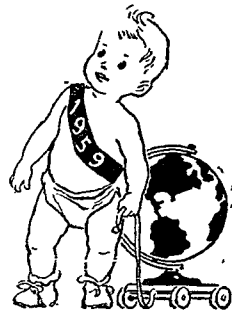


Let's Look At the Woods

THE REV. JOHN O. TAXIS
First Presbyterian Church



"I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills . . ." can you find a lovelier way to express the outlook for the New Year? This utterance of the Psalmist gives us the perspective for life that yields the most satisfaction and happiness. He helps us to gather our energies to lift up our heads from the pressing surroundings and distractions so that we are able to see ourselves in the proper setting of the whole of God's creation.

You have encouraged others during times of their deepest stress to "stop looking at the trees and look at the woods". In so doing you have endeavored to help them to be less mindful of the imperfections within themselves and others and to behold the total beauty of their individual lives blending with one another into the "woods" of all humanity. It's easy to remember the hurts, the rebuffs, the personal slights that have scarred our lives in the past days and months, but it takes spiritual effort to look above and beyond these to behold the panorama of the woods.

The Psalmist, like each of us, knew the need for a proper perspective and urged his contemporaries to "look into the hills", yet he further questioned himself, "From whence cometh my help?" and almost before the question drops from his lips there comes the echo . . . "My help cometh from the Lord, who made heaven and earth."

As if to confirm this faith, history unfolded a new and dynamic meaning by placing before our eyes a new hill. Instead of the hill with the Temple, our eyes are focused on the HILL OF CALVARY.

This superimposed upon the old, is the new; and the brilliant light flowing from Calvary's Hill we gain a new perspective to undergird our aspirations for the days which lie ahead, as we resolve in our hearts:

*"I will lift up mine eyes unto Calvary's Hill
From whence my help cometh!"*

May such a resolve guide and direct each of us in the path of righteousness and peace, throughout the coming year.

HAPPY NEW YEAR

GREETINGS TO ALL

The Northville Record

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Ten Candidates File for City Offices

March Of Dimes To Begin

Northville will be in step with communities throughout the nation as the annual March of Dimes campaign gets underway during January.

Heading the local drive is Fred Stefanski, assistant principal of Northville high school.

The 1959 March of Dimes, under the theme of 'Toward Greater Victories' has expanded its program to include research into causes and possible cures and prevention of arthritis, birth defects and virus diseases. Therefore, the campaign will raise funds to provide patient care for crippled victims of arthritis and birth defects up to 18 years of age, as well as polio victims.

Stefanski emphasized that the outbreak of polio throughout Wayne county last summer should be a grim reminder to all area residents to back the campaign with generous contributions.

Vivid examples of how March of Dimes' contributions help everyone were in evidence here last fall when two special polio prevention Salk vaccine clinics were conducted at the community building. Hundreds of residents took advantage of these \$1.00 per shot clinics.

Heading the local campaign again this year will be the biggest fund-raiser, the Mothers' March. Last year this all-out, door-to-door drive produced more than \$1,000 in contributions. In 1957 the "Mothers" collected \$1,500. Stefanski said that a date had not yet been set for the "March".

Other events will include the distribution of canisters, a peanut sale by high school students and a high school dance following the Brighton basketball game. All proceeds from the dance will go to the March of Dimes, Stefanski said. The high school dance band will donate its services.

Working with Stefanski on the month-long campaign are: Mrs. Fred Russell, treasurer; Mrs. Albert Leedham, in charge of the Mothers' March; Gil Glasson, coin collector; William Hensch, school chairman; Fred Kester, clubs; Robert Starnes, teen chairman, and Mrs. Orson Atchinson, publicity.



MAKING IT OFFICIAL.— Mayor Malcolm Allen signs a proclamation declaring January as 'March of Dimes Month' in Northville. The annual campaign is chairmaned this year by Fred Stefanski. Watching the mayor sign the proclamation is Mrs. Orson Atchinson, publicity chairman.

Crash Sends 13 to Hospital

Two cars collided at the Novi road-Eight Mile intersection on Christmas day, sending a total of 13 persons to the hospital.

Although none were seriously injured, one driver and his eight passengers from Corunna, and the other driver and his three passengers from Walled Lake were treated for cuts and bruises at Atchison Memorial hospital.

Injured in the car driven by Richard D. Miller, Corunna, was: his wife, Joanne; his children, Wendy 7, Kimberly 1, Kirby 2, and Richard 13; May Anthony 74, and Mr. and Mrs. Brent Little.

Calendar

Tuesday, January 6
OLV Mothers' club, church social hall, 8 p.m., all parish women invited.

Friday, January 9
Northville Woman's club, library, 2 p.m., speaker W. A. McGonagle, curator, Detroit Art Institute.

Mrs. W. B. Chase Dies December 29

A Northville resident, Mrs. Pearl Jane Chase, 43300 Eight Mile road, known for her kind works and community activities, passed away December 29 at Beyer Memorial hospital in Ypsilanti.

During most of her life Mrs. Chase made it a point everyday to give something to someone to bring them happiness.

Many of her gifts were flowers. A gardening enthusiast for years, and a member of the Northville Garden club, Mrs. Chase had recently begun a collection of dried flowers.

She was born August 20, 1897 in Nelsonville, Ohio, the daughter of Lincoln Miller Hull and Martha Jane Gatrell.

She is survived by her husband, William B. Chase, president of the Shatterproof Glass corporation in Detroit.

She also leaves two daughters, Mrs. Jan (Patricia) Hartmann of Dearborn and Mrs. Lionel (Betty Jane) Smith of Ypsilanti; a son, William B. Chase, II, of Dearborn; four sisters, Mrs. Mildred Yarbrough of Bradenton Beach, Florida, Mrs. Mary Runyon of Sharonville, Ohio, Mrs. Sylvia Rittger of Cincinnati and Mrs. Edna Shively also of Cincinnati, and a brother, Carl Hull of Delaware, Ohio.

Mrs. Chase has made her home in the community since October, 1936.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m., December 31, from the Casterline Funeral home. The Rev. John O. Taxis of the Northville First Presbyterian church officiated. Burial was in Glen Eden cemetery.

13 Township Candidates File for Novi Offices

Novi, too, had an avalanche of candidates file for city and township offices before Monday's deadline.

They are: Frazer Staman, Republican Supervisor incumbent, seeking re-election; Hadley Bachert, Republican incumbent and Republican William MacDermid for clerk; Ray Harrison, incumbent, Charles Trickey, Sr. and Herbert O. Ostlund, Republicans, and Robert F. Norton for treasurer.

Frank Watza, Republican incumbent, George F. Merwin, Republican and John Kubeck, Democrat for trustee; John T. Meier, Republican, and Herbert Koester, Democrat, for justice of the peace;

Leon D. Dochot, for constable, and John A. Harden, for seat on the board of review. Both are Republicans.

8 Seek 2 Council Seats; French to Oppose Allen

The largest field of candidates ever to seek office in Northville will compete for two council seats and the mayor post next April 6.

Ten candidates filed petitions before the Monday deadline. Eight of the petitioners are running for the two council vacancies, while incumbent Mayor A. Malcolm Allen will have competition from Aubrey French, a newcomer to local politics.



A. Malcolm Allen
Incumbent Mayor



Aubrey French
Candidate for Mayor

The council candidates are: David G. Cameron, Incumbent John S. Canterbury, Paul Folino, Richard Juday, Clayton Myers, Harvey Ritchie, Lloyd Shay and Alfred H. Smith.

Councilman Canterbury and John Stubbenvoll complete their terms in April, but Stubbenvoll is not seeking re-election.

The entry of French into the race for mayor came as something of a surprise. Until last week it was not thought that Mayor Allen would have competition.

French is 34 years old and has his own trucking business. He is married and has five children and resides at 353 East Cady street. He has lived in Northville for 12 years.

Formerly an employee of Allied Products, French was chairman of the bargaining committee in representing the employees of that company. He is a past president of the Northwest Credit Union composed of employees of business located in Detroit's northwest side. He is also secretary of the Democratic club of Northville and is a precinct delegate.

Allen took over the duties of mayor after the death of Mayor Claude Ely last April. He had served as a councilman for 10 years prior to this.

Mayor Allen is 43, married and has two children. He is the owner of Allen Monument Works, 580 South Main street, and has been a resident of the community since 1935.

Only new petition for township office came from Chester Lipa, 19390 Clement, who filed for constable on the Republican ticket. This gives township Republicans a complete slate to match the Democratic entry.

The complete township slates Supervisor, George N. Bennett (D) and George L. Clark (R); clerk, Mrs. Walter Gothe (D) and Mrs. Marguerite Northup (R); trustee, Chester Robertson (D) and R. D. Merriam, incumbent, (R); treasurer, Roy M. Terrill (R); board of review, Leon Gagner (D) and Donald Robinson (R); justice of the peace, Edward M. Cassel (D) and Incumbent Lawrence Masselink (R); constable, Manuel D. Perez (D) and Chester Lipa (R).

Prizes in Line For First in '59

The annual race is on again! A host of prizes awaits Mr. or Miss 1959 in Northville and Novi. As in past years, area merchants are offering special prizes for the first baby of 1959 born to parents who are Northville or Novi residents.

The rules are simple and anyone can qualify — well, most anyone, that is.

For complete details as well as prizes and sponsoring merchants turn to page 10.

Yerkes Wants 'Out' Of Novi Village

Novi village may lose 36.7 acres within its boundaries to Novi township if an effort by Attorney Edmund W. Yerkes to "detach" his 42580 Eight Mile road farmland from the village, is successful.

Yerkes filed his petition to become disconnected from the village with the Oakland county circuit court October 29. A pre-trial hearing is expected to be scheduled within the next 30 days.

The success of Yerkes' withdrawal attempt will probably depend upon his ability to prove that his property can accurately be defined as "farm".

The surprise move by Yerkes is permissible under a statute that provides that a tract, or tracts, totaling more than 10 acres situated on the boundaries of a village, so located that it will not isolate other areas of the village, may become "detached" from the village by court order.

The petitioner must not have received any appreciable services from the village (such as water, sewers, etc.) and also prove that his land has been used for farming purposes for the past three years.

Village Attorney Howard Bond stated that he had answered Yerkes' petition to the court with a request for proof by Yerkes that the acreage had been used to a sufficient extent as a farm. Bond added that the village council has not yet decided whether to contest the move.

Village President Walter Tuck was stunned by the action. "Two years ago Yerkes proposed village incorporation as our salvation in Novi," Tuck stated. He added that

of all the Eight Mile road residents, Yerkes was "the last one" that he would have expected to seek separation from the village. "He was closer to Novi than any of the southern boundary residents," said Tuck, referring to Yerkes' long tenure as justice of the peace.

While Yerkes may have favored village incorporation two years ago, he actively sought annexation to the city of Northville (before Novi village incorporation) last year. In an informal meeting with the city council Yerkes proposed city annexation of a narrow strip of Novi township running from Novi road east to Haggerty and north from Eight Mile road to approximately the 8 1/2-mile line. He indicated residents of the area would favor the plan.

Northville councilmen were cool to the idea, and particularly city initiation of the plan. They indicated that if he (Yerkes) presented petitions signed by residents of the area that the request would be honored and that the residents of the city and area in question could decide the matter by ballot.

While Yerkes declined to discuss his "detachment" action with The Record, Bond reported that Yerkes gave increased taxes with no benefits and the opinion that he considered himself a resident of Northville as his reasons for seeking township status.

Fear that Yerkes' request may start an avalanche of such actions has prompted the council to make a close examination of the case before settlement.

There's Room for Two of these Council Candidates



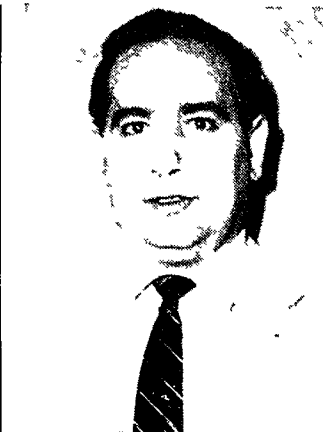
David G. Cameron

Sales manager Haller, Inc., resident five years living at 760 Spring drive. Cameron is 30, married and has three children. Studied engineering, marketing and sales at Michigan and Detroit universities. First came to Northville to work for Allied Products.



John S. Canterbury

Incumbent councilman, completing first term. Married, two children, resides at 204 Randolph. Executive Ford Motor company. Received education at Ohio Northern, North Carolina and Denver universities. Held positions as management consultant and planning director.



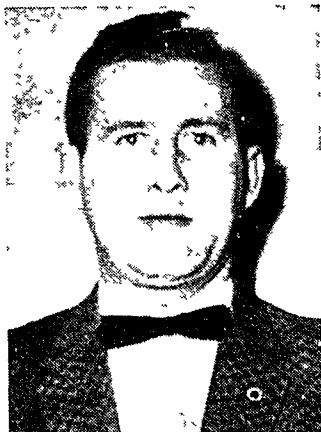
Paul Folino

Age 29, resides at 350 East Cady, married, lifelong resident, graduate of Northville high school class of 1947. Formerly owned Paul's Sweet Shop, now assistant sales manager, Fabiano Sales and Service Co. Member of Optimists, former director Retail Merchants, helped organize local Junior Chamber.



Richard Juday

Married and has three sons. Resides at 304 Lake. Juday, 40, owns and operates Juday's Standard service, Main at Church streets, and has been a Northville resident since 1946. He was formerly a salesman for a chair company.



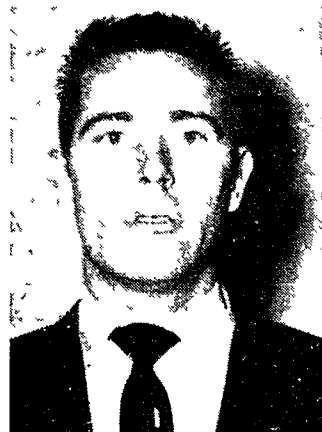
Clayton Myers

Myers, 36, is Standard Oil agent with franchise for area, married with three children. A past commander of VFW and now district inspector, also member of Northville Recreation committee. He has been a resident 29 years and graduated in Northville high school class of 1939.



Harvey Ritchie

Owner with brother of Ritchie Bros. Laundry, 36, married, one son, resides at 821 Spring drive. Ran for council in last election, was member of city charter commission, currently member of planning commission. Resident of Northville for 28 years.



Lloyd Shay

Resides at 575 Gardner, owns and operates Shay's Shell service, 446 South Main street. Married and has two children. Shay, 30, has lived in Northville 10 years coming here from Redford where he was graduated from Redford Union high school.



Alfred H. Smith

54 years old, self-employed builder, resident 14 years, married, five children. Resides at 507 Beal avenue, member Northville Democratic club, past commander Northville Dads of Foreign Service Veterans, past master Grange No. 81 and past president of P-TA of Williamston, Vermont.



Mrs. George Bulterman

Mr. and Mrs George Bulterman To Honeymoon in Austria

Christmas greens and white and red poinsettia decorated Northville's First Presbyterian church December 20 for the wedding of Gay Elizabeth Duerson to George Bulterman. Gay is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Duerson of West Main street.

The groom is the son of Mrs. Henry J. Bulterman and the late Mr. Bulterman of The Hague, Netherlands.

The Rev. John O. Taxis performed the afternoon double ring ceremony. Organ music accompanied the service.

The bride was given in marriage by her father.

Her gown of white Italian silk fell into a cathedral train and was trimmed across the front of its fitted bodice and around the full skirt with applied lace and sequins. A lace cap held her fingertip veil in place, and she carried a bouquet of white poinsettia and variegated holly.

Maid of honor, Lisa Hunter of Huntington Woods, wore a ballerina-length empire dress of flame peau de soie. Her flowers were pink poinsettia and holly and she wore a wreath of holly in her hair.

Flowergirl, little Stacey Ann Schaefer, was dressed in a pink organdy floor length frock, pink slippers and wore a holly wreath in her hair. She carried a basket of holly.

Charles Bulterman served as best man for his brother. Another brother, Rudolph, and Stanton Schaefer were ushers.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Duerson selected a sapphire blue satin dress and wore a pink carnation corsage.

Mrs. Bulterman chose a dress of grey lace and also pinned on a corsage of pink carnations.

A reception, attended by 125 local and out of state guests was held at Botsford Inn. Mrs. Bulterman traveled from the Netherlands, Charles from Darien, Connecticut, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Bulterman from Marblehead, Massachusetts, and a third brother of the groom, Jacques, from Chicago.

Other guests came from Lansing, Coldwater, Lapeer, Northville and Detroit.

For the wedding trip the bride wore a sea green wool empire jacket dress and black accessories. The

newlyweds will honeymoon at a Tyrol ski resort in Seefeld, Austria, returning to The Hague after January 5.

Gay is a graduate of the University of Michigan, where she was affiliated with Kappa Alpha Theta sorority, and attended the Sorbonne in Paris. George was educated in Holland.

They will make their home in The Hague, Netherlands.



Mrs. William A. Miller

Robert W. Westerfield Marries Maryland Girl

Ruth Esta Stanton, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie J. Stanton of Grantsville, Maryland, became the bride of Robert Wallace Westerfield, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace A. Westerfield of West Nine Mile road, November 29 in St. John's United Church of Christ, Grantsville. The Rev. Emory A. McGraw officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride given in marriage by her father, wore a ballerina length gown of chantilly ruffled tiered lace over net and taffeta. Her circular fingertip veil fell from a lace cap trimmed with pearls. She carried a cascade bouquet of white carnations, ivy and fern, tied with love knots.

Marylin Breneman, the bride's only attendant, wore a pink ballerina length gown of net over taffeta with matching headpiece, and carried pink carnations.

Wilmer Miller served as best man. For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Stanton wore a navy blue dress and black accessories.

Mrs. Westerfield wore a blue dress and black accessories. Both mothers had corsages of pink carnations.

The new Mrs. Westerfield is a senior at Northern high school, where she is managing editor of the

school paper, a member of Future Business Leaders, Quil and Scroll, is on the honor roll, and is an office assistant.

The groom, a graduate of Northville high school has been in the United States Navy since 1954. He is stationed at the C. E. Pier, Norfolk, Virginia aboard the USS Richard E. Kraus.

The newlyweds honeymooned for several days in Norfolk. After graduation the bride will join her husband there. She is now living with her parents.

V.F.W. Auxiliary Has Christmas Party

The Northville ladies auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars celebrated their annual Christmas party at their second meeting this month.

Dinner was served by sisters Clara Broda and Mary Roger.

Each member made a paper Christmas hat and prizes were awarded, for the funniest hat, to Clara Broda, to Sue Smith for the most original, and to June Hubenschmidt for the prettiest.

about WOMEN

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Ann Elizabeth Redner Wed In Double Ring Ceremony

In a double-ring ceremony December 27, read by the Rev. Robert J. Searls at Franklin Community church, Ann Elizabeth Redner and William Arthur Miller were united in marriage.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Arthur D. Redner of Farmington and the late Mr. Redner. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest C. Miller of Port Huron.

Fred Kendall of WJR Radio sang "Jesus Joy of Man's Desiring", "A Wedding Benediction" and "The Lord's Prayer".

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, Roland, was attired in a princess-style Bianchi gown of bouquet taffeta with bell-shaped skirt and chapel-length train. Alencon lace embroidered with crystals and pearls formed a scoop neckline, and Victorian sleeves.

A Dior bow of taffeta applied with lace and seed pearls held her fingertip veil of French silk illusion. She carried a cascade bouquet of white roses, stephanotis and trailing ivy.

Mrs. William B. Forrest was matron of honor for her sister.

Bridesmaids were Mrs. Roland Redner, sister-in-law of the bride; Mrs. Donald Miller, sister-in-law of the groom, and two of the bride's sorority sisters, Sally Wheeler of Lansing and Barbara Magnus of Bloomfield Hills.

All attendants' dresses were princess-style Christmas-red velveteen,

with bell skirts. Their headpieces were bows of matching red velveteen with face veils. They carried red velveteen muffs on which were pinned white roses and shattered red carnations.

Lisa Forrest, eldest niece of the bride, was flower girl and wore a red velveteen princess-style dress. She carried a white fur muff with red roses and white carnation center.

The groom's nephew, Mark Wilkinson was ringbearer.

Best man was Donald Miller, brother of the groom.

Ushers were Robert Redner, brother of the bride; William Kersul of Lincoln Park; Gene Dimick of Royal Oak, and Bill Powell of Waterford.

Altar decorations were red poinsettia against a background of tall white flowers.

Following the ceremony, a luncheon-reception was held at Devon Gables.

The newlyweds left afterward by plane on a honeymoon trip to New York City. For going away the bride chose a French blue tweed suit, a white beaver hat and muff.

They will reside in East Lansing until the groom completes his studies.

To Marry In July



Judith Robinson

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Robinson of Grace street announce the engagement of their daughter, Judith, to David L. Nelson, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Nelson of Plymouth.

Judy is a 1958 graduate of Northville high school and a student at Cleary college and David, a 1955 graduate of Plymouth high school, is a senior at Michigan State university.

A July wedding is being planned.



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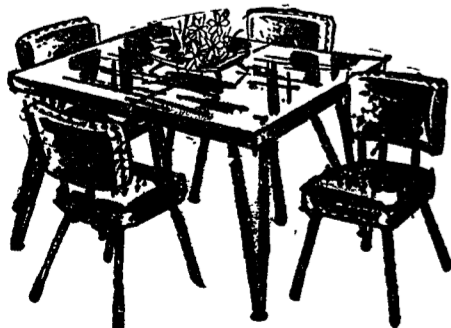


Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Westerfield

Guests Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cassel of West Main street were Mr. Cassel's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Duncan of Grosse Pointe and Mr. Cassel's nephew, Quinn Laukel of Dallas, Texas.

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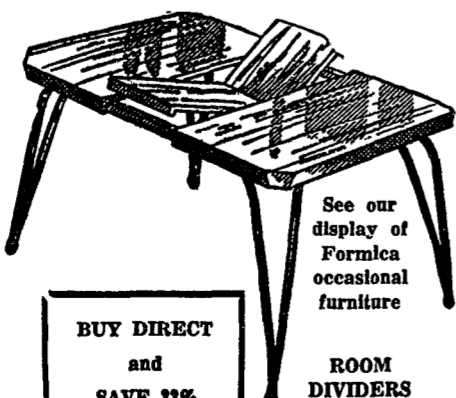
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Name Girl Scouts to Attend Senior Round-Up in Colorado

Northville and Novi Senior Girl Scouts will be among the 97 girls selected as delegates and alternates to attend the Senior Girl Scout Round-Up in Colorado this July.

Those participating from Northville, part of the Huron Valley Council, will be: Judith Stamann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stamann of Thayer boulevard; Rosemary Frost, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Frost of Smock road; Stephanie Brown, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. P. N. Brown of Haggerty court, and Mary Ebert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Ebert, Jr. of West Dunlap street.

Representing the Southern Oakland Girl Scout Council from Novi will be Noel Louise F'Geppert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Erwin F'Geppert of Novi road.

In this second triennial Girl Scout Roundup, 7,500 girl scouts from the United States and representative Girl Guides from other countries will camp on a private ranch in

Colorado Springs from July 3-12. The roundup is designed principally to introduce girls from all parts of the country and to teach them to work with girls of different backgrounds and education.

Juanita Carlington Wed Here December 23

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Carlington of South Main street, Northville, announce the marriage of their daughter, Juanita Mae, to Donald Farr McBain, Michigan.

The Rev. John O. Taxis performed the double ring ceremony at the First Presbyterian church December 23.

Attendants were Audrey and Karl Carlington, sister and brother of the bride.

The church was decorated with white poinsettia and evergreen. The bride wore a cream wool suit with brown accessories. The maid of honor wore a red wool dress and black accessories.

Married Christmas Eve

Miss Nina Eileen Ax and Spiro Lambo George, both of Detroit, were united in marriage by Justice E. M. Bogart Wednesday, December 24. Mrs. Bogart and Mrs. Grace Fuller were the attending witnesses.

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Newcomer's Corner

"I look upon every day to be lost, in which I do not make a new acquaintance."

—Samuel Johnson



HAPPY NEW YEAR! — Mustering up just enough energy to wish new neighbors a bully 1959 is the furry little fellow that arrived in one of the Russell Cooke family stockings this Christmas. The new Willowbrook residents are (left to right): Sally Ann, Mrs. Cooke, Elizabeth and Mr. Cooke.

Area Goodwill Industries Plans Bag Distribution

Peoples of all religions have been asked to cooperate with Goodwill Industries in a community-wide distribution of Goodwill bags during the week end of January 17-18.

Letters have been mailed to religious leaders throughout the area asking for the number of bags that can be used by each religious group.

It is to be a bag distribution only, with collection handled in the same manner that Goodwill employs throughout the year. A Goodwill truck will collect the filled bag at the request of each individual contributor.

Goodwill Industries is a community project employing handicapped people from all walks of life, and by refurbishing discards they are able to be self-supporting.

Just in time to see the old year out in their new Willowbrook home are newcomers Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cooke and daughters, Sally Ann, 9, and Elizabeth, 17.

The Russells, former Detroiters, moved into their Glen Ridge court residence two weeks ago.

Elizabeth, a high school senior, is making a little extra effort to

graduate with her old classmates by continuing studies at Detroit's Dominican high school.

The family now attends Our Lady of Victory church in Northville, and Sally Ann is a fourth grader at Our Lady of Victory school.

Mr. Russell works for Ford Motor company in Livonia.

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FREYDL CLEANERS & MEN'S WEAR

NEWS AROUND NORTHVILLE

Mrs. Robert Wiley and children from Greenville, Tennessee are visiting Mrs. Wiley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rumley of Dunlap street for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Van Valkenburgh entertained Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Van Valkenburgh and family of Vicksburg, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Stevens and daughter Betty, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Gordon of Northville, and Miss Ester Osborn of Sheffield, Alabama at a Christmas dinner.

Mrs. Albert Leonard and daughter Delia Jo are visiting the J. E. Straus' from Louisiana during the holidays. Sgt. I/C Leonard, now stationed at Ft. Sill, Oklahoma, returned recently from Korea.

Lila Lea Skow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Skow of Horton street, was honored at a linen shower Monday, given by her sister, Rita Kay. Guests, high school friends of the bride-elect, enjoyed games and refreshments.

Some 50 high school friends enjoyed the toboggan party given by Barbara Rumley Friday. They returned to the Rumley home on Dunlap street for refreshments.

Tuesday, 172 friends and relatives of the Crispin Hammonds of Timberlane attended their 25th wedding anniversary open house here. Among the guests was the Rev. Chester Loucks, now pastor of the First Baptist church in Ann Arbor, who married Mr. and Mrs. Hammonds in Seattle. They received many congratulatory letters and

Library to Close Thursday, Friday

The Northville library will be open today (Wednesday) from 11:30 to 4 p.m.

It will be closed Thursday and Friday and open again from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, January 3.

telegrams, the longest-traveler of which was probably one from Alaska.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Richardson and Mr. and Mrs. James Robertson were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Straus of Beck road Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Richard Brunner and daughters, Marybe and Marcia, of Portsmouth, Ohio have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Garret.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Melbourne and family were guests of the Jim Spagnuolo's of East Main street during the Christmas holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Straus of Beck road and 16 of their friends will attend the New Year's eve square dance sponsored by the Plymouth Square Dance club at Plymouth high school. Afterward the group will attend a party at the Garden City home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Closson.

Guests of the Arthur Carlsons on Christmas eve were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Landau and children, Edward and Barbara of Wayne; Mr. and Mrs. John Gibson and children, Peg and John, of Six Mile road;

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Carlson, Jr. and daughter, Debbie, and Mrs. Carrel Hansen and son, Robert, of Lansing. Absent from the family holiday get-together were Mr. and Mrs. William Noutilla and children, Carol Lynn and Jimmy Paul, who have moved from Northville to La Crosse, Wisconsin.

Miss Eva Johnson was a Christmas dinner guest of the J. E. Straus' of Beck road. Mr. and Mrs. Ike Evans of Plymouth were Christmas callers at the Straus home.

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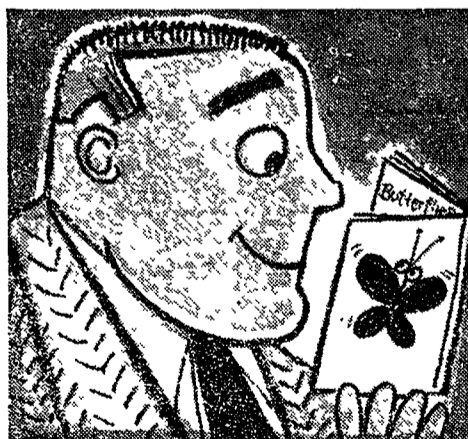
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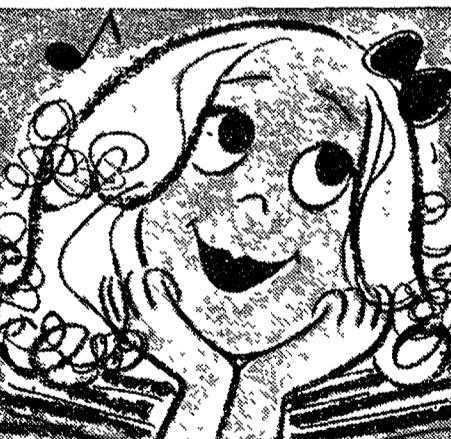
As the world prepares to ring in another New Year, we take pleasure in thanking all our good friends for their loyal patronage and wishing them lots of good luck and happiness for every day of '59.

S. L. BRADER'S
DEPT. STORE

Uncle Harry (Saginaw)—Who but Aunt Madge would have ferreted out the secret that his private passion is . . . butterflies?



Sonia (Grand Rapids)—Happily engrossed in the record album her boyfriend (of the moment) sent her.



Sonia's Beau (of the moment, from Kal-amazoo)—He actually wears that tie Sonia sent him. Love is a very powerful thing.

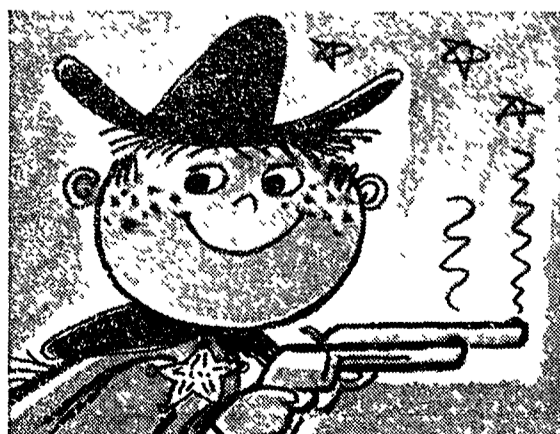


Aunt Madge (Detroit)—An admirer sent Madge perfume. It's called "Great Expectations"—she hasn't been the same since.



As time runs out on the old year, we look forward to the new one in the hope of continuing to enjoy the privilege of serving all of you whose patronage we value so highly. Here's wishing you a very happy '59!

Nowels Lumber & Coal Co.



Peter (Grand Rapids)—Granny knows small boys, so Peter now packs the pearliest-handled six-shooters this side of the Rockies.

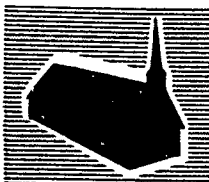


Granny (Ann Arbor)—Granny's latest interest is golf. The driver from Madge should help improve her handicap.

...and they all thank each other by telephone

Just now everybody's bubbling over with gratitude and affection. This is the time to remember Long Distance. By Long Distance you can say "Thank you for the gift" warmly, personally, spontaneously. Those you call will get a big kick out of it. So will you. Phone and see.

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Rev. Fr. John Wittstock
Masses—7:00, 9:30 and 12 noon.
Weekday Masses—8:15.
Holy Day Masses—6, 9 and 7:30
Perpetual Help Devotions—every
Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.
Confessions: every Thursday, 4:30
to 5:15 p.m.
every Saturday, 10:30 to 11:30
a.m. and 7 to 8 p.m.
Religious Instructions: Saturday,
9:30 to 10:30 a.m.
Grade school children: Thursday,
4 to 5 p.m.
High school pupils: Thursday, 1:30
to 2:15 p.m.
Altar Society meeting—every Wed-
nesday before the third Sunday of
the month.
Mothers' Club—8 p.m. first Tues-
day of each month.
Men's Club—Third Thursday of each
month, 8 p.m.
C.Y.O. high school group—Second
Wednesday of each month, 7:30 p.m.

ST. WILLIAM'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Walled Lake
Father Raymond Jones
Father Henry Waraska, Assistant
Sunday Masses:
7:30, 9:00, 11:00, 12:15.
Weekday Masses:
6:30, 8:30.
Saturday Masses:
7:15, 8:00 a.m.
Holy Day Masses:
7:00, 9:00, 10:00 a.m.
Evening Mass at 8:00.
First Friday:
Mass at 8:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m.
Confessions:
Saturday, 4:00-5:30 and 7:30-9:00.
Daily from 7:30 to 8:00 a.m.
Religious instruction class:
Monday, 8 p.m.; Friday, 7 p.m.
Baptism:
Sunday, 2 p.m.
Religious instruction classes:
grades 1-8 Saturday morning.
grades 9-12 Tuesday afternoon.

ST. JOHN'S AMERICAN LUTHERAN CHURCH OF FARMINGTON

Temporarily meeting in Farmington
Junior High School Auditorium
33000 Thomas Street
9:15 a.m., Church school.
10:30 a.m., Morning Worship.
Nursery during services.

SALEM FEDERATED CHURCH

Richard S. Burgess, Pastor
Phone FI-9-0674
Sunday:
10 a.m., Morning Worship.
Nursery Church, Birth 3 yrs.
Primary Church, 4-8 yrs.
11 a.m., Sunday school hour.
6 p.m., Youth Fellowship.
Junior, 3rd-6th grades.
Intermediate, 7th-8th grades.
Senior, high school and college.
7:30 p.m., Evening service.
Monday:
7:00-8:30 p.m., Pioneer Girls
Pilgrim, 3rd-6th grades
Colonist, 7th-8th grades.
Explorer, 9th-12th grades.
Wednesday:
7 p.m., Adult and youth choir re-
hearsals.
7:45 p.m., Hour of Prayer service.
8:30 p.m., Teacher Training class.
Thursday:
7:00-8:30 p.m., Christian Service
Brigade.
Stockade, ages 8-11.
Boys' Brigade, ages 12-18.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF NORTHVILLE

217 N. Wing
Res. and Office Phone FI 9-1080
Peter F. Nieuwkoop, Pastor
Sunday:
10 a.m., Sunday School.
11 a.m., Morning Worship. Junior
church, Nursery for Tiny Tots. Cry
room for mothers with babies.
6:30 p.m., Youth Fellowships.
7:30 p.m., Evening service.
Wednesday:
7:30 p.m., Mid-week prayer.
8:30 p.m., Choir practice.
Thursday:
6:45 p.m., Pioneer Girls.
Boys Brigade.

HOLY CROSS EPISCOPAL

Novi Public School, Novi Road
1/4 Mile North of Grand River
11 a.m., Morning Prayer.
Holy Communion, 2nd Sunday of
each month.
Nursery. Church school.
WILLOWBROOK COMMUNITY
CHURCH
(Evangelical United Brethren)
Meadowbrook at Ten Mile Road
Rev. B. E. Chapman, Minister
Phone Greenleaf 4-7757
Parsonage: 24575 Border Hill
Sunday:
9:45 a.m., Sunday school.
11 a.m., Worship service.

CHRIST TEMPLE

8275 McFadden St. - Salem
Pastor R. L. Sizemore
Sunday:
9:45 a.m., Sunday School.
11:30 a.m., Preaching.
8 p.m., Night service.
Wednesday:
8 p.m., Bible Class.
7:30 p.m., Saints meeting.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

South Lyon, Michigan
Services at Stone School at
Napier and Ten Mile Road
Rev. Joseph Spooner
Sunday:
11 a.m., Morning Prayer and ser-
mon by the Rev. Spooner.
Church School.
Holy Communion every second
Sunday in month.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF NOVI

25901 Novi Rd. FI-9-2608
Arnold B. Cook, Pastor
Lewis King, S.S. Supt.
Sunday:
10 a.m., Worship Service.
Junior Church 6-10; Primary 2-5.
11 a.m., Sunday School.
6:30 p.m., Baptist Youth Fellow-
ship.
7:30 p.m., Evening service.
Tuesday:
7:30 p.m., Workers' conference
first Tuesday of each month.
Wednesday:
7 p.m., Senior choir.
7:45 p.m., Bible study and prayer.
Thursday:
12:00, Mission band second Thurs-
day of each month.
Saturday:
3 p.m., Junior choir.

NOVI METHODIST CHURCH

Church Phone Fieldbrook 9-2021
Rev. George T. Nevin
Sunday
9:45 a.m., Morning Worship.
11 a.m., Sunday School, Mrs. Rus-
sell Button, S.S. Supt.
7 p.m., M.Y.F.
Wednesday:
WCS meets every third Wednes-
day at 12 sharp for luncheon.

FULL SALVATION UNION CHAPEL

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(3/4 mile west of Northville)
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Rev. James Andrews, Gen. Pastor
Res. and Office Phone FI-9-0056
Sunday:
2 p.m., Sunday School.
3 p.m., Worship service.
On the first Sunday of each
month beginning at 2:30 p.m. a gen-
eral fellowship and educational
gathering for all is held with pot-
luck supper served in the chapel
casement following the service.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

1190 West Ann Arbor Trail
Plymouth, Michigan
The divine source of true wisdom
and goodness will be stressed at
Christian Science services Sunday.
Scriptural selections in the Les-
son-Sermon entitled "God" will in-
clude the following (James 1:5,17):
"If any of you lack wisdom, let him
ask of God, that giveth to all men
liberally, and upbraideth not; and
it shall be given him . . . Every
good gift and every perfect gift is
from above, and cometh down from
the Father of lights, with whom is
no variableness, neither shadow of
turning."
Correlative passages to be read
from "Science and Health with Key
to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker
Eddy include the following (275:17):
"No wisdom is wise but His wis-
dom; no truth is true, no love is
lovely, no life is Life but the divine;
no good is, but the good God be-
stows."

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST

33825 Grand River
Farmington, Michigan
Sunday:
11 a.m., Sunday Service.
11 a.m., Sunday School.
Wednesday:
8 p.m., Evening Service.
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urday from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH OF NORTHVILLE

109 W. Dunlap Northville
Office FI-9-1144 Res. FI-9-1143
Paul Cargo, Minister
Friday, January 2, 1959:
10 to 11:30 a.m., Carol choir.
Sunday, January 4:
8:45 a.m., First Worship service.
Holy Communion.
9:45 a.m., Church school, A class
for everyone.
11 a.m., Second Worship service.
Holy Communion.
Lounge for mothers with babies.
Nursery for pre-school children.
Junior church in Fellowship hall.
6:30 p.m., Intermediate MYF.
7 p.m., Senior MYF.
Tuesday:
3:30 p.m., Girl Scout Troop 234.
7:15 p.m., Boy Scout Troop 731.
8 p.m., WSG meets at Emily Cas-
terline's, 114 West Dunlap.
Wednesday, January 7:
4 p.m., Harmony choir.
8 p.m., Sanctuary choir.
Thursday:
3:15 p.m., Melody choir.
3:40 p.m., Carol choir.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

S. Harvey and Maple Plymouth
Office Phone GL 3-0190
Rectory Phone GL 3-5282
Rev. David T. Davies, Rector
Feast of the Circumcision
New Year's Day
10 a.m., Holy Communion. Begin
the New Year by asking God to di-
rect and guide you in the days that
are ahead.
Sunday, January 4:
8 a.m., Holy Communion.
9:30 a.m., Family service and
sermon. Church School classes from
nursery through tenth grade.
11:15 a.m., Holy Communion and
sermon. Church School classes from
nursery through sixth grade.
Feast of the Epiphany, January 6:
10 a.m., Holy Communion.
7:45 p.m., Evening Holy Commu-
nion.
This day commemorates the ar-
rival of the Three Wise Men from
the East and is known as Little
Christmas or Twelfth Night.

CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN SALEM

Virgil King, Pastor
961 Dickenson Salem
Phone FI-9-0099
10 a.m., Morning Worship.
11 a.m., Sunday School.
Other services as announced.
Christmas program, December 18,
7:45 p.m.; rehearsal, December 13,
1 p.m.

SPRING ST. BAPTIST CHURCH

261 Spring St., Plymouth
W. A. Palmer, Pastor
Affiliated with Southern Baptist
Convention
Sunday:
10 a.m., Sunday School.
11 a.m., Morning Worship.
6:30 p.m., Training Union.
7:30 p.m., Evening Worship.
Wednesday:
7:30 p.m., Bible Study.

ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Corner High and Elm Sts.
Northville, Michigan
Church—FI 9-9864
Parsonage—FI 9-3140
Rev. B. J. Pankow, Pastor
New Year's Eve service, December
31, 7:30 p.m.
Sunday: 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.,
Morning Worship. (Holy Com-
munion each first Sunday in 8 a.m.
service and each third Sunday in
10:30 a.m. service). 9:15 a.m., Sun-
day school and Bible classes.
Monday: 8 p.m., Church Council,
first Monday; Voters' Assembly,
second Monday.
Tuesday: 3:45 p.m., first year
children's confirmation class; 7:30
p.m., Teachers, second and fourth
Tuesdays.
Wednesday: 7:45 p.m., choir.
Thursday: 6:30 p.m., second year
children's confirmation class; 1:30
p.m., Ladies' Aid, second Thurs-
day; 8 p.m., Lutheran Ladies' Aux-
iliary, third Thursday.
Friday: 8 p.m., Lutheran Lay-
men's League, third Friday; 3 p.m.
to 4 p.m. and 6:30 to 8 p.m., an-
nouncements for Holy Communion,
every Friday preceding Communion
Sunday.

THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF NORTHVILLE

Rev. John O. Taxis, Pastor
Corner of E. Main and Church Sts.
Sunday, January 4:
9 a.m., Church worship.
10 a.m., Church school.
11:15 a.m., Church worship.
6 p.m., Bell Ringers.
7 p.m., Westminster Fellowship.
Monday, January 5:
9 a.m., Co-operative nursery.
Tuesday, January 6:
7 p.m., Explorer Troop 755.
8 p.m., Nellie Yerkes Circle.
8 p.m., A.A.
Wednesday, January 7:
9 a.m., Co-operative nursery.
3:15 p.m., Children's choir.
3:30 p.m., Girl Scout Troop 3.
7:30 p.m., Chancel choir.
8 p.m., Board of Trustees.
Thursday, January 8:
8 p.m., Board of Deacons.

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from the PASTORS STUDY

The Rev. John O. Taxis, Pastor
First Presbyterian Church, Northville
See New Year's Message on Page One

Chats with Parents

Why Junior Mis-Behaves

Parents fret too much about some of the adult standards their small child fails to live up to, and spend too little time enjoying the things which should with parent's approval. While parents have an inescapable responsibility for the daily care and well-being of the child, they should not feel personally responsible for his every action. Junior's preference for the dirty-faced little urchin down the street, and his dislike for impeccable Percy next door, doesn't mean that he is on the way to being delinquent. The demerits he got for throwing food during a meal at summer camp won't seem so bad after a little time has passed. Childish incidents usually become important only if parents look at them as their own personal mistakes and blow them up out of proportion. Feeling they are to blame when Junior fails to come up to parent's expectations is useless. If the child chooses companions parents don't approve of, if he fails to be the best speller in the room, or if his room sometimes resembles a pigsty, parents often ask, "What did we do wrong? What did we fail to do?" The answer probably is, "Nothing".

There are many influences at work shaping the behavior and habits of the growing child, including his friends. If parents set the example of choosing nice friends, praising the child for the things he does which please them, and generally make him feel he is appreciated, outside influences will become less important in shaping his personality and attitudes. Torturing themselves with the thought that they certainly haven't made "right" decisions in matters affecting the child will serve only to warp their judgments in making decisions and providing parental guidance for him in the future. It has been suggested that adults, on the average, are required to make literally thousands of decisions each day ranging from whether to drink beverage at mealtime to what investments to make in the best interests of their families for future protection. If each of these decisions works out well, we say it was the "right" one to have made, but who knows but that some other of a dozen different possible decisions might have turned out much better. So it is with the decisions parents must regularly make about their child. "If only we had decided to do this instead of that" is usually futile hindsight. Maybe one of the

Wishing You a very Happy New Year

As we say "good-bye" to the old year and "hello" to the new, it gives us great pleasure to extend to you a world of good wishes for 1959.

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hope that it
rings in a
New Year full of
health and happiness for
you and yours.

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HAPPY NEW YEAR

Now...the stage is
set for '59!
It is our sincere
wish that the
curtain goes up
on health,
happiness and success
for you.

MARR TAYLOR FORD SALES

Greetings 1959

Here's to 1959! We greet the New Year with the sincere hope that it brings good fortune to all our friends, whose patronage we deeply appreciate. May 1959 find you in the best of health and spirits, and leave you twelve months richer in happiness, friendship and achievement.

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—CONTRACTORS—

City League Cagers Ready for Opener

City recreational basketball will share the cage limelight beginning the first week of the new year.

A record number of five local teams will compete in the two-class league, which includes teams from Plymouth and from the Wayne County Training school.

The class D, 18 or under, teams representing Northville are: North-

ville Optimist Seniors, coached by Monroe Weston; Novi Specials and the Northville Royals.

Class E, 15 or under, teams are the Northville Optimist Juniors and the City Recreation team.

The Optimist Juniors will open the league season January 5 at the training school. The game is set to get underway at 8:30 p.m.

Northville Recreation will host a Plymouth team at 8 p.m. January 7 at the community building.

The Optimist Seniors will hit the hardwood at 7 p.m. in the east gym at Plymouth, while the Novi Specials take the floor in the west gym at the same time. The Northville Royals' opener will get underway at 8 p.m.

A full league schedule will be announced at a later date. Each team will play 10 games — all on Wednesday and Thursday nights.

Stan Johnston, director of city recreation, is in charge of local games; Jack Carter will direct Plymouth games, and Robert Usher will direct training school contests.

Anyone willing to coach one of the local teams is urged to contact Johnston. These boys need direction as well as moral support, the recreation director explained.

Blistered Nets Get Relief

School holiday vacations brought a temporary break in the Wayne-Oakland league race, with Clarkston and Brighton holding an edge on two wins-no loss records.

The Mustangs will get back into action with a league game Friday, January 9 at Holly, and a non-league contest with Farmington at the community building the following night.

Northville's quintet which won over Plymouth and West Bloomfield and lost to Willow Run and Clarkston is tied with Holly, Milford and West Bloomfield for second place in the league.

Bowling Standings

Monday Night House League	
Freydl's Cleaners	39.5 16.5
Alessi Gen. Insurance	31.5 24.5
Kathy's Snack Bar	29.5 26.5
Northville Lab.	26.5 29.5
Zayti Trucking	25.0 31.0
Don's Jr. Five	16.0 40.0
Team high single: Alessi 918.	
Team high series: Northville Lab. 2520.	
Ind. high single: Joe Alessi 245.	
Ind. high series: Paul Elam 606.	
200 Bowlers: Joe Alessi 214, Lys-	

ter Wick 236, Steve Leggett 203.

NORTHVILLE LANES	
Northville Lanes House League	
Freydl's Cleaners	39.0 25.0
Briggs Trucking	39.0 25.0
Paddock Bar	35.0 29.0
Ramsey's Bar	33.5 30.5
Myers' Standard Oil	33.0 21.0
Northville Mens Shop	32.0 32.0
Cloverdale Dairy	32.0 32.0
Wayne Door & Plywood	29.0 35.0
Twin Pines	27.0 37.0
Northville Hotel	20.5 43.5
200 Scores: A. Smith 250, 209-619, R. Bezaire 237, 212, 208-657, H. Beller 229, 206-621, M. Eastland 224, H. Nelson 221, 219-612, C. Wagner 220, J. Bering 216, D. McMurray 216, E. Robinson 215, 202, B. Calkins 215, J. Ramsey 213, 213, L. LeFevre 212, L. D. Riley 208, J. Cotter 205, F. Robinson 202, B. Hawley 202, F. Light 201, D. Slesor 200, D. Schifle 200.	

ROYAL RECREATION	
Wednesday Night House League	
Team	W L
Squirt	42 22
River Electric	35 29
Diamond Cut Stone	30 34
Keeth Heating	21 43
Team high single: Squirt 907.	
Team high series: Squirt 2459.	
Ind. high single: D. Quinn 232.	
Ind. high series: B. Simmons 570.	
200 Bowlers: Joe Alessi 222, Paul Elam 200, B. Simmons 209.	

Northville Business Men's League	
Altman's SDD	38.0 26.0
Vita Boy Chips	37.0 27.0
Salem Market	36.0 28.0
Perfection Laundry	35.5 28.5
Bailey's Dance Studio	34.0 30.0
Brook's Const.	34.5 29.5
Freydl's Cleaners	32.5 31.5
Goodale's Bakery	30.5 33.5
Team No. 12	30.0 34.0
Old Mill Restaurant	26.0 38.0
Wooten's Riding Ranch	25.0 39.0
C. F. Grimes Prod.	25.0 39.0
200 Scores: R. Calkins 224, E. Westniak 219, H. Paulger 215, J. Gatter 215, L. Earehart 209, A. Bauer 207, L. Bidwell 202, H. Van Bonn 200.	

Northville Women's Thursday Night Bowling League	
C. R. Ely's	41.0 23.0
Harry Wolfe Bldrs.	40.0 24.0
Northville Hotel, Bar	39.5 24.5
Northville Restaurant	39.0 25.0
Bloom's Insurance	36.0 28.0
Victory Motor Sales	36.0 28.0
Harold's Gulf Service	35.0 29.0
Vern and Morris Service	28.5 35.5
Main Super Service	24.5 39.5
Perfection Cleaners	23.0 41.0
Myers' Standard Oil	33.0 31.0
Clark's Insurance	19.5 44.5

Plymouth 750 League	
Forest Motor Sales	32.5 12.5
Mettetal Greenhouse	32.0 13.0
Oldford Homes	27.0 18.0
Krause & Dunlap	25.0 20.0
Solder Craft	24.5 20.5
Mettetal Airport	22.5 22.5
Heide's Greenhouse	20.5 21.5
Holloway Construction	16.0 26.0
Marval Homes	15.5 29.5
Sandbagger	6.5 38.5
200 Games: D. Wilkin 233, J. Tank 233, J. Hlohenic 230, H. Bonga 228, D. Brinks 216, E. Mettetal 214, M. Mettetal 211, R. Cahill 209, E. Mettetal 205, J. Bucknell 203, L. Mettetal 202, R. Cahill 202, T. Malik 201.	

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PICTURE TALK
By Les Wilson
TWAS THE WEEK AFTER CHRISTMAS . . .

And in some lucky pockets Christmas gift money was beginning to smolder. Wondering what to do with a windfall is a happy sort of problem. You can probably think of a million-and-one ways to spend the money, but we'd like to make one small suggestion. How about treating yourself to a new camera?

We've got them all — from the smart new Brownie Star Cameras (priced from a modest \$5.95) right on up to the fabulous, continental-style Kodak Retina Cameras.

If you already own a camera, you know you can get more enjoyment out of it by converting some of your Christmas money into photo aids.

Got all the filters and lenses you need? Got a slide projector? Screen? Gadget bag? If you take movies, what about a new Kodak Prestascope Splicer? (It could be the start of a good winter project — splicing together all those odd reels of film you have scattered about in dresser drawers.)

So tell us what. Drop in soon and browse around the shop. We've restocked after the Christmas rush so there's plenty to see. But do it soon . . . before that cash burns clear through your pocket and out of sight.

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The Coach's Corner

by STAN JOHNSTON

Northville High School Basketball Coach

Editor's Note — Stan Johnston, Northville's varsity basketball coach, will attempt to give readers frequent "behind-the-scenes" glimpses of league action — specifically as concerns the Mustangs — throughout the remainder of the season.

Another season of basketball is far enough along to point up some indications for the remainder of the season. Some teams start fast and end up slow and others play just the reverse. We seem to be in the middle of these situations with a two win and two loss record.

In only one ball game have the Mustangs looked like the team they can be. Defeating Plymouth 90 to 62 was a solid victory in which the boys made very few mistakes.

The win over West Bloomfield 62 to 50 was our first league win but left many things to be desired in comparison to the Plymouth game.

Our loss to Willow Run would not have been by such a large margin if the team could have been in physical and playing condition.

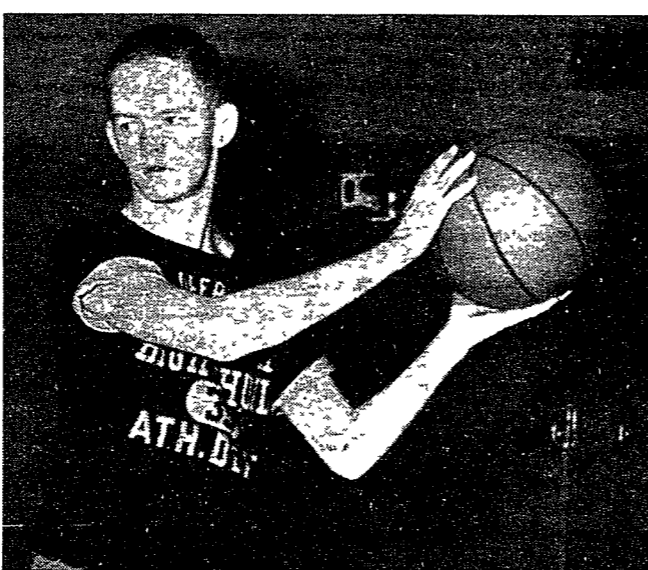
The team worked hard against Clarkston but could not hit for a good shooting percentage. Without the services of work-horse Bob Starnes we dropped a close one 60 to 56. Clarkston's small floor is a disadvantage to all teams, except Clarkston.

The race for the league championship seems to be shaping up with Brighton, Holly, Clarkston and Northville in contention. Any of these four teams could win the spoils but the winner will have to have a 9 and 1 record or at least an 8-2. Holly and Northville have already lost one game so the contest between Northville and Holly on January 9 will mean much to both teams.

Since we play Clarkston only the one game and Clarkston plays Holly only once the Wolves are in the drivers seat unless some other team can knock them off on their own court, which is not likely.

Time will tell as it does in all things.

Cager of the Week



ONE OF THE SMALLEST, most explosive packages to wear the orange and black is 17-year-old Fred Schwarze, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schwarze, Sr., 21066 Cambridge drive. The 5' 7", 130-pound senior has been a varsity cager for two years, with fine performances at the guard spot. He also played two years of varsity football, and will tramp the fairways again this spring as a member of the golf team. Besides sports, Schwarze participates in other school activities. He is president of the N club, vice president of the national honor society, and treasurer of the Forensic club. The near-A student plans to enter the University of Michigan next fall.



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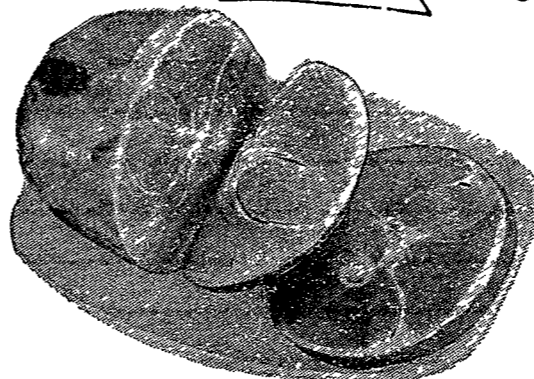
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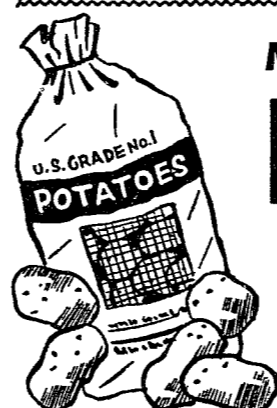
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GOOD FISHING — Harry G. Richardson, 814 West Main (left), who vacationed in Florida recently, tried his luck at gulf fishing upon the advice of his uncle, Charles F. Murphy (right), formerly of Northville, now a resident of St. Petersburg, Florida, and found it very rewarding. Steve McCree, first mate on the boat, is shown at the center. The group fished off John's Pass in the gulf near St. Petersburg.

IN WILLOWBROOK:

Stricken Boy Asks for Cards

By Mrs. George Ames — Greenleaf 4-0830

Seven-year-old Jackie Lambeth of Malott drive is confined to Atchison Memorial hospital with rheumatic fever. Jackie would be very happy to hear from his friends by cards and letters. His hospital address is Atchison Memorial hospital, 501 West Dunlap street, Room 2, Northville, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Weiss have had houseguests for the holidays. Mr. Baird Myers and Mr. and Mrs. E. Q. Berry and their children, Margaret and Marion, were here from their home in Newberry.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald MacDougall spent Christmas with Mrs. MacDougall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Chenoweth of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Barnes and their children, Nancy, Mike, Jim, Dick, Joe and Peggy, spent Christmas at the home of Mrs. Earl Barnes, Sr. in Detroit. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Barnes and their children, Mary Jane, Ann Marie, Johnny and Kathleen, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilkinson and their daughter, Pat, and son, Bob, and Mr. and Mrs. Dan O'Leary.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dukes and their family spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence McGrath in Ferndale. Other guests were Mrs. Mildred Irwin of Ferndale, Mr. and Mrs. William Bowen of Pennsylvania, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bartlett of St. Clair Shores and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lorenson of Royal Oak.

The pinocchio club had its Christmas party last Monday evening at the home of Helen Waugh. The girls all exchanged gifts. Gladys Earl won first prize, Shirley Hurlburt second, Pat Iwaniec third and Aldean Carter, consolation prize.

Walter DeHayes is a houseguest of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth DeHayes. Mr. and Mrs. Earl DeHayes joined them for Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlo Johns entertained Mr. and Mrs. William Dagg, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rivers, Miss Pat Dagg, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hayes and Kay Hayes on Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Coan had a going-away party for Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Campbell on Friday evening. Their guests in addition to the Camerons were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. "Pete" Peterson and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dukes.

Mrs. Myrtle Tam is here from California to spend the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tam of East LeBost drive.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald MacDougall are happy to announce the birth of

a daughter, Karen Leslie, on December 12 at Detroit Osteopathic hospital. The baby weighed exactly seven pounds. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William Chenoweth and Mr. and Mrs. William MacDougall, all of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ames and their children, David, Rolf, George and Marilyn, spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Thackway and Mrs. Charles Ames in Detroit.

Mrs. Therese Pinner of Farmington, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Curran and Miss Helen Curran spent Christmas here with Mr. and Mrs. Walt Pinner of East LeBost.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bunker entertained Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bunker and their children, Mary, Allen, Holly, Pam and David, and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rovanno and Mrs. George Rovanno at Christmas dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Stroutos are happy to announce the birth of a daughter, Cathy Rae, on December 19 at Henry Ford hospital, Detroit. Her birth weight was eight pounds, 15 ounces. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Saliba and Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Stroutos, all of Barre, Vermont.

Davy Jones is the popular name of sailors for an evil sea spirit or the devil generally.

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Novi Justices of Peace Collect \$455 in Fines

Novi's two justices turned over a total of \$455 in fines, collected during the month of December, to the village treasury.

Justice Robert K. Anderson handed out 11 fines during the month, including five for speeding, four for improper passing, and one each for drunk driving, driving without an operator's license, and driving with an expired license.

Motorists paid a total of \$230 fines for the 11 traffic offenses.

Justice William MacDermaid ordered 20 motorists to pay traffic fines totaling \$225 or face jail sentences.

Motorcycle Ice Racing Held at Walled Lake

Motorcycle "ice racing" drew a crowd of nearly 1500 to Walled Lake Sunday as some 130 cyclists participated in the races.

Staged by the Liberty Competition Riders, headed by Joseph Tison of Farmington, the event attracted entries from 30 clubs throughout Michigan and Ohio.

Winners were George Bartlett of Farmington in the heavyweight solo event; Al Erskine, St. Clair Shores, in the lightweight solo race; and James Agnew and Val Jacoby of Detroit in the side car race.



HELLO!
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In the twenty-five or thirty years we have been getting water from the famous Northville Spring this writer has witnessed many incidents of much carelessness on the part of those who come for water.

The other day, however, I personally witnessed a scene that convinces me there are still folks in the world that appreciate and enjoy some of the blessings of life.

In the parking space near the Spring someone had broken a one gallon glass water jug. A car drove up, the driver stepped out of his car, he carefully picked up each piece of glass, put it in the trash can, went to the Spring, filled his own jugs, and drove away.

The wonderful water is appreciated by some.

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Novi Highlights . . .



TRUE TO THEIR WORD — The gaily-wrapped barrel shown above in the possession of South Lyon firemen belongs to the Northville fire department. They won it at Plymouth last October in the main event "water hose" competition with 10 other area departments during a special Fire Prevention Week program. But before they could get it back to Northville it disappeared. A short wave radio announcement promised that the "barrel will be returned to Northville by Christmas". It was Christmas eve the barrel arrived from its temporary South Lyon home where Firemen Mike Hickey, George Reagan, Dale Kimberly, Steve Shieler (l. to r.) and Fire Marshall Bernard Snell (in cab) had taken good care of it.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Orzechowski of Beck road had a Christmas eve supper and gift exchange for the latter's relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Miller and son, Bill, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Mains and daughter, Sharon, and son, Raymond, and a friend.

On Christmas morning, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Miller and son, Bill, had breakfast with their daughter's family, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Orzechowski.

Friends of Mr. James King will be pleased to know that he is making a satisfactory recovery from his recent heart attack. He is a patient in Pontiac Osteopathic hospital.

Rev. Ronald Button and son, Bob, of Davison visited his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Button, last Tuesday.

On New Year's day, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Button and daughter, Rose Estelle, and son, Russell, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Ray Warren and children and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Blakeslee and son, Rickie, of Lansing will celebrate at the home of their brother's family, Rev. and Mrs. Ronald Button, in Davison.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mitchell attended a family gathering at Mr. Mitchell's relatives at Eaton Rapids on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Bell and children and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Trickey, Jr. and children of Carleton spent Christmas day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Trickey, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Bell spent Christmas night at the home of Mr. Bell's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Menche of St. Clair Shores.

Jim Mitchell is spending his furlough from the army base in Oklahoma with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mitchell.

While their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Trickey, Jr. are vacationing in New Orleans, parts of Texas and Oklahoma visiting Mr. Trickey's marine buddies and families, Charles Trickey, III, April and Kevin

are staying with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Bell, and their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Trickey, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Gow had their Christmas get-together Christmas eve with all of their children and grandchildren present. Mr. and Mrs. Al Gow, Jr. (Bud), and sons, Michael, Craig and Scott, of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. Art Walker of Lansing, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Marr and sons, Dennis and Jimmy, of Livonia, were present. On Christmas day, the father, John Gow, the Robert Marrs and Art Walkers were present.

Blue Star Mothers

The Novi chapter of the Blue Star Mothers will meet at the home of Mrs. Andrew McCollum on 11 Mile road Monday evening, January 5 for installation of officers.

Novi Methodist Church

The Methodist Sunday school will start their new Sunday school attendance plan next Sunday. Each will receive a button on the first Sunday and a special pin for each quarter the first year. After the first year attendance bars will be attached to the pin received the first year.

Novi Baptist Church

Watch night services will be held New Year's eve in the Novi Baptist church beginning at 9 o'clock. There will be a film shown, a worship and testimonial service and refreshments will be served.

January 18 a missionary couple from the United Indian Mission at Flagstaff, Arizona will be the speakers with a program on the Navajo Indians, "Treasure in the Sand". The missionary couple were formerly students of Rev. Arnold Cook at Southland Bible Institute.

Novi Rebekahs

The Independent Rebekah club will meet at the home of Mrs. Mae Babbitt in Northville Wednesday, January 7. Pot-luck luncheon at noon.

Mill Pond Skating Called Dangerous

"Skaters, keep off the Mill Pond". That warning comes from Stan Johnston, director of city recreation, who reports ice on the pond is "dangerously thin" in several spots.

Undercurrents in the pond, he explained, make uniform ice formation next to impossible.

There is plenty of skating space on two fish hatchery ponds, he said, and the ice is entirely safe.

The fish hatchery ponds are open to skating throughout the holiday season. On school days they are open 3:30-6:30 p.m., and on week ends all day long.

According to Johnston, volunteers are needed to help supervise skating on the hatchery ponds and to enforce pond rules:

1. No skating by children under 7 unless accompanied by a parent or guardian;
2. No sliding on ponds or hillsides;
3. No fires permitted;
4. Cars not permitted down the hillside road;
5. Keep off grass while on skates;
6. Stay away from the fish hatchery buildings;

Christmas Light Fund Tops \$1,000 Mark

Northville Christmas lighting fund was termed a "success" after final tabulations showed more than \$1,000 contributed to the project this year, according to Monte Ellis, chairman of the lighting committee.

Approximately 80 businesses, local organizations and the city government contributed to the fund. Ellis said the latest contributions to be added to a list previously published came from the American Legion, Broda Beauty Shop, Dr. H. G. Godfrey and the city.

The annual Christmas lighting program is sponsored by the Retail Merchants association.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wendt had as their Christmas eve guests Mr. and Mrs. Bob Trombley and family, their daughter, Lucille from Washington, their son, Edward, and his family, son, Dick, from Western Michigan.

Christmas Bird Census Uncovers Rare Species

EDITOR'S NOTE: Harold Hartley, Sr., 602 Randolph, is an active member of the Michigan Audubon Society and, as such, participated in the annual Christmas census of birds sponsored nationally by the Audubon headquarters in New York City. The census has been conducted annually since 1900. Locally, the census-takers report on the species within the area between here and Kensington park. Their official report, which must be filed by January 15, numbers of birds, species, where seen and general weather conditions. His report of the latest census, taken Sunday, follows:

Have you ever seen a Purple Finch? A Gray Shrike? A Wood Duck? A flock of Goldfinches in December?

We enjoyed all these and more when we took an all-day bird census around Northville and Kensington park on Sunday, December 27 as part of a nation-wide census sponsored by the National Audubon Society.

As we approached the bird feeders in Kensington park just after 8 a.m., a man standing near them raised a warning hand. Since the man was Bill Hopkins, chief naturalist attached to the staff of the Huron-Clinton Metropolitan Authority, I knew he wasn't cautioning us for nothing.

I mentioned this to John Drijver, a visitor from Texel Island, The Netherlands, who, with his wife, was accompanying my family on the census. Drijver has been secretary of the Netherlands Society For Protection of Birds for some decades, and now, visiting his daughter, Mrs. Donald Riddering in Salem, was enjoying American birds.

We had now joined Bill Hopkins, and Mr. and Mrs. John Begle of Nine Mile road, who were with him, and trained our binoculars through the falling snow on the feeders supplied with food by the Detroit Audubon Society. And there, at the free grocery, were woodpeckers, cardinals, tufted titmice, chickadees, tree sparrows, slate-colored juncos, blue jays and nut-hatches arriving, loading up, departing, returning, swooping, hiding, warbling.

Suddenly we saw the Purple Finches. Actually not purple, they were more like striped sparrows tinted deeply with old rose. Their rarity, and the incongruity of such tropical color on snow, made them a highlight of the census.

Mr. and Mrs. Dirk Groeneweg of 12 Mile road had now joined us, so that with my wife and son, Harold, we were a party of ten. On the nature trails laid out by Bill Hopkins we added bobwhites, brown creepers and other common birds to our list, while stopping at times to stare at squadrons of Canada Geese honking their way overhead.

Together again, our car caravan stopped at a woods where we had seen redheaded woodpeckers in previous trips. Once again we saw them, three adult birds and an immature — bringing home the fact that, though birds may appear free to wander at will, actually they must remain like man, where there is suitable food and shelter.

A trudge through wind and sleet was rewarded by the sight of several hundred mallard ducks, black ducks, goldeneyes and Canada Geese at a point where the Huron flows into the lake and is clear of ice.

Noon found us glad to break out sandwiches and coffee in front of a cozy log fire at the winter sports' shelter.

The car groups separated for the afternoon and the visitors from The Netherlands, Mr. and Mrs. Drijver, had the luck to see, at Nine Mile and Napier a gray shrike keeping vigil on top of a tree for unwary field mice; at Nine Mile near Meadowbrook, a flock of 20 goldfinches eating weed seeds, and two mourning doves; and on the riverbank off Edward Hines drive, a wood duck, America's most beautiful duck, and a kingfisher.

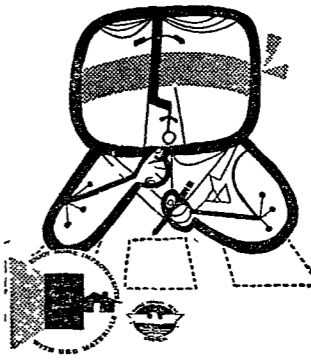
The results of the census? A total of 29 different species of birds seen, including some 866 individuals (more or less); another item to be analyzed by ornithologists of the National Audubon Society and added to data which may some day explain the great mystery of bird migration and distribution. And oh, I forgot, another pleasant day for those who enjoy the outdoors, wildlife, and regret the rapidly diminishing area where these may be found.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ware and John were guests of Mrs. Ware's sister, Mrs. James Ryan, of Highland Park for Christmas dinner.

On New Year's eve there will be a holy hour at St. William's Catholic church from 10 to 11 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bannerman spent Christmas week with their families in Saginaw.

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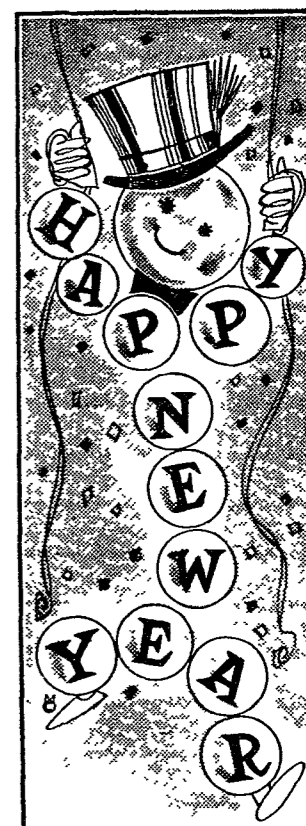
NEWS FROM THE AMERICAN LEGION



POST 147
REX HOLLOMAN — REPORTER

The Lloyd H. Green Post 147 is having a New Year's eve dance at the Veterans' Memorial home from 9:00 until ??

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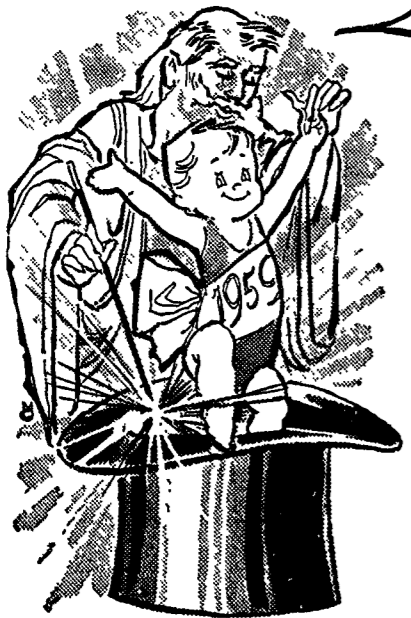
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Car Rams Light Post, Driver Escapes Injury

Plymouth resident Herbert Vowels, 30, escaped injury Monday when his car skidded on a curve and knocked down two wooden fence posts and a steel street light post.

Vowels reported that his car skidded as he rounded a curve on East Main street. When he applied his brakes lightly, he said, the car veered sharply, jumped a curb and continued 69 feet until it ran into the posts.

School Starts Monday

Vacation days are drawing to a close for Northville and Novi school children.

The 12-day holiday period ends Monday when classes will again resume at their regular hours.

Miss Roberta Malott of Spokane, Washington is recuperating at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Forest Malott of Carpenter street Northville, after a recent operation.

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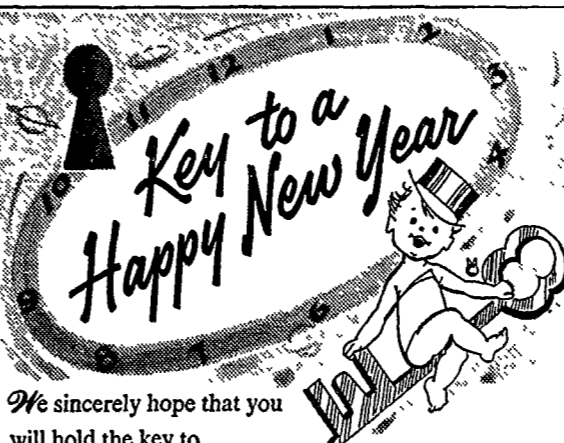
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To Omaha Building Co. who purchased lots and are building homes in Orchard Hills Subdivision; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kehr who have moved to Quince Dr., Orchard Hills; Mr. Lawrence Zamler who purchased property on 10 Mile Rd.

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'\$100,000 Bus Ride' on Wrong Track

Dear Editor:

I am afraid that Mr. Township Taxpayer, who wrote the "100,000 Bus Ride" in last week's Record, misses completely the implications inherent in his proposition that it is a gross injustice and a wrong not to allow tax money to be used for private, sectarian purposes.

Firstly, I would like to commend the editor of the Record for not shying away from a controversy that is loaded with emotional factors. Though he is but discharging his obligation and duty to the public, he could just as well have ignored the whole matter, and no one's attitudes and emotional investments would have been disturbed. Secondly, I cannot blame Mr. N. Schrader for acting upon a humanitarian impulse, when he granted the use of the school buses for private use. I can only believe that Mr. Schrader is unaware of the constant attempts made throughout the country to have the public treasuries assume some of the burdens of maintaining private, sectarian schools. Thirdly, I would like to say that it is healthy, in a democracy, to discuss our differences as dispassionately as our psychological controls permit in arriving at an understanding of these differences. What we must not do is ignore the principles of our democratic faith which have kept us free from sectarian strife, among other things, these many years.

With over two hundred different religious sects in this country, we would soon have the strife of our forefathers so strenuously sought to avoid unless we maintain a strong wall of separation between our government and the hundreds of reli-

gious sects in our midst. Were we to succumb in one instance to the demands of one sect, the clabbering clamor and claims of contending sectarian factions would soon produce a climate that would be inhospitable to the claims of the freedoms we cherish.

To answer Mr. Township Taxpayer more specifically (I am wondering why he chose to remain anonymous?), I would only say that the public schools are available to his daughter. If he chooses a private school for her, that is his privilege, but he should not be permitted to escape his obligation to the public school system which has helped maintain our freedoms and made the United States the most prosperous nation in the world. One unspoken assumption behind our American public-school system is that the human mind should be free to examine life fearlessly and arrive at honest conclusions in a free and impartial atmosphere. This atmosphere is assured in our democratically run public schools.

Is Mr. Township Taxpayer making a free choice in sending his child to a parochial school instead of to a public one? I think not? Canon 1374 of the CODEX IURIS CANONICI of his church states, "Catholic children must not attend non-Catholic, neutral, or mixed schools, that is, such as are open to non-Catholics. It is for the bishop of the place alone to decide, according to the instructions of the Apostolic See, in what circumstances and with what precautions attendance at such schools may be tolerated, without danger of perver-

sion to the pupils." Personally, I resent the implications of the last sentence quoted directly above.

Using Mr. Township Taxpayer's logic, members of the Detroit Athletic Club should rebel at paying taxes to help support the various public recreational facilities provided by the City of Detroit for all its citizens; after all, they, too, pay heavy fees to maintain their private institution.

I commiserate with Mr. Township Taxpayer's comments on the high taxes he pays to help maintain our American institutions. He must command a handsome income indeed to be assessed over \$4,000 in taxes every year! That is beside the point; I hope he doubles his income next year. The point of the matter is that his opportunity and mine to receive a generous return for our work may be attributable, in part, to the fact that our public schools have helped to make this country strong and prosperous! Let us help keep it that way.

Cordially,
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Minutes of the Board of Education

Regular Meeting
December 8, 1958

The meeting was called to order at 7:35 p.m. by President Schrader. Present: All members. Superintendent Amerman, Principals E. V. Ellison, H. B. Smith and R. W. Kay, Francis Gazlay representing the PTA, William Becker of the Elementary Curriculum Study Committee.

The minutes of the last regular meeting and two special meetings were read by the secretary and there being no corrections or additions to the minutes, they were approved as read.

Communications:

1. Wayne County Board of Education. November payment of Primary Fund money, \$13,087.00.

2. Wayne County Board of Education. delinquent 1956 and 1957 taxes collected in August, 1958, \$1,754.43.

3. Wayne County Board of Education. Land Board Sales, 1955 taxes, \$196.74.

4. Wheeler and Becker, architects, inviting Board to dedication of Helen Ferris Elementary School in Plymouth, designed by them.

5. Walter L. Couse & Co., advising that completion date of February 1 for new high school cannot be met because City has not provided water as promised.

6. Poole, Warren, Littell & Gordon, enclosing tax receipt for 1957 taxes in the amount of \$45.85 on 7.49 acres of land owned by the School District in Section 34, Novi Township, which amount was advanced by their office.

7. Eberle M. Smith Associates, progress report on new high school.

8. Walter L. Couse & Co., requesting that the retained percentage on their contract be reduced from 10% to 5% of the total contract amount.

Report of Superintendent:

1. Engineer for Heating Systems: Upon recommendation of the Superintendent it was moved by Mr. Shafer that the Superintendent be authorized to employ immediately a heating engineer to make urgent repairs and adjustments to the school heating system. Mr. Lawrence supported the motion, which was carried.

2. Renovation of High School: Superintendent presented recommendations for renovation of the old high school building, based upon studies made by Dr. Charles Wells, of the Wayne County Board of Education, and Eberle M. Smith's office, to wit: (1) New heating plant; (2) New plumbing; (3) New lighting; (4) Redecorating; (5) Rearrangement of some classroom space; (6) Modernization of fire and safety features; (7) Covered passageway; (8) Miscellaneous. Board in-

structed Superintendent to advise Dr. Wells and the architect to proceed with remodeling plans following these recommendations.

3. Homemaking Equipment, New High School: Bids had been invited for this material, with Westinghouse the only responding firm. Superintendent recommends their bid be accepted, all pieces to be replaced free of charge every year. Moved by Mr. Crump, supported by Shafer, that this recommendation be accepted as presented. Motion carried.

4. Additional Furniture Requirements: Mr. Shafer moved that the Superintendent's recommendation authorizing additional furniture purchases for the new building totaling \$2,408.55 be accepted. Dr. Johnson supported. Motion carried.

4. Mr. Ellison's Salary: Upon recommendation of the Superintendent, it was moved by Mr. Shafer that Mr. Ellison having served as acting superintendent during Mr. Amerman's illness, and now being relieved of this responsibility, be paid an extra month's salary to compensate him for the loss of his vacation time. Motion supported by Lawrence. Carried.

5. School Board's Conference: Superintendent Amerman and Dr. Johnson reported to the Board some of the things discussed at the conference of the Michigan Association of School Boards held at Lansing December 1, 1958. Much of this conference had to do with the state's financial condition.

Report of Treasurer:

Balance in General Fund, November 30, 1958, \$138,858.27

Balance in 1949 Debt Retirement Fund, November 30, 1958, \$2,239.09

Balance in 1954 Debt Retirement Fund, Nov. 30, 1958, \$14,361.48

Balance in 1957 Debt Fund, Series A, Nov. 30, 1958, \$11,241.28

Balance in 1957 Debt Fund, Series B, Nov. 30, 1958, \$33,607.50

Balance in 1957 Building and Site Fund, Nov. 30, 1958, \$169,927.49

Moved by Lawrence, supported by Mr. Crump, that the report of the Treasurer be accepted as given. Carried.

Report of Special Committees:

1. Elementary Curriculum: represented by Mr. Becker, who reported the activities of the committee to date. Moved by Mr. Shafer, supported by Mr. Crump, that this committee be approved as organized and that a fund of \$100.00 be set aside to care for expenses. Carried.

Report of the Auditing Committee: The Auditing Committee approving bills and payrolls as follows: bills, \$8,726.06; payrolls, \$45,440.42. Debt Retirement Funds, \$42,685.75. Building and Site Fund, \$117,274.83. Moved by Mr. Shafer, supported by

Dr. Johnson, that the report of the Auditing Committee be accepted and bills and payrolls be paid. Motion carried.

New Business:

1. Senior Trip: Fred Schwarzke of the Senior Class, appeared before the Board to request approval of the plans for the Senior Trip. Upon motion of Dr. Johnson, supported by Mr. Crump, the Board tabled this matter until the January meeting, to allow time for consideration of several alternatives.

2. Walter L. Couse Retained Percentage: As per contract agreement it was moved by Mr. Shafer and supported by Mr. Crump that Couse & Co. be granted the reduction in retained percentage requested. Motion carried.

3. Physical Education Equipment: Bids from the following firms were received and it was moved by Mr. Lawrence, supported by Mr. Crump, that they be turned over to the administrators for tabulation, analysis and recommendation: B. F. Farnell & Co., Lowe and Campbell, McFadden Corporation, Michigan Medical and Hospital Supply, Michigan Scientific Company, Harold Mundy, National Sports Company, National Trampoline Company, Nissen Trampoline Company, Southgate Sports, Stein and Goetz, Vandervoort, Wyandotte Sporting Goods. Motion carried.

Adjournment: It was moved by Mr. Shafer and supported by Mr. Lawrence, that the meeting be adjourned at 12:45 a.m.

Robert H. Shafer, Secretary

Northville City Council Proceedings

A regular meeting of the Northville City Council was held at the City Hall Monday Eve., Dec. 15th, 1958 at 8:00 P.M.

Present: Mayor Allen, Councilmen Canterbury, Reed, Shubenvoll and Welch. Minutes of last regular meeting and of the Special meeting held Monday Eve., Dec. 10th, 1958, were read and approved.

Bills amounting to \$9,153.70 from the General Fund and \$3,405.65 from the Water Fund were presented for payment, and it was moved by Canterbury, supported by Reed, that same be allowed and paid. Carried.

Mr. Robertson that the fence at the sanitary land fill, which was included in the bid from the New Hudson Fence Co., had not been installed because the City Attorney recommended that the City have a written permit from the C & O R.R. Co. granting them permission to install such a fence before doing so.

A bill for \$400.00 for appraisal service in the Green Valley Acres Sub. was received. Clerk was instructed to ask Mr. Wolfston, the Appraiser for an itemized bill for these services and also what his charges will be for appearance in Court in condemnation proceedings.

Mr. King, of Miller, Canfield, Paddock & Stone, bond attorneys, presented the resolution as prepared by them covering the Special election to be held Feb. 16th, 1959, on a Bond issue in the sum of \$300,000. It was moved by Allen, supported by Welch, that the resolution as presented be adopted. Carried.

Gerald Taft was present and submitted a preliminary plat of the proposed development of his property. The plat was turned over to our City Mgr. and Engineer for study, and they will bring recommendations back to the City Council.

Councilman Shubenvoll reported that the committee appointed from the City of Northville met with the Wayne County Library Board regarding the \$8,000 bill for services for 1958, which the City feels is exorbitant. The Library Board agreed to take the matter under advisement and when their report is received it will be the decision of the Council as to what they will do. This matter will be pursued further.

Atty. Ogilvie reported that he and Mr. Robertson were in Lansing Dec. 10th, to talk with the State Health Dept. regarding the acquisition of the easement property which they felt the City should own. It was pointed out to them that from a local standpoint the City saw no reason for acquiring the land, as they had as much right to use it as if it was owned by the City. The State was also informed that the D & R Building Co. had agreed to give the City a 20 ft. strip along the re-located Eight Mile Rd. for access to the new well site. The State Health Dept. agreed that they would waive the requirement that the land be purchased, if they were assured the City had proper easements and that they were protected with the easement.

Agreements for specific services by LaPorte & Penn, Engineers,

were presented to the City Council, for engineering necessary for an elevated water storage tower, for the designing of drawings and specifications for a pump house and deep well turbine pump at the Novi Rd. well site, and the installation of new water lines. Mgr. Robertson was instructed to furnish copies of these agreements to each member of the City Council for their study, before action is taken on same.

It was moved by Reed, supported by Canterbury, that the City Attorney be instructed to defend the appeal of Warren Products Co. vs. the City of Northville suit in the Supreme Court. Carried.

Councilman Welch reported that he had represented the City of Northville at the cornerstone laying of the new hospital.

No further business appearing, meeting was adjourned.

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Mary Alexander, City Clerk

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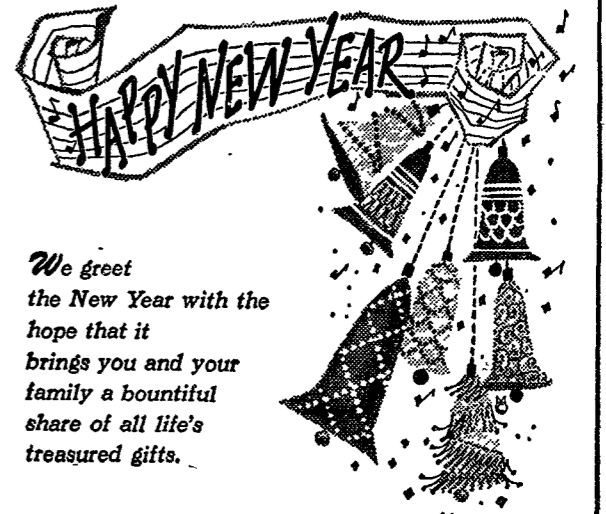
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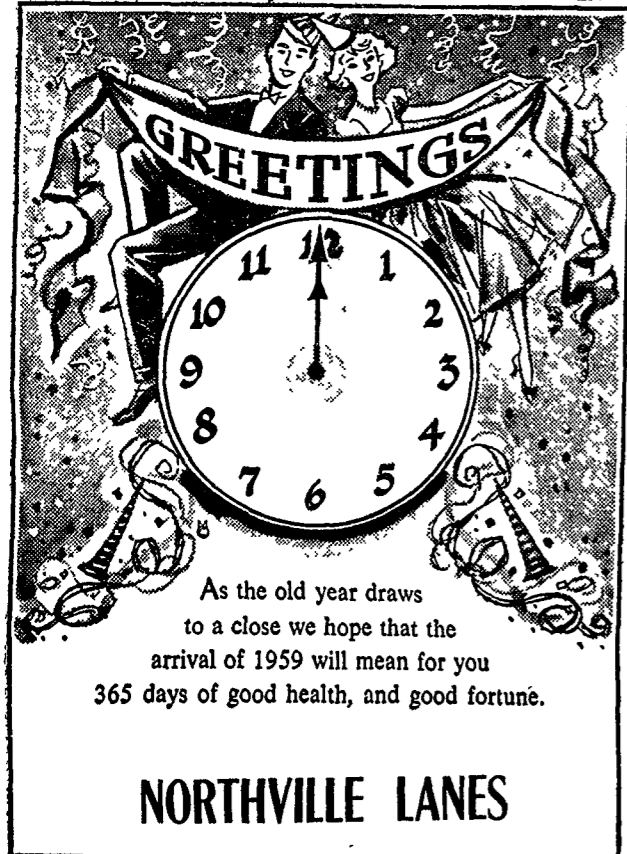
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IN NORTHVILLE —

JANUARY

Foundry Flask and Equipment company President John A. Weber revealed plans for a 20,000 square foot building to be erected on the site of fire-damaged Allied Products Corporation, next to the East Cady street Foundry Flask plant. The expansion of the Foundry Flask plant would depend on business activity, Weber stated.

Dr. Edwin Brooks Cavell, well-known as a Northville veterinarian for 52 years, died at the age of 80.

Record 87 bids received for construction of new Northville high school with low bid of \$1,013,000 submitted by Smith and Andrews, general contractors.

March of Dimes underway with Mrs. J. W. Reynolds as chairman.



City mourned loss of Mayor Claude Ely shown above with first city council (l. to r.) Earl Reed, Clerk Mary Alexander, John Stubenvoll, Malcolm Allen and John Canterbury. Standing are Treasurer A. Russell Clarke and City Attorney Philip Ogilvie

IN NOVI —

A new 40 mph speed limit was placed on "treacherous" Novi road.

Nearly 35 Novi mothers paraded throughout the township for the 1958 March of Dimes.

Near-final figures confirmed that Novi township went over the top by 110 percent in its first Torch Drive the previous fall.

FEBRUARY

IN NORTHVILLE —

City freezes in 10-below weather.

Night parking ban dropped by city after citizen-protests. Suit filed by low-bidding high school general contractor against school board and Walter L. Couse & Co. (builder to which contract was awarded) was dismissed in Wayne county circuit court.

IN NOVI —

Paragon Construction company celebrated its tenth anniversary.

An all-out effort to have every adult and child in the township inoculated with Salk polio vaccine got underway at a special polio clinic.

A new rash of wild and free running dogs plagued residents again.

Approximately 30 homeowners were without water for two days when a water main broke. Novi's fire department came to the rescue, filling up bathtubs with water from the department's pumper.



Village President Joseph Stadnik became "mayor" of City of Wixom

MARCH

IN NORTHVILLE —

Northville Heights opens proposed 120-home subdivision. High school band and debaters win top district honors. Lillian Zinnecker and Elsa Couse named valedictorian and salutatorian, respectively, of high school class of '58.

Mustang cagers drop district finals to Willow Run, 60-53. New assessments bring citizen protests to board of review. All land assessments were lowered in city and township.

Circuit court upholds Northville township right to refuse rezoning for trailer park on 80-acre site or Bernard Orchard company north of Six Mile road and east of C&O railroad at Waterford Lake.

IN NOVI —

Plans for a drive-in theater on the northeast shore of Walled Lake were doomed when the township board voted 3-2 not to re-zone the site.

Novi township took a major step toward village status when a light turnout of voters decided in favor of incorporation by a slim 67 votes, 509-442.

Dump trucks started hauling rubbish to a farm near Willowbrook, as Novi's efforts to halt the fill-in were hamstrung by a court injunction.

APRIL

IN NORTHVILLE —

Township and county health authorities order all trailers off Gerald avenue.

Proposed 250-home Yerkes Estates subdivision opens on Baseline road.

Standing room only crowd packs township annual meeting — bringing questions of taxes and assessments.

Mayor Claude N. Ely dies suddenly following a heart attack. He had been city's first mayor and last village president.

IN NOVI —

All homes and business establishments in Novi were surveyed to determine what equipment would be available in case of a civil disaster.

A springtime rash of grass fires hit Novi with vengeance, forcing a temporary moratorium on burning permits in the township.

IN WIXOM —

Thirteen candidates — three for mayor, two for justice of the peace, and eight for council — filed petitions for Wixom's city incorporation election, May 19.

MAY

IN NORTHVILLE —

City starts month-long "clean-up campaign" under chairmanship of John Canterbury.

Councilman Malcolm Allen named to take over duties of mayor. Former Councilman John Stubenvoll picked to replace Allen on council.

Mayor James V. Wells of Roosevelt Park is city's exchange mayor during Michigan Week activities here.

New city budget keeps taxes same with 11.5 mill rate. Claude N. Ely Memorial Fund started.

Lutherans announce plans to build Christian day school on church grounds for use in September, 1959.

IN NOVI —

Novi honored its dead of three wars with a Memorial Day parade and traditional ceremonies at the two cemeteries.

Mrs. George Atkinson and Mrs. Douglas French, two retiring school teachers, were honored for their total of 76 years of teaching.

Construction of the proposed 2,000-home Lincoln Village development in western Novi township was delayed "nine months" because of the recession.

The Novi School Study Group was organized, with formation of three group committees.

IN WIXOM —

Wixom became a full-fledged city with a complete cast of officials sworn in to assume the role of running the newly chartered municipality.



Postmaster Smith "cleans house" during city clean-up drive

JUNE

IN NORTHVILLE —

Donald Lawrence wins school board election over Robert Herter, 593-188.

High school graduates class of 97 seniors. Bruce Turnbull elected president of Retail Merchants association.

County road commission announces plan to straighten half-mile section of Northville road just south of Seven Mile road.

Northville Optimists' annual rodeo attracts huge crowd. Downs' opens 36-night harness racing season.

IN NOVI —

School ended for the summer and for 38 students who received diplomas in graduation exercises.

Gordon Promo was appointed township trustee, succeeding Stanley Balon, who was forced to resign because his home was located in the newly incorporated city of Wixom.

JULY

IN NORTHVILLE —

State equalized valuation of school district set at \$21,120-629 — a boost of approximately \$3 million over last year.

Dial telephone service begins.

Haller, Inc. begins move into newly purchased Ford Waterford plant. John Haller, firm president and resident of Northville township, will move the operations of his Plymouth plant to the Northville road plant.

City wins suit brought by Warren Products protesting annexation of 220 acres of Novi township (including Warren plant) into city. Oakland County Circuit Judge Clark J. Adams ruled against Warren.

IN NOVI —

Novi's new prize-winning elementary school, with its accoridian-like concrete roof, was nearing completion.

Arthur J. Heslip was named president of the Novi board of education, succeeding James D. Mitchell who retired.



Novi Councilmen Button, Anderson, Taft, Groenbergh and President Tuck are sworn-in by Harry Watson

AUGUST

IN NORTHVILLE —

572 city and township voters show up at polls in primary for November election.

William B. Crump named to school board to replace Adrian Willis, who resigned after accepting position with Daisy Manufacturing company in Rogers, Arkansas.

City adopts pension plan for employees.

Northville Braves, midget baseball team, wins district title but loses to Jackson in state tourney, 2-1.

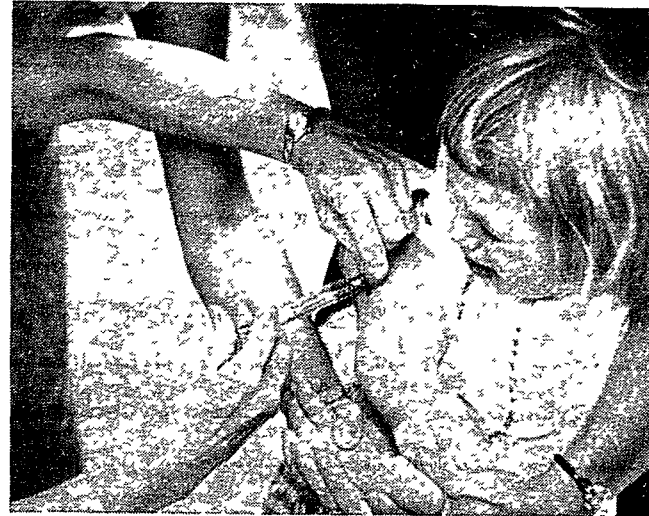
School board approves budget of \$666,043 plus board retirement payments of \$174,331.97 for 1958-59 with 26.1 mill levy.

IN NOVI —

School officials announced Novi's enrollment on the first day would top 600 — up about eight percent over the previous fall.

Novi civil defense workers and Goodfellows got together for a car wash. Proceeds from the wash was used by Goodfellows for their Christmas charity work.

The Novi Little League ended its regular season with the championship pennant waving high over the Paragon Steelers for the second straight year.



Polio clinics were not popular with everyone

SEPTEMBER

IN NORTHVILLE —

1700 pupils open new school year; 20 new teachers on staff.

American Legion and navy recruiting station to sponsor "record hops" for teenagers.

School administrators forecast need for new elementary within another year.

Attempted bank robbery fails after Assistant Manager Leo Kalota calls "bluff" of man holding a bottle of "nitroglycerine". Police arrest Richard Aull Valpey after Kalota instructed Receptionist Mrs. Ruth Stroh to ring alarm.

Northville gridders snap jinx, topple Plymouth 12-6.

IN NOVI —

Thirty prize show horses and a large complex of barns on the Treehaven Farm were saved by quick action of Novi's fire department.

Novi voters cast their lots for incorporation, creating the state's largest village and fourth largest municipality.

IN WIXOM —

The city's first tax collection was 97.6 percent perfect.

Mayor Joseph Stadnik called for a re-appraisal of all property in the city, pointing out that different standards for establishing assessments in Novi and Commerce township sections had been used before incorporation.

OCTOBER

IN NORTHVILLE —

Warren Products takes annexation suit to supreme court.

City purchases Frank Hills' real estate building, 114 West Main street, for alley and parking facilities at cost of \$17,000.

1384 Northville area residents receive Salk vaccine shots at two special clinics here.

Torch drive hits \$2500 to top last year but below \$4858 goal.



Heroes of attempted bank robbery, Assistant Manager Leo Kalota and Mrs. Ruth Stroh

IN NOVI —

Three Willowbrook boys escaped death when the outer dirt wall of a newly poured basement broke loose and buried them. Nearby workmen, digging with their bare hands, removed the boys unharmed.

Police Chief Lee BeGole, who wasn't carrying a hunting licence, shot the "first deer" of the year on the expressway near Beck road. The eight-point buck had suffered two broken legs when hit by a car.

Walter Tuck was elected village president by his four fellow councilmen.

NOVEMBER

IN NORTHVILLE —

2271 city and township voters go to polls in general election, but fail to pick winner as Democrats sweep state.

Planning commission approves winter use of new Sheldon road barns lifting restriction placed on barns when built in 1956.

\$50,000 fire hits offices of Haller, Inc. on Northville road.

Council decides to ask approval of \$300,000 bond issue for improvement of water system. Issue will go to voters in February.

Northville high school football team completes season with undefeated, untied record.

IN NOVI —

Novi's first village budget and the council's decision to borrow \$25,000 were approved at a public hearing at the township hall.

Frazer Staman, township supervisor, was named treasurer-assessor for the village of Novi. The appointment came as a surprise because he had been given strong consideration for the post of village manager.

The Novi planning commission, in a special session following a public hearing, voted against rezoning the proposed 200-acre site at Taft and 10 Mile road from agricultural to industrial, thus tying up race track plans.

DECEMBER

IN NORTHVILLE —

Candidates start filing for city and township offices. Election for mayor and two city council posts as well as township supervisor, clerk, trustee, treasurer, justice of peace, board of review and constable will be held in April.

Gerald Taft reveals plan for 91-home subdivision on Taft road.

IN NOVI —

Novi's councilmen came to a deadlocked vote on the appointment of Novi's first village manager. Age and engineering vs. administrative experience were the disrupting issues. Irate village citizens at a public hearing aimed protests at a proposed zoning change to permit establishment of a trailer court on Grand River near Taft road.

IN WIXOM —

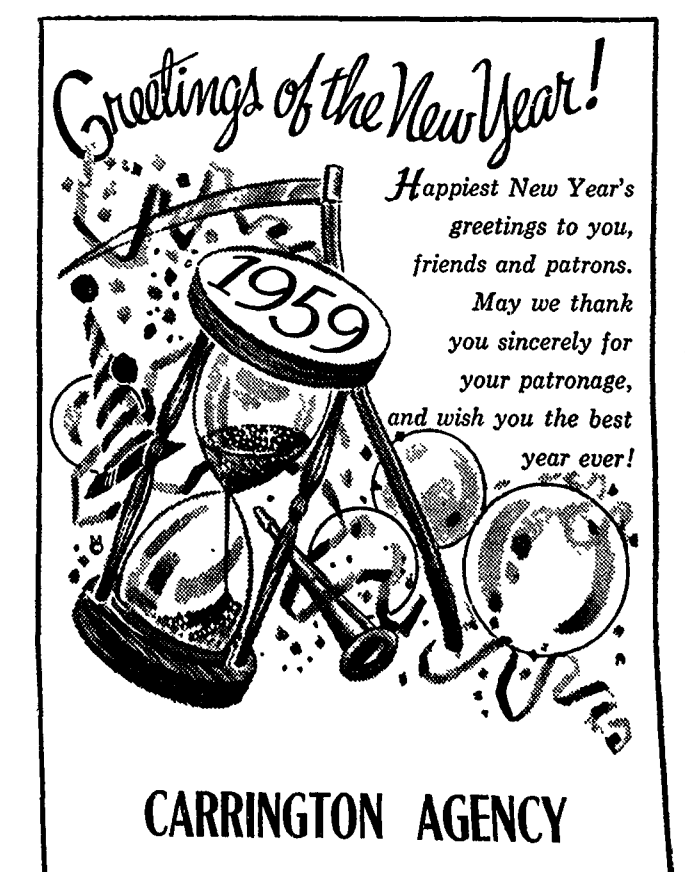
Former Novi Township Trustee Stanley C. Balon was named to the Wixom council to fill the unexpired term of Jesse Birchard, who moved to Walled Lake.



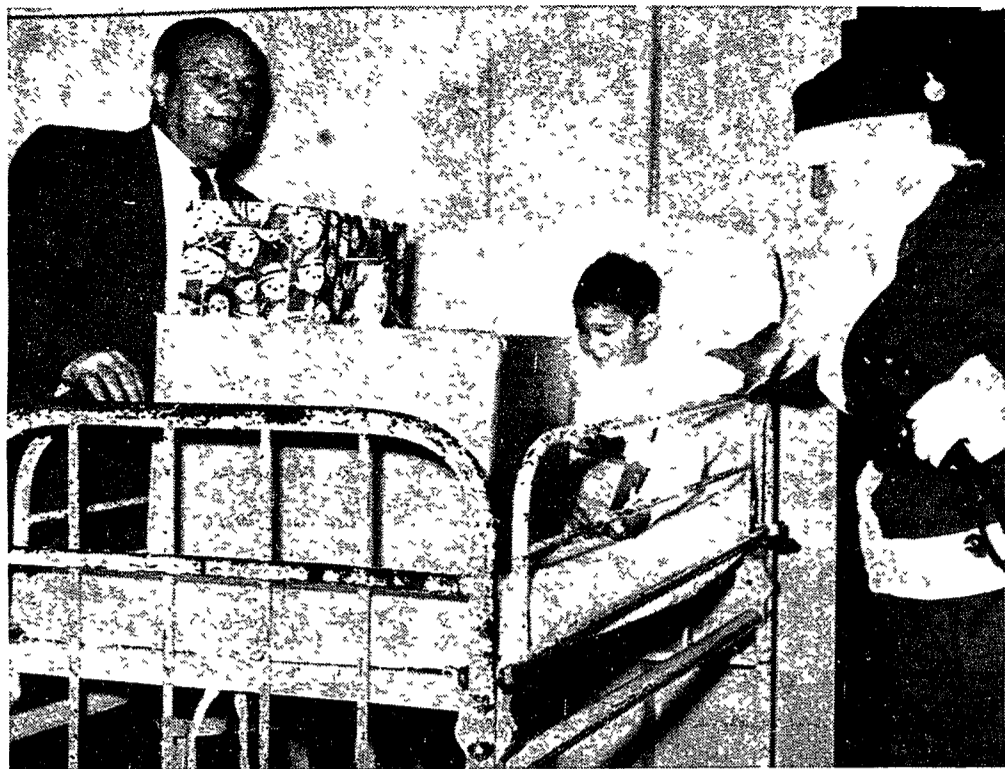
Happy over his undefeated season, Coach Schipper congratulates three of his stars, Spike Walker, N. C. Schrader and Bob Starnes



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SANTA DIDN'T FORGET — Here's one of the 130 Maybury sanatorium children who thrilled to the visit of Santa Claus Christmas morning. He's receiving a gift he wrote for in letters distributed throughout the area by Mrs. George Chabot, who annually gives the 'gifts for Maybury' project. Postmaster Leland Smith is helping this youngster open his packages, while Santa (Chester Finney of Livonia) rings his bells and chuckles a "Merry Christmas". This year Santa arrived by helicopter. After his visit the members of the Kappa Nu fraternity and Phi Sigma Sigma sorority of Wayne State university entertained and sang carols for the children. This marks the fourth year that Kappa Nu has undertaken this Christmas morning project. Maybury Superintendent Dr. W. L. Howard and Ida Blucher, children's ward supervisor, were on hand to assist in the activities.

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Obituary

GEORGE N. BRADFORD

George N. Bradford, 211 West Dunlap street, passed away December 23 at Harper hospital after an extended illness. Mr. Bradford was born July 15, 1907 in Baldwin, Michigan, the son of Andrew and Clara (Bonney) Bradford. His wife, Violet C., whom he married in Kalamazoo in 1942 survives him. He is also survived by his mother and by two daughters, Rita and Bonny of Northville. Mr. Bradford moved to Northville from Detroit in 1951. He had been employed by the Cadillac Motor corporation for 16 years. He was a member of Northville F&AM 186, a Past Noble Grand of IOOF 59 in Baldwin, and a member of UAW Local 22. Funeral services were held December 26 from the Dempsey B. Ebert Funeral home. The Rev. Paul Cargo of the Northville First Methodist church officiated. Services were also held in

Baldwin later that day. Interment was in Pleasant Plains cemetery in Baldwin.

ANN MARIE SMELTS

Ann Marie Smelts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Smelts, Jr., 27078 Taft road, Novi, passed away suddenly December 25 at home. She was born January 3, 1957. Ann Marie is survived by her parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Wirick of Pittsford, Michigan and Mr. and Mrs. William Smelts, Sr. of Detroit, and by a great-grandmother, Mrs. George Wirick of Clayton, Michigan. The family are members of the Novi Methodist church. Funeral services were held December 27 from the Casterline Funeral home, the Rev. George T. Nevin of the Novi Methodist church officiating. Burial was in Rural Hill cemetery.

JOHN BODNAR

Funeral services were held December 30 for John Bodnar, 8595 Seven Mile road, Northville, who passed away suddenly at his home December 26. Mr. Bodnar was born August 19, 1905 in Romania. He is survived by his wife, Mary, by four daughters, Mrs. Elmer Kerchoff of South Lyon, Mrs. Howard Zander of Rogers, Arkansas, Mrs. Joseph Rohalynski of Livonia and Mary Bodnar of Northville; by two sons, Ferdinand of Northville, and John Jr. of South Lyon, and by nine grandchildren. Mr. Bodnar lived at the above address for the past 15 years and in the Northville area for the past 30 years. He was employed by the Ford Motor company, Lincoln division, Wixom, and was a member of Our Lady of Victory church. The Rev. Fr. John Wittstock of Our Lady of Victory church officiated at funeral services. Prayers were said December 29 at Casterline Funeral home. Burial was in Salem Walker cemetery.

Long-Time Resident Dies December 23

A well-known and long-time resident of Northville, Mrs. Belle Reine O'Donnell, 81, of 16528 Sorento, Detroit, passed away December 23 at Sessions hospital. She had been in failing health for the past two years. Mrs. O'Donnell was born March 12, 1887 in Carob, Michigan, the daughter of Jacob and Cynthia Averil Crommer. She is survived by her husband, William R.; by a daughter, Mrs. James (Averil) Green of Northville; by a son, Charles E. Miles of Detroit; a brother, John Crommer of Palm Harbor, Florida, and a niece, Mrs. Ben Thomas of Springfield, Illinois. Mrs. O'Donnell had made her home in Northville 40 years previous to her move to Detroit 20 years ago. For the past two years she had been living with her daughter, Mrs. Green.

She was a member of a pioneer Michigan family. Her great-grandfather, Dr. Averil is thought to have been Plymouth's first physician. Mrs. O'Donnell attended the Elim Baptist church in Detroit, and formerly belonged to the Northville First Baptist church. She was also a member of the Daughters of Redford Pioneers club. Funeral services were held December 26 from the Casterline Funeral home, the Rev. Severin Bernas of Elim Baptist church officiating. Burial was in Rural Hill cemetery.

- Roger Babson's Forecasts for 1959 -

1. Not too good and not too bad. Both the boom and the recent recession will be awaiting developments following the recent November elections.
2. 1959 will be a "do nothing" year for Congress. Both parties will hold their cards close to their chests until 1960 — when the Republicans will want good business. Most Democrats will vote for most of the inflationary legislation; but only a few of these Congressmen will vote for such legislation over the President's veto. The Democrats will be in a dilemma. In their hearts they will not want good business in 1960; but they must be very careful not to do anything which could be held against them in 1960.
3. Every act of Rockefeller's and of other leading Presidential candidates of both parties will be carefully scrutinized to analyze their vote-getting possibilities for 1960. We will comment on these possibilities in our Forecast for 1960 a year from now.
4. So long as Russia is fearful of China's loyalty, she will not intentionally start a shooting war. I hope that Chiang Kai-shek will come to his senses so that China will become an ally of the United States. Marshall surely bet on the "wrong horse" when he made his report to Truman.
5. Our national budget will show a heavy deficit in 1959. This and other factors should cause a continued gradual, although not dangerous, inflation.
6. Serious competition will continue at all levels in 1959. Manufacturers, merchants, and others who reduce advertising and other selling appropriations will surely suffer.
7. Despite competition, the profits squeeze will be eased for many concerns by strenuous cost-cutting programs and improving business.
8. More foreign goods will enter the United States during 1959. This especially applies to German, Italian, Japanese and Russian goods.
9. New cargo ships, built in Japan, England, Germany, Norway, Sweden and Italy, will be launched in 1959. This should result in most American-built and American-registered ships operating at a loss. More subsidies will be demanded.
10. Failures may not increase during 1959. Some big corporation now listed in the Dow-Jones Averages, may get in financial difficulties.
11. Federal cost-of-living figures will be disputed in 1959. Labor rates and wages which have been tied to the Federal Tables will be disputed by both Labor and Management.
12. On the basis of the above statements, I forecast, on the average, no wide change in 1959 for commodity prices. The recent recession is not over. Russia is still fighting us with an economic war.
13. There will be more strikes and labor troubles in 1959 than in 1958. Due to fear of unfavorable labor legislation and poor business conditions, labor leaders were on their good behavior in 1958.
14. It is now difficult to forecast the unemployment situation for 1959. Owing to the increase of automation, working forces will continue to be cut. Looking ahead to the elections of 1960, manufacturers, who are mostly Republicans, will want no more serious unemployment to occur.
15. Many plans for expansion of plants were postponed during 1958 for fear of a real depression. Some of these plans will be executed in 1959, although on a more moderate scale.
16. There will be a need for continued economic readjustment in 1959; but the playing of politics by both parties may temporarily postpone it.
17. 1959 will not see any marked change in money rates. However, borrowers who have not established good credit will continue to find it difficult to get new funds in 1959.
18. This means that it should be more difficult, on average, to sell long-term bonds in 1959 than in 1958. Buy only non-callable serial bonds or bonds of reasonably short maturities.
19. The supply of non-taxable state, municipal, and revenue bonds will increase during 1959. This will be due both to less readily available credit and to rising needs of municipalities.
20. The "fly-in-the-ointment" will be the uncertainty of the Federal policy regarding the new \$30,000,000,000 road-building program. Will it compete with or protect toll roads recently built? I believe this program will not harm outstanding Turnpike Bonds.
21. Many investors will switch from stocks into bonds in 1959, thus obtaining both higher income and better security.
22. As inflation becomes more serious, only short-term bond issues — other than convertible bonds — should be held to maturity. Bonds should no longer be considered good "permanent" investments unless they are non-taxable or convertible on a reasonable basis.
23. The best investment policy during 1959 will continue to be a well-diversified portfolio — of stocks, short-term bonds and cash. Every conservative investor will keep one-third of his portfolio liquid, to have funds available in case of a sudden very severe drop in the stock market. This will come some day.
24. As the 1958 Congress has not accomplished more in correcting abuses in the Teamsters Union, the 1959 Congress will do little to improve the labor situation. Therefore, invest in companies which will not be subject to strikes. Banks and utilities probably are the most nearly immune.
25. The Taft-Hartley Act will not be amended, nor will labor exemption from anti-monopoly laws be removed, until after the 1960 election. Labor leaders will get more and more power until — with Russia's help — they bring on a real depression.
26. Due to unemployment and the difficulty of borrowing funds for installing automation (automatic factories), the machinery industry will continue quiet during 1959.
27. I now see no probability that either wages or retail prices will be "fixed" during 1959 unless Russia threatens World War III.
28. Most wage workers will be more efficient during 1959, which should enable some managements to increase their productivity and profits.
29. Executives will attend more strictly to business during 1959, reducing time spent on luncheon clubs, golf, etc.
30. Good building land on the proper side of growing cities will continue to increase in price notwithstanding a decline in suburban building. Small farmers holding such land should not now sell.
31. Small farms without any suburban possibilities may well consider selling to adjoining farmers if offered a fair price in 1959.
32. Large commercial farms with latest machinery should prosper during 1959; but small farmers may not do so well.
33. Pending a serious war, there will be no radical change in the Government's farm policy during 1959.
34. With real estate situation in the larger cities may improve; but municipal taxes will increase.
35. Some suburban houses now owned by well-paid executives will come on the market in 1959, due to loss of positions or moves to other sections of the country.
36. Real estate mortgage money will be tighter in 1959 than in 1958. Furthermore, due to inflation, it will be worth less when due.
37. The demand for motels is largely satisfied; but there will be an increasing demand for very modern apartment houses — especially of the co-operative type. Old houses of all kinds will depreciate during 1959.
38. Woodland will continue to be in demand during 1959. This especially applies now to pine, which is used for the best lumber, and to spruce, which is used for pulp. Hold woodland in 1959.
39. More Russian imports of pulpwood may be expected in 1959; but this should largely be offset by the increased domestic demand for cartons and packages for shipping and displaying merchandise.
40. Both timber and oil reserves of Canada will gradually increase in value. I am bullish on many Canadian and African investments.
41. The greatest factor in determining the price of city land and businesses in general is the automobile and availability of parking space. This is responsible for both the boom in suburban real estate and the decline of city property. Buying city real estate without nearby parking facilities is a great mistake.
42. I was wrong in my forecast a year ago as to the Dow-Jones Averages. Although many stocks sell lower today than a year ago, the Dow-Jones Averages — especially the Industrials — sell higher. However, I will again run the risk and forecast that they will sell lower sometime in 1959 than they do today.
43. My forecast of the bond market for 1958 was correct. I am inclined now to reverse that forecast in the case of long-term non-callable corporate bonds, — that is, they should sell for less sometime in 1959 than they are selling for today.
44. I continue to forecast that high grade, cumulative, non-callable first preferred stocks will sell higher sometime during 1959 than they do today.
45. I repeat what I said last year regarding "cheap" stocks: "The large fortunes made in the stock market have come from buying non-dividend-paying common stocks at \$5.00 a share or under. These will be the first to reach a buying level." If you are to buy these low-priced common stocks, you should seek companies without too much prior debt or cumulative preferred stock outstanding. They are the best common stocks for "capital gains".
46. Convertible bonds should hold up fairly well during 1959.
47. The best investment policy for 1959 is for one now to have a good bank account so funds will be available to buy bargains when a sufficient break comes in stocks, bonds, real estate and commodities.
48. There will be many failures in hastily organized electronics, nuclear, and similar companies during 1959.
49. With two or three exceptions, railroad stocks should be avoided during 1959 and until a definite long-range program of government aid is assured.
50. For steady income and fair marketability, well established utility stocks should be the best for conservative investors not looking for profit. This especially applies to cumulative first preferred non-callable utility stocks.
51. The three handicaps to American business are the fear of inflation, the fear of union labor leaders, and the fear of President Eisenhower's physical collapse.
52. The three hopes for America are our churches, our schools, and a desire to "pay as you go!" For these to function properly we must depend upon the parents of our nation.

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Tuesday evening neighbors and friends around First street were entertained by the Myers, Fallen and Fitzgerald children and Cathy Mummery singing Christmas carols. They sang their way up to Hobson's for a cocoa treat from Mrs. Mummery who accompanied them on their tour.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Van Valkenburgh of East Main street observed their 54th wedding anniversary December 26.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Clinton and two children, Tracy and Debbie, formerly of Northville and now residents of Rogers, Arkansas, were recent visitors of Mrs. Clinton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Ely of Clarenceville. They also visited many friends and relatives in Northville during their stay.

Mrs. Joseph Vroman and daughter, Dorothy, of Yerkes street spent Christmas with Mrs. Vroman's daughter and son-in-law and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Campbell of Howell.

Recent visitors of the R. W. Doeksen's of Orchard drive were Mr. and Mrs. James Callis and daughter, Leanna of Alexandria, Virginia. Mrs. Callis is the former Leanna Doeksen.

Jerry Schnute is home for the holidays from Ferris Institute at Big Rapids to be with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schnute of Grandview.

Adell Meadows of Chubb road surprised her friends at Christmas by announcing her marriage to Donald Kluft of Detroit since May 24.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Blackburn, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blackburn and family and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schefers of Warren were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Keskey and family of Redford township.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cassel and family of West Main street spent Sunday with Mrs. Cassel's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Logan and family at New Baltimore.

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