

First Paper Delivered By Stage

(Note: This concludes the series of articles compiled by News Editor Jack Hoffman dealing with the early history of the area.)

"Paper's coming," the youngsters shouted as the stage coach bumped over the dirt road into Northville.

The grimy driver had barely pulled his snorting team to a halt when Mrs. "Sam" Little bounded out of the house, and, holding her wool skirt, flew down the street to meet her young husband.

Such was the scene repeated in Northville twice each month when Samuel Little, editor and first publisher of the "Wayne County Record", later called The Northville Record, arrived in town aboard the stage with several hundred copies of his precious "country newspaper".

Sometime late in 1888, Little decided that his small but rapidly growing town should have its own paper. "Residing in that pleasant town, he had no means of knowing or conjecturing the possible receipts or expenditures of such an undertaking, but great of faith, he believed, and it was done."

The young married man climbed aboard a stage coach and rode to Lansing, where for six months he learned to set type and make up a newspaper. It was while training in the Lansing office that Little "struck off" the first number of the Record.

Upon completion of his training, Little returned to Northville and with a cash capital of \$30, he launched the newspaper by investing his money in a second-hand chase, composing stone and an array of type.

The tools of his trade were moved to the basement of his home. Then for almost six months Little wheeled the heavy type forms from his home to the stage office up town.

Off to Press

He rode on the stage with the forms to Wayne, where they were reloaded onto a train. From Wayne they were taken by rail to Detroit where they were fed into a press. He then would return to Northville via the same route, with his fresh, crisp newspapers and ink forms.

The first Record, dated July 15, 1889, (a copy of which is framed and exhibited at the Record office today) contained only four pages — two pieces of newsprint. Page one carried a Wayne County Record flag, masthead, short local business reminders, want ads, outstate news stories and a few local items.

The inside two pages (boiler plate) contained a general summary of national news, "foreign gossip", and numerous miscellaneous items — never local. The back page contained the publisher's editorial, sometimes one or two guest editorials, and a number of local display advertisements, including always an ad from the Northville Union School.

"A Death-bed Promise" was the first serial to be carried in The Record. The popularity of these fictitious serialized stories proved so great that they were continued until sometime after the turn of the Century.

Some of the earliest advertisers included: H. W. Holcomb & Co., H. M. Perrins Dry Goods Store, Scott & Jackson's Groceries, F. R. Beal Hardware Co., Randolph's Novelty Store, Corliffe & Kiddle stage line and Bassett & Orr caskets and coffins.

Little's struggles for survival are apparent by the numerous pleas he made in the Record pages for delinquent subscribers and advertisers to "pay promptly". On September 25, 1889, he wrote:

"We are under obligation to Byron Poole, the gentlemanly proprietor of the Argo Mills for the present of a sack of his own manufacture

"Occasionally, we come across a person who is really aware that an enterprise of this sort, in order to flourish, needs attention that can be shown, and particularly have what is in arrears for advertisements and subscriptions."

The Record owner was paid for his services with a bushel of "shiny apples", a barrel of kindling or a cake. And he received them all with sincere words of thanks.

First Press

On January 22, 1870 (Vol. 1, No. 14) this notice appeared in the Record: "A number of gentlemen, citizens of this place, with a view of furthering the interests of the village, through the support of its local paper, have taken in hand to buy a press for this office." A total of \$145 was pledged (with promises of more to come).

Then on February 19, 1870, Little wrote: "We are happy to state, that, through the kind assistance of this place, we shall undoubtedly be able to secure our 'press' before the next issue of our paper."

"It is our purpose, also, to vacate our present office room for a more central location, and a more convenient apartment on Main street."

With the arrival of the press, the Record was enlarged with the addition of two columns per page. The format of the paper also was changed with the local items and general home news carried on the inside pages.

The next "big change" was announced on December 10, 1870: "At the urgent request of many of our subscribers we are about to make a slight

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The Northville Record

IF IT'S NEWS...AND IT HAPPENS IN NORTHVILLE...YOU CAN READ IT IN THE RECORD

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'Estates' Annexation Election Monday

Planners, Council Disagree on Zoning

A joint meeting of the city council and planning commission has been called for Monday night to settle a knotty zoning issue that finds the planners and councilmen with opposing views.

The special meeting was called by Mayor A. Malcolm Allen so that zoning designations may be established for Oakland county areas annexed from Novi and a revised zoning ordinance may be adopted.

Specifically, the council and planners cannot agree on zoning for three parcels of land owned by the D&R Building company and located between the C&O railroad and the company's Yerkes Estates subdivision.

Planners held two public hearings last summer and finally recommended M-1 (light industrial) and C-1 (commercial) for the sites.

Officials of D&R have asked that the land be zoned C-3, which would permit a wide variety of commercial establishments.

They have charged that the planners refused C-3 to protect Northville's main business district from shopping center competition. They insist there is no possibility of securing a major supermarket for the site, but that other business permitted under C-3 might be obtained.

To further complicate the problem D&R officials stated that the city council had agreed to establish the zoning now requested when the company first explored the possibility of developing the subdivision several years ago.

Three members of the council of that era are still on the council — and all three admit that they had given verbal assurance that the zoning request would be met.

The trio — Mayor Allen, Councilmen Earl Reed and Ed Welch — still believe the C-3 zoning should be permitted.

Councilman John Canterbury is not convinced. He requested Monday night that the mayor call a joint session with the planners and officials of D&R to "consider all sides and hear the planners' reasons".

The strange circumstance came about as a result of new zoning rules to be adopted simultaneously with the zoning of the D&R property. Whereas previously, M-1 zoning (which the developers requested and received council concurrence several years ago) would have permitted any higher form of zoning (such as commercial or residential) within its limits, the new method permits only that which is designated. Therefore, only light industry is permitted in M-1 areas and certain light commercial enterprises under C-1.

Despite suggestions that the council wanted C-3 zoning for the area in question, the planners have been adamant in their position. As an advisory body, it can be overruled by the council, however.

Damage Heavy In Langtry Fire

A smoldering fire originating in the basement caused extensive damage to the Edwin R. Langtry home at 712 Thayer Tuesday noon.

Firemen were called shortly after 11:30 a.m. by Mrs. Langtry who had left the house an hour and a half earlier to go shopping.

Heavy smoke throughout the house made it impossible for firemen to enter the house for at least a half-hour. Their efforts were further hampered by the collapsing of the back entrance stairway and the entire kitchen into the basement.

The Langtry's pet boxer dog, "Marcy", was trapped in the basement. When the dog was finally reached by firemen it was rushed to Veterinarian T. N. Heslip, but efforts to revive the dog were unsuccessful.

Firemen believe that the fire may have started in the area of the main fuse box in the basement. The entire kitchen and back stairway directly above the fuse box was gutted.

The fire was the fourth at the Langtry home in 10 years.

Firemen battled a stubborn, potentially dangerous ventilator-chimney fire at the Northville Restaurant and Bar, 113 West Main, yesterday (Wednesday) morning.

Smoke from the fire, which was confined to the chimney and air vent, poured into second-floor hotel, corridor, routing several occupants from the adjoining rooms. No one was injured, however.

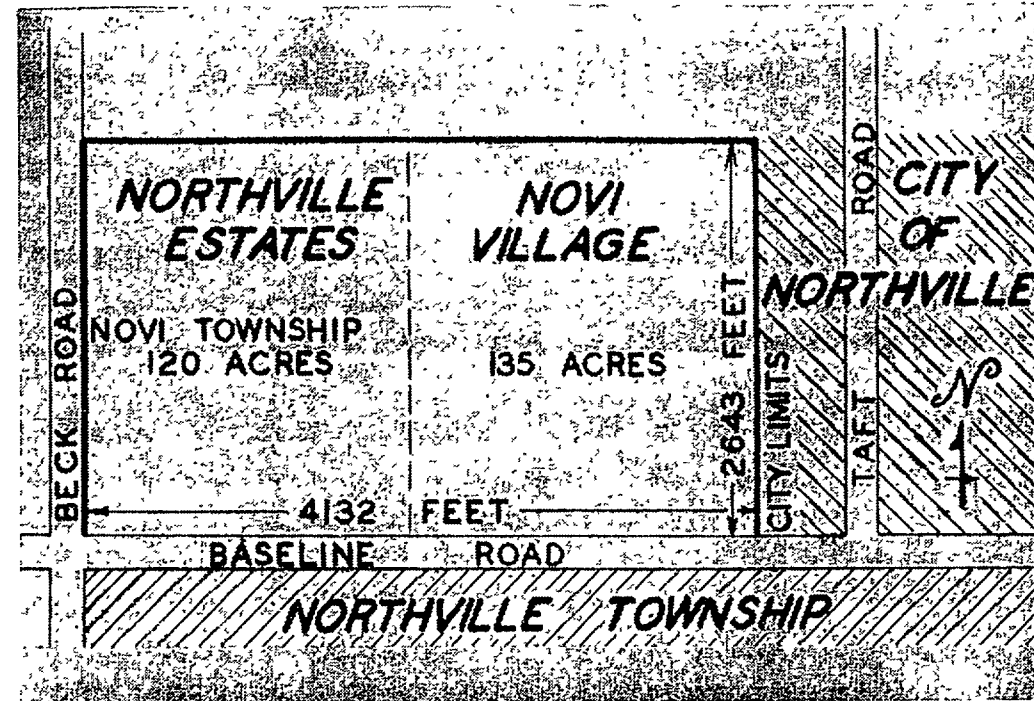
The fire apparently started from overheated, firemen said. Flames, which fed on grease and soot in the ventilator, broke out repeatedly as firemen shot in water and foam.

PTA Science Night

Science projects created by students of Northville's elementary and secondary schools will be exhibited at the community building tonight prior to the regular meeting of the P-T-A.

Professor Lawrence A. Conrey of the University of Michigan will discuss teaching science to children in the third of a series of four monthly lectures on special school issues sponsored by the P-T-A.

A committee report on teacher salaries will be made by Joseph Petrock. The science exhibit opens at 7 p.m. one hour before the P-T-A meeting.



Voters of the city of Northville along with those residing in the heavy bordered section of Novi shown above will go to the polls Monday to decide if the Novi area should be annexed to the city. Annexation requires a majority vote in both the city and the Novi area to be annexed. Legal action is certain to follow if the annexation is approved.

Board Denies Bid To Expand Alleys Without Parking

A request by Angelo Gadioli for permission to expand the facilities of Northville Lanes without providing additional offstreet parking was denied Thursday night by the board of appeals.

Gadioli took his request for waiver to the appeals board after he had denied a building permit. The bowling lane proprietor had planned to build five more alleys on property adjoining his building on South Center street.

Under the city zoning ordinance five offstreet parking spaces must be provided for each newly constructed bowling alley. An alternative is to contribute \$600 per parking space required to the city parking fund.

Gadioli balked at such a contribution because it would not necessarily provide parking near his business.

About 20 citizens attended the hearing. Four spoke up, but none favored waiving the regulation.

The board, chaired by Elmer DeKay, was unanimous in its denial although sympathetic to Gadioli's appeal. He pointed out that he has 30-foot frontage next to his building that he cannot use for expansion unless he provides parking.

The ordinance sets down minimum requirements for off-street parking for all new business as well as floor-space expansions of existing business.

Planners Name Zerbel

George Zerbel has been elected chairman of Northville's nine-member planning commission. He replaces T. R. Carrington, long-time head of the zoning and advisory planning board who will continue as vice chairman.

L. M. Eaton is secretary.

CD Committee Requests Emergency Organization

In a report termed by Mayor A. M. Allen "the finest ever presented", the council appointed Civilian Defense Advisory committee made its initial progress presentation to the city council Monday night.

The report was given by Chairman the Rev. Peter Nieuwkoop and Fred Stefanski, secretary.

Specifically, the committee suggested an organizational plan for civilian defense emergency operation and recommended that an adequate alert system be adopted.

The alert system would include a warning siren that could be heard in all parts of the community and a recommended procedure for contacting all department heads.

The advisory committee was appointed last summer and has held nine meetings. Other members who have participated in the work are Dr. J. K. Bosch, Police Chief Eugene King, Rolf Batzer, Dempsey Ebert, Arthur Procter and William Taft, Jr. Oscar Hammond, director of civil defense for the area, has also worked with the advisory group.

To a great extent the air force jet tragedy last May that injured two of the Eugene King children here prompted the council to study the city's emergency preparedness.

In other recommendations the committee asked that an emergency power unit be purchased; an emergency transportation group be formed; that a group of 40 to 50 first aid personnel be trained; that an emergency medical center and civilian defense headquarters be established; and that a program of public information be adapted.

The committee reported that it

Court Fight Probable

Voters in Northville and a 255-acre section of Novi will decide Monday whether or not the area should be annexed to the city of Northville.

The section proposed for annexation is located on Baseline at the northeast corner of Beck road (see map).

If voters approve the annexation, a court fight is certain to follow. Novi village councilmen decided this two weeks ago. Village Attorney Howard Bond sought last week to have the state supreme court cancel the election. And while it appears that his "petition of prohibition" was too late for high court action, it is likely that the village will be granted the right to protest the proceedings leading up to the election and the election itself.

Attorney Bond stated that the city of Northville and the secretary of state (under whose department the election was called by the director of elections) will be named in the proposed suit.

Monday's election was called as a result of petitions filed with the secretary of state's office by Northville Estates Civic association members.

The 120-acre subdivision is composed of some 36 homes in the \$25,000 to \$50,000 class. Because residents of the subdivision refused to sign Novi village incorporation petitions, Northville Estates is in the township, but not the village of Novi.

To gain "connection" to Northville city limits the subdivision had to include a 135-acre parcel of the village which divides Northville Estates from the city. Northville's city limits extend along the northern side of Baseline to a point 1000 feet west of Taft road.

While there are three separately-owned parcels of land in the village area, only one of the owners, Mrs. C. A. Randall of 46370 Eight Mile road resides there. She will be the lone village voter. Northville Estates residents will be the other Novi voters. According to Northville Estates Civic association President William Slattery, about 90 percent of the subdivision residents signed the petitions for annexation. Mrs. Randall also was a signer.

In announcing its move to gain admittance to Northville the civic association stated that its residents "feel closely related to the civic, religious, educational and business affairs of the city." The area is in the Northville school district.

While the Novi council has taken the position that it must oppose the annexation because the people of Novi had voted for incorporation believing that it offered protection against annexation, the Northville city council is vigorously supporting the election (see page nine).

Village Attorney Bond has indicated that the village will fight the election on these points:

- that the petitions did not contain the proper number of village signatures;
- that the notice of election should have been made by both the township and village (the secretary of state directed the township clerk to conduct the election for both the village and township areas);
- that the entire population of the village should be permitted to vote in the election.

Because the village is naming the secretary of state in its suit the case would go immediately to the supreme court for trial.

While there has been no litigation between Northville and the village of Novi concerning annexations, two previous annexations from the township in the past three years were won by the city. The supreme court ruled that a city can annex township property under the procedure being followed in Monday's election.

These two annexations involved 88 acres where Amerman elementary school is located and 250 acres including Warren Products, Yerkes Estates and property along Taft road which abuts the area now seeking annexation to the city.

Polls for Monday's election open at 7 a.m. and close at 8 p.m. Northville voters of precincts one and two vote at the community building, while residents of precinct three vote at the Amerman school. Novi voters cast their ballots at the Novi township hall.

II Earn Bikes, Radios In Subscription Drive

The efforts of 93 salesmen in The Record-Now News campaign for new subscriptions are beginning to show results.

Last Saturday the first two prizes were awarded. This week nine more have been earned.

John Canterbury of Northville was the first to earn an Evans bicycle. And he's well on his way to earning a Motorola transistor radio, too. He's sold 22 new subscriptions — 15 to earn the bicycle — and now he needs only three more to earn a radio.

William Pietron of Willowbrook Village in Novi selected a radio for his first 10 new subscriptions. He's sold 11 altogether and will try to earn a bicycle for his sister.

Nine others reported sufficient sales last Saturday to earn prizes. Their "new subscribers" have been checked to see if they comply with the rules of the contest (see page 10) and this Saturday they will pick up their prizes. The salesmen and their prizes are:

Curtis Hahn, 420 Griswold, a bicycle; Terry Krug, 46800 West 11 Mile, a radio; Mrs. Mary Donovan, 341 South Rogers, a radio; Rodney Dahlgren, 839 Grace, a radio; Darlene Moss, 170 New

Court, Walled Lake, a bicycle; Harry Ramay, 1251 West Lane drive, Walled Lake, a bicycle; Larry Spangler, 9166 Napier, a bicycle; Bill Sliger, Jr., 237 South Wing, a bicycle; and Michael Utley, 46994 Sunset, a bicycle.

Darlene Moss ordered a boy's bicycle and will give it to her brother for his birthday. Michael Utley already has a bicycle and decided to order a girl's model for his sister. He'll try for a radio for himself now.

Many others are well on their way towards earning a prize as the campaign hits the half-way mark. To date a total of 235 new subscriptions to The Record and News have been sold in the Northville-Nowi-Wixom area.

Some salesmen are neglecting to report their new subscriptions each week. It is important that all sales are reported each Saturday at one of the offices in Northville, Novi or Wixom so that the newspaper may be mailed promptly to the new subscribers.

With two full weeks remaining there's still plenty of time to start now and earn a prize. Anyone is eligible. Read the rules on page 10 and come in Saturday and sign up.

Calendar

Friday, March 25
Woman's club luncheon, 12:30 p.m.
Saturday, March 26
P-T-A story hour, library, 1:30 p.m.
Sunday, March 27
Newcomers bowling, at Northville
Monday, March 28
BPW, Presbyterian church, 6:30



FIRST WINNERS — John Canterbury (left) of Northville and William Pietron of Novi are the first two salesmen in The Record-Now News "new subscriber" campaign to collect prizes. John earned an Evans bicycle and William is shown receiving a Motorola transistor radio from C. B. Turnbull of Northville Electric shop, where the pocket-



model radios are sold locally. Both are determined to continue and earn another prize. John's after the radio and William will try to earn a bicycle for his sister. The promotion continues until April 9. Bicycles are awarded to anyone selling 15 new subscriptions to either newspaper, and radios for 10 new subscriptions.

about WOMEN

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NEWS AROUND NORTHVILLE

Four new members were voted in to the Northville Branch, Woman's National Farm and Garden association last week. Mrs. Howard Fuller, Mrs. Dempsey B. Ebert, Mrs. L. M. Snow, Jr. and Mrs. E. Frutchey.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Wright of Fairbrook avenue gave the guest day program at last week's meeting of the Milford Literary club in Milford Episcopal church. The Wrights showed colored slides of their recent trip to Alaska.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Wright of Fairbrook avenue attended a birthday party Sunday for their grandson, David Harvie, of Birmingham. David, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harvie, was 17.

Howard Whipple of West Seven Mile road is home after an eight weeks stay in St. Joseph Mercy hospital, Ann Arbor.

Mary Kangas of Detroit and Hen-

ry Mikko of Livonia were united in marriage by Justice of the Peace E. M. Bogart Saturday evening. Miss Katherine Isenhower of Detroit and Oscar Autio of Plymouth were the attending witnesses.

Friday, the advisory board of the Michigan Needleworkers met at the home of Mrs. Donald Sober in Plymouth. Northville women attending were Mrs. Claude Crusoe, Mrs. Walter Couse, Mrs. Paul Schulz and Mrs. Del Hahn. Mrs. David Wood, Mrs. Harold Guenther and Mrs. Gene Crosby attended from Plymouth. Samples of hard-smocking, hand-made lace and embroidered guest towels were shown. These will be displayed at tomorrow's meeting of

BIRTH

Mr. and Mrs. William Klaserner of Novi road announce the birth of a son March 22 at Pontiac Osteopathic hospital. The Klaserners have another son, Mark, four years old.

the Northville Woman's club at the First Presbyterian church.

Women Head Cancer Drive

The appointment of Mrs. L. M. Eaton as chairman for the April Educational Crusade of the Michigan Cancer Foundation in Northville was announced today by Mott Heath, the western Wayne county unit crusade chairman.

Mrs. Eaton will direct the Northville activities of the crusade which are aimed at calling the attention of everyone to the danger signs of cancer and urging them to have periodic cancer checkups by their personal physicians.

Assisting her will be Mrs. Wilbur Johnston, who is educational secretary for the Northville area. According to Mrs. Eaton and Mrs. Johnston, the local drive will center around an effort "to fight ignorance about cancer," and to prove that "cancer can be cured if detected in time."

No funds will be solicited during the crusade since the Michigan Cancer Foundation is a United Fund agency and is supported by funds raised in the Torch Drive held every fall.

General chairman of the crusade is Ben D. Mills, who also is general manager of Ford Motor company's Lincoln-Mercury division.



Mrs. L. M. Eaton



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Mrs. John Wesley Clarke

Newcomers Club Activities Grow

Two Newcomer club activities got off to a good start last week. Two more are expected to begin by April.

A brisk crowd turned out for the club's card group meeting Monday at the Northville scout hall.

Beginning bridge, social bridge and pinocle sections were formed. Others played games of their choice.

The next meeting of the group, charmaned by William Stein, will be held Monday, April 4 at 8 p.m. at the scout hall. Meetings will be held every other Monday, same time and place.

Newcomer square dancers also enjoyed the first gathering of their group at the Northville community building Thursday. The next meeting will be held March 31 at 7:30 p.m. in the community building.

Classes in sewing and handwriting analysis will start within the next two weeks.

Newcomer and home economics teacher, Mrs. R. Redmond, will teach beginning sewing and tailoring. Group chairman is Mrs. Richard Campbell, FI-9-3109.

Newcomer supper speaker, Mrs. Howard Kraft will teach handwriting analysis. Classes are open to both newcomers and other residents, said Group Chairman Mrs. Charles Smith, FI-9-2265.

Mrs. Smith, also club president, added that members wishing to pay dues may mail checks to Mrs. Gene Cushing.

Brownie Troop 209, accompanied by Leaders Mrs. Glen Deibert, Mrs. Fred Sterner and Mrs. William Vradenburg, had a good time sliding on the Amerman school hill this week.

John Clarke, Phyllis Warnick Married in East

Phyllis Lynn Warnick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clay Warnick, Jr., of Llewellyn Park, New Jersey, was married March 11 to John Wesley Clarke, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Russell Clarke of Fairbrook avenue.

The Rev. Kenneth L. Whitney officiated in the ceremony at Holy Trinity church.

A reception followed at the home of the bride's parents. Laurel Saynor Warnick was maid of honor for her sister, Ruth Ann Clarke, sister of the groom, and Fay Elizabeth Niles were bridesmaids.

John chose James Morris Rambeau for his best man. Ushers were Henry Clay Warnick IV, brother of the bride, and Christopher Slocum Jennison. William Craig Warnick, another brother of the bride, was a junior usher.

The bride was graduated from Douglass and is employed by Bancroft Enterprises in New York City.

The groom, a graduate of Rutgers university, is on the news staff of radio station WMTR, Morristown.

They will reside in Orange, New Jersey.

Community Hospital Auxiliary Names Committee Chairmen

Committee chairmen appointments were announced at the fourth meeting of the newly-organized Community General hospital auxiliary Monday evening in Northville.

Some 50 area women attended the session at Our Lady of Victory auditorium.

Committee chairmen are: Mrs. Dempsey B. Ebert, membership; Mrs. Lorne Dyer, ways and means; Mrs. Harold Price, publicity, and Mrs. Charles Freydl, Jr., admittance desk project.

The admittance desk project will be the first service undertaking by the group.

The group will begin volunteer work in the hospital Monday, April 18.

Two orientation and training sessions for volunteers are scheduled for the first week in April, Chairman Mrs. Freydl announced.

Auxiliary President Mrs. William Milne pointed out that women are also needed for other committees.

These will get underway as membership expands and committee members are signed up. General information on membership and activity in the auxiliary, Mrs. Milne said, can be obtained by calling FI-9-1010.

Membership is open to and presently includes women from areas

served by the hospital: Northville, Plymouth, South Lyon, Livonia, Novi and Farmington.

Active, sustaining and life memberships are offered.

The group, organized two months ago upon the encouragement of the hospital board of trustees, is a volunteer service body.

Volunteer committees may eventually perform a number of hospital duties including clerical and light patient care.

The next general meeting of the auxiliary is scheduled for Monday, April 18 at Our Lady of Victory church auditorium. The meeting will begin at 8:15.

Woman's Club Lunch Friday

The Woman's club year customarily ends on an upbeat with the annual spring Luncheon and skit.

Tomorrow marks the close of the club's 1959-60 season.

As in the past the meeting will be held at the First Presbyterian church fellowship hall.

Luncheon will be served at 12:30 p.m. A short business meeting will precede the skit.

Friday's entertainment promises to leave the ladies smiling.

The skit, which was performed and written by club members, will cash in on the political shenanigans of a national campaign year.

The cast, directed by Mrs. John Begle, is chiefly composed of new members.

Authors of the skit are Mrs. Begle, Mrs. William Wiley and Mrs. William Sliger.

Club President Mrs. Charles Yahne, Jr. will preside over the meeting.

Mrs. Richard Martin is chairman of the day.

Mothers' Club To Meet Monday

Amerman school teachers will host the next meeting of the Northville Mothers' club Monday night at Amerman school.

The mothers and teachers will discuss the club's present resource center project and make reference picture-catalogues for use in the center.

Members are reminded to bring materials for the catalogues.

The meeting will begin at 8 p.m. in the faculty lounge which the club recently decorated and furnished.

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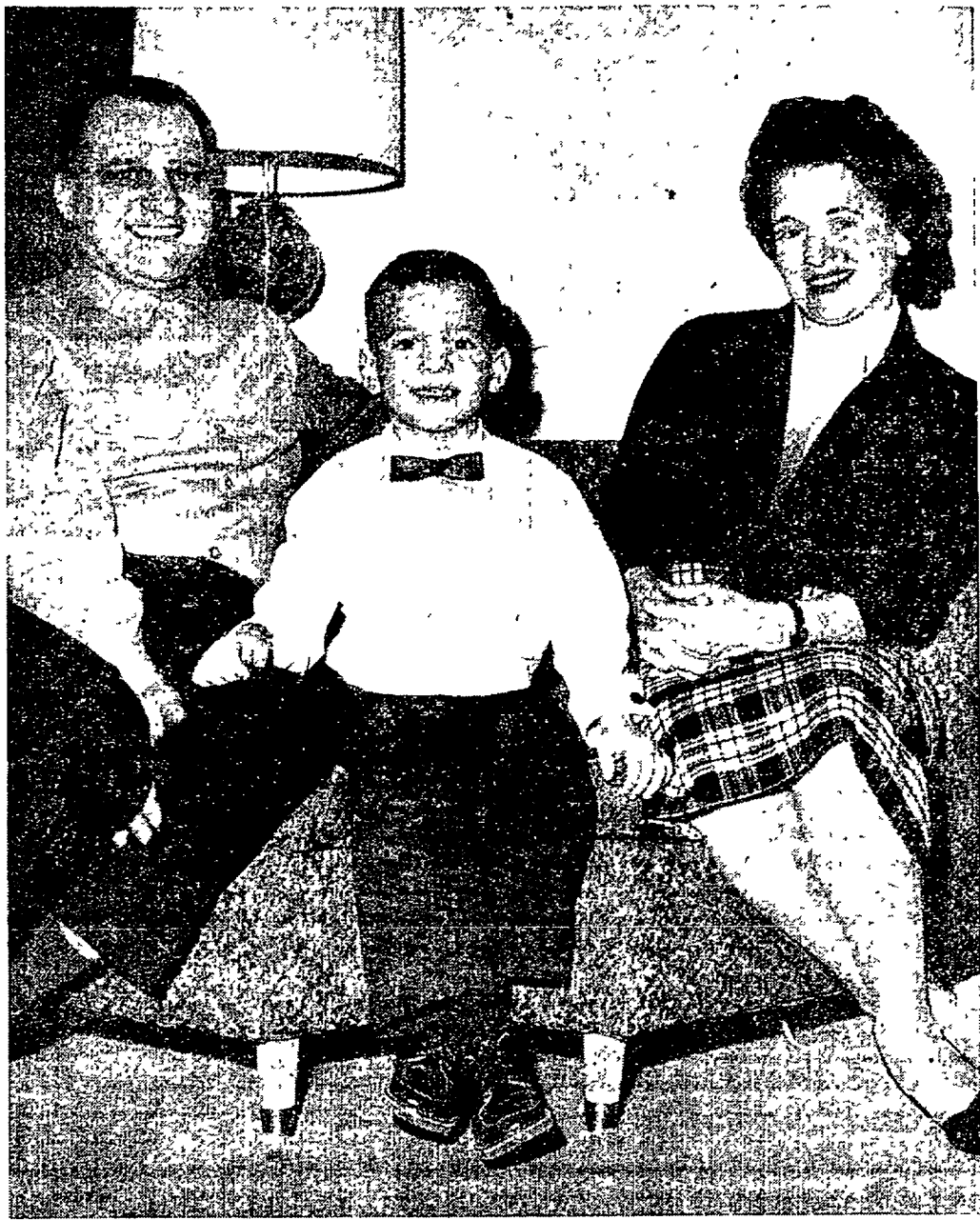
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FROM HIGHLAND PARK — The P. J. Thompsons of Northville Heights started out the new year by moving to Northville. They're pictured here with son Mark.

Two Michigan boosters, newcomers Jack and Dorothy Thompson, think that Northville is a small-town package of all the state's charms.

Both natives of Highland Park, the Thompsons say they were attracted by Northville's scenic locale. With their six-year-old son, Mark, a first grader at Amerman school,

they moved into their Northville Heights home the first of the year. Two other grown children, Jim and Diana, live in Highland Park.

Despite his brief residence, Mark impressed his school cronies enough to get elected student council representative from his class. Thompson is employed by Chrysler corporation in Detroit.

His interests include boy scouting (he was a scoutmaster in Highland Park) and following civic issues. Dorothy, who made decorative wall plaques for pin money before moving, may go back into business again.

branches in the U.S. and Guam also support the international grants program which each year brings some 30 women from other countries to the United States for professional study. Women scholars have until December 1, 1960 to file for their applications. Information about the fellowships can be obtained from Plymouth Branch Fellowship chairman, Mrs. Walter Nichols of Plymouth.

She's Elected
Judith A. Sterling, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Sterling, 44536 Chedworth, Northville, has been elected president of the Women's Recreation association at Kalamazoo college for the coming year. Miss Sterling is a sophomore.

Priscilla Blackburn, daughter of the John Blackburns of Orchard drive, was graduated from Michigan State university. Attending the winter commencement exercises were Mr. and Mrs. Blackburn, Mrs. Charles Blackburn, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Scheffer, Mr. and Mrs. William Young and Mrs. Claude Ely.

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Springtime Means Outdoor Cooking

With the first signs of spring come thoughts of camping, picnics and backyard barbecue parties.

For the open-air cook, Mrs. Phillip Nauman offers two tasty recipes which combined, make a complete outdoor meal — Hobo Stew and Baked Apples.

Their best feature is versatility, she says.

Both can be prepared in advance of an outing, are easy to pack, eliminate the need for dishes, and lend themselves to wide variations.

What's more, they can be prepared in the oven, on a barbecue, or right in a campfire.

Any vegetable may be used or added to the stew recipe, she pointed out. Green pepper, turnips or celery are ideal.

Raisins may also be sprinkled over the apples.

Both recipes are camp-tested favorites of scouts, the scout leader noted.

Her third recipe for Date Bread shares the simplicity of the other two.

It can't fail, says Mrs. Nauman, who likes to surprise her friends with gift loaves during the holidays.

And it's just as delicious as more complicated date bread recipes.

HOBO STEW
Mrs. Phillip Nauman
1½ lbs. hamburger
5 medium potatoes
5 carrots
2 medium onions
1 No. 2½ can whole tomatoes, drained
salt
pepper

Peel potatoes and carrots. Slice all vegetables (except tomatoes) into thin pieces.

On individual squares of heavy aluminum foil or double thickness light foil, shape hamburger half-inch thick into oblong patties (to hold vegetables).

Cover each patty with layers of sliced vegetables; first potatoes, next carrots; then onions. Top with tomato pieces. Ketchup may be substituted for tomato if desired.

Season to taste.

Wrap each patty with foil, making sure edges are sealed tightly to prevent seepage.

To bake in oven, place foil-wrapped patties on cookie sheet.

Bake at 350 degrees for 1 hour.
For barbecue, place patties on grill. Cook for about 30 minutes.
For campfire, place patties in fire. Cook for 30 minutes.
Recipe serves 5.

BAKED APPLES
apples
cinnamon
brown sugar
butter
Peel and core apples. Fill centers with brown sugar and cinnamon (to taste). Top with flakes of butter. Raisins may be added if desired.

Place each apple on square of heavy aluminum foil or double thickness light foil. Bring edges of foil together at top. Twist top securely, making sure there are no openings (to prevent seepage).

For oven, place foil-wrapped apples on cookie sheet. Bake at 350 degrees for 1 hour.

For barbecue, place on grill. Cook for 30 minutes.

For campfire, place in fire. Cook for 30 minutes.
Turns out crumbly and sweet. Eat right from foil holder.

DATE BREAD
1 cup chopped dates
1 tsp. baking soda
¾ cup boiling water
Mix above ingredients together. Let cool.
1 tbs. melted butter
¾ cup sugar
1 whole egg
1½ cup sifted flour
½ tsp. baking powder
½ cup chopped walnuts
1 tsp. vanilla
When first mixture cools, fold in remaining ingredients.
Pour batter into loaf pan.
Bake at 350 degrees for 1 hour.
Can be served with cream cheese or butter.

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Symphony a Local First

Ludwig van Beethoven's monumental Symphony No. 9 in D Minor, in which the composer enlists the collaboration of a choral group and soloists for the finale, will be featured by the Plymouth Symphony Orchestra on Sunday, April 3 at 4 p.m. at Plymouth high school.

Conductor Wayne Dunlap has arranged for the assistance of prominent choral groups and soloists to join the symphony for this last and most outstanding program of the 1959-60 season.

The choruses are the Westminister Presbyterian church choir of Detroit, director, George Thomas; the Saginaw Choral Society, Robert Klepinger, director; and the Plymouth Civic Chorus, Fred Nelson, director.

Soloists will be Soprano Deanne Taylor and Mezzo Soprano Rosemary March of Detroit, Tenor Richard Miller, faculty member University of Michigan, and Bass Nat Sibbold of Plymouth. One hundred and fifty vocalists and 100 musicians will total their talents in this endeavor.

Beethoven (1770-1827) had for 25 years nursed the ambition of setting to music Schiller's "Ode

To Joy" in which the composer's own ideal of "brotherhood of mankind" was reflected. In no other symphony of his had he taken so long to create, nor had he dedicated such effort or creative energy.

During the Lenten season this particular symphony is most appropriately selected because of its all-encompassing feeling of humanity, spirituality and exaltation.

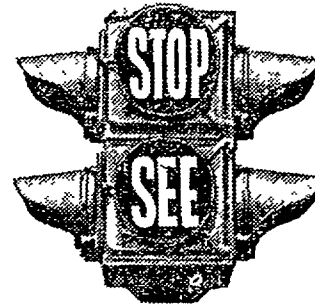
To a crowded Vienna Concert audience in May of 1824 this symphony (acclaimed by many to be the highest development of symphonic work) was first presented. The music made a profound impression. There were five successive blasts of applause — three was the rule for the Imperial family.

Beethoven, deaf and engrossed in the score, was pathetically oblivious to all the excitement until one of his colleagues induced the composer to face the audience so that he could see their demonstration of pleasure. An explosion of sympathy and admiration followed.

Also included on the program will be Brahms' Tragic Overture. There will be no intermission.

Performance will be free of charge and there will be baby-sitting facilities by girl scouts, under adult supervision, for a nominal fee.

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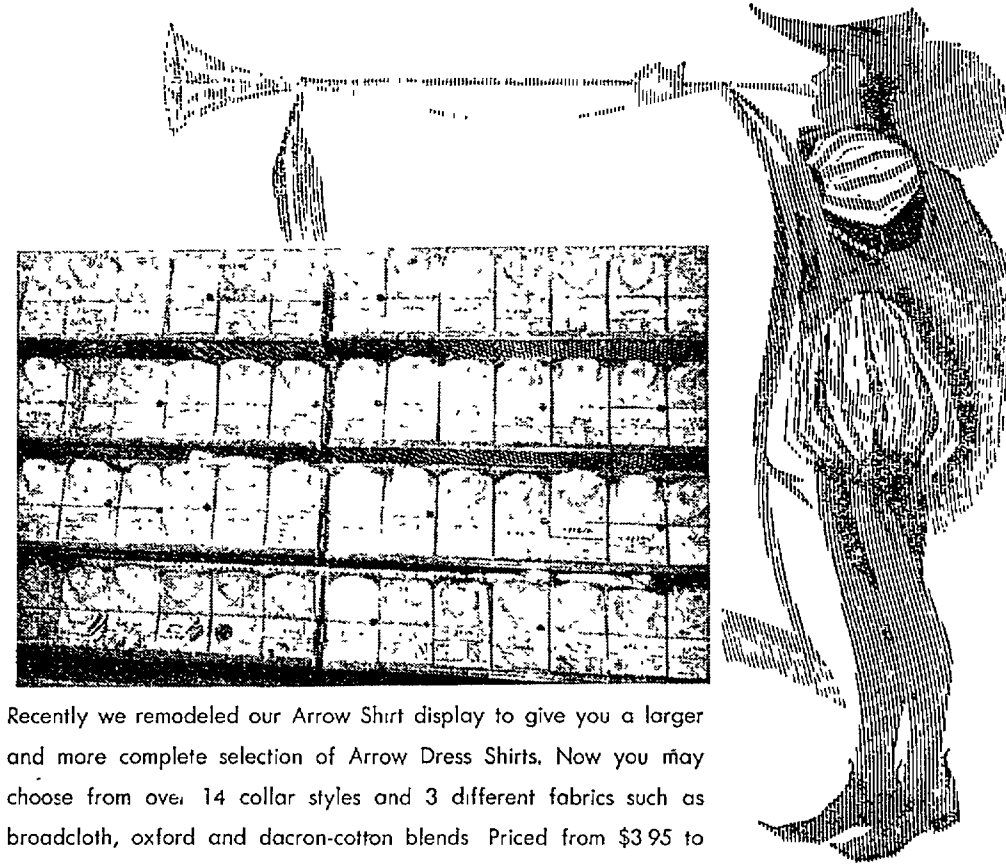
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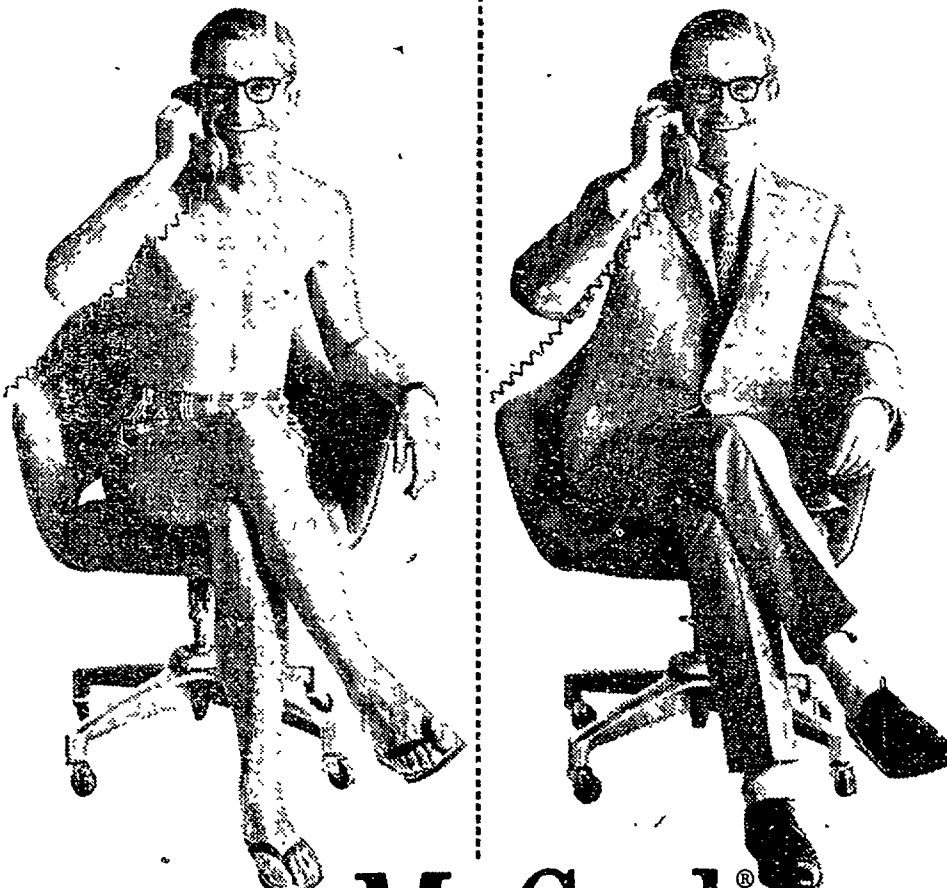
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Thursday, March 24: 3:45 p.m., 2nd year youth confirmation class; 7:45 p.m., choir.
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Wednesday, March 30: 7:30 p.m., midweek Lenten service.

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6 p.m., Youth Fellowship.
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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.
7:45 p.m., Hour of Prayer.
8:30 p.m., Teacher Training.
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7:00-8:30 p.m., Christian Service Brigade. Stockade, ages 8-11; Boys' Brigade, ages 12-18.

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Rex L. Dye, Pastor FI-9-2331

Sunday:
10 a.m., Sunday School.
11 a.m., Worship service.
6:30 p.m., Young People.
7:30 p.m., Evening service.
Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., Prayer meeting.
Thursday, 7 p.m., Visitation.

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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.

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Sunday, March 27:
10 a.m., Sunday school For transportation call MA-4-3823.
11:10 a.m., Junior church (Grades 1-6).
11:10 a.m., Morning worship.
Sermon: "Jesus and the Traitor".
6:30 p.m., Senior Youth meeting.
Evening Gospel service. Message: "The Doctrine of Satan".
Monday, March 28:
7:15 p.m., Church visitation.
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7:30 p.m., Special church business meeting.
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Sunday, March 27:
8:45 a.m., First Worship service.
Sermon: "Status-Seeking With the Lord".
9:45 a.m., Church school. A class for everyone.
11 a.m., Second Worship service.
Nursery for pre-school children.
Lounge for parents with babies. Junior Church in Fellowship hall.
2:30 p.m., Youth Membership training class.
7 p.m., Senior-Hi MYF.

Charles Yerkes Home On Air Force Leave

A/3C Charles E. Yerkes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund P. Yerkes, 504 West Dunlap street, is home on a 10-day leave from the United States Air Force.

From here he will go directly to Chanute Air Force Base, Illinois for technical training in the electronics field. He will enter the course for electronic instrument trainer specialist. This 33 weeks course consists of training in the installation, maintenance, repair and operation of the C-11 instrument trainers.

Yerkes attended Northville high school and was counseled by Fred Stefanski, assistant principal.

Persons wanting to know more about the kind of training Yerkes and other young men are receiving in the Air Force are asked to contact local Air Force Recruiter T/Sgt. Irving D. Kaiserman at the city hall Sgt. Kaiserman is on duty here each Tuesday and Thursday from 10 a.m. until noon.

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By the Rev. B. J. Pankow, Pastor
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THE IMPORTANCE OF PREACHING CHRIST CRUCIFIED

After his conversion St. Paul had but one passion in life -- to preach Christ crucified. That is why he was instrumental in bringing many souls to Christ, both from among the Jews and from among the Gentiles.

This is the kind of preaching that is sadly neglected today, even during Lent when we especially have reason to expect it.

Paul preached Christ crucified. In his day, some 19 centuries ago, Paul went into some of the most important cities of the then civilized world with no other message but that of Christ crucified.

This was his theme whether he spoke in Antioch, Ephesus, Philippi, Athens, Corinth or Rome.

And when Paul wrote epistles to the congregations that were established during his missionary journeys, he once again reminded them of the central message of salvation -- Christ crucified.

To the congregations in the cities of Galatia he wrote: "God forbid that I should glory, save in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by whom the world is crucified unto me, and I unto the world" Galatians 6:14).

To the Ephesians he penned these words: "Now in Christ Jesus ye who sometimes were far off are made nigh by the blood of Christ." (Ephesians 2:13).

In his letter to the Philippians he directs the attention of the readers to Christ who "being found in fashion as a man, . . . humbled Himself, and became obedient unto death even the death of the cross" (Philippians 2:8).

To Colossians he wrote of Christ who "made

peace through the blood of his cross." (Colossians 1:20).

He reminded the Christians at Corinth: "For I determined not to know anything among you save Jesus Christ and Him crucified." (I Corinthians 2:2).

Paul states that when he came to Corinth: "I came not with excellency of speech or of wisdom, declaring unto you the testimony of God." (v. 1).

The people of Corinth, as well as the inhabitants of the other cities of culture which the apostle visited, might well have expected such high class oratory. And being a man of great learning, Paul would have been able to step before them with excellency of human speech and wisdom.

But Paul writes: "My speech and my preaching was not with enticing words of man's wisdom." (v. 4). He did not parade his human wisdom before the Corinthians.

He employed no philosophical argumentation, no oratorical devices, no theatrical display. He knew that such human means would not be able to save a single soul.

On the contrary, Paul emphasizes: "I determined not to know anything among you save Jesus Christ and Him crucified." This is "the testimony of God" (v. 1), and this is the message that comes "in demonstration of the Spirit and of power." (v. 4).

The purpose of this kind of preaching is that the faith of the hearers "should not stand in the wisdom of men, but in the power of God." (v. 5).

Christ crucified is the heart of the Gospel. Why should we neglect to preach it or why should we be ashamed of it? Paul said: "I am not ashamed of the Gospel of Christ for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth" (Romans 1:16).

IN WILLOWBROOK:

See Church Fashion Show

By Mrs. George Ames — Greenleaf 4-0830

More than 100 Willowbrook-area women are expected to attend the "Luncheon is Served" fashion show and luncheon sponsored by the women of Willowbrook Community church this afternoon. A Farmington clothing shop will provide spring dress and casual outfits. Church women will model.

Several Willowbrook women attended the Farmington Town club card party and fashion show Friday.

Glady's Earl, Paula Swenson, Aldean Carter, Millie DeHayes, Marguerite Parent, Kay Riess, Eleanor Wingard, Corinne Tucker and Marty Ames were among those who attended.

Vivian Musselman was hostess to the Monday Pinochle club last week. Glady's Earl was a guest player. Vivian won first prize, Paula Swenson second, Sylvia Klerkx third and Kay Buck, booby.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Blackburn are happy to announce the birth of a son, James William, at New Grace hospital on March 2. The Blackburns have one other son, Leon Jr., who is two. Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Kluun and Mr. and Mrs. George Blackburn of Detroit are the grandparents.

Thirteen Willowbrook couples enjoyed a bowling and pizza party last Saturday evening. They were Mr. and Mrs. George Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Ginter, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Freytag, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Grant, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Crowell, Mr. and Mrs. Wally Pinner, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keating, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Bentley, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Lippert, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Cromer and the Rev. and Mrs. Marvin Richert.

Thursday bridge was at the home of Bernice Cannefax. Jean McClelland won the prize and June Anderson was a guest player.

Afternoon pinochle was at Kay Buck's home. Virginia Conrad won

first prize, Millie DeHayes second, Paula Swenson third and Sylvia Klerkx booby. Kay Buck won the door prize. Flo Ritchie got double pinochle three times, but still didn't win a prize.

Bob Bamford and his daughter, Lori Ann, celebrated their joint birthdays with a family dinner Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bamford and Mr. and Mrs. William Jackson were guests of the Bamfords for the afternoon.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Bamford had dinner at Topinkas' Country House with Mr. and Mrs. James Touse of Garden City.

Valerie Pinner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walt Pinner, of West Le-Bost, celebrated her seventh birthday Saturday. Kathy Radtke, Janet LeButt, Nancy and Denise Byrd, Janet Lees, Richard Swenson, Mary Pat McKeon, Patsy Ritchie, Mary Ellen Reiss, Andrea Anderson, Ken-ny and Danny Closs and Valerie's brother and sister, Vicki and Mike, were guests at her party.

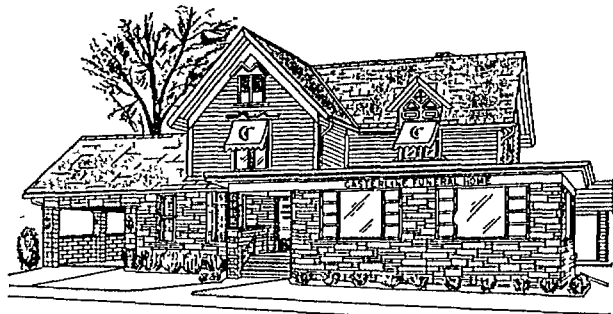
Mary Jane Goyt was hostess to the Tuesday Pinochle club last week. Gil Ardito and Glady's Earl were guest players. Gil won first prize, Glady's second, Jean Cromer third and Jean DeWaard, consolation.

Mr. and Mrs. Rhoades Romig of Royal Oak spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Frutchey.

Bowling Standings

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Gutterbells	55.5	40.5
Nutcrackers	53.5	42.5
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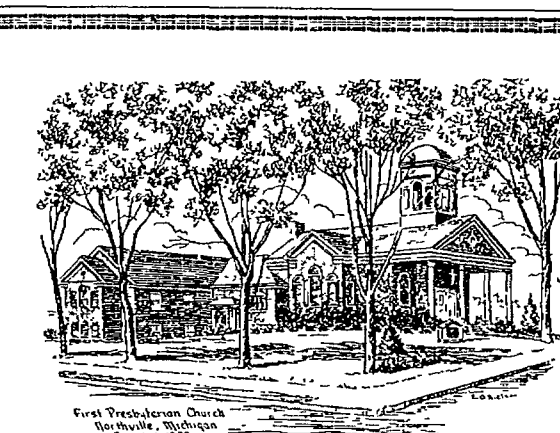
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The family of the late Luella B. Brown

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Dead Committee Bills

WORKINGS OF THE Legislature seem strange to the casual visitor, but there is really much more organization than appears superficially.

For example, on March 9, a deadline when all bills introduced had to be acted upon by the appropriate committee or be automatically dropped from consideration, some 450 bills out of the 797 introduced died. And while there were undoubtedly some worthy proposals in the group which died, it is a safe bet that many of the 450 never had a chance to become law and should have stayed in committee.

Most controversial of the bills not reported was the Civil Rights legislation. This died in the House State Affairs Committee when Chairman Lloyd Gibbs, Portland Republican, simply did not appear for a meeting the afternoon of March 9. While it is possible for the House to bring an unreported bill to the floor, such a parliamentary maneuver has taken place only twice in Michigan's history. In the case of civil rights and from a practical standpoint, it is likely that the bill would not pass the Senate even if it did clear the House.

Why are bills left in committee? Several reasons. One is lack of time. If a committee has a large number to consider, it is just impossible to consider them all.

A second reason might be called political expediency. When a legislator is pressed to introduce a bill by a constituent, it is easier to agree than to refuse. So he introduces the bill knowing full well it will go and stay in a committee.

A lesser understood situation is demonstrated this year in conservation matters. There was a very controversial bill to prevent the harvesting of does and fawns. It died in committee.

At least one other bill which concerned harvesting of wild life was purposely held in committee because of a legislative rule which permits amendments to a bill so long as it concerns the same general subject. So the committee did not report out a bill which would have permitted the taking of black squirrels in three counties for fear a floor fight would develop from an attempt to amend it by stating that antlerless deer could not be killed.

Committee chairmen are subject to considerable pressure to report out certain bills while there is still time to do so. Rep. Gibbs, incidentally, is well known for his negative reaction to such pressures. He considers any approach by a group or even individual who does more than explain the facts of a proposal as unfair pressure and resents such action. He is considered a blunt, tenacious, even stubborn man who speaks his mind and then does what he says.

It came as no surprise to Capitol observers that a demonstration in force, no matter how orderly or

what the issue, failed to force Gibbs to favorable action.

There virtually is no end to bills which could be passed if there were no deadlines, so perhaps the public should be content with the ones that get considered rather than the ones which died. There are those, it should be noted, who consider there are already too many laws.

A ONE MAN BATTLE is underway to change the mortgage laws of Michigan. Protagonist is Lansing mortgage banker, William H. Sill, who says that present laws constitute the major reason it is so hard to get a mortgage in this state.

"The present law is so terrible," says Sill, "that four major insurance companies who finance homes on a large scale will not even operate in Michigan."

"More benefit than 100 new industries, would be a sensible mortgage law," he argues. "This would make available millions more which could be lent to our citizens," he states.

"Overnight several very desirable things would happen if the state had a sensible law: interest rates would be reduced; property prices would drop; discounts which must now be paid by a seller would lessen or disappear; real estate activity would increase."

Big trouble with present law is that it takes 18 to 19 months to foreclose. Sill favors a shorter period: four to six months. "It is possible, and it actually happens," says Sill, "for a buyer to thumb his nose at the lender and pay nothing for nearly two years while he lives in a house." "You can imagine the kind of care the house gets," he continues. In the meantime the lender must pay insurance and taxes to protect what he has left of the investment.

"If a person cannot pay and is going to lose his house," Sill argues, "it is better to get it over with." He believes that once a person is four months behind in mortgage payments, he is not likely to catch up.

"Protecting the ne'erdo well or the unfortunate does him no real good, but puts the lender at an unfair advantage," says Sill. "Most of all, it forces all the people who should be eligible for low cost mortgages to pay higher rates."

Present law forces buyers to accept land contracts with higher interest and less security than mortgage, and prices that are artificially high to allow for discounts. Even the federal government specifies a discount rate 1/2 to 1 percent higher in Michigan than other states, according to Sill.

Sill got little support. Banker and real estate groups are not inclined to get excited about this, and legislators tell him the change is not good politics. But Sill says he'll keep speaking at lunch clubs, before trade groups and to whomever will listen.

Roger Babson

Investment for Summer

Babson Park, Mass. — It may seem strange to readers of my column to see this subject when New England, northern New York, Michigan, and other summer resorts are buried in two feet of snow. I, however, have definite reasons, as shown below, for writing under these wintry conditions.

Time To Buy Summer Property. Most people who are looking for a summer cottage, especially for a place to spend July and August, wait until a hot day in June before looking around for a cool spot. This is the height of folly, as such property is always in greatest demand and sells at the highest price in June or July. The bargains always occur in March or April, and this will be especially true this year.

It also should be remembered that all classes of workers are getting longer vacations, longer week ends, and more time for recreation generally. In addition, the population of the country is constantly increasing, as is also — and most especially — the people's income. I have already commented that land is the best hedge against inflation. Certainly, a modest summer home would be a better investment than a "second car". It could even be a place of refuge in case of World War III.

Buy Water Frontage If Possible. While the government can print more bonds and dollar bills, "only God" can make more natural properly drained frontage on the ocean or on lakes or on rivers. Although, in Florida and in some other places, artificial water frontage is being made by pumping out adjoining sand, yet this amount is infinitesimal, considering the waterfront already available. Even if you feel unable now to buy or build a summer home, you might well buy some land if it is properly located. In the meantime, your children could be taught to fish and swim.

Although I personally prefer Cape Ann, Massachusetts, as the finest spot in the nation for a summer home, I realize that many peo-

ple feel better on mountain land in the summertime. This especially applies to those with asthmatic tendencies or chronic coughs. Pine and spruce woodland is very agreeable to many. Such land is gradually increasing in price as the trees grow. When purchasing any kind of land for a summer place, be sure to have electricity and telephone connections. Good, pure water can always be secured by drilling a well. Such wells should be free from contamination, and should be safe from fallout in the event of atomic war. Some civil defense authorities claim that woodland partially protects against fallout dangers, but this has not been proved.

NOTICE

TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE

ANNUAL TOWNSHIP MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the next annual township meeting of the electors of the township of Northville, County of Wayne, State of Michigan, will be held on Saturday, April 2, 1960, at 1:00 p.m. at the Township Hall, 16860 Franklin Road.

Marguerite Northup
Township Clerk

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CONCLUSION OF AREA HISTORY

(Continued)

change in the name of our paper, substituting Northville in place of Wayne County, leaving it simply, The Northville Record. We believe ourselves that a paper, and particularly one devoted to local interests should, properly, be named after the village.

Birth of Railroad. Concurrent with the birth and early growth of The Northville Record was the conception of a north-south railroad passing through Northville, Novi and Wixom.

In the spring of 1865, an "enabling act" for the Holly, Wayne and Monroe Railway Line was passed by the Legislature. The company was organized the following autumn.

However, numerous problems plagued the infant company through its formative years and it was not until early in 1870 that the line through Northville seemed assured.

"Our town," Little wrote in November 1870, "has the credit of bearing a heavy (if not the heaviest) burden during these years of varied experience." Among the Northville men who fought, and struggled for the railroad during these formative years were: Dr. J. M. Swift, J. S. Lapham, J. J. Thompson, F. R. Beal, Edward Simonds, Judge Yerkes and W. P. Hungerford.

In February of 1871, J. S. Lapham received an "exciting" letter from the treasurer of the railroad company which set the town aglow:

"The intention of the company is to lay from Wayne to Northville as rapidly as possible, ballast and put the rails in running order, and put on at least a daily train each way. This ought to be completed and ready to run in May, but Bennett must hurry up the ties.

"Our car shop will supply flat and box cars in season; we shall contract in a few days for coaches. You will have a railroad (earthquakes, war, pestilence and famine not interfering)."

The excitement generated by this good news was evident everywhere: "The village stores were alive with customers, its mills and mill yards crowded with farmers, either loading or unloading lumber and logs; while produce and grain was to be seen moving in every direction. The citizens of that village are alive to the want of the railroad."

On April 29, 1871, Little wrote. "During the past week great exertions have been made to have the road finished soon to run cars into Plymouth on Thursday 27th. The news spread over the whole surrounding county and of course created intense excitement, the people flocking into the village from every quarter to gaze upon the phenomenon.

All hail to Plymouth; she has already broken loose from the barriers which have kept her so long in seclusion, and is now connected with the outer world by means of arteries of iron."

Big Day at Last. With excitement near the boiling point, the big day finally arrived on May 17. The streets were crowded with laughing, shouting children and adults. Main and Center streets were webbed with gaily decorated banners and streamers.

Flying from the Lapham & Swift store was a banner reading "Northville 'a point'; a gala day for the Hamlet of the Hills."

From G. N. Randolph's store: "How happy are our ears that hear the joyful sound, which Ypsilanti waited for, and sought, but never found."

Shortly before supper the last rail was laid "as far as the toll gate," and amid the roar of a cannon and the screams of the Northville Coronet Band, the railroad employees marched into town and into the Elliott House where a mountainous table of food had been prepared for them.

At noon the following day the shrill cry of the "iron horse" echoed through the hills of the village for the first time. The engine chugged into town pulling one passenger coach, and several box and flat cars.

"From one 'til half past one, the excursionists and our own people were making for the cars with all possible speed, a continuous train being perceptible from the village to the toll gate, each seeming afraid lest by some hesitation they might be 'too late' for the train."

Amid the music from the bands, and 'goodbyes' from the people who preferred to stay at home for fear of an accident, the smoke-snorting train started for Wayne, with stops at Waterford and Plymouth, on its historic journey."

State Approves Phone Rate Hike

Michigan Bell Telephone company announced that residence service here will go up 5 to 10 cents a month under new rate schedules approved by the state Public Service Commission.

The nickel increase will apply to all classes of residence service except 1-party, which will go up a dime. Most business service also will be raised 10 cents.

The new schedules provide for intrastate long distance rate adjustments which will increase the price of most short-haul calls and reduce the cost of medium and long-haul calls.

There will be a 10-cent extra charge for station-to-station collect calls, and night and Sunday discounts will be eliminated on person-to-person calls.

Other increases will apply to miscellaneous items such as service connection and automatic telephone answering and recording equipment.

Advances at Kemper

Glen Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Martin, 45332 Byrhe drive, is among a number of first year cadets at the Kemper school, Boonville, Missouri, advanced to Phase II New Cadet in an order directed by the Rev. Samuel E. West, president and headmaster of Kemper.

Cadets are advanced to Phase II on the basis of conduct, attitude and efficiency. They are recommended for the advancement by their senior cadet officers, subject to approval of the school commandant and the president.

ORDINANCE NO. 36-A

Amendment to Ordinance No. 36, City of Wixom entitled "Passing School Bus Ordinance" and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

THE CITY OF WIXOM
OAKLAND COUNTY, MICHIGAN

Ordains, Section 7 — Violation of any provision of this ordinance shall be punishable by a fine of not more than \$100 or imprisonment for not to exceed 90 days or both such fine and imprisonment plus costs of prosecution, and that said amendment be made immediately effective for the reason that it appertains to the health, welfare and safety of the city of Wixom.

Enacted by the city council of the City of Wixom on this 10th days of March, A.D., 1960.

JOSEPH T. STADNIK,
Mayor
Clerk
LILLIAN BYRD,

Certification of the Clerk:

I, Lillian Byrd, do certify that on the 17th day of March, A.D., 1960 a notice containing a copy of said ordinance was published in The Novi News, a newspaper having circulation in said city.

LILLIAN BYRD,
CITY CLERK

READERS SPEAK:

We Need Both City Hall And Community Center

To the Editor:

The problems involved in providing governmental space, as requested by the City Council, are now being studied by a newly constituted committee. Should a building materialize, we can rest assured that soon an articulate minority will attack the soundness of the planning. The attackers are always blessed with the gift of hindsight. Every development must be exposed to this censure, as must the planners.

Let's look back a few years for an answer to the repeated question of why we didn't build a City Hall instead of a Community building.

First, of course, is the forgotten fact that Northville was a Village at the time the Community building was planned and constructed. Villages do not need City Halls. Villages are a part of township government and the functions are somewhat different. Incorporation of the City followed the construction of the Community building.

Second, the village council instructed the Community Building Committee to plan a Community building, not a City Hall. The committee was given a commission to perform by the mayor and the village council. Some have forgotten this.

Third, the largest halls in the community for use for public gatherings were the churches. Graduation exercises were moved to the Wayne County Training School in order to secure larger accommodations. The largest group had to be limited to several hundred persons, if the meeting was conducted in Northville. The Community building has provided excellent facilities for large gatherings.

The community did not have adequate facilities for indoor athletic events, nor adequate provision for spectators. The Community building has served this purpose well. Thousands of persons have enjoyed the facilities provided in the Community building.

Do you recall that there was the impending threat of the school system being dropped off the accredited school list for the lack of satisfactory building provisions, mainly in the athletic area? The presence of the Community building in close proximity to the school ended this threat until a new school could be constructed.

The fund which, in large part, provided for the Community building was earmarked. It was not earmarked for a City Hall or for facilities which we ordinarily provide through bond issues or taxation. The fund was earmarked for a Community building, a facility which a community can dream about, but can seldom hope to acquire.

Many oldsters have forgotten, and the newcomers should be told about, the source of the fund which constructed the Community building. The Community Building Fund came with the advent of horse racing (vari-mutual) at Northville Downs. The village provided stand-by fire and police protection for the racing season. For this stand-by service, the racing interests made annual contribution to a Fund (a Community Building Fund). Actually, we question if any taxpayer suffered to the extent of 10c for the service provided during the racing season. The service was stand-by in nature and certainly seldom needed, therefore without real cost. Consequently, the Fund grew, without pain to the taxpayers.

How was the building planned? Every attempt was made to enlist from the people their ideas of what should be included in a Community Building. Visits were made to other communities to study other plans. A great deal of time was spent by

the Commission in resolving everyone's ideas and wishes.

Eventually sketches and plans were suggested (not final). These sketches were publicly displayed with requests for comments. The Village council reviewed these sketches and passed on them. They did not then ask for a City Hall.

So, finally, a Community building replaced some residential structures which had been converted to school use. The village provided the site. Properly designated officials administered the spending of the Community Building Fund for a Community building.

Bickering arose from the first regarding who was to pay and how much. Was the City to pay \$10,000 annually for upkeep or was the School Board to pay? Of course the taxpayer thought the debate was without point because he knew that he had the operating costs to pay, no matter from which pocket he removed the money. Most of us have run our kids through the works, and the Community building is a part. We have been reasonably willing to pay the charges. Most of us have concluded that we needed the facilities provided by the Community building much more than we have needed a City Hall. A City Hall would have been nice, and will some time be necessary.

When the time comes, and the present City Hall Committee comes up with their ideas let's buy one, if most of the taxpayers want it. Let's keep our Community building. If Northville continues to grow, and it will, we'll need both.

If the school system wishes to buy the structure, let's remember that there are certain inherent obligations due the community, should we jostle ownership from the left to the right coat pocket. The building will continue to belong to us. That building, for the most part, was picked right off that nice money tree. No matter how things work out, and who eventually winds up with the keys to the front door, the community wants its rights respected and use of the building guaranteed.

The community will, in any event, continue to hold the deed to the Community building and the occupants should live accordingly.

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Election Notice

CITY OF WIXOM

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF WIXOM, COUNTY OF OAKLAND, STATE OF MICHIGAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN ELECTION WILL BE HELD IN THE CITY OF WIXOM, COUNTY OF OAKLAND, MICHIGAN, ON

MONDAY, APRIL 4, 1960

FROM 7:00 O'CLOCK A.M. UNTIL 8:00 O'CLOCK P.M. IN THE CITY HALL FOR THE PURPOSE OF ELECTING:

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Lillian Byrd, City Clerk

City Councilmen Urge 'Yes' Vote Monday

(Note — Members of the Northville city council adopted a resolution recently supporting the annexation of Northville Estates to the city. Here they submit their reasons.)

I favor the annexation of the Northville Estates area to the City of Northville as part of the orderly development of the city.

We should be looking ahead for the orderly planning of the community of Northville, and determining what is best for Northville and the surrounding community for the future. We do not want some of the types of development that we see close to our present city limits.

Expanded growth of the metropolitan area will undoubtedly reach the

Northville community in the next few years. By annexing this property, the city can control the development and insure a balanced tax base.

I cannot see any increased expenses to the City of Northville for personnel because of this area becoming a part of the city. There will be some expenses to the city but the taxes paid by the area will more than offset the expenses at this time.

The residents of the proposed annexed area will be paying about \$100 per home more than they are now paying.

I do not feel that this land proposed to be annexed from Novi Village and Township will have any

major effect on the future development of these areas.

Mayor A. M. Allen

Without reservation, I wholeheartedly recommend a YES vote on the proposed annexation as I believe it to be in the best interests of our city as well as advantageous to the territory to be annexed. Briefly stated some of the factors leading to this conclusion follow: (1) Sometime in the future this area is certain to be a part of an incorporated municipality — the residents and property owners desire to control their destiny by acting now and I think it wise that the city show the same concern regarding the future. (2) It is a desirable area so situated as to logically and economically tie in with the future orderly expansion of services to the adjacent areas already a part of the city. (3) Presently Northville is below optimum size and population in respect to economically providing the high-level of services desired by many citizens. (Many costs are fixed and certain other costs need not increase in the same proportion as the increased number of people to be served.) (4) Cost data compiled by the City Manager shows that the additional annual revenue to the city, resulting from the annexation, would be greater than the additional costs to the city and hence per capita costs for the entire city would be slightly less and, (5) The residents of this area would be a very desirable addition to the growing number of civic-minded, well informed, capable, vitally interested human resources of our city.

I (and I'm sure all other members of the City Council) will be glad to do our best to answer any questions or supply additional information regarding this question to any citizen who desire to contact us. I urge our citizens to remember to vote and vote YES on this important question on Monday, March 28.

Councilman John S. Canterbury

After careful study and consideration it is my belief that voters of the city of Northville should vote "yes" for annexation in the election this Monday, March 28.

Primarily, I believe the area will be an asset to our community. The people have expressed a desire to join Northville and they have asked for no special services.

It has been proven that the tax revenue from the residents will amount to more than the services that must be rendered. Further, their streets are already paved, and they do not wish to have water and sewer facilities from the city. When these are made available, they will come by special assessment.

As has been pointed out, the residents of Northville Estates are already citizens of Northville. They attend our churches, schools and shop in our stores. That they are willing to pay additional taxes to become incorporated within our city should be considered a compliment. I intend to vote "yes" Monday. I hope you will, too.

Councilman Richard Juday

Any city in order to help pay the School Tax indirectly (City of Northville 62 percent of total property taxes levied), in a School District, has to do so by annexation. The use of the word indirectly means the City Taxes could be lowered, thereby applying the saving to your School Tax.

In order to annex any given area, that area has to be adjacent to your city boundaries, therefore annex when it is available, planning for future areas that may greatly help a tax situation.

Highland Park, Hamtramck are wonderful examples of letting the City of Detroit surround them, thereby losing potential areas that would have helped pay such above mentioned tax.

Northville, I believe, does not want to be so stymied and lose such revenue.

Any area annexed will pay its own way on our tax rolls. As a matter of fact it will help cut down the cost of present administration, and we can only annex those areas that wish to be part of our city.

The Council has just passed a special assessment ordinance that

will protect the citizens within our present boundaries from any additional cost by annexation methods, thereby alleviating any fears of extra taxes on account of the land so annexed.

There is much more to be said in favor of such annexation but space is limited. So again I trust you will back my judgment in this matter as you have backed me in the past.

Councilman Earl Reed

On Monday, March 28, you will be asked to decide whether or not you will permit our neighbors in Northville Estates to become part of our city. The members of the city council were favorably impressed by the representatives of this subdivision's residents, and with the manner in which they presented their petition to us.

An extensive and thorough study indicates that no additional expense to the present citizens of Northville is anticipated in this proposed annexation. Additional revenue through property tax on the attractive homes in this area will more than offset the only increased costs, which are rubbish and garbage pick-up and snow removal. Present fire and police protection are adequate to serve the area. Residents of the area have their own water and sewerage disposal. School taxes will not be affected as the property already lies within the school district boundaries.

Your city council believes these people will be a desirable asset to our city. They are already a part of our community and participate in the activities of our city. They now ask that we incorporate them within our boundaries. By such incorporation the city can plan effectively for the future of and control the area. Let us welcome these neighbors into our city by approving annexation.

Councilman Ed Welch

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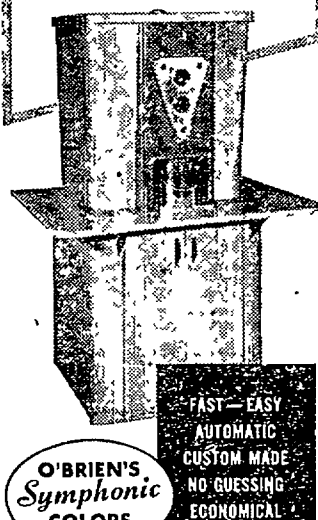
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IN YOUR OPINION

Each week our reporter asks six area residents to voice their opinion on a different question. This week the question is: How do you feel about the election Monday to annex part of Novi including Northville Estates to the city of Northville?

Mrs. Lee Goss, 21417 Chigwidden drive, Northville Estates — "I'm all for it for the city. The people in Northville Estates think it is



Mrs. Goss

Kester

Koontz

advantageous to the subdivision and to Northville. No, I don't believe Novi's decision to fight it in court has changed our minds at all."

Fred Kester, 349 High street, Northville — "I'm all for it. I feel it's definitely progress for Northville. I'm interested both as a merchant and a citizen."

L. E. Koontz, 610 Randolph, Northville — "I think it should be annexed. I don't see any reason it shouldn't be — the people there want it. It will cut-down the overall expense of running the town."

William Paquette, 43980 Durson — "I think we should fight it. One of the main reasons we became a village was to protect our bound-



Paquette

Ramay

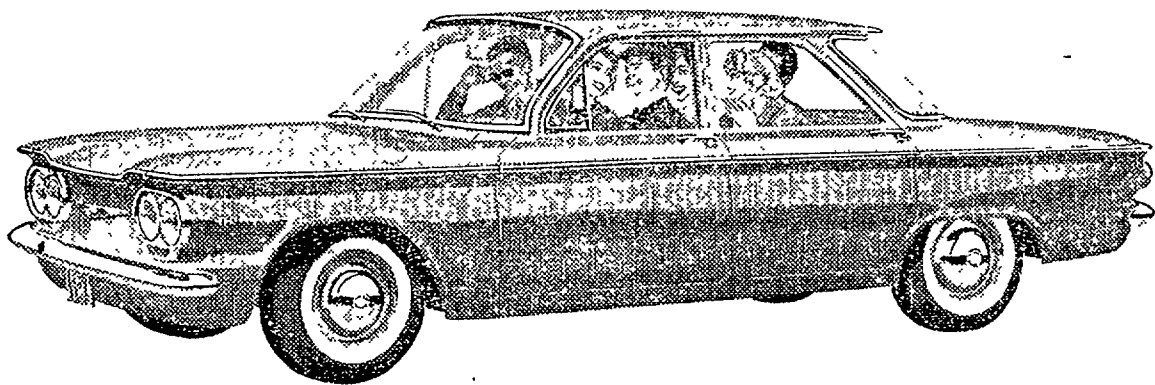
Thomas

daries. I think it might set a precedent if we don't fight it now."

Harry Ramay, 1251 West Lake drive, Novi — "I think we should protect our boundaries even though it may cost the village \$1500."

Raymond Thomas, 1391 East Lake drive, Novi — "It's like closing the garage door after the car's gone. We have already let neighboring communities grab off large pieces of Novi. I believe the people in the Walled Lake area are against this annexation even though it is on the opposite end of the village."

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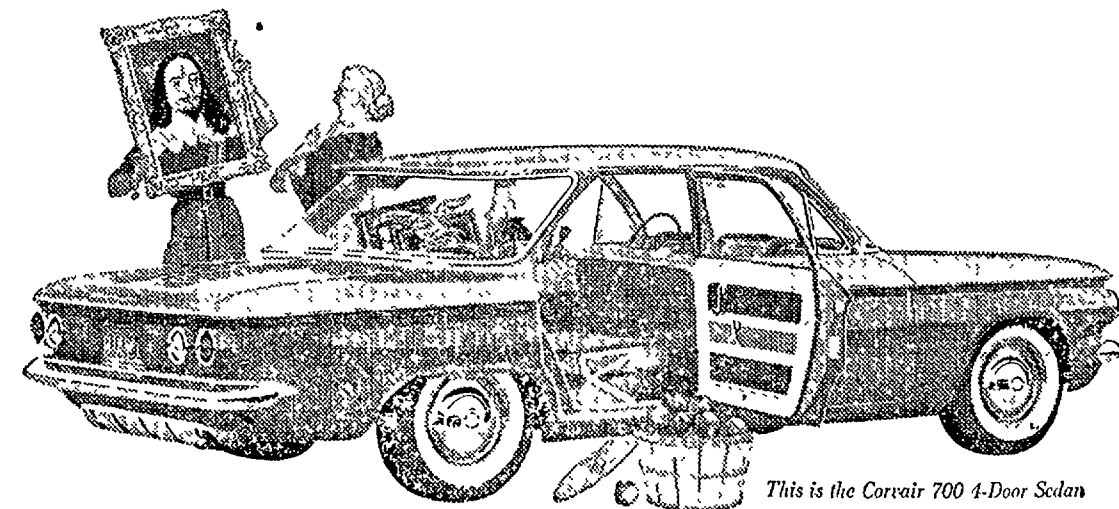
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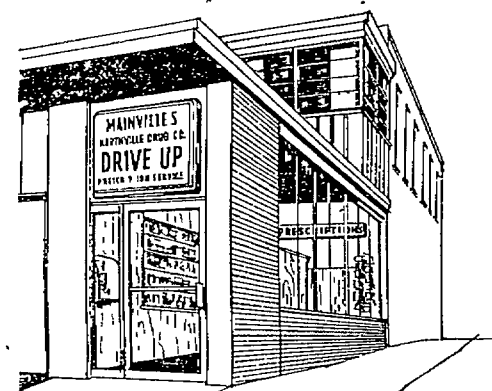
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SPECIAL ELECTION NOTICE

To the qualified electors of the City of Northville, Counties of Wayne and Oakland. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Special Election will be held in the City of Northville, Counties of Wayne and Oakland, State of Michigan, on MONDAY, MARCH 28, 1960, from 7:00 in the forenoon until 8:00 in the afternoon, Eastern Standard Time, for the purpose of voting on the following proposition:

SHALL THAT PORTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF NOVI, PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

Territory lying in the South ½ of Section 33, Town 1 north, Range 8 east, Novi Township, Oakland County, Michigan; commencing at a point on the south line of said Section 33 distant 973.50 feet west from the southeast corner of said Section 33 for a point of beginning; thence westerly along the south line of Section 33, 4132 feet, more or less, to the southwest corner of said Section; thence northerly along the west line of said Section 33 2643 feet, more or less, to a point where the east and west ¼ line of said Section meets said west line; thence easterly along the east and west ¼ line of said Section 33, 4103 feet, more or less, to the northwest corner of the City of Northville; thence continuing along the present boundary of the City of Northville, Michigan, three courses as follows: Southerly parallel to the east line of said Section a distance of 2442 feet, more or less, to a point; thence easterly parallel to the south line of said Section 115.50 feet to a point; thence southerly parallel to the east line of said Section 198.00 feet to the point of beginning.

BE ANNEXED TO THE CITY OF NORTHVILLE?

Voters of Precincts No. 1 and No. 2 vote at the Northville Community Center, 307 W. Main St. Voters of Precinct No. 3 vote at the Amerman Elementary School on North Center St.

(Signed) Mary Alexander, City Clerk

RE-ELECT Judge Wm. Welke



Justice of the Peace

WIXOM, MICHIGAN
APRIL 4

(Pd. Pol. Adv.)



SPELLING BEE CHAMPS — Champion spellers were crowned last week at the two Novi schools and Our Lady of Victory at Northville. Dawn Swenson, Orchard Hills champ, and Ellen Shunatona, champion from Novi elementary, will compete in the district tournament at Baker school in Milford on April 8. Pictured above are the best spellers from Novi. They are (l-r, standing): Cliff Hawley, Lynn MacDermald, Pamela Cumming, Ellen Shunatona and Jack Crawford; (front row): Rebecca Lyke, Dawn Swenson, Carol Hector and Joanne Froebel. Pictured below from OLV are: Henry George, Paula Miklas, Christine Reiff, Luanne Godfrey, Mary Ellen Locke and David Johnston; Rev. John Wittstock, who awarded the students spelling honors; Mary Heslip and Robert Flavin.



SPECIAL ELECTION

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS RESIDING IN THE TERRITORY AFFECTED:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a Special Election will be held in the

TOWNSHIP OF NOVI — PRECINCT NO. 1

County of Oakland, State of Michigan, on

**Monday, March 28
1960**

At the place in each of the several Wards or Precincts of said Township as indicated below, viz:

PRECINCT NO. 1 — NOVI TOWNSHIP HALL — 25850 NOVI RD.

PURPOSE: To submit to the qualified electors residing in the territory affected, the question of whether or not certain territory in the Township of Novi shall be annexed to the City of Northville, in accordance with petitions filed therefore.

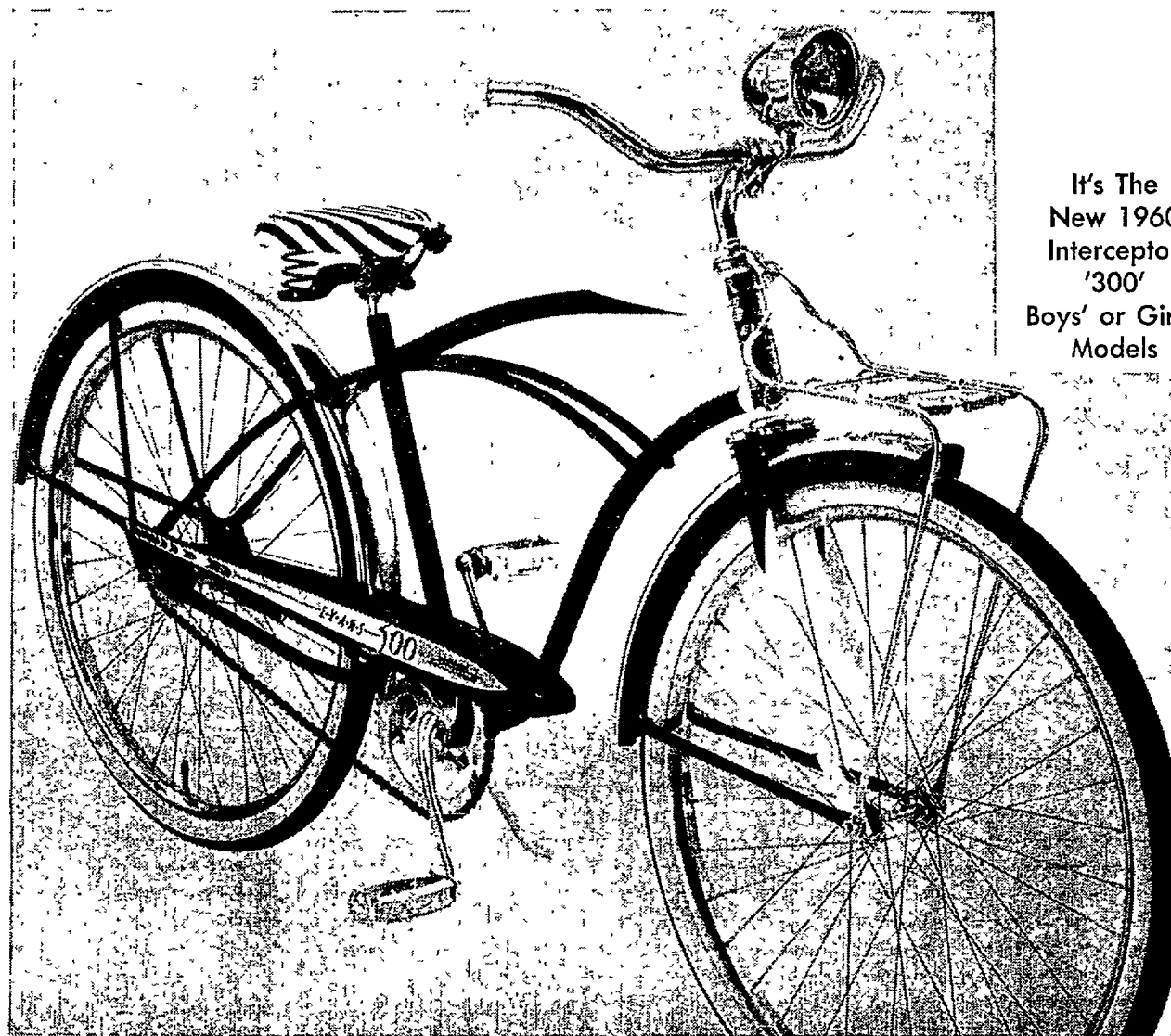
Notice Relative to Opening and Closing of the Polls
ELECTION LAW, ACT 116, P.A. 1954

SECTION 720. On the day of any election the polls shall be opened at 7 o'clock in the forenoon, and shall be continuously open until 8 o'clock in the afternoon and no longer. Every qualified elector present and in line at the polls at the hour prescribed for the closing thereof shall be allowed to vote.

THE POLLS of said election will be open at 7 o'clock a.m. and will remain open until 8 o'clock p.m. of said day of election.

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Here Are The Rules!

To enter you must report to either our Northville, Novi or Wixom office — not before Saturday, March 5, 1960. Offices are open from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m.

To earn a bicycle you must sell 15 NEW subscriptions. To earn a transistor radio you must sell 10 NEW subscriptions.

Money must be turned in with subscription receipts each Saturday. Report sales each Saturday, whether or not you have sold enough to win a prize, so that new subscribers may start receiving their paper at once. You will receive credit each week toward the prize (or prizes) of your choice.

Anyone not selling enough to win a prize before the closing date of April 9, 1960 will be given \$1.00 for each new subscription sold.

IMPORTANT —
You may sell either The Northville Record or Novi News — but a RECORD subscriber CANNOT subscribe to The News and qualify as a new subscriber; or a NEWS subscriber CANNOT subscribe to The Record and qualify as a new subscriber.

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Salesmen should try to sell The Northville Record in the Northville area and The Novi News in the Novi-Wixom-Walled Lake area.

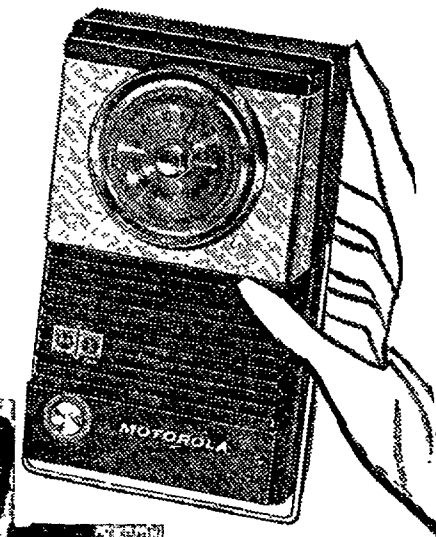
NOTE — A new subscriber is one living in the defined area who has not subscribed to either paper since December 31, 1959.

In other words, a subscriber is NOT NEW if his name appears on EITHER our Record or News subscription list, or has appeared there since December 31, 1959.

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Jr. High St. Patrick Fun



EVERYONE HAD FUN, particularly the audience, during the Northville junior high drama club presentation of a "St. Patrick's Day party" Thursday at the community building. At the upper left, Gail Leadham lies exhausted on the floor after her "Dancing Cat" performance. The gray-headed fellow is Terry LaRue, mayor of Tarrytown. Behind him is Gail Fiene, talent scout, and beside him to the right is Holly Hines as Millie Moses. Pictured above (at right) is Joan Brevik who sang "Honeybun". At the left, Jean Downer and Kay Steigerwald dance to "Nola".

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REGULAR MEETING
Second Monday of each month
Leo E. Patterson, W.M.
R. F. Coolman, Secretary



Elect Officers at Annual Meet

Northville Township Hills property Owners' association officers were elected at the annual meeting at the home of W. W. McKeel Sunday. Elected were: M. S. Pitak, president; Harold Lane, vice president; and Mrs. Daniel R. Brown, secretary-treasurer. Members welcomed new property owners: Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lane, Mr. and Mrs. Paul DePodesta, Mr. and Mrs. William Schulz, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Marvin and Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Marburger.

Realtors to Meet

Director of the Federal Housing Administration, Dwight K. Hamorsky, will present a program on "Trade-In Financing" to the members of the United Northwestern Realty association - western Wayne County Board of Realtors, next Thursday.

The meeting will be held at Cregar's on Grand River at Outer drive at 11:45 a.m.

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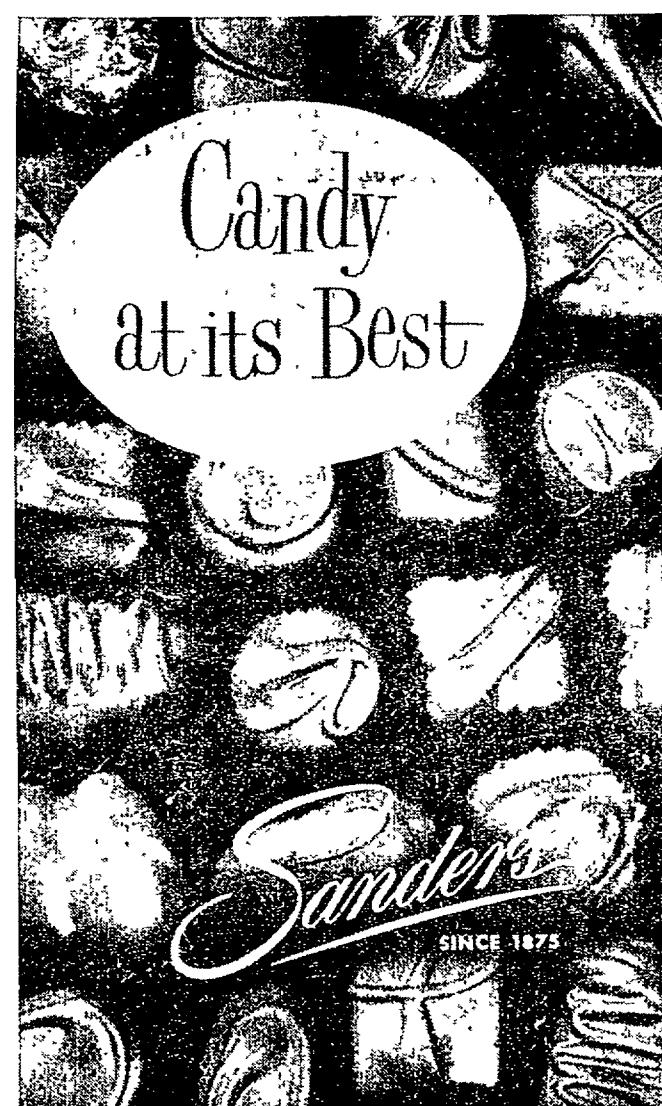
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The practice of giving stamps reached its zenith recently when a church in Hastings, Nebraska offered to give 10 green stamps to all who attended the services. It was reported the attendance increased and the whole venture was pronounced a success. The idea of giving stamps for attending church seems to me to be out of the realm of propriety. For a church to put the preaching of the Gospel and the instruction of the saints (if they do) on the same basis as the goods we buy seems sacrilegious to me. For people to respond to such a "come on" reveals a great concern for "things" rather than for the spiritual help a church is supposed to offer. If you are not a Christian you will find that attending a church where the Gospel is preached, and people are becoming converted is of a three-fold benefit. First, you will hear the Gospel and become acquainted with its terms. Second, through the hearing of the preaching of the Word you will receive faith. Third, you will be placing yourself in a position where the Spirit of God speaks to more people than any other place. If you act on the knowledge received you will be receiving something more valuable than all the trinkets you receive by green stamps.

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Crupi Appointed Village President

Newly elected Councilman Joseph Crupi was appointed Nov. 11 village president Monday night shortly after he and two other councilmen were sworn into office before a huge audience.

Crupi replaces Walter Tuck who had held the presidency since village incorporation two years ago.

The new president was appointed by fellow councilmen after Tuck and Dean Lenheiser, newly elected to the council, declined to accept nominations for the post. Miss Eugenie Choquet, the third new council member, nominated Tuck, while Tuck nominated Lenheiser.

The appointment and the subsequent regular council business probably was of secondary importance to the citizens who strained to hear the reactions of the council to Miss Choquet's move to oust Village Manager Fred Olson.

Miss Choquet motioned that Olson be asked to resign after her motion to have a special audit of village books died without a second. She prefaced her motion with these remarks:

"There is no doubt that the vil-

lage manager has become a controversial figure and the object of a great deal of criticism. Whether or not Mr. Olson deserves the criticism directed toward him is beside the point. Because it remains a fact that in the eyes of the people he has become the focal point of bitterness that has existed in the village."

This motion, too, died without support, prompting Miss Choquet to quip, "I'm sure the people will remember this."

Lenheiser's comment on the motion, which drew a warm applause from the audience, was typical of the council reaction:

"I'm well aware of plenty of rumors about the manager. . . I've never yet fired a person because of a rumor and I never shall."

He explained that since Olson had not worked for him before, he (Lenheiser) personally would have to learn for himself whether or not the manager was fit for the job.

Two Local Gas Stations Robbed During the Week

Thefts were reported from two local gas stations during the week. About \$135 in cash was stolen Sunday morning from the Sanford Standard gas station, East Main street.

The thief broke a window and entered through a rear door.

Ivan Berdan, owner of the South Main Shell station reported that a 12 gauge shot gun belonging to Charles Rogers was stolen from his station sometime Sunday.

Pays to Advertise

John Ross Snyder, 44, of Littleton, Pennsylvania thought the parking ticket on his car windshield was just another ad, so he tore it into little pieces and threw it away.

"I thought somebody was trying to sell me something," he told Judge E. M. Bogart Saturday.

"They sure were," replied the judge.

Snyder's bill: \$15 and costs fine for leaving his car unattended with the motor running.

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NEWS FROM THE AMERICAN LEGION



POST 147
Bob Collocott — Reporter

Last Thursday evening the American Legion's state oratorical contest was held at the Ecorse high school auditorium. The contest was preceded by a banquet put on by the Great Lakes Steel Post for the orators, their parents, sponsors and coaches. The state department commander, department adjutant and other high ranking Legion officials were present.

It was a very good contest as all four were good orators. A boy from Jackson took first place. A boy from Detroit took second place.

Jim Tuck, a Northville high school junior, sponsored by our local Lloyd H. Green Post, took third place. A girl from Revinnva was fourth.

Several Legionnaires from the Northville post were present to hear the orators. Jim should be congratulated for his efforts in the contest which took him farther than any other local contestant from the city of Northville to my knowledge. It was a tough contest and Jim did a fine job. Jim Madigan should also be congratulated for the efforts he put forth in organizing this contest as the Legion Americanism chairman for our post.

For those not familiar with the contest I will try to explain part of it. The contest is in its 23rd year. It was started to create interest in, and respect for, the basic principles of our form of government. Therefore, the contest is centered around the Constitution of the United States of America. Through the cooperation of local high school authorities any bona-fide student in any accredited secondary school is eligible. Winners on the state level get as first prize \$300, second \$200 and third \$100. On the national level, first place \$4,000, second place \$2,500, third place \$1,000, and fourth place \$500. All of these awards are in scholarships.

Canham & McDonald, Attys.
26049 Five Mile Road (39)
STATE OF MICHIGAN
County of Wayne
ss. 473,162

At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Wayne, held at the Probate Court Room in the City of Detroit, on the First day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and sixty.

Present Ernest C. Boehm, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of CALY M. MATHENY, Deceased. Mary Gertrude Matheny, administratrix of said estate, having rendered to this Court her first and final account in said matter:

It is ordered, That the Fourth day of April, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said Court Room be appointed for examining and allowing said account.

And it is further Ordered, That a copy of this order be published once in each week for three weeks consecutively previous to said time of hearing, in the Northville Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County of Wayne.

Ernest C. Boehm, Judge of Probate
I do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing copy with the original record thereof and have found the same to be a correct transcript of such original record.

Cecil A. Bernard,
Deputy Probate Register
Dated Mar. 1, 1960 44

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12—Thursday, March 24, 1960—THE NORTHVILLE RECORD

Obituary

MRS. DAISY E. PERRIN

Former Northville resident, Mrs. Daisy Perrin of Imlay City, passed away March 6 at a Lapeer convalescent hospital after a long illness. Mrs. Perrin was born in Tuscola county July 25, 1879 and was married to Dr. Edwin R. Perrin April 1, 1918. He preceded her in death in 1958. Mrs. Perrin is survived by a sister, Mrs. Rollie Taylor of Tuscola and several nieces and nephews. Funeral services were held March 9 from the Lester Smith and Son Funeral home. The Rev. John H. Balfour, pastor of the Imlay City Congregational church officiated. Burial was at Tuscola.

MRS. MARGUERITE M. HICKOK

Mrs. Marguerite M. Hickok, 70, of 2725 Steeple Hill drive, Milford, passed away at Eastlawn Resthaven home after a three months illness. Mrs. Hickok was born August 6, 1889 in Detroit, the daughter of Norman F. and Clara (Blacher) Craig. Her husband, Lee, preceded her in death June 28, 1959. She is survived by a son, Richard Nash of Northville, and Norman Hickok of Richmond, Virginia. She also leaves a sister, Mrs. Calla Foss, of Romulus, and two grandchildren. Mrs. Hickok had made her home on Wing court here for 37 years before moving to Milford 10 years ago. She was a life member of Orient chapter, No. 44, OES, the American Legion auxiliary Lloyd H. Green post, and the White Lake Extension club. Funeral services were held March 21 from the Casterline Funeral home. The Rev. Paul Cargo officiating. Graveside rites were conducted under the auspices of Orient chapter, OES. Burial was in White Lake cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Carlson of Fairbrook avenue returned last Wednesday from a trip to Minnesota. While there they visited relatives, and brought back granddaughter Carol Lynn Nuottila of LaCrescent, who will be visiting the Carlsons and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Nuottila of Northville road.



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Funeral services for Roy V. LeMaster, 9245 Napier road, were held Sunday afternoon at the Casterline Funeral home with the Rev. Paul Cargo of the First Methodist church of Northville officiating.

Mr. LeMaster died suddenly on March 12 while vacationing with his family in Naples, Florida. He was 69 years old.

He is survived by his wife, Bertha, and one daughter, Betty, both of Northville. Also surviving are six brothers: Dean W., Clyde H., James E., Ernest M. and J. B., all of Oklahoma, and Donald of Phoenix, Arizona.

Mr. LeMaster was born in Grandberry, Texas on May 8, 1890, the son of James B. and Nancy Elba Martin LeMaster.

He moved to Northville with his wife and daughter, 20 years ago from Dearborn and retired from the Ford Motor company in 1951.

Active in many organizations, Mr. LeMaster was a member of the First Methodist church of Dearborn, the Masonic Lodge No. 188, High 12 club of Plymouth, Scottish Rite, Moslem Temple, Northville Rotary club, Farmers club and Salem Farm Bureau.

Interment was at Rural Hill cemetery with graveyard services conducted under the auspices of Masonic Lodge No. 188.

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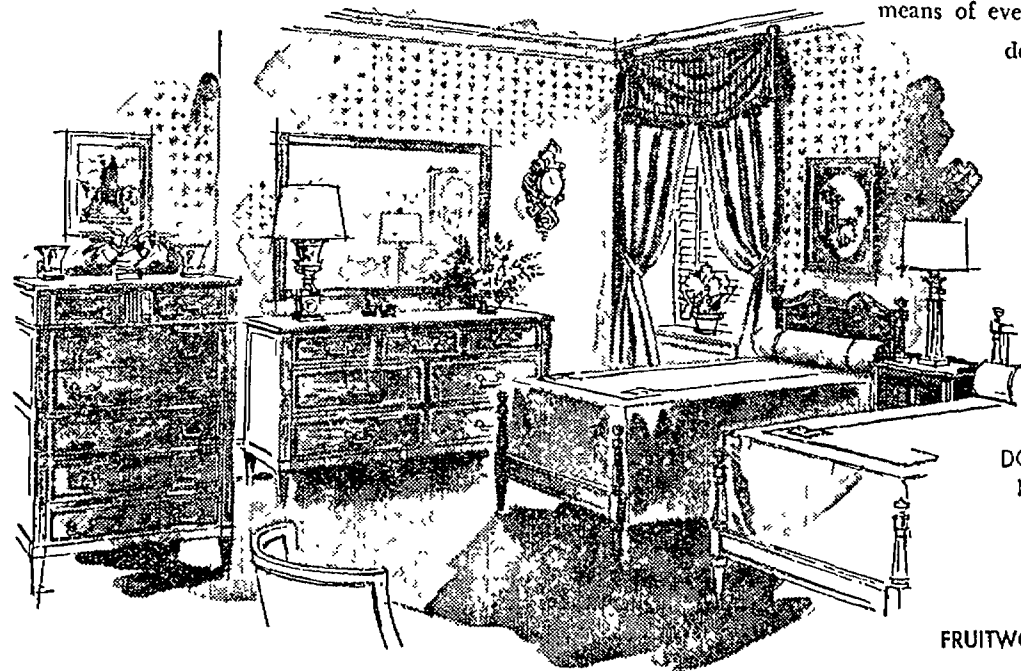
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