

But 3-Year Pact Barely Renewed, 4-3

# Board Gives Spear High Marks

Midway through its four-hour meeting Monday night the Northville Board of Education called a recess to huddle in executive session.

Most of the members of the 100-plus audience stuck around because they were aware the annual evaluation and contract review of Superintendent Raymond Spear remained as Item Number 14 on the agenda.

And although Board President Dr. Orlo J. Robinson indicated otherwise, the purpose of the secret session was to resolve board differences concerning the extension of Spear's contract.

There was no question about the board's evaluation of the superintendent's performance. Members unanimously awarded him high marks.

On an evaluation scale that contains "reward", "recharge"

and "discharge" categories only one member admitted that he had accorded the superintendent a "recharge" rating in one specific area.

But differences of opinion surfaced Monday night concerning the advisability of continuing the automatically-renewing three-year contract.

Voting for the new three-year contract were Board President Dr. Robinson, Vice President Sylvia O. Gucken, Treasurer P. Roger Nieuwkoop and Trustee John Hobart.

Voting against the measure were Trustees Dr. Robert Mandell and Martin Rinehart, and Secretary Karen Wilkinson.

Generally, all three of the opponents of the present contractual arrangement said they would prefer a two-year contract. Superintendent Spear said

Tuesday that he had been unaware of the split.

"Last week the board undertook a 5½-hour evaluation session. Concerns were expressed, but the result was a significantly high rating — in the 'reward' zone in nearly all instances. I left the meeting a week ago believing the vote would be 7-0 for renewal of the three-year contract," Spear explained.

He said that "something must have happened over the weekend" to change attitudes. "Rather than delay the decision, the board president (Dr. Robinson) decided to go into executive session and settle the matter," Spear added. He said he had little warning of the stalemate until Monday night and therefore had no time to propose a compromise.

"So I just said to let the chips fall where they may."

Dr. Mandell, who read a prepared statement to the board concerning his reservations about the automatic renewal aspect of the contract, said his attitude had never changed and that there was no reason for the superintendent to believe he would vote to support renewal.

Rinehart said he had given Spear a "recharge" rating in regard to community feeling, but he noted that such a classification actually doesn't exist.

"I rated him for awards in nearly all categories, but felt that some recognition must be given to community input. For that reason, I would prefer a two-year contract," Rinehart explained.

President Robinson noted that the superintendent has had a three-year contract for nine years. "If we give him a high rating and then don't renew the contract, it would

seem to indicate we don't believe our evaluation," he added.

Trustee Hobart defended the contract arrangement by noting that continuous renewal system exists in 320 of 463 districts. He noted that about 240 have three-year contracts, 135 with two-year packages and 97 one-year.

It has been suggested that more members may dislike the three-year renewal, but believe it should be given more study. Curtailment under present circumstances existing in the community's school system could lead to misinterpretation, it was noted.

Dr. Mandell summed up his attitude on the matter.

"I believe a 4-3 vote on the superintendent's contract more accurately reflects the attitude of the community at this time than a 7-0 vote would have," he concluded.



SPEAR — Surprised by contract controversy

## NEWS BRIEFS



'Longfellow' Lauber Honored

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AN EXTRA MINUTE of learning has been instituted at Northville High School to comply with minimum standards of the North Central Association. The change adds 10 minutes to the school day, with about one extra minute of time per class resulting.

WAYNE COUNTY Sheriff officials caution residents that the number of homosexual activities in the area has risen sharply. During a three-month period at least 85 arrests for soliciting and accosting have been made in the area of the Waterford Bend comfort station in Edward Hines Park. A sheriff's spokesman said the number of homosexual incidents appears to be larger in the park area from Livonia to Northville. Parents are advised to accompany children to the comfort stations. Teenagers are cautioned to either stay away from the area completely or use the facilities in pairs. Park incidents regarding homosexual soliciting or accosting should be reported to the Sheriff's Department at 721-7222.

A RESOLUTION opposing the Presidential Primary in Michigan has been adopted by the township board. Specifically, township officials here, together with municipal officials elsewhere, oppose the primary if local governments must bear the cost of holding such elections.

AMENDMENT of the City of Northville's garbage and rubbish ordinance was approved Monday by the city council. Purpose of the revision is to make the ordinance conform with present practices and regulations. No changes in current practices result because of the amendment.



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## CAC Recommendations Adopted

### Boundary Lines Straightened Out

Second major step to straighten out the school district boundary between Northville and Novi was expected to occur this week. With officials of both school districts backing the proposal, an intermediate school district hearing in Pontiac Tuesday was expected to conclude with the establishment of 9½ mile line as the common boundary between the two districts.

EDITOR'S NOTE—The Wayne and Oakland County Intermediate School Boards, as anticipated, did approve unanimously the transfer of land Tuesday afternoon.

The boundary change is the second in a two-phase corrective procedure begun several years ago. It means, primarily, that children living north of the 9½ mile line in what formerly was part of the Northville school district will be attending school next fall in Novi rather than in Northville.

In the case of high school students, however, any student within the affected area who is now attending Northville High School may, if he or she chooses, continue to

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### Planners to Give McDonald's OK

Site plan approval for a McDonald's hamburger outlet on Five Mile Road near Haggerty is expected to be voted at next Tuesday's meeting of the Northville Township Planning Commission.

Township planners who meet at 8 p.m. in township offices on Sheldon Road also are expected to study again

site plans for greenhouses at the Garden Barn Nursery at Six Mile and Waterford roads. Action on the McDonald revised site plan was tabled at the commission's February meeting pending resolution of deficiencies pointed out by consultants George Vilcan and William Mosher.

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### Spring Eyesore

March winds have created this paper debris at a landfill at Six Mile and Napier roads causing residents of the area to complain about the unsightliness of the dumping ground. This is the dump for city rubbish collections and also the dumping location used by township residents.

### Board Pledges Full Cooperation

Northville's board of education gave solid support Monday night to Citizens' Advisory Committee-1976 (CAC) recommendations by formally incorporating all proposals as board objectives for 1976-77.

The action brought an optimistic response from CAC Co-Chairman Arlen Westling who declared "we believe with this commitment passage of the millage will happen. We're working toward that end."

Specifically, the board pledged itself before an audience of more than 100 citizens to:

- improve its financial planning, hire an additional administrator in the business office and develop closer coordination between central administration and building principals;
- seek two-year teacher contracts,
- attempt to institute semi-annual school tax collections;
- provide the community with quarterly reports,
- review curriculum, upgrade texts, improve high school library and re-establish the curriculum council composed of administrators and teachers studying educational needs of students;
- review of the open classroom concept and a

return to fundamental approach to education through basic teaching methods and firmer discipline.

Superintendent Raymond Spear expressed confidence that the goals coincided with

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### '4th Friday' Stars Mark

The life and times of one of America's greatest writers will be the subject of the Fourth Friday series this month, as the Northville Public Library presents the film "Mark Twain's America."

The program, which will take place on Friday, March 26, from 10 to 11:30 a.m. in the library, is open to all senior citizens and retirees. Admission is free and refreshments are served following the hour long film.

Anyone who would like to attend but lacks transportation should contact the library by Thursday, March 25 at 5 p.m. Volunteer drivers for the library provide rides to and from the program.

For further information, call 349-3020.

## Special Ed Youth Wanders into Home

"It was something we hoped would not happen. We apologize. We'll try hard to see that it doesn't happen again."

A subdued Donna Sewrey, interim special education director, explained to the Northville Board of Education Monday night that a 17-year-old special education student from Cooke Middle School had wandered from the school grounds during lunch hour and reportedly entered a private home.

There were no serious problems as a result of the incident, but "there were some anxious moments for both the residents and the child," the special education director explained.

She said that the youth wandered off during lunch hour when a substitute teacher was on duty. As a result of the incident, she advised that consideration was being given to hall monitors and an alarm system for doors.

An emergency system with instructions of who and where to call will also be publicized, said Ms. Sewrey.

William Hartmann of Jeffrey Drive told the board that the youth had entered more than one home. He said the youth "opened another door and then proceeded to another home" (Hartmann's), both east of Cooke Middle School.

He strongly urged the board of education to approve fencing the school site.

"There are fences around other schools, why not Cooke? Weigh the cost against monitors and alarm systems for 21 doors against the cost of a fence," he urged the board. He also warned of the possible ramifications of a confrontation between a small neighborhood child and a "six-foot tall 17-year-old" from the special education program.

"You can buy one hell of a lot of fences for the sake of safety," he suggested.

The incident follows upon the heels of threatened legal action by some residents of the neighboring Lexington Commons. Attorney William Steiner, representing the citizens, recently informed the board that legal action to enjoin the board from use of Cooke Middle School as a special education site would be taken unless a fence is provided to protect the residents.

The board responded at its last meeting that it would not

construct a fence on the property because funds are not available; it is not deemed necessary to the special education program by local, county or state authorities, full utilization of the facility for special education purposes is short term (ending in June, 1976); special education students create no more need for fencing than the students who have normally attended the

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## 'Y' Show Stars Past, New Styles

An annual YWCA fashion show and luncheon will be held Friday, April 9, at noon at Northwest Branch YWCA building, 25940 Grand River.

Theme of this year's event will be "America Is Your Past — You Are Her Future."

To celebrate the Bicentennial year, the show will include fashions from early days, as well as the latest styles for spring and summer as shown by Claire Kelly of Northville. The show will include sportswear, casual and formal attire.

Claire Lawson, Detroit, is chairman, with Dorothy Horrigan of Northville serving as her co-chairman. Also on the committee is Karen Ross of Northville.

Tickets for the luncheon and program are available at the YWCA at the cost of \$3 for members and \$3.50 for non-members.

All women and girls interested in attending the event are urged to purchase their tickets as soon as possible since reservations are limited. Call the YWCA, KE-7-8500 for further information.



**FOCUS ON WOMEN**—Dr. Sonya Friedman, prominent psychologist who spoke at the March Northville Town Hall on women's traumas, poses smilingly with Mrs. Arthur

Palarchio, town hall chairman, left, and Mrs. Richard Booms, vice-chairman, right, as they chat at the celebrity luncheon following the lecture in the Plymouth Hilton Inn.

## At Town Hall

# Women's Opinions Vary On Psychologist's Views

"The big turn" in a woman's life when she enters her forties was a focus of Dr. Sonya K. Friedman's talk to Northville Town Hall this month.

"I think she captured the whole audience," said Mrs. Arthur Palarchio, town hall chairman, of the prominent psychologist who has her private practice in Troy and who also makes regular appearances on television.

Speaking on "Women in Transition," Dr. Friedman

discussed traumas faced in the period of a woman's life when children leave and she may find herself alone.

"She left a lot of people thinking," Mrs. Palarchio observed, adding "we enjoyed her even if we didn't agree on all points."

Mrs. Jack Doheny, past town hall chairman, agreed, pointing out that while the

speaker seemed "very women's lib," she felt she made some statements as attention-getters.

"She's very much of a person herself," said Mrs. Doheny, "but she told us it took quite a while for her to become this person."

Mrs. Doheny, like other town hall-goers, couldn't agree with the psychologist's advice that "if your daughter comes to you and says she has a young man who makes her heart beat and her temperature rise, tell her it's not love — she's sick and should get him out of her system by spending a weekend at the Hilton."

On the other hand, Mrs. Doheny pointed out, she advised women not to be promiscuous as "that's what male chauvinists want."

Mrs. Richard Booms, town hall vice chairman, commented that she did not agree with the speaker's liberal ideas, such as contract marriages that can be broken when a woman is in her forties with her children grown, but added she felt it was a "sensational program" giving the audience much to think about.

Mrs. Richard Lyon, a member of the town hall committee, concurred that it was a provocative program aimed toward the woman in the decades of the thirties and forties. She said she felt Dr. Friedman offered this age audience good advice about becoming emotionally self-sufficient.

Fourth and final town hall presentation of the current season will be the appearance of Will Rogers, Jr., at 11 a.m. Thursday, April 8, at the Plymouth Hilton Inn.

## Quilt Donation To Aid Library

A fund-raising project of the Friends of the Northville Library is scheduled to be awarded immediately following the conclusion of the magic show slated for Monday, April 5.

The Friends will be giving away a handmade patchwork quilt which is currently on display in the upper level of Northville Square. Tickets for the quilt at \$1 each are available from members of the Friends organization or at the library.

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## In Our Town

# Woman's Club Adds Six Life Members

By JEAN DAY

SIX WOMEN who have been members of Northville Woman's Club for 25 years were honored at the club's annual meeting with life memberships last Friday following a traditional tureen luncheon at First Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. James Cowie, Mrs. George Zerbel and Mrs. J. K. Eastland received spring floral arrangements and certificates in the presentation.

Not able to attend were Mrs. H. N. Frogner, Mrs. Glenn Cummings and Mrs. Joseph Menendez (the former Marie Crusoe who now lives in New Orleans).

Mrs. William Switzler was elected president as the club enters its 84th year, succeeding Mrs. George Weiss, who completed two years in office.

Mrs. John Brown was named vice president and Mrs. Don Williams, treasurer. Mrs. Robert Brueck, recording secretary, and Mrs. Donald Funk, corresponding secretary, continue in their respective posts. Mrs. Keith Wright, Mrs. Samuel McSeveny and Mrs. Weiss were new members named to the board of directors with Mrs. Donald Hiller and Mrs. I. M. McLeod continuing.

Mrs. William Davison was named chairman for the 1976-77 program committee. Serving with her will be Mrs. Ray J. Casterline, II, Mrs. Richard Henderson, Mrs. Christopher Gazlay, Mrs. Robert Mandell, Mrs. Robert Marshall and Mrs. George Daraban.

BY THEIR TANS you can spot returning vacationers.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Palarchio, who flew in Monday night from a vacation in the Canary Islands, have a permanent reminder of their visit, an oriental carpet in their foyer, which they purchased on a hop to Morocco and brought back on the plane. They were with a group of 12 friends from the Southfield area.

Mrs. P. H. Nauman is back at work as secretary of Northville First Presbyterian Church after vacationing with her son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. John DeSilva, and granddaughter, Nicole, at Sun Valley, Idaho.

The DeSilva family lives in Naragansett Bay, Rhode Island, and met Margaret Nauman enroute in Chicago, taking a condo for the Idaho vacation. Mrs. Nauman reports she learned to ski cross country and even went ice skating with five-year-old Nicole.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Booms could qualify as Florida commuters this winter as they have made frequent trips to their ocean-front condo near West Palm Beach. After attending to duties as Northville Town Hall vice chairman two

weeks ago, Florence Booms, who has a winter-long tan, and her husband headed south again this week.

The Richard Amblers returned last weekend from a golfing vacation at Jupiter, near West Palm Beach. He had gone south first with a group to golf at Innisbrook.

Mrs. Ambler reports that she talked with former Northville residents Reva and Ernest Shave who live near Jupiter at Stuart, Florida. Winter residents of that community are Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ware who plan to stay in the south until after Easter.

"PAUL REVERE," who rode through downtown Detroit last weekend to help publicize the builder's show at Cobo Hall, was Nan Wetterstrom, 19-year-old daughter of Dr. R. G. Wetterstrom of Northville.

The young horsewoman recreated the revolutionary hero's ride because a neighbor happens to work for an ad agency making arrangements for the publicity and asked Nan to be the rider.

NEWS OF A FORMER Northville Record staffer, Nancy Slattery Larson, comes from Lansing. Nancy, a summer employee, now is a free-lance writer from her home. In addition to taking care of her husband, Jess, and two young sons, Matthew and Daniel, she's managed to sell articles and stories to national magazines.

Her work has appeared in "Adventure," "Quest," "Grit" and "Children's Playmate." A story also soon will appear in "Vista" magazine. She's also working on a series of mysteries for teens.

With all this, she's also teaching an evening course, "Writing for Publication," composed of students ranging from high school age to retirees.

AS ALL TOO MANY residents know, it's no fun having pneumonia or the "flu" that's been so prevalent. It does make one aware, however, of how great it is to live in a "caring" community.

I much appreciate the get-well wishes and thought as well as the recipes for which I hope to be able to collect and share with readers soon. Northville neighbors are culinary experts with chicken, soups and stews.

It's also been rewarding to hear from former Northville citizens who still keep up with the community through The Record.

From West Branch, Michigan, came a note from Ada W. Fritz, who has battled a virus for six weeks, but who reports that her "retirement days have passed as fast as school days."

She writes, "I have been very busy and happy doing a variety of volunteer tasks." World Day of Prayer in that community, she adds, had to be canceled, however, because of an ice storm.

# Surprise Party Honors State Hospital Retiree

A surprise reception last Wednesday at Northville State Hospital honored Norbert "Bob" Parent who is retiring after 20 years as a fire and safety officer at the hospital.

Parent and his wife live at 334 Yerkes in Northville, moving to the community when he was employed by the hospital.

His fellow workers at the hospital presented him with a watch and plaque "in appreciation of devoted

service" at the reception. Jack Patterson, management officer who has known Parent for the 20 years he has been on the staff, commented, "Bob Parent was the kind of person you could always count on."

It was pointed out that Parent had an outstanding attendance record having not missed a day of work in the 20 years except for time scheduled for surgery.

"Bob Parent will be missed in our department and by the

total staff on account of his dedication to his job and his friendly cooperative manner," said Charles McQueer, chief safety officer, at the presentation.

Parent, who has held a part-time job at Northville Kroger store, said he plans to continue there. He is an employee in the produce department.

He came to Northville State Hospital in March, 1956, a few years after the facility was opened.

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## 'Totally Involved' in Library, League

# Mrs. Ayers Is Woman of Year

Carolann Ayers is Northville's Woman of the Year for 1976.

Her "total involvement" with budgetary needs and future concerns of the Northville library as a member of the library commission was cited by the judges as a prime reason for her selection.

She was nominated for the Northville Jaycee Auxiliary-sponsored honor by the League of Women Voters in which she presently is serving as first vice president.

Mrs. Ayers and six other nominees, lauded as "exceptionally outstanding" by the Jaycee auxiliary committee and judges, will be honored at a tea at 1 p.m., April 2 at the home of Mrs. Jane Dugan on Sutters Lane Court.

The other honorees are Louise Cansfield, Marjory Cinader, Dorothy Jack, Mary Ware, Karel Whitaker and Eliza Wagenschutz.

Mrs. Cansfield was nominated by Mizpah Circle of King's Daughters in which she is a past president and active member. She also is a past president of Northville Historical Society, Northville Woman's Club and has been very active in Northville Methodist Church since 1940, serving as women's society president at local, district and conference levels.

Mrs. Cinader was the nominee of the Northville Chamber of Commerce for her work as chamber president and as chairman for the 1975 Northville Fair, a project she guided for eight months to successful completion. She is the first woman ever to serve as president of the chamber. As president she supported the "Silent Observer" program, historical society, League of Women Voter and Jaycee auxiliary projects.

Mrs. Jack was nominated by the Highland Lakes Women's Club and is its immediate past president. She was cited also for her involvements in scouting,

Lutheran church work, school and civic activities.

Mrs. Ware was named by Northville Town Hall Committee for her work for Town Hall and its program book as well as for her contributions to Northville Historical Society. Annual dinners and card parties she arranges raise about \$1,000 annually for the society. She also is an active worker in

Northville branch of the Woman's National Farm and Garden Association. She also works in King's Daughters and for opera in Detroit.

Mrs. Whitaker was nominated by the new Northville branch of the American Association of University Women for which she currently is serving as first president. She guided the

new group through its formation and chartering. She also is an active member and teacher in First United Methodist Church in Northville.

Mrs. Wagenschutz was named by Northville Town Hall Committee on which she has served since its inception. She served on the Wayne County Library Board for 35 years until her recent

retirement. She also served as first female member of the Northville School Board.

In announcing this year's Woman of the Year and the other honorees, Mrs. Sharon Lang, co-chairman of the project with Mrs. Mary McLeod, stated she was "delighted with the judges' choice."

She pointed out also that "all seven candidates are outstanding women who have done so much for the community. The tea honors all of them."

Award presentations at the tea will be made by Mrs. Lesa Buckland who was in charge of applications and judges.

Serving as judges were Annalee Mathes, 1975 Woman of the Year; Lane Norton, first president of Northville Jaycee Auxiliary; Steven Walters, Northville city manager; Jack Hoffman, editor of The Northville Record and assistant to the publisher; and Peter Magnan, a past president of the Northville Jaycees.

In nominating Mrs. Ayers for her honor Sandra Walts, league secretary, pointed out her library budget presentations to both city and township governments as well as work on site plans and financing for a proposed new library.

"Carolann," she wrote, "is a very involved person because she is concerned about the quality of life of her family and her community. Rather than apathetically complaining... she gets out and works to improve the situation."

She is the new head of the Northville Library Commission.

Mrs. Ayers also has extensive involvements with the League of Women Voters and has been active in Northville schools.

She and her husband, Charles, live at 518 Morgan Circle and have two sons, Greg, 13, and Doug, 7. She holds a BS degree in secondary education from Purdue University.



Paperwork's part of commitments for Carolann Ayers



ROBIN NORRIS



CHRISTINE MAKUCH

## DAR Taps

## Novi Senior

Claudia Jane Hessee, a Novi High School senior, has been named the recipient of the 1976 Daughters of the American Revolution Good Citizen award from this area.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hessee of 42241 Nine Mile Road.

She was chosen for the honor by Sarah Ann Cochran Chapter, DAR, and is one of 16 to be named Good Citizens throughout the state.

The honorees were saluted at a DAR program February 18 at King's Mill Clubhouse in Northville.

## Brides-Elect Set

## 1976 Wedding Dates

### ROBIN NORRIS

Mrs. Arlene R. Norris of 105 Fairbrook in Northville is announcing the engagement of her daughter, Robin Kay, to Terry James Merriman of Ypsilanti.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Merriman of Ypsilanti.

The bride-elect also is the daughter of Gordon Norris of Fowlerville, Michigan. She is a 1975 graduate of Northville High School.

Her fiancé is a 1974 graduate of Ypsilanti High School.

They are planning a September 25, 1976, wedding.

### CHRISTINE MAKUCH

The engagement of Christine Patrice Makuch to Charles Mack of Durand is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Makuch of 23277 Balcombe Drive in Novi.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L.C. Mack of Durand.

The bride-elect, a 1975 graduate of Michigan State University, lives in Oak Park, Illinois, and is on the staff of Campus Crusade for Christ

International at the University of Illinois in Chicago.

Her fiancé will be graduated from MSU in June.

A June wedding in East Lansing is planned. Afterward the couple will be working together on the Campus Crusade for Christ staff.

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## News Around Northville

Northville Mothers' Club will hold a library workshop at 7:30 p.m. Monday at Silver Springs School. Mrs. Martin Rinehart, president, announces this is a change from the previous schedule.

Hostesses will be Mrs. Donald Willoughby, Mrs. Glenn Deibert and Mrs. Charles Smith.

A final tally on reservations for the club dinner dance to be held April 3 at Meadowbrook Country Club will be taken at the workshop meeting.

Reservations still may be made with Mrs. John Brown, 349-4072, or Mrs. John Veselenak, 349-6208.

Highland Lakes Women's Club has elected new officers and now is making plans for an April 1 outing to Hickory Farms.

Mrs. Dorothy Meissner was named president at the March 4 meeting. She succeeds Mrs. Dorothy Jack.

Other new officers are Mrs. Jean VanDam, vice president; Mrs. Dorcas Aumann, secretary; and Mrs. Mary Smith, treasurer.

Members are to meet at the clubhouse at 12:30 p.m. on Thursday, April 1, to go to Hickory Farms at Northland

for a presentation at 1:30 p.m. The women will learn about various cheeses and sample them. Door prizes are planned.

Mizpah Circle of King's Daughters is canceling its April meeting so that members wishing to attend the luncheon and style show being sponsored by the women of Northville United Methodist Church may do so.

The show will be April 6 at the church. The circle will resume its regular schedule with its May 4 meeting, which will be a potluck luncheon at the Methodist church. Annual reports and election of officers are planned.

Mr. and Mrs. Dana Briggs, former Northville residents of Yerkes Street, are celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary in Escondido, California.

Their golden anniversary was to be marked Sunday, March 21, with their children attending. They are a son, Duane Briggs, and daughters, Dorothy Ippolito and Vera Shettleroe. Grandchildren and great-grandchildren also were to be on hand.

Cuyler McCutchan of 19763 Hayes Court in Northville is having a one-man show of his watercolor paintings at the Plymouth Credit Union Building in Plymouth.

The show will continue through April 30.

A resident of Northville for five years, McCutchan studied art at Cass Technical High School. He began watercolor painting in 1961 as a hobby and has pursued the medium ever since.

He is president of Three Cities Art Club and was superintendent of the fine arts display at the Northville Fair in 1975 and has agreed to oversee this year's also.

"Painting is a subject where you never cease learning," he claims.

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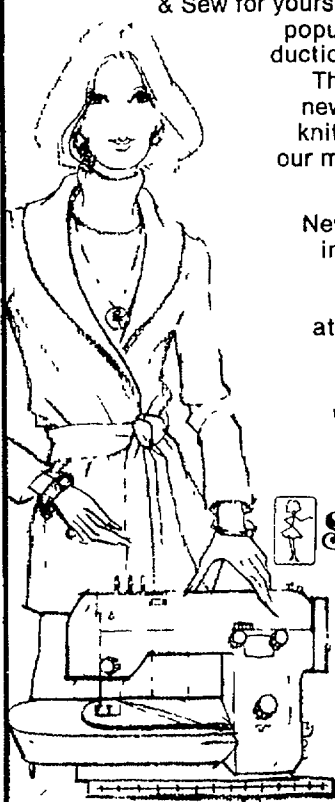
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## Murphy Wins Commissioner Seat

# Paved Roads Win in Novi 910-821

Voters in Novi yesterday gave the thumbs up sign to improved roads while overall in the 24th District, voters elected Republican Dennis Murphy of Novi as county commissioner.

On the local road question, asking for the right to bond \$4,825,000 for 20 years, voters approved the proposal 910-821.

Meanwhile in the county race, Murphy pulled out a 1,420-1,294 victory over

Democrat Suellen Haas, also of Novi, on the strength of the ballot in Farmington Hills. He will replace Lew Coy of Wixom who resigned in October. His term will run to November.

The road bonding proposal marked the second attempt in five months to get a program approved that would allow for the paving of 18.75 miles of roads over the next five years. In November, the same proposal fell to a slim defeat 1,308-1,278.

This time around, 24 percent of the 7,129 registered voters came to the polls to approve the measure. Of seven districts, the road millage passed in four with the biggest margin in precinct seven where Village Oaks residents approved the measure 210-100. Precinct six, also comprising Village Oaks, was second in line with 134 yes and 91 no votes.

Largest margin against the millage was in precinct four, the Walled Lake area, where

101 voters were against and only 57 in favor. Precinct one which includes much of the west portion of the city opposed the question 182-134. The other precincts were close.

"It passed because the voters have realized good roads are essential to a good community," commented City Manager Edward Kriewall after the election. "They realized the economics of the proposition were very acceptable to the voters because they realize the total cost per voter for the proposition could be saved on preventive car maintenance. The voters also have sensed the upswing in the economy."

The road proposal will cost homeowners an average of 1.5 mills (\$1.50 per \$1000 of assessed valuation) over the 20 year life of the bonds.

In the county commissioner race, Farmington Hills made the difference as Murphy took that city 174-38, a 136 vote spread. Overall, Murphy won by only 126 votes.

Murphy also carried Walled Lake (101-76), Northville (52-33) and Wixom (123-118).

Mrs. Haas won in Novi (894-860), Novi Township (22-13) and Lyon Township (68-48).

In the overall 24th District, approximately 15 percent of the 18,000 registered voters came to the polls.



**ROAD MILLAGE PASSES**—This portion of Nine Mile is typical of many of the roads in Novi which will be paved thanks to approval which was given by the voters of Novi yesterday.

A total of 18.75 miles of roads throughout the city is to be paved during the next five years with homeowners paying \$10 a front foot.

## Novi Attendance Areas Set for New Elementary

Final decision on students to attend the new Novi Elementary School in the 1976-77 school year, was approved by the school board last week. Board also agreed to give current Novi Elementary principal Roy Williams the same position at the new school.

All students who would have attended Novi Elementary will attend the new school. In addition, all K-5 students living in Old Orchard and Applegate Condominiums and

currently attending Village Oaks Elementary School will be going to the new elementary.

Students living north of 10 Mile and attending Orchard Hills Elementary School, with the exception of those students living in Meadowbrook Glens and Willowbrook I, will attend the new elementary. In addition, also attending the new elementary will be all students living south of Nine

Mile and attending Orchard Hills.

Meadowbrook Glens youngsters will continue to go to their present school but may choose to attend the new elementary. If they do, they must have their own transportation provided.

Youngsters in Willowbrook I will continue to attend Orchard Hills although the administration initially recommended that Willowbrook I be transferred to the new school.

However, school board member Robert Wilkins and audience participants pointed out that youngsters in Willowbrook I now play with their counterparts south of 10 Mile but would have had to attend separate schools if the administration recommendation was approved.

Member Joel Colliu questioned the possibility of open enrollment for all schools, but Superintendent Dr. Gerald Kratz said at the present time it would be impossible because both Village Oaks and Orchard Hills schools are full and could not handle more students.

The approved plan allows the new elementary room for expansion, according to Dr. Kratz. He noted that a new subdivision is possibly scheduled for the area and the present plans would allow for

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## School Says Korex Plan Will Not Hurt District

The Korex Company's quest for an industrial development district designation is one step closer to reality because of the Wixom Council meeting Tuesday night.

At that meeting, both Oakland County and the Walled Lake School District had the opportunity to express their views on the on-going Korex subject. Certified letters had been sent to interested parties in advance of the meeting.

With the lack of a written or verbal statement from Oakland County Treasurer Hugh C. Doherty, city officials could only presume there was no quarrel with the tax exempt bid.

A verbal statement from Roland Langerman representing the Walled Lake School District was made through City Attorney Harold Bulgerelli. Bulgerelli also acts as attorney for the school district.

The reaction of school administrators, according to Langerman was that the designation "would not impair the financial situation of the school district." Langerman later pointed out that as a tax evaluation is lowered, state aid figures rise and vice versa.

After hearing from the school district, council members entertained a motion to affirm the application and forward it to the state level. The motion again received council's approval.

### School Sets

### Special Session

A special meeting of the Novi Board of Education will be held Thursday, March 25 at the administration building on Taft Road.

According to secretary of the board LaVerne M. DeWaard, purpose of the meeting is to receive the report of the Needs Assessment II Committee.

Once again, however, council members James Lahde and Robert Dingeldey cast negative votes for approval. Councilwoman Lillian Spencer was absent from the meeting.

The application for the industrial district designation which affords Korex a 50 percent tax break for a 12 year period now goes to the State Tax Commission with final approval coming from the State Department of Commerce.

Their final decision will come within 30 days. Should Korex receive that positive okay, construction on the new facility could feasibly begin in May.



DENNIS MURPHY

## Rules Second Appeals Court

# Boundary Unit Illegal

The Michigan Court of Appeals has upheld a lower court ruling declaring the State Boundaries Commission illegal, but Novi officials are awaiting a decision that, they say, will ultimately come from the state supreme court.

The Court of Appeals, made up of Louis D. McGregor, Thomas M. Burns, and Nathan Kaufman, ruled in the Novi case, that improper legislative procedures used when the State Boundaries Commission was created made the Boundaries Commission unconstitutional.

The Court of Appeals' ruling backs up a ruling by a different panel of the Court of Appeals in the Midland case in which the Boundaries Commission was also declared unconstitutional for the same reason. However, other con-

stitutional points in question were reversed.

At stake is the annexation of all of Novi Township except for Brookland Farms. Originally the State Boundaries Commission ruled in favor of the annexation. An appeal to the Ingham County Circuit Court brought an opinion that the State Boundaries Commission was unconstitutional, hanging its hat on a ruling that the unconstitutionality came because a group of no less than 100 is entitled to an election when an annexation request takes place.

An appeal of the decision by the City of Novi and a counter appeal by Novi Township left those two bodies waiting for a hearing by the Court of Appeals.

The same questions had arisen in a Midland case and Ingham County Circuit Court had also ruled the State Boundaries Commission unconstitutional before the ruling against Novi in that court. An appeal to the state Court of Appeals received a ruling upholding the lower court.

Because of the ruling in the Novi case, City Attorney David Fried said the city is preparing a request to be heard by the state supreme court. The attorney general's

office, which represents the Boundaries Commission, may also appeal separately, or in conjunction with the Novi and Midland cases, Fried added.

To be cleared up, said Fried, is the initial question of whether the 100 person requirement for a referendum is constitutional. While the Court of Appeals in the Midland case declared it was not, the panel hearing the Novi case declared it is constitutional.

Also to be dealt with is the question, which all of the trial and appeals courts have upheld, that the legislature used improper legislative procedure because, while the title of the act in question said there would be an amendment to the Home Rule Act, the title did not specify that authority to rule in annexation cases was being taken from the counties and given to the Boundaries Commission.

"Who can predict what the Supreme Court will do on a constitutional question," asked Fried. "Two trial courts and two appeals courts have held it unconstitutional. That would lend some credence to the fact it (the Supreme Court) will adopt the same reasoning. If they do, there will be many other statutes that will be improper for the same reasons."

### Just Call It

### Novi's WOVI

"I still like 'This is WOVI from Novi,'" quipped Novi Board member Terrance Jolly last week as he moved that WOVI be named the call letters for the new high school radio station.

The final decision on the call letters for the station came from a suggested list of 10 provided by the radio and television classes. Others suggested previously were struck down because other stations already had the call letters in use.

Because a year-old list of station call letters was used, the school board, besides naming WOVI as the first choice named WNVI second, WLDC third, WNCS fourth and WNSB fifth.

Other call letters on the original list were: WNHR, WNKT, WNHV, WWSK and WHSC. Final okay must now be given by the Federal Communications Commission (FCC).

## County Executive Murphy Promises Novi Bonding Coming

Despite a current court case and problems with bonding on the county level, Oakland County Executive Daniel T. Murphy told the Novi Council last week that he will see to it somehow that bonding is available for upcoming sewer and water projects. Specifically, the city is most worried about sewer and water projects which are to serve both the Twelve Oaks Mall regional shopping center and the new high school. Though the city might currently have enough front money to get started, without bonding for the projects, it would not have enough funds to finish.

The big hold-up is a recent Michigan State Court of Appeals ruling which declared Public Act 342, allowing bonding for both sewer and water, unconstitutional because of a provision allowing publication of intent to bond in a newspaper of general circulation.

An absentee land holder in Swartz Creek charged that notice should have been sent by mail.

A motion to reconsider the ruling is currently being considered.

The problem is that many public acts on different types of bonding have the same wording, and thus their use is also not allowed.

Meanwhile, on a county level, the big question has surrounded which body should legally be able to put the full faith and credit of the county behind the bonding projects. Circuit Court Judge Robert Beasley ruled that the DPW did not exist as a separate body. There is now a question of whether the DPW should be under the Oakland County Executive or the board of commissioners.

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**TWELVE OAKS GROUNDBREAKING**—City, state and Dayton Hudson officials gathered last week for the official groundbreaking for the Twelve Oaks Mall opening in Novi in July, 1977. Big stores at the mall will be Hudson's, Sears and Penneys. Breaking ground and planting symbolic oak trees were

(from left) project engineer Paul Roberts, vice-president in charge of development Jerry Amundson, state representative Richard Fessler, Howard Cross of the Department of Commerce, City Manager Edward Kriewall, and Novi Mayor Gilbert Henderson.



## Created by Questers

# Authentic Early Kitchen On Display in Window

It's not necessary to visit a museum to see what a typical farm kitchen looked like in the late 1700's.

Just pause in front of Black's Hardware window at 117 East Main Street where an authentic northern farm kitchen circa 1770 has been reconstructed.

The Bicentennial display is a project of Silver Springs Questers, a local chapter of the national antiques study society.

The cooking fireplace that is the focal point of the display was constructed by Robert Black, Sr., while the Questers researched and assembled furnishings.

Constructed two weeks ago to enter in a national Quester contest to focus on our national heritage, the window display will remain in place at least through this week.

"While the colonists were winning the War of Independence, the hardy colonial housewife was fighting a day-to-day battle in the kitchen, the main and

often the only room in an early settler's home," the Questers point out.

"In the colonial housewife's wildest dreams," they add, "she never would have imagined the conveniences we take for granted today as she deftly lifted great iron pots while keeping her skirts out of the fire."

Her cooking pots, as the window shows, were suspended from a "lug pole" across the back of the fireplace opening.

Also in the window is a trammel, an adjustable pot hanger hammered out by village blacksmiths with ratchets to control the distance between pot and embers.

In the Quester kitchen are a typical iron stew pot, tall, footed trivets and a small frying skillet called a "spider" because of its three legs and long handle.

Notice, too, the bread toasting rack.

The Quester research committee, under chairmanship of Mrs. Harold Noffz, borrowed items for the reconstruction from local Questers and friends and express appreciation for the cooperation of those who own the antique items.

Also on the committee are Mrs. Beecher Todd, Mrs. Richard Foy, Mrs. Michael Gobush and Mrs. Timothy Eis. Mrs. Black of the hardware firm, is a new chapter member.

They are hoping their well-researched display may garner a money award in the national contest. If so, they point out, it will go to Northville's Mill Race Village restoration, the chapter's endowment project.

Other items to be noted as families view the kitchen

include an iron peel, a long-handled shovel with which food was placed in and retrieved from an oven by the fireplace. In the window the peel is under bread on the table.

The Gooseneck andirons or fire-dogs on display were typical as they are large in scale and of iron. The shape made it possible to attach hooks to hold a drip pan or today mug.

Notice also in the window: The two-purpose table with bench underneath. Wooden dowels held the top upright at night for dining. Otherwise, the upright served as protection from drafts as colonists sat by the hearth.

The spinning wheel on display, the Questers say, must have been in use most of the time converting wood and flax into yarn for looms.

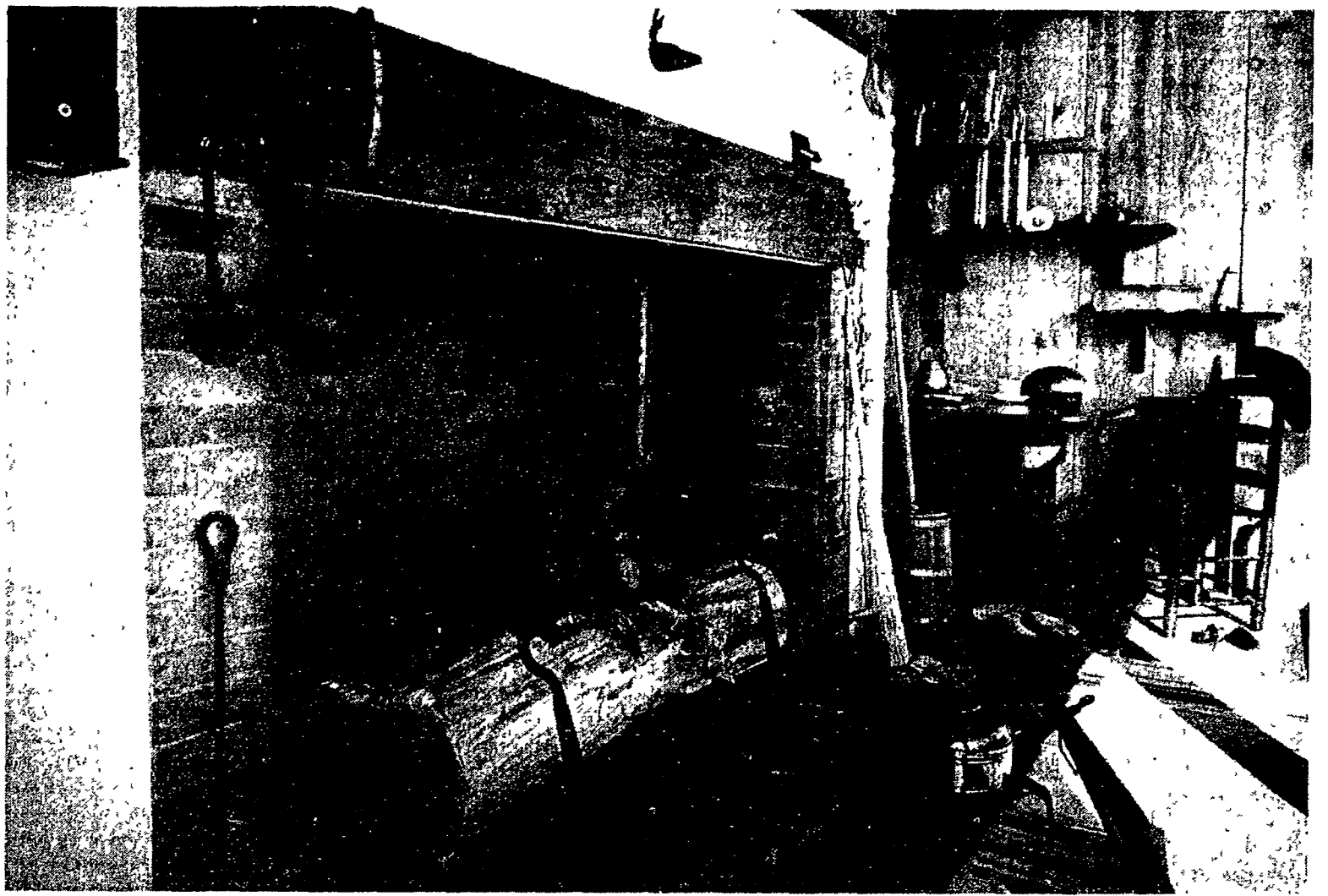
"All persons not employed in other ways, such as single women, girls and boys were required to spin," Quester research found.

Candles on display illustrate that providing early lighting was a time-consuming operation, making "early to bed, early to rise" a practical necessity.

A Phoebe or Betty lamp is hung on the fireplace. This type of grease lamp burned a wick of cloth in fish or whale oil or tallow and needed the receptacle underneath to catch drips.

From such lamps rose a dull, smoky, ill-smelling flame.

"We may shiver as we stand outside the store window display," comments Mrs. Noffz as she points out its highlights, "but we can go home and turn up the thermostat — the American colonists truly were a hardy, industrious group of people."



VIEW THIS RECONSTRUCTION OF A 1770 FARM KITCHEN IN BLACK'S HARDWARE WINDOW ON MAIN STREET

## Scouts Fete

## Miss Knapp

Ruth M. Knapp, a former teacher and school nurse at Northville for many years, was honored on March 14 by a South Lyon Girl Scout Troop.

The 11 members of Junior Troop 508 chose Miss Knapp, a friend of their leader Mrs. Edythe Herrmann, as a V.I.F. (Very Important Female) because of her many achievements in service to her community and country.

A special cake was served at the tea which the girls held in Miss Knapp's honor at the Lutheran Retirement Center near Ann Arbor where she resides. Fifteen friends at the center joined the gathering which included a short program planned by the Scouts and the presentation of a bouquet of flowers.

Highlight of the afternoon was listening to Miss Knapp reminisce about her service as a Red Cross nurse in France during World War I. The group also viewed her scrapbook which included mementoes of her years in Northville.

Miss Knapp retired in 1957 and has lived in Ann Arbor since 1974.

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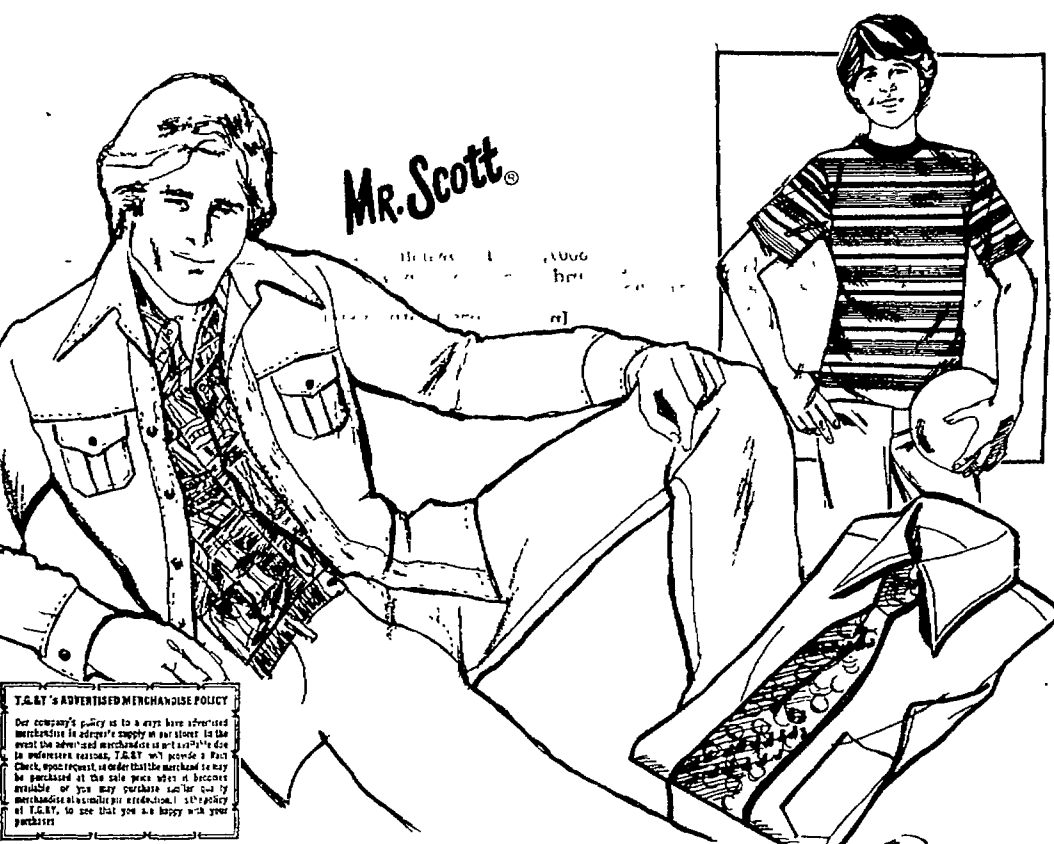
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# Workshop Will Help Sole Parent

A workshop dealing with the adjustments single parents face as individuals and in raising their children will be presented in Novi beginning on April 6 in the high school library.

The program will continue for six consecutive Tuesday evenings from 7:30 p.m. until 9:30 p.m. (with the exception of April 20 which has been deleted due to the Easter holidays) and will conclude on May 18

The content of the program will be growth oriented and will contain information and exercises related to strengthening one's self-image, improving communication skills within the family, solving some of the problems of single parenting, forming new relationships and attitudes and planning for the future.

The format for this workshop will primarily be small group discussion and exercises with a brief presentation made each evening by the Group Coordinator, Ms. Jane Maddox. Ms. Maddox has had a wide variety of counseling, psychotherapy and group leadership experiences. She is currently a Workshop Leader for the Continuum Center at Oakland University. Ms. Maddox is divorced and is the mother of three children.

This program is being sponsored by the Novi Youth Assistance Parent Education Committee under the chairmanship of Peter Karr. A similar one day workshop was presented last December. However, the current program will deal more extensively with the issues and concerns that were an outgrowth of that meeting and will be presented in a more personal format with a maximum amount of individual participation expected.

Free babysitting service will be provided in the school. A \$7 registration fee will be requested for the entire workshop and a maximum of 36 persons will be accepted.

Individuals who are interested in attending this workshop or in obtaining further information are asked to call 474-5784 or 349-1247.



## Of Thee I Sing

Andrew B. Pelto, Northville, plays Senator Lyons in George Gershwin's lively political spoof, "Of Thee I Sing," March 25-28 at Mercy College of Detroit. Tickets may be purchased in Northville schools as a benefit for the George Berryman fund.

## Musical to Aid Berryman

"Of Thee I Sing," spring musical at Mercy College being presented Thursday through Sunday, will be a benefit for George Berryman, Northville, a teacher suffering from kidney failure. Tickets purchased at any Northville school or at Northville Realty may be used any night, sponsoring teachers at Silver Springs School explain. Performances are at 8 p.m.

All proceeds from these sales will be donated to the fund. Deadline for purchase has been extended to this Friday. Adult tickets are \$3 with a special price of \$1.50 for students in groups of 10 or more.

The musical with music and

lyrics by the Gershwin brothers will be presented at the college located at Outer Drive and Southfield between Six and Seven Mile roads. The presentation and offer to make Northville sales a benefit for the popular raucous "Of Thee I Sing" is a light, entertaining political satire, featuring the presidential campaign of "Wintergreen and Throtheadbottom." The presentation and offer to make Northville sales a benefit for the popular raucous "Of Thee I Sing" is a light, entertaining political satire, featuring the presidential campaign of "Wintergreen and Throtheadbottom."

## Community Calendar

### TODAY, MARCH 24

League of Women Voters informational meeting, "River Rouge," 9 a.m., 449 Hill  
Plymouth-Northville AARP, noon, Plymouth Presbyterian Church  
Northville Daytime TOPS, 12:30 p.m., scout recreation building  
Northville Senior Citizens Club, 1 p.m., Kerr House  
Northville Camera Club, 7:30 p.m., Northville Square  
Meads Mill PTA, millage, 7:30 p.m., school  
We-Way-Co Sweet Adelines, 8 p.m., Epiphany Lutheran Church  
Northville Jaycees, 8 p.m., city council chambers

### THURSDAY, MARCH 25

Wixom Senior Citizens, 11 a.m., Wixom Community Building  
Novi Rotary, noon, Farmington Holiday Inn  
Northville Senior Citizens Club, noon, Kerr House  
Beginning Square Dance, 7:30 p.m., Northville Square  
Northville Historical Society, "Stockbridge," 8 p.m., Mill Race  
Northville Civitan Club, 8 p.m., King's Mill clubhouse  
Schoolcraft College Foundation, 8 p.m., administration building  
FISH meeting for volunteers, 8 p.m., Northville Presbyterian Church

### FRIDAY, MARCH 26

Northville-Novi Parents Without Partners, 8 p.m., American Legion

### MONDAY, MARCH 29

St. Paul's Lutheran Church paper drive, 6 p.m., Seven Mile Road by Party Store  
Northville Kiwanis, 6:30 p.m., Old Mill  
Northville TOPS, 7:30 p.m., 215 West Cady  
Northville Blue Lodge, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple  
Northville Boy Scout Troop 721, 7:30 p.m., Our Lady of Victory Church  
Northville Mothers' Club, 7:30 p.m., workshop, Silver Springs School

### TUESDAY, MARCH 31

Northville Rotary, noon, Presbyterian church  
Novi Weight Watchers, 7 p.m., Living Lord Lutheran Church  
Square Dance Workshop, 7:30 p.m., Northville Square  
Northville Township Planning Commission, 8 p.m., township offices



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## Library Friends Set Programs in April

Celebrating National Library Week, April 4 through 10, the Friends of the Northville Library will sponsor a program of magic for young and old. The magic show will be presented at 7 p.m. Monday, April 5.

Featuring "The Great Wintini," the program will be held in the Community Room of Northville Square.

All those who attend the magic show will have a chance to win the Bicentennial bank contest. The person coming closest to guessing the exact number of pennies in the bank will win that sum in Bicentennial coins.

The bank is currently on display in the library. Participants may make their guesses on slips of paper at the beginning of the magic show program with the winner announced at its conclusion.

Admission is free and refreshments will be served. Please register at the library or call 349-3020 if you plan to attend.

A representative of the Novi Library Board is scheduled to speak on the new library and answer any questions regarding the facility at a meeting on Tuesday, April 6 at 8 p.m.

Sponsored by the Novi Friends of the Library, the meeting will be held in the Novi Public Library, Novi, Road near Grand River. The public is invited to attend this informative meeting.

Also on sale will be note papers featuring the new library structure which are available at \$1.50 per box.

## China Painters

### Plan Meeting

Northville Spring Chapter of China Painters will meet at 10:30 a.m. April 1 at St. Alexander's Church in Farmington. Goldie Latchford will paint pansies for the workshop.

A business meeting will follow a sack lunch.

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Factors	A	B	C	D	E
Your Home's Market Value	\$30,000	\$40,000	\$50,000	\$60,000	\$70,000
Annual Household Income	15,000	15,000	20,000	25,000	30,000
3.9 Mill Property Tax	58	78	98	117	137
Fed. & State Tax Credits	41	54	69	46	49
Typical Net Tax Increase	✓ \$17	✓ \$24	✓ \$29	✓ \$71	✓ \$88

(Please note: This chart does not apply to senior citizens, paraplegics, quadriplegics, veterans and their widows, blind individuals and disabled persons. A more liberal property tax credit program is available to them.)

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# Schoolcraft Choir Gives Free Concert

Schoolcraft College will present a spring choir concert at 4 p.m. on Sunday, April 4. Featuring the Schoolcraft Chorale, Symphonic Choir and Madrigal Singers, the concert will be held at St. Paul's Presbyterian Church in Livonia.

The groups are directed by Marilyn Jones and will be accompanied by Tamara Najar and Edward Perrone. They will sing selections from various periods of American music. Highlights include a medley from West Side Story, selections from Camelot and a number of spirituals.

Representative composers for the concert numbers include Robert Jones, William Billings, Randall Thompson and Vincent Persichetti. Works for double choirs by Geisler and Pachelbel are also scheduled.

There is no admission charge and the public is invited to attend. St. Paul's Presbyterian Church is located at Five Mile and Inkster roads.

## Mrs. Murphy

### Named to Board

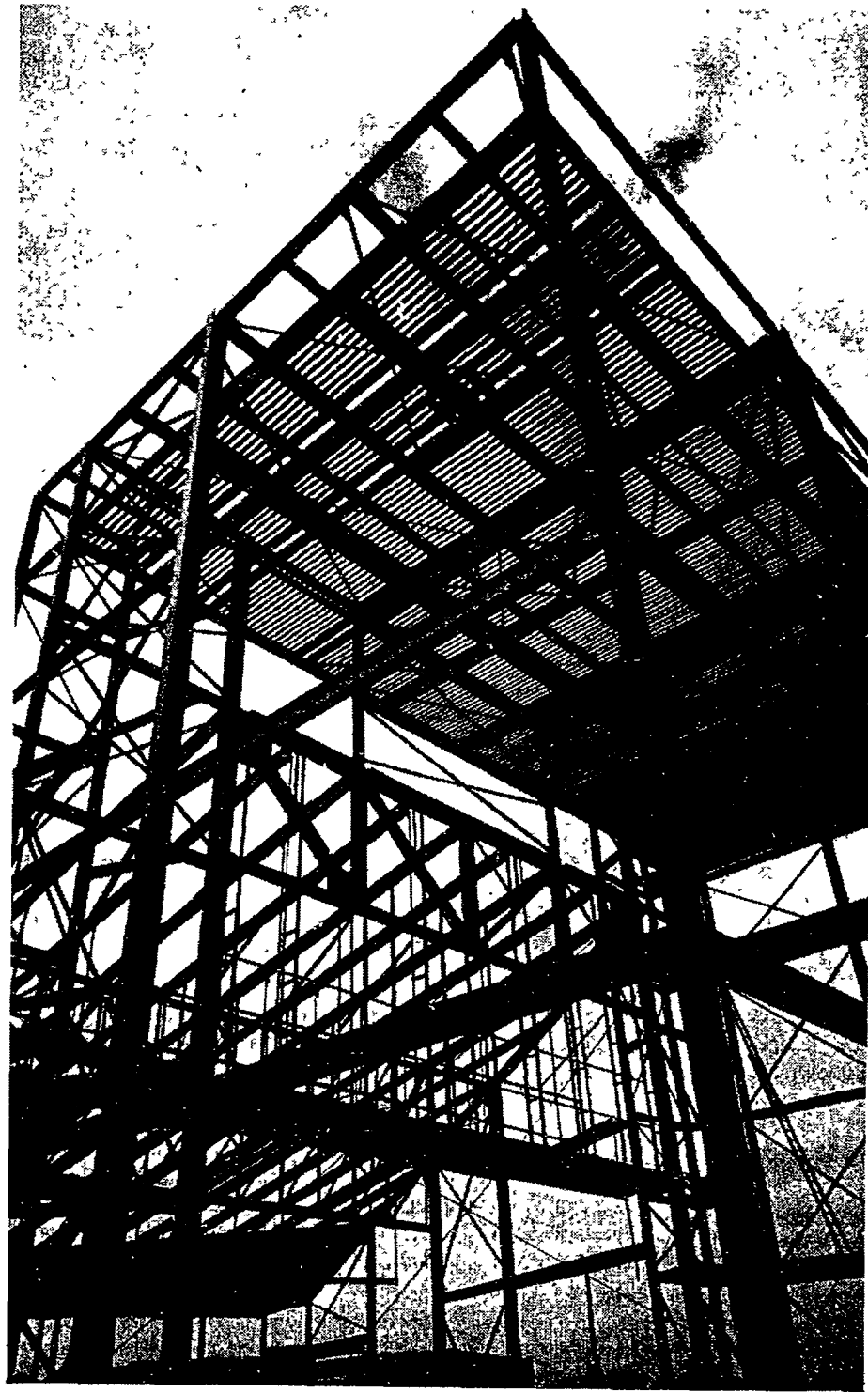
Novi Council last week named Audrey Murphy to replace Muri Schmitz on the Board of Appeals.

Schmitz, in a letter to the chairman of the board of appeals, advised that he is accepting employment with another company in St. Joseph, Michigan and would be moving to that area following completion of the school year in Novi.

Mrs. Murphy was named on the first vote in secret balloting to the position.

Council also received a letter from James Cherfoli advising that due to increased business commitments, he was resigning his position on the Novi Planning Board.

Council approved advertising for applicants to be interviewed for the position.



Setting the Stage

No, it's not one of those modern sculptures. Shown is the steelwork already in place at the new Novi High School auditorium. Planned to have a well-equipped stage area, the auditorium will someday be available for use for community type productions. The building in the background of the picture is the new Novi Public Library.

## Novi Attendance Areas Set

Continued from Novi, I  
necessary expansion from that new subdivision.

In addition, also approved was a recommendation that the present Novi Elementary

not be used for regular elementary classrooms during the 1976-77 school year. However, it is to continue to house the High School Alternative Education Program as well as the present pre-school education program. It will provide warehouse space and the community building will continue to be used by the citizens of Novi.

Board also approved soliciting quotations for the rental of a one-classroom and a two-classroom relocatable unit for the high school.

the site by the December, 1976 deadline.

However, if Dayton Hudson is worried about sewer and water, officials there are trying not to show it. When questioned by the Novi News during a press conference at the groundbreaking for the mall last week, the vice president in charge of development replied that Dayton Hudson does not feel there will be any problem getting water and sewer to the project on time.

Meanwhile, Novi City Council continued the local process, approving resolution two setting April 12 for a public hearing on the Novi Road water main and the Dayton Hudson water line. It also set the same date for the Meadowbrook Manor water main.

Council also agreed to allow the Oakland County Drain Commission to bond for the Dayton Hudson sanitary sewer and the 10 Mile-Taft sewer.

The Drain Commission has already agreed to a public hearing April 24 at which it will determine the necessity of both projects and, consequently, if bonding should be approved.

# Novi Approves School Landscaping

Novi School Board last week gave approval to \$125,000 in bids for phase five of the new Novi High School.

Main discussion centered on certain landscaping changes which were suggested initially by sculptor John Chaffee and then recommended by the Art Committee for New Construction. Changes recommended included the placing of berms and trees near the high school entrance which may have an effect in helping stop the wind.

The committee also suggested three 20 foot flagpoles instead of the original 60 foot in the plans. Also recommended was increasing the width of the sidewalks.

Some board members appeared worried that the additional \$14,000 for the landscaping changes was unnecessary.

"Is this the best place to be spending \$14,000," asked member Joel Colliau. "We've cut an awful lot. I want to make sure we're not building a monument to a piece of sculpture."

Colliau was referring to the fact that Chaffee has been commissioned to create two pieces of sculpture for outside of the high school.

"The plan will provide us with a beautifully landscaped building," commented Assistant Superintendent Dr.

William Barr. "Many schools do not do this, figuring they will add on as they go along."

Dr. Helen Ditzhazy, Novi High School Principal, pointed out that the wider walkways are necessary so that students will not wear out the grass immediately adjacent to the thinner sidewalks.

"After we spend \$12 million, I have no quarrel about spending an extra \$4,500," said member Terrance Jolly of the landscaping costs other than sidewalks. "I think a berm aesthetically looks great. I hate to see a sea of cement around a building."

Board approved change order 28 which included an add of \$66 to Structural Fabricators, \$7,543 to Waterford Construction, \$789 to Kosorski and \$401 to Cadillac Asphalt.

Included in other bids accepted were other costs for landscaping of \$4,499 to Green

Ridge Nursery and \$800 to Anglin for site grading.

Those other bids which were accepted were:

Jack B. Anglin Company \$14,992 (plus \$800 alternate) for site grading;

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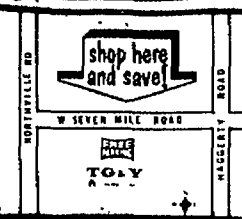
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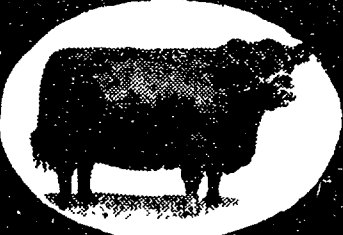
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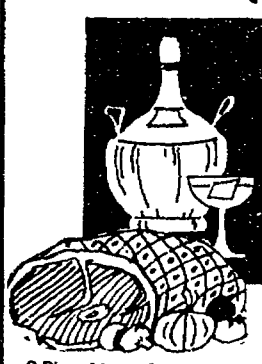
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## Obituaries

### Service Set Today For Dr. Moerke

Dr. Georgine Adolph Moerke, a retired chemist from Maybury Sanatorium who assisted in early research with the tubercle-bacillus, died March 21 after a brief illness.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. today (Wednesday) at Casterline Funeral Home, Incorporated. Today would have been her 74th birthday as she was born March 24, 1902, in Mosinee, Wisconsin, to Adolph W. and Mary (Sims) Moerke.

The Reverend Guenther Branstner of Northville First United Methodist Church is officiating at the service. Private interment will be at Rural Hill Cemetery.

Dr. Moerke came to Northville in 1934. She worked in the pathology department at Maybury under Dr. Eugene Woodruff and was widely recognized for her TB research work.

She received her doctor's degree in chemistry from the University of Chicago and was granted membership in its Emeritus Club in June, 1972, the 50th anniversary of her graduation.

She was a member of the Biochemical Society of London, England, and at one time was a member of the Northville branch of the Woman's National Farm and Garden Association and the Northville Camera Club.

Dr. Moerke traveled widely and lived in Northville on Lake Street until recently. At the time of her death she was a patient at Whitehall Convalescent Home in Novi.

She leaves six cousins, Mrs. Naomi Wyman and John D. Moerke of Wisconsin, Mrs. Laura Vogt of Minnesota, Mrs. Mary S. Durnin, Paul Sims and John F. Sims, all of Oregon.

WALTER WILCZEWSKI, JR.

Funeral services were held Tuesday for Walter J. Wilczewski, Jr., 39, of Northville Township, who drowned in a canoe mishap on Cass River March 18.

Father Francis C. Byrne of Our Lady of Good Counsel Church in Plymouth officiated at the service at 11:30 a.m. at Ross B. Northrop and Son

Funeral Home in Northville.

Interment was in Riverside Cemetery in Plymouth.

A resident of the area since 1962, Mr. Wilczewski was a real estate salesman with Chamberlain Realtors.

He was born November 19, 1936, in Frankenmuth to Walter and Leocadia (Kowalewski) Wilczewski.

He married Phyllis Bungee November 24, 1962.

In addition to his widow, he leaves his father of Plymouth; a daughter, Ronnee Jean Harrell of Kalamazoo; sons, Richard and Jeffrey Bell of Northville; and a brother, Robert Wilczewski of Riverton, Wyoming.

#### BERTHA M. ROBINSON

Bertha M. Robinson of Wixom died Sunday, March 14 at her home at the age of 77.

A resident of Wixom for the past 20 years, Mrs. Robinson was born in Brant Center, Michigan. A homemaker, she was a member of the Crossroads Presbyterian Church in Walled Lake.

Mrs. Robinson is survived by her husband, Frank.

Services were held Wednesday, March 17 at Richardson-Bird & Lynch Funeral Home with burial at Wixom Cemetery.

#### ROBERT TANNER

Robert W. Tanner of Novi died Tuesday, March 9, at Henry Ford Hospital at the age of 32 following a short illness.

Originally from London, Canada, Mr. Tanner attended Cooley High School in Detroit and then Wayne State University. He became production manager for Dansico Associates in Southfield and was on the board of directors of Southeastern Michigan Shoppers Cooperative Association.

Mr. Tanner was a member of the South Lyon Players.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Tanner, wife, Jacquelyn, and daughter, Julie.

Services were held at New Hudson United Methodist Church Friday, March 12, with burial at Oakland Hills Memorial Park.



**GUATEMALA CLOTHING**—Foreign Language Club students and teacher Ann Mann from the Novi Middle School display some of the boxes of goods which they gathered to be sent to Guatemala to help earthquake victims. Items received from the student body included clothing, dry foods,

kitchen utensils, books and even a small mattress. Looking over the goods are (front row left) Debbie Lear, Diane Epstein, Lynne Conway, Tammy Plunkett (back row) Mary Murphy, Treena Smith, Mrs. Mann and Dena Christman.

## Novi Rezoning Will Permit Garage

One zoning amendment was approved while a second was nixed recently by Novi Council.

Receiving the unanimous approval of council was a request by Joseph Widak to rezone a .9 acre parcel of land located on the east side of Novi Road between Galway Drive and Nine Mile from B-3 General Commercial to I-1 Light Industrial.

Widak, operator of the Shell Service Station on Novi Road near the I-96 expressway, asked for the rezoning so that he could construct and operate a general repair service garage.

While little objection was voiced by either council members or residents to the business itself, some nearby residents did question whether there would be proper landscaping and

buffer and whether the character of Novi was being gradually changed to something less than desirable.

Planning Consultant Charles Cairns recommended the rezoning.

While the Widak proposal was receiving approval, a request from Paul Bosco to rezone 11.2 acres near the southwest corner of Novi Road and the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad from I-1 Light Industrial to I-2 General Industrial received no support.

A representative of Bosco told the council that the strip of land is not usable as I-1 because of its width and that it is hardly saleable under its present zoning because there is so much unused I-1 property in the city.

Council member Romaine

Roethel, who moved for denial, pointed out that the land was originally zoned I-1 so it could be a buffer between the I-2 General Industrial to the east and the residential Novi Heights subdivision to the west. She also questioned a report from the planning consultant recommending the rezoning, explaining that

The request by Bosco was unanimously denied, 5-0. Mayor Gilbert Henderson abstained because he lives in Novi Heights, backing up to the proposed zoning change.

## Walled Lake Programs Explain Millage Request

A series of opportunities for citizens to discuss the Walled Lake School District's upcoming millage election will be offered during the next couple of weeks.

A direct telephone line and Open House with School Board members will be held on Saturday, March 27, and Saturday, April 3, from Noon to 5 p.m. Interested citizens can visit with Board members at the Administration Building, 695 North Pontiac Trail or call them at 624-4801.

A direct telephone line with Superintendent Don P. Sheldon will be held on Monday, March 29, through Friday, April 2, from 1 p.m. to 9 p.m. The number to call is 624-2265.

In addition, meetings at the district's school buildings will be held as follows:

March 24—Loon Lake Elementary, Multipurpose Room, 7:30 p.m.

March 25—Wixom Elementary Multipurpose Room, 8:00 p.m.; Central High School Cafeteria, 8:00 p.m.;

March 29—Walled Lake Elementary Multipurpose Room, 7:30 p.m.;

March 30—Oakley Park Elementary Multipurpose Room, 7:30 p.m.;

March 30—Keith Elementary Multipurpose Room, 7:30 p.m.;

April 1—C. H. Smart Junior High Cafeteria, 7:30 p.m.



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## Colleges Announce Graduates, Honors

### ...At MSU

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They are:

Judy A. Jackson, 21485 Silchester, Northville, bachelor of arts in social work; Michael McDonald, 38097 Tralee Trail, Northville, bachelor of arts, insurance; John K. Hildebrand, 39940 Grand River, Novi, bachelor of science in psychology; Thomas E. Hildebrand, 39940 Grand River, Novi, master of business administration; and Robert W. Hickcox, 1987 Teaneck Circle, Wixom, master of arts in educational administration.

Russell E. Train, administrator of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency,

delivered the commencement address.

Commencement exercises were held in the MSU Auditorium.

### ...At Ferris

Donna Lee Robertson, 44019 Stassen, Novi, was elected to membership in Rho Chi, National Pharmacy Honor Society at Ferris State College.


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# Tax Hike Proposals Face Area Residents

Tax increases . . . or the possibility of tax increases are high on the agenda of this Bicentennial year.

Four or more propositions will be put to Northville voters in 1976 beginning, of course, with the Saturday, April 3, Northville school millage election.

Here are three other millage proposals to be put to voters:

- Tuesday, May 18—Northville Township will be deciding one or more millage increase proposals, which have not yet been formulated, on this Presidential Primary Election ballot.

- Tuesday, May 18—Also appearing on the Presidential Primary Election ballot will be a county proposal calling for a five-tenths of a mill increase, or \$0.50 per \$1,000 of state equalized valuation, to pay for a new Wayne County Jail.

- Monday, June 14—A proposal to raise Schoolcraft College millage from 1.77 to 2.30 mills, an increase of \$0.53 cents per \$1,000 of state equalized valuation.

In addition, the Oakland County Road

Commission is strongly recommending that a 2-mill road improvement package be presented to voters at the general election on Tuesday, November 2.

The county and township May 18 proposals are dependent on the outcome of a lawsuit seeking to halt the primary election unless the state comes up with the money to pay for it.

The special Northville school election ballot will, contain two questions. One will ask renewal of an expiring 17-mill levy, while the other will ask for an additional 3.9 mills.

Both millage proposals are for operational purposes.

Although no decision had been made by township officials going into yesterday's (Tuesday) budget hearing, it appears the board is favoring several questions specifically earmarking millage for departmental operations such as police, recreation and library.

One official has tossed out the idea that the questions might call for a one to two mill increase for

the police-fire department, one-half mill increase for the library, and one-half mill for the recreation department.

Whatever millage proposals are decided upon, revenues from these levies — if voters approve them — will not be generated in time to fund the new 1976-77 budget. The additional taxes would not start coming in until next January.

The county jail proposal was agreed upon unanimously by the Wayne County Board of Commissioners last week Thursday. It suggests a five-year millage increase to provide a new jail for the county, which is under court order to provide jail improvement.

The proposition has been written in such a way that the county may either build a new facility or purchase an old building and convert it to a jail.

Among other proposals being considered is the possible conversion of the J.L. Hudson warehouse into a jail in downtown Detroit.

Money generated by this county tax increase would be for planning, land acquisition, and operation.

The proposed Schoolcraft tax increase is billed as an all-purpose millage intended principally for operation with a small amount for debt retirement.

With the increase, if it is approved by voters, the college's total levy will climb to 2.30 mills. This breaks down to 1.78 for operating, .099 for maintenance, .049 for equipment, and .37 for debt retirement.

According to college officials, the actual debt retirement need is .66, so a deficit of .29 mills will occur.

In addition to the millage increase proposal, the college is planning a \$10 million major building program to provide for the expansion of the culinary arts program, a new learning resource center (library), and a fine arts facility.

This bond issue, however, will not go to the voters since the board has the authority to undertake it without voter approval.

If the Oakland County road proposal becomes a reality, only those persons living in the Oakland County section of Northville will vote on it — along with other communities in Oakland County, of course.

No. major improvements are planned in Northville as part of the proposal. See Page 5-C story on the road improvement program being suggested.

## Quicker for Fire-Fighting

## Novi Okays Mini-Pumper Purchase

Within half a year, the Novi Fire Department could have in use a new mini-pumper with improved maneuverability over the current full-size pumpers.

Approval to go out for bids for the mini-pumper was given by Novi Council last week. In addition, the council approved seeking bids for a mini-computer and approved purchase of three police cars to be stockpiled.

The mini-pumper, according to Fire Chief Duane Bell, will carry 250 gallons and Bell said that because of the better maneuverability of the 4-wheel drive truck, it could be more effective in getting to the scene of a fire quickly and extinguishing it quickly than the larger conventional pumpers.

Decision to purchase the pumper apparently came after an attempt by the fire department to have the old American LaFrance pumper recertified for use and overhauled fell through. According to Bell, because the LaFrance was purchased in 1940, the group charged with certifying fire equipment refuses to recertify the LaFrance. Bell said, however, that the LaFrance may be given a minor overhaul and used as a back-up pumper.

Cost of the mini-pumper will be \$23,000-\$24,000, according to Bell. He noted that \$10,000 was set aside in the current budget for fire

equipment plus \$15,000 for revamping the LaFrance and Bell recommended combining those accounts to pay for the new pumper.

Council member Martha Hoyer voiced concern on whether the city had enough fullsize trucks, but Bell indicated that would not be a problem. In a letter to the council, he had noted "This vehicle would be used for minor emergency calls, such as coverage of freeway accidents, rescue work, investigations and situations where the larger pumpers would not be required. It would answer all emergency calls in conjunction with the larger pumpers."

Council approved unanimously going out for bids on the mini-pumper. Delivery will take 4-6 months following acceptance of bids.

Council also approved seeking bids on a mini-computer to allow further mechanization — of — the accounting department, "which has the capabilities of producing financial statements," according to Finance Director Fred Todd.

The unavailability of financial statements to help guide the council in spending of monies has long been a complaint of the council which the new mini-computer apparently will remedy.

Cost is expected to be \$22,000 to \$30,000 plus an additional programming charge. The manufacturer

will provide programming, said Todd. However, he said current personnel can operate the machine.

Because auto makers annually stop construction of police cars, Novi council authorized purchase of three

police cars to be stockpiled. The cars are to be purchased at the same price as two others recently purchased police cars from Colony Chrysler Plymouth — \$4,244. Council unanimously approved the move.

## OK Sewer Fund Switch

Approval was given last week by Novi Council to transfer \$65,000 from the Huron Rouge sewer fund to the Walled Lake Arm sewer Fund.

Reason for the transfer was to make principal and interest payments due April 1 to Oakland County on the Walled Lake Arm.

According to City Manager Edward Kriewall, the city has borrowed from the fund previously. Main reason for the, shortage, is a high delinquency rate for payment

from contracts with some developers. Finance Director Fred Todd noted also that there is a lower than expected development rate in the area.

Todd said that the delinquent payments will be added on as delinquent taxes. Oakland County reimburses

local communities for delinquent taxes and then goes after the delinquent taxpayers.

The loan is to be repaid by mid-July. Council unanimously approved the temporary loan.

## Reserve Space

## For Gala Days

Persons interested in renting space in the merchants' tent at the annual Novi Jaycee Gala Days, June 24-27 have until May 1 to do so, according to Robert Hartson, chairman of the merchant tent committee.

The event is to be held at 10 Mile and Meadowbrook roads. Persons interested in renting space can call Hartson at 477-8896.

## List Personnel Changes In Novi School System

Several personnel recommendations were approved by Novi School Board last Thursday.

Request for maternity leave of absence was approved for Village Oaks teachers Ruth Watson and Pamela Conger. Resignation for leave status was approved for speech therapist Gail Siskin. Request for return from leave status was granted for elementary teachers Diane Harmon and Kay Tartar.

The board, at the recommendation of the administration, did not approve a request for extension of maternity leave for Gail McIntyre who is now living in Texas.

The board accepted the resignation of Robert Campien as Village Oaks Custodian and approved employment of Roger Picon for that position. Also hired under the CETA program were Kevin and Kerry Cook while hired as a noon aid was Linda Hellwege.



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## Aims to Fix Flaws In Business Tax

State Senator Daniel Cooper, Democrat from the 15th District, has co-sponsored legislation to correct one of the major inequities of the recently enacted Single Business Tax.

"The Single Business Tax was rushed through the legislature so that the state treasury could benefit from a one time windfall of \$180 million due to a new tax collection timetable," said Cooper. "Unfortunately, not enough attention was given to the actual language of the bill and we are now beginning to pay the penalty for our hasty action."

Cooper, Chairman of the Senate Commerce Committee, opposed the rapid approval of the bill on the grounds that it was not well written or adequately researched.

"One of the major flaws in the new tax law is that businesses with low profit levels or actually losing money have to pay the full tax," he said. "I've co-sponsored legislation that would require a certain net profit before the tax is applicable and would partially diminish the amount of tax owed."

There are other problem areas with the Single Business Tax as well," said Cooper.

"Some school districts are losing tax revenues that they received under the old tax laws that have now been repealed."

"Many small and medium sized businesses are on the verge of closing up shop because of the unfair tax burden imposed on them by this new tax structure," he said.

"I am still not convinced that this tax system is the best method of levying taxes on Michigan businesses," said Cooper. "As Chairman of the Senate Commerce Committee, I will be working with tax experts, labor and business groups and other interested parties to work out any further alterations in the business tax structure that become necessary."

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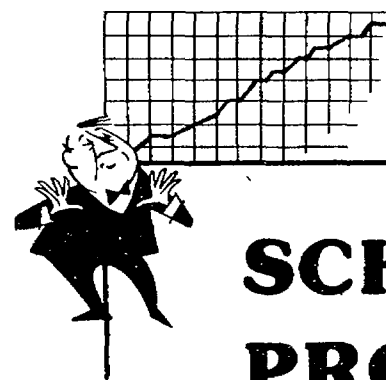
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## SCHOOLS AFFECT PROPERTY VALUES

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It makes sense to vote a few dollars more in taxes each month to continue quality education for our children, and to maintain the value of our homes and property.

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Senator Carl Pursell forwarded to me recently the results of a Gallup poll dealing with "Attitudes of College Students on Political, Social and Economic Issues".

An introductory comment in the report written by George Gallup notes that "both the interviewers in the field and our own staff regard this as one of the most interesting survey projects that we have carried out. This accurately reflects my own feelings".

The survey was conducted in 1975. It included 904 interviews with students enrolled in 57 colleges and universities across the nation. Students were chosen in approximately equal numbers from each of the four classes — freshman through senior years.

In addition, two special samples were studied for comparison purposes: Oklahoma Christian College and an Ivy League University.

The chief aim of the survey was to discover the changes that occur in attitudes as students advance from freshman to senior year in college. And as a contrast to the typical campus, the Christian College (OCC) and Ivy League schools were selected to see what differences might exist.

In brief, here are some of the findings that proved most interesting to both Senator Pursell and the Gallup pollsters.

**Political Attitudes** — College students identify themselves as "independents" far more than the adult population of the nation. Half put themselves in this category. Those aligning themselves with either major party found the ratio of Democrats to Republicans approximately two-to-one (32 per cent to 15 per cent). Even at the beginning of their college careers, students have moved slightly towards the Democrats as judged by their father's typical voting behavior.

On a conservative-liberal scale a rather strong shift towards the left during four college years is indicated. As freshmen 30 per cent place themselves left of center or far left; 24 per cent describe themselves as right of center or far right. By the senior year the two percentages have shifted to 53 per cent and 20 per cent, respectively.

The question of the death penalty for murder brought the following results: Ivy University—80 per cent against, 13 per cent for; all colleges—59 per cent opposed, 35 per cent for; and OCC, 62 per cent in favor of the death penalty, 36 opposed.

**Religious Beliefs** — In their freshman year a total of 79 per cent of all college students rate their religious beliefs "very important" or "fairly important". By the senior year the percentage choosing either of these two responses falls to 66 per cent.

Church attendance follows a similar pattern: 40 per cent of the freshmen say they attend weekly, 37 per cent of the sophomores, 29 per cent of the juniors, and 23 per cent of the seniors. At the Ivy school the figure was 18 percent and at OCC, 100 per cent.

Belief in life after death stands at 93 per cent with OCC students, 65 per cent of the total college sample, and 47 per cent at the Ivy campus. Belief in God or a universal spirit shows a 100 per cent sample at OCC, 88 per cent in the total college sample, and 68 per cent in the Ivy League university.

**Moral Attitudes** — 18 per cent of all college students sampled regard sexual relations before marriage to be wrong; 9 per cent of the Ivy students and 83 per cent at OCC of those interviewed say it is wrong. 54 per cent of all college students would

legalize marijuana, 68 per cent at the Ivy League, but 90 per cent at OCC opposed it. Use of alcoholic beverages was approved by 77 per cent of all students, 82 per cent Ivy and 5 per cent of OCC.

Smoking cigarettes rated lower at the Ivy campus than the all-college sample, 25 per cent to 33 percent. Only 6 per cent at OCC approved smoking.

Those in favor of abortion under all circumstances ranges from 24 per cent at OCC to 65 per cent at all colleges and 83 per cent in the Ivy League school.

**Attitudes Toward Business** — The honesty and ethical standards of some 11 different professions, including business executives, found only 19 per cent giving the group a "high" or "very high" rating. By the same scale college teachers are given a rating of 69 per cent. OCC rated the business group at 30 per cent, while Ivy League students gave the group a top rating of 11 per cent.

Ralph Nader tops Henry Kissinger, President Ford or Ted Kennedy with all college students including Ivy. But OCC rates him far below President Ford, Ronald Reagan or Kennedy.

In knowledge of the free enterprise system the students didn't score very high. For example, a sample of high school students indicated a belief that profit by a typical large national corporation is approximately 30 per cent. College juniors and seniors place the figure at 45 per cent and believe that a fair profit would be 25 per cent.

In its conclusions the Gallup survey had these observations. They are quoted directly here for reader consideration.

"It is difficult to pin-point the reasons why students tend toward the liberal viewpoint during their four years in college. Events, and particularly the kind experienced in the U.S. during the last few years — Vietnam, Watergate, the energy crisis, the recession-depression — have obviously influenced many."

"Great influence is exerted by the professors. About one-third of the college students interviewed said that their teachers had influenced their political views. And when asked to describe the political views of these teachers who had influenced them, those left of center (except in the case of OCC students) had far more impact on their thinking than those right of center."

"Patterns of thinking clearly emerge in this survey. Those at the left side of the political spectrum are discouraged about the future of the U.S. They hold in low esteem almost all of America's institutions including business. They have few heroes on the current political scene. They are the least happy with the nation and with themselves. They even give lower ratings to their own fathers and mothers. They are the most skeptical about religion and God's omniscience. They have the lowest morals."

"Whether this is a mood that will change remains to be seen. But one conclusion can be drawn. The students who have the greatest confidence in the nation and its institutions, respect for religion, and their own family life, tend to take a center or right position, politically, on most issues."

"Finally, this survey presents cogent evidence that the four years that typical students spend in typical colleges and universities tend to disillusion them about their country and to increase their alienation with its institutions."

## Speaking for Myself

# My Candidate For President . . .

## HUMPHREY . . .

In all recent polls taken, Hubert Humphrey is more popular than any of the actively running Democrats. The reason for the "happy warrior's" popularity is that he is the only active Democratic candidate that can unite labor, blacks, farmers, and the many other factions that make up the Democratic Party.

Hubert Humphrey certainly has experience. As a member of the Senate since 1948, and Vice President under President Johnson in 1964, he has the credentials that would make him an excellent president.

Presently he is chairman of the Joint Economic Committee. He not only knows economics but he understands it. He is chief spokesman for his Party's program on national health insurance, long term energy and economic planning.

Humphrey's major concern is unemployment. With unemployment around eight per cent nationally this will be a key issue in the 1976 campaign.

Humphrey has a proven record as an elder statesman. He is respected by both Democrats and Republicans, and is frequently sought after for advice.

You hear a lot of people saying '76 is the year for Humphrey. Recently when President Ford was asked who he considered his most likely opponent, he replied, "Hubert Humphrey."

With too many candidates and too many primaries, Hubert H. Humphrey is the logical choice for the Democrats in 1976.

Tom Mazzares  
Pinckney

## JACKSON . . .

Senator Henry "Scoop" Jackson, Washington Democrat, emerges from most serious talks on the several candidates in the race for the Democratic nomination for president in this election year. History has given very definite lessons in the past and most talk stops short of commitment or endorsement at this point in time.

Those leaders in Democratic circles, union leaders, and on down through the various levels can quote many reasons and qualifications for "Scoop" Jackson, as he is commonly called by his partisan colleagues.

After 34 years in the service to Americans and his opposition to tactics like the witch hunt of the Un-American Activities Committee, his stand for the abolishment of the poll tax, and in the early 50's he strove to have a watchdog placed on CIA activities.

Scoop Jackson has been titled the most effective Senator in a poll taken by a Ralph Nader organization of the legislative assistants. Senator Jackson has led the way and discussion for the nation in energy, human rights, environment, trade, the economy, and detente. His stand on these subjects has caused him to be named the most powerful Democrat in America and one of the ten most popular and admired men in the world.

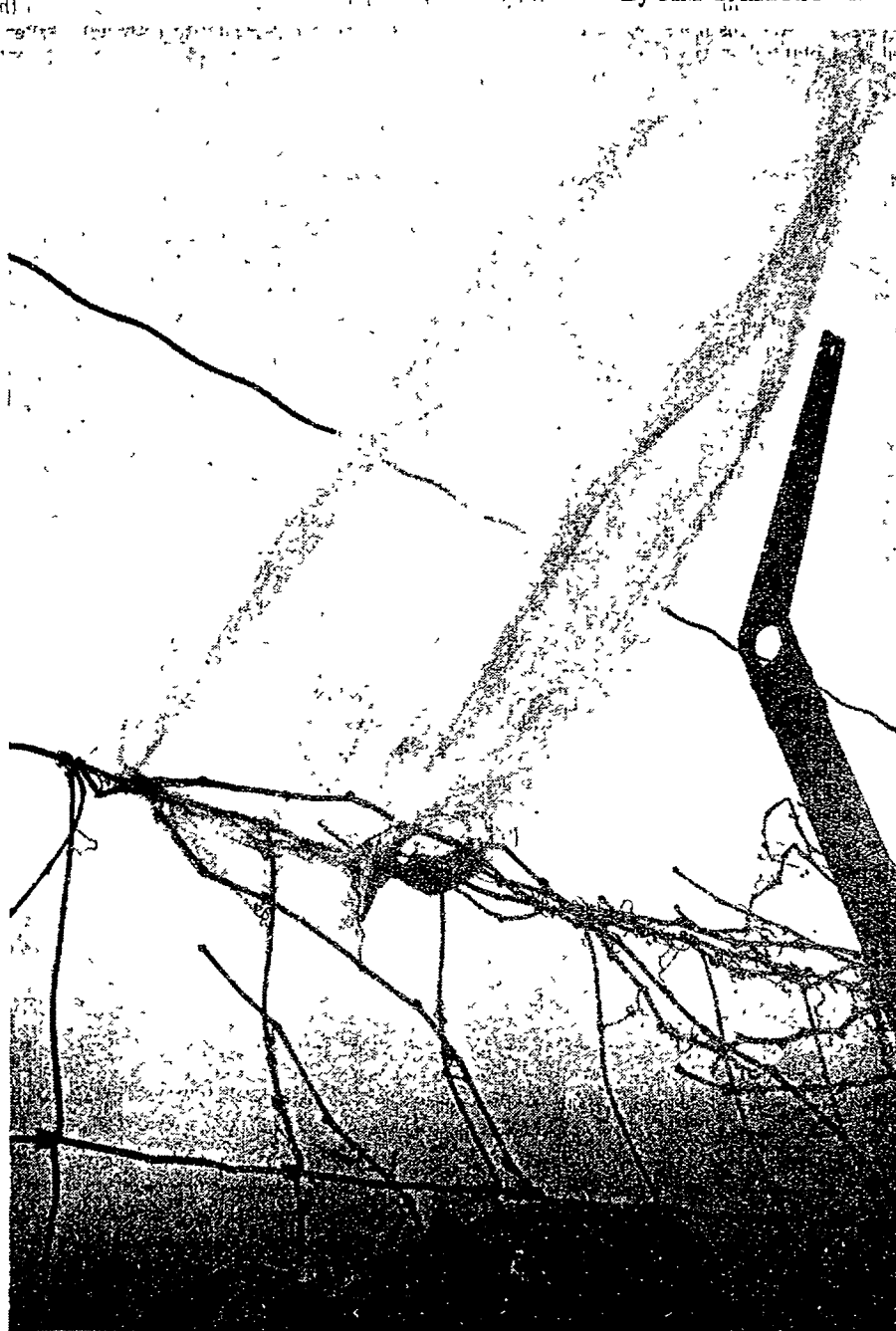
Senator Henry Jackson in his 1970 election polled an 83.9 percent victory and led all two party races for senator or governor. This speaks well for the charisma, leadership, competence, and devotion he has displayed in the government of America.

George E. Johns  
Wixom

## Editorials... a page for expressions ...yours and ours

### Photographic Sketches . . .

By JIM GALBRAITH



On The Fence

### Readers Speak

## Revolutionary Returns

To the Editor:

Revolution means war and change. 200 years ago this country was founded after a revolution. I think it is time for war again. This time for a

war on crime, diseases,

poverty and ignorance. The two letters that appeared after my first, missed the whole point. The time is ripe for a change and

yet the people who belong to the Historical Society are investing valuable time, money and energy renovating some old building with little historical significance. Some

people of Northville refuse to admit to problems here. It is much more pleasant to look to the past and the "good ole days."

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The dictionary describes her as a "fastidious devotee of good food and drink."

Her family thinks she is a super mom and wife, and her fellow students at Schoolcraft College think she is a whiz; they call her "our President."

Anyway you look at it, Pamela Michael of Garden City is a 32-year-old sophomore at Schoolcraft in the college's prestigious culinary arts program. Mother of four, she decided late to go back to school. She chose culinary arts "because my hobby was decorating cakes." To get into the school, of course, Pam had to get on the two-year (sometimes the wait is as long as three years) waiting list.

A little sensitive about her age, Pam quickly points out "I'm the oldest; most of the students in culinary arts are from 20 to 25 years old."

Pam isn't sure what she will do when she finishes school, although she would like to get into teaching or into food management. The opportunity is excellent. Graduates of the two-year culinary arts program have a wide assortment of jobs to choose from; some students, however, go on for four-year degrees in such schools as hotel management at MSU.

President of the students' Gourmet Club, Pam is in charge of the fantastic spread that the club lays on the public four times a year.

If you were one of the fortunate ones able to find tickets for last week's Bicentennial Buffet you know of what I speak. The food was outstanding, the \$7.50 price a bargain. Next month's Gourmet Club extravaganza, which will carry a French theme, has been sold out for weeks. Nearly 600 will attend.

These banquets are not advertised.

The next banquet will take place next October. Chances are it will carry a German theme. If you've never been to one of the gourmet meals that you've been hearing about, Pam's advice is to call the culinary arts department and reserve your October tickets now.

These meals are student productions, including the selection of the theme, selection and purchase of the vegetables and meats, selection of wines, cooking and baking of everything, contracting for music, design and construction of displays (last week's ice carvings and animal fat sculpture were beautiful) and the serving.

It's a completely absorbing and enjoyed activity for club members, who view it as an important learning experience. Many return after graduation to assist. One former student, now at MSU, hurried through his schedule at East Lansing so he could spend much of the day last week working at Schoolcraft on the Bicentennial Buffet.

Profits are used by the club to fund student scholarships and student loans, to support a needy child in South America, to finance educational trips (last year students went to the Chicago Food Show), and to purchase club and food service accouterments.

The Gourmet Club participates in culinary arts shows. Most recently, it and its members won Best in Show at the Food Service Executives Association Show February 26. Schoolcraft also won five first

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## Readers Speak

### Don't Forget Outhouses

To the Editor:  
"Revolutionary" rapped the Historical Society and the following week two readers rapped "Revolutionary" and now history is about to be made because with your permission, I being a pilgrim, ask for equal space.

I am in sympathy with the two opposing factions for each has valid and sound reasons to feel as they do. However, I place to the fore priorities and as God is my Judge I can't find any merit for spending money on Mill Race Historical Village unless — unless old Main Street School is going to be part of it. After all, that, too — the first school of its kind — is also part of Northville's history and something that we can show children when they ask, "what was old Northville like?"

It's a little ridiculous isn't it? Our children today are suffering — accept it or not — because of financial straits in our school system and yet some people are more concerned about children of the future. But won't these yet unborn children be more appreciative of their forefathers if monies are spent to provide them adequate schools, teachers, and programs to assure them a place in life?

Sure, maybe Poppa and Momma got a big brick with their name on it but I wonder if our kids today don't feel like pulling these bricks out of the wall and rapping these lovers of "history."

History lovers have in our area two great places to visit: Greenfield Village and the Detroit Historical Museum and all that Northville "was" can be seen there.

The point is our kids today need help — but I can hear the cry — "Pilgrim, taxes help schools — our \$350.00 per brick won't even make a dent in the needed funds."

O.K. — I got someplace else more worthy than the wall to give your money to — give to the George Berryman Fund — an "old" teacher that would really appreciate any support he can get because it means life and what can be more beautiful than that?

I do not take issue with lovers of history. I told you

## Impressed

To the Editor:  
As a past, present, and future part-time board and administration critic and skeptic in general, I am relieved at last to be involved in a positive, action oriented group. The Citizens' Advisory Committee has been an unrealized need for several years. It works, and it will continue to do so.

I am genuinely impressed with the credibility, integrity, and perhaps most important, the independent action of the C.A.C., am proud of my association with the group, and intend to remain active in supporting those principles of its existence following the current millage campaign.

I urge the public to investigate the conclusions and recommendations of the C.A.C., to become well informed on the millage issue by attending one of the C.A.C. presentations, and to help support Northville's children with two "yes" votes on Saturday, April 3.

Yours very truly,  
Stephanie B. Ruiter

## Hats Off

To the Editor:  
"Hats off", for an outstanding job by four Amerman teachers on their presentation of "Spirit of '76". They not only came in to work early, gave up their lunch hour and recess time and stayed endless hours after school to work on the props, but also wrote the script to the play that Thursday night received a standing ovation.

The many months of hard work by students, teachers and volunteer moms was evident last week as this play was presented five times throughout the week.

Our sincere thanks, appreciation and gratitude to all who worked so hard to make this Bicentennial play something we will all long remember.

"Appreciative Patron"

that I'm a Pilgrim and I can prove that my people have a history of over 2,500 years and to preserve culture and heritage is a great thing. But if the Mill Race Historical Society doesn't renovate an outhouse and

## Let's Stop Inflation

To the Editor:  
The Walled Lake Consolidated Schools are again asking for a millage increase. None since 1969.

If state refused five times why keep asking. Elections cost money. We have depleted our escrow fund through continued tax increases. We are residents here for sixteen years.

Why not work within their budget? Have you ever considered cutting teachers salaries, and why do they need three trustees? If you cut salaries you could still keep all teachers. In past years teachers saw a bright child and financed his way through college. Our Intermediate school had a swimming pool.

## Vote Yes

To the Editor:

Tuesday, April 6, 1976, is a crucial day for students of the Walled Lake Consolidated School District. On that day the voters of the Walled Lake School District will be going to the polls to cast their vote on a millage issue of prime importance to their children.

While it is true that present times find many of us parents burdened by monetary pressures, by the same token it is also true that present times, more than ever before in our history, necessitate a pressing need for our children to have a complete and top-notch education.

While it is true that in trying to cut corners on our dollar output we may include education as one of those items that will have to "make the best of it", it is also true that in sacrificing any part of our child's education we are weakening the structure of our child's future in our ever-changing society.

Ben Franklin once said, "An investment in knowledge always pays the best interest." As a concerned parent of a Walled Lake School District student I would like to extend my personal appeal to all other concerned parents in our school district to invest in the knowledge of our most precious commodity — our children — by casting a "YES" vote on Proposals A and B.

Olga Piilo,  
Wixom

## Big Storm

To all of us:

I say hats off and a rousing cheer for those gallant heroes who by their whole hearted grit and perseverance have restored that mess that "Mother Nature" piled on us last week and brought hardship and what have you in the way of misery to all. At our senior citizens meeting March 10 I found that He dealt very lenient with us older ones by the large turnout that was there on such an inclement weatherly day.

That storm caused me to revive memories of my boyhood days on the farm where I was born. We used to get up in the dark and hustle out to the big fireplace in the big room of our log cabin and roast in front while freezing our back sides while dressing.

Us 'kids' had our "chores" to do every day consisting of cleaning the "coal oil" lamp chimneys with wadded up newspaper and trimming the wicks for the night time. Trimming wicks was quite an art in so far as one had to have a steady hand and true eye to get the right level on them.

Again let me say "Well done great and noble workmen of this complicated age we live in today." My hat is off to you for a job well done.

I hope our president is well on the road to recovery and that she will be with us at our next meeting. May we enjoy many more good times to come.

Pat Ellis,  
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place it in its place behind the Greek Revival and Victorian homes of their project the kids of the future won't know the truth when they ask, "What was Northville really like?"

Historically Yours,  
N. Nick Serkaian

None in high school. Only two-thirds of the building was built. So that ended our swimming lessons. There was no auditorium, either. After three years of high school depression prevented finishing the building so our graduation exercises had to be in another older high school because they had an auditorium.

Supreme Court decision requires public school districts to provide paper, pencils, and certain other supplies to students. During the "Great Depression" I gained my education. A brother of mine working in a factory for a small wage bought my books at the public school paying a little each month until he paid for them.

Not only the Board of Education needs money. We just voted in an increase for the fire department.

It's strange how the Catholic schools couldn't get help from the government for education. Many had to close but the public schools are always asking for more money. Now in comparison, I think the nuns make better teachers. Maybe we should hire them and they would work for lesser salaries.

Don't think I'm against education. Having taken a commercial course, I graduated with A's and B's, qualifying me for college. But supporting a parent deemed more necessary at the time.

We appreciated schools, libraries, parks, etc. Our pennies collected in school helped buy the statue of the "Thinking Man" in front of the Detroit Art Institute. A tree was planted in front of our intermediate school. It was we children who were proud to stand there, and then go home to say, "In front of our school we planted a tree, Mom."

With a high school diploma my first job was W.P.A. nursery schools at \$20.60 a week. My second job was in an office, private industry at \$16.50 a week. Heads of departments took cuts in salaries to hold their jobs.

"Let's Stop Inflation!"  
Mrs. Helen D. Warner  
Walled Lake

## Kids Great

To the Editor:  
I'm writing this letter to you hoping that you will let your readers know what a great group of kids we have right here in Northville.

All last year and this year they worked long and hard to put on shows for the elderly and children at Plymouth State.

On February 18 they were invited to Kitchener, Ontario where they appeared on C.K.C.O. TV and did such a fantastic job that they have been invited back.

I'm constantly reading about the bad things teenagers do. I think it would be nice to read about some of the good things. Thank you and hoping to hear from you soon.

Mrs. Poprovsky

## Revolutionary

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I did not say anything against the very beautiful older homes kept up by caring people who own them. I take my visitors down the streets I mentioned in my first letter. However, I do not intend to go on any more home tours, or buy again at the bazaar and will certainly never give \$350.00 for a brick on that wall.

You are right when you say "who needs you?" Most of the charities that I mentioned do. It is a matter of priorities and I place people and causes ahead of old empty buildings. I say fight for what you believe in. Up with people! Revolutionary

## News From Lansing

By R. Robert Geake  
State Representative



Television news viewers were somewhat startled one night last week to hear one of the major network station's commentators state that the county was planning to send inmates from the overcrowded Wayne County Jail to a building at Maybury Sanatorium. The statement was, of course, an error. The commentator should have said Wayne County General Hospital.

A quick check with authorities in Lansing assured me that Maybury is still safely in the hands of the State Department of Natural Resources and plans for its continued use as a state park for public recreation are intact.

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A bill to allow casino gambling in Detroit has been introduced in the House. Its backers claim a potential of \$250 million in revenue for the economy of Detroit and the State of Michigan if it becomes law.

The bill would allow four gambling operations in Detroit. They would be strictly licensed and regulated by a five member state commission appointed by the governor. The casinos would be limited to hotels and motels in the city who cater to the tourist and convention visitor.

The sponsor of the bill estimates that based on his studies, some 29,500 workers would be needed to run the casinos and help with the increased number of tourists coming to Detroit to visit the casinos. Thus, in addition to the tax revenues, the area could benefit by taking people off the unemployment and welfare rolls.

Opponents of the proposal say that casino gambling could become an attraction to criminals and also might compete with the state lottery and local race tracks for gambling dollars.

I will probably be required to vote on this bill in the coming months so your opinions beforehand will be most welcome.

## Artists Plan Show

Area artists are invited to exhibit works in a show planned by the new Plymouth Juried Art Society and co-sponsored by the Plymouth

## Cubs Stage Skit

A skit on Alaska was the entertainment provided by Northville Cub Scout Pack 902 for parents at the regular meeting held last Thursday at Silver Spring School.

Cast of the play included Jeff King, Jack Denning, Steve Stock, Frank Schugar, Paul Curtis, Stuart Bicknell, Kurt Schaldenbrand, Bill Baranowski, Keith Hale, Scott Martin and Mary Hale and Sandra Schaldenbrand

Parks and Recreation Department April 9 through 11.

The show, which will be held in the Plymouth Community Cultural Center, is planned as an annual event by the society. Composed of Plymouth and Northville area artists the new group was formed with the aim of presenting quality showings of area art.

Categories for the show are: oils, acrylics, water colors, pastels, collages, pen and ink, charcoal, mixed media and photography.

Entry forms must be submitted by April 1 and are available from Betty Manthey, chairman, 459-1839, or Audrey Paul, treasurer, 459-1265.

## Schools Slate Bike Safety Program

Autotmobile Club of Michigan's newest safety spokesman, a talking bicycle named "Alex the Always Alert," will be visiting Northville schools this week as part of a statewide program to reduce accidents involving bicyclists.

"Alex the Always Alert," is a specially-equipped, 10-speed bicycle with a face mounted on its handlebars and eyes that flash in cadence with a voice from a remote-controlled tape recorder mounted on the rear fender. Alex has a female counterpart named "Alice."

The six bikes developed by Auto Club's Safety and Traffic Engineering Department, will be seen by half the elementary school students in Michigan before school ends this year.

"Our talking bikes are the backbone of a safe bicycling program aimed at five- to 14-year-old youngsters, whose involvement in Michigan bicycle accidents has increased 54 percent in the last five years," stated Richard Roberts, Auto Club's

Northville-area manager.

"While bicycling is one of a youngster's favorite warm weather pastimes, improper riding techniques and failure to share the road safely with other vehicles can prove to be a very dangerous combination," said Roberts.

Five- to 14-year-olds in Michigan accounted for more than half of the 68 fatal and 4,728 bicycle injury accidents in 1974, Auto Club stated. (1975 figures are unavailable.)

Auto Club will conduct its safe bicycling program at Our

## CAC Opens Drive For Millage Support

The Citizens Advisory Committee — 1976 (CAC) tried out its slide presentation for the first time to an audience of some 100 Northville high school PTSO members last week (Wednesday, March 17).

Conducted by Tim Lemon, the CAC appeal for support of a 17-mill renewal and an addition of 3.9 mills for operating monies brought a host of questions but was generally considered a "success" by CAC committee members.

Six board of education members, the superintendent and several school administrators assisted in the response to many of the questions posed.

The PTSO session was hosted by its president, R. W. Bohn.

Among the questions posed by citizens was the matter of the 1.1-mill penalty that would be imposed under present state law if the 3.9 mill package were added to local

taxes. Administrators and board members expressed confidence the law would be amended so that no such penalty will exist. "We are asking for a full 3.9 mills because that's what we need. If we lost 1.1 mills, we would need to levy 5 mills," noted board member John Hobart.

CAC spokesman Lemon demonstrated by chart what the 17-mill renewal would provide and what programs could be expected with the 3.9 millage addition. Under both seven schools will operate (all but Main Street elementary) but teacher staff will be about 176 without the 3.9 and 200 with it making average class sizes jump from 28-30 to 32. The renewal millage alone, he pointed out, would not provide adequate funds for instructional equipment and would not allow programs of elementary art, music and physical education. It would limit course offerings in the middle and high schools and eliminate all extra-curricular

activities including sports. The 3.9 levy would provide these curtailed programs.

Expanded reading programs in the high school, additional books in the high school library, improved maintenance were among other improvements noted that would accompany a millage approval.

In answer to a question from the audience, high school counselors explained that they have about 425 students each to advise, that they meet with about 14 daily, and that they are willing to reserve time early or late in the day to accommodate parents.

The CAC millage presentations will be continued this week with programs scheduled tonight (Wednesday) at 8:00 p.m. at Meads Mill Middle School and at Our Lady of Victory school, and Thursday at 8:00 p.m. at Winchester. Next Tuesday noon, CAC will speak to the noon meeting of Rotary

## SPIDER Ponders Request for 3.9 Hike

While CAC-76, the board-appointed citizens advisory committee on school issues and millage, is busy promoting its package for passage in the April 3 election, SPIDER (Society of People Interested in Demanding Educational Responsibility) is pondering its position.

The independently-formed group has no argument with the 17-mill renewal proposal. It has given its support. But according to James Lewis, one of the group's spokesmen,

a poll on the 3.9 millage addition will be made to obtain reaction.

SPIDER has said it will make these views known for publication next week. Meanwhile, the group continues to receive questions regarding Northville's public education program and this week submitted the following list for board consideration.

1. Assuming passage of the 17-mill renewal millage, what priorities can be Board of Education spell out for spending the 3.9 "additional"

millage so the public can understand what it's getting, particularly at the high school? (For example, what priorities in regard to number of teachers and teacher-pupil ratio vs. basic courses, electives, sports, other extra curriculars, roof repairs, etc.?)

2. Why doesn't the Superintendent establish an annual list of goals and objectives (which includes staff thinking) and provide progress reports to staff, board and community? 3. After seven years, during which money was not always a problem, what does the Board plan to do about improving the areas in which we've been cited by North Central, such as too few and too poor quality library books, etc.?

4. What standards are being used to determine the qualifications of replacement administrators at the central office and in our schools (e.g., persons retiring or leaving this year)?

5. Why can't the Board of Education establish an atmosphere in which all employees are encouraged to express their opinions freely to colleagues at all levels of the organization?

6. Why can't the board provide budgeting information to staff and community by individual school, as well as a summary, with separate reports to be made for Special Education and other earmarked funds?

JACK W. HOFFMAN'S COLUMN

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place trophies and ribbons, two seconds and a third in that show

"We're a proud bunch," says the gourmet Prexy.

And outstanding banquet producers, I might add. Now, is there any possible way I could still get my hands on a couple of tickets for that French spread coming up?

An unusual Gift Shop featuring "why didn't I think of that?" gifts

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# Adopt Recommendations

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the board's and could be achieved, but noted that some flexibility must be recognized in the face of financial questions and negotiations.

Board member Martin Rinehart noted that the public itself had not favored summer tax collections for the school district. And others pointed out that a two-year contract with teachers also presents some obstacles.

But board member John Hobart proposed that the board could determine it is going to set specific goals, such as more books in the high school library, and stick to them.

At the opening of the four-hour-long board session Raymond Riddell, speaking from the audience, said he would be forced to cast his first vote against millage unless assurances could be provided by the board on how it intended to use the money and what the future holds for Main Street elementary school.

Board member Sylvia Guken responded to his

remarks after the board had adopted the CAC recommendations. "Many things can't be resolved before April 3 (the millage election), but the board has demonstrated its interest in viewing concerns. Children are our primary concern. We had to close Main Street, but we recognize a responsibility to restore it."

"We will do our very best to keep working for improvements that have suffered because of finances," board member Karen Wilkinson concluded.

The board then followed a n o t h e r C A C recommendation and adopted and appointed members to facilities and curriculum committees. (See story elsewhere in this edition).

It handed the facilities committee an immediate problem to resolve. Two groups, a Plymouth Baptist church and a Montessori group have indicated interest in renting classroom space for the coming year at Main Street school.

Superintendent Spear noted that an answer should be provided soon. Can the school

be leased, or should it remain empty to permit remodeling to be undertaken?

In other business the board heard an hour-long presentation by members of its basic reading staff from elementary, middle and high school levels (report of this will appear next week).

Resignation at the end of the current year was accepted from Ann Mercandetti, a middle school teacher, because her husband has been transferred to Iowa. Eleven teaching contracts were issued for teachers in the special education program and a contract was approved for Mark Miko as a supervisor in the ISEP.

All ISEP supervisory contracts were left unrenewed for the coming year until it is determined whether Northville will continue as the operating district for the program.

Two-year contracts were approved for two administrators in the Northville system — Thomas Goulding, an administrative assistant, and Clark Kelly, special education coordinator.

# Board Forms Two Committees

Making good on its promise to adopt CAC-76 recommendations to form facilities and curriculum committees, the Northville Board of Education Monday night appointed members to both groups.

Organizational meetings were also called for Thursday evening, April 1.

Board member Karen Wilkinson introduced the resolutions to form the committees and read member lists based upon volunteers.

She noted that the objective of the facilities committee would be to evaluate total facility needs in the district and to consider a possible "mini bond issue" to be submitted to the public at the annual school election in June.

The committee will review population projects, check availability of facilities, inspect buildings for upgrading and maintenance needs, consider best use of the district's three buildings on Main street, and establish priorities for various categories of needs.

Those named to the facilities committee were John Sanders, Betty Hancock, John Berry, Ray Riddell, Jim Harris, P. Roger Nieuwkoop, Martin Rinehart, John Flaughner, Dave Longridge, Donald Vaningen, Barbara Campbell, Glen Hague, Jr., Thomas Goulding, Eunice Martin, David Schopp, Ben Lauber, Mel Miner, Dick Bohn, Thomas Campbell and Dave Roux.

The curriculum committee will review and evaluate the educational program K through 12 to assure appropriate educational opportunities are available to all students, said Mrs. Wilkinson.

Its members will be expected to check both curricular and extra curricular activities, available services,

methodology and facility utilization. Long range needs, goals and implementation of proposed programs will also be part of the on-going study.

Members of the committee include Mr. and Mrs. Al Geisler, Florence Hinman, Ed Petit, Betty Hancock, Virginia Lewis, Margaret House, Dick Barron, Dick Bischoff, Don Gute, Glen Hague, Lois Holmes, L. M. Lancaster, Mr. and Mrs. John Lineman, Brigida Miller, Judy Morris, Betty Nowka, Penny Nuechterline, Charles Peltz, Barbara Potter, Helen Regan, Tom Schaal, Sue Todd, Sheri Unger, Trudy Wasserman, Douglas Whitaker, Raymond Balutowicz, Jan Crawford, Gayle Fountain, Kathy Piette, Jan Smith, Robert Williams, Lou Wolf, Vi Wuestnick, Ed McCloud, Mike Tarpinian, Dr. Robert Mandell, Karen Wilkinson, Florence Panattoni, Miles Tuttle, Ronald Horwath, Mrs. Spencer Rush and Mrs. Delores Forman.

# McDonald's to Get OK

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Major concern in addition to changes in off-street parking was approval of a sewer line from Livonia solely for the use of the outlet.

The commission also required a binding agreement with the township requiring

that McDonald's would connect with township sewers when they are built.

The sewer requirements were approved at the last meeting of the Northville Township board.

Developers of the fast food outlet have indicated they are very anxious to begin

construction.

At the February meeting no action was taken on the revised site plan request of James Pasco for nursery greenhouses as Kenneth Sewell, commission vice chairman, made the motion, which was approved, to refer the matter to the township board of appeals.

John Dugan, chairman, however, asked this week to return it to the March agenda.

Approval of a sign at the nursery was granted this month by the board of appeals.

In other action at the February meeting extension of site plan approval for Northville Park Apartments north of Six Mile and east of Northville road, requested by Thompson-Brown, the developer, was granted.

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# Boundary Lines

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Major area affected by the change is the Glenda-10 Mile neighborhood commonly referred to as the Salow-Walnut Hills neighborhood. The change does not affect Brookland Farms and Connemara subdivisions.

Both remain in the Northville School District.

Because Northville is located principally in Wayne County, whereas Novi is totally within Oakland County, the boundary change required the joint action of both the Oakland and Wayne county intermediate boards.

First discussions about changing the irregularly shaped boundary between the two local school districts occurred in the early 1970's.

The fact that Northville school buses turned around in the Novi High School driveway near 11 Mile Road made the boundary seem all the more illogical.

After residents in the affected area initially rejected the idea, school officials went back to them in 1973 to explore the matter further. It drew some support.

Impetus for the first phase was the purchase by the Novi School District of land at the southeast corner of 10 Mile and Taft roads for the site of a large new Novi high school. The land was located in the Northville School District.

First phase of the boundary change, which was approved by the intermediate school districts, transferred 237 acres of land to the Novi School District jurisdiction — including the large site for the new Novi high school. Construction of that school is now well underway.

The first switch involved principally undeveloped lands. The Salow-Walnut subdivision, located north of 10 Mile and east of Taft, remained in the Northville school district. Proximity of this subdivision to the new Novi high school and to the new Novi elementary school on Taft Road at about the 10 1/2 mile line persuaded residents and school officials to pursue phase two.

An estimated 50 students live within the affected area. Nine of them are expected to graduate from Northville High School this coming June, leaving approximately 18 in the high school who will have the option of attending either Northville or Novi high school next fall.

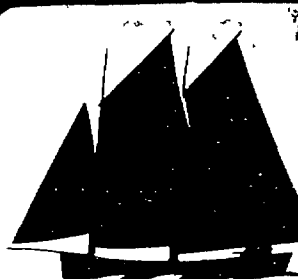
In addition to the 50 students already mentioned, some 10 other students within the area have been attending Novi schools through tuition paid for by the Northville School District.

William Bowman, executive vice president of the firm, explained that during the last seven months they have been working with construction and financial sources and that the extension is needed for financing.

The commission also revised its wording on an amendment to the zoning ordinance redefining farms (section 2.2-29) and deleting nurseries (2.2-56).

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The amendment was to be sent back to the township board.



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middle school; ISEP students are no major threat to area residents; and all residents were aware of the fence when they purchased homes in the area.

Superintendent Spear expressed some question as to whether or not the youth had entered two homes. There was also a report of two youths had wandered away from the school, but this was denied. Spear estimated the cost of fencing at \$6,000 to \$8,000 and noted that the project could come under consideration of the newly-formed citizens' committee on facilities.

Board President Dr. Orlo Robinson expressed board concern over the issue and informed Hartmann that consideration would be given to the proposed fence.

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# How Cars Get Their Names

By BARBARA JOHNSON

It was simpler in the early days, when Henry Ford, David Buick, and Louis Chevrolet were a few among several hundred car manufacturers.

Then, a builder named the one model he made after himself.

Even J.F. Clink found his way to a car nameplate. (You remember J.F. Clink, producer of 27 Clinks around 1910 in New York.)

But all that's changed. Now, the Big Four auto makers call meetings of engineering, advertising, sales, and marketing personnel to draft master lists of possible names for cars in production. They spend thousands of dollars to sample public opinion of suggested names, and to clear names through the Proprietary Name File of the Motor Vehicle Manufacturers Association, a bank of 16,000 names which auto makers have used or declared their intentions to use.

For all the statistical analysis, auto executives say that, ultimately, naming a car is downright subjective — sometimes, even unsystematic.

It all comes down to what the very top executives like.

Former American Motors head George Romney declared one model in production "the classic small car," according to AMC historian John Conde. With that statement, the naming process began and ended. AMC came out months later with its Rambler Classic.

Henry Ford II reportedly liked the sound of Fiesta for a small, sporty coupe. Next year, Ford will put the Fiesta on the market.

"You wouldn't believe what we go through," said Gordon Horsburgh, director of marketing for GM's Cadillac division. "And every year, it gets tougher because more names are eliminated."

Horsburgh was a key person in choosing the name of Cadillac's newest model, the Seville.

Seville, the name of an island province of Spain famous for its art treasures, wasn't the unanimous choice name of potential buyers Cadillac surveyed, Horsburgh said. But it had "no negative associations."

Runners-up for the Seville included Envoy, St. Moritz, and Concorde.

Concorde was among staff favorites, Horsburgh said. It seemed a strong name, appropriate for a car being introduced in the Bicentennial year. But along came the controversy over the supersonic jet, Concorde, and the name was dropped.

Sometimes, names have connotations in regions of the country unknown to staff members who suggest them. Sometimes, names can be construed as racial or ethnic slurs.

"Wasp was a logical name for what became the

Gremlin," says AMC's Conde. It clearly related the new model to its immediate AMC predecessor, the Hornet.

"But it came in second because too many people thought W-A-S-P, White Anglo-Saxon Protestant."

Gremlin wasn't exactly a logical choice, Conde admits. Literally, the word refers to an imaginary mischief-maker. Pilots during World War Two blamed gremlins for their airplanes' engine troubles.

"It was chosen, I guess, because it was an offbeat name to go with the car's personality," Conde said. "The model was designed with its chopped off back end and squarish appearance," he explained, "to be a pretty-ugly car to compete with the Volkswagen."

"As it turns out, we like to think of the Gremlin as a trouble-maker to our competitors."

Sometimes, the name attached to a car before production just sticks with it. That's basically what happened with several Chevrolet models designed as non-production show cars for GM's Motoramas in the 1950's, according to Chevrolet public relations officers.

The Biscayne was such a show car, named for the swank Key Biscayne area in Florida, the site for several Motorama shows. The names Corvette (literally, a small warship), Impala (an African antelope), and Corvair (a combination of Corvette and Bel Air) all stuck with cars which started out strictly as show models.

The whole process of selecting car names, Horsburgh says, "can bring out the egomania in some people."

That might help explain how the Mercedes got its name. James Bradley, curator of the National Auto History Collection at the Detroit Historical Museum, explained that around the turn of the century, Emile Jellinek, consul general to the Austro-Hungarian Empire, wanted the car made by the Daimler-Benz company named after his beautiful daughter, Mercedes. Jellinek and company officials made a deal — the company would name its car Mercedes if Jellinek would underwrite the company's production costs for one year, 1901.

Bird and animal names and foreign words and place names have been the most common sources of car names in recent years.

Cordoba is a city in Spain, LeMans and Calais are French cities, Monza is a small town in northern Italy. Beaches and resort areas are well represented with the Riviera, Monte Carlo, Malibu, and the Chevy Laguna.

Legend has inspired some auto nameplates. Thunderbird, heralded as the "best car name ever" by an executive of a Ford Motor Company competitor, was the enormous bird believed by Indians to bring

thunder and lightning. Eldorado is a legendary South American Indian who sprinkled his body with gold dust.

Sometimes, even well-studied names just don't make it, officials admit.

The name Metropolitan was just too long for AMC's mid-sized model in the 1950's, says Conde.

Bernard Mullins, public relations officer for Chrysler auto sales and service, said the energy crunch was the undoing of a recent Chrysler model, the Monaco.

"The name was supposed to associate the car with a prestige place, with luxury, and a high-class night life," Mullins said. Soon after it was named, the company sent photographers to Monaco. Prince Ranier and Princess Grace had agreed to be a part of the advertising campaign.

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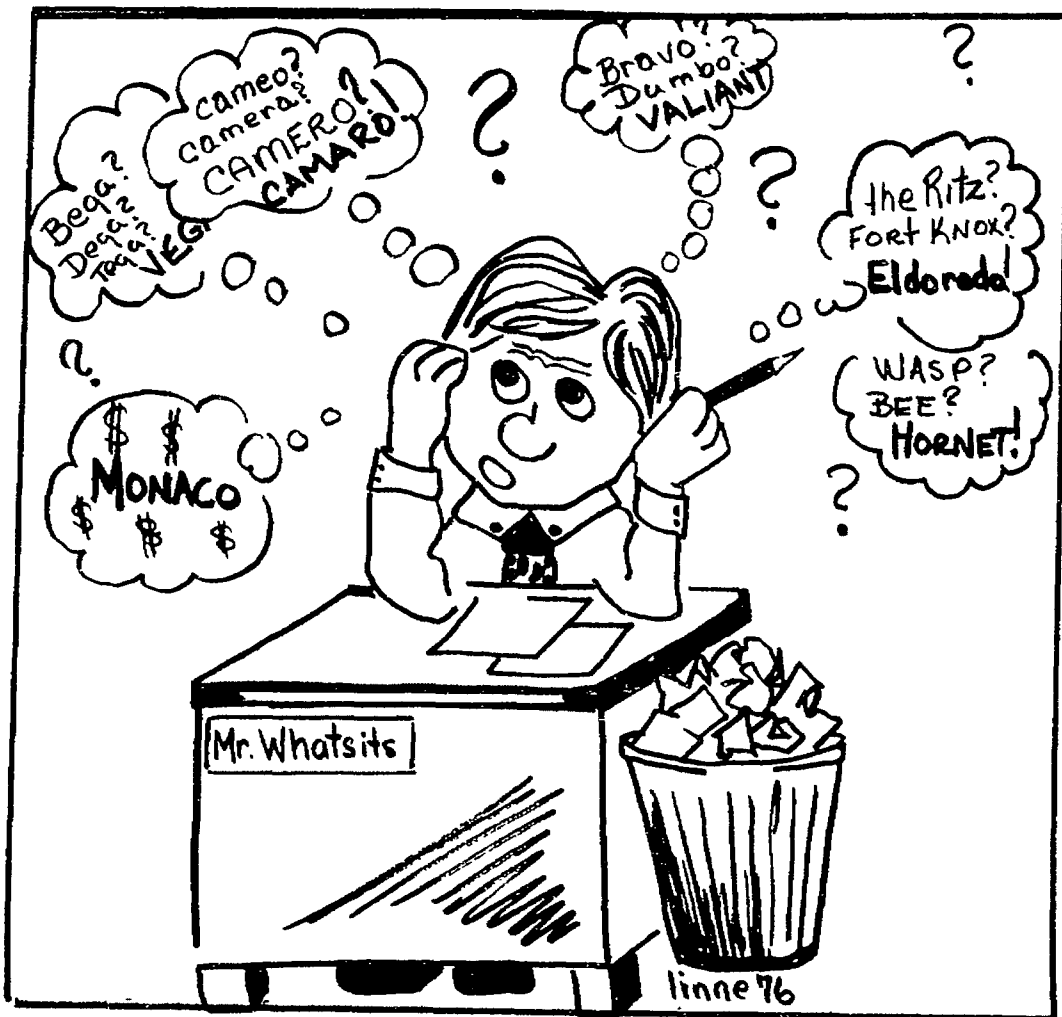
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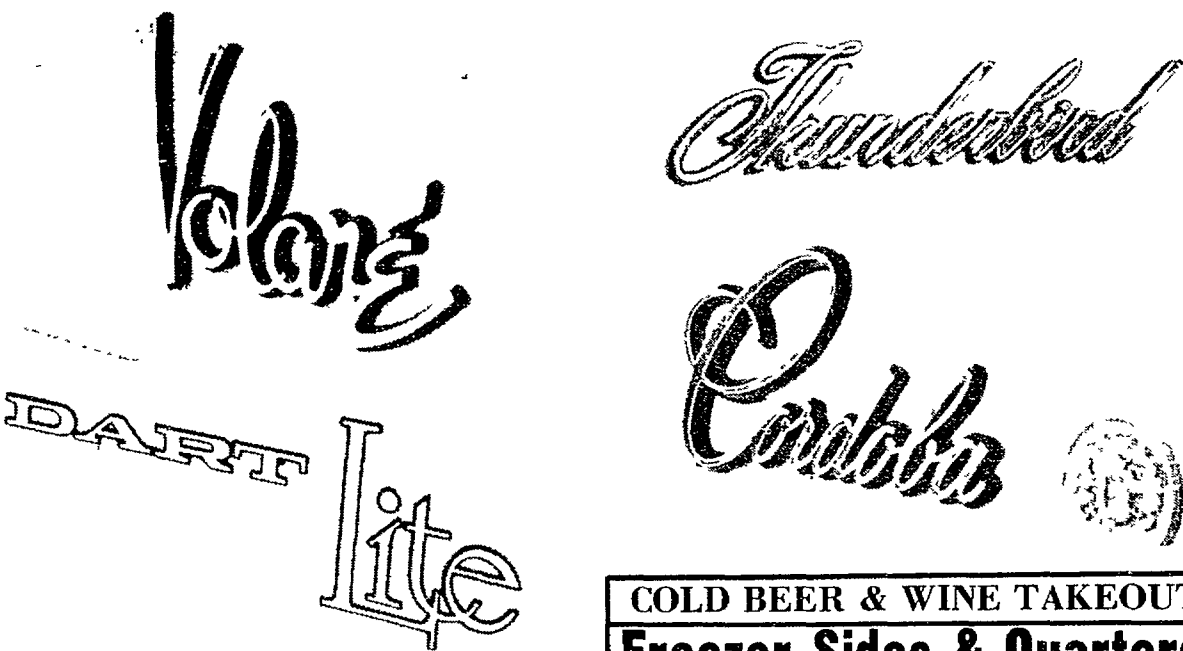
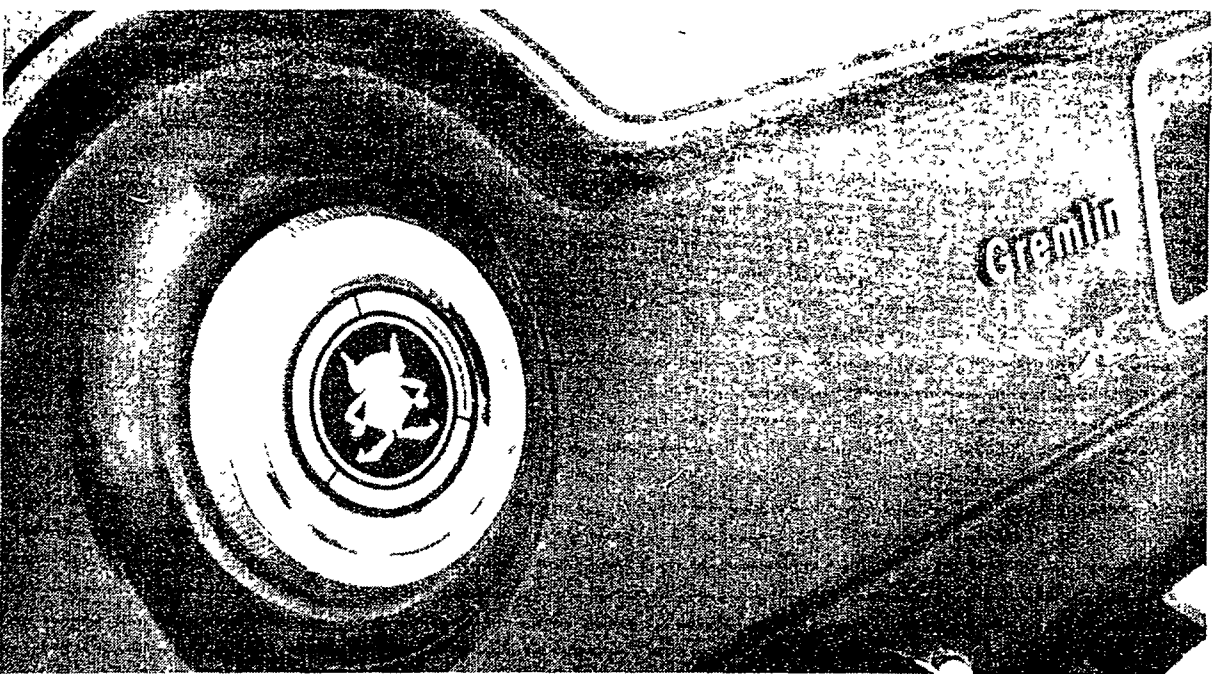
and the emphasis was on no-frills, efficient cars. "It was no time to be thinking about high-class living," Mullins said, and the lavish Monaco campaign was forgotten.

How important is a car's name?

Most auto company officials said they aren't sure. But they seem to think if a model earns a reputation as a good, dependable car, it strengthens the name it carries. If a car isn't a strong product to begin with, most say, a good name won't sell it.



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# Christian Education Provided For Brighton Mentally Retarded

"For years, I've wanted to see my child in a Christmas program," said one jubilant mother after watching her retarded daughter perform with normal children in a holiday program at Brighton's St. George Lutheran church.

She wasn't the only proud parent.

Parents and friends of some 14 mentally retarded youngsters also saw their children on stage that night.

The youngsters are all students in an innovative Sunday school program started three years ago by Mrs. Linda Anderson, wife of the pastor at St. George Church.

A former teacher with a graduate degree in social work, Mrs. Anderson has worked for several years with handicapped children through outreach programs in the Livingston Intermediate School system.

"I knew through that experience how many retarded kids there are in the area. I had to ask, 'Why don't we see them around church on Sundays?'"

The answer, she realized, was that churches usually don't make available facilities for handling the physically handicapped and mentally impaired.

With that, she and church member Paul Bair, a college student studying special education, began holding Sunday school on Saturday mornings in the church basement for three mentally retarded youngsters.

The next year, eight students were enrolled, and last year, 10 kids attended the class. This year, 14 retarded persons — ranging in age from seven to 30 — are involved in the program.

The reason for holding Sunday school on Saturday, Mrs. Anderson explains, is not to segregate retarded youngsters from normal children.

"There was a space problem — there were just no more rooms available on Sunday morning. But it's also because there's no way we give these kids the exposure

*'Why don't we see them around church on Sundays?'*

In the usual 45-minute class time. It takes at least twice as long to teach these kids similar material."

Classes for three age groups are now held from 10 to 11:30 a.m. Saturdays.

What's taught, Mrs. Anderson says, is "Christian education," not denominational doctrine. Old Sunday school materials from several Brighton area churches are used, and audio-visual resources come through the intermediate school system. Recently, the Brighton chapter of Civitan donated \$550 to help buy materials for the group.

Sunday school classes aren't the only way retarded persons are involved at St. George's. Persons in the Saturday class participate in regular Sunday school activities, such as the Christmas program. They're also fully integrated into the summer church school program at St. George's.

Benefits work both ways when normal kids and retarded youngsters mix, says Mrs. Anderson. Normal children begin to understand retarded individuals; handicapped children learn from the model set by normal kids.

In November, the St. George volunteers started a Sunday school class for the hearing impaired. It also meets on Saturday mornings, from 10 to 11:30.

One year ago, a Teen-Adult Club for retarded individuals began meeting at the church. The club holds parties and dances in the church basement on alternate Friday nights.

More retarded individuals can be accepted into programs at St. George's.

Parents who want more information on special Sunday school classes, the Teen-Adult social club, or classes for the hearing impaired should contact Mrs. Anderson at the church at 229-6661.



Volunteers Betty Handy, Linda Anderson, and Kris Fite (center) teach special Sunday school class

## Methodist Women Hold Benefit Fashion Show

Fashions ranging from long evening skirts to brief tennis or golf skirts and jumpsuits will prove to Methodist women that "You've Come A Long Way, Lady."

That's the theme of the benefit luncheon-style show to be given by Northville United Methodist women Tuesday, April 6, at the church.

Women from the church will model fashions from Claire Kelly shop in Northville.

Mrs. Thomas Routhieaux, general chairman, announces that the general public is invited to attend.

Reservation deadline for tickets at \$3.50 for the show and maurice salad luncheon at noon is next Tuesday, March 30. They are available from the church office or ticket chairmen, Mrs. Katherine Beveridge, 349-1446, or Mrs. Harold Bergum, 349-6166.

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## Baptist Revival Set

The Reverend H. Ray Wood, a native of Birmingham, Alabama, will lead a week's revival series at the South Lyon First Baptist Church beginning March 28 and continuing through April 4.

Planned for spiritual enrichment, the nightly meetings begin at 7:30 p.m. and feature "soul-stirring messages" by Mr. Wood, special music and congregational singing under the direction of Roger Adams,

song leader. A nursery is provided and the public is invited to attend.

While working as a mechanical engineer in Birmingham, Mr. Wood experienced the call to preach the Gospel and was subsequently ordained by West End Baptist Church there in 1949.

An engineering graduate of Auburn University, Mr. Wood furthered his studies at

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## Church Capsules

"Celebrate Life," a dramatic musical about the birth, life, and death of Christ, will be presented on Sunday, March 28, at 7:30 p.m. in Brighton's First United Methodist Church sanctuary.

A cast of 46 includes the sanctuary choir, soloists, liturgical dancers, and instrumentalists.

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Senior high youth of the South Lyon United Presbyterian Church are urging area residents to again save their old newspapers for them. The youth group will collect papers for recycling on the second Saturday of each month in the church parking lot. Hours are from 9-11:30 a.m.

Those unable to bring their papers to the lot may call 437-0139.

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The Detroit Bible College Choral, under the direction of Raymond Shuster, Jr., will present a concert at the First Baptist Church of Wixom on Sunday, March 28, at 7 p.m.

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<b>FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF BRIGHTON</b> 224 East Grand River Avenue Pastors: W. Brown & A. Belthea Worship: 9:00 & 10:30 Church School: 10:30 Nursery Provided	<b>CHILSON HILLS BAPTIST CHURCH</b> American Baptist Boy Scout Building—Brighton "on the mill pond" morning worship 9:30 a.m. church school 10:40 a.m. Pastor Merle R. Meeden 546 1495	<b>FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH</b> South Lyon Norman A. Riedesel, Minister Sunday Worship, 8:30 & 11 a.m. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.	<b>ST. GEORGE LUTHERAN CHURCH</b> 803 West Main Street, Brighton Rev. Richard A. Anderson Family Worship Study 9 a.m. Traditional Worship Service, 11 a.m.
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<b>SOUTH LYON ASSEMBLY OF GOD</b> 62345 W. Eight Mile Sunday School—10 a.m. Worship Services 11 a.m. & 7:00 p.m. Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 p.m. Pastor Ronald L. Sweet 437-1472 437 3401	<b>FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF NORTHVILLE</b> 217 North Wing Pastor Michael Farrell 348 1020 Sunday Worship, 11 a.m. & 7:30 p.m. Wed. 7:30 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.	<b>LORD OF LIFE LUTHERAN (Lutheran Church in America)</b> Spencer Road Elementary School 10639 Spencer Road, Brighton Worship, 10 a.m. Church School, 10 a.m. Nursery Provided Pastor Dave Kruger 229 4896	<b>FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF SOUTH LYON</b> Sunday Worship 9:30 and 11 a.m. Sunday School 11 a.m. Pastor Dr. Milton Bank Home Phone—437 1227 Church Office—437-0760



## Try Variety of Brands

# Rundown on Fertilizers For Home Gardeners

By KATHY COPLEY

For most of us, commercial fertilizers are the only practical way to apply the food necessary for plant growth. Various brands differ in several important aspects: organic vs inorganic; liquid vs pellet, powder, or crystal; ratio of each element; and content of trace elements.

Organic fertilizers like fish emulsion are non-burning so it is close to impossible to use enough to burn or otherwise damage plant tissue. They differ from chemical fertilizers only in the form in which they offer nitrogen, phosphorus, and potassium (potash). The actual elements are identical in organic or inorganic fertilizers. You may prefer one over the other, but the plant isn't likely to know the difference.

Inorganic fertilizers are so concentrated that a teaspoon per gallon of water is generally sufficient for houseplants on a twice-monthly basis. Overfertilizing is easy; it causes leaf edges to turn brown, buds to blast (with and die), and, if continued, the plant will most likely die.

The most practical form of fertilizer for outdoor use is crystal or powder — something you can see on the soil so you will know how much you used where. They are cultivated into the surface soil and watered in well.

Cultivating the soil of a houseplant is a tricky thing because the roots are usually pretty close to the surface. For this reason the liquid types — or those which are mixed with water before use — are the most practical. Even in liquid form fertilizer can burn roots so most experts recommend the soil be damp before applying liquid fertilizer.

Foliar feeding gives quick results — yellowing leaves turn dark green again in as little as two days when the leaves are sprayed with liquid fertilizer mixed to the recommended strength. Foliar feeding isn't a substitute for regular root feeding but it does give a quick boost before root feeding can send the food on to the leaves. Since plants need frequent misting anyway, it is easy to add a little fertilizer to the water.

Reading a fertilizer package is easy enough. The three numbers on the packages (5-10-5, 22-10-7, etc.) refer to the ratio of nitrogen, phosphorus, and potash (potassium). 5-10-5 means 5 parts nitrogen (N) to 10 parts phosphorus (P) to 5 parts potash (P). Regardless of the form or the brand, the end result is the same for all 5-20-5 fertilizers because the ratio of elements is the same.

A Farmer Seed Catalog of 50 years ago described the role of these three elements this way: "Nitrogen produces early, rapid, and succulent growth of plant. Potash hardens plant growth and throws the vigor into

fruit or flower. Phosphoric acid aids in nutrition, influences maturity and color."

A single fertilizer may not be good for all your plants. Rapid-gro is high in N and is good for spider plants but it isn't worth beans in making African Violets bloom. By the same token, a formula for African Violets (generally in the 5-10-8 range) isn't good for promoting lush growth on a philodendron.

N stimulates stem and leaf growth and deep green leaves so it is especially important for grass and foliage plants. Flowering plants are generally low in their N requirement. They require additional phosphorus to encourage the development of flowers, seeds, and roots. Geraniums and bulbs are particularly high in their phosphorus requirement. (Superphosphate and bone meal are other good sources of phosphorus.)

Potash aids in the assimilation of food and the development of strong stems and resistance to disease. Plants with woody stems like fig and rubber trees need extra potash so select a fertilizer formula with a high third number like 5-10-10.

A fertilizer which calls itself complete contains minor elements, too. Iron, Zinc, manganese, magnesium, sodium, etc., are present in garden soil in adequate amounts, but the trend toward potting in sand, vermiculite, and other inorganic materials means that trace elements are seldom present in adequate amounts.

A unique recommendation is to have two or three different brands of fertilizer which you use alternately. This way, what one doesn't have enough of, the other ones probably do.

## Horse's Mouth



This column is open to news of all breeds of horses and ponies. Send your questions, comments and horse show news to: Sally Saddle, c/o South Lyon Herald, South Lyon, MI 48178.

### Voltige Clinic

April 17 is the date for a Voltige Clinic (gymnastics on horseback) at Tiergarten Farm, 26975 Martindale Road, South Lyon. The clinic runs from 2 to 4 p.m. with Mrs. Karin Wolski as instructor. Charge is 50 cents per person. For further information, call 437-2650.

### MHSA

Two big weekends are planned again this year by the

Michigan Horse Show Association for its spring show. Arabians, Morgans and Half-Arabians are slated for May 6-9.

American Saddlebreds, Hunters, Palominos, Pintos, Quarter Horses and Tenters see Walking Horses are scheduled for May 13-16.

This show is sponsored by the Michigan Horse Show Association and by the Moslem Temple Arabian Horse Troop.

For further information, contact the show secretary, Marie Forsyth, 10133 South Fulmer Road, Millington, MI 48746.

Entries close April 1 and there will be no post entries. A negative Coggins test report for equine infectious anemia within 180 days of the opening of the show is required before an animal will be allowed to participate.

### Your Farrier And How to Help Him

Everyone knows that good reliable blacksmiths are hard to find, so here are a few ways to make life a little easier for the one you hope to keep.

Don't call at the last minute. Give him a little advance notice as to when your horse needs shoeing.

Have your horse ready or at least in a stall. Don't expect the farrier to take time to play around-up.

Keep small children and pets away while your horses are being shod. This is for safety as well as wear and tear on the farrier's nerves.

If needed be sure that someone is available to hold your horse.

If you have questions about fees, ask before he starts work.

Your horse's shoes should be reset every six to eight weeks. It usually will take two or three shoeings to shape the hooves nicely for show, so don't neglect them for six months.

By picking up a horse's feet and tapping on them every day, you can accustom almost any horse to shoeing. A farrier will take extra time with a young horse but he doesn't want to fight with a bronc.

Sally Saddle

## Left Turns, Too

# Right Turn on Red Starts March 31



**RIGHT TURN ON RED, EXCEPT...** A new Michigan law, effective March 31, permits motorists to make a right turn on a red light—after coming to a complete stop and making sure that the intersection is clear of vehicular and pedestrian traffic. Right turns will still be prohibited at nearly one of five intersections having traffic signals. They'll be marked by signs like the one being erected here by the Department of State Highways and Transportation.

## Business Briefs

### Directories Due

**MICHIGAN BELL** begins delivery of its West-Northwest area telephone directories Thursday, April 1.

The new directories, with covers marking the nation's 200th birthday and the telephone's 100th anniversary, are being delivered in some 14 communities.

Shown on the commemorative covers, now being used on all Michigan Bell directories, are 32 "personalities" communicating with one another, such as Abraham Lincoln talking to Shirley Temple, Marian Anderson calling George Washington and Alexander Graham Bell speaking with Jackie Robinson.

Inside this year's yellow pages are notices that some advertised services or occupations have to be licensed or may require licenses to operate. Also included are some consumer tips which have been researched and approved by the Better Business Bureau.

There's also a guide to specialties as practiced by the medical profession which appears under the heading "Physicians and Surgeons, M.D."

It will take several days to complete delivery of all directories.

## Fashions

### Aid Church

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reservations when purchasing tickets.

Claire Kelly will narrate the show. Hair fashions for the eight models will be by the Golden Comb shop in Northville Square.

Models are to be Mrs. Ralph Gallagher, Mrs. Cecil Woodruff, Mrs. Robert Sturgill, Mrs. James Maguire, Mrs. Neal Greenfield, Mrs. Al Demorose, Mrs. Clarence Sparring and Mrs. George Olson.

Mrs. Earl Eden and Mrs. Robert DeHoff are luncheon chairmen with decorations under direction of Mrs. Rick Watkins. Mrs. Frederick Will is arranging door prizes. Mrs. Jerry Powledge will play the piano for the show.

The show proceeds will benefit the Methodist women's general fund.

Those attending are promised a view of newest fashions for spring and summer. Wrap skirts and t-shirts as well as jumpsuits for both casual and dressy occasions will be modeled.

## Revival

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Samford University in Birmingham and Golden Gate Seminary in California before graduating from Southern Seminary in Louisville, Kentucky.

He served as a pastor for over 17 years in Alabama, California and Kentucky. Having completed nine years as a full time evangelist and Bible teacher, he has led in more than 325 revivals and Bible conferences.

Mr. Wood has spoken at many denominational meetings including the Southern Baptist Convention Pastors' Conference, the Alabama Evangelistic Conference and on television, radio and at numerous civic clubs.

Michigan State Police are calling motorist and pedestrian attention to a state traffic law change effective March 31 permitting right turns on red lights by motor vehicles at most signal-controlled intersections.

This change will make it legal for motorists to make right turns from a proper lane on a red light after coming to a full stop at the light. The motorist, however, must remember that he has responsibility for making certain that his turn will not endanger other vehicles and pedestrians having right of way during that signal phase at the intersection.

Similarly, the motorist also will be permitted to make a left turn on a red light after a full stop from a one-way street or a two-way street onto a one-way street carrying traffic in the direction of the turn. Here too proper precautions must be taken to ensure safety of other vehicles and pedestrians holding right of way during that signal phase.

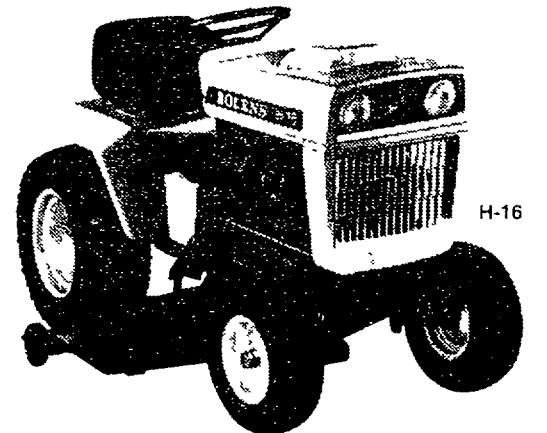
Motorists are advised that not all intersections will be legal for these red light right turns. Where the turn is not permitted, signs will be on display noting that right turns on red lights are prohibited. On the state's 9,300-mile highway system, it is estimated that about 1,650 of 1,850 signalized intersections will permit the right turn on red.

The State Police are joining with other governmental agencies and traffic safety-oriented groups in publicizing the red light right turn change. Proponents of the change claim it will reduce traffic congestion and save time and fuel as well for motorists.

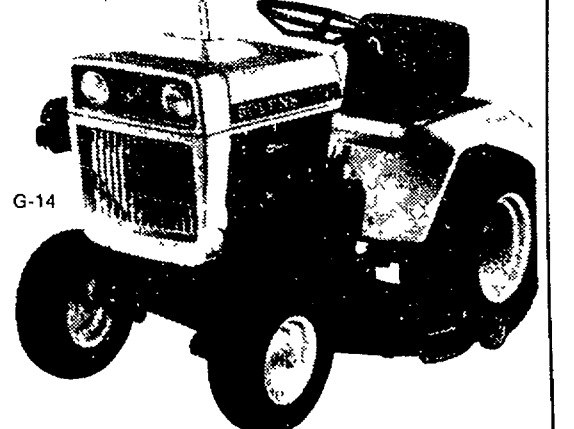
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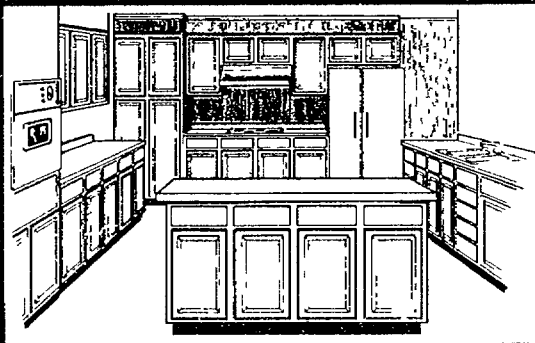


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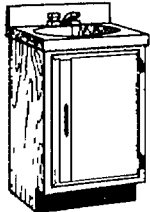
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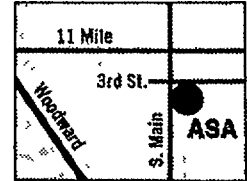
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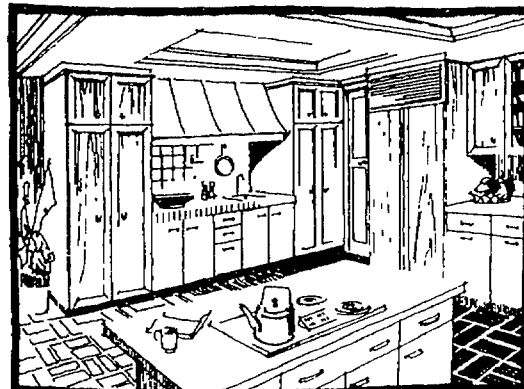
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## 1-1 Happy Ads

Janine and Mike - You've survived each other a whole year!!

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MIKE & MOLLY, Keep our garden growing. Take good care of my cactus and its babies.

HAPPY SPRING!!!!

ANYONE knows that after 28 years of marriage you wash 9,938 pair of socks or 19,876 socks. I'm surprised that you had to ask.

LOST, Stolen or Strayed — One door, Last seen in Novi Record comp room.

THREE ladies seeking part time employment hanging doors for NR comp room. Will supply door.

LOOKS like an on again, off again affair to me.

Casual Observer

## 1-2 Special Notices

ATTENTION: Anyone interested in displaying arts, crafts, etc. in a booth during the Salem Township Bicentennial Celebration, July 30, 31 and August 1, contact 349 9801 or 437 6372 for information. h13

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## 1-3 Card Of Thanks

Don and I wish to express our sincere thanks to the Lions Club for the donation of a hospital bed, the Livingston County Ambulance Service for their kindness and care and to all the Christian ladies from the Brighton Assembly of God Church who prepared our meals daily during my recent accident.

Wilma Gray

THE family of the late Alex Lyke wishes to express their thanks to their relatives and friends for their thoughtfulness during their bereavement.

Explorer Post 2000 of South Lyon thanks everyone that supported our Pancake Dinner last Saturday. Special thanks to Mr. Vincent you were great!

Billy O'Brien (goat) wishes to thank all our patrons who helped us celebrate St. Patty's Day (March 17th) Billy O'Brien (Goat) and staff, GOAT FARM TAVERN

I take this means of expressing my deep appreciation for all kindness extended during my stay in the hospital, for cards, letters, magazines, lovely flowers and plants and personal gifts. I especially want to thank the ones who prayed for me. Again I say thank you each and every one. Vera V. Kenner

THE family of William C. Wendover wish to express thanks to everyone who has shown acts of kindness.

Ethel J. Wendover

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Large Country Ranch on over 2 acres. Pond, fireplace, 3 baths, huge country kitchen, formal dining room. Hartland Schools. Priced to Sell at \$49,500.00 (No. 33)

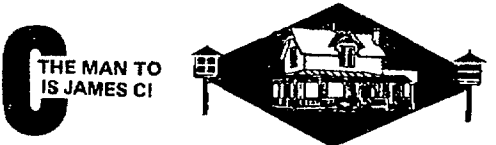
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103.105 RAYSON NORTHVILLE

49525 7 Mile. Pleasant to own with a wife-saver kitchen, large dining area and fireplace in the family room. This 4 Bdrm. colonial has a full basement with door wall open to the rear. Imagine breakfast on the deck off the dining room overlooking your 1.3 acres. Call for an appointment today \$54,900

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Lots for your money! 3 bedrm ranch family rm. natural fireplace - apt in lower level over 1/2 acre of land.

NORTHVILLE \$54,900  
Pleasant, 3 bedrm. brick Cape Cod, Northville Schools, 2 full baths, family rm., fireplace, mother's kitchen, full bsmt., 2 car gar., & lots more.

NORTHVILLE TWP. \$33,900  
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NORTHVILLE \$44,900  
Substantial home on Dunlap - for family. 3 bedrms. - den - dining rm. - beautiful kitchen - bsmt. garage - conveniently located.

NORTHVILLE \$39,000  
Good investment - zoned commercial - 100 ft. on 7 Mile Road - ideal for office, restaurant, etc.

NOVI \$43,900  
Open to offers! Delightful 3 bedrm. brick ranch. Family rm. with beamed ceiling, 2 nat fireplaces, 1 1/2 baths, 2 car gar. Owner transferred - wants offer

NOVI \$64,900  
Charming brick colonial! Jumbo sized rooms - for distinguished family in brick residential area. 4 bedrms - family rm. 2 full baths - 2 1/2 baths rec. rm. garage - possible 5th bedrm.

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Redecorated 3 Bedroom home on 10 ACRES!!!  
This point is hardly dry & the carpeting is Brand  
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A LOVELY HOME that is just loaded with  
warmth, plus a quiet & serene setting can be yours  
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A COMFORTING INVESTMENT!! This 3  
Bedroom Ranch in Brighton with formal Dining  
Room, remodeled Kitchen, new furnace & water  
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LAKEFRONT—3 yr. old, 3 bedrm., F.R., F.P., gas  
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ARE YOU A HANDYMAN? Cement  
block, 2 bedrm., full basement, gas  
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OUTSTANDING ALL BRICK 1960 sq. ft. 4  
bedroom ranch. 2 full baths, 1st floor laundry,  
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basement. \$57,000

LET US SHOW YOU THE BEAUTY of the inside of  
this 3 bedroom ranch with family room & full  
basement on a well landscaped lot. \$36,000

1500 SQ. FT. OF CHARM comes with this 3  
bedroom Tri level. Included are: 1 1/2 baths, family  
room, dining room & garage. \$37,500

8 TENTHS OF AN ACRE comes with this 3  
bedroom ranch. 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths,  
dining room, family room with fireplace, rec.  
room, sewing room, den, hobby room, full finished  
basement & 2 car garage. \$63,900

### BRIGHTON AREA

ELEGANT 1684 sq. ft. 3 bedroom ranch with 2 full  
baths, family room with fireplace, full basement &  
2 car garage on a full acre. \$53,500

ENJOY OVER 600 ft. of your own lake frontage  
from the deck of this 3 bedroom Quad-level with  
family room, gorgeous fireplace, basement & 2  
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WHY LIVE IN TOWN when you can have this 3  
bedroom ranch with full basement & 3 stall  
outbuilding in the country for only \$27,900

IF YOU LOOK YOU WILL AGREE  
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rec room, Florida room, full  
basement & 2 car garage is an  
outstanding buy. Lake access across  
the street. \$36,000

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3 large bedroom bi-level, built in '73, one  
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family room, rec. room, 3200 sq. ft. of living  
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3 bedroom aluminum sided home on 5 acres,  
newly decorated, new carpeting, 40 x 40 eight-  
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WEST Oakland Plaza 10 Mile Novi Road new building in Novi. Will finish in 1976. Mr. McCurdy 11

23 and 4 ROOM suites or 13 rooms in all, newly remodeled, 324 W. Main St., downtown Brighton 229 6717 a1f

BRIGHTON, DOWNTOWN, 100 sq. ft. flexible. Grand River Ground Level 229 5588 a1

OFFICE SPACE — 676 W. Grand River between downtown and Mail 200 6054 11 a52

### 3-9 Land

BEAUTIFUL Building Sites In one of Livingston County's most picturesque areas Lake privileges on Round Lake & Long Lake Hartland Area 5 Minutes to X-way VLP SUB4774 Howell Town & Country, Inc., 209 S. Lafayette, South Lyon, Mi. 227 7775 or 437 2088 a52

PINCKNEY AREA 10.58 acres of hilly land, good pond possibility, heavily treed on back half and many evergreens on front half. A1 \$25,900.00, VA4997 Howell Town & Country, Inc., 102 E. Grand River, Brighton, Michigan 227 1111 a52

36.39 ACRES Just outside Howell City Limits. Countless potential uses with Class A road access \$3,000.00 per acre. VA4636 Howell Town & Country, Inc., 102 E. Grand River, Brighton, Michigan 227 1111 a52

### 3-10 Wanted to Rent

3, 4 or 5 BEDROOM house on lake or with lake access 995 4059 or 873 4093 h1f

I will pay top dollar for your yardsteds this summer. Call now 437 2785 h18

LOOKING for house or apartment. Rent reasonable, please call 437-1675 h1f

WANTED to rent 2 bedroom house, South Lyon area 437 4907

RELIABLE couple with small child needs farm house. Have references 749 1765

### HOUSEHOLD

DOLLS Old, antique. Bought and sold Shirley Smith, Northville 349 4932 h1f

CANE Supplies for furniture weaving. Hamburg Warehouse, 227 5690 a1f

ANTIQUE SHOW & SALE — Brighton Mall, Brighton, MI. April 12 & 13. Located 1.96 at Grand River. Hours Same as Mall. Antiques & Collectibles, 1000 lots and shoppers, also the Huron Valley Bottle Club. Free admission. Free parking a52

### 4-1 Antiques

PUMP Organ, Grandfather Clock. Bed welcome, 348 1394

ANTIQUE Collectible market, Jackson's most exciting! March 26, 27, 9 p.m., PAKA PLAZA, 194 & 122 Interchange, M. Purvey's MERRY MARKETTERS!

ANN ARBOR — THE MICHIGAN ANTIQUE SHOW & SALE, April 2, 3, 4, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., Sunday 11, CRISLER ARENA, Main and Stadium, 2 miles north of I-94 via Exit 175, 50 Select Dealers, many making their only midwestern showing TRAMP ART EXHIBIT (over 80 pieces) from American Folk Art Museum, N.Y.C. 48

ANTIQUE dining set. Oval table w/ 3 leaves, 5 chairs & Captain's chair & buffet \$200. Call 437 2602

### 4-1A-Auctions

ESTATE AUCTION — Friday, March 26th, 7:30 p.m., 8777 Main St., Whitmore Lake, Michigan. Auctioneers Note: This is the first of at least 3 sales from this Detroit area estate. (The old coins will be sold here this Sunday, March 28th). The estate consists of mostly small items. All kinds of interesting collectible things, many yet to be unpacked.

Partial Listing: Collections of state plates, Hull art pottery, cov. creamer, old china plate, quilt, old cloth cigarette advertising, flestia ware, 4 wheel dollies, figurines, wooden storage boxes, magazine stand, storage barrels, set of fix it books, etc., Japan, train and railroad books and magazines, train pictures, many many picture frames both old and new, bird and flower pictures, Shirley Temple pictures, kitchen scale, hand painted china, old hand made quilt like silk jacket, old sewing screen, camel back trunk, many many new small girls' dresses (size from one to four), gun rack, many many dolls, all like new, all sizes from small to lifelike and more.

COIN AUCTION Sunday, March 28th, 1:00 p.m., 8777 Main St., Whitmore Lake, Mich. The old coin collection from this Detroit area estate will be sold at auction including Indian Head Cents, half dollars, silver dollars, buffalo nickels, proof sets, one, two, and 20 dollar gold pieces, barbers dimes, foreign coins, and more coins still to be unpacked.

Terms: Cash, checks accepted only from those we know. Auctioneer: Ray Egnash (the full time professional auctioneer) Phone 517 546 7496 or 313 449 4421

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REDECORATING Selling complete living room 349 6004

REMODELING? Antique marble top wash basin 20 x 30 inches New drain closing \$40 After 5 p.m. 349 0701 h1f

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DARK brown frieze couch and chair \$85 Before 10:30 a.m. 229 2262

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DOUBLE ANTIQUE Bed, maple coffee table. After 6 p.m. 449 4337

30 INCH GE Electric stove, excellent condition, \$40 Brighton, a52

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7-1975 MODEL Sew Machines, \$51.50. Paint damage in shipment. Only 7 left. Sew stretch material. Comes with a beautiful walnut sewing table. Writes names and is fully equipped to zig zag, buttonhole, overcast, make fancy designs by inserting cams. Only \$51.50 cash or terms arranged. Trades accepted. Call Brighton collect, 229 8593, 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Electro Grand

DOUBLE ANTIQUE Bed, maple coffee table. After 6 p.m. 449 4337

30 INCH GE Electric stove, excellent condition, \$40 Brighton, a52

DO YOU OWN a Miranda SLR camera? If you do, you can buy a 135MM lens, 2 special viewfinders, pistol grip and extension tube set. All for \$50. Call 455 7617 evenings

PLUMBING supplies, Myers pumps, Bruner water softeners, a complete line of plumbing supplies, Martin's Hardware and Plumbing Supply, South Lyon 437 0600 h13

DRIVEWAY culverts, South Lyon Lumber and Farm Center, 415 E. Lake 437 1751 h1f

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### 4-3 Miscellany

THE Ceramic Center, greenware, supplies, classes, firing, South Lyon 437 9200 h1f

RESERVE booth now for Novi Gala Days June 24-27 477 8896 a52

OFFICE furniture for sale. Partitions, work tables 349 7200

Am RIFLEMAN Mag. Collection, excellent condition, ea yr. individually packaged, from 1950 — 15 cents per copy 349 7482

HAND painted Mexican flower pots and other Mexican imports, from \$3.50. Open house, Sunday, March 28 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. 24044 Chippmunk Trail or call 349 3878

ANNUAL attic treasures sale April 10, 8 & 9 p.m. Novi Community Building, Novi Road north of Grand River Rummage, bake and plant sale

BABY crib, high chair, car seat 348 2154

SMILEY Bros Spinet good condition \$450 Milford 685 2832

SHOES for all the family at Dancers Fashions 120 E. Lake, South Lyon 437 1740 h1f

WELLPOINTS and pipe 1 1/2 and 2", use our well driller and pumper pump free with purchase. Marlin's Hardware and Plumbing Supply, South Lyon, 437 0600

WE have a complete line of P.V.C. plastic drainage pipe. Marlin's Hardware and Plumbing Supply, South Lyon 437 0600

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### 4-3 Miscellany

ICE Skates new & used. Trade ins accepted. Loeffler Pro Hardware, 29150 W. 5 Mile at Middlebelt 422 2210 h1f

POOL table, 8 foot — 3 piece slate with accessories — Complete, good condition \$300.00 624 0485 after 6 p.m. h1f

Garden Tractors IH Cub Cadet 10-16 h.p. tractors and attachments. 20.50 PERCENT OFF anything in stock. New Hudson Power 53535 Grand River, Open Sundays 437-1444

YOU saved and slaved for wall to wall carpet. Keep it new with Blue Lustre Rent electric shampooer, \$2 Gambles, South Lyon h13

HIDDEN TREASURES Thrift Shop lovely, quality, pre-owned, (in style), clothing for the whole family at a fraction of the original cost. Draperies, bedspreads, furniture and household items. Lovely JEWELRY (new) at low prices. Come in and browse, you'll be delighted. 849 Penniman, across from Plymouth Post Office. Open 10 a.m. closed Wednesdays 459 9222 a8

RECLAIMED brick, any quantity, pick up or delivered Brighton 229 6857 h1f

STEEL, round and square tubing, angles, channels, beams, etc. Also work uniforms. Regals, Howell 546 3820 a1f

TOP SOIL \$25.00 Load HORSE MANURE \$15.00

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RECLAIMED brick, any quantity, pick up or delivered Brighton 229 6

#### 4-3 Miscellany

**MUST SACRIFICE**—Complete RC system, radio, planes, other extras, \$100. Between 12 noon 3 p.m. Brighton 229 2331 a 52

**LLOYDS** am-fm multiplex radio, 2-speaker, \$35. Lane cedar chest, walnut finish, in very good condition, 5 yrs old, lock intact, \$55. Baby crib and mattress, \$25. 1517-546 3040 a 52

**MOVING SALE** Baby Grand Piano, porcelain top table and much misc 8657 Wayside Apt. 6, (LAKEPOINTE APT.) Brighton Thursday, Friday and Sat

**SPEAKERS**, 2 Perkins PA Cabinets, 15 JB, SRO 15 JBL 229 5290

**STORAGE SHEDS**, garages, barns, 8x8 through 30x60 prefab kits or installed, all wood construction, very reasonable 1 449 2403, Whit more Lake a 52

**TYPEWRITER**, \$25. 3M duplicator, \$50. building scaffold frames, \$10. 211 Jacobson lawn mower, \$25. 227-1993

**8500 BTU** Hotwater Boiler, double oven gas range, copperline, LH white bath tub 227 5665 Brighton a 52

**DRESSER**, baby crib, aluminum chassis lounge, organ, aluminum boat, gas oven and stove top, dishwasher, refrigerator, some garage and garden tools, pump and bicycles Brighton, 229 2251 a 52

**FIVE** pc Ludwig Drum set with cymbals 517 546 7061 after 5 p.m.

**ONE PAIR** tubular steel clothesline post now \$24, regular \$33.90 D&D Fence & Supply, Brighton (313) 229 2339 a 1

**ARM & BUCKETT** for Drag Line, (313) 878 3974 after 6 p.m. a 52

**MR & MRS CHAIRS**, hassock, step table, 24 inch girl's bike, girls' clothes (6x 7), Brighton 227 7501 a 52

**1970 CAMPER**, \$150. Gibson Melody maker electric guitar, cherry red with amp, \$150 Brighton, 229 5168 a 52

**JOHNSON** Messenger 123A CB Radio, still in box, never used. Instructions, guarantee and license application \$120. Call after 5 p.m. and weekends.

**23 CHANNEL** CB — Base Station: vertical base station antenna w/ coax, two mobile antennas, \$200. Brighton, 229 4301 after 6 p.m. a 52

#### GENERATORS

**3500 Watt HOMELITE** Heavy Duty 8 h.p. Regular \$790, now on sale at \$485 while supply lasts. Open Sunday. **NEW HUDSON POWER** 53535 Grand River **437-1444**

**CLARKE** floor sander and edger with paper \$125 Gambles, 200 N Lafayette, South Lyon 437 1755

**THREE** used rototillers, two are 3 1/2 horsepower, one is 4 horsepower. \$150 each. Gambles, 200 N Lafayette, South Lyon 437 1755

#### OUTSIDE LANDSCAPING

Free Estimates **437-1675**

**ONE** Bag cement mixer, \$380, new engine Brighton 227 7126 a 52

**REMINGTON** spinet piano, good condition, reasonable, also patio furniture, excellent condition, make offer 229 8793

**STEREO** component system, good condition, \$75. Also 16 gauge shotgun, double barrel, good condition 229 8772

**\$500 OFF** on a new Jacobsen 10 1/2 14 hp garden tractor Sport Cycle, 227 6128 a 1

**CERAMIC** classes Monday mornings, 10:12-30 Tuesday evenings, 7:30-9. Few openings in both classes exist 349 2727

**RUMMAGE** AND BAKE SALE, South Lyon Methodist Church, April 24-25, 10 a.m. 2 p.m. h13

**MAKE** beaten down carpet nap at doorways bright and fluffy again with Blue Lustre Dancers, South Lyon

**3 HORSEPOWER** riding lawn mower. Needs repair, \$25 or best offer, 437 0750

#### 4-3 Miscellany

#### 4-4A-Farm Equipment

**CB radio** - Johnson 123 A mobile, locking slide mount, antenna, 3 weeks old, \$155 437 9195

**TROY** Bill new Rototillers now available locally for immediate delivery, 437 0841

**FOR SALE** - Antique Colt revolver #1 cal. \$150, Star 9mm automatic \$70, Ivoir Johnson 38 cal. \$45; Beretta 22 cal. automatic, \$65; Mirokile 38 special \$75, all used, good condition Marlin Hardware, South Lyon, 437-0600

**BURPEE'S** Bulk garden seed now in stock Fertilizer and grass seeds. Use our spreader free with purchase Marlin Hardware, South Lyon, 437 0600

**FOR SALE** - 4 1/2 x 9 Brunswick pool table, \$500 437 6679 after 6:30 p.m.

**REFRIGERATOR**, 36" electric stove, desk, Regency scanner, electric oven, and gas stove. 437-3742

**SUNN** Concert controller II, 200 watt head, 4 channels, 12 M puts, 2 columns with four 12 in speakers per column, two 8" horns, \$700 firm, 437-3797 after 4 p.m. h13

**TWO** commercial sewing machines, straight stitch and blind hemmer, one third horsepower motor and stands. One owner. Excellent condition, 437-6063 after 1 p.m.

**MOVING** Hand and power tools, nails, screws, bolts and more. Horse and light barn equipment 437 1545, 459 3729

**CHAIN** saw, Homelite Super XL 16" with new chain \$150, 437-2183

**AM/FM** stereo receiver and record player with dual speakers \$50 437 1938

**CHAIN SAWS** Homelite XL2 Automatic SALE Exclusive dual trigger control, Automatic Oiling, 12" bar, \$171 value, ONLY \$139.95 includes FREE EXTRA CHAIN, carrying case, grease gun, file, 2 cycle oil. Other saws at Super Savings.

**NEW HUDSON POWER** 437-1444 53535 Grand River Open Sundays

#### 4-4 Farm Products

**HAY**—SECOND CUTTING 227 4833, Brighton a 52

**APARTMENT** and City Dwellers - rent the high cost of vegetables - rent a garden and grow your own. For more information, call 437 2327 or 437 1135

**HAY**, never wet, large bales. First cutting, \$1.00; second \$1.50 437-3414, 437 1728 h1f

**GODD** cedar fence posts, 7 ft \$1.30, 8 ft \$1.60, 449 2946 h14

**GOOSE** eggs for sale 437-2327

**HAY** for sale, phone 449 2889 h12

**HAY**, alfalfa, Anderson's horse, dog, rabbit, cat and other livestock feeds, 437-3859 h1f

**APPLES**, delicious, Northern Spy, McIntosh, Cortland, Jams & honey, sweet cider all winter. Open Tuesday thru Sat, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Closed Mondays, CLORES ORCHARD, 9912 E Grand River, Brighton a 53

**WANTED** to rent — corn ground. Days, 437 3597, evenings 534-2412, Dixon, 8280 Rushton Rd., South Lyon h12

**HAY**, alfalfa, First cutting, 1st bale, second cutting, \$1.40 453 7668

**FIRST** cutting hay, \$1 a bale. Call 437 1378

**FARM** windmill for pumping water. 5560 Eight Mile Rd. (2 miles East of Pontiac Trail)

**HAY** for sale. First and second cutting. Will deliver 437 2467 h13

**5 GEESSE**, \$8.00 each, Don Read, 11600 Marshall, South Lyon 437 6455

**APPLES** — SPECIAL THIS WEEK — No 1 Red Delicious and McIntosh, \$4.50 bushel. Fresh sweet cider and honey Spicer's Hartland Orchards. Take US 23, 3 miles north of M-59 to Clyde Rd. exit, east 1/2 mile. Open daily and Sunday 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. a 52

**LARGE** domestic geese, ready to lay, \$5 ea. also pure buckwheat honey, 85 cents per lb 229 2727 a 1

**CONDITIONED** Hay, Alfalfa, Timothy, Bromo (313) 629 6151 a-1

#### 5-2 Horses, Equip.

**4 YEAR** old 15 2 Appaloose gelding, Bross English, Western, jumps, and some dressage. Excellent breeding, confirmation, coloring, and manners...\$2500 negotiable. Evenings 995-2694 h1f

#### HORSESHOEING

**10 years** exp. Karl Gubert All types of shoeing. Morgans, Gaited horses, Park horses, Arabians, etc. 563-6412

#### 5-3 Farm Animals

**BARNYARD** animal sale. Holstein cows, rabbits, sheep, ducks, chickens 349 7832

**GOATS**—Adult Alpine buck and doe, two Alpine kids and two Nubin kids 437 2830

**YOUNG** pullets, several breeds, 65 cents each, 437-6940


**BABY CHICKS**, ducks and turkeys. Breeding stock in ducks and geese. Twaddles, 2301 Bowen Rd., Howell 1 517 546 3692

**HEREFORD** Cows Twaddles, 2301 Bowen Rd. Howell 1 517 546 3692, aft

**5-4 Animal Services** PROFESSIONAL DOG GROOMING 16 yrs experience, all breeds, all dogs hand fluid dried and handled with TLC Ferretville 517 521-3749 a1f

**BOW-WOW** Poodle & Schnauzer Salon Complete grooming, boarding & breeding pups for sale Mrs. Hull, Brighton 227 4271

**PROFESSIONAL** Dog Grooming Call 227 7237 for appt a1f

**EMPLOYMENT**  **6-1 Help Wanted** CARETAKER couple, Middle aged for apartment complex in Novi. Cleaning and minor repairs. Salary plus townhouse, utilities and benefits. No children or pets. Call 349 8200 for interview. 1f

**LEGAL** Secretary — Shorthand preferred, accuracy and a willingness to assume responsibility required. Salary commensurate with qualifications. Write resume to Brighton Argus, P.O. Box K 288, Brighton, MI 48116

**OPPORTUNITY** to earn \$100, for a few hours work per week. Women preferred, over 21. Off limited. For appointment call Karen, 385 4855 or Jim or Pat, 476 5174. 48

**L. P. N.'s** The Veterans Administration Hospital, Ann Arbor, Michigan, an active general medical and surgical teaching hospital affiliated with the University of Michigan has immediate and future openings for licensed Practical Nurses in Med., Surg. and I.C.U. These are career U.S. Civil Service positions with full range of Civil Service benefits. For immediate interview, please call Mr. Norman Eaton, Personnel Service, VA Hospital, Ann Arbor, MI 48105 (313) 769-7100, ext. 231. An Equal Opportunity Employer.

#### JUNK CARS WANTED

Up to \$25 1-699-7155 1f

#### PETS

#### 5-1 Household Pets

**BRITTANY** Spaniel pups AKC 437-2275

**SIAMESE** kittens 5 weeks, no papers Sealpoint, blue eyes One calico Angora, \$5 437 8467

**REGISTERED** female black Poodle, 1 yr. \$25 Brighton 227 4541

**SKIPPERKEY** male AKC, registered \$75 455 6518

**TROPICAL** fish & supplies - Specials every week Twaddles, 2301 Bowen Rd., Howell 1 517 546 3692 a1f

**GERMAN** Shepherd, AKC, registered, good temperament, wormed (313) 476 2491 a52

**PUPPIES** Lab & Dalmation, wags, \$45 Must go to good home. 4022 Ridgeway, Hamburg a52

**PORTABLE** Dog Pens chain link dog runs. Ted Davids Fence Registrar, 437 1675 h1f

**REGISTERED** Afghan, 14 mo old, male, must sell 229 4439 after 5:30

**GOLDEN** retriever puppies, AKCOSA approved Champion stock Pinckney 878 6281 a 52

**BRITTANY** PUPPIES, good hunting stock 1 878 6353 or 1 878 6441 a 52

**YORKSHIRE** PUPS — 5 months old, male, reasonable (313) 878 3974 after 6 p.m. a 52

**IRISH** Setter, 1 yr. old, good with children, no papers \$30 Brighton 227 3466

**CHIHUAHUA** pups, \$35 Also young breeders and papers 229 5872 a 52

**GREAT DANE** PUPPIES — 2 brindle, 2 black, very large, no papers, \$50 Howell 1 517 546 5426 after 5 p.m. a 1

**MINIATURE** Poodles AKC, \$75 691, Contact Mrs. Hull, 227 4271, Brighton a1f

#### 5-2 Horses, Equip.

**MILEY** McQuerry & Viking Horse Trailers. Large selection in many styles & prices. Forbush Arena (313) 432 7320 a1f

**CULLEN & SCHMITZ** HORSESHOEING Complete Horseshoeing Services Done Promptly Call 349-0256 or 459-4692

**BAY** thoroughbred gelding, flashy show horse, supple, willing, lively, and gentle. A willing jumper, 16 hands. Must sell. For information and appointment, call 994-3607

**GIRL** experienced in horse work would like job on horse farm or race track 455 5183

**REGISTERED** quarter mare, 7 yrs broke western, easy breaker 227-9441

**1/2 ARAB** yearling filly, gray, show quality, reasonable Brighton 227-9441

#### REAL ESTATE ASSOCIATE

**LICENSED OR UNLICENSED**, If not licensed, we will provide training. For more information call. **Jerry Smith** Countryside Real Estate Brighton—227-6138

**AVON** has excellent opening in an established area of Brighton. (Brighton Two, Hartland & north accepted only) Excellent earning opportunity. Call anytime (313) 735 4057, leave message a 1

**WE** are looking for a mature dependable woman who has a love and understanding of elderly people to Nurse Aid work in a small 41 bed nursing home. 7 to 3:30 p.m. White hall Convalescent Home, 40875 Grand River, Farmington. Please call 474 3442 between 8 a.m. and 3 p.m.

**HAIR** dresser's assistant wanted. Be licensed operator. Shampoo and assist operators, part time only. Novi area. Call for appointment 477 9399.

**KEY** punch operator. Some experience on IBM 129 machine. Pines Industries, Inc. 28990 Wixom Road, Wixom, MI 48096 An Equal Opportunity Employer 349 5500

**AVON** **AVON CAN HELP YOU HAVE THE SUMMER VACATION OF YOUR DREAMS.** Make excellent earnings for part-time selling in your own territory. Call for particulars. Mrs. Hoerig, 425-8989.

#### 6-1 Help Wanted

**I'M** looking for a mature person to clean my medium sized 6 room house near South Lyon every Thursday. This person must be the "charge" type, not expected to bring children, not be afraid of a dog that won't bite and have own transportation. Send references and salary expected to P.O. Box 423, care of The Northville Record, 104 W Main Street, Northville, MI. 48167 a 48

**EXPERIENCED** BAKER, midnight shift, Apply Marv's Bakery, 10730 E. Grand River, Brighton

**I AM** INTERESTED in training a woman to learn tool and die work. Apply in person, RRR JJ Jig Grinding, 1480 US 23, 1/2 mile south of M 59 a 52

**DIE REPAIR** MAN YOU MUST have experience in repair and maintenance of progress dies. Applicant must be able to work afternoons and scheduled overtime, Haligh Industries, 6150 U S 23, Brighton EOP a 52

**DRAMA DIRECTOR** — To produce High School Musical this spring. Apply to Mr. Fields, Howell High School, 1 517 546-6200, Ext. 35 a 52

**BABYSITTER** from 5 a.m. 8:30 a.m. Brighton 229 9616 after 5 p.m. a 52

**WAITRESS** — Orleans Coney Island, Brighton Mall. Apply in person a 52

**DENTAL ASSISTANT** — Experienced chairside, full time position. Please call 227 4224 during business hours a 52

**OPENING** with a local Consumer Finance Co. for cashier, bookkeeper, who likes to meet people, handle figures accurately and is a very good typist. Must have experience, no Saturday work. Paid vacation, Blue Cross, and other fringe benefits. Call Mr. Ward, (517) 546 4432 for interview. a1f

**DENTAL** assistant, no experience necessary. 229 5990

**FULL** time or part time Go Go Dancers, minimum wage, \$250 weekly, also cocktail waitresses, 7 p.m. to 2 a.m. 313 426 3139 Mon Sat 9 a.m. 4 p.m.

**CASHIER** — Bookkeeper, experience desirable. Apply in person - Pine Lumber, 525 W Main St., Brighton

**SHAMPOO** girl, part time or full time 229 8850

**LOOKING** for 3 men to wash windows, work starting May 1. Experience helpful, but not necessary. Must have reliable truck or van. Call between 17 p.m. Brighton 229-5940 a 52

**BABYSITTER** — 5 nights (8 p.m. 4 a.m.) Must have own transportation 227 1280 a 52

**LOOKING** for 3 men to do lawn care. Experience helpful, but not necessary. Must have reliable truck or van. Call between 17 p.m. Brighton 229 5940 a 52

**ALL AROUND** MACHINIST — I need men capable of learning and teaching complete jobs. RRR JJ Jig Grinding, 1480 US 23, 1/2 mile south of M 59 a 52

**WELCOMER** WAGON? Immediate openings for energetic self-starter with car. Meet people and have fun as you earn. Evenings and Saturdays. Call 961-7750.

An equal opportunity employer

**PERMANENT** part-time typesetter. Monday 5:12 p.m., Tuesday 5:9 p.m., Friday 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., needed April 1. Northville Record Mr. Gross - Apply in person 1f

**SECRETARY** for small legal firm located in Northville. Nov. area. Good typing and dictation skills. Shorthand not necessary but helpful. Prior legal experience not required. Reply to P.O. Box 400, Northville, Mich. 48167 a 47

**A HIGHLY** successful Michigan Company is expanding in this area. We need ambitious people who can work without supervision. Part-time or full time. For interview call Joe Roth 1 517 546 4065 a 46

**SALES** SECRETARIES: Shorthand 90, up to \$630 up. Gals Friday. One gal operation, no bookkeeping, \$135 up. CLERK TYPIST: 20 min from Brighton, figure aptitude or drafting knowledge, \$580 up. PLACEMENTS UNLIMITED Call Judy 227 7651

**LEAD** guitarist, starting band. Those serious about working full time only 227 1909

**WOMEN'S** Fashions Sales & assistant manager, experience necessary. 36 hrs week. Write details to Box K 301, Brighton, Mich. 48116

**DEPENDABLE** office girl, experienced in typing, filing & general office work. Hrs 7:30-5 p.m. 229 7857

**ACCOUNTS** PAYABLE position with some secretarial responsibilities, type 55 wpm, light shorthand, salary open

**LEGAL** SECRETARY, type 60 wpm, shorthand 100-120

**STENOGRAPHER**, type 55 wpm, light shorthand. Personnel experience desirable, \$598 up

**RESPONSIBLE** job for secretary with 12 yrs college, good at math, type 55 wpm, shorthand 90 wpm, Salary open

**GAL** Friday, type 60 wpm light shorthand, \$3 hourly

**FULL CHARGE** Bookkeeper, 10 4 p.m. salary open

**MATURE** responsible executive secretary, type 80 wpm, good dictation skills, light shorthand \$700 up

**PLACEMENTS** UNLIMITED CALL ELEANOR 227 7651

**SALESMAN** with motorcycle experience. Apply in person, Sport Cycle, Brighton a1f

**WANTED** parts clerk, full time, single, female, 21-30 yrs \$2.25 hr. plus comm. Mr. C's Harley Davidson, Inc. 4986 S US 23, Brighton 227 3055

**PART** time delivery man 11:30 days a week. With pickup or station wagon 437 1724

**OLDER** woman to baby-sit 2 hours daily. Transportation provided, 437-8231

#### 6-1 Help Wanted

**FULLER** Brush needs distributor in South Lyon and vicinity. Excellent earnings \$10 investment to start. For interview, 271-3738 a 1f

**BABY** Sitter wanted, my home 10 Mile, Haggerty, 1 child, 2 or 4 hours mornings, some Saturdays, 349 3938

**WANTED** Secretary. Must have shorthand, telephone and typing abilities. General Electric Heating & Air Conditioning Distributor for Michigan. Profit sharing and insurance plan. 40 hrs. per week. Send resume to Engineering Sales Co., Inc., 24380 Innaplay Circle, Farmington Hills, MI, 48024

**RESTAURANT** Day or evening hours. Apply in person. Jeanette's Coney Island, 156 N. Center Street, Northville

**BOY** wanted for yard work. Steady summer employment. Apply Saturday, March 27th at 48210 Northvue Ct., W. Northville

**BROOKLINE** Golf Course, corner of 6 Mile & Sheldon, Northville now taking applications for inside & outside help. Waitresses, cooks, bartenders & ground maintenance. Apply in person between hours of 10 & 12. 20 years and over a 48

#### 6-2 Situations Wanted

**COMPANION** AIDE to sick or elderly, by hour-day week. Own transportation, 227-6430, Brighton a 1

**UPHOLSTERING**, custom made, also fabric & supplies for do it yourselfers. Brighton 227 2437 a1f

**HANDYMAN** UNLIMITED. Don't delay, all odd jobs done around your house, yard, and business. Friendly and free estimates. Call me first today, 229-8674. Laid - If no answer please try again in evening a2

**HANDYMAN**, General home repairs. Senior Citizens Rates. Call between 6 & 8 p.m. 349-1443 1f

**PLASTER** Repair Ceilings, walls, etc., and odd jobs. Brighton 229 6930 a52

**TYPING AT HOME** Stenorette Dictaphone Legal - Commercial Student Papers **437-1417**

**MAN** with truck to do hauling, moving, etc. 348 2047 after 5:00

**GARRY** INSTANT Painting Co. FREE Estimates 227 6217 or 229 9287

**BABYSITTING**, licensed, part or full time. Brighton 227 2557

**RELAX** Put all of your house repairs & additions in my hands 229 4160 a1f

**TREE** Service. Storm clean up. Free estimates 349-5275. 47

**HANDYMEN** 2 ambitious young men seeking general repair & clean up. Reasonable 227 5137 or (517) 546 4599 a 52

**ALUMINUM** Siding, qualify work reasonable prices. Free estimates 878 6881 a53

**REMODELED**, room additions, carpentry work. Free estimates. No job too big or too small. 878-6881 a53

**GUITAR** lessons. Finger picking, and flat picking techniques, Rhythm, lead, country folk, blues and rock. Call Fritz, 227-1123

**HARDWARE** STORE, downtown Brighton, known as Western Auto Store. Health reason for selling. Business phone, 229 7092. Home phone 227 6630 Brighton a 1

**RENT** Soft Water, \$8.00 per mo. (517) 546 9330

**NEED** a licensed electrician for that small job around the house? If so call 229 6044 a1f

#### 6-3A Income Tax

**EXPERIENCED** income tax service with instant copies. Local references, reasonable rates. For personal, farm and business, call John Wilson, 437 6501 h15

**INCOME** Tax Former IRS agent. Over 10 years experience. Tax Specialists, Inc. 30560 Grand River, Farmington Hills 478 3388

**INCOME** tax preparation. Complete city, state, federal long form, \$10. 15 years experience 427 1447. 48

#### 6-4 Business Opportunities

**BUILDING**, 30 x 60 ft reg electricity, and 220 electricity, cement floor with drain, 1 beam, insulated, large double doors, and office space 437 9643

**TRANSPORTATION** 

**7-1 Motorcycles** 75 BULTACO 360 Frontera Like new \$50 miles \$1195 761 4609

73 HONDA CB750, 74 Honda CL350, 74 Honda CL200, 74 Kawasaki, 100, 73 Honda SL350, 74 Honda C770, 74 Honda XR75, 75 Yamaha Y2125 Sport Cycle, 227 6128 a1f

74 KAWASAKI 750, custom seat, shortbar & pad 1300 miles 227 6802

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12 - Jordan River	Webster Bridge	28 - Cheboygan River	Cheboygan Dam
13 - Brevort River	Brevort Lake	29 - Oquago River	Barnhart Lake
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16 - Whitefish River	Headwaters	32 - East Br. Au Gres River	M-55 Bridge
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\* Upstream limits denote man made barriers to spawning fish or those imposed by state Department of Natural Resources

**'Bring 'em back ALIVE!'**

**Your 1976 Spring Steelhead Guide**

The centennial spring spawning run of Michigan steelhead up Great Lakes tributaries is providing anglers with some of the most exciting stream fishing anywhere in the nation, according to Automobile Club of Michigan.

More than 2.4 million steelhead — lake-run rainbow trout averaging eight pounds — are homing in on rivers across the state. Lower Peninsula runs should last through April and until June in Upper Michigan.

Since 70 percent of all steelhead are stream-caught, spring anglers often contend with snow, high, turbulent rivers, numbing cold and iced-covered lines when they tackle these fish, Auto Club stated.

But landing a 10-pound steelie after a half-hour fight is one of the most memorable moments any angler can experience.

Michigan steelhead were first introduced in the Au Sable River in 1876, but because of the limited plant, few were caught.

Great Lakes plantings since the 1960s have boosted numbers of fish to where they almost rival salmon in availability in the 37 rivers and harbors listed on the accompanying Auto Club map.

The number of steelhead available to anglers this spring is comparable to the near-record number in 1975. But experts believe that because steelhead are attracted to streams by ground water runoff, this spring's swollen rivers should mean record numbers of spawning fish.

The state's steelhead record of 26 pounds, eight ounces set last year in Lake Michigan off St. Joseph easily could be broken this spring. Landing a world record fish is unlikely, since a 42-pound, two-ounce fish taken at Bell Island, Alaska, in 1970 holds that mark.

Many anglers confuse steelhead with small chinook salmon. Auto Club states that the steelhead can be identified by its all-white mouth, spotted tail and rosy or pink gill plates.

Steelhead normally spawn on areas with bottoms of dime to half-dollar-sized gravel. They usually are on spawning beds in early morning or late afternoon, with a female accompanied by a harem of males. It is then that they are easiest to catch.

Experts don't start fishing until they see silvery flashes in those graveled areas, Auto Club said. That usually is the female fish clearing a bed. A spinner, fly or wobbling lure worked in front of spawning fish or through an occupied bed is almost guaranteed to bring a strike.

During peak daylight hours, steelhead generally are found at the downstream edge of deeper pools or underneath and behind rocks or stumps. A lure, spinner or fly fished near the bottom in those areas often will produce two or three fish from the same hole.

Not all steelhead are caught in streams. In the Thumb area, anglers fish off breakwalls or wade off shore and use spawn sacks to take most fish.

Catching steelhead never is a certainty. Anglers have actually rubbed the snouts of disinterested fish with lures or flies for hours before a strike, Auto Club notes.

There is no one spot in Michigan where steelheading is best. Lake Michigan's planted tributaries are more numerous, but East Michigan plantings have concentrated large numbers of fish in streams and several Thumb-area harbors, Auto Club states.

Besides knowing where to find steelhead, anglers should check all regulations applying to rivers, as sections of some streams are for fly fishing only and others are open only after the general trout season begins April 24.



## Qualities

Small is but small when gauged by its deeds,  
Tallness is tall in fulfillment of needs,  
greatness is great when its purpose is true,  
Humbleness serves these qualities, too.

Wisdom is worthy if it is knowing,  
Beauty is virtue if it is glowing,  
Kindness is kind when self is removed,  
Love is divine when in Spirit approved.

Spirit is pure when it comes from within,  
Joy is contentment when bliss is akin,  
Freedom is something we all would achieve;  
We can harvest them all if we only believe!

Charles E. Hutton

## Saints or Sinners

Don't associate with pain.  
Try not to understand.  
If a person proves unfit,  
Drive them from the land!

Look at all the sin around;  
People labeled "Gay".  
Liberation, he and she,  
Distance—stay away!

Teens are known to take the pill,  
Such profanity!  
Sex and violence, drink and dope,  
Stay away from me?

Is this really what GOD meant,  
When he gave the law?  
"Love me, little children,  
For I love you all.

Since I have no favorites,  
Neither should you hate."  
Is it saints and sinners?  
Or are the sinners, saints?

Arlene Rex Ford

## A Sonnet

Remember when we two were dearest friends?  
Those years seem now a puzzling memory  
I can't forget. How is it one offends  
A cherished friend? Is it the destiny  
Of man to hurt another as he tries  
To reach a goal, whatever it may be?  
With thoughtless acts a friendship slowly dies,  
As careless discord ruins harmony.  
But we were young and quickly cast aside  
Our naive ways. I do not think you meant  
To hurt my heart. To you I cannot hide  
The truth; I meant no harm. Now life has lent  
Us time to be at peace. Compassion must  
Reign on as king until we both are dust.

Ruth Burlas

## My Tenacious Foe

I have a relentless adversary that stalks me day and  
night,  
No matter where I go I cannot escape from his all-  
seeing sight.

He will not, as a friend will do, tell a white tale or two,  
But will with naked rectitude reveal the total truth to  
you.

Whenever I indulge a bit or relax my restraint a wit  
He is cognizant of the fact and in judgment he does sit.

He will never concede or even any compassion show  
But wields his "sword" with one shocking blow.

He is there when I go to bed and when I get up each  
morn,  
I think he has pursued me since the day that I was  
born.

He has no emotion—his face is as stern as can be,  
Unblinkingly, he metes out his cruel treatment with no  
sympathy.

He rules my life, this malevolent monster.  
And tortures my conscience as I devour a butter-  
drenched lobster.

I'm never able to fool him no matter how many tricks I  
play,  
He's always there to render his verdict and his justice  
to weigh.

What is this enigmatic enemy that makes me weep  
and wail?  
Why, it's none other than my very own bathroom  
scale.

Nancy Whisman

## Michigan Mirror

By ELMER E. WHITE

LANSING—Well over 100 years ago this July, Manley Miles introduced the first haymower and students at Michigan Agricultural College cut 40 acres.

Five years later, A.J. Cook discovered that London purple was successful against the codling moth.

And in 1941 — still at the East Lansing college — scientists patented the continuous injection of measured amounts of fruit and nuts into a stream of frozen ice cream.

Such are the accomplishments of "Spartan Science," as documented in a special Agricultural Experiment Station calendar for 1976 — a fitting topic as the University prepared for its 52nd annual Farmers Week.

MORE THAN 20,000 visitors are expected on the MSU campus the week of March 22-26 for Farmer Week sessions that deal with such diverse subjects as dairy nutrition and recreational skiing.

"Spirit with a Purpose" is the theme, emphasizing the Cooperative

Extension Service help to Michigan farmers over the past 61 years. The service now has 80 county offices serving residents of all 83 Michigan counties, especially through educational programs.

The aim: translate the fruits of agricultural research into terms the average person can understand and put to use.

TOUTED as the second largest source of income in Michigan, agriculture brought sales of \$1.7 billion in 1974.

That year, the Agriculture Department reports, Michigan ranked first in the nation in production of six different crops: red tart cherries, dry edible beans, pickling cucumbers, fine Eastern soft white winter wheat, rhubarb and blueberries.

FLICKING ON the lights today is a taken-for-granted action.

To keep it that way 10 years from now, experts need to know how much electric power they should plan to provide.

That, in a nutshell, outlines one task

of the Governor's Advisory Commission on Electric Power Alternatives, chaired by former Lt. Governor James H. Brickley, who now is president of Eastern Michigan University.

WHILE PROJECTIONS of power needs have proved deficient in some ways in the past, the commission is convinced that it may have the answer in a new forecasting system that uses complicated computer calculations.

The new system projects that if Michigan's economy runs at average speed over the next 10 years, Detroit Edison's electric load would grow at 4.17 percent a year, and Consumers Power's load would grow at 5.26 percent a year.

Detroit Edison and Consumers Power together supply about 90 percent of Michigan's electricity, and their sales grew consistently at over 7 percent a year until 1974.

HELP ME—or one of my competitors for that matter. Just get involved and help.

That's the plea from Republican Congressman Marvin Esch of Ann Arbor, who's a candidate for the GOP nomination for the U.S. Senate seat

being vacated by Phil Hart.

Esch has announced plans to pass out stamped envelopes at his campaign rallies so citizens can mail him contributions for his political campaign. And he says envelopes with names and addresses of all the U.S. Senate nomination candidates will also be available at his rallies on request.

MEANWHILE, yet another hat appears in the ring. Former Michigan Supreme Court Justice Thomas Brennan, now dean of Cooley Law School in Lansing, says he also is running for the Republican nomination.

Brennan's entry into the race brings the total of GOP candidates to five. Others are: Deane Baker of Ann Arbor, a University of Michigan regent; former Congressman Robert Huber of Troy; and Lewis Engman of Grand Rapids, former chairman of the Federal Trade Commission.

Democrats seeking their party's nomination are: State Senator John Otterbacher of Grand Rapids, Congressman Don Riegler of Flint, Congressman James O'Hara of Utica and Birmingham attorney James Elsmar.

## Man Made Goods

"They" will make a better world.  
"They" know everything.  
"They" are called and "They" are picked,  
Grabbed the golden ring.

"They" have all the answers.  
Look at what "They've" done.  
But be sure the door is locked,  
Shells are in the gun.

Don't allow your child outside.  
Pocketbooks are risks.  
Karate, judo, for a girl,  
Should compete with fists.

I wonder if "They" know as much.  
As "They" think "They" do?  
Bellowing, "DO what we say!"  
Not, "Do what we do."

Can't "They" see we've had enough?  
Laughter's turned to tears.  
Maybe "They" should shut their mouths  
and open up their ears?

I've asked it here, and asked it there.  
I seem to cause dismay.  
I know quite well who "He" is,  
But who on earth is "They"?

Arlene Rex Ford

## Untitled

Just a few hundred years ago God gave  
America to sinful man  
A few hundred years was all man needed  
To pollute this beautiful land.

Man's heart, back then, was filled with love  
For God and his fellow man  
And, oh how he loved America  
This beautiful God-given land

He set aside one day each week  
Just to worship and to pray  
In God We Trust was on each coin  
He read the Bible every day

America began to grow and grow  
God blessed abundantly  
'Til it was known throughout the world  
As the land of the pure and free

Then Satan began a mighty work  
Sewing his evil seed  
He planted this seed in the heart of man  
"For God you have no need."

Soon man neglected to read God's word  
To pray he had no time  
He must study to prove his greatness  
More worldly wisdom he determined to find

The leaders of this blessed land  
Took our children's rights away  
They ruled that in the classroom  
They were not allowed to pray

Yes, they took the Bible from the school  
One sinner did this, somehow  
The law of God could not be taught  
And, o just look at our children now

Look at the crime rate in this land  
Look what Satan has left behind  
But don't bother to look for compassion and love  
For this you seldom will find

America, o wicked and sinful land  
Repent, repent, come back today  
Come back to the God of your fathers  
Be great again, repent and pray

Gladys Combs

## If I Could Fly

If I could fly,  
I would jump way up high,  
And catch a fly,  
If I could fly.

If I could fly,  
I'd look down and see,  
A bee buzzing busily,  
If I could fly.

If I could fly,  
I would play tag with the planes,  
And eat a candy cane  
If I could fly.

Ann Wolding  
Age 9

## Why Me?

Temperatures are rising.  
Coughing, hacking, urp.  
Four are down in bed with flu.  
This one, that one, syrup.

"Mommie, I am thirsty!"  
"Mother, I threw up!"  
Washing sheets and foreheads,  
Sterilizing cups.

Though my bones are aching,  
Back's about to break;  
I cannot afford the flu.  
Courage I must fake.

Finally they're better.  
Off to school once more.  
I sink down in grand relief.  
Who comes in the door?

A feverish husband,  
Tired and weak and thin.  
"GOD", I humbly plea, "Why me?"  
Here I go again!

Arlene Rex Ford



Henry Ford, Detroit auto pioneer, is dead at the age of 83. He died four years after turning over the reins of his auto empire to his grandson, Henry Ford, II.

Ford pioneered the development of the mass produced automobile. In 1907 he decided to build one car, the Model T. Fifteen million Model T's took to the road from 1908 to 1927 and changed the world.

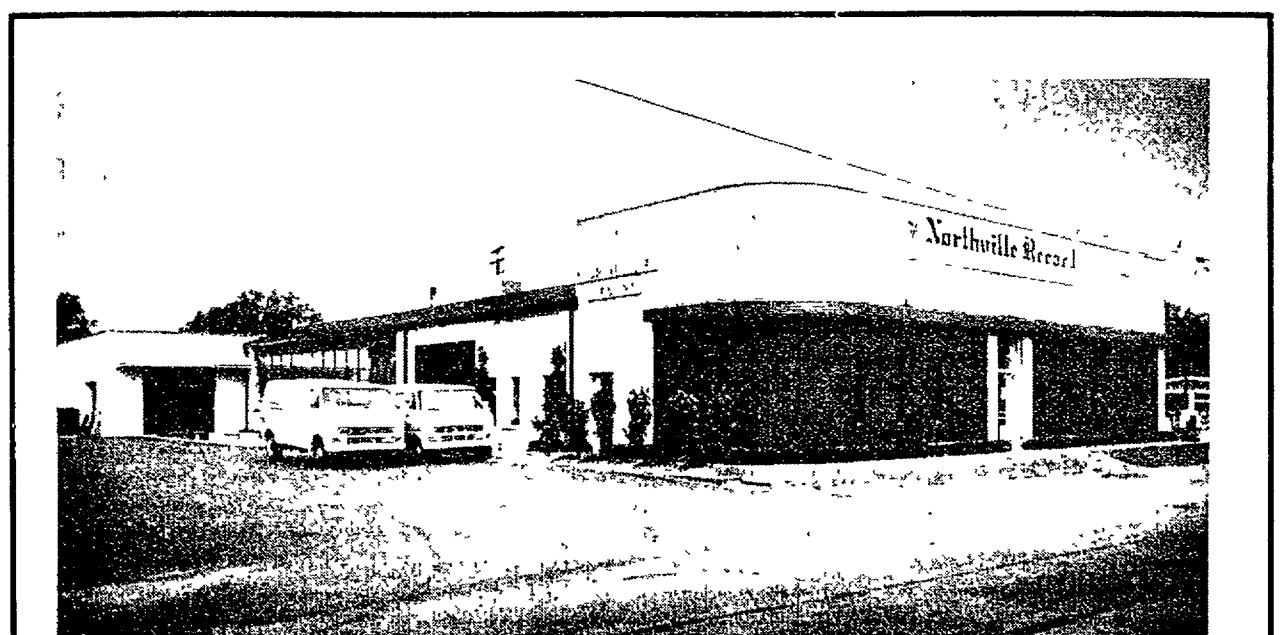
Ford sold his car at a reasonable price. He once said, "The right sales price is always the lowest price at which, all things considered, the article can be manufactured . . . it is the duty of the manufacturer constantly to lower prices and increase wages."

Ford pioneered the idea that the workers in his auto plants were also consumers who would one day buy the cars they produced.

In 1907 the Model T Roadster costed \$825.00. In 1925 it costed \$260.00 and over 2 million were produced that single year.

In 1915 when the average manufacturing wage was \$11.00 per week, Ford announced a \$5.00 per day wage.

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**JIMMY E. GREER**, operations manager for Guardian Photo Division's photo processing plant in Novi, has been named Employee of the Year by Guardian Industries Corporation, a Michigan-based company with sales in excess of \$100 million annually.

Greer, who was born in Lincoln Park and graduated from Lincoln Park High School, was honored for "outstanding management of the Novi photo processing plant in 1975." The plant is the largest independently operated photo processing facility serving retail dealers in the United States.

Now a South Lyon resident, Greer attended Lawrence Institute of Technology and worked as a research technician at Wyandotte Chemical Company for several years before joining Guardian Photo Division as a chemist in 1968. He was promoted to chemical analyst, then quality control manager for all three Guardian Photo plants before becoming operations manager at the Novi plant in July of 1974.

In addition to its Guardian Photo Division, Guardian Industries is a leading manufacturer and fabricator of glass for the automotive and construction industries.

**NATIONAL BANK** of Detroit has announced the promotion of Roy C. Postel of Novi to loan officer in the bank's international division.

An NBD employee for three years, Postel deals with corporate customers requiring international credit.

Postel holds B.S. and B.A. degrees in general business from the University of Missouri at St. Louis and an M.B.A. degree from Washington University in St. Louis.

He is an accounting instructor for the American Institute of Banking.



ROY C. POSTEL

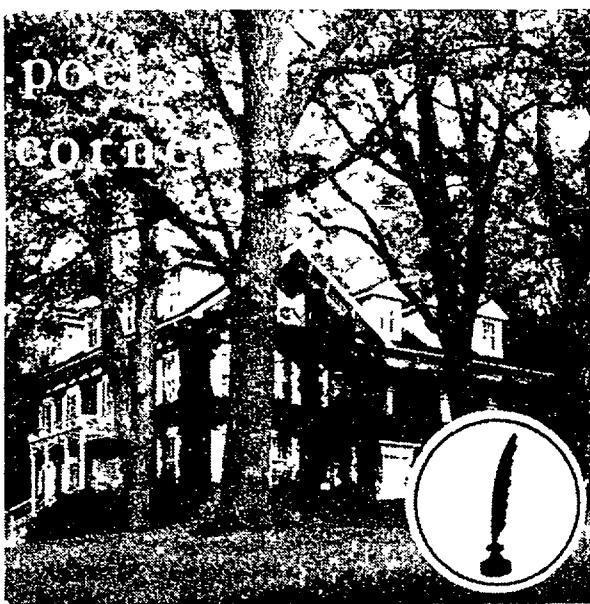
**PLANS TO OPEN** a new insurance agency in South Lyon have been announced by Bick Mayo, a city resident for the past 15 years.

Mayo and Associates is a member of the Independent Insurance Agents (IIA) and will handle life, accident, and health insurance for Auto Owners Life; Travelers Life, Accident, and Health; and Time Insurance companies.

Initial operations will be handled out of an office at 234 W. Liberty, but Mayo stated that he plans to move into permanent quarters in the South Lyon central business district.

Mayo has had extensive experience in the field of market research. Previously, he served as director of marketing for Marketing Information Systems out of Ann Arbor and systems design and marketing research consultant for both William Donaldson Associates in Southfield and B&M Consultants in Ann Arbor.

He and his wife Nancy and their eight children have lived in South Lyon for the past 15 years.



## Reincarnation?

*Cats, they say, have many lives.  
I wonder if it's true...  
It sometimes seems that old Sam strives  
To call me with a "mew".*

*I hear, at different times of day  
Her voice beside my feet,  
As though in words she seems to say—  
"Across this span we meet  
The same way that it was before,  
When you could see me there;  
I'm right beside you on the floor  
Where you always brushed my hair.*

*"I slept upon your bed last night,  
And dreamed a pleasant dream  
That I hadn't really died at all,  
And things aren't as they seem.*

*"I'm really here, your old friend Sam,  
And look the same today;  
I truly haven't changed at all  
From the time I went away."*

Charles E. Hutton

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A **TRAVEL PARTY** is being staged for the public tomorrow evening (Thursday) at 7 o'clock in the community room of Northville Square. Sponsored by Transcontinental Travel Bureau, it will feature films, brochures, gifts and refreshments.

The U.S. Department of Labor has announced the appointment of Richard D. Swain, formerly of Novi, as Deputy Director of the Labor Department's Bureau of Apprenticeship and Training (BAT), Region V.

Swain had previously served as a field representative for BAT in the Lansing area office. He held that post from January of 1972 until his present appointment this month.

The thirteen year Labor Department employee will be working with other BAT personnel to stimulate and assist industry in the development of apprenticeship programs in Region V's six-state area. The states included are Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Ohio and Wisconsin.

BAT is part of the Labor Department's Employment and Training Administration which conducts such programs as the Work Incentive Program (WIN), the Comprehensive Employment and Training Act of 1973 (CETA) and the Job Corps.

The 44-year-old ex-Marine will be moving to Downers Grove, Illinois soon with his wife, Dawn, and their family.

**PERRY DRUG STORES** today announced a new burglary and robbery deterrent program for its 39 stores and facilities in southeastern Michigan.

Under the program, a \$1,000 reward will be offered for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any persons breaking into and unlawfully entering the stores to commit a theft, or committing a robbery in any of its facilities. Law officers and private citizens will be eligible for the reward.

"Burglary and robbery are two of the fastest growing types of crime in the country," explained Jack A. Robinson, president of the drug store chain.

"A basic feature of our approach to fighting crime is in trying to prevent it from happening in the first place. We are hopeful that the program and the reward will cause criminals to think at least twice about attempting to rob one of our facilities.

"Then, too, the offer of the reward will considerably increase the prospect of someone stepping forward and identifying the perpetrator. It is also expected that this program will provide an increased degree of security for our employees and our customers."

The reward, the posting of notices in all Perry stores, and a publicity program will alert the public to the seriousness of the problem.

Crime against retailers, particularly drug stores, has expanded rapidly in recent years. An estimated 6,320 drug related crimes were committed against drug stores in 1974, compared with 4,333 in the previous year.

The estimate for 1975 is more than 7,000. It is estimated that drug stores suffer theft losses equal to 3 percent of sales, an amount that approximated \$500 million in 1974, equivalent to \$10,000 per drug store.

A particularly frightening feature is that the infliction of violence is becoming commonplace with these thefts.

"We must realize that when a crime is committed against a drug store society must pay the incalculable costs of drug abuse, the crime it inspires, and the lives it destroys," Robinson stated.

Headquartered in Pontiac, Perry Drug Stores operates 39 units serving 30 communities in southeastern Michigan.

## Night

*Dark, dark night  
It has no light  
But still looks very merry.  
It buzzes and howls...  
Sometimes growls,  
And looks very scary.*

Norah Shemetulskis  
Age 9



**WAITRESSES** and patrons showed plenty of spirit last week when a goat — fittingly — visited the Goat Farm Restaurant in Novi. The goat, which was borrowed from a Milford farm, was brought in to help in the celebration of last Wednesday's St. Patrick's Day, according to Ben Flannery, part owner.



## Honolulu, Hawaii—Traveler's Vignette

It was the usual cross section of American travelers that filed aboard a Western Flight Saturday noon in Los Angeles bound for Hawaii, Orient and South Pacific. There was no separate first class section and all seats were spacious and comfortable. Soon the prevailing mood of all passengers was the same. One hour out everyone was visiting in couples and groups.

One passenger was rushing to reach alcoholic euphoria with champagne in each hand. He assured us he was an important guy in Detroit, owned a factory, named-dropped members of D.A.C. and leading politicians. Two hours later booze had silenced him and his embarrassed wife appeared grateful.

Our seat neighbor, shyly enthused about her dreams of a new life in Hawaii; new hopes, new friends, new surroundings. Her kids were grown up, married and didn't "really need her anymore". She showed us a clipping from want ads saying this agency had plenty of positions for retired school teachers. She hadn't taught in over 30 years but she wondered if we thought she could make it. Of course we did, and we smiled at each other. But all of us knew it was an untruth born of graciousness.

Barney and Elsa, from up-front, obviously the hearty outdoors types, had been married one week. They were headed for Australia where the government would give them land to start a farm of their own. Elsa had been married to Barney's brother, Harold, who was killed in a car accident last year. Barney had never married.

When they decided to marry, Elsa's children made remarks about the deal. Elsa said, "I thought to heck with it. I sold the farm, gave the kids half the money to divide between themselves. Barney and I are starting a new phase of our lives."

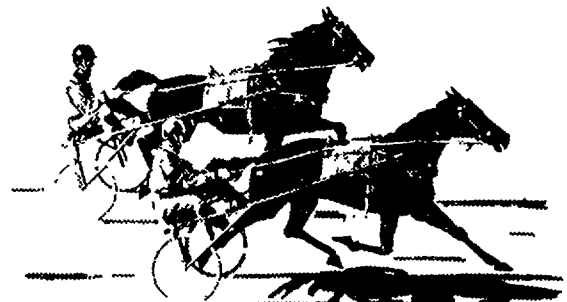
I knew from the shy way they held hands, their square jaws and the determined glint in their eyes that Australia would soon be enriched by their arrival. Here was true adventure!

The safety-belt warning lit up for landing. Excitement and mystique of these wondrous islands enveloped us all



W. J. Schlapman, left, general manager of the Outdoor Power Equipment Division of the J. I. Case Company, presents a sales achievement trophy to Ric Cevora of New Hudson Power and Implement Center. Cevora was hosted to a 3-day visit to the OPE Divisional headquarters in Winneconne, Wis., and the sales trophy was presented to the New Hudson company during an awards banquet. The Case division hosted the top North American Dealers as part of a "Space Mission" program.

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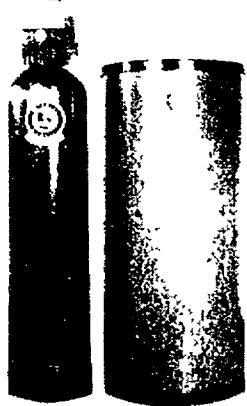
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# Pitching Staff Worries Kucher

By Kevin Brazell

If quantity, conditioning and enthusiasm are any indication of a good baseball team, Coach Bob Kucher has a bona fide championship squad on his hands.

A turnout of 52 boys have been working indoors on conditioning and fundamentals for three days a week since the beginning of March. The group dropped to

45 after two weeks, and preliminary cuts over the weekend trimmed the squad further. Kucher plans to carry 21 boys on the team.

"Many of the boys played winter sports and are in good shape," Kucher claimed.

Anxious to start working on hitting the team moved outdoors Thursday. Kucher plans to continue practicing outside, weather permitting.

Last year the Mustangs posted an 8-11 overall record and placed second in the Western-Six finishing at 6-4.

Last year's title flag wavers, Plymouth Canton again appear as the team to beat in the circuit.

"Tom Close, a catcher, and all-league pitcher, Bill Parson, are back for Canton, and they are tough," claimed Kucher.

The Mustang mentor sees Northville, Harrison, Mott and Churchill all scrambling behind Canton. Walled Lake Western is the real dark horse according to Kucher.

Northville returns eight members of last year's Varsity squad, but only three were regulars.

"We are a young team with good sophomores and juniors," explained Kucher, "with a bright outlook toward the future."

Pitching and hitting is untested and a definite question mark. However, Kucher feels they are very strong defensively and will make good use of their quickness on the basepaths.

Don Funk and Dave Heckerl seem to be the number one and two pitchers, but both suffered arm trouble and have seen only limited action on the varsity level.

After Funk and Heckerl the "pickin's get pretty slim." The emergence of a third starter and some bull pen help would certainly be welcomed by Kucher.

Bill Piccolo, last year's second baseman, will be switching over to the hot corner.

Bryan Riegner and Jim Niemi are the other returning starters from last year. Riegner will handle the first base chores and Niemi will be stationed in the outfield.

Returning senior, Jim Carson seems to have the edge in earning the shortstop duty while Doug Marzoni, Rick Marrone and Ed Talbot, all from the JV squad a year ago, will battle it out for the second sack spot.

Greg Armstrong, it appears, will handle the pitchers.

Senior Scott Travers and juniors, Nick Hamp and Tim Conder will be working hard to join Niemi in the outfield.

Many of the boys played together last summer in the Livonia High School League, thus gaining some experience playing with each other.

"They were about .500, but the important thing is what they learned," Kucher said.

Northville boasts a tough schedule. Several top non-league "A" teams fill the early part of the season. Kucher explained this will help them prepare for the league race.

"We are striving for a league championship, not necessarily a good record," explained Kucher.

Kucher returns to the Mustang coaching staff after a ten-year layoff. Kucher piloted the Northville nine to two Wayne-Oakland league championships and a runnerup spot in three years of coaching in the mid-sixties.

After the 1966 club went 20-2, Kucher was promoted to Athletic Director and served for eight years.

The field general is a teacher at Meads Mill Elementary School



**RETURNING LETTER WINNERS**—Bill Piccolo (above) should be supplying offensive support with his big bat. Piccolo will be the third sacker after playing second base last year. Bryan Riegner (below) can do plenty of stretching as he returns to first base duties.



## NORTHVILLE HIGH SCHOOL VARSITY BASEBALL SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Place	Time
April 12	Clarenceville	H	4:00
April 14	Novi	A	4:00
April 19	Lakeland (2 games)	A	12:00
April 21	Salem (2 games)	A	1:00
April 23	Franklin (2 games)	H	12:00
April 26	Thurston	A	4:00
April 28	Western	A	4:00
April 30	Canton	A	4:00
May 3	Harrison	H	4:00
May 5	Mott	A	4:00
May 8	Lutheran West (2 games)	H	12:00
May 10	Churchill	H	4:00
May 12	Western	H	4:00
May 15	Redford Union (2 games)	H	12:00
May 17	Canton	H	4:00
May 19	Harrison	A	4:00
May 22	North Farmington (2 games)	H	12:00
May 24	Mott	H	4:00
May 26	Churchill	A	4:00



**SENIOR STARTERS**—Scott Travers, Don Funk and Bill Piccolo (top row) Jim Carson, Bryan Riegner, Coach Bob Kucher and Jim

Niemi are expected to produce for the Mustang nine.

# Novi Lacking Track Depth

Because there are only 20 would-be tracksters out for the Novi squad Coach Del Munson could be having serious problems

With only six returning seniors from an unvictorious team, a sixth place finish in the Southeastern Conference would seem optimistic

Munson sees Lincoln as being able to walk away with the league race despite South Lyon being last year's champs.

"Brighton, Chelsea, Saline and South Lyon will be battling for second and third," claimed Munson.

Novi does have some outstanding individual talent but with the limited number of students out, it is an understatement to say depth will be the problem.

Ben Galyan can heave the shot 45 feet and should be taking quite a few first places in meets

The senior shot-putter

finished sixth in the regionals last year and should break the school record according to Munson

Lou Bannatz, Joe Silvestri, Tom Yake and Art Neil will be complementing Galyan in the shot and also in the discus.

Dennis MacDermid and Don Moore both cleared 10'6" in the pole vault last year and should improve, Munson claimed.

The long jump is a real strong point for the Wildcats.

Andy Roddant, only a junior, has topped 21 feet and senior Mark Mills has hit 18'6".

High jumper Tom Morris is only a sophomore but performs like a senior. Morris leaped 5'10" as a freshman. Geoff Morse is also being counted on to lend aid in the high jump.

Bryant Hammond provides strength in the hurdles

"At the start of last year he couldn't fall over a hurdle, but by the end of the year he had outstanding form and finished third in the league," Munson related

Andrew Roddant runs a 10.8 second 100-yard-dash but will be getting strong competition from Tom Morris both in the 100 and 220.

"Geoff Morse is more than capable of a good 440 but he has to convince himself that he can do it," Munson said.

Kevin Pyant has come on strong and Joe Urban and John Carter have looked good in the early workouts in the 440.

"The relays are completely up in the air. We are still searching and hoping," stated Munson.

Mark Mills is the number one man in the half-mile. Coach Munson had plenty of praise for the senior. "He has more athletic ability than anybody in the school. Mark has the natural form and stride to be great; he just needs the confidence."

Jeff Johnston and Glenn Caudell from the cross country team should give returning senior Rick Balagna stiff competition in the long distance events

Johnston as a ninth grader was fourth in the conference in cross country.

"Whatever he wants to run he'll do the job," assistant coach Dave Armstrong said of Johnston.

Rahul and Suketu Sanghpi are new men who Armstrong hopes can add depth to the one and two mile races

Radant, Galyan and Hammond should be standouts for Novi but because the Wildcats don't have the numbers it could be a long season for Munson and Armstrong.

"We are still looking for talent; it's not too late for anybody to come out," Munson encouraged.

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Ben Galyan is the star shot-putter at Novi High

# Redmond Looking to Fill Holes; Large Turnout Insures Depth

Ralph Redmond and his Northville track team are hoping to improve last year's 8-6 record and third place finish in the Western Six League.

Defending champ Churchill again seems to be the team to beat. Based on a second place finish at the state meet in cross country, Churchill should be very strong in the distance and middle-distance.

After Churchill, Coach Redmond figures second belongs to anybody, with

Mott, Walled Lake Western and Northville the main contestants.

Redmond has 11 letter winners back along with 43 other boys to help provide the depth needed.

Because Northville is largely a junior team Redmond has some holes to fill. The biggest bare spots seem to be in short speed and the field events.

Captain Dan Eirhart is the top pole-vaulter on the squad. Eirhart has topped 11'6" and

Craig Raycraft, only a freshman, has the potential to top nine feet. Frank Bustamante will also try to lead a hand in the vaulting.

Eric Lampella, Cris Armada and Brian Prom have been working on the high jump. Armada and Lampella can both top the 5'6" mark. Despite being a freshman, Toby White appears to be the top high jumper.

The long jump needs filling as Dennis Keegan is the only jumper that can go better than 20 feet.

Lampella, Armada, Berry Grady, Nathan Hay, and Bob Sweeney are also giving the long jump a try.

Bruce Lampella consistently throws the shot-put over 40 feet. Vic Renaud, Mark Morland, Scott Liekett, Cris Friel, Norm Pratt, Kevin Corcoran and Earl Bingley will also be competing in the shot-put and discus with Lampella.

The 100-yard dash is still wide open as new comers, Ray Coram, Keith Cattaneo, Tim Ellis, Mike Fauer and Kevin Corcoran have all been working hard.

Earl Bingley and Captain Frank Nelson are the ones to watch in the 220 and 440 and both will help out in the 880 and mile relay.

Bob Sweeney is also a top notch runner in the 440 and Dean Robinson and Randy Tharp should help provide depth.

Newcomer Brian Turnbull has looked very good in the 880, after running a 2:20 half mile in junior high.

Dave Settles, Jim Weston, Phil Reed, Jim Monagle and Jim Bedford are among the others competing in the half-mile.

John Coram, Dan Earehart and Rick Rose all have the potential to break 2:05 in the half mile.

Bob Gould and Don Wilber will provide strength in the mile and two mile.

Gould holds the school record with a 9:48 clocking in the two mile and was 14th in the state as a sophomore.

Ted Taggart and Tom Lee from the cross country team are also being counted on for distance depth.

Juniors Dennis Singleton and Dan Presswood provide plenty of punch in the hurdles.

Singleton is consistent at 21.1 in the lows and 15.2 in the high hurdles.

Both Singleton and Presswood will also be called on in the relays.

Ray Coram, Brian Prom, Kevin Schugar, John Traher and Scott Maloney will be the back-up hurdlers.

"We have veterans in several positions and now we are trying to fill the holes," Redmond explained.

"If we can find some boys to do the job, we can keep experience in stock, which is always hard," Redmond claimed looking over his list



Earl Bingley hands the baton to teammate Bob Sweeney

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Dan Presswood, Dennis Singleton and John Treanor practice the hurdles

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Date	Opponent	Place	Time	
March 27	Huron Relays	EMU	All day	
April 1	Brighton	H	4:00	
April 3	Spartan Relays	MSU	All day	
April 10	Mansfield Relays	Ohio	Overnight	
April 13	North Farmington	H	4:00	
April 15	Walled Lake Western	A	4:00	
April 17	Cranbrook	H	4:00	
April 21	Salem Stevenson	A	4:00	
April 29	Canton	A	4:00	
May 1	Observerland Relay	Redford	All day	
May 4	Bishop Borgess	H	4:00	
May 6	Harrison	H	4:00	
May 13	Mott	A	4:00	
May 15	Cardinal Relays		All day	
May 19	Churchill	H	4:00	

## Sports Shorts

Dan Platte, Ed Talbot and Dave Bentley were named to be the tri-captains of next year's Northville Wrestling squad in an announcement last Wednesday at their banquet.

Talbot was also selected as the most valuable wrestler.

Mike Georgoff was chosen as the team's most improved grappler and Brian Faustyn got the nod as the best first-year wrestler.

Northville has always been a strong baseball community and baseball coach Bob Kucher was quick to point out that many have gone on into college and pro ranks.

Steve Evans from the 1965 team was signed into the St. Louis Cardinal organization. Dennis Primeau and Doug Swiss of the 1966 squad played minor league ball with the Oakland A's and Tigers respectively.

Perhaps the most notable was Fred Holdsworth, the 1970 graduate who was with the Tigers.

Holdsworth is the only Northville pro player whom Kucher did not coach.

Organizational meetings for Northville softball leagues have been slated for the weeks to come.

The Northville Men's Invitational Slo-Pitch League will meet April 7 while their women counterparts will assemble on the preceding day.

The Northville Co-Ed Open Sunday Slo-Pitch League will come together April 14.

All meetings are to begin at 7 p.m. at the Department office, 215 W. Main Street. Contact Charles Froberger 349-0203 for more information.

Because of the current high school football playoff system, Northville football coaches wanted an all-Class-A schedule, thus Novi was going to be dropped after next season's game.

Despite hurting the Mustangs' tournament chances, acting athletic director, Walt Koepke told The Record that a verbal agreement has been made with Novi to continue playing the Class B school.

Koepke cited the traditional rivalry and the possibility of Novi becoming Class A as the reasons for continuing to play the Wildcats.

Coach Chuck Shonta explained that the reason Novi was going to be dropped was in no way related to the quality of their program but because of the effect of playing a class B school could have on tournament hopes.

The Novi Little League will be holding a meeting for umpires tonight at 8 p.m. in the Novi High School.

Anyone interested in umpiring should attend.

Five grapplers from the Northville A.A.U. Wrestling Club placed at the John Glenn Freestyle Tournament last weekend.

Lance Irey, Mike Lurvey, Rick Torgersen and Brian Faustyn all finished third in their weight classes for the 13 and 14-year-old bracket.

Marty Johnson also managed a third-place finish in the 15-18-year-old circuit.

Over 20 boys have been participating regularly at the Tuesday night practices. The club is still open for membership.

Contact Coach Gary Emerson at 349-3400 if interested.

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March 30 and 31 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. and April 3 from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. are also scheduled for sign-ups.

The Recreation office is at 215 W. Main.

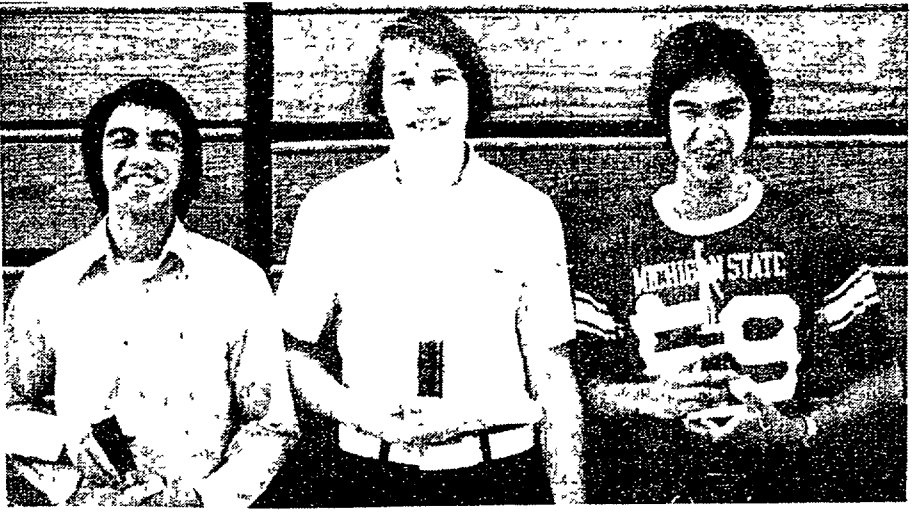
Classes include: Baton, cheerleading, ballet, jazz, tap, belly dancing, ballroom dancing, creative canvas work, golf, guitar, hustle, bump and rock, women's exercise, gymnastics.

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MVP'S—Cris Armada (left) and brother Tony (right) were named as co-most valuable players on this year's Northville basketball team. Mark Lisowski was named by coach Walt Koepke as the most improved Mustang's squad.

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# Swim Banquet Successful; Poetry by Lauber Sparkles

Retiring Coach Ben Lauber and the Northville swimmers were honored Thursday at their annual banquet at Meads Mill.

Parents, alumni and honored guests were in attendance to pay tribute to the coach and the Western Six champs.

During the festive banquet, Lauber was presented with a movie projector and screen in gratitude of his dedicated coaching throughout the years.

Joe Devereaux and Scott Knapp were presented plaques for their outstanding diving.

Ed Erdos earned a trophy for most points among seniors.

Jim Cahill and Randy Roggenbuck were each presented a trophy as the two tied for most points among the juniors.

Tom Cahill was presented an award for most points for the freshmen.

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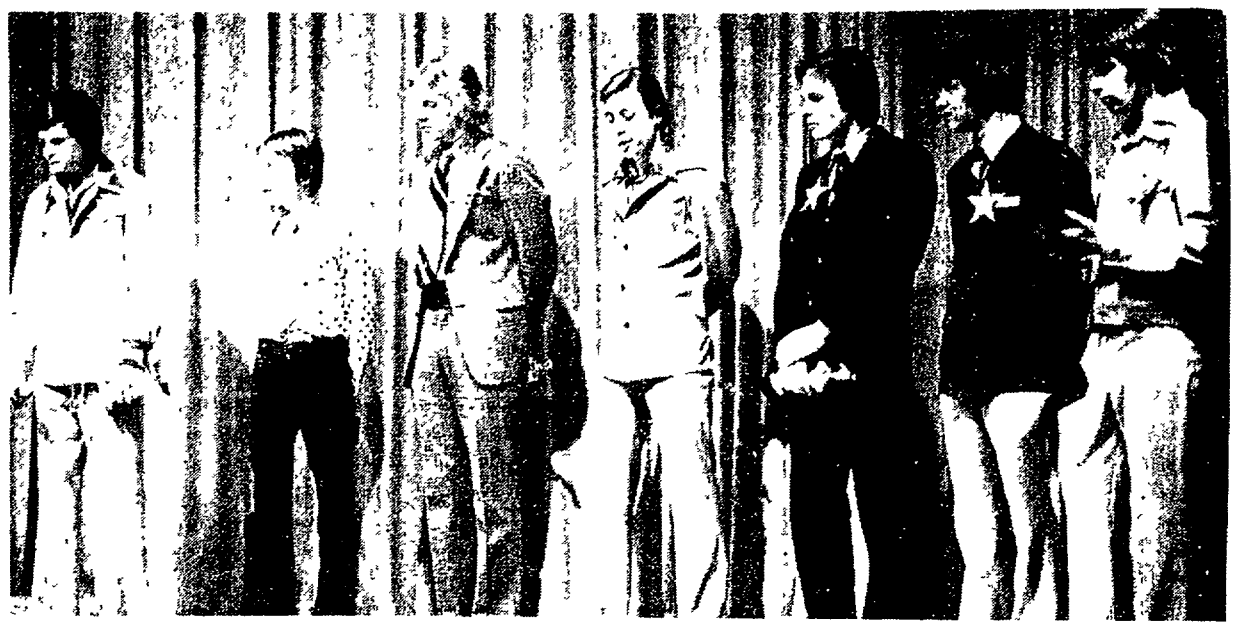
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A poem written and read by Lauber honoring the seniors was one of the highlights of the evening.

"Dean All worked so hard this year, that he needed a long rest. A vacation down in Florida, he thought would be the best. For two whole weeks he laid around, did not swim a single day. The thought of that had caused my hair to go from brown to gray. But Dean returned to show us all, next to him there was no comparison. And we were impressed, the way he swam, when we won against Harrison. Joe, and Scott, worked so hard this year, we knew they'd go all the way. For they had proved to all of us, that hard work will always pay. They were one-two, in dual meets and one-two in league and tops when they dove at state. It's no wonder the students throughout the whole school are saying these two are just great. They bounced and flipped and twisted, and even did a gainer. But, the real reason they could stay so loose, is cause they don't have to compete against Hochner. Saulius Mikalonis said beating Harrison, is something he really adored. But the thing he really enjoyed the most was getting his name on the record board. He led his team to victory, he led us to success. But, when he led me to his locker one day, I couldn't believe the mess. When Saulius came to swim for us, he put on quite a show. But as for all the jokes he told, he has a long, long way to go. Pete Talbot is a leader, his teammates call him "Pooh". He gets his kicks at Harrison, when he tells Humphries he's through.



**TROPHY WINNERS**—Matt Sullivan, Tom Cahill, Randy Roggenbuck, Jim Cahill, Ed Erdos, Scott Knapp and Joe Devereaux (from l to r) received honors for their strong

season-long performances. Sullivan, only a sophomore, was named the most valuable swimmer at the Northville swimming banquet at Meads Mill last Thursday.

## Local Tryouts Scheduled

Baseball tryouts for Novi Little League, minor league teams (8 and 9-year-olds) are set for April 5 and 6. The tryouts will be held at Novi Elementary School, 26350 Novi Road.

Tryouts for major league teams are as follows: 10-year-olds — April 6 and 7; 11-year-olds — April 8; 12-year-olds — April 9.

The pony league tryouts are slated for April 12.

Senior league teams get their chance on May 10 for 13-year-olds and May 11 for those age 14 and 15.

All tryouts start at 6 p.m. Novi High School Athletic Field will be the site of major, pony and senior league tryouts.

In the event of foul weather all dates will be moved ahead one day or until weather permits.

All players will be advised of what team they will play for some time during the following week.

For further information contact Dick Hayosh 349-8612.

There are still some

openings in all three girls' softball leagues. Sign-ups will continue until April 2 at the Northville Recreation Department.

Tryouts for softball have been changed from March 27 to April 1. All tryouts will be held at Ford Field.

The schedule for girls' softball tryouts is as follows: 9 a.m. — 9-11-year-olds, 10:30 a.m. — 12 and 13-year-olds, Noon — 14 and 15-year-olds.

Hardball tryouts for the boys will be April 3 on the following schedule: 9 a.m. — High School Field — "F" League (12-13-year-olds), 9 a.m. — Ford Field — "G" League (10-11-year-olds), 1 p.m. — Ford Field — "H" League (8-9-year-olds).

One coach is still being sought in each of the boys' leagues. For more information call Dave Mitchell at 459-0484.

Mark Chevrolet Pee Wee Hockey Club try-outs will be held at Inkster Arena Friday at 8:00 p.m.

The arena is located at Inkster and Michigan Avenue. For further information call Coach Harry Johnson 532-3752 or manager Don Kolehmanen, 422-3885.

### NOVI TRACK SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Place	Time
April 10	Country Day Relays	A	9:00
April 15	Dexter	H	4:00
April 22	Chelsea	A	4:00
April 27	Clarenceville	A	4:00
April 29	Saline	H	4:00
May 3	Hartland	A	4:00
May 6	Brighton	A	4:30
May 11	Lincoln	H	4:30
May 13	Milan	A	4:30
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Mustangs	0	11	
Fifth and Sixth Graders			
76'ers	11	0	
Bulls	10	1	
Knicks	7	2	
Warriors	7	4	
Raiders	5	6	
Trotters	5	6	
Sonics	5	6	
Lakers	1	10	
Royals	1	10	
Celtics	1	10	
Seventh and Eighth Graders			
Colonels	8	3	
Nets	8	3	
Pistons	7	4	
Pacers	4	7	
Trailblazers	3	8	
Mohawks	2	9	
Scores			
Cavalliers 21, Bucks 9			
Bullets 21, Hawks 18			
Suns 25, Cougars 16			
Rockets 42, Mustangs 10			
Knicks 21, Warriors 20			
Sonics 24, Raiders 17			
Bulls 43, Royals 1			
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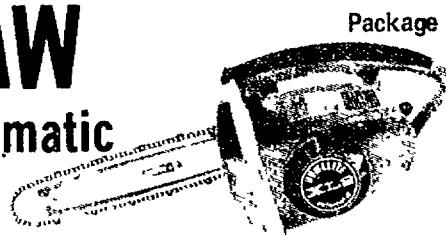
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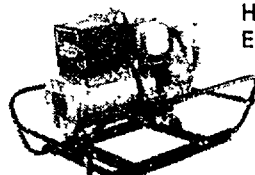
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# NOVI HIGHLIGHTS

By JEANNE CLARKE  
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Proud parents of a baby girl, Sarah Ruth, born on March 17 and weighing 6 pounds, 6 ounces are Mr. and Mrs. Mike (Cindy) Warner, formerly of Taft Road and now of San Diego, California.

Mrs. Hildred Hunt of 11 Mile has returned from a four week vacation in the area of Texas. While there she visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wyatt, former residents of Novi Road and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin F. Geppert of Meadowbrook Road attended the 12th birthday party for their great-nephew, Tim Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Taylor, now of Farmington Hills.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ash of Garfield Road attended a dinner at Zehnders in Frankenmuth on Sunday when the Arabian Horse Association of Michigan met there for a monthly meeting.

Word has been received of the illness of Clyde Wyatt, now living in Brownsville, Texas. Cards can be sent to Motel 6, 2534 Central Blvd.

Mrs. Olive Liley of St. Ignace spent several days at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Bernice Stewart. She was here to attend the funeral of her sister.

The Dingman family of Whipple Street and the Tymensky family of Eleven Mile Road have returned from snowmobiling last weekend.

Mrs. Hildred Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. Les Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Cucchetti of Northville attended the Builders and Flower Show at Cobo Hall this weekend.

Mrs. Fran Kohl of Rushon Street narrated a presentation of "Two Hundred Years of Fashions" from the private collection of James Bedouin. This was presented by the Dearborn Police Wives Association on Friday, March 19 at the Fairlane Town Center in Dearborn.

North Novi Civic Association Special guests at the meeting last week were Sue Ellen Haas and Dennis Murphy who were both candidates for the County Commissioners seat. Also present was Mel Stephens

who spoke regarding the new group being formed in Novi — Novi Foundation for the Performing Arts. Larry Kern chaired the meeting in the absence of LaVerne Reinke, president, and plans were made to start the excavating at the City Park as soon as weather permits. City Manager Ed Kriewall was also present and spoke regarding the road program and how it will affect the north area.

**Novi Co-Op Nursery**  
March 28 is the date set for their V.I.P. day when each child will bring as a guest a relative, not necessarily a mother or father, to the school. The next meeting will be April 5 at the Living Lord Lutheran Church on 10 Mile and at this time new officers will be elected.

**Novi Rotary**  
Special speaker at the Rotary meeting last week was Chief Kulbaba, Chief of Security at the Dayton Hudson Twelve Oaks Mall. He explained the measures that will be taken to make the center a safe and attractive place to shop. District Governor Doug Fraser was present and spoke regarding changes in Rotary International. May 8-9 will be the District Conference at Oakland University.

**Novi Pin Pointers**  
Mystery game was won by Rita Stockemer and high bowlers included Pat Crupi with 205 in a 543 series, Lora Lee Longhurst with 194 in a 509 series, Shirley Thorpe with 184. Vera Johnson bowled three games with identical scores and will receive a special patch for this. Standings are as follows:

Kool Kats	73 1/2	30 1/2
Four on the Floor	66	38
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Hi Lo's	61	43
Number One	60	44
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Wm. H. Kelly Co	52	52
Woodsplitters	49 1/2	54 1/2
Banana Splits	48 1/2	55 1/2
Alley Cats	47 1/2	56 1/2
Spirit of 76	46 1/2	57 1/2
The Clowns	46	58
Windjammers	32	72
Sandbaggers	26	78

**Novi Youth Assistance**  
Plans for a workshop for single parents was discussed at the last Youth Assistance meeting with the date of beginning the workshop

scheduled for April 6 in the high school library. The group coordinator will be Ms. Jane Maddox who is from the Continuum Center at Oakland University. The workshop will continue for six consecutive Tuesdays except for April 20. Chairman is Peter Karr. Free babysitting will be provided. A maximum of 36 persons will be accepted and anyone interested should call 474-5784 or 349-1247.

**Parents Without Partners**  
A reminder of the meeting scheduled for March 26 at the American Legion Hall, 100 W. Dunlap, starting at 8 p.m. for coffee. Meeting will follow at 8:30 p.m. with speaker Dennis Deveja who will speak on "The Magic Ingredient" to help you in building your self confidence. He is presently with the Dale Carnegie Institute. Guests are welcome to visit five meetings before joining. Application forms for membership can be obtained at the sign-in table at all meetings. A card party is scheduled for March 30. Call 349-7663 for information. League bowling is on March 29 at Brentwood and skiing on March 31 if weather permits.

**NESPO**  
The cupcake sale honoring the birthday of Roy Williams, principal, last Friday was a huge success. A report of the fifth grade planned campout at Pseud Lake was heard at the NESPO meeting, and the last roller skating funds had taken care of the expenses on this. There will be rollerskating for all families on April 29. The children at the Novi elementary have been studying American Indians and there are displays throughout the school. A project that is ongoing at the present time is the totem pole which is being carved from a telephone pole in the basement of the school. This totem pole will be on the grounds of the new Novi Elementary School. Anyone wishing to help carve should contact Sandy Isham at 349-3328.

**School Menu**  
Monday, March 29—Lasagna, bread and butter, pickle slices, fruit and milk.  
Tuesday, March 30—Mashed potatoes, chicken and gravy, hot biscuits and butter,

battered vegetable, chocolate pudding and milk.

Wednesday, March 31—Doggie in a blanket, hash brown potatoes, buttered vegetable, fruited jello and milk.

Thursday, April 1—Sloppy Joe hamburger, potato chips, buttered vegetable, fruit dessert and milk.

Friday, April 2—Pizza, orange juice, salad, cookies and milk.

## VOICE

On Tuesday, March 30 at 8 p.m., Superintendent Dr. Kratz, Mr. Helmer and Mr. Jolly from Novi Schools have been invited to be at the Village Oaks School for a "Question and Answer" session on the pros and cons of the pending millage election. Please mark your calendars and plan to join those meeting that evening so you can have all the facts when you cast your vote on April 12.

## Cub Scout Pack 239 Village Oaks

April 1 is the date set for the Pinewood Derby at the school at 7:30 p.m. Recent awards presented to cubs in Den 1 were: Mike Kolasa—one gold and two silver arrows; Dan Kennedy and Brian Tabaka—wolf head, patch, one gold and one silver arrow; Jeff Thorpe—bear head, patch, one gold arrow and one silver arrow; William Zeigler—the wolf head, patch; Darryl Rhea—the bear head, patch, one gold and three silver arrows; Arun Gulati—bear head, patch, one gold arrow; and Sean Griffin—the bear head and patch. In Den 2 Brad Neilson received the wolf head, patch, one gold and one silver arrow while Allan Brostoff got a wolf head, patch and one gold arrow.

## Novi Girl Scouts

Last Thursday evening about 360 people attended the Annual Girl Scout Banquet, held this year in Roma Hall. Participation included the troops from Novi Elementary singing "Daisy", Village Oaks Brownie 842, "America" and "I'm Going to Teach the World", Brownie 519 "The More We Get Together", and Junior Troop 833, a candlelight ceremony. The Orchard Hills Troop 913 and

713 had a presentation. The following delegates met at the Annual Council meeting on March 23: Pat Grey, Shirley and Marlene Brooks, Ginny Folsom and Mary Morandy. Plans were made for the area meeting to be held on May 4. April 5 is the date set aside for Nov Girl Scouts to go roller-skating at the Lakeview Roller Rink in Brighton from 4-6 p.m. Cost is \$1.50. All troops are invited.

**Novi Rebekah Lodge**  
District visitation at Edgewood is 8 p.m. this evening, March 24. Tomorrow night will be regular meeting and silent auction. Anyone not able to be present but wishing to attend the District 6 Annual Meeting on April 3 should contact Noble Grand Lafee Bell for reservations. This will be an all day meeting with noon lunch scheduled.

**Jaycee Auxiliary**  
General membership meeting was held at the home of Bonnie Hayosh and special guests were from Waterford and St. Clair Shores. There was a Tupperware demonstration in addition to the business meeting. Plans have begun for the Jaycee Kids Easter Egg hunt on April 11. Members are asked to get reservations in. The C.P.R. class will be held March 30. This is open to the public, contact Sandy Bersch at 349-7215 for additional details. The Auxiliary is also considering the possibility of holding expectant parent classes in Novi if there is enough interest. Call 349-8612 if you would like to have more information.

## Cub Scout Pack 240 Orchard Hills

The nine year old boys were recognized and will be receiving their bear books. They are: Eric Brooks, Raymond Cabadas, John Heslip, Mark Olson, Brett Baier and Bobby Hartson. All the cubs and their families are working towards the "Attic Treasure" sale scheduled for April 10 at the Novi Community Building. A reminder of the pack meeting scheduled for March 25, and the Webelos have earned their aquanaut badges and will be receiving them.

**Novi Athletic Booster Club**  
The March meeting was rescheduled for last week and special guest was Dr. Barr, who spoke regarding the millage vote coming up on April 12. Plans were continued for the Sports Banquet being held this evening in the form of a pot-luck dinner with the coaches presenting awards for the year to the athletes. The next regularly scheduled meeting will be April 7 at the high school. There is a continued need for parents or interested people in the community to help in the Booster Club. Contact 349-8856 for additional information.

**Cub Scout Pack 54 Novi Elementary**  
Ten boys from this pack attended the Hobby Show at the Light Guard Armory last Saturday and then went to McDonald's and had hamburgers and shamrock shakes. Plans in the near future include a kite flying contest, weather permitting, at Bosco field with refreshments of hot chocolate and cookies. Awards will be

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announced later for the kite flyers.

**Novi Welcome Wagon**  
March 28 is the date for the next couples bowling activity. Call Lorene at 349-2947. The Dining-out Club will be going to Burnett's on Northwestern at 12 Mile in Southfield on Saturday, March 27 at 7 p.m. Call 349-2243 for reservations. The board meeting will be on Monday, March 29 at 7:30 p.m. at Judy Duncan's. At the April meeting the election of officers will be held. Nominations from the floor will be encouraged. So far the nominations include President — Scottie Anderson, unopposed; 1st Vice President — Carol Barker and Donna Kott; 2nd Vice President — Ellen Kepner and Pat Soderblom; Secretary — Judy Duncan and Marianne Simancek; and Treasurer — Gen Burke and Lorene Schimber. The installation of officers is scheduled for Thursday, May 20 at the Holiday Inn, reservations must be in to Joan at 478-0267.

**Novi Senior Citizens**  
The monthly meeting will be held on March 30 at the Novi Community Building next to the Novi Elementary School on Novi Road at 7 p.m. A very special treat has been planned by the Novi Parks and Recreation committee after a 15 minute film presentation. This part of the program will be in charge of Milan Obrénovich. Hostesses will be Irene Neutz, Wilma Wagonis and Dolly Alegana. Members are asked to remember with cards Mrs. Madelyn Butler who has been ill. If you haven't attended this group before and are new to the area, you are encouraged to come and get acquainted.

**Novi Little League**  
Baseball tryouts for minor league teams (8 and 9-year-olds) are set for April 5-6. They will be held at Novi Elementary, 26350 Novi Road at 6 p.m. Tryouts for major league teams are: 10-year-olds, April 6-7; 11-year-olds, April 8; 12-year-olds, April 9. Tryouts for Pony League teams will be held on Monday, April 12. Tryouts for senior league teams are 13-year-olds May 10 and 14-15-year-olds May 11.

All tryouts for major, pony and senior league teams will start at 6 p.m. and are scheduled for the Novi High School athletic field at 11 Mile and Taft Roads. In the event of foul weather, all dates will be moved back one day or until weather

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## Wixom Newsbeat

# 'Peepers' Hail Springtime

By NANCY DINGELDEY

It was delightful to sniff the balmy, sweet air last Thursday night and even more delightful to hear the first sounds of the "peepers" coming from the swamps.

Those sounds of spring took me by surprise. So much so I quickly reopened the door to make sure I had, in fact, really heard them.

To boost my spirits even more, Friday came with bright sun and even warmer breezes. I couldn't help but think... yipee-e-e, spring is here. It was a beautiful day... perfect for walking and looking and enjoying.

Got to the office and proudly announced I had heard the little "peepers" from the swamps and with that could only ascertain that spring was indeed here!

Jack Hoffman took my announcement with a bit of quizzical interest. "Read my column last week?" Strange the topic just happened to be frogs and a "down home" weather forecaster. According to Hoffman, the sounds from the swamps are a falsehood.

What a way to burst a bubble!

Hoffman's tipster says the first sounds from the swamps are just a "warm-up". There'll be another storm around the corner before the second round of croaks come from the woodlands, he says.

Considering all this information was gathered the week prior to print, Hoffman's forecaster was correct on one point. He said it would be about 10 days 'til we heard the first frog sounds.

Strange, it was just about 10 days by the calendar until the time I heard the "peepers".

Our man now says there'll be another big storm before we'll hear them for sure again.

Please be wrong!

Should spring be on the way it means May is just around the corner. And May in Wixom is important... Michigan Week. Funny how a sunny sky can immediately turn thoughts to that week-long celebration.

Michigan Week in Wixom has long been an important community function with lots of people getting involved in a

flurry of activities. Sometimes though, they need that sunny day to get the gears in motion too.

Carolyn Morehead however, has been working on plans for the week in May for over a month now. If everything comes off as planned, we shall have a whooper of a time starting May 15.

As general chairman, Carolyn has mapped out the week with May 15 — youth day — the beginning of it all. And what a day that should be. It'll start with a bang-up parade — lots of floats, and clowns and color.

Using a bicentennial theme, all floats and trikes and bikes will be judged. Horses and their riders will also be judged from a costume angle. The beginning point for the parade this year will be "Parvul's park."

There'll be the free hot dogs and pop, the P.T.A. fair, a pet show, lots of games and a pet rock race.

And something really super special. A whole western town complete with graveyard, trick horses and a rootin' tootin' shoot out will move

into Wixom. Along about mid-afternoon there'll be the first performance in true wild west fashion.

It all builds up to a big performance at 7 p.m. — the final shoot out at the Okay Corral.

At the same time the police department will be handing a chicken bar-be-que, a children's menu and five cent beer — all under a huge tent. There will be a dance floor too with the Blue Ribbon Boys for everyone's dancing pleasure. Wixom's exchange city this year is Hastings. The banquet honoring the visiting officials and the 1976 graduating high school seniors will be held Monday night.

A special program for the senior citizens on Tuesday includes a catered luncheon, old fashioned fashion show and a slide show presentation of old Wixom by the Historical Society.

And there will be the ladies' luncheon, things a-poppin' at the schools on education day, a businessmen's get-together with the whole week brought to a close with another ever-popular treasure hunt.

Things to add, ideas, contacts and helping hands and minds are always important. Michigan Week is a great way to get involved in the community. Care to help... Carolyn would be happy to hear. Call her at 624-0200.

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While the millage program is to be in addition to a normal program already in the works, county officials admit that work scheduled under the normal program depends on whether enough funds come

The state act has the effect of taking away state aid to school districts when local millages are approved. The additional 3½ mills being requested of voters could have a net increase to the school treasury of only ½ mill

"I think the combined program was developed with the idea of returning as much as possible of the amount raised in an area to that area," said Grubba. He admitted that city residents might not look at it from that

Also in his speech to the board of commissioners, Harris proposed direct election by the people of road commissioners. They have traditionally been appointed by the board of commissioners.

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Rebecca Muller, Project Director  
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## WHAT WILL THE MILLAGE BUY?

Two millage proposals (17-mill renewal and 3.9 increase) will be placed before district voters on April 3. The chart below projects some of the ways passage of one or both proposals translates into our school programs and services:

**WITH ADDITIONAL 3.9  
OPERATING MILLAGE  
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**PRESENT OPERATING  
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- Schools operating
- Full school days
- 199 teachers
- Avg. class size—27.
- Inadequate budget for instructional equipment
- Partial Curriculum Council
- Partial Elementary art, music & phys. ed. programs
- Limited course offerings in Middle & High Schools
- Extracurricular Programs including sports

**WITH PROPOSED  
17 MILL RENEWAL  
(28.9 MILLS)**

- Schools operating
- Full school days
- 176 teachers
- Avg. class size—32
- Inadequate Budget for Instructional Equipment
- No Curriculum Council
- No Elementary art, music & phys. ed. programs
- More seriously limited course offerings in Middle & High Schools
- No extracurricular

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# Accident Follows Signal

## In Wixom

A Livonia woman was listed in temporarily serious condition at Botsford Hospital following a train-car collision in Wixom on March 13. The driver of the car, Joseph Bylica of Wixom, was not injured in the 3:30 a.m. mishap.

The accident occurred when Bylica attempted to cross the C & O Railroad spur tracks on Wixom Road near West Road. Bylica told Wixom Police he saw a railroad brakeman signalling with a light and understood it to mean to proceed across the tracks.

As Bylica crossed onto the tracks his car was struck on the passenger side by the lead boxcar of a train backing across the road. The car was spun around and dragged across the width of the road by the train.

Police officers interviewed the driver and passenger of another car at the scene. They too said they thought the brakeman was signalling cars through and almost followed the Bylica vehicle.

Railroad employees in a truck at the scene said they understood the signal to mean a go-ahead for the train, but could see how someone unfamiliar with train signals could misunderstand.

Police reports indicated the Bylica vehicle was totally destroyed in the accident.

A breaking and entering to an apartment in the Hickory Lane area of the Village complex netted thieves approximately \$763 in valuables.

The incident was reported to police on March 15. The actual date of entry could have occurred anytime between March 1 and March 15 while the owner was out of town. Entry to the apartment was apparently made by someone with access to a key.

Included in the list of missing articles was a couch, clock radio, color TV and a Panasonic stereo set.

The manager of the Village Apartment complex reported several larcenies of items occurring over a period of three months.

Among items listed as missing were light fixtures, smoke detectors, a garbage disposal unit and a large quantity of building materials. Value has been set at approximately \$840.

At some time between February 8 and March 13 a home made trailer used to haul heavy equipment was taken from its parking place on Charns Road.

According to the owner the trailer cost \$400 to \$600 to build.

Wixom Police investigated

a larceny to a vehicle at the Ford Motor Company on March 15. In the incident which occurred between 5:40 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. a total of \$371 was taken from the locked cab of a pickup truck.

Missing was a McCulloch chain saw, a tool box with a variety of hand tools and assorted smaller items.

A 1974 Buick Electra was stolen from the Ford employee parking lot sometime between 5:45 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. March 15. The owner discovered the car missing after leaving work.

A Cobra citizens band radio valued at \$160 was taken from a car parked at the Indian Lodge apartments. The radio was taken from the reportedly locked car sometime between 11 p.m. March 13 and 9:15 a.m. March 14.

A lunch box, its contents and a pair of gold rim eyeglasses stored in the box were taken from the assembly area at Ford's. The box was apparently taken between 6 p.m. and 7 p.m. March 11. The owner placed a \$100 value on the glasses.

A Lafayette citizens band radio valued at \$120 was stolen from a locked vehicle parked in the 31000 area of Wildwood in the Village apartments.

In the incident which occurred between midnight and 7 a.m. on March 10, an estimated \$20 damage was done to the vehicle.

Police investigated another larceny of a citizens band radio which occurred at the Indian Lodge Apartments. Included in that incident which took place sometime between 3 p.m. March 8 and 7 a.m. March 9 was a tool box containing hand tools.

Total value of the theft was listed as \$242.

## In Northville

A Northville High School employee checking doors at the facility found the teachers' lounge area broken into. The incident occurred sometime between 9 p.m. March 12 and 10:15 a.m. Saturday. A microwave oven valued at \$215 was reported missing from the lounge.

On checking further, the auto shop teacher told investigating officers that several items had been taken from the locked auto shop. Value of those items, ranging from

bench grinders, to assorted tools and auto accessories was estimated to be \$665.

At the same time, officers received a report that an AM-FM stereo radio valued at \$100 was taken from a car parked in the auto shop. Also taken was \$27 in currency.

Northville City Police brought several items found during their investigation back to the station for further examination.

An eight track FM tape deck was reported taken from an unlocked vehicle parked in a driveway in the 43700 area of Dorica Court. The item was valued at \$125.

The incident reportedly occurred between 11:30 p.m. March 14 and 7 a.m. March 15.

Northville City Police were unable to find any signs of forced entry to a home in the 43700 area of Park Grove but the owner of the residence reported a camera and lenses valued at \$650 missing.

A 35 mm camera and lenses were reportedly taken from a living room area of the home between noon March 10 and 9 p.m. March 13.

The Northville Fire Department was dispatched to a fire at the recently closed Eastlawn Convent Home on High Street.

The fire which occurred at 11:30 a.m. March 15 was contained to an office on the first floor of the main building. The fire apparently had been set at a desk in the office.

## In Township

Northville Township Police investigated the breaking and entering of a home in the 19000 area of Smock Road. The incident took place March 10 between 12:30 p.m. and 5:30 p.m. while the owner was away from home.

Entry to the residence was apparently made by breaking a rear door window. Officers found all the rooms on the upper floor of the house had been semi-ransacked.

A total of \$1,976 in valuables were taken in the burglary including three TV sets, a clock radio, radio tape recorder, one wrist watch and a camera.

Residents in the 18000 area of Jamestown reported to police at least \$100 damage done to their lawns, shrubs and a porch structure in an incident which occurred sometime between 2 a.m. and midnight March 14.

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The possibility of going to an intermediate range vehicle has other drawbacks according to the vehicle committee. Those reasons were listed as not being able to transfer the safety shields currently installed in the cars due to the smaller interior and the height of some of the men on the force.

For the past four years, the department has been using regular passenger vehicles for patrol. At the same time, the department agreed to give up air conditioning of the units in favor of better radio equipment.

Sometime between 4:30 p.m. March 16 and 8 a.m. March 17 unknown persons kicked in the rear door of a building in the 41900 area of Sutters Lane.

Once inside the building those persons broke three windows with some type of unknown instrument. Damage was estimated to be \$150.

A fifteen-year-old Northville Township youth was involved in a case of malicious destruction of property Friday. The license number of the vehicle he was driving was seen by the owner of the property and reported to police.

Apparently the youth plowed the vehicle through the lawn area of the residence in the 16600 Winchester area doing more than \$100 damage. Restitution is being attempted by the youth and his parents.

An eight track tape player, a box of tapes and a citizens band microphone were taken from a car parked in a driveway in the 46000 block of West Seven Mile Road.

In the incident which took place between 1:30 a.m. Friday and 3 p.m. Saturday, the owner estimated the value of the tape player at \$70 with no estimate placed on the other items.

A Consumers Power vehicle stolen in Northville last week was recovered by Northville Township Police on March 8. The car was found parked in the street in the 19500 block of Dartmouth Place.

## In Novi

An FM Communication tester valued at \$3,000, a tool box valued at \$200 and a volt-ohm meter with a value of \$60 were stolen Thursday, March 18 from a van parked in the 2400 area of Pheasant Run.

An oscilloscope screen in the van was also broken.

A Pioneer receiver, three rings and a leather coat valued at \$1,010 were stolen March 18 from a home in the 44500 area of 12 Mile.

A door was kicked in to gain entry. Police are investigating.

A \$350 saw for cutting concrete was taken March 15 from the Sterling Garrett construction trailers located at the Twelve Oaks Mall.

Also taken in the burglary was a \$1,000 drill.

Three men allegedly involved with the breaking and entering of 10 Thunderbirds and Lincolns on a train which had broken down in Novi and the theft of tires, hubcaps and radios in excess of \$5,000 waived exam in 52nd District Court Monday.

Charged in the case were William Fredrick, 21 of Redford Township, Peter Beauchamp, 18, of Farmington Hills, and Ronald Davis, 17, of Farmington Hills.

According to Novi Detectives, Fredrick and Beauchamp were placed in arrest by Novi Police and released to the Michigan State Police Brighton post on a charge of larceny in excess of \$100.

No Oakland County Circuit court date has been set.

March 17, a breaking and entering occurred in the 26000 block of Novi Road. Taken in the B&E were a television set valued at \$100 and a component stereo with value set at \$2,100. The matter is still under investigation.

# Wixom Block Grant Funds Subject of Public Hearing

Apparently responding to a Wixom City Council ordered post card mailing, 70 citizens overflowed council chambers last week to voice opinions on the use of federal community development block grant funds.

Most of the audience were senior citizens but not one stood to voice an opinion on how the funds should be used.

Suggestions on how to spend the money came instead from

Lew Coy and Sid Resner. Coy, former County Commissioner of Wixom, suggested that the funds be used to "save the best natural resource in the city" — Loon Lake.

Coy inferred the lake is dying and charged the city with "sitting on our hands while the lake is being ruined. We know what it was — what it could be and what you've done to it or let it be."

"I've voiced my concerns on the lake situation for the

past four years," continued Coy. Those concerns run from possible pollution of the lake to its further deteriorated condition today.

With no public access, however, there appears no feasible way for public funds to be used to undertake a revitalizing of the lake. Subdivisions and private individuals with lake access would have to shoulder the costs entirely.

Assistant to the Mayor Bernard VanOsedale later pointed out the specific areas designed for fund usage. Among them are eliminating or preventing urban blight and attempting to upgrade the homes of low and moderate income families.

"Therefore," said VanOsedale, "the lake is not an area that could even remotely be considered a funding program under the guidelines set by the federal government."

Resident Sid Resner said he suggested the monies be used on city roads last year and was back again with the same thought.

Resner said he felt the situation at Beck Road and Pontiac Trail deserved the city's attention, especially since more and more traffic is being generated from apartment complexes in the area.

With funding, the jog at that particular intersection could be alleviated, making a better traffic flow, declared Resner. He further suggested the city would "wait until somebody gets killed there before you do anything about it."

# Crime Prevention Tips Noted by Chief Nisun

The following letter to Northville Township residents was written by Chief of Police Ronald L. Nisun and submitted for publication in The Record.

Summer will be here shortly and I would like to take this opportunity to remind you of what you can do to help prevent crime in your neighborhood.

With the advent of warm weather upon us and more people working on their yards and taking short trips to the store or elsewhere, they sometimes forget to close their garage doors. A garage door left open is an invitation for many people of disreputable character to go inside and help themselves to your valuables.

Further, it would be a good idea to not leave expensive 10-

speed bicycles in front of your homes unattended as we have many cases each year of such bicycle thefts.

I know that having to close your garage door when you are working in your yard or going away for a very short period of time is an inconvenience, as is putting bicycles inside when they are not being used. However, by doing this, losses to Township residents by way of thefts will be greatly reduced.

Also, summer is the time when many people solicit from door to door. I would like you to be aware that there is an Ordinance in Northville Township against soliciting without a license and further, that you have the right to see the license of anyone soliciting. If the subject refuses to show proof of such license, call this department immediately. By so doing, we are enabled to have better control over who is soliciting

in the Township and again you may be preventing a crime from occurring in your neighborhood, as many persons are known to go from door to door on some false pretense seeking unattended homes to break in to.

Finally, I want you to know that our department is here to serve you in any way we can and if you have any questions about this message or if we can be of assistance to you in any way, do not hesitate to call.

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# Wixom Tests Police Cars As Council Seeks Bids

The Wixom Police Department was given approval to publish for bids on three new police vehicles by the Wixom City Council last Tuesday night. Monies for the cars are allocated in this year's police budget.

Police Chief Philip Leonard advised council that a vehicle committee consisting of one sergeant and two patrolmen is currently involved in research and testing of an intermediate range vehicle.

According to Sergeant Vern Darlington, the committee is looking at and testing a Pontiac LeMans, the Ford Torino and Plymouth for possible use in the department. All vehicles would be equipped with the 460 interceptor police engines.

Although the department is investigating those intermediate range cars,

Leonard urged council members to also consider returning to a full sized car, equipped with air conditioning.

Stating better attitudes of the men besides their own comfort during the summer months as the main reason for requesting air, Leonard added that all queried area departments have air conditioning in their vehicles.

Leonard also stated he preferred the department to return to the larger police vehicle with pursuit engines. He said he felt the smaller car with smaller engine encourages longer pursuits. "Longer pursuits are a danger not only to the police officer involved but to the innocent citizen who might happen to get involved. The quicker you can apprehend a suspect the better off you are."

In using the smaller vehicle with regular engine, police officers say the cars are not capable of handling regular routine duties. Long periods of idling was mentioned as a major fault.

The possibility of going to an intermediate range vehicle has other drawbacks according to the vehicle committee. Those reasons were listed as not being able to transfer the safety shields currently installed in the cars due to the smaller interior and the height of some of the men on the force.

For the past four years, the department has been using regular passenger vehicles for patrol. At the same time, the department agreed to give up air conditioning of the units in favor of better radio equipment.

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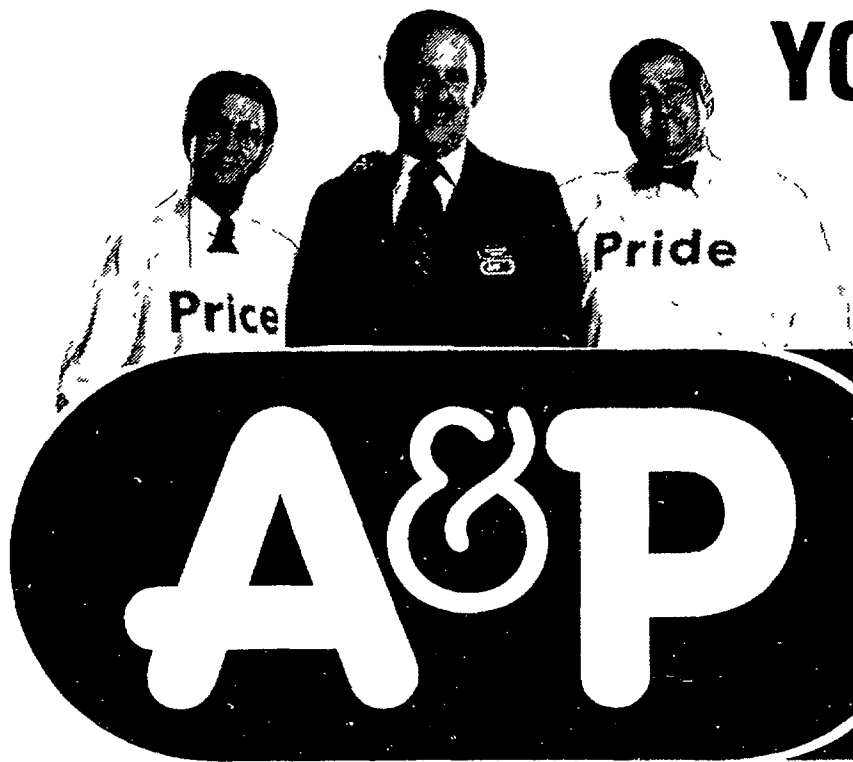
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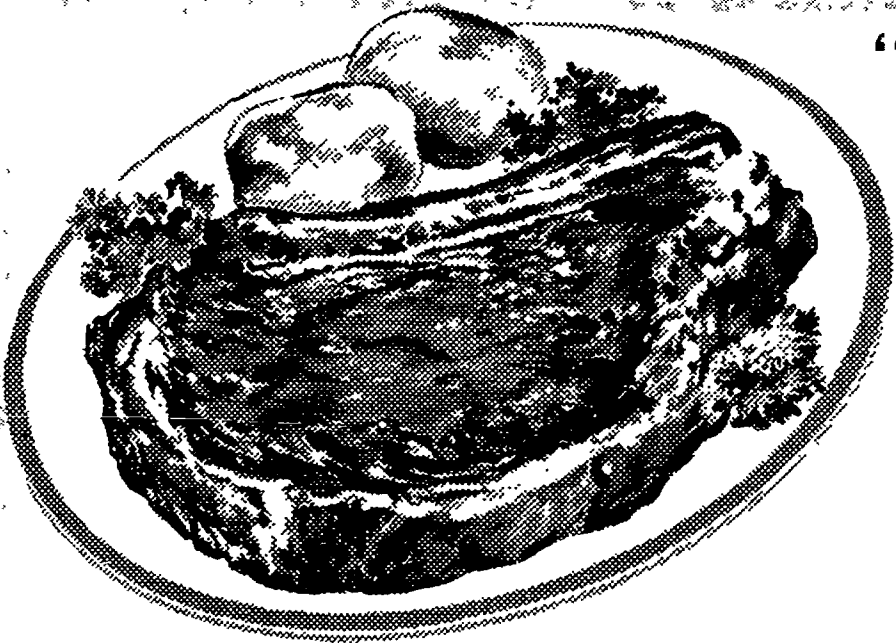
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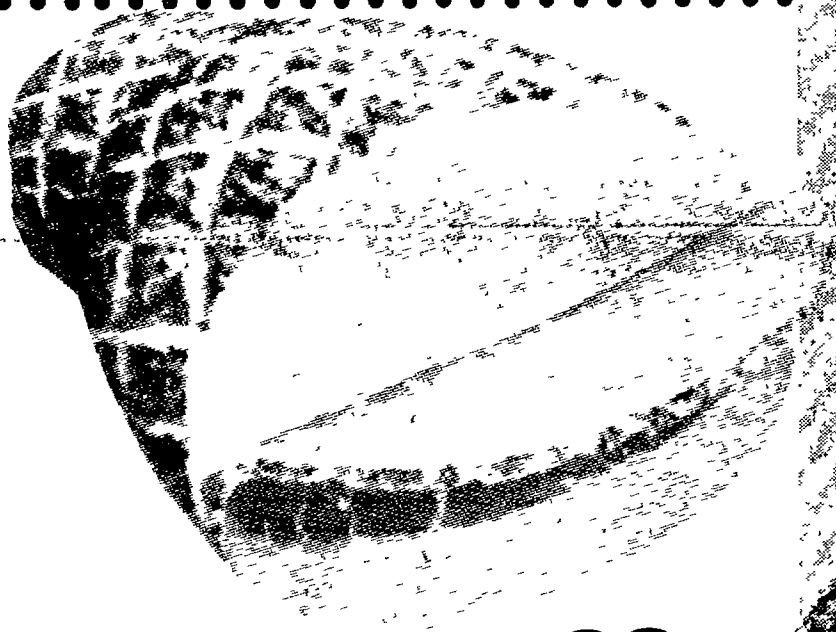
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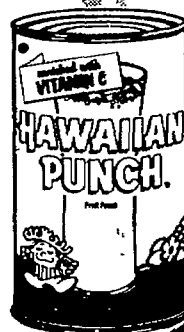
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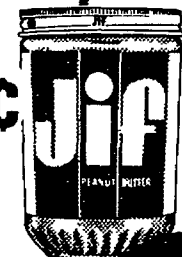
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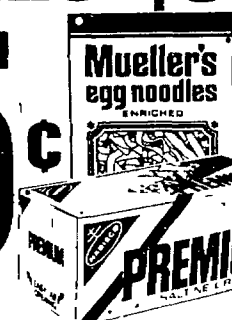
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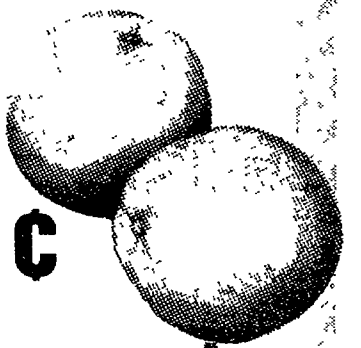


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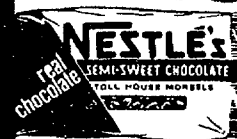
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# Bob Reed: Man of Many Moods

By JACK W. HOFFMAN

Robert James Reed and his family of Northville probably know more about the Civil War battlegrounds of Virginia than do most Virginians.

And chances are they have a better handle on the Revolutionary War lands of this nation than do the natives of New England.

They owe this impressive knowledge of American military history to a hobby of collecting antique guns started by Reed as a youngster growing up in Northville in the 1920's.

That hobby subsequently "infected" my wife and my two children and even some of our friends. Once you've caught it, there's no recovery. It spreads like fire; guns lead to the accouterments that go with them, to clubs and organizations, to uniforms, to shooting competition, to shows, to miniature soldier collections, to campouts, and on and on and on.

Most men of normal standards would be overwhelmed by it all, or at least be so saturated with it that they would have little or

no time for anything else. Not so for this 63-year-old retired Ford artist.

Bob Reed is first of all an artist; for him, even in retirement, this is serious business. He allots five hours a day to painting. The other activities "are my playthings." The latter includes, besides his military history hobby, sculpturing gun stocks, collecting and maintaining more miniature railroad equipment than most "kids" see in a lifetime, building scale model aircraft and sailing vessels, and for pure fun sculpting out of paper-mache popular TV personalities.

What's more he is a "football nut", who would rather watch a football game than eat. He's even got an exact miniature model of Northville's All-American Steve Juday in his green and white MSU playing uniform. "I think I saw just about every one of his games."

These wide ranging activities, suspects Reed, are related to his artistry. "Artists have an innate interest in all that goes on around them; they want to

create, to be part of what they see. I'd play football again if I could. I'd even like to write, though I probably would be the world's worst. My dear English teacher, Mrs. E. A. Chapman, did everything but hold me up by the ears in trying desperately to get me through her class. But, alas, despite her best efforts, English just wasn't my forte."

Born in Detroit, Reed at the age of two was "temporarily" handed over to his grandparents because of the financial problems of his parents.

"I came to Northville to live with them for awhile, but I never returned. I grew up with my grandparents, occasionally visiting my parents. But they were more like 'friends' than parents."

"My childhood was anything but sad, however. Northville was a wonderful place to grow up in during those years. I was one of a hundred Tom Sawyers who loved this place. Today, kids are too fenced in."

As a youngster Reed was given a hunting rifle and that began a hobby that led to a

collection of several old hunting pieces by the time he was a teenager in high school.

Eventually he obtained a 1903 Springfield rifle, the first of military cartridge rifles that he came to own over the years. While serving in Patton's unit in Europe during World War II he enlarged his collection considerably. A chance trade put him in possession of his first non-cartridge piece, an 1883 U.S. Springfield muzzle loader.

Back in Northville Reed wanted to learn how to fire the Civil War weapon and took it to Plymouth where he met the muzzle-loading Silcock brothers, Joe and Sanford.

"I took one look at their collection and fell in love. Immediately, I traded off every cartridge rifle I owned for muzzle loaders."

"Before long I was buying and trading for all the accouterments that go with muzzle loaders. Soon, the Silcock brothers and I got together and formed a muzzle loading club, calling it the Potawatami Valley Muzzle Loaders. Today I'm the only remaining charter member of

this organization. I own the range (near Pinckney) on which we test and compete with our old rifles."

For shooting competitions, Reed makes and uses exact replicas.

A proposition by Reed to headquarter the Northwest Territorial Militia (last year's first-place Fourth of July parade winner) at the Mill Race Historical Village is being considered by the Northville Historical Society.

"Militias were home-town units, so although we are representing a Colonial unit we would like to be able to make Northville our headquarters. Militias were made up of civilians who gathered on the village greens to train for battle. They had no standard uniforms; some wore hand-me-downs from earlier periods, others wore civilian clothes, still others wore regular military dress. That's what the Northwest Territorial Militia wears. But if they are civilian clothes, they are exact copies of the clothing worn in the 18th Century."

"We see the Mill Race as an ideal place to assemble and

drill. For Northville it would mean colorful public exhibitions, a historic unit the community can call its own," he explains.

Although Reed is known in many parts of the country, for his military history hobby, locally it is his artistry that has attracted most interest.

A self-taught artist, Reed was an illustrator for the Ford Motor Company for more than 30 years before his retirement. His work for Ford was technical, of course, but the work he does in his cramped second floor studio are landscapes and an occasional portrait.

His favorite medium is oil paint, but he paints also with water colors and acrylics.

Though he has painted most of his adult life it wasn't until this past February that he sold any of his works. "I love my paintings too much to sell them, even though some are horrible."

Reed, who currently is president of Potawatami Valley, joined other organizations as well, helped form still others. He is active in the National Muzzle Loaders Rifle Association headquartered in Friendship, Indiana, in the North-South Skirmish Association headquartered in Winchester, Virginia, in the 24th Michigan Infantry representing the Civil War unit by the same name, and in the Northwest Territorial Militia that represents an 18th Century civilian army.

Over the years both he and his wife became expert

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## SECTION D

The Northville Record

THE NOVI NEWS

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Wednesday, March 24, 1976



**SHARP SHOOTER**—"Besides being a wonderful wife, she's a dead shot with either a muzzle loading rifle or an antique pistol," says Robert Reed proudly of his wife who has won scores of ribbons and prizes for her marksmanship.



**GUARDING THE PAST**—Robert Reed poses in full regalia, depicting a 1746 British soldier in the Cold Stream Guard of the King's Regiment. At the time this picture was taken Reed was still a member of the 64th Regiment Afoot, a Dearborn outfit that he helped organize. He's holding a prized British Brown Best Rifle. He finally had to drop out of this unit because of his many other activities.

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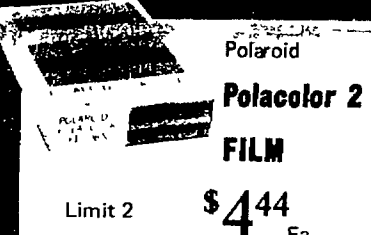
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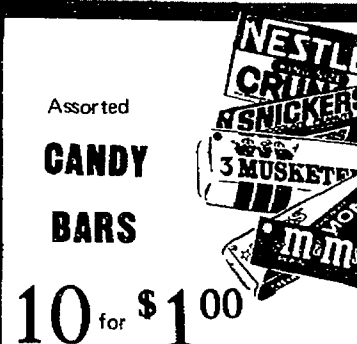
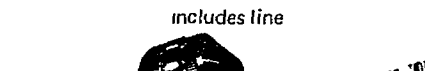
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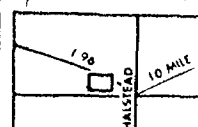
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## Bob Reed: Artist, etc.

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marksmen with their muzzle loaders, winning scores of state and national ribbons and trophies. They traveled extensively throughout the country, especially in the East and particularly in Virginia, in pursuit of this hobby.

"The important thing about our associations with these organizations," asserts Reed, "is that they are family affairs. My children grew up meeting people from all over the United States and becoming steeped in early American history. Fifty-percent of the joy has been the close friends we have made. All of us (his family) have become personally attached to a colorful past in our nation's history."

"Owning old guns isn't that important with us as is owning the history that goes along with them. People and places in our past have become like personal friends to us."

Reed and the other members of the organizations to which he belongs dress in the uniforms of the past. They hold ranks (there are no officers, just non-commissioned officers) of the men in the units they represent. They perform regularly here in Michigan (annually at Greenfield Village), in parades, and in national assemblies.

Mrs. Reed makes most of the uniforms the Reeds wear — and they are exact reproductions, right down to the color of stitching of the originals

Upon completing a painting, he hangs it beneath a living room wall light for days or weeks before deciding "if it's good or bad."

"A painting is like a wife; you have to live with it awhile before you know if it's good or bad," he laughs. If he decides he likes it he will try to find some wall space. If he decides it is bad he'll pack it away with scores of others.

The current painting he is "living with" is an oil landscape of a cornfield, meadow and a lonely barn. He has a half-dozen

paintings hanging elsewhere that are not yet finished, including a self-portrait. He puts finishing touches on them as the mood arises.

His paintings have won wide acclaim, and are shown occasionally in exhibition.

One of his biggest thrills occurred last year when he dug out an old painting he had done as a youngster and "just for the fun of it" entered it in an art show.

"Look at that," he beams, proudly pointing to a small framed 1934 painting with a ribbon pinned to it, "that old thing won a prize."

## Pletcher Awarded Graduate Fellowship

James R. Pletcher of 24674 Bashian, Novi, has been chosen by the National Science Foundation to receive a graduate fellowship for full-time study at the University of Wisconsin in Madison.

A graduate of the University of Michigan, his field is political science. He is one of 550 students of outstanding ability in the sciences, mathematics and engineering awarded the fellowships.

Dr. H. Guyford Stever, director of the NSF, in announcing the awards pointed out that more than 5,330 students competed for the fellowships, which were awarded on the basis of merit. All of the fellowships carry

a stipend of \$3,900 per year. An education allowance of \$3,400 is provided by the NSF to U.S. institutions in place of tuition and fees.

Each of the fellowships is awarded for three years of graduate study.

They may be used over a five-year period to permit students to incorporate into their education such other valuable experiences as teaching or research assistantships during the period in which they are not drawing their fellowship stipend.

## Suszek's on Guam

The son of a Northville couple has been assigned to Andersen AFB, Guam, for duty with a unit of the Strategic Air Command.

Staff Sergeant James Suszek, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Suszek of 45310 Ten Mile Road, is a munitions technician with the 43rd Munitions Maintenance



## from the BOOKSHELF

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##### ADULT FICTION

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"Miracle in the Wilderness," Paul Gallico; Captured by Indians, a man and his family are saved by the Christmas story.

##### ADULT NON-FICTION

"Heritage Cook Book," Better Homes and Gardens; The exciting story of food in American life, featuring colonial, ethnic and modern favorites.

"One Day at Kitty Hawk," John Evangelist Walsh; The untold story of the Wright brothers and the airplane.

"Duel Between the First

Ironclads," William C. Davis; The famous Civil War battle at sea between the Monitor and the Merrimack.

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"The World from Rough Stones," Malcolm MacDonald; This 19th century English saga relates the fortunes of two couples set against the beginnings of a great railroad dynasty.

"The Gemini Contenders," Robert Ludlum; An account of the search for a document which could change the western world. Vying for it are the Greek Orthodox and Roman Catholic churches, the secret services of three countries and twin brothers.

##### NON-FICTION

"The Consumers Guide to Banks," Gordon L. Weil; A review of current practices, services, gimmicks and charges of American banks and of some approaches available to bank customers to get the most for their money.

##### JUVENILE FICTION

"The Clown," Barbara Corcoran; A sixteen-year-old American girl becomes involved with a circus clown in Moscow who is sought by the KGB.

##### JUVENILE NON-FICTION

"Jobs in Fine Arts and Humanities," Melvin H. Berger; Introduces the opportunities in and the requirements for a variety of careers in such fields as music, art, theatre, and dance.

"Guyana in Pictures," Charles F. Gritzner; Includes index. Text and illustrations introduce the geography, history, government, people, and economy of the South American republic once known as British Guiana.

"The Sandburg Treasury," Carl Sandburg; Compilation of the American writer's enchanting stories and poems for children.

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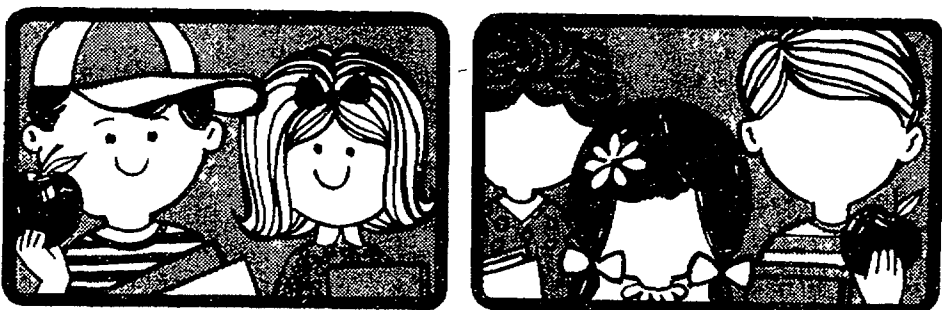
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Average Class Size	26	27	32	28-30.5	
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Curriculum Curriculum Council	Yes	No	No	Yes	
Elementary Special Services Reading Spec./ Librarian	Yes Yes	Partial Yes	No Yes	Yes (b) Yes	(b) Includes Art, Music and Physical Education Programs
Middle School Course Availability Grades 6, 7 & 8					
English	33	30	38	41-42	
Social Studies	33	30	38	40-42	(c) Includes Students of Grades 6-8
Science	33	30	38	40-42	
Math	33	30	38	41-42	
Electives (P.E., Shop, Home Ec., Typing, Music, Band, Journalism, Careers)	69	51	37	42-46	(d) Includes Students of Grades 7-9 (approx. 35 6th grade class moved to Elementary)
Reading	6	5	6	6	
Total	207 (c)	176 (c)	195 (d)	210-220 (d)	
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Library	Partial	Partial	Partial	Yes	
High School Course Availability					
English	63	55	31		(e) Includes Students of Grades 9-12
Math	46	44	26	Actual distribution of class offerings (f) will depend on student-parent demand adding to the total	
Social Studies	40	42	26		(f) Includes Students of Grades 10-12
Science	42	41	26		(Less 86 9th grade classes)
For. Lang.	22	18	8		
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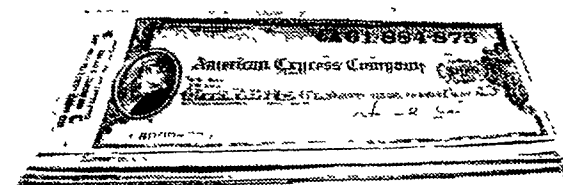
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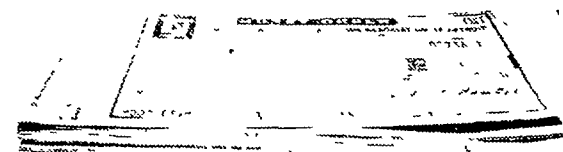
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## On Novi's April 12 Millage Vote

## More Questions, Answers

## What will happen if the proposals fail?

The School Board and the Administration will study the total program to determine the reductions necessary to make up the difference between income and expenditures. This will be a serious problem, requiring a sharp rise in class size to accommodate the influx of new students, and curtailment of all plans for hiring additional teachers. It would further involve the elimination of many positions now held by school employees and the reduction of services to pupils. Other districts faced with a similar problem have eliminated parts of the educational program, placed secondary students on a short school day and have changed school boundaries to help equalize the large class size.

## What will happen to the increase in school revenues due to the increased assessments?

A. The increased student population makes it necessary for the addition of two (2) or more teachers in the district.

B. The opening of the new elementary school will result in additional expense.

C. Salary raises for four employee groups tied to the cost-of-living (3 percent-5 percent) will result in higher salaries and wages.

D. For the last year the board of Education has postponed the purchase of new buses even though our enrollment in both special education and regular students has increased. In order to correct this situation, two new buses are expected to be purchased, one full-size for regular runs, and a small bus for the special education run.

E. There is a need to make improvements to school buildings and grounds which, although started, still needs more care and attention.

## How much will each proposition cost?

Proposition 1: Proposition 1 is a 9.5 mill renewal and no increase in taxes will occur.

Proposition 2: Proposition 2 will increase the citizen's taxes by 3.5 mills.

For each mill increase, taxes will be increased by \$1.00 per \$1000 of equalized valuation.

A house with an assessed valuation of about \$15,000 would pay a tax increase as follows: Proposition 1 — no increase; Proposition 2 — \$52.50 per year (4.38 per month, or 15 cents per day).

Total tax increase in both proposals: \$52.50 per year (\$4.38 per month, approximately 15 cents per day.)

## What does one mill mean to the school district?

Since the assessed valuation for 1975 is \$111,516,650, one mill produces this amount multiplied by .001 which gives \$111,516.00. The income from the nine and one-half mill renewal thus is \$1,059,402, which represents more than 27 percent of the proposed school budget. The effect of the elimination of the Personal Business Inventory assessed valuation by the Single Business Tax Act would reduce our assessed valuation by approximately \$8,000,000.00 so that for the 1976 tax year, little or no increase in S.E.V. will materialize from added growth.

## What about help from the State for local schools?

The State of Michigan has continuously reduced their contribution to help finance schools. In 1973, Novi received 18.4 percent of its budget from state sources. As the school year began, we were receiving 8.4 percent. However, Governor Milliken issued an Executive Order when the school year was half over reducing the state's contribution by another 2.2 percent.

A major reform in financing public education is necessary, but it is doubtful in an election year that any change will occur. Therefore we must continue to plan to finance public schools in the same manner as in the past, informing the community of our needs and asking citizens for their vote.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING  
RANDOLPH DRAIN DISTRICT

City of Novi

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Randolph Street Drain Board will hold a public meeting on Thursday, April 1, 1976, at 7:30 p.m. EST, at the Northville City Hall, 215 West Main Street, Northville, Michigan.

Said meeting is for the purpose of informing the property owners affected by the Drain as to technical information, the type of construction, easements, and work that will be done in the immediate area.

All property owners within the Randolph Drain District and all interested persons are invited to attend.

Geraldine Stipp, City Clerk  
City of Novi

Publish 3-24 and 3-31-76;

NOTICE OF  
SPECIAL ASSESSMENT HEARINGCity of Novi  
County of Oakland, Michigan

TAKE NOTICE that the City Council of the City of Novi, Oakland County, Michigan, has determined it to be necessary to make the following described public improvement in the City of Novi:

Installation of Water Mains to serve Meadowbrook Manor and Meadowbrook Manor No. 1 Subdivisions

The City Council has determined that a part of the cost of the above described public improvement shall be assessed against the following described property abutting the above described improvement:

Lots 1 to 34 inclusive — Meadowbrook Manor Subdivision and Meadowbrook Manor No. 1 Subdivision

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the City Council has caused reports concerning said public improvement to be prepared, which reports include necessary plans, profiles, specifications and estimates of cost of such public improvement, a description of the assessment district and other pertinent information, and these reports are on file in the office of the City Clerk and are available for public examination.

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the City Council will meet on Monday, April 12, 1976, at 8:00 o'clock p.m., Prevaling Eastern Time, at the Novi School Administration Bldg 25575 Taft Road, Novi, Michigan, for the purpose of hearing objections to the making of such public improvement.

THIS NOTICE is given by order of the City Council of the City of Novi, Oakland County, Michigan.

Geraldine Stipp  
City Clerk

Northville City  
Council Minutes

March 1, 1976  
Mayor Allen called the meeting to order at 8:00 p.m.  
ROLL CALL: Present: Allen, Folino, Nichols, Vernon  
Johnston, III  
MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING: Minutes of the February 16th meeting were approved as recorded.

MINUTES OF BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS: Minutes of the Planning Commission of February 3rd and the Northville Beautification Commission of January 14th were received and placed on file. Question on walkway between Lechman, Chatham, Market looked more like a driveway. City Manager stated bumper guards would be installed.

APPROVAL OF BILLS: Councilman Nichols asked about mechanic charges. We have a mechanic for DPW only. An outside mechanic repairs the police cars. City Manager will report on amount of charges.

Motion by Councilman Vernon supported by Councilman Nichols to approve the bills as presented  
CEMETERY TRUST FUND \$ 790.00

C D Investment 3,959.90  
EQUIPMENT FUND 49,022.42  
GENERAL FUND 2,481.59  
LOCAL STREET FUND 2,996.53  
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S.D.R.'s Investments 2,292.13  
RECREATION FUND 14,666.06  
SEWER AND WATER FUND 359,779.63  
TRUST AND AGENCY FUND

Carried unanimously.  
COMMUNICATIONS: Letter from Knights of Columbus concerning soliciting monies for charity. Tootsie Rolls would be given out on a donation basis. Solicitors would be on the four main corners and one in front of the bank only. Discussion followed and approval given.

Motion by Councilman Vernon supported by Councilman Nichols that the Knights of Columbus be allowed to collect monies on a donation basis for Tootsie Rolls.

Carried unanimously.  
July 4th Parade safety and route discussion will be held March 31st. Mayor Allen suggested the Police Dept attend.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITIZENS: Larry Gillelan, 146 Center, asked to ask that the parking meter located in front of his bike shop be removed. He said cars parking in front of the store tend to hide his "Parking in Rear" sign and consequently customers were parking across at the Captain's Table and walking across the street carrying their bikes. Mayor Allen responded that the value of parking spaces does not justify eliminating one unless absolutely necessary.

REPORT ON HOUSING COMMISSION: Report was not ready at this time. Council members will include this in their study session on March 8th.  
L.O.T. SPLIT LOT 275 J.J. ASSESSOR'S PLAT NO. 3. Proposal to split lot No. 275 J.J. Assessor's Plat No. 3 owned by Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Crissey, 300 Wing Ct. was approved subject to the following conditions in conformance with the Subdivision Ordinance of the City of Northville.

1. A 12' utility easement shall be provided along the rear lot line (east line) of the lot.

2. Standard monuments shall be placed by a registered surveyor to locate all interior and exterior corners of the lot as it is proposed to be split into three lots.

3. All plans and specifications for improvements, particularly lot grading and drainage and utility installations, shall be approved and inspected by the City Engineer.  
Motion by Councilman Vernon supported by Councilman Folino to approve the lot split subject to the specified conditions above.

Carried unanimously.  
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE: Request for office space was received from the Northville Chamber of Commerce. They would have their own secretary and would pay their own costs.

Mayor Allen mentioned he would like space if it were available for the Mayor and the City Attorney for client consultation. The space for the Chamber of Commerce will be considered further when the plans for partitioning the old library area are presented.

RECREATION BUDGET: The proposed budget reduction and fee schedule increase was discussed, based on the Township's expressed maximum contribution.

Comparison of financial structure was made between Northville and Livonia Recreation Departments, which indicated that Livonia is subsidizing public recreation to a much greater extent.

A letter will be sent to the Township asking them to reconsider their proposed contribution reduction and indicating that if the Township reduction is maintained, the City will seek methods to subsidize fees for City residents.

PURCHASE OF VOTING MACHINE: City Manager recommended that the City purchase one reconditioned voting machine to provide two machines in each Oakland County Precinct.

Motion by Councilman Nichols supported by Councilman Folino to waive bids in the best interest of the City for the AVM Voting Machine.

Carried unanimously.  
Motion by Councilman Vernon supported by Councilman Nichols to purchase a reconditioned machine from AVM (series No. 143000), F.O.B. Jamestown, New York.

Carried unanimously.  
DETROIT WATER RATES RESOLUTION: Letter and minutes of the Water Rates Meeting February 9 from Mayor McNamara of Livonia were placed on file.

A letter will be sent to each member of the Detroit City Council signed by all our Council members voicing our position on the water rate increase.  
Motion by Councilman Nichols supported by Councilman Folino to adopt the resolution indicating our intent to participate with Wayne County on the Step 1 Facilities Planning Grant.

Carried unanimously.  
GARBAGE AND RUBBISH ORDINANCE: Councilman Vernon read the Ordinance on Garbage and Rubbish and one change was suggested in Section 4-601 (c) ashes from fireplaces should be added.

Motion by Councilman Folino supported by Councilman Vernon to approve the Garbage and Rubbish Ordinance for publication and set public hearing for March 15.

Carried unanimously.

RESOLUTION FOR CRITERIA ON MAJOR STREETS: The Major Street criteria were discussed, with other streets mentioned for consideration for major street designation.

Motion by Councilman Vernon supported by Councilman Nichols that the resolution adopting a plan of implementation for Major Streets Criteria be adopted.

Carried unanimously.  
SEMOG ANNUAL MEETING: SEMOG Annual Meeting is March 12, 1976. Councilman Folino and City Manager to attend at Mercy College Conference Center.

RANDOLPH DRAIN HEARING: Hearing will be held on Tuesday, March 9, 1976 at 2 p.m. in the Northville City Hall.

EASTLAWN CONVALESCENT HOME: Disposition of the Eastlawn property was approved as follows: Certain furniture and equipment items will be given to charitable organizations as asked for; Public Works Dept. will handle distribution. Sale of remaining furniture and equipment will be handled at public sale. The roof on the activities building will be repaired. Bids will be taken on the demolition of the convalescent home and smaller frame structures and row of cottages giving salvage rights to contractor to minimize costs.

BIKE TRAILS: Mayor Allen mentioned a bike trail out to the Fish Hatchery. City Manager said State has a proposal on this and it might be a good idea to wait and see what the State is going to do. Construction has started on the parkway segment.

BARRIER FREE DESIGN: Councilman Vernon attended the Michigan Municipal League meeting in Lansing. He noted a resistance to the Barrier Free Design, particularly three basic problems which are remodeling of existing buildings, cost of elevators, etc., requirements for new construction and remodeling of historical buildings from an architectural standpoint.

He stated that while we are in sympathy with disabled people, there is growing interest in having discretionary powers in the local Zoning Board of Appeals rather than the State Barrier Free Design Board.

BURIED VIOLATION BUR-EAU: City Manager will have resolution for next meeting. City Attorney to follow up on letter to Purcell and Geake regarding proposed ordinance violation bureau which can be passed by the State Legislature.

BONGIOVANNI SETTLEMENT: City Attorney mentioned the Bongioanni case settlement for \$2,200, plus \$800 appraisal costs.

STATE LAND USE CONTROL: Councilman Folino reported on the MML Legislative Conference session on the proposed State Land Use Control. He advised that mandatory rather than advisory state authority was still being pushed, contrary to League policy.

There being no further business, Mayor Allen adjourned the meeting at 10:32 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
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ASSESSMENT HEARINGCITY OF NOVI  
County of Oakland, Michigan

TAKE NOTICE that the City Council of the City of Novi, Oakland County, Michigan, has determined it to be necessary to make the following described public improvement in the City of Novi:

Installation of Water Transmission System along east side of Novi Road from 12 Mile Road to the Expressway and along the south side of 12 Mile Road east of Novi Road.

The City Council has determined that a part of the cost of the above described public improvement shall be assessed against the following described property abutting the above described improvement:

Parcel No. 22-14-100-001  
22-14-100-002  
22-14-100-005  
22-14-100-027

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the City Council has caused reports concerning said public improvement to be prepared, which reports include necessary plans, profiles, specifications and estimates of cost of such public improvement, a description of the assessment district and other pertinent information, and these reports are on file in the office of the City Clerk and are available for public examination.

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the City Council will meet on Monday, April 12, 1976, at 8:00 o'clock p.m., prevailing eastern time, (or as soon thereafter as the same may be reached) at the Novi School Administration Building, 25575 Taft Road, Novi, Michigan, for the purpose of hearing objections to the making of such public improvement.

This Notice is given by order of the City Council of the City of Novi, Michigan.

Geraldine Stipp  
City Clerk

## NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

Novi Community School District

County of Oakland, Michigan

## TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF SAID SCHOOL DISTRICT:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at the Special Election to be held in Novi Community School District, County of Oakland, Michigan, on Monday, April 12, 1976, between the hours of 7:00 o'clock a.m. and 8:00 o'clock p.m., the following propositions will be submitted to vote of the qualified electors:

## I. Operating Millage Renewal Proposition

As a renewal of millage for operating purposes previously approved by the qualified electors of the School District, shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in the Novi Community School District, County of Oakland, Michigan, be increased by nine and one-half (9.5) mills (\$9.50 on each \$1,000.00 of state equalized valuation) for a period of five (5) years, 1976 to 1980, inclusive, for the purpose of providing funds for operating expenses (this being a renewal of the 9.5 mills for operating purposes which expired with the 1975 tax levy)?

## II. Additional Operating Millage Proposition

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in the Novi Community School District, County of Oakland, Michigan, be increased by three and one-half (3.5) mills (\$3.50 on each \$1,000.00 of state equalized valuation) for a period of two (2) years, 1976 and 1977, for the purpose of providing additional funds for operating expenses of the School District?

Each person voting on the above millage propositions must be:

- (a) A citizen of the United States of America over eighteen (18) years of age;
- (b) A registered elector of the City or Township in which he or she resides on or before March 15, 1976.

The place of voting will be the Community Building, 26360 Novi Road, Novi, Michigan.

## COUNTY TREASURER'S STATEMENT

I, C. Hugh Dohany, County Treasurer of the County of Oakland, State of Michigan, do hereby certify that according to the records in my office, as of March 2, 1976, the total of all voted increases in the tax rate limitation above the 15 mills established by Section 6 of Article IX of the Michigan Constitution of 1963, affecting taxable property in the Novi Community School District in said county, is as follows:

Local Unit	Voted Increases	Years Increase Effective
Novi Community School District	7.00 2.50	1973 to 1977 incl. 1973 to 1977 incl.
Novi Township	none	
County School District of Oakland County	.50 .50 .50	unlimited unlimited unlimited
Oakland Community College County of Oakland	1.00 .25	unlimited 1972 to 1976 incl.

(Signed) C. Hugh Dohany, Treasurer  
Oakland County

This notice is given by order of the Board of Education of Novi Community School District, County of Oakland, Michigan.

(Signed) LaVerne M. DeWaard, Secretary

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The City of Novi will receive bids for a new magnetic ledger minicomputer. Specifications may be obtained from the City Clerk.  
Sealed bids will be received until 5:00 p.m. Prevaling Eastern Time, Monday, April 5, 1976, at the office of the City Clerk at the municipal building, 43315 Sixth Gate, Novi, Michigan, 48050, with the envelope clearly marked "Computer Bid".  
An official bid sheet must be properly completed and returned with the bid.  
Bids will be publicly opened and read at the regular council meeting on Monday, April 5, 1976, which will convene at 8:00 p.m. at the Novi School Administration Bldg 25575 Taft Road. The City reserves the right to accept or reject any and/or all bids and waive any irregularities, and to award the contract in any way deemed to be in the best interest of the City of Novi.  
Geraldine Stipp,  
City Clerk



# More Questions, Answers

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What will happen if the renewal is approved and the request for additional millage is turned down?

In this case, the state aid formula which is yet to be decided will give us the best answer. The present outlook is that there may be less state aid for Novi Schools for the 1976-77 school year. Section 143 of the current state aid bill is confusing to all and should be changed.

With the costs of operation increasing for next year in terms of higher salaries and wages already committed, the net result would be elimination of some needed additional teaching positions and some non-contractual positions where possible. For only in this way would it be possible to meet the commitments the Board of Education already has made. The increase in student population would mean larger classes and more split sections in the elementary schools. It would mean elimination of some offerings in the middle school and the high school. No new teachers will be hired until after the election, even

though student population is expected to grow by approximately 75-100 students. The larger class sizes and curtailment of school programs is a reluctant step which is taken only when no other solution is possible.

If some legislators are recommending no increase in state taxes, why is the school district asking to increase property taxes?

The State of Michigan by not raising taxes to help schools has shifted the burden to local school districts. Many school districts in Michigan are being forced to ask for tax increases including those which surround Novi. The reason for an increase is simply explained by reviewing the cost of living for as that increases so does the cost of operating a school district. Teaching supplies have increased in cost over 30 percent in the last three years. Textbooks have increased well over 40 percent. Utilities have more than doubled, while gasoline for school buses, which used to cost 20.5 cents per gallon in 1973, now costs 39.9 cents per gallon.

Prudent management has enabled the School Board to initiate cost reductions in energy consumption and fuel usage for the past two years to avoid a millage increase sooner, but now, with the decrease in state aid and fixed costs continually rising, an increase in taxes is necessary.

How does the Board know how much millage is required in the face of the uncertainties?

The Board does not know precisely how much millage will be required as it does not know at this time what state funds will be appropriated for the next school year. In view of the possibility that the legislature will not decide until August, it becomes necessary to make estimates of the need, based upon the best information available. This has been done, with the assumption that the present State Aid formula will remain in effect. With the increase in assessed valuation a corresponding decrease in state aid automatically occurs. The need to hire additional teachers (because of increased enrollment), two new buses, more library books and teaching aids, will, in themselves, exceed income from our total operating tax of 1975-76.

Will local control be maintained if the millage proposal is approved?

Certainly a school district which is not experiencing financial trouble is more able to control its own affairs than one which is in trouble. Some financially troubled districts are in virtual receivership with the State Department of Education providing much supervision. A financially independent school district is able to exercise a high degree of autonomy.

## Group Seeks Clothes

An appeal for washable used clothing in good repair for both men and women is being made by the clothing center at Northville State Hospital.

Mrs. Jennifer Bolenbaugh, a volunteer who serves as manager of the Open Door clothing center at the hospital on Seven Mile Road, reports that all kinds of clothing, including shoes and underwear, are needed for patients.

The Open Door clothes closet, she explains, provides daytime clothing and sleepwear for patients needing it. She stresses that clothing must be washable.

Any items that can't be used in the clothing center, she adds, are given to the Salvation Army so that no donation is wasted. She is hoping that residents who are doing spring housecleaning will fill a bag for the center. Donations may be dropped off in the hospital lobby.

## 'Support Jail Millage', Commissioner Urges

Mary E. Dumas, County Commissioner representing the Livonia-Northville area, this week urged voters to approve the jail construction millage proposal that will be on the May 18 presidential primary ballot in Wayne County.

"If this millage is not approved, we face the very real possibility that dangerous criminals who otherwise would be behind bars might be let loose on bond. We do not want people to be subjected in their homes and businesses to the danger of being victimized by criminals who are let go by the courts instead of being incarcerated while awaiting trial on crimes."

Mrs. Dumas said additional jail facilities became mandatory when a panel of three circuit judges last month moved to enforce its order that no more than 720 prisoners be housed in the present jail.

Excess prisoners are being housed temporarily in barracks at the Detroit House of Correction while a vacant psychiatric building is renovated for temporary use as a 240-inmate jail at Wayne County General Hospital in Westland.

The County Board of Commissioners March 18 voted unanimously to put the millage proposal on the ballot. The proposal calls for a levy of one-half mill (50 cents per \$1,000 of equalized valuation) for five years for construction and operation of jail facilities. This would cost \$6 per year on a home with a \$12,000 valuation and raise about \$35 million.

The Board of Commissioners is studying two alternative approaches to building a 400-prisoner detention facility within walking distance of the present jail in downtown Detroit. One plan calls for construction of a new facility. The other calls for conversion of a warehouse to a jail. A "blue ribbon" citizens committee is due to make recommendations on the matter by April 1.

Regardless of which approach is decided upon, additional millage will be needed to build and operate the facility because bonding is precluded at the present time by a court case challenging the legality of the state bonding act and because the county is broke," Mrs. Dumas explained, adding:

"We hope that all concerned citizens and all civic organizations will support the millage proposition. We recognize this is not the most auspicious time as far as the economy is concerned, but we also recognize that the potential cost to the citizenry in terms of lost property and possibly lost lives is the paramount concern."



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## Students Win Ferris Honors

Ferris State College has honored 1755 students, including three from this area, for scholastic excellence during the winter quarter by naming them to the Academic Honors List.

Named to the list from this area were:

Donna L. Robertson, 44010 Stassen; Debra S. Frounfelter, 46780 Timberlane; and Teresa M. Hudson, 957 Novi Road.

Announcement of the honors list was made by Dr. James V. Farrell, vice-president for academic affairs at Ferris.

To be named to the Academic Honors List a student must have earned at least a 3.25 average on a 4.0 basis and have carried a full academic load. A full load is defined as 14 quarter hours of credit.

## Career Planning Offered

The Women's Resource Center of Schoolcraft College is offering morning, afternoon, and evening sessions of its Self-Directed Career Planning Program, beginning Monday, March 29.

The five-session program is designed especially for the independent woman with life experience who is planning to enter or re-enter the world of work. Led by trained volunteers, participants will explore a variety of career options using interest tests and other occupational information.

Fee for the workshop is \$5. Registration is by appointment, which may be completed by calling the Women's Resource Center at 591-6400, extension 370.

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Pre-publication sales of "Northville... The First 100 Years," a history of the community from 1827 through 1927, are going well, Mrs. Milton Holstein, co-chairman of the project, reported this week.

The book has been in preparation for more than four years as a Queter Bicentennial community service project. Local chapters have done background research with the writing being done by Jack W. Hoffman.

All books sold at the pre-publication price of \$9 will be numbered and signed by the author. He is editor of The Northville Record and assistant to the publisher of the Sliger Home Newspapers.

The hard-cover book is being offered in limited edition at a non-profit price. It will include many early photographs and maps.

This early history, the Queters explain, describes pioneers, builders, churchmen and businessmen of the community.

Copies now may be reserved by sending a check for \$9, plus a \$1 a copy if mailing is desired, to Northville Post Office Box 1776. Checks should be made out to "Northville... The First 100 Years."

The Queter committee notes that for those wishing to pick up their volume a location will be set up this summer. It is anticipated that the book will be available in mid-summer.

All orders will be acknowledged, Mrs. Holstein points out, close to the pick-up date so that the acknowledgement will serve as receipt for the pick-up and will state the date and place.

Accuracy of the chapters is being verified by Mrs. E.A. Chapman (Elizabeth Lapham), a member of a six-generation Northville family, who has been a strong supporter of the antiques society project.

The author has researched the files of The Northville Record and talked with area long-time residents as he wrote chapters on such early families as the Lewises and the Thorntons. Material gathered by Queter members over many months of research were supplied the author.

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