madam, and Julie Smith riding Beachcomber.

the A team from Livonia took first place in the stadium jumping, third place in cross country jumping, and third place in relay.

gave an exclusive exhibition at the show. Grant explained all the different executions. Miss Princ-

The Outland B team placed pionship trophy, a trophy which third in the "Prix Des Nations". might eventually lead to the 1956 In other horsemanship honors during the past week, Doug



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Gay will return to Ann Arbor

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travéled between semesters **Blue Star Mothers** through Spain and northern Africa and during spring vacation Novi chapter Blue Star Mothers visited Italy. Christmas vacation

met at the home of Viola Lamonnic for Ypsilanti hospital patients tagune Monday evening with 12 members and one visitor present.' Three hundred four dollars and

90 cents has been turned in to date on the refrigerator party benefit. Mothers planning on attending

the Detroit meeting in Mt. Clem-ens Sept. 27 are Mesdames Fred Mandilk, R. E. Ward, John Klaserner, Joe Gardella, Steven Stephans and Frank Pennell. The Mothers agreed to send \$5 toward a window in the Historic

Mariners church. Invitation was read asking the Mothers to attend the AMVET

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Auxiliary charter banquet at the Mayflower Hotel in Plymouth on

Sept. 29. Reports were read on the pic-

in July by hospital chairman, Mrs. Joe Gardella. Mrs. R. E. Ward and Mrs. Fred Mandılk attended memorial services at White chapel. Also report on the reception for the state president Iva Springer, at the Highland Park Methodist church. Daisy Day is scheduled for Saturday, Oct. 8 with Mrs. L. Rix as chairman. The 13th anniver-sary dinner will be held Monday evening, Oct. 10 at the Mayflow-er Hotel, Plymouth. Mrs. Klaser-

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ner, chairman. Bazaar and luncheon on Wednesday, Nov. 30 with Mrs. Frank Pennell as chairman.





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Willowbrook Residents **Form Civic Association**

More than 80 Willowbrook Village residents held a meeting at the Novi Community building Tuesday evening in an effort to form an area improvement association.

Jim Martin, 24461 Willow Lane, was elected to serve as temporary chairman of the group. The secretary will be Mrs. George Marinoff, 24230 LeBost Dr. A committee of three was appointed to assist in working out the by-laws and objectives of the organization.

Appointed to the committee were Bernard Weisberger, 23941 E. LeBost Dr.; Robert Waugh, 24422 LeBost Dr., and Fred Costello, 24461 Willow Lane. Welcomed By Harrawood

The Willowbrook residents were welcomed to the area by President Leo Harrawood on behalf of the Novi Board of Commerce. The board's directors played host to the residents for Tuesday evening's meeting, serving coffee and

donuts after the meeting. " Supervisor Frazer Staman at tempted to answer many of the resident's questions dealing with community problems. Roads, water, schools, fire protection and speed limits accounted for most of the questions.

Will Blacktop Roads Regarding roads in the area, Staman said all neighborhood

roads are county roads and will be maintained by Oakland county throughout the year. The roads on the south side of 10 Mile Rd are scheduled to be blacktopped in the very near future, he added, since blackton roads are required for Veterans' Administration financing now in effect in the area. He had no information

on the roads north of 10 Mile. The subject of a water board and possible rates was discussed by the group. Staman told them (Continued on Page 10)

Novi Highlights

by Mrs. Luther Rix Phone Northville 245-J

Mr. and Mrs. George Atkinson and Mr. and Mrs. Glen C. Salow spent the Labor Day week end in Chicago attending Powerama, taking a boat trip on a sight-seeing tour and seeing a stage play. Mrs. Charles Trickey, Sr. is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Harrawood and daughters, Diane and Debby, flew to Finley, O. for a dinner date Sunday.

Mrs. Ethel Smith has just returned from a three weeks visit with sisters in Ohio and her daughter's family in Tecumseh. Mr. and Mrs. Steven Stephans had a week of vacation in Canada recently. They attended the family reunion for the first time in three years. Mrs. Jack Eby, after several

weeks absence due to her husband's illness, took over her duties as superintendent of the Bap-(Continued on Page 10)



AN OPEN WINDOW on the right side of the house is the only clue to passers-by of the events that took place last week end in this unoccupied 4-room house at 202 Buffington Drive. Novi Police Chief Lee BeGole is shown at left examining the charred remains of clothing in the bedroom closet. A fire, accidentally started by two small girls, had left the bedroom of the house in ruins, although the remainder of the house suffered only smoke damage. The owners of the house, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Beck, have been away for three months.

Two Small Girls Harold Miller Named Set Fire In Trustee By Twp. Board **Unoccupied Home**

An unoccupied home, an un locked window, some matches and two small girls were the principals last week end in one of the strangest arson investigations ever encountered by local polic

officials. The home, located at 202 Buf fington Dr., had been unoccupied for the past three months while Walled Lake Man the owners, Mr and Mrs. Thomas Beck, were on a trip.

Neighbors Suspicious

A neighbor, Mrs. Dollie Laingren, became suspicious Friday night when she saw lights in the house. Assuming the Becks had returned, she thought no more about the incident until the following morning when the house again looked empty.

At his wife's insistance, Fred head-on collision on Grand River Laingren investigated and from east of Novi. outward appearances, everything Dying Monday morning from seemed to be in order. However injuries sustained in the crash a strong odor of smoke-prompted was William H. Dempsey, 35, 2906 him to check further.

West Rd. He had received internal Varnish Melted By Heat injuries and a broken leg and died Upon entering the house, he found the bedroom literally at Pontiac General hospital. 'cooked" by a fire. Varnish on the floors and bed had melted, the plastic window shades had melted, and clothing in the closet had been reduced to ashes. Inexpensive jewelry had been strewn around the bedroom and tured arm. living room. However, lack of oxygen, caus-The accident occurred on Grand

ed by the closed bedroom door River just west of Haggerty Rd. and window, had evidently exas Dempsey swerved his car into tinguished the fire before it oncoming traffic to avoid hitting a dimly lighted car ahead of him. could spread to other parts of He blamed the car's dim tail the house. The remainder of the lights for his failure to see it in house suffered extensive smoke time to stop, according to Novi damage police.

Children Questioned State police detectives were called to the scene immediately by Novi Police Chief Lee BeGole. Nearby property owners and their children were questioned by the pair in a search for possible

clues Gradually it was learned that, unknown to the parents, many neighborhood children considered entering and rummaging through the Beck home a favorite pastwith the unlocked bedroom window, through which one child would hoist another. Numerous

items of jewelry belonging to the Becks were found throughout the neighborhood, police said. Played With Matches

Questioning eventually led to two small girls who had been playing with matches in the Beck nome Friday night. A fire was accidentally started; they became scared and left.

Luckily, they closed the winlow behind them. Otherwise, with air fanning the flames, the house would have been destroyed BeGole said



Mrs. Minnie Bourbonais, 75, died Sunday, Sept. 11 at Pontiac General hospital. She had lived in Novi for the past ten years. She was born in Duluth, Minn. on Dec. 1, 1880. Her husband, Fred, preceded her in death several years ago. She is survived by a

Harold Miller, township constable and well known Novi businessman was appointed to the position of trustee by the Novi Township Board at a special meeting Monday evening.

In appointing a trustee at this time, Supervisor Frazer Staman said he had been advised that a full five man board would be needed to act upon the proposed Ford

plant zoning change scheduled to come before the board this coming Monday night.

The motion to appoint Miller was made by Clerk Earl Banks **Dies, Former Mayor** and seconded by Trustee Frank Clark. In seconding the motion, Hurt in US-16 Crash Clark said that he felt Miller was an excellent choice since he was well acquainted with the farmers A Walled Lake man died and

in the area and their problems. a former mayor of Howell was The vote for Miller was unaniseriously injured Sept. 9 in a mous. Miller, 48, is a native of the

area, having lived in Novi all his life. He and his wife live at 46411 Grand River. They have two children. Miller has a farm implement business and is a member of the farm bureau and the Board of Commerce.

The trustee vacancy was caused In serious condition was the by the resignation of Charles driver of the other car, Shirley Trickey, Jr. who was appointed B. Henry, 55, Howell, A former township treasurer last month. mayor and newspaperman, he is Miller's appointment brings the well known throughout the area. board up to its full membership Henry suffered facial lacerations, of five. two fractured legs and one frac-

The board also voted to allow Leo Harrawood, who is constructing a \$50,000 service station at Grand River and Novi Rd., to maintain his present sewage hook-up which drains into the area's sanitary storm sewer.

The board emphasized that Harrawood would maintain such a connection at his own risk and at any later date might be required by township county authorities to change his sewage system to conform with local building codes.

Novi Convalescent Home

Glenn Salow, Jr. resigned as Novi Township fire chief last week and was succeeded by Fred Two new patients, Mrs. Carrie Loynes, according to a report received late last week. The township board was unable to confirm the report ,saying they had time. They were quite familiar received no official word of the action.

Glenn Salow Resigns,

Loynes New Chief





Dunlap of South Lyon and Mrs. Sara Kenny of Detroit were admitted to the Novi Convalescent home during Labor Day week end. All 22 beds are now taken. Mrs. William Mairs is reported to be slowly improving.



the Willowbrook by MRS. THOMAS MORRISON Corner **PHONE GReenleaf 4-2523**

We are welcoming a few new families to our community in this edition

Charles and Jenine Duprey of 23990 LeBost Dr. are former residents of Detroit. Mr. Duprey works for the Ford Motor Co. of Dearborn. Their hobbies are bowling and water skiing. The water skiing is a new accomplishment of Mrs. Duprey. They are enjoying their new home in our subdivision which makes them closer to their cottage at Runyan lake which they are building themselves. They have two children, Craig Charles who will be four in December, and Denise who is 17 months old.

Robert and Sally Nelson of 23925 E. LeBost Dr. are former residents of Oak Park. Mr. Nelson is sales representative of the Sylvania Electric Co. They moved into their new home Aug. 1. They have three children: Robin 5, Bobbie 3, and Joan who will be two in January.



Joe, who is 10 and goes to school in Northville. Mrs. Dinser's hobby is growing plants. Joseph and Betty Crane of 23886 E. LeBost, are former resi-

dents of Belleville. Mr. Crane

Detroit Arsenal. They will have been married 14 years in November. They have two children, Sherry Linda who was seven in (Continued on Page 10)

Leonard and Mary Dinser of 23911 E. LeBost, are former residents of Detroit. Mr. Dinser works at A. N. Radler and Son Co. of Detroit. Mrs Dinser works at the Sister Kenny polio hospital in Farmington. They have one son,

this year.

Helen Fox and Frieda Baze.

and Helen Noble, making 33 in

The new fourth grade pupils are Arthur Atkinson, Michael Watkins, Holly Fox and Charles VanEvery totaling 25. The sixth grade has 28 pupils

The new pupils are William Krist, Cathy Noble and Shirley Campbell. The combination fourth and



Willowbrook Mains Lowered **Novi School Notes**

School enrollment and new pupils in Novi school are as follows: Forty registered in the kindergarten will attend in two sections

Thirty pupils are registered in the first grade and 33 are registered in Mrs. Boyd's second

grade. New pupils in the second grade are Gloria Jean Rogers, There are two new pupils in

the third grade, Bonnie Campbell

fifth grade room has eight fourth graders and 15 fifth graders. Barbara Atkinson is the new pupil



WELL SMOKED AND THOROUGHLY BAKED HAMS were about all that could be salvaged from the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Christie, 48680 Ten Mile, after a fire early Tuesday morning which totally destroyed their home. Christie, an employee of Guernsey Farms Dairy in Northville, was awakened during the early morning hours by a passing motorist who saw the house on fire. Flames were raging out of control in the two story frame structure when the firemen arrived at the scene. A water tanker was called from the Northville Fire department to prevent nearby buildings from catching fire. Larry Kubiac, left, and an unidentified friend of Christies, are shown above handing the formerly frozen hams up to Christie.

his vear. The eighth grade class has one new pupil, Grace Atkinson, mak ing the total 31.

The new pupils in the seventh grade class are Ava Sue Horner from Tennessee, April Fox from Detroit and Danny Triplete from Davison making a total of 31.

The fifth grade enrollment is 26 with Larry McCollum the new pupil. The fifth grade has made picture studies of their vacation fun. Prize winners were Brandon Faulkner, Willow Run; Brenda Coburn, roller coaster; Jeff Crawford, state fair; Lana Whistle fruit and vegetable stand, and Kenny Hayes, Lake Michigan. Nearly all of the 19 registered n the ninth grade are taking the new subjects, algebra and Spansh. Mr. Calahan of Plymouth is the new teacher of these subjects. Football practice starts Monlay night with 24 boys expected for practice. One game with Dubin has already been scheduled early in October.

Additional **Novi Features**

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SHOVELS WERE FLYING in the southern part of Willowbrook Village this week as crews labored to lower the water mains and service lines to the required depth to prevent freezing in winter weather. Listed among the casualties in the undertaking were several gas service lines in the area which were accidentally uprooted during the excavating. No injuries resulted from the severed gas lines although one dwelling was slightly damaged by a minor explosion



Renee Joyce Benjamin, born Aug. 18 at Detroit Osteopathic Hospital is the second baby born at Willowbrook. She weighed

son, Mathew Nixon of Novi and brother, John, of Houghton, Mich. A sister, Mrs. Sophie Meagher also survives. She has four grandchildren and five greatgrandchildren.

Rev. J. M. McLucas of the Novi Methodist church officiated at funeral services held at 2 p m. Wednesday at the Casterline Funeral home Northville.

AMVET Auxiliary Banguet On Sept. 29

The Novi AMVET Auxiliary held their regular meeting at the post home on Tuesday, Sept. 6. Plans were made for the Charter banquet on Thursday, Sept. 29. Reservations are to be in to President Audrey Ortwine by Mon day, Sept. 26 with a \$2 deposit required for members attending. Dawn Bailey will head the program committee. Dorothy Mac-Dermaid will take care of the flower arrangements. All members are urged to at tend the regional meeting in Pontiac Monday night, Sept. 12 at the Bemus Olson post. The spe-cial speaker will be State Auxiliary President Gladys Tuck.

NOVI MOTHERS' CLUB The Mothers' club will begin the fall season with a meeting at the Novi 'Community building next Monday evening. Mrs. Dye, Jr. is the president.

NELSON PROFITT MATTHEW STAMAN

Eight o'clock Tuesday morning marked the opening Novi's newest business, Matt and Nelson's Shell service.

Operated by two well known young men in the area, Matthew Staman and Nelson Profitt, the service station is located at Grand River and Eleven Mile Rd. The station was formerly operated by Ted Slentz for a number of vears

Nelson, 21, attended the Novi school and recently finished three years service in the army, two years overseas in Europe. He married the former Jacqueline Graves of Wixom and they live on Novi Rd. just south of Grand River.

Matt, 19, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frazer Staman of Novi. A graduate of Farmington high school, Matt is engaged to Miss Viola Tamm of Farmington.

Both young men had been employed in the service station business locally before going into business for ¹ themselves.

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Cream Style Corn IONA 16-OZ. 10c	Corned Beef HYGRADE'S LB. 59c Beef Liver "SUPER-RIGHT" LB. 45c	Fish Fillets Highliner Brand Cod, LB. 33c
Cherries 2 ^{16-OZ} 37c	Beef Briskets "SUPER-RIGHT" LB. 69c	Salmon Steaks 1B. 63c Boiled Lobster 1B. 69c
Sliced Pie Apples COMSTOCK 2 LB-OZ. 49c Fruits-for-Salads A&P	Smoked Cottage Butts "SUPER- RIGHT" . LB. 59c Pork Roast "SUPER-RIGHT" LB. 39c	Fantail Shrimp JOHN'S
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Pancake Flour PHLSBURY'S PKG. 19c	Lemon Delight Cake JANE PARKER ONLY 49c	Swiss Cheese LB. 59c
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Willowbrook . .

(Continued) August, and Denise Corrine who will be four in January.

John and Betty Hood of 40928 Mooring Side are former residents of Grosse Ile and Detroit. Mr. Hood works for Beneficial Finance Co of Detroit. He also attends Wayne university where he is majoring in education. Mrs. Hood is a Wayne university graduate and a former school teacher She taught at Grosse Ile

for two years John Hood III was born at Providence hospital on May 17, 1955. Karl and Marion Weiss of 40971

Mooring Side are former residents of Detroit. Mr. Weiss works for the Redford branch of the AAA of Michigan. They have been mar-ried 10 years. Mrs. Weiss is recovering from a recent operation. The Weiss' like to bowl Mr. Weiss was made commander of the Century post of the American Legion.

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plete.

He will be installed tonight Thursday, The Weiss' are attending a corn roast Saturday night given by the Strathmoor Lion's club at the Ivory Polo grounds.

Harry and Christine Prappas of 40960 Mooring Side are former residents of Detroit. Mr. Prappas works for the Western Southern Life Insurance Co. at the Highland Park branch. They both enjoy bowling. Mr. Prappas'is an ardent baseball fan. He had been playing two nights a week during the season. He served five years in the army. They have been mariled two and one-half years and are expecting a baby

Robert and Rita Boyd of 40992 Mooring Side are former residents of Detroit. Mr. Boyd works for the Production Corp. of Detroit. Their niversary Aug. 23. children are Roberta 5, Thomas 4, Nancy 3, and Denise 9 months.

Anyone interested in going to the annual Strathmoor Lion's club corn roast 1s welcome. You may buy tickets at the gate. It will be held at the Ivory Polo grounds, Eight Mile and Lahser. They will also serve hot dogs, etc. The children are welcome and during

the day games have been planned for them. The father and mother of Mrs. Lee of Mooring Side, and Mrs. Council of Florida left Labor Day to return home after spending four months with their daughter and son-in-law.

Mrs. Shirley Bernard of East LeBost was hostess to eight ladies for coffee Wednesday morning. It was given to introduce Betty Crane and Mary Dinser to their neighbors. The ladies are Mary Chismark, Sally Nelson, Mary Rairigh, June Weisburgh, Ellie Cater, Mary Dinser, Betty Crane and Shinley.

Miss Janet Rairigh of LeBost has returned from Toledo and

Cleveland after saying good bye to her friends before leaving for college. Janet is leaving Friday to attend Iowa State college which starts Sept. 21. Mis. Steele of Iowa, mother of Mrs. Buck of LeBost, spent a week with her daughter and son-

in-law. While she was here they saw "South Pacific". Mr. and Mrs. Sommerville just returned from a two weeks vacation in Canada. They were in the

Chapleau Arear near Aubury falls. They stayed at the Limber Lost lodge. Mis. Sommerville caught a nine pound northern pike which they had iced so it

should state when the child recould be brought back and shared it with their neighbors, the Conceived the first vaccine. nellys.

Jim Martin returned from his Just because a man pitches a fishing trip in Canada with a 10 good line is no sign he has a lot pound great northern pike. His on the ball.

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, buddies, George Kozak, George Novi Highlights ... caught plenty of fish. They camp-

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tist Sunday School this past Sunday. Mr. Eby is recovering satisattended the 25th anniversary factorily.

Mrs. John Klaserner, Sr. entertained in honor of her husband's birthday at a turkey dinner for 20 guests Sunday. Several more guests came during the afternoon The guests were from Novi, De

troit and Birmingham. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pennell at-

umn while I was on vacation tended the county fair at Saginaw Tuesday.

Belated anniversary greetings Mr. and Mrs. Charles Trickey to a few of our neighbors. Sorry Jr. entertained a group of friends we missed them but our files from Byron Sunday. They were Mr. and Mrs. George Vince and weren't completed at the time. The John Hoods of Mooring Side, on their first anniversary children, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gordon and children, Mr. and Mrs Aug. 28; the Robert Byrds of B. Campbell and children and Mr Mooring Side on their eight an and Mrs. Darwin Secord and children. Congratulations to Colleen Con-

Mrs. Mike Rackov is in St. Joseph hospital, Ann Arbor, for xnelly, who was five Sept. 15; the Freytags of LeBost Dr. on their rays and treatment. anniversary Sept. 6, the Bernard Mrs. Paul Ginste returned to

Wersberger's of LeBost on their anniversary Sept. 9 and the Wil-lcwbrook Boys' club. her home on Twelve Mile Rd. the latter part of this week after one week in New Grace hospital. John and Mitchell Rackov are returning to U. of M. after orientation this week. Mitchell,-who Marks Birthday is a junior this year, is studying aeronautics and John, who refor Eddie Beard ceived the Regent Alumna scholarship this year is in his last year Eddie Beard was invited to celebrate his 11th birthday Wednes-day, Sept. 14 at the home of his of electrical engineering.

ed the latter's sister ,Mrs. G. A. grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wil-Stever in Owosso recently. liam B. Walker of "Happy Acres" Mr. and Mrs. Russell Race gave

dinner party for the members Included in the party were his of their pinochle club Saturday two sisters, Nancy and Katie, and his brother, Mike, with his par-ents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Beard. evening. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Otis Tewksbury and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rix of Plymouth, To complete the family party

Eddie's grandfather, Edmund S Mr. and Mrs. Howard Greer and Beard, and uncle, Allen Beard, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Rix.

together with his aunt, Elizabeth Beard, joined them for dinner. Migrant Children May Receive Second

Vaccine Shot Here The County Health department born Saturday.

states that children who have moved into Northville from other areas and who received their first Salk vaccine shot at some other school may have the second one

ed out for a week at Rocky isl-and in the Chapleau area.

Sunday of their past pastor.

porch.

Mr. and Mrs. George Marinoff

The Leon Hurlburts of Willow

Lane are building an addition to their house, including a larger

storage space and an enclosed

I would like to thank Mrs. Jane

Marinoff for taking over my col-

during the month of August.

Dinner Party

on Eight Mile Rd.

next Wednesday, Sept. 21, upon written request from parents. The requests should be addressed to Miss Ruth Knapp, RN, at the Northville grade school and

Mrs. David O'Leary and son, Randy, of New Hudson were present.

Novi Baptist Church News

The rally day banquet of the Novi Baptist church will be held recommends the rates. Eventually in the church dining room Thurs- a water board will be set up, he day, Sept .22 at 6 p.m. A movie of said, and residents of Willow-the Galilean Childrens' mission- brook Village will be represented ary home in Kentucky will be shown from 7 to 8 p.m. by missionaries from the area. Everyone is welcome to attend. On Sunday, Sept. 25, Rally Day system.

will be held during the Sunday school period with a program a which time promotion cates will be awarded. certifi-

Novi Methodist **Church News**

ner at noon.

October.

Novi Methodist church WSCS will have their regular monthly meeting at the church Wednesday, Sept. 21 Mrs. Leo Harrawood

Northville Schools -(Continued)

portant bearing on the size and location of the new school that must be erected in the near future. Novi township's population is expected to mushroom greatly if Ford's Lincoln division builds at the corner of Grand River and

Wixom Rd. Tax Situation Serious Unfortunately for the school

situation of both the Novi districts and Northville, the plant site lies just within the boundary of the Walled Lake district and accordingly its school tax will go entirely to that district. Families of workers in the Lincoln plant,

however, will locate in the entire surrounding area with the Novi districts probably getting a large share of the growth. While Walled Lake will get the financial benefit, its neighboring school districts will be put to large addi-

tional expense in educating the children of Lincoln workers. See Other Industries

The Northville board recognized also that Ford's move to Novi township is probably the fore-runner of similar industrial development in the area. Whether it will be in the area embraced by the Northville and the Novi districts is still a matter of guess-work. The over-all problem confronting both Northville and Novi school districts is so far-reaching

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Gow visit

be made. The Citizens' Advisory Group of the Northville district is evaluating the many problems and it is hoped that some kind of a tentative decision can be reached and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Gow, later this fall.

Mr and Mrs. Stanley Orchezhowski returned the latter part Elroy Ellison, Intermediate Prinof the week from a week's visit with the former's parents in Pennsylvania. They also attended the wedding of a niece. Mr. and Mrs. Russell Taylor and son Bobby, attended the Chrysler picnic at Camp Dear-

Luther Rix celebrated his birthday Sunday at a family dinner at the Rix home on First St. and class rooms." Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rix and son,

David, of Plymouth and Mr. and bus must be purchased to handle the large number of children from the outlying area. The pres-

Willowbrook Assn.

because we lack both teachers Ellison said an additional school

that it will require detailed cooperative study before any sound determination on future educational needs of the districts can



The board also heard reports by Superintendent Russell A. Amerman, High School Principal cipal Harry Smith and Amerman



Amerman pointed out that "we are getting to the point in enrollment where we can't give the

students the courses they want

(Continued) that the state board of health

on the board. Any excess money paid in rates, he added, will go into a special fund for repair or emergencies arising within the

Schools Biggest Problem Schools and the crowded conditions existing on the school buses were a problem for their school board, not the township

board, Staman advised the group Since Willowbrook is located in the East Novi school district, they must look to their own district for a solution to many of their

problems. Northville schools are not obligated to furnish either buses of Mrs. Frank







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schooling for Willowbrook child as hostesses for the pot-luck dinren, he warned. Overcrowded schools and buses in the North-The ladies will cook and serve ville system have given rise to rumors that Northville may no he board of commerce dinner in longer accept Willowbrook pu-The annual bazaar will be held pils. the first Wednesday in November. District No. 8 Makes Offer

Staman pointed out to the group that Novi District No. 8 had offered to accept Willowbrook children on the same type of tuition basis under which they are going to Northville. A few East Novi students are now at tending the District No. 8 school he said. The recently, completed \$200,000 10-room addition has space to accomodate these extra pupils, according to school board member Jack Crawford.

Staman reaffirmed his belief that if the four remaining Novi districts consolidate ,they will be able to build a high school of their own within a very few years. He pointed to the 40-acre tract at 10 Mile and Novi roads as a possible site for such a high school.

Whatever the members of East Novi District decide, he added, they must act soon because newly passed state law requires all school districts not operating their own schools to consolidate with another district by December, 1957.

A possible reduction in fire rates throughout the area may be forthcoming, Staman said, with the arrivial of a recently ordered \$20,000 American LaFrance fire engine. The fire station is exactly two miles from Willowbrook. Several residents asked about the possibility of establishing a speed limit on 10 Mile Rd. and were told that a petition had already been signed by many of the residents and forewarded to the Oakland County Road commission. They have turned the request over to the state police, Staman said, and a survey of traffic conditions in the area will soon be under way. All speed limit areas must be recommended by the state police, according to Michigan law.

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Factory Believed To Be Most Efficient Valve Producing Set-Up In United States

The Ford valve plant at the corner of Main and Griswold streets is Northville's most important industry.

It employs approximately 250 persons, including about 30 women, and its annual payroll is in excess of \$1,000,000. Most of this sum goes to workers living within a 10-mile radius of Northville, many of whom shop in local stores, patronize Northville's service establishments and send their children to Northville's schools. Plymouth, Walled Lake, South Lyon, Farmington and Livonia benefit likewise, although not in the same proportion that Northville does.

Provides Livelihood for 1,000 Individuals

The payroll of this one Ford plant directly and indirectly is the source of livelihood of approximately 1,000 individuals—Ford workers and their families, and others in occupations which cater to their needs.

The plant is also the largest single taxpayer in the city, with an assessed valuation of \$351,700 and a city tax bill this year of \$5169.

The present plant was built in 1936 to replace a 3-story structure purchased by the company in 1919 and converted to manufacture of valves for Ford engines in the following year. Previously this plant had been owned by the Dubuar Manufacturing Co., a wood-working firm which was a leading Northville industry around the turn of the century.

Was Henry Ford's Attempt To Decentralize

Acquisition of this old Northville landmark just after World War I was a step in Henry Ford's attempt to decentralize some of

the Ford company's operations in Highland Park and Dearborn and locate them it small communities near Detroit. His thought of 35 years ago, that men who could work in their fields after their day in the factory might be happier than those living in a crowded city, has now won almost universal acceptance. Everywhere there is in progress an exodus of big industry from the congestion of large cities since the war, as typified by Ford's announcement a month ago of a plan to move its Lincoln division offices and manufacturing plant to Novi township.

First Ford Plant Produced 180,000,000 Valves

The first Ford plant in Northville operated from 1920 to 1936 and produced more than 180 million valves. The new plant which was erected in 1936 was built according to 'the highest standards of that day as a single-story structure with the latest production equipment available at the time. Periodically it has been retooled to keep abreast with the times. The latest instance occurred this spring, when its manufacturing set-up was modernized to make it what is probably the most efficient valve producing plant in the United States.

Northville Plant Produces All Ford Valves

The plant is now Ford's sole source of valves for new cars and for service in the field. As such, it is a highly integrated manufacturing unit in which automation has been carried as far as is pacticable. The battery of automatic grinding machines shown below and operated by one man can produce upwards of 40,000 valves in an 8-hour shift. The plant produced more than 2,000,000 valves in August.

Edwin Flaherty, capable manager for many years, is nearing retirement age. He will probably turn over the reins to a younger man in the near future.

Heading the UAW Local 896 is J. T. Stone, president, who has proved himself to be an able, level-headed leader. Relations between management and the union have been good.

First Ford Plant

This three-story brick building, home of the old Dubuar Manufacturing Co. for many years, was purchased by Ford in 1919. Part of the plant's old machinery was moved to Greenfield Village. The old Russell steam engine was taken to Dearborn to be rebuilt; then returned to the local plant. Ford's valve manufacturing was transferred here 'from Dearborn and Highland Park in 1920, with experienced workmen from those cities manning the plant. Gradually, however, local people were brought in and today a high percentage of employees are from Northville and the immediate surrounding area. From 1920 to 1936, more than 180 million valves were made in the plant.





Present Plant

Although the Ford Motor Co. pioneered the mass production of automobiles, Henry Ford tried in building the present valve plant in 1936 to preserve at least a hint of the industrial scene with which he was familiar as a boy. The present spacious lawn which is so well maintained by Eddie Long, the mill pond with its flock of ducks, and the water wheel which turns occasionally to remind passers-by of a vanished age, give lasting testimony to his effort.

The plant's exterior linking of the present and past gives way immediately when one enters the door to a manufacturing set-up that speaks only of the future. Although there is no means of comparing it with similar operations of General Motors and Chrysler, it is certainly one of the most efficient operations in the auto industry.











Valves produced in the Rouge plant's precision shell casting foundry are trucked to the Northville plant for grinding and other finishing operations on the latest automatic machinery. First they are put through valve straightening machines like the one above operated by Edward Fairchild. Succeeding operations are automatic. The battery of six grinding machines, (right) is probably the most efficient set-up of its kind in the world. Fully automatic and operated by only one workman, these machines progressively smooth the head of each valve and grind it to the desired tolerance. They produce around 40,000 valves per eight-hour day.







This master electrical control box for the entire factory is not as complicated as it looks if you have the "know-how" of Bob Edwards, plant electrician. But it's not something for a novice to fool with.



Harold Pankow of the skilled maintenance department, drops a suggestion in one of the boxes placed around the plant for this purpose. In 1954 \$1,130 was paid to Northville employes for valuable suggestions.

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Mrs. Myrtle Duchesneau, one of the approximately 30 women employes, operates the "robot inspector", an electronic machine which checks precision-ground exhaust valves used in the plant's new overhead-valve engines. At a maximum rate of 3,000 per hour, the valves go into the automatic inspector like bullets into a machine gun. Passing through their chutes, the approved valves in each group automatically are stamped red or green. The colors later aid engine assemblers in selecting exhaust valves of exact size.

All water and metal particles resulting from the valve grinding process are separated in giant settling basins located on the north side of the plant. Workman Gary Deal loads a bucket of the settled "mud" which contains approximately 65% metal particles and is sold for reclamation. The water is then recirculated again in the grinding machines.



Pitching horseshoes and feeding the flock of ducks on the mill pond are popular lunch-hour pastimes in summer. Dick Smith and Tony Bongiovanni were pitching a friendly game and Ward Riley was feeding corn to the ducks when the photographer passed by.







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Two new models have been added to the Ford truck line-a T-750 tandem axle model in the heavy truck series, and a new, longer wheelbase pickup. Gross vehicle weights extend

from 5,000 pounds on the pickup to 42,000 pounds on the heavy duty tandem axle models. For 1956, Ford's cab design in-

troduces increased visibility of wrap-around windshields and optional wrap-around rear windows. Introduced for the first time to the trucking industry are two standard safety features----a safety steering wheel and safety door latches. Seat belts are optional. The safety steering wheel is designed with a rim three inches above the horn button to give the driver's chest added protection from the steering column in case of a crash.

Also, a new safety door latch reduces the chance that doors will open in an accident, providing occupants added protection from being thrown out of the cab.

Tubeless tires, standard equipment this year, increase Ford truck economy. Larger payloads can be carried because tubeless tires and wheels weigh less, which is important to a trucker with as many as 10 tires on his

truck. They ieduce tire-change time up to 70 per cent. Ford's short stroke ,low fric tion engine design has been continued this year in eight engine combinations developed for more power, fuel savings and durability Horsepower has been increased in all engines, by 12.7 per cent in the smallest 223 cu. in. six

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Northville Residents Invited To Enroll In Plymouth Adult Education Classes

at the Wayne county library, at the Plymouth chamber of commerce office and at the Plymouth

> The pamphlet gives general in-formation on the adult school program including who may register, when activities begin, when and where classes meet, how the classes are formed and what office to contact for any further information.

the directory, may be done by any one of three methods.

from 7 to 9 pm. during the week of Sept. 19 in the adult education office in the high school. Day registration takes place from 8 to 5 in the adult education office in the high school. The third manner of registration is by mail whereby persons may send a check, name and address, phone number, course title, to the adult education office, Plymouth high school. us classes the adult education schooling program are: Arts and Crafts-Fly tying, leather craft, millinery, oil painting, photo coloring, sewing and tailoring. Business Education — Book keeping, business English, nego tiable instruments, stock market fundamentals. Home and Family Living -Mental health, cake decorating, meats, rug hooking, salads, slip covers and draperies, silk screening, rug braiding, upholstering, and wood finishing. Special Classes — Bridge, conservation lectures, dog obedience

community chorus, ballroom dancing, square dance class, square dance club, swimming, symphony orchestra, theatre guild, men's barber shop chorus, Swedish gymnastics for women. Any person not enrolled in a regular day school may take part in the adult education system. Most of the classes will meet one

evening a week from 7 to 9 for a 10-week period. There are no classes that will be accredited as college credits

Davy Crockett may not have shot an Indian, killed a bear, or saved the Alamo—but in 1955 he sure did wipe the spacemen off the map.

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week Registration starts Sept. 19, This year's schedule of classes has been listed in a printed directory entitled "Things to Do in the Plymouth Community Schools". The directory, put_out

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