



Mae Ely still has vivid recollections of old Park House hotel

### Pleasant memories

## Park House hotel's just a vacant lot

It was on December 9, 1929 that Mae Gyde Ely watched one of Northville's most historic landmarks go up in flames.

Already 53 years old at the time, Mae was saddened by the building's destruction — for it was here that her two grown children were born and it was here where she had lived and worked upon moving to Northville from her parents' Eight Mile Road farm in Lyon Township many years earlier.

Nearly 47-years have passed since that fire but still no building has risen from the rubble.

The site has remained vacant all these years, despite the fact that it commands at the southwest corner of Main and Center streets one of the most strategic locations in downtown Northville.

Owned today by the proprietors of Northville's bowling alley, the site serves only as a parking lot. There are no plans for any construction.

And now headed for her 101st birthday, a still healthy Mae Gyde Ely doesn't expect to be around to see a new building on the site.

"I remember it was an awful fire," she said Sunday, recalling that she was visiting a relative here at the time. "Oh, yes, it was a little sad. It had been such a grand place."

"It" was the Park House, a two-story frame hotel that reportedly was one of the first large "balloon" constructed buildings in Michigan. Balloon construction means that the vertical studs rose from the foundation to the ceiling of the second floor. The more common "western" construction has studs rising only from the foundation to the ceiling of the first floor.

It was in 1854 that William and Ursula Ambler purchased the

property at the corner, then occupied by a dwelling. He built and opened the Ambler House in 1858.

Three years later, Ambler purchased the mill privileges on what later became known as the Ambler Pond where he built and operated a mill. The pond stretched from near the eastern edge of Rural Hill Cemetery drive to about where Wing Street would extend to Seven Mile Road. Seven Mile Road and the parkway did not then exist, and the entire area was covered by water.

Ambler operated the mill and the hotel until his death on November 6, 1863.

The family continued to operate the hotel until 1869 when J. W. Elliott took it over. It then was called the Elliott House.

Some time later it was purchased by Frank B. Park, who operated it for a relatively short period even though his name was associated with it down through the years. In 1888 Park and his wife became ill and they sold the business to George Brooks.

Among others who operated it were John Buchner, a Mr. Ives, and O. Butler and son.

Sometime before the turn of the century, the hotel was purchased by Mr. and Mrs. E.A. Shafer.

It was while the Shafers were operating it that Mae Gyde began working there, Mrs. Shafer being her sister. Another employee was Willard A. Ely, and soon Mae and Willard were married, on September 20, 1899.

Eventually the Shafers gave up operation and the Elys rented the building and undertook the management themselves.

"We were living there when my two children were born in the hotel.

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TWENTY-FIVE CENTS

## Teachers ratify 3-year pact; board to vote on Saturday

A new three-year contract was ratified Monday by Northville teachers by a narrow 89-79 vote.

The board of education is scheduled to vote on the new multi-year pact at a special 9 a.m. meeting Saturday.

The all-encompassing single contract covers both traditional and special education (ISEP) teachers, based on a tentative agreement reached at the bargaining table Sunday, November 21.

Agreement marks the second time in the district's history that the two sides had reached accord. The first tentative settlement, however, got hung up on state requirement technicality and the two sides were forced back to the table.

Teachers have been working without a contract since the start of the school year. Except for heated arguments and some picketing, this year's dispute, unlike those in earlier years, was not accompanied by a strike.

Both sides of the negotiating table consider the settlement a good one, with some reservations. It is the first three-year contract ever reached here.

Naomi Poe, president of the NEA called the contract a "realistic one," pointing out it is not as good financially as contract settlements being

reached elsewhere.

Biggest difficulty teachers found with the new contract, she said, was over layoff language. Many felt that by this contract they are giving up basic seniority rights, she explained, since language now includes an experience factor together with seniority. For example, if an art teacher with significant seniority

were laid off that teacher would have to have two-year experience in a non-art field to gain the position held by a teacher with lesser seniority.

Following teachers' ratification vote, Superintendent Raymond Spear called for a special meeting of the board to take up the contract Saturday morning.

The board was already scheduled to meet Saturday, beginning at 8 a.m., in an all-day work session. Now, at 9 a.m., the board will formally convene to discuss details of the contract and then approve or reject the contract. Since board members are already familiar with much of the contract language and since it is being recommended for approval by the board's negotiating team and the superintendent, board approval appears certain.

The three-year life of the new contract represents a change in the original agreement which called only for a two-year package. In a surprising move, representatives for the teachers had pushed for a three-year contract.

Historically, multi-year contracts have been sought by boards of education, while teachers have favored single-year agreements.

According to Ms. Poe, the teachers' decision to push for the three-year contract simply means teachers

recognize "that Northville has got a lot of building to do and they want to mend fences and get about the business of teaching."

Since bargaining by teachers began in 1965, Northville has had six single-year contracts, two two-year contracts and now this three-year package.

Salary-wise, the contract calls for a 3½ percent increase, retroactive to

September, for the first year, 4 percent for the second year; and a 7 percent across the board increase the final year.

The technicality that disrupted the first tentative agreement, involving teacher retirement, was resolved by changing the procedure for payment but not the amount of the board's contribution. Initially, the board agreed

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### Priorities considered by school

Improving the appearance of school buildings and assessing year-round school head the list of 34 major tasks facing the Northville board of education this year, according to Superintendent Raymond Spear.

Both goals are of prime importance to the school district and should be given top priority by the school board and administrators, Spear said last week in an interview with The Record. Spear presented his annual list of proposed objectives to the board two weeks ago. They will study it at fuller length during an all-day

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## City-police reach accord on new one-year contract

It was a long time in making, but a new one-year police contract has been ratified by both the Northville police officers association and the city council.

The new pact sets a police officers' salary at \$17,014 (after three years service), up from the previous level of \$15,330.

"The patrolmen's salary," according to City Manager Steven Walters, "is equal to the City of Novi and slightly below the Plymouth. Other benefits are also in line with neighboring departments."

Altogether, counting salary and fringe benefit improvements, the new contract represents a 12.3 percent increase.

The contract was hammered together in a long series of negotiations begun last spring. Representing the city council in those negotiations were Councilman Paul Vernon and Stanley Johnston.

For awhile "there appeared to be a possibility that the negotiations would end in a fact finding and arbitration case," said Walters. "However, both sides remained willing to negotiate in spite of a major difference over the issue of disability income protection. This situation was resolved on November 11 when the NPOA accepted the city's modified proposal."

The salary increase for patrolmen represents a 10.9 percent hike.

In addition, the new contract boosts the salary of cadets (after three years) by 14.5 percent, up to \$10,004.80. The cadet scale below three years was increased from between 11 and 13 percent.

Cost of living was put at a six-percent maximum, with no semi-annual cap, based on April-September and October-March.

Holidays was increased to 12 days, effective January 1 of 1977, with no payment provided this fiscal year.

Life insurance was increased to \$30,000, with \$30,000 AD & D.

Cleaning allowance was increased to \$150 per year.

Minimum call in time was fixed at three hours — same as in Novi and Plymouth.

Vehicle standards established by the contract include:

Emergency patrol vehicles are to be fully equipped before use: at 40,000 miles bids are to go out for a new vehicle, and at 50,000 miles the vehicle is to be taken off the road.

The contract language provides, however, that if replacement of a vehicle is delayed because of a factor beyond the control of the city, then such vehicle may continue to be used — provided it is determined to be safe — to meet emergency

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## NEWS BRIEFS



Gifts from sea

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**GEORGE BERRYMAN** Donation at the Northville A & P Seven Mile store in Northville Plaza Mall will be today (Wednesday) with five percent of purchases marked on special cards to go to the seriously ill former Northville schools' band director. Call Mrs. L.M. Cancaster, 349-1927, for Band Parents' donation cards.

**MAINTENANCE** at Northville High School will be discussed by Michael Schick at the general meeting of Northville High PTSO at 8 p.m. today in the school cafeteria. School social worker Joseph Blake also is to speak on special education services.

**NORTHVILLE** Goodfellows will be on the streets in full force Saturday, December 11, selling editions of The Record to raise money for clothing and food for needy children of the community at Christmas. Leading the volunteer salesmen will be Russell Amerman, Steven Walters, Art Radford, Paul Vernon, Louis Westfall, Ronald Nisun, William Tomczyk, and C. A. Smith. Meanwhile, persons knowing of a needy family is asked to contact either the city or township police department.

### How's this for a pet?



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## Suit of armor's going . . . going . . .

If you've always wanted to own a suit of armor or if up to 75 dozen beer, wine or water glasses would help your holiday entertaining, Saturday's auction may be a bonanza for you.

These items, together with dishes, decorative swords and shields, cash registers and miscellaneous office furniture may be up for auction at 10 a.m. Saturday at the Drawbridge Restaurant.

"We're not necessarily selling everything," cautions Northville City Manager Steven Walters as he explains that the auction is being held under state law to recover unpaid personal property taxes of the restaurant which has been plagued with financial troubles almost since its opening in April, 1973.

The restaurant at 145 North Center was the First Methodist Church of Northville until 1972 when it moved to Eight Mile Road.

Its magnificent hand-carved woodwork and stained windows were retained as an old-world castle or fortress atmosphere was created for the restaurant.

The restaurant will be open beginning at 9 a.m. Saturday for inspection of items to be sold.

Stevens, who says he'll "probably be the auctioneer," stresses that the sale will continue only until the city has recovered its money.

Therefore, the entire inventory list may not be sold. Stevens says he does not want to reveal the

amount he plans to recover as it might influence bidding.

He points out that there is legal precedence that he obtain as much money as possible for items sold.

The restaurant had a name change to the Captain's Table and also had changed chefs and managers as it struggled to stay open.

It closed its doors this year.

Early in September, Walters recalls in back-grounding events leading to the auction, there was a judicial sale for mortgage default and through court action the building was put up for sale.

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### It's party time for Newcomers

Mary Ketola, left, gets an assist from Northville Newcomer party chairman Jackie Payne, center, and Cathy Anthony as she decorates the doors of her new North Hills home

before the club's annual Christmas cocktail party December 11. The Robert Ketolas and Robert Anthonys are opening their homes for the festivities. See In Our Town.

### Offers firsthand aid

## She's clinic therapist

A Northville resident, Rosemarie VanIngen, is enterostomal therapist for a new clinic opened at Providence Hospital in Southfield.

The hospital clinic is the first in the Detroit metropolitan area for patients in need of specialized care following surgery for removal or intervention of the bowel or urinary tract.

It is available to all ostomy patients in the Detroit area who may either make appointments directly or through referral from a physician.

"There are more than 3,000 people in Detroit- and suburban communities who have had ostomy surgery," Mrs. VanIngen states. "With proper rehabilitation, these patients can continue to lead

happy, satisfying lives."

According to Mrs. VanIngen, who had an ileostomy herself five years ago, "Patients must learn to manage the ostomy and not let it manage them."

The hospital reports that Mrs. VanIngen's own physical well-being and normal life serve as an inspiration for her patients, many of whom she sees on an inpatient basis prior to and following surgery.

Mrs. VanIngen received her certification as an enterostomal therapist from Roswell Park Memorial Institute, Buffalo, New York, in 1974.

There are approximately 600 enterostomal therapists in the world who help patients learn self-care and ease emotional problems caused

by ostomy surgery.

"Some of the shock can be eased if a patient has a good understanding of the surgical procedure and its results before the operation, she explains.

The clinic was formed to assist patients with the physical and emotional adjustments which so often are necessary after colostomies, ileostomies and other surgery in which a stoma or opening is made in the abdominal wall for the elimination of body waste.

Counseling for both patients and their families during the adjustment period immediately following surgery is provided.

While a patient is recuperating in the hospital,

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LARE HECKAMAN, PENNY SCANTLIN

## Tell wedding plans

A romance that began at Western Michigan University has resulted in announcement of the engagement of their daughter, Penny, by Jack and Barbara Scantlin of 46287 Pickford.

Her fiancé is Lare Dillman Heckaman of Phoenix Island, Syracuse, Indiana. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ivo Heckaman of Syracuse.

The bride-elect is a 1985 graduate of Northville High School. She received her bachelor's degree in retailing at WMU and has been a stewardess for World Airways for six years and also has done modeling and some acting in San Francisco.

Her fiancé, a 1965 graduate of Nappanee (Indiana) High School, received his BA degree in political science from WMU where he affiliated with Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity and was its vice-president.

A builder and developer, he is employed by Heckaman Industries in Nappanee and is president of Northwood Estates Development Corporation.

A January 15, 1977, wedding is planned at Martha-Mary Chapel in Greenfield Village.

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## In Our Town Mary Jo's marching at Rose Bowl game

By JEAN DAY

MARY JO MARBURGER's our girl in the famous 250-member University of Michigan Marching Band. She's the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin F. Marburger of 20149 East Whipple and is in both the marching and symphony bands at U-M.

While still a freshman, she's captured ninth spot in the 65-member trumpet section of the marching band and will be on a charter flight to California for the Rose Bowl the day after Christmas. The band will depart from Metro Airport and will be housed in UCLA dorms. If funding's available, it will visit San Francisco before returning.

The young music major already has gone with the band to Ohio this fall. In addition to playing at the Ohio State game, the band participated in a Band-O-Rama at Bexley, Ohio, a suburb of Columbus, where members were guests in residents' homes.

An honor graduate of Northville High in June of this year, Miss Marburger also was the recipient of the Langfield Memorial Scholarship for music at the high school. She has been a music student at Interlochen Academy.

In addition to practicing for the Rose Bowl, she mentioned on her brief Thanksgiving visit home, she's getting ready for the annual Christmas concert to be presented December 10 at Hill Auditorium on campus.

LIFE MEMBERS of Northville Mothers' Club through the years have at times expressed a wish to become organized to continue helping with educational projects or perhaps give an assist to Mothers' Club on large undertakings.

Last week Monday Mrs. Gordon Forrer hosted a meeting of about 25 life members, those who had worked in Mothers' Club for at least 10 years, at her West Main Street home. All local life members available were contacted.

"It was a very positive response," reports Mrs. Forrer, a past president of Mothers' Club and recent life member. Tentatively, the group would meet three or four times a year.

A second organizational meeting will be held next February at the home of Mrs. William Davis.

Mrs. Kalin Johnson, current Mothers' Club president, plans to have a brief report at the club's annual Christmas potluck dinner meeting at 6:30 p.m. next Monday night at the home of Mrs. V. V. Boll at 18262 Arselot. Life members traditionally are guests of the club at this meeting.

THIRD MEETING of the new Mothers' Club cook book, "Favorite Recipes from Our Best Cooks," arrived Tuesday, chairman Diane Schrader reports. The previous printings of 900 have been sold out.



U-M BANDSMAN MARBURGER

The new shipment of 300 books, she says, arrived early as a "bonanza" for Christmas giving. Members may pick up supplies at Schrader's Home Furnishings at 111 North Center. The books also are on sale to the public at \$3.50.

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS cocktail party of Northville Newcomers' Club will be held concurrently in two homes of members from 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. next Saturday, December 11, Mrs. John Berry, president, announces.

The Robert Ketolas and the Robert Anthonys have agreed to open their homes for the fun event to which those attending each are to bring a gift-wrapped ornament to exchange.

Each couple attending also is asked to bring two dozen hors d'oeuvres. Cost per couple is \$4 with reservations to be made with Sheila Hoover, 349-1566, by this Friday.

ORNAMENTS for a tree are to be brought to Friday's meeting of Northville Woman's Club, reminds President Eunice Switzer. The club voted at its last meeting to bring decorations for the tree traditionally set up for the club's December 17 meeting in fellowship hall of First Presbyterian Church.

The tree then will be left decorated for all who use the room to enjoy during the holidays.

IT'S CHRISTMAS and tree trimming time at King's Mill clubhouse. Social committee chairperson Beverly Manheimer announces that the December potluck at 6:30 p.m. this Friday will be a tree-trimming party at the clubhouse with members to bring a dish to pass. Ice and coffee, she notes, will be available.

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## Headmaster quotes Emerson

# 'When on thin ice, skate fast'



F. Alden Shaw recites Emerson to Mrs. Ray Casterline II and Mrs. Shaw

F. Alden Shaw, headmaster emeritus of Detroit Country Day School and a Northville area resident for some 43 years, brought two friends with him when he appeared at Northville Woman's Club as its guest speaker.

Ralph Waldo Emerson and Henry David Thoreau both obviously were well-known to the man who has taught a course about them for 62 years at the school he founded.

Essayist Emerson was the favorite of the 91-year-old educator who declared that "Emerson has never lost his powers."

He illustrated the statement by recalling that, when President Ford wanted some speedy legislation, he said, "Emerson tells us, 'When on thin ice, skate fast'."

And Woody Hayes, the speaker added with a smile, has declared he would like to have Emerson address his football team.

Transcendentalists, such as Emerson, Mr. Shaw explained to his audience, felt that they must include as part of learning what comes through the emotions believing that science alone can't explain courage, mercy, love and self-sacrifice.

The speaker called "Compensation" Emerson's masterpiece, saying, "he

tries to establish a divinity in the cosmic world and in each one of us, a balance omnipresent."

"Each thing is a half — yes, no — subjective, objective — for everything missed, you've gained something."

"If you take too much, nature takes it back — a president has paid dearly for the White House."

Turning to Thoreau, the naturalist-author, Mr. Shaw said he also was a mystic and an "inventor of excellent lead pencils."

While today his reputation is international, he went on, only two pieces, "Walden" and "Civil Disobedience" were published here by the time of his death.

"He wished to live deliberately in solitude in the cabin on Walden Pond free from distractions in order to write, unlike Emerson who wanted to help others," Mr. Shaw told the club.

"Thoreau," he continued, "had a great respect for the man who had patches on his knees and was not embarrassed by them."

"Do not spend the best years of your life working to pay off the mortgage" was a Thoreau philosophy quoted by the speaker.

Thoreau's quotations could be nuggets of purest ore, declared Mr. Shaw as he mentioned it has been said that it took Thoreau seven years to write "Walden", seven years to rewrite it, and it should be read seven times to understand it.

Mr. Shaw was introduced at the meeting at First Presbyterian Church by Mrs. Ray Casterline II.

## She's therapist

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Mrs. VanIngen orders all equipment and supplies after conferring with the physician and discusses in detail with the patient what his life will be like.

"It is reassuring to patients to know that such a resource is available to them should problems arise after they leave the hospital," adds Mrs. VanIngen.

## Art show set

Members of Three Cities Art Club are preparing for a holiday show to be held December 10 and 11 in the basement of the Plymouth Community Credit Union.

Hours will be 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Friday and 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday. Three art prizes will be given away.

Among members with exhibits will be Marie Bonamici of Northville, who will show jewelry.

## China report

# NOW welcomes president

Members of the Northwest Wayne Chapter of the National Organization for Women (NOW) will be participating in a program with Metro Detroit NOW with National President Karen DeCrow as guest of honor December 10 at the Feminist Women's Club.

Ms. DeCrow will speak on her recent month-long trip to the People's Republic of China during which she investigated women's roles in Chinese society.

Since she was in China at the time of Mao Tse Tung's death, her report is expected to be of special interest.

## Great Books meets Thursday

Area Great Books discussion group will meet at 8:15 p.m. Thursday in Carl Sandburg Library, 30100 Seven Mile.

"The Loneliness of the Long-Distance Runner" by Alan Sillitoe continues this year's "Search for Meaning" theme.

All interested persons are invited to come for discussion and stay for refreshments.

The program, entitled Conference Countdown, will begin at 5:30 p.m. Theatre Company of Ann Arbor will present a series of comic vignettes.

Wine and hot hors d'oeuvres will be served. Tickets will be available at the door at \$8.50. The club is located at 2110 Park Avenue off Grand Circus Park.

Conference Countdown is presented in preparation for the 1977 National NOW Conference to be held in Detroit April 22-24.

It will celebrate the 10th anniversary of the NOW non-profit organization dedicated to elevating the status of women in American society and is expected to bring over 2,000 people to Detroit.

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Towering totem

An Indian potlatch ceremony which included (from left standing) Debbie Wohlfeil, Kevin O'Connell, Jeanne Stratton, Paul Killick, Jill Schmidt (front) and Richard Bolling was used to celebrate the raising of a 15-foot totem pole in the media center of Novi Woods Elementary. A project which included work by students, parents and staff, the totem pole was constructed from a telephone pole as a Bicentennial project. For story see page 10-A.

## Clean bill of health

## Wixom audit completed

A general fund balance of \$132,021 was reported to the Wixom City Council Tuesday night, in an annual audit report made by city auditors Plante and Moran. The report summed up fiscal 1975-76 operations.

In its remarks, the auditors reported the city to be efficiently run and in "fine shape" financially. Although the original budget was amended from \$970,330 to \$1,077,174, the final audit showed actual expenditures to be \$983,465.

In general property tax monies, the city took in \$590,120, less than \$1,000 over

what was anticipated in the amended budget. The city also received \$115,643 in state revenues, amounting to \$20,373 more than the budgeted figure.

From services, fines, interest and other income, including those monies gained from federal revenue sharing, CETA employment grants and crime prevention grants, the city gained \$221,538 compared to \$240,210 budgeted.

Total revenues going into the general fund from all sources tallied amounted to \$927,301 while actual expenditures amounted to \$983,465.

Appropriations from the existing general fund balance were used to make up the deficit.

According to auditors, 64 percent of the general fund revenue monies came from property tax, 17 percent from federal sources, 12 percent from state-shared monies and 7 percent from other sources.

General operating expenses of the city totaled \$145,625, some \$5,000 less than the actual budgeted figure. Almost \$27,000 was allocated for contingency purposes in the original budget with none of those monies used during the year.

Police department costs for the year totaled \$274,616, approximately \$22,500 less than anticipated. Main reason for the large variance was the lateness of delivery of three new police vehicles with delivery of those cars coming after the close of the budget year.

A similar case occurred within the fire department. Amended budget figures called for an expenditure of \$71,121 while in reality only \$45,556 was spent. Of the budgeted figure, \$25,292 had been set aside as the first payment on a new fire truck ordered one year ago. The city is still awaiting delivery of that vehicle.

The building department

Novi Council  
sets meeting  
time limit

"This may encourage some of us to keep our big mouths shut on issues of triviality," explained Novi Councilman James Shaw last week as he moved a resolution limiting council meetings to an 11:30 p.m. conclusion.

Prompting the time limit was a meeting about a month ago which lasted until 2 a.m.

Under the resolution, which was approved unanimously by the council, the item of business being discussed could be concluded but the only legitimate resolution thereafter would be a motion for adjournment or suspension of the rules to allow consideration of other items.

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Residential, commercial top  
Novi development plans

Novi City Council Monday reviewed for the first time with the city planners the preliminary Neighborhood Unit Plan Report and the Preliminary Regional Center Impact Study and Area Development Plan.

Both studies were completed earlier this year by planners Vilican-Leman and were basically paid for under a 701 planning grant. The studies, along with future commercial, industrial and thoroughfare studies, will be utilized in the development of the Novi master plan.

Vilican-Leman planner Charles Cairns began the meeting by discussing the Preliminary Neighborhood Unit Plan which shows a potential holding population for Novi of 95,890. It proposes 30 neighborhood units comprising the residential portions of the city.

The plan proposes that ultimately when total development has occurred, 16 of those units will contain an elementary school while all but three of the 30 will contain a local neighborhood park.

A new secondary school facility is foreseen in the 10 Mile-Wixom Road area.

Cairns said that the study results show the best development for schools from a planning standpoint. He noted, however, that the city includes four school districts within its boundary.

"It doesn't make good planning to have an elementary school an inch away on the map from another in a different school district, but that is what could happen," stated Cairns.

"Each neighborhood unit as it approaches total development should have a neighborhood park," he added. "We don't feel that any park less than two acres serves a purpose."

When questioned, Cairns admitted that the Preliminary Neighborhood Unit Development Plan is very similar to the Johnson-Waring plan of the early 1960's but includes changes as the result of development since that point.

Council member Patricia Karevich, noting that the plan calls for the elementary schools to be centrally located in each district on collector streets, suggested instead that the schools should be placed on thoroughfares.

"I question locating them in the subdivisions because someday they could become vacant and have no potential use while if they were on a

thoroughfare, they could be used for other purposes," she stated.

Cairns replied that such a philosophy would be defeating the purpose of the neighborhood schools during the 20 years that they probably would be in use. He admitted that it could well happen that as the community stabilizes the enrollment, as has been noted in other communities, could drop necessitating the closing of some schools.

Cairns also noted that having the schools located within the subdivision on collector streets would be more conducive to walking to the school than if that school was to be located on a thoroughfare.

Cairns also indicated that the area of the city currently the closest to being ideal from a planning standpoint is the Willowbrook-Village Oaks development located in the area bounded by 10 Mile, Meadowbrook Road, Nine Mile and Haggerty.

He explained that the area has an elementary school (Village Oaks) centrally located as well as recreation areas (south of Village Wood Road).

Turning to the Preliminary Regional Center Impact Study and Area Development Plan, Cairns explained that the plan utilizes a concentric effect with uses of property becoming less intense as they become further away from the shopping center. He noted that the highest commercial use is located right near the shopping center on Novi Road and 12 Mile.

The intent of the plan, said Cairns, is to place development in such a manner that strip commercial zoning will be non-existent, thus helping to alleviate extreme traffic congestion.

"It's critically important we diminish traffic congestion in these areas," stated Cairns.

The plan includes addition of several roads to more efficiently service the shopping-center and commercial areas. Among those proposed changes are:

- a road from Meadowbrook Road north of I-96 jogging west to the shopping center ring road;

- the continuation of Decker Road all the way from 13 Mile south to 12 Mile so that M-275 traffic will exit at 13 Mile and take Decker down to the shopping center instead of utilizing I-96;

- the continuation of West Road down to 12½ Mile so that residents coming from the Wixom area and locations north will use it instead of utilizing South Lake Drive;

- a bridge on Taft Road over I-96 to allow smooth

north-south traffic to and from 12 Mile;

- the placement of secondary roads to service the commercial areas on the west side of Novi Road.

Cairns noted that even with Novi Road and 12 Mile five lanes wide, bumper to bumper congestion can be expected during rushhour traffic after the shopping center is open.

Planning Board member John Roethel questioned the placement of multiple zoning on the east side of the shopping center area which is also owned by Dayton Hudson. He pointed out that Dayton Hudson had already requested that a portion of it be changed to commercial.

"The master plan isn't supposed to be amended every six months," stated

Roethel. He said that the city should come up with a zoning district that would be particularly suited to the property.

Cairns, however, recommended that the property should be zoned multiple rather than zoning it for a higher intensity use. He explained that the council could then look at what is proposed making it easier to say no than if the higher intensity zoning was already on the master plan.

"The life of this plan will depend on demand for development in the future," summed up Cairns. "There's no way to determine this."

Mayor Gilbert Henderson said that plans are for a January public hearing on the two plans so the city council can either accept or reject them.

Businesses nix possible  
'downtown' street lights

An unfavorable response greeted a questionnaire from the City of Novi asking if businesses in the "downtown" area of the city would be willing to pay a special assessment for adequate street-lighting.

Of 28 responses to the questionnaire, 23 responded unfavorably with the remainder answering affirmatively. One of those saying no was the Novi School Board which, during discussion, was told that Novi Elementary on Novi Road is not adequately lighted.

Board members also indicated they were hesitant to join in any special assessment district since Novi Elementary is for sale

and special assessment districts must normally be paid off before a sale is completed.

According to City Manager Edward Kriewall, "with the highway safety project (on Novi Road and Grand River), it would be necessary for Detroit Edison to relocate the existing street lights. They approached us and suggested it would be the proper time to install a new underground system."

"We felt we should at least poll the downtown businesses to see if there was interest in a special assessment district for street lighting, which is normally the way it is done."

If installed as suggested, the lights, according to

Assistant Manager John Merfield who sent out the questionnaires, would go from the railroad tracks a quarter mile south of Novi Road

north to 12 Mile on Grand River and on Grand River from the railroad overpass a quarter mile west of Novi Road to 1800 feet east of Novi Road. The lights would have 250 watt lamps staggered every 145 feet with underground wiring.

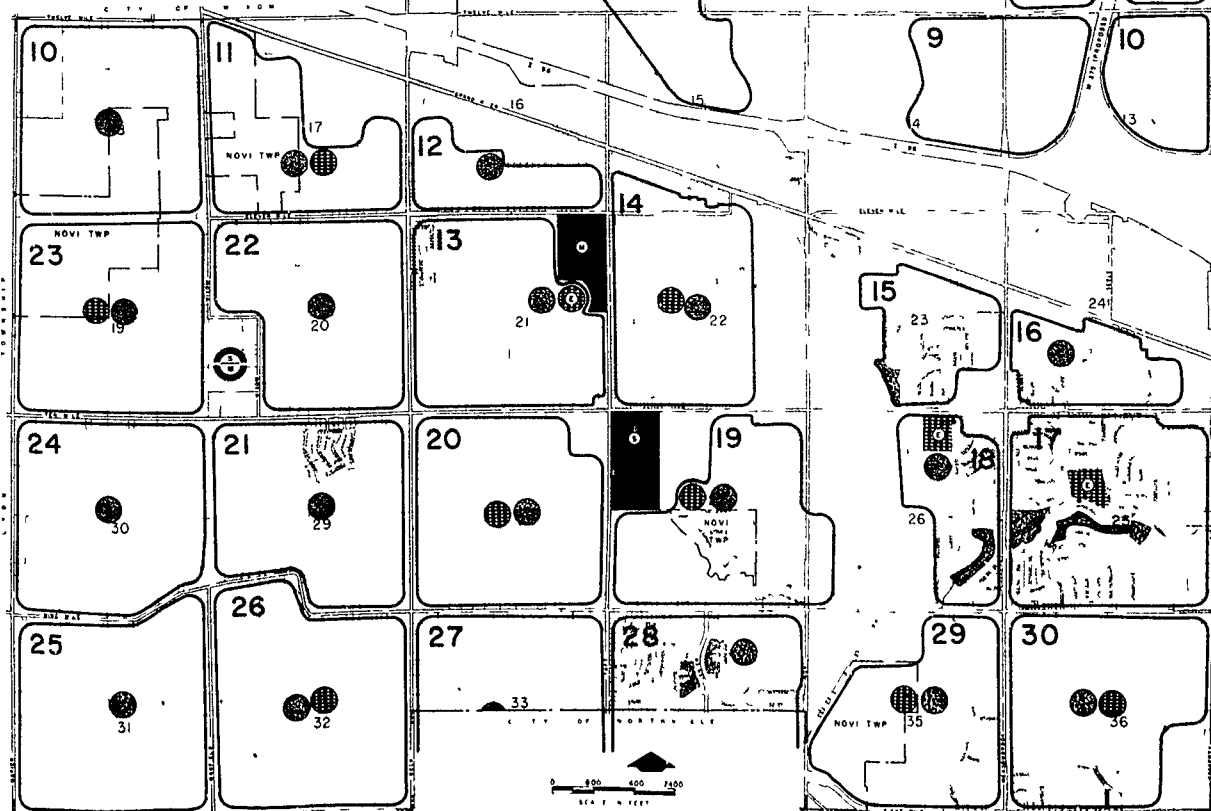
The highway safety project, approved over a year ago, includes the widening of Novi Road from I-96 south to the railroad tracks to five lanes and Grand River to five lanes from the railroad bypass to 1800 feet east of Novi Road. It

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Preliminary  
NEIGHBORHOOD  
UNIT PLAN

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- Neighborhood Unit Boundary
- Neighborhood Park
- Elementary School (E-Existing)
- Secondary School
- M Middle School
- S Senior High School
- Proposed Senior and Middle School



Preliminary Neighborhood Unit Plan includes 16 elementary schools and 27 local parks

Goodfellow newspaper  
sale to spread cheer

Novi's Goodfellows will be hawking newspapers this Friday and Saturday raising money for the community's Christmas needy.

Salesmen will be seeking donations in any amounts for sections of The Novi News so that "no child in Novi goes without a Christmas".

The group, headed this year by Joyce Brewer, provided food baskets for 60 Novi families last year. In addition, toys and other gifts are distributed to children who otherwise would not receive a gift at Christmastime.





## Christmas craft bee

Creating decorative wreaths for the family Christmas bazaar at Silver Springs Elementary are PTA mothers, from left, Suzie List, Marge Ercoli and Barbara Chranko. The wreaths and other decorations, together with personalized Christmas bells and sweets-to-give-and-eat, will be sold from

6:30 to 9:30 p.m. next Friday, December 10, in the multi-purpose room. More than a dozen booths have been taken by craftsmen for the holiday event. The PTA also is planning a children's shop and will have Santa on hand with a treat for each child.



## Madrigal music makers

Annalee Mathes, standing left, a past president of Madrigal Club of Detroit, rehearses with another Northville member, Ruth Seranian, for a Christmas concert of the women's choral group to feature both sacred and secular music from the 16th through 20th centuries. It will be given at 3 p.m. Sunday, December 12, at Grosse Pointe Memorial Church with tickets available at the door. The club also will appear with the Orpheus Club at 8 p.m. Friday at Detroit Masonic Temple in a performance of the Christmas section of Handel's "Messiah."

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## At Woman's Club

# Share folk art research

Michigan's "folk artists," those untrained but clever craftsmen whose talent is fashioning carved animals, cigar store Indians, weather-vanes, paper cut-outs and primitive paintings, will be the subject of Northville Woman's Club meeting at 1:30 p.m. this Friday.

C. Kurt Dewhurst and Marsha MacDowell, co-directors of the Michigan Folk Art Project, will present the program at First Presbyterian Church.

In cooperation with Michigan State University Museum and Michigan Historical Museum they have spent two years on the unique project of collecting folk art produced in the state prior to 1941.

Working with grants from the National Endowment for the Arts, MSU Development Fund and Michigan Council for the Arts, the two have prepared an illustrated catalog with facts on 150 artists.

Their exhibit includes duck decoys, samplers, quilts and decorative boxes and represents 50,000 miles of traveling and borrowing all over the state.

Mrs. Robert Mandell, program chairman of the day who will introduce the researchers, reports that they "believe the Midwest has overlooked its folk heritage."

They have found this "art of the common man" in such unlikely places as a jail cell, a forest, a shed or a garage sale.

The researchers see the art as a tribute to people whose work stands as a "personal declaration of independence," those who can take ordinary objects and make them extraordinary.

"A sense of humor is an important element," Ms. MacDowell points out, mentioning that a desire to amuse was behind the creation of a 16-foot high

wooden man in a forest near Marquette and a series of character murals Clarence Hewes painted in the depths of the Lansing sewers.

The project is one of only three similar searches going on in this country (others are in Georgia and Ohio).

Because of Michigan's lumber industry, carving has emerged as the state's strongest area in folk art, particularly in the making of duck decoys, report the searchers

Some carvers, they point out, have actually recorded Michigan life, such as William Monigal of Iron Mountain who made a complete model of a lumber camp with 2,000 tiny pieces.

Dewhurst has been project director for the initial survey and exhibition of the Michigan folk art. He holds bachelor's and master's degrees from MSU and has an extensive background in art history.

Ms. MacDowell has

bachelor's and master's degrees with honors in fine arts from MSU. In May of this year she had a one-woman show of her drawings and prints in Lansing. She participated in the National Miniature Show in Nutley, New Jersey and the Michigan Printmaker's Exhibition in Detroit last January.

In addition to being co-director of the Michigan Folk Art project she is a fine arts instructor at Lansing Community College

## Mizpah Circle sets ingathering

Annual Christmas tea and meeting of Mizpah Circle of King's Daughters will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at First United Methodist Church of Northville.

A special musical program by the church choir will be presented under the direction of Stacey Becker. Members may bring guests.

Each year members come to this meeting with an unwrapped gift for a child at Mott Children's Hospital in Ann Arbor and the wrappings for it. Those who are making the 25 receiving blankets for the hospital are reminded to bring them to this meeting.

For Thanksgiving President Yvonne Rollings delivered fruit plates to shut-in members.

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**SANTA'S COMING**—Santa Claus made a surprise visit to his headquarters at the Northville Square shopping center in Northville last week. He'll be back to take up regular hours Sunday afternoon at the Square following a 2 p.m. parade through town in his borrowed horse and wagon. His

hours in the upper level of the Square in the Santaland exhibit will be this coming Sunday from 2:30 to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, 2:30-5 p.m. and 6-8 p.m.; on Saturdays 11-3 p.m.; and on subsequent Sundays from 12-4 p.m.



**KEY TO COMMUNITY**—Following a parade through town last week, Santa Claus was presented with the key to the community by city and township officials at the Northville Plaza shopping center on Seven Mile Road. Here while State Representative R. Robert Geake (left) looks on, Mayor A. M. Allen and Supervisor Wilson Grier present the key to

Santa. Giving Santa an apprehensive glance is Grier's six-year-old daughter, Becky. Santa will receive visitors Friday from 3-8 p.m., Saturday 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. and Sunday 1-5 p.m. at the Plaza.

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## 2 Northville Locations

# Santa Claus greets kids

Make no mistake about it, Santa Claus has his eye on Northville area children.

He's going to be visiting with children at two different places in the community — the Northville Plaza and the Northville Square shopping centers.

At the Plaza he's booked to receive guests this coming Friday, Saturday and Sunday, and Sunday afternoon and everyday thereafter to Christmas he'll also be speaking to youngsters visiting the Santa-

land exhibit at the Square.

In conjunction with its holiday program, the Plaza is promoting a \$1,000 gift giveaway, with four scheduled bonanzas slated for Christmas week.

Santa will be at the Plaza Friday from 3-8 p.m., Saturday 11 a.m. to 8 p.m., and again Sunday from 1-5 p.m.

The omnipresent man in red will also parade through downtown Northville at 2 p.m. Sunday on his way to the

Square where he'll begin receiving visitors from 2:30-5 p.m.

He'll be back at the Square daily through Christmas. His hours there are: Monday through Friday, 2:30-5 p.m. and 6-8 p.m.; Saturdays, 11-3 p.m.; and subsequent Sundays from 12-4 p.m.

At the Square he'll be housed at the Northville Pole in a special Santaland exhibit erected in the upper level just off Main Street.

His parade through town

Sunday, in an old-fashioned horse and buggy rig, will begin at Northville Downs, proceeding north on Church Street to Main Street, Main west to Wing and the Square.

Santa already has arrived at the Plaza. Last week he was presented the key to the community by Mayor A. M. Allen and Supervisor Wilson Grier. On hand for the festive occasion, following a parade through town, was State Representative R. Robert Geake.

## Auditors submit report

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came the closest of any department in actual costs compared to budgeted amounts. That department spent \$45,646, only \$129 less than its budgeted allotment.

The Department of Public Works continued the trend spending \$19,801 less than its budgeted figure of \$238,695. The major cost savings came in road contracting with the city saving approximately \$11,500 in projects during the year. Road maintenance materials and supply costs savings were also a contributing factor. The department also gained \$8,911 in state funds as a reimbursement following the ice storm in March.

City services including street lighting, rubbish collection, municipal parking, welfare, civil defense and special census costs amounted to \$36,797. Community programs including alcohol and drug education allocations, Michigan Week

festivities and united funding totaled \$6,293.

The federal revenue sharing fund of \$94,603 plus \$3,523 in interest was used for the architectural fees for the city hall project, a \$2,000 capital outlay to the library and \$63,856 for city capital outlay leaving a \$10,565 fund balance.

A graphic presentation by the auditors showed that of the property taxes taken in by the city, 79 percent went to local and county school districts and to the county itself, while only 21 percent is kept by the city for general operating.

The auditors also commented that as compared to other cities within the state, Wixom's tax millage rate of 8 mills is considered quite low. The state-wide average is 14 mills. This is due in large to the high tax base enjoyed by the city. However, Wixom receives less than average amounts in state-shared revenue.

A total view of expenditures showed that 29 percent of the budget was spent on public

safety, a figure the auditors said was comparable to other communities.

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# Powers Park plans to be seen

Tonight's (Wednesday's) Novi Parks and Recreation meeting promises to have more excitement than usual as 10 Eastern Michigan University students will be revealing suggested plans for the Powers Park.

The plans are part of a park planning class project arranged by the instructor in conjunction with the parks and rec board.

"They were to go in and plan the whole park as to quiet areas, pavilions, etc.," explained parks commissioner Marlene Mercier.

The parkland, approximately 20 acres, is located on the south side of 10 Mile 1800 feet east of Taft Road and so far has remained completely undeveloped.

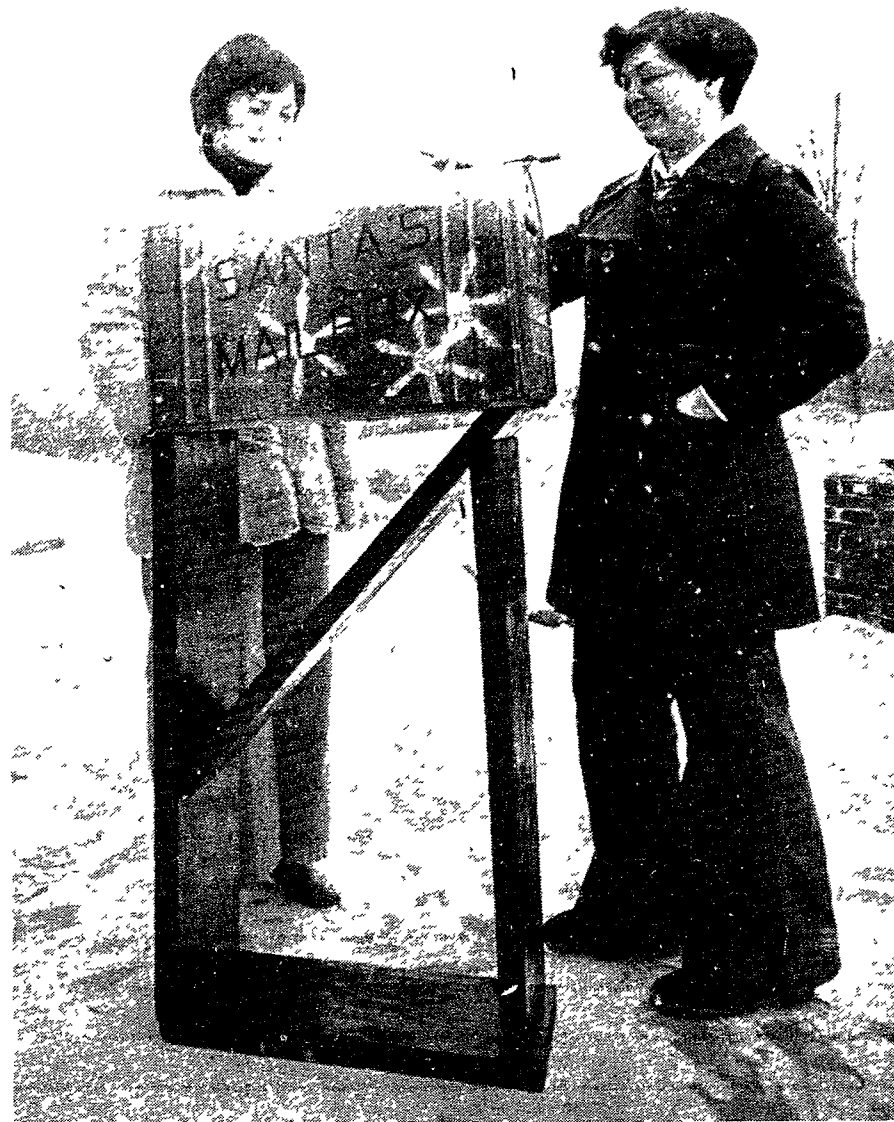
According to City Clerk Geraldine Stipp, the history the Powers Park land goes back to township days when Ella Mae Power left property on 10 Mile Road to the State of Michigan for parkland. The property, it turned out, was unsuitable for parkland use and was sold. The Township expected to receive the selling price, \$67,000 to purchase other parkland in the city but instead the state purchased parkland area in Proud Lake Recreation Area and called it the I. Louie and Ella Mae Power Park, as requested in the will.

The village and finally the city, through the efforts of then Councilman Louie Campbell worked to get the money back for the City of Novi. Campbell was successful in getting \$83,000 which included the \$67,000 plus interest. That money was then used to purchase 20 acres of property at 10 Mile and Taft Roads.

To this date, monies have not been available to develop that parkland property although there have been some tentative plans submitted.

According to Mrs. Mercier, the parks planning class intends to develop plans for each park within the city. One will be worked on each semester. Besides the Powers parkland there is also the Lakeshore Park, Brookfarm Park near Village Oaks Elementary, and the Bicentennial Spirit of '76 park at 11 Mile and Taft Roads.

The parks and recreation meeting is scheduled for tonight at 7:30 p.m. in the school administration offices on Taft Road.



Evelyn Reinke and Jeri Cupp paint one of Santa's mailboxes

## Five Novi homes Ready for still waterless Santa's mail

At least five Novi homes in the "downtown" area remain without water following water table problems which that area encountered because of dewatering for a sewer project.

According to John Davis, an engineering aid for Oakland County, "The pumping stopped three weeks ago but we're still delivering water to five families." As many as 20 homes and businesses were left without water originally by the dewatering project which was taking place east of Novi Road and south of Grand River on its way north to service the Twelve Oaks Mall.

Davis said he believes that water has returned to all of the affected wells despite the fact water is still being delivered.

"There's a point on the pump and when the water is away for a long period of time it corrodes."

Davis said that "I have made contact with a number of well drillers and as soon as they can fit it in their schedule, they will come out." He added that if this is the problem, the county, which is supervising the project, will pay for repairs.

He added that "I've been with the county three years and in all of the cases I've seen, the water has come back."

Asked if he concurred with Davis' assessment of the situation, City Engineer Harry Mosher admitted that "I don't really know. The indications are the water's coming back."

## Oppose light plan

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includes the relocation to the entrance to 11 Mile Road onto Grand River. In addition plans are to place curb and gutter in the project area. Cost to the city of Novi minus right-of-way acquisition will be about \$8,000 or five percent of the cost. Another five percent will be paid by the Oakland County Highway Commission with the remainder from the State of Michigan federal funds.

Even though businesses have indicated opposition to paying a special assessment for lighting, the city council could, if it so decided, levy a debt service charge on the affected businesses for the lights. It would have to be proven, though, that there is a special benefit to those businesses and, according to Kriewall the benefit would be light, safety and "even an increase in business". But Kriewall said his recommendation would be to drop any lighting plans for the time being.

He noted that the general fund also could not afford to pay for the lights.

The price given by Detroit Edison figures out to about \$1.50 per front foot per month, according to Kriewall.

Kriewall said that while a bonding proposition could be put on the ballot for street lighting, it should probably include subdivisions as well as the downtown area. However, Kriewall indicated it could be several years before street lighting would become a high enough priority item to receive voter approval.

## Traditional exchange

Beta Chi Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma will have a traditional ornament exchange as a feature of its Christmas party December 6 at the home of Anne Diebel. Co-hostess will be Patt Newbold.

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## Police Blotter

## Two Novi youths detained in one day crime spree

## In Novi

A series of car burglaries, the breaking and entering of the flea market and the rape of a young Novi girl were all solved within a 24 hour period because of what Novi Police Chief Lee BeGole termed "top notch police work". Two juveniles, one 15 and one 16, both from Novi, were placed in custody as a result.

Reports of the crime spree started at 10:32 p.m. Saturday when a report came in of a larceny of several items including clothing, camera and a pair of gloves from a car parked on Duana.

At 10:51 p.m. police received the report of the alleged rape of a 15-year-old Novi girl in a shed near Novi Road and Erma.

At six minutes after midnight, the report of a breaking and entering of the flea market at Novi Road and East Lake drive was lodged. Taken in that B&E were many items including jewelry, a

stereo, television, and cigarettes. An inventory was to be made to determine exactly what was missing. Found outside the flea market by Corporal William Brown and Detective Sergeant Gordon Nelson were the television and cigarettes. However, other items were still missing.

At 9:52 a.m. Sunday, reports started flooding in of cars in the Austin Road area which had been broken into. Reports were called in of two automobiles and two vans which had been burglarized with numerous items taken.

Corporal Jack Grubb, investigating the case, discovered another car on Duana which had been broken into and an eight track tape deck and a box of cartridges taken. In addition, he found four other illegal entries of automobiles, two on Iva, one on Charlotte and one on Austin but it was unknown if anything was taken.

In searching the area, Grubb found in a field at Iva and Austin several items including an antenna, tool box, glasses, coveralls and briefcase.

He then found a 15-year-old walking in the area carrying what appeared to be stolen articles. According to Grubb, he sent the youth home and contacted his father who turned over a stereo and jewelry which the father said his son had told him was given him by a friend.

According to Grubb, the youth then admitted being with a person who had been involved in the burglaries, but

would not give the name of the other person.

Grubb, recalling the earlier report of the flea market burglary contacted the owner to come down and identify the stereo and jewelry at which point the youth also admitted going through the roof of the flea market, Grubb said.

The girl who had allegedly been raped identified the 15-year-old, whom she knew, as the alleged rapist. She also reportedly was able to identify his companion. The companion, a 16-year-old youth was thus implicated as the second suspect in the automobile burglaries.

The 16-year-old, according to Grubb, led officers to a field on the east side of the flea market where numerous stolen items including some from the flea market and others from the car burglaries were found.

Other items were found and turned over to police by the 15-year-old's father.

However, others were still missing, and according to Grubb, it appears that another person who happened on the items near the flea market may have taken many of them. He said that eye-witnesses have placed a suspect at that location.

Grubb noted that the police department did not, as of Monday, have complaints on some of the items recovered.

The 15-year-old, who had been picked up previously on a B&E but was released when he returned the items, is being held in Oakland County Youth Home. The 16-year-old was released to his parents.

Charges are pending against both youths in the burglaries of the automobiles and of the flea market, according to Grubb. Meanwhile the sexual assault is under investigation.

A 52-year-old man was taken to Clinton Valley Hospital last Thursday after he went on a rampage tearing up small trees, bending road signs and knocking down windows in the area of Villagewood and Telford.

According to police reports, four youths advised police that the man had run in front of their vehicles yelling "kill me, kill me". The man was apprehended by police in an area home.

A 1965 Mustang valued at \$500 was reported stolen November 11-20 from where it had been parked on South Lake Drive. According to reports, the owner had gone north hunting and when he returned found the car missing.

An 18-year-old girl who the car had been loaned to previously was reportedly seen in the car after it was taken. The owner, who thought the car would be returned, later called police when it was not. The car was later found on November 26 at the Sharbow Bar in Wolverine Lake Village. The girl is still being sought.

A \$200 minibike stolen October 15 from a home on Pontiac Trail in Walled Lake was recovered by police Sunday during the investigation into several automobile burglaries.

A youth was reportedly riding the minibike and told police it was owned by his brother who had purchased it

at Cony Cade in Walled Lake. Oakland County Sheriff's Department and Novi Police are following up on the investigation.

Eighteen-year-old Frank Anton of 2030 Austin in Novi was sentenced last week to 5-15 years in prison for an armed robbery January 4 of this year which included the abduction of a 23-year-old Novi woman.

According to police at the time, the woman was leaving Lakeview Market at Novi and Erma when a man who had hidden in the back seat of her car put a knife to her head and told her to cooperate.

The woman eventually escaped when the car became stuck in a snowbank and the woman ran as a man came over to offer assistance. Anton was later arrested after the woman's husband spotted him at the flea market dressed the same way as his wife had described the subject. Spectators held Anton at bay while police were called.

## In Northville

A house fire on East Cady Street early Friday afternoon was listed as a case of suspected arson by investigators of the Northville City Police.

Officers responding to the call found smoke coming from the basement windows of the unoccupied home. Two separate piles of papers and magazines found at either end of the basement had been set afire.

The blaze was quickly extinguished by the Northville City Fire Department called to the scene.

Police were called to the Northville High School to investigate a case of vandalism Sunday afternoon. Officers found large holes in the dugout wall at the baseball field, apparently made by throwing large rocks against the walls.

School officials estimated the damage done to the dugout at \$800.

Unknown persons broke a window to gain entrance to a residence on East Cady Street last week, doing further damage by spray painting a door and breaking other windows in the home.

Several items were known to have been moved around but it is not known if anything of value was taken from the house. Further investigation of the area found the garage at the rear of the home had also been broken into.

The tires on a three-wheeled vehicle stored in the garage

appeared to have been punctured with several gauges on the dashboard of the vehicle smashed. A can of paint was also emptied onto the floor.

An Orchard Street resident reported the tailgate of his pickup truck, parked in the driveway, had been spray painted by unknown persons. The incident occurred between 7 p.m. November 21 and 6 a.m. November 22.

A Northville Police patrol unit was involved in an accident at Eight Mile and Taft Road early last week. The collision with a car driven by Steven Manley of North Rogers Street did heavy damage to the front driver's side of the patrol unit.

The patrol car was westbound on Eight Mile approaching Taft when Manley pulled away from a stop sign into the path of the police car. Manley received a cut to his forehead and right leg in the accident. The police officer was not injured.

## In Wixom

A mother and her three children narrowly escaped injury last week when a section of wooden fencing was swept off a car-top carrier of another car and thrown through the windshield of the car in which they were riding.

Ken Mazarotti of Teaneck Circle was driving east on Loon Lake Road near Chantclair Circle with three sections of wooden picket fencing attached to a car-top carrier on the roof of his car.

Mazarotti told Wixom Police a sudden gust of wind shifted the load, breaking the ropes and causing the top section to slip. A second gust of wind lifted that portion of the load sending it through the windshield of a car behind the Mazarotti car driven by Joan Hintsala of Chantclair Circle. Besides shattering the glass, the dashboard of the car was broken from the impact of the fence.

Neither Mrs. Hintsala nor her children were injured in the freak accident although all were showered with glass particles.

The front seat of a pickup truck was severely damaged in a fire thought to have been caused by a portable spot light. The blaze broke out in the truck parked at the Village Complex in the early morning hours November 22.

The spot light, which apparently had been left

connected in the cigarette lighter, overheated causing the fire. Although the blaze was quickly extinguished, there was extensive smoke damage done to the interior of the truck.

Two dump trucks, parked at adjoining homes on Potter Road, were broken into during the same period of time last week, with the owners reporting CB radios and a tape deck missing from the vehicles.

Both trucks were entered by breaking a window and a total of \$368 in equipment taken. The incidents were thought to have occurred between 2 p.m. November 22 and 11 a.m. November 23.

## In Township

Michigan State Police investigated the larceny of a camera, tripod and accessories from a building at the Northville State Hospital. The theft was discovered at 1 p.m. November 22.

The camera and related items, with a total value of \$1,166, were used for employee photo-identification tags. Hospital personnel reported seeing a cleaning man leaving one of the buildings reportedly carrying items which he then stored in the trunk of his car.

On searching the car, State troopers found 13 packages of cereal which admittedly were taken from the hospital. The camera equipment was not found.

The case remains open pending further investigation.

A male patient at the State Hospital wondered about a missing leather coat and watch for eight days before deciding to report the incident to the State Police. The patient then decided a hospital employee had taken the black leather coat and watch he valued at \$400.

Hospital authorities claimed the items had been lost or mislaid. Investigation of the incident is continuing.

A male patient from the State Hospital, described by hospital authorities as violent, escaped from the grounds early last week. The patient is still being sought.

Authorities are also seeking a female inmate of the Detroit House of Correction who

escaped from that facility between 3 and 4 a.m. Friday. The woman was serving 90-day term for no account checks.

Light snow and wet pavement were partially to blame for an accident on Seven Mile near Ridge Road early Saturday evening with the driver of the car, Christopher Lapard of Detroit, ticketed for failing to have his vehicle under control.

Lapard told Northville Township Police he was eastbound on Seven Mile when a vehicle traveling westbound passed another car and came into his lane.

Lapard further stated he swerved his car to the right to avoid a collision and in so doing, lost control of his car.

Lapard cut a path 70 feet long through a front yard lawn, knocked down a mailbox, struck a telephone pole, went through a wooden fence, tipped over, and was thrown from his car.

An ambulance transported the injured Lapard to St. Mary Hospital for treatment of his injuries and observation.

A second accident occurred at 9:45 p.m. the same day at the intersection of Eight Mile and Haggerty Road. The two-car collision involved six 16-year-old youths from Farmington and two couples

from Northville. None of the youths were injured in the mishap.

According to police reports, the juvenile driver had stopped at the stop sign at the intersection. The girl told police she thought a car heading west on Eight Mile was going to turn right onto Haggerty even though that drivers' turn signal was not activated.

The youngster started across Eight Mile, driving directly into the path of a car driven by Alfred Qualman of High Street. Qualman reportedly applied his brakes and swerved to the right but could not avoid the collision.

Qualman was not injured, Thomas Walls of Old Bedford Court, a passenger in the front seat of the car sustained only minor injuries. Passengers in the back seat, Connie Qualman and Sandra Walls were more seriously injured. Both were taken to St. Mary Hospital by ambulance.

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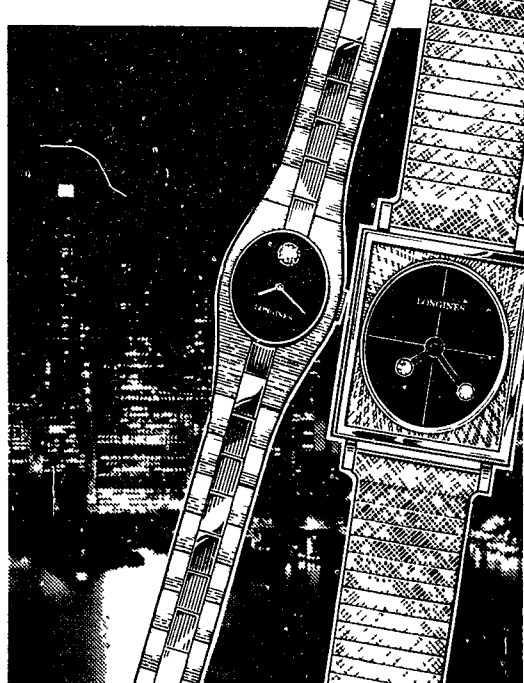
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### Drive-in payment

Judy Mooradian of the Novi Water and Sewer Department takes a payment from Novi resident Mary Kotrych at the new drive-in window. Located on the side of the new

modular office building behind the current city hall on Sixth Gate, the drive-in window is now being used for payment of sewer and water bills.



### Unique instruments

When it comes to ingenuity, Novi Village Oaks music teacher Annie Bailey can attest to the fact that many of the students certainly have a knack for it — at least when the assignment is to come up with a unique instrument. Some of the best, according to Miss Bailey, were: (from left) Matt McKee's guitar, Kevin Wright's double bass, Becky

Taunt's harp, Christine Hofgartner's and Maureen Paquette's maracas, Charlie Plumley's drums and Keith Motyka's maraca (which was made out of a light bulb with a broken filament). Items found around the house were the basic ingredients of the instruments.

## Christmas mailing dates advanced

Suggested Christmas mailing deadlines for both parcels and letters are being advanced to December 3 and 10, respectively, locally and throughout the country.

Northville Postmaster John Steimel reports that an exceptionally high mail volume is expected because of

### Wins photo honor

Sherrill Cannon, student staff photographer for Sliger Home Newspapers, has been awarded a Certificate of Merit in a national news photography contest.

Sponsored by the Nikon School of Photography, the contest judged entries on the basis of subject interest, composition, lighting, creative technique, and visual impact.

Sherrill's entry was a series of three pictures featuring a little leaguer stumbling over first base and asking "Am I Out Coach?" from a seated position. The sequence appeared in The Record last summer.

the United Parcel Service strike in the East and South and because of problems on the West Coast.

A "plus" for mailing now, Steimel adds, is current availability of both the Carrier and Ives and the religious 13-cent Christmas stamps. He notes that he has a supply of both on hand.

The postal service says that it has been able to handle the increased volume of mail since the UPS strike began in September and has confidence it will continue to be able to cope.

Parcel mail already has more than doubled in the strike area and is, up nationwide, the postal service points out, but says most of the increase has been from business mailers, who presort their mail and deposit it at non-peak hours.

As Christmas nears, however, more of the mail is from the general public.

As a result, the service says, while priority will be given to letter mail, many postal facilities normally dedicated to letter mail may have to be used to prevent an

unmanageable backlog of parcels.

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## Thursday ceremony

# Novi SYES opening set

Grand opening ceremonies for the Senior and Youth Employment Service (SYES) office in Novi are planned for Thursday.

The office, which is an off-spring of the main office in Walled Lake, is located at the old Novi Elementary, 26350 Novi Road.

According to Kay Winter, director of SYES, the Novi office will feature two full-time personnel along with one senior citizen who will be working 15 hours a week. Hours will be from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays. The office has been open for the last few weeks from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The group attempts to locate employment for persons age 14 and up. Last year it recorded 555 placements, both temporary and permanent.

According to Mrs. Winter, "we have become a community employment service." While SYES when it first formed in 1972 aimed at placements for youth and senior citizens, it gradually evolved to the point where unemployed persons in the middle range also can use its services.

"We felt it was a long way for Novi people to come over here," explained Mrs. Winter of the Novi SYES branch. "We thought, if we had a Novi office it would work out more effectively."

### See fantasy

"A Fairy Tale Christmas at Meadow Brook Hall" is the theme for this year's floral fantasy that is drawing area residents to Rochester to the 100-room Tudor mansion on the campus of Oakland University.

Live storybook characters, Santa Claus, elaborate decorations and flower creations all are part of the four-day holiday event beginning today and continuing through Sunday, December 5.

SYES is funded with federal funds but also receives contributions from Wixom, Wolverine Lake Village, Walled Lake and Commerce

Township. It also is receiving in-kind contributions. The Novi School District is providing use of classrooms for the group while the Novi

Chamber of Commerce is providing the cost of telephone service. Novi United Methodist has provided desks.

## Police contract ratified

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needs until it is replaced.

Time off for NPOA officers is to be allowed for negotiations, special meetings, grievance matters; for official meetings or conferences of POAM such as legislative dinner, delegates meeting, etc., meetings with members involved in some step of the grievance procedure; and investigation of grievance or unfair labor dispute.

Concerning this time off provision, the city is to allow any one NPOA officer time off

with the expectation that additional officers will work around days off and shift exchanges. Two officers are to be allowed for annual contract negotiations. All absences, however, are to be subject to adequate shift coverage being available.

The contract provides that the city may offer a savings bond withholding program for employees, with a bi-weekly deduction in multiples of \$3.75 and purchase of bonds once each month.

Vacation pay is to be paid upon an officer's termination.

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## Obituaries

### Edward Ash succumbs

#### EDWARD ASH

A longtime resident of Novi, Edward Richard Ash, 66, of 21666 Garfield died unexpectedly November 23 at St. Mary Hospital in Livonia after being stricken at his home.

Mr. Ash grew up in Wichita, Kansas and was a graduate of the University of Kansas at Lawrence, Kansas. He was employed with Boeing Aircraft as an aircraft engineer for five years and also worked for Beech Aircraft.

After serving eight years in the Navy, Mr. Ash moved to Novi in 1956 where he served on the board of appeals for the Village of Novi for three years. He was also a member of the chamber of commerce and the Farm Bureau during township and village times.

Mr. Ash also was an Arabian horse breeder since before World War II.

During the last 12 years, Mr. Ash has been employed by Experi-Mental Inc. of Warren as a sales manager.

He has been affiliated with First Presbyterian Church of Northville.

Mr. Ash is survived by his wife, Mabel Frost Ash, former city clerk of Novi. He is also survived by a brother, John Ash of California and a sister, Dorothy Faucette of Florida. He was preceded in death by his father and mother, Charles E. Ash and Martha V. Hathaway.

Services were held Friday, November 26 at Casterline Funeral Home Inc. of Northville with Reverend Lloyd Brasure of Northville Presbyterian and Father Leslie Harding of Church of the Holy Cross in Novi presiding. Services were followed by cremation at Evergreen Cemetery in Detroit.

#### RUSSELL W. HAMEL

Services for Russell W. Hamel, 68, of 41635 Ladywood Drive, were held November 3 at Our Lady of Victory Church with the Reverend Father Gerard Hadad officiating. Rosary and prayers were at the Harry J. Will Funeral Home.

Interment was in Glen Eden Memorial Cemetery.

Mr. Hamel died October 31.

### Cookie swap for Delta Zeta

Delta Zeta alumnae of Western Wayne County will have a cookie exchange at their meeting at 8 p.m. Wednesday, December 8, at the Plymouth home of Mrs. Robert Silber.

Members are asked to bring cookies to exchange to give a variety assortment for the holidays. Co-hostesses are Mrs. Thomas Workman and Mrs. James Cronenwett.

### Past Matrons

### dine Saturday

Annual holiday dinner party held for many years by Orient Chapter's Past Matron's Club will be this Saturday at the Round Table Club in Plymouth.

It will be followed by a social evening at the Plymouth home of Mr. and Mrs. William Dunaitis.

Among the 40 attending will be husbands of club members. Past patrons and their wives traditionally also are included together with special guests, Worthy Matron Betty Willing and Worthy Patron Michael Willing.



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at Botsford General Hospital after an illness of two months.

He was the father of Ronald of Northville and William of Garden City and the grandfather of three. A metal finisher with Brooks and Perkins, he came to the community three years ago.

#### EDNA B. MATTHEWS

Funeral service for Miss Edna B. Matthews, 95, a Novi resident until she moved to Bloomfield Hills, will be held at 11 a.m. today (Wednesday) at Casterline Funeral Home, Inc.

Pastor Michael Farrell of First Baptist Church of Northville is officiating. Interment will be in Oakland Hills Memorial Gardens in Novi.

Miss Matthews died November 28 at Sherwood Hall in Royal Oak after a year's illness.

She had been retired after teaching in Detroit Public Schools for 40 years. She had lived on a farm on 13 Mile in Walled Lake for 25 years.

Miss Matthews was a member of First Baptist Church of Detroit and Woman's City Club.

She was born March 25, 1881, in Walled Lake to Charles and Deborah (Skinner) Matthews. She is survived by nieces and nephews.

#### JOHN NASLUND

Funeral services for John Victor Naslund, 75, of 18708 Jamestown Circle, were held at 11 a.m. Saturday at Grace Lutheran Church where he was a member. The Reverend V. F. Halboth, Jr., officiated. Interment was in Grand Lawn Cemetery. Arrangements were made by Harry J. Will Funeral Home, Inc.

Mr. Naslund died November 25 at Botsford General Hospital.

He was the father of Jeanette Mock of Northville and John Lawrence Naslund of Miami, Florida, brother of Kristina Johanson and Anna Palmer of Sweden, grandfather of five and great-grandfather of one.

He was born December 5, 1900, in Sweden to Johan A. and Anna (Berglund) Naslund. His wife, Ruth, preceded him in death in 1957. He was a tool and die maker with Temple Tool and Engineering.

#### JULIA PETERSON

Funeral services for Mrs. Julia C. Peterson, 88, of Detroit were held at 2:30 p.m. Monday at the Ross B. Northrop and Son Funeral Home in Redford.

Mrs. Peterson was the mother of Roy Peterson of Northville and Walter

Peterson of Livonia. She also leaves seven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

The Reverend Geary Bird officiated at the service. Interment was in Grand Lawn Cemetery.

Mrs. Peterson, a Detroit homemaker for many years, died November 26 at her home. She was a member of Redford Lutheran Church.

She was born December 13, 1887, in Sweden and was preceded in death in 1948 by her husband, August.

#### CHARLES A. RAYMOR

Charles A. Raymor, 69, of Salem, died Tuesday in Highlands General Hospital, Sebring, Florida.

A long-time Salem resident who was born in Michigan January 9, 1907, Mr. Raymor is survived by his widow, Marie.

For information about the funeral service call Casterline Funeral Home, Inc., in Northville.

#### LELAND WEATHERS

Leland Clay Weathers, 40274 Five Mile Road in Plymouth will be buried at Oakland Hills Cemetery in Novi Thursday following 1 p.m. services at Casterline Funeral Home Inc. in Northville. Officiating will be Reverend William A. Ritter of Newburg United Methodist Church in Livonia.

Mr. Weathers died Monday at Garden City Osteopathic Hospital following a lengthy illness. He was 77.

Mr. Weathers moved to the area in 1945 and was a retired electrician.

He was associated with Plymouth Methodist Church, was a life member of Boulder Blue Lodge in Boulder, Colorado as well as being a member of the Eastern Star Plymouth Chapter Number 115. He was Past Eminent Commander of Northville Commandery No. 39 K. T. and past Master of Northville Council No. 30 R. & S. M.

He is survived by a son Mr. Leland Weathers of Livonia and a daughter Mrs. Cozette Schmidt of the French West Indies.

Also surviving are sisters Dorothy Perison of Fresno, California; Marjorie Lee of Geering, Nebraska and brother Jim Weathers of Portland. Also surviving are two grandchildren Pamela Bates of Westland and Leland C. Weathers III of Indiana and four great grandchildren.

Mr. Weathers was preceded in death by his parents Robert F. and Daisy Shelly as well as a daughter Charlotte Harper.

Memorial services are scheduled for tonight (Wednesday) at 8 p.m. at the Northville Lodge No. 186 F. & A.M.



Novi Cooperative Nursery School member Stephenie Koehn catalogs items to be sold at the nursery's annual Christmas auction to be held at 8 p.m. Thursday at Living Lord Lutheran Church in Novi. Among items to be sold, all handcrafted, are Christmas wreaths and other decorations, needlework, oil paintings, knitted baby clothing, decoupage

plaques, books, baked goods, dolls and doll-clothes and dried flower arrangements. Proceeds of the sale will be used for the purchase of equipment and supplies for the school, a non-profit organization. Living Lord Lutheran is located on 10 Mile Road between Meadowbrook and Haggerty Roads.

## Erect 'Indian' totem pole

Visitors to the Novi Woods Elementary media center are now able to view an "honest to goodness" Indian totem pole which was dedicated in a near authentic "potlatch" ceremony last Wednesday.

Truthfully there weren't any Indians working on the project but there were perhaps hundreds of students, parents and staff members who joined together to complete the Bicentennial project.

According to Anne Diebel, coordinator of the effort, the totem pole idea first took form when Robert Radtke of Novi arranged for Michigan Bell Telephone to donate a pole for the project.

The students took over at that point and selected several Michigan animals to be carved into the pole. Chosen were the Michigan black bear, timber wolf of Isle Royale, beaver, owl, raccoon and, to top it off, an American Eagle.

The students drew the designs and volunteer parents carved the totem pole in the evenings. The staff joined with the students in painting the pole vivid colors to match the festive nature of the project.

Under the direction of school librarian Mary Dale, animal centers were set-up in

the library where students could study and learn facts about the animals drawn in the totem pole.

As an extension of the project, the students also branched out and studied various American Indian cultures. Children were divided into small groups and learned Indian crafts and legends, as well as practicing Indian dances. They also made costumes and jewelry.

"The totem pole represents months of work and study and provided an exciting way to learn science and social

studies," said Mrs. Diebel. "This type of curriculum enrichment makes reading fun and more meaningful for children. Our special thanks goes to Al Richway.

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## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING CITY OF NORTHVILLE AMENDMENT TO ZONING ORDINANCE

Notice is hereby given that the Northville City Council will hold a public hearing on Monday, December 6, 1976, at 8:00 p.m. in the Council Room at the City Hall to consider adoption of the following ordinance amendment:

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 4.02 OF THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF NORTHVILLE, TO MODIFY PARKING SPACE REQUIREMENTS FOR CERTAIN USES PROVIDED THEREIN, AND TO ADD PARKING SPACE REQUIREMENTS FOR CERTAIN USES NOT NOW SPECIFIED THEREIN.

A summary of the proposed changes is set forth below.

The City of Northville ordains:

Use	Present Requirement	Proposed Requirement
Elderly housing	1 space per unit	¾ space per unit
Restaurants & bars	1 space per 100 sq. ft.	1 space per 200 sq. ft.
Barber & beauty shops+	1 space per 150 sq. ft.	2 spaces per chair & 1 space per employee
Furniture & appliances+	1 space per 150 sq. ft.	1 space per 800 sq. ft.
Custom workshops+	1 space per 150 sq. ft.	1 space per 1,000 sq. ft.
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+These uses are not specified in the present ordinance, and therefore fall under the "General retail and service" category.

Certain Other wording changes are also proposed which clarify the intent of the section but do not change the present parking requirements.

A complete copy of the proposed amendment is on file for public inspection at the City Clerk's office.

Section 2. This ordinance shall become effective ten (10) days after enactment thereof and after publication thereof.

Joan McAllister  
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**A STITCH IN TIME**—Four Friends of the Northville Library, Mary Jane Brugeman, president of the group, Marge Davis, Gladys Evans and Jane Bowser gather around the quilting frame set up in the Northville

Library to stitch away at a future Friend's money-making project. Anyone may join the group which meets each week to work on the colorful quilt.

## Board considers priorities

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session on Saturday. At that time, the board will do the ground work toward any revisions of, additions to or deletions from the list.

"What I am trying to do (with this list) is establish some general agreement between the board and myself as to what are the issues that are facing the district," Spear said Friday.

Poor housekeeping both in and around school buildings, particularly the high school, has become a sore point to many school district residents. Spear admits they have a gripe.

"There is no excuse for it," Spear said of dirty hallways and cigarette-littered yards. "We've got to get the people responsible to do their jobs."

However, he insists that no long-term cure can be administered until definitive organizational charts are created and evaluation methods are established.

And while the public's attention has centered on messy school buildings, Spear feels that the future of Northville's voluntary year-round school program is just as important.

"During the next few months, we have to make a total assessment," he said. By February he hopes the board will have made a careful cost analysis, judged the program's educational effectiveness and gauged the community's attitude.

"Is it here to stay?" he asked. "Have we demonstrated that it is educationally sound? Is it a better use of the facilities? If so, under what conditions will we maintain it?"

Between 55 and 60 percent of Northville's elementary students are on the extended school year schedule of 45 days in school and 15 days off.

That number drops sharply at the middle school level (20 percent) and almost disappears in the high school

where eight percent are on year-round schedules.

If the board agrees on the plusses of year-round school, Spear thinks it vital to insure adequate interest and participation at all levels.

"Once you have to drop the program, it will be nearly impossible to start it again," he explained.

Spear's interest in year-round school can be traced to numbers.

The school system, which now educates 4400 students, could handle up to 6200 under the traditional system, said Spear. With a complete year-round school, that capacity is increased by a third to 8200.

Increasing capacity with existing buildings might serve as an alternate to the overbuilding woes that have plagued districts such as Livonia, Dearborn and Redford Union.

"We've got to take a hard look at how many more buildings we're going to build," said Spear. "If we don't, ten years later we're going to be closing them."

Other objectives that were given "Top Ten" priority by Spear were:

—Board's use of subcommittees.

—Implementing Title IX guidelines concerning girls' athletics. Full compliance must be reached by July, 1978.

—Improving teacher evaluation practices. Better review procedures should lead to improved teaching performances or adequate reason for dismissal, said Spear.

—Renewing North Central Accreditation.

—Studying instructional program needs such as senior citizen and vocational courses, textbook shortages, area class scheduling and reinstating band in elementary schools.

—Evaluating labor contract negotiations.

—Meeting student enrollment needs.

Another goal, which could save the district \$60,000 or more in interest charges on loans, is instituting summer tax collections in Northville City and Northville Township.

Last year, the board accomplished 13 of 23 objectives and made substantial progress on most of the 10 carried over to this year, said Spear.

"We will bring to resolution better than half of the goals this year," he predicted.



GEORGE NAYLOR

### In Uniform

Airman George W. Naylor III, son of George W. Naylor II of Walled Lake, has been selected for technical training at Lowry AFB, Colorado, in the Air Force avionics systems field.

Airman Naylor, whose mother is Mrs. June M. Naylor of 29734 Charlemagne Drive, Novi, is a 1976 graduate of Walled Lake Western High School.



JAMES BESUNEN

### To crime lab

Trooper James A. Besunen, 29, of the Northville post (formerly Detroit), has been assigned to the crime laboratory at the Northville State Police Post.



Suit of armor, dishes, furniture will go on block Saturday

## Auction's coming

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Metropolitan Federal Savings of Farmington, holder of the mortgage, was high bidder. Under law, Walters continues, the owner, Southfield attorney Paul Fregolle, however, has a six month redemption period in which to pay what is due and in effect recover the property.

Fregolle has filed suit that "an unreasonable amount" had been accepted from the mortgage firm. The firm's attorney, Victor Miller, stated this week that he is hopeful this can be resolved at a hearing slated for December 8.

"There's no lack of interest in the building," Walters adds, mentioning that he recently has taken five or six would-be purchasers through it.

It's definitely not a white elephant or a reflection of the business climate of the community just because it's vacant, the city manager says, but rather the legal recouping period that is required.

In the meantime the city will be seeking cash-in-hand for unpaid taxes — and bidders will have china, crystal and a sword or suit of armor as a memento of the restaurant.

### New library to be decorated

The next meeting of Friends of the Library will be at 1 p.m. December 7 at the new Novi Library on 10 Mile. Members plan to decorate the library with Christmas decorations at this time.

### Life saving class planned

A cardiopulmonary resuscitation class sponsored by the Novi Jaycee Auxiliary will be held at 8 p.m. December 7 in the Village Oaks Club House, 22730 Heatherbrae Way in Novi.

There is no charge for the program, which will be conducted by licensed instructors. Cardiopulmonary resuscitation is a technique which consists of a combination of mouth-to-mouth resuscitation and heart massage.

Persons interested in attending the class should register no later than December 3 by calling Sandie Mayer, 349-5269 or Bobbie Breitberg, 349-5689. Only 30 persons will be accepted for the class.

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## Drug protection is behind Fessler bill

A bill introduced by State Representative Richard Fessler (R-Union Lake) that offers purchasers of prescription drugs greater protection has cleared the final legislative hurdle and was sent to the Governor for signature.

Fessler's bill requires all distributors of prescription drugs to identify by labeling the original source of those drugs.

"This solves the problem that sometimes exists where the distributor substitutes a less expensive drug under the same name without the pharmacist ever knowing."

"It also gives the consumer added protection in that if he or she experiences a problem

with the drug, its source can be traced directly back to the manufacturer," Fessler said.

Fessler said the bill will also be helpful to law enforcement people in that it will help them more readily determine the diversion of legally produced drugs to the illicit market.

"Drug enforcement officials will be able to get a count on the amount of drugs manufactured and through the identification of the manufacturer on the package labels will be able to get a count on the amount of those same drugs legally dispensed," Fessler added.

Fessler said he expects the Governor to sign the bill in the very near future.

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# Editorials...

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## Speaking for Record

### Bad apple spoils students' effort

The adage that it only takes one bad apple to spoil the barrel might be applied to students at Northville High School.

Last Saturday and Sunday about a dozen members of the Student Congress and other volunteers scrubbed and painted the boys' and girls' lavatories.

Principal Michael Tarpinian reported that the jobs "look 100 per cent better." But he had to add that "some sick kids" had already defaced the boys' lavatory with marks and scribbles.

That must be most discouraging to Tami Hurley, Student Congress president, and the others who worked more than nine hours both Saturday and Sunday and again evenings this week to make the improvements.

These youngsters obviously care. Perhaps more than anyone else.

For example, they had to dig into their student treasury to come up with some \$120 to buy the paint. The school said there was no money to donate to the volunteer effort.

And finally, late Friday, the students found one teacher — Edward Gabrys — who would assume the necessary responsibility of being in the building over the weekend so the youngsters could perform the work.

So who cares?

The students who gave their time and money care. So does the teacher who gave up two days with his family.

Hopefully, enough students, teachers and administrators care to see that the lavatories are maintained and used for the purpose intended.

## Pact's good news

Everyone concerned should hail the three-year agreement ratified this week by teachers of the Northville Public School System.

This includes taxpayers, students, negotiators, teachers, administrators and board members.

The pact did not come easy. Give and take, at times bitter, was prominent at the bargaining table. But there was a firmness in the 1976 session on both sides. And there is no evidence that either side sacrificed principles or caved-in on finances to gain accord.

Despite the closeness of the teacher vote ratifying the contract, the district did not experience a walk-out, strike or protest that interrupted the educational process.

This is a pleasant contrast to previous years when bitterness boiled over into demonstrations that curtailed classes and eventually resulted in a settlement coming from one-sided concession.

Congratulations, negotiators. Now we have three years to find ways to improve administrator-teacher - student - community relationships.

## Methodists saluted

We share the joy and pride of the entire community in saluting the decision of the First Methodist Church of Northville to go ahead with its long-awaited new sanctuary project.

No church construction task is an easy one, this one particularly since it will require a major commitment of money and energy by Methodists and friends of Methodists. It reflects, we believe, the selfless contributions of many people; it signals, too, a reaffirmation by an historic Northville congregation to continue providing our community with vital spiritual leadership.

Although construction of the

sanctuary initially had to be delayed for financing reasons, we are fully aware that over the past few years members of the church never lost sight of their goal and continued to work diligently to bring the new sanctuary to fruition.

In the interim, members have shouldered the inconveniences of temporary arrangements while making the very best use of the educational wing of their building on Eight Mile Road.

We congratulate the First Methodist Church not only for its go-ahead decision but also for its steadfast faith to those principles that have been its hallmark here for 142 years.



WILLIAM MCCRIE

## Speaking for Myself

### Force newsmen to divulge sources?



RON GARBINSKI

YES . . .

Reporters naturally want to protect their sources to assure a continued supply of information. While I have no objection to the reporter who wishes to remain "tight-lipped" by choice, there are certain instances and situations where the rights of the rest of us demand that reporters not be treated as special or super citizens.

While no citizen can be required to divulge the source of all his knowledge, reporters, like anyone else, must be required to answer legitimate questions in judicial proceedings under oath.

There is no reason why a reporter should be granted the special privilege of determining on his own when he will and will not answer questions put to him. If questions are improper, the judge can protect him.

There is simply no good reason why, in a proper court proceeding, sources cannot and should not be forced from a reporter's lips.

The constitutional rights of all of the rest of us demand it. More responsible reporting results when the reporter is aware that he may have to back up what he prints.

With the tremendous power which the press has to mold public opinion, we should never permit the nation's reporters to abuse their position by permitting them to avoid all responsibility for their actions by merely suggesting that they must protect their source.

In the final analysis, even the reporters must know that no tribunal has the power to force their tongue to speak. Any reporter who has a firm conviction that he must "protect his source" may do so by refusing to talk and risking time in jail for the refusal.

William McCririe  
Brighton attorney

NO . . .

What government takes away, it sometimes can never give back. Forcing reporters to reveal their news sources is an injustice and open challenge to the constitutional right of journalists to gather news.

Consider how the public has benefitted when reporters have been able to protect the names of sources: Watergate, the Pentagon Papers, CIA and FBI injustices, grand jury revelations and a host of other investigative reports that would otherwise have remained hidden from the public were brought into view. The news might never have been brought out where sources felt their jobs or lives were in danger.

As many lower courts act to prevent investigative reporting by forcing disclosure of sources, appeals and federal courts are reviewing many of these cases and upholding journalists who protect their sources.

Many states are implementing "shield" laws to protect journalists.

While some state courts have jailed journalists, they find it simply doesn't work. Journalists will go to jail where the public interest requires the news and where sources must be protected to get the news.

In 1972, the U.S. Supreme Court, in *Branzburg vs. Hayes*, declined to give journalists the right to shield sources' names in published or broadcast news stories. The American Newspaper Publishers Association and American Society of Newspaper Editors say that decision is neither fair nor just.

But the high court refuses to hear several secrecy of sources cases because it would have to spell out the confidentiality privilege extended to journalists.

The courts should be jailing crooks — not newsmen who expose crooks.

Ron Garbinski  
Editor, Redford Observer

## Photographic Sketches . . . By JIM GALBRAITH



Cemetery fence

## JACK W. HOFFMAN'S COLUMN



Everyone knows that when the donkey replaces the elephant on January 20, it will mark the first time an honest to goodness Southerner has occupied the White House since Andrew Johnson of Tennessee, a Republican (1865-69).

But did you know . . .

. . . that Jimmy Carter will be the first Southern Democrat to ever ride into the White House on the symbolic donkey?

. . . that the donkey didn't become the Democratic Party symbol until in the 1870's when Cartoonist Thomas Nast created it and then later compounded his genius by also creating the Republican Party's symbolic elephant?

. . . that like Michigan's Gerald Ford, Mr. Carter will be the first president in history to serve from his state (Georgia)?

. . . that his Georgia makes the 16th state of the 50 to send a president to Washington?

. . . that Mr. Carter will be the 12th Democratic president — four short of the 16 presidents elected under the Republican banner?

. . . that at 52 he will be three years younger than the average age of presidents upon inauguration?

. . . that only one other president was 52 upon inauguration — and that was Abraham Lincoln?

. . . that upon inauguration he will be 10 years older than the youngest man to become president (Theodore Roosevelt, 42) and 16 years younger than the oldest (William Harrison, who died a month after taking office at the age of 68)?

. . . that at 52 he is 17 years away from the average age of presidents upon death?

. . . that with his inauguration, October will become the most popular month for presidential birthdays (six of them)?

. . . that if indeed his birth certificate reads James he will be the fifth president with the name — the most popular name for our presidents?

. . . that he will become the 37th of our presidents with a wife (the 38th, James Buchanan, was our only bachelor president)?

. . . that with his inauguration, our 38 presidents will have had 41 wives?

. . . that Jimmy Carter's wife will become the first

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## Readers Speak

### More than one bears responsibility for school's mess

To the Editor:

This letter concerns the November 24 article about Northville High School conditions.

All board members and Superintendent Spear agreed that the school janitorial staff is unable to maintain the school. All of the blame was put on the janitors and Mr. Janchick. However, as a former NHS student, I know who is actually to blame.

Of course, some NHS students are to blame. Most of the bad conditions are caused by student vandalism during school hours: garbage in the

halls and in the parking lot, sinks overflowing, toilets flooding and stall doors pulled off in the bathrooms, and ceiling tiles torn down in the halls. But where is the discipline?

During my four years at NHS, neither Mr. Tarpinian nor Ms. Campbell regularly patrolled the halls and bathrooms. Persons hired to do so a few years ago were laid off after a few months.

Some of the students who were occasionally caught by Mr. Tarpinian, Mr. McCloud or Ms. Campbell were only given a warning. No strict discipline was applied and the

vandals were not asked to finance the repairing of their damage.

Some will argue that the principal or assistant principals have too many other things to do besides patrolling NHS for possible vandalism — but who else will?

Some will argue that Northville Public Schools can't afford to hire other personnel to constantly check these areas during school hours and help hand out discipline — but why can't they cut some administrators' salaries?

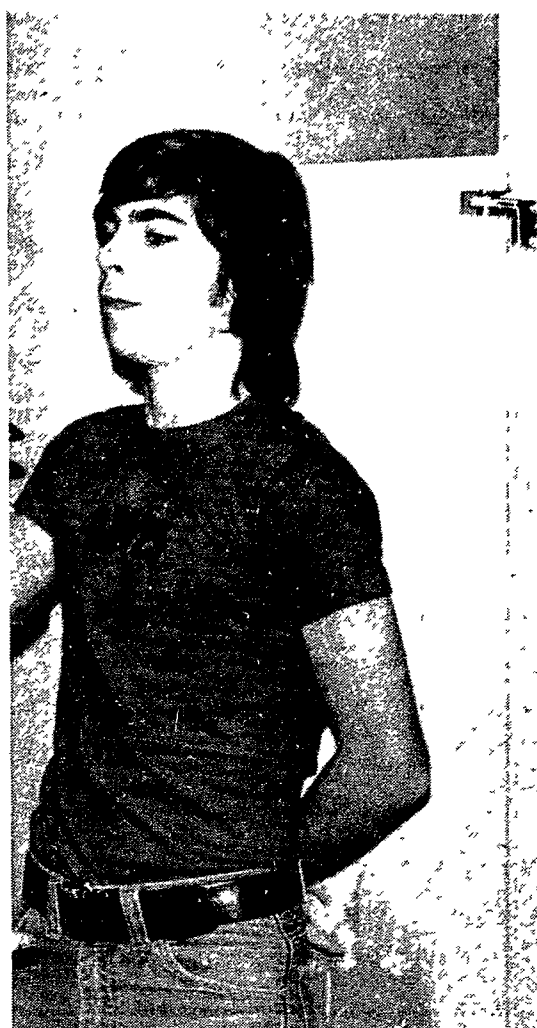
Some will argue that the

students should have respect for public property — but how can they when the school is in the condition it's in now, when damage is never fixed and when there is no discipline to fear?

Members of the Northville Board of Education should look again. Instead of automatically putting 100 percent of the blame on the janitorial staff for the sickening high school condition, examine closely others who are also at fault — then prepare your solution.

Sincerely,  
Sandy Hibbeln  
1976 NHS Graduate





## Readers Speak

### It's red herring

To the Editor:  
Yellow waxy build-up under the radiators at the high school is not this district's biggest problem. No way. This whole district needs a general housecleaning in the broadest sense.

There are bigger and better problems around the Northville system than "one employee, observed for two hours, who only did ten minutes worth of work." I wish there was some way of throwing that Red Herring right back in the superintendent's lap.

If we finally are to have job descriptions, I would like to see that project start at the top of the pyramid rather than at the base.

In addition to this troublesome yellow waxy build-up and lack of wastebaskets at the high school, we have the problems of teachers working without contracts, an inadequate library, an appalling lack of textbooks, trained academic counselors assigned to patrolling the hallways and parking lots, no school nurse, and some of the most outrageous teacher-student ratios in either Wayne OR Oakland counties.

To balance the picture, I would like to see a list of requests for repairs and maintenance from the high school to the central office. I would like to know if there is such a list and if any such requests were vetoed, by whom, and why.

One more thing: I don't think Northville has cornered the market on sloppy kids. They're pretty much the same everywhere....sloppy and careless, but kind of nice.

Helen Geisler

### It's unfair

To the Editor:

We are writing to you in reference to the representation Novi Senior High School receives in your newspaper.

It has come to our attention that Novi High School is not receiving equal representation in your publication. There are many examples. We cite one instance concerning the pictures of the Homecoming events at Northville and Novi. Out of a total of seven pictures, there was only one of Novi. There are many events at our school that are newsworthy yet none of them reach print.

We realize that your paper must cover many important news items that have precedence over high school news. All we are asking is that Novi Senior High School receive equal representation with the other high schools that your paper covers. We would appreciate your consideration.

Sincerely Yours,  
Margaret Daley  
Student Government  
Novi Senior High School

JACK W.  
HOFFMAN'S  
COLUMN



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first lady with the name of Rosalynn, the second having the maiden name of Smith?

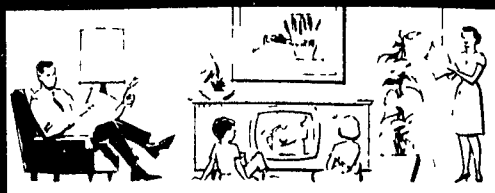
... that with four children, this new president will have one more than the average of three for all presidents?

... that upon inauguration his three sons and one daughter will boost the number of presidential offspring to 132—78 boys and 54 girls (John Tyler leads the way with 14, followed by William Harrison at 10)?

... and finally, that if he doesn't get busy soon James Earl Carter will become the first Georgia-born president in our 200 year history not to have invited Jack Hoffman to the inauguration?

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## Weekend volunteers

Members of Northville High Student Congress and other volunteers, about a dozen strong, wield paint brushes after scrubbing the school lavatories last weekend. The student government organization bought the paint. Some officers, along with President Tami Hurley, below left, and Beth Harrison, worked nine-hour days. Above, Bob Sweeney, Beth Harrison and Curt Hutchinson apply light blue paint to a boys' lavatory in the "clean-up, paint-up—we care" project. Teacher Edward Gabrys volunteered to supervise the activity.



## Readers Speak

### Teaching's inadequate

To the Editor:

We are looking for support. We are not sure who to ask for help, so we are writing to you hoping that someone with authority will see our letter and investigate the teaching method being employed at Silver Springs Elementary School.

Last year, when the September 1975 school year began, we were told that a new "English Method" of teaching was to be inaugurated at Silver Springs. At the time, the theory of grouping K-1-2 together, 3-4 together, and 5-6 together, the idea being that each child would receive individual attention and the younger children would be helped by the older and vice versa, seemed a bit Utopian to us. However, we withheld judgment the first year because of the problems which existed at the time and the change of schools in mid-term. We rationalized the poor showing in basic learning by saying it was a confusing year for both children and teachers. We cannot, in good conscience, look the other way any longer.

Not only do we think the entire system of teaching

employed at Silver Springs is totally inadequate, but we are asking for support from the parents of the children attending this school who feel as we do. We think something must be done immediately to change back to a more traditional method of teaching before too much more time has expired and our children have lost more precious days of learning.

We feel that most children must be told what to do. Suggesting to these children that perhaps they might like to do their math, reading, etc., when they get around to it, might be fine for the self motivated child. However, all children are not self motivated. Most children are like our child and must be told what must be done and when it must be done. We are not suggesting that for some children this is not good, but we are saying that it is about time we started paying some attention to the average child (There are more of them) and seeing to it that this child receives an education too.

Our next statement is not going to endear us to the administrators of this school. One of us had occasion to be in

the office of S.S. for two days in succession during the afternoon for two hours at each time. At this time, she was witness to a 5th or 6th grader (who was in charge of the office for about 1/2 an hour each day) administering first aid to a child who had scraped a knee on the playground. I am certainly thankful that it was not a more serious injury. A 5th or 6th grader should NOT be administering first aid, under any circumstances. The total lack of discipline in the halls of this school is something to behold. Children run through the halls, pushing one another and yelling. It is no wonder that many children are distracted.

We want an alternative for our child and for the children of the parents who feel as we do. We know they are many. The schools are ours—the teachers and administrators—our employees!! Let's get back to basics.

Sincerely,  
Richard & Gerry Besh  
41124 Stoneleigh

**EDITOR'S NOTE**—A letter pertaining to maintenance of Northville schools was submitted unsigned. The Record will use the letter if the writer submits a signature (handwritten) together with an address and telephone number. Writers may request that their names not be used, but all letters nevertheless must contain names, addresses and telephone numbers before they will be published.

## Supports girls' sports

To the Editor:

Hurrah for Julie Abraham and Angie Cave! I am in full agreement with objectives for interscholastic girls' sports. Unfortunately, it probably won't happen soon enough to suit them.

Competitive sports provide girls the same important boost to their confidence and self-assurance that sports provide boys. These attributes are modern day requisites for both girls and boys to deal effectively with life on an even-stein basis.

The best opportunities for interscholastic competition lie with basketball, volleyball, soccer, and baseball. The latter two have the better potential since they achieved a beginning in the Northville Recreation program during the past two years. As far as girls' basketball is concerned, the Recreation Department attempted to get a program going, but failed for lack of a sufficient number of girls. If enough teams could have assembled, it could have been a good learning experience and great fun, too.

If there were only a minor ground-swell of interest up and coming by adequate numbers of girls, I know Chuck Froberger, Northville Recreation Director would be super-delighted to launch a program through his department.

Thanks again to Julie and

Angie for sharing their interests in being participants rather than spectators.

Jim Nowka  
Northville Township Trustee

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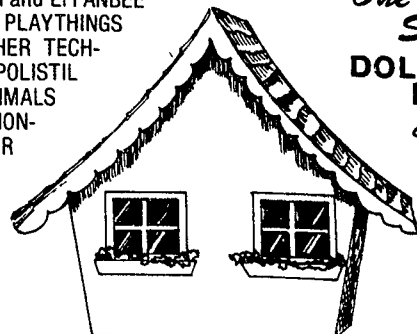
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## Mae Ely recalls old Park House

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Nobody had their babies in the hospital then, of course," she said.

"It was of course, an old fashioned hotel. I think we had 25 sleeping rooms upstairs (second level). Downstairs was a large dining room, kitchen, office, and our corner room in which we lived. Our room opened right up into the dining room. I think there were six tables.

"I can remember that kitchen best, because I did an awful lot of work there. It was the hardest work I've ever done. Pies were my favorite...they used to say my apple pies were the best in all of Northville. I don't know about that, but I sure made a lot of them. We had six-burner cooking stove. It was a coal burner. "I cooked, I waited tables, and I did anything else that needed to be done from morning 'til night.

"The laundry room was located in the basement. We kept our horses over in the barn that was right behind there. My husband liked horses, and he owned some pretty good ones.

"Horses, of course, were important in those days. That's how we got around. Northville didn't have any paved streets then. I remember that the streets (Main and Center) were nothing but dirt and a little gravel then."

Most of the people who took rooms at the hotel "stayed there only a little while. They didn't live there like they do in hotels today. It was mostly just while they visited town to do business. Lots of the people from that alcohol place (Gold Cure establishment for alcoholism). They stayed at our place while they were taking the cure."

It was while the Elys were living in the hotel that Mr. Ely first ran for public office.

He was elected supervisor of the township in 1906, serving for two years.

Later he opened a cigar and liquor store in downtown Northville and still later he "went into the game department and worked there for quite awhile. I was alone much of the time," recalled Mrs. Ely.

A Republican, Willard Ely ran for supervisor again 21 years later serving from 1928 until 1942 when for reasons of health he retired. Mollie Lawrence was appointed to replace him, and she served until 1959.

Besides living at the hotel, the Elys later lived on Dunlap, High and Linden streets. It was while living at 118 Linden that Mr. Ely died in February of 1959.

"I remember that house," said Mrs. Ely of the Linden home. "My husband had his office in the basement and did all of his township business there."

(Northville had not yet been incorporated as a city, hence those living in the village also were part of the township).

Another Ely, a nephew also became very active in Northville politics. He was the late Claude N. Ely, who served as mayor of Northville from 1954 until his death in April of 1958. Northville's current mayor, A.M. Allen, has been mayor ever since.

Having reached her 100th birthday in October, Mrs. Ely looks back over the years with one major regret: "All my friends are gone. I'm the last; it gets pretty lonely sometimes."

Mrs. Ely has been a resident of the Presbyterian Village in Detroit for the past 13 years. Her son, James, lives in Southampton, New York. She has six grandchildren, six great-grandchildren.

Of the hotel that played such a prominent role in her life and in the role of the community, Mrs. Ely stared out of the window of her cheery room and said, "Everything has to go sometime."



**BROOKS HOUSE**—Back in 1888, George Brooks purchased the Park House hotel at the southwest corner of Main and Center from F. B. Park and renamed it the Brooks House. Years later, the hotel, built originally by William Ambler, Sr., was operated by another member of the Ambler family, also named William. Mrs. Clyde Schoultz, who lives on Cady Street, is a daughter of the

latter Ambler. "I think my father may have been the grandson of the builder," she said this week. "We lived there for years, and much of what I know about Northville I learned right there in that old hotel." The hotel was destroyed by fire in 1929. The pictures on this page were loaned to The Record by Edmund Yerkes.



**HOTEL LOBBY**—Entrance to the lobby of the Park House was at the right. In the picture are (l to r) Willard Ely, Archie

Johnson, two unidentified travelers, Charles Silanos, Fred Burch and George the porter. Picture taken about 1899.



**HOTEL BAR**—The old hotel contained a bar. Those in the picture are l to r: The first person is unidentified, Jasper Elliott, Charles Strauss, Bert Panches, Henry Pickell, Ed Shafer, Willard Ely, Alfred Steers, Archie Johnson, Fred Burch and John Matthews.

## Teachers ratify two-year pact

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to pay one-half of the teachers' retirement contribution for the entire year beginning in February. Subsequently, however, it was learned that state retirement commission policy required the board pay all of the contribution or that teachers pay all of it.

Under the new agreement for the first year of the contract, the board will pay all of the teachers' retirement contribution for the fourth quarter of the 1976-77 school year. This means the contribution will be the same as if the board had paid one-half of the contribution for the entire year.

For example, a teacher receiving \$15,000 is required to contribute \$750 for retirement. With 26 pay periods in the year, this teacher's contribution would have been \$28.84 for each pay period. Under the initial agreement, the district would have paid \$14.42 for 13 of the 26 pay periods or \$187.46.

Under the new agreement, the board will pay all of the teachers' requirement retirement contribution of \$28.84 or \$187.46—but only the

last quarter of the school year.

Next year and the third year of the contract, the district will pay all of the retirement fund contribution—not necessarily by choice, however, since beginning next year under a new state law school districts throughout Michigan will be required to pay the full shot.

The new salary schedule for teachers for the first year of the contract, means that the BA teacher's range will increase from \$9,800-\$17,000 to \$11,145-\$17,595. The MA teacher's range will increase from \$10,800-\$20,000 to \$11,177-\$20,907.

Ms. Poe said she was disappointed with the number of teachers who turned out for the ratification vote, noting that it reflects an apathy that shows up in most voting outside the education field as well.

Of the approximately 300 teachers in the district, only 170 attended the ratification meeting at the high school. Some of those who attended abstained from voting.

The closeness of the vote, Ms. Poe said, held true among both the ESY and traditional teachers.

## SERI team visits to evaluate state

An evaluation team of federal officials was in Detroit recently to get a firsthand impression of what Michigan is offering in its bid for the new Solar Energy Research Institute (SERI).

As he personally welcomed the seven-man team to Michigan, Governor William G. Milliken stressed the "total commitment which exists within Michigan" to making the solar energy institute a success.

The team of experts from the Energy Research and Development Administration (ERDA) reviewed the sites Michigan has offered for SERI, heard presentations

from project managers, and discussed various aspects of Michigan's proposal with the management team.

After careful evaluation of all sites and bids, ERDA—the organization responsible for establishing SERI—will award the project in March, 1977.

Michigan is one of the top contenders among the 19 states still competing for SERI.

The ERDA evaluation team is visiting each of the states competing for SERI. Michigan was the fifth state the team visited. From here the team will travel to New England.

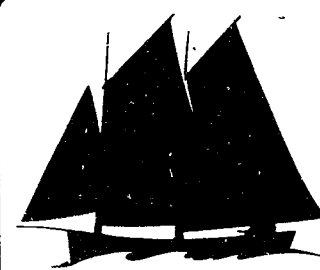


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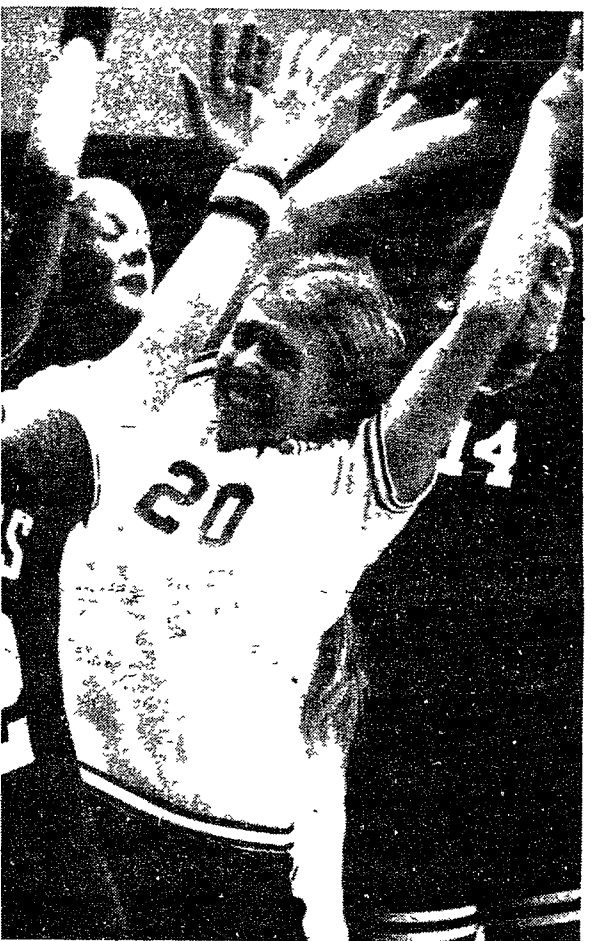
# Here's first All-Area girls basketball picks



JO LONGANECKER - 1ST TEAM - WHITMORE LAKE



ANNIE ROBINSON - 1ST TEAM - NOVI



ROXANE JOHNS - 1ST TEAM - PINCKNEY



BRIDGET GIEGLER - 1ST TEAM - HOWELL

## Novi, Pinckney lead the way

Girls have made their mark on the high school sports scene and have waited too long to receive the proper recognition for their talents.

That was the feeling of the Sliger Home Newspaper staff, but when the sports writers from the Northville Record-Novi News, Brighton Argus and South Lyon Herald went to work to pick for the first time an all-area girls' basketball squad they quickly found out that there is an abundance of talent in their communities, making the decision a tough one.

Just look at some of the team records.

Southeastern Conference champion Novi High is undefeated at 20-0 and is currently battling in the Class B state regional tournament. Whitmore Lake has lost only one game as shown by its 19-1 Tri-County League championship record.

The Trojans are dueling in Class D state regional play.

Novi had to nip a stubborn Hartland High team (11-10) in the district finals to advance in cage play. Hartland found Pinckney High (13-2) a formidable foe in the district semifinals, squeaking by, 45-43.

The 1976 All-Area cage squad reflects those winning teams since all but one player, Bridget Giegler of Howell, make up the first and second teams.

Defense is the heart of the SHNI top squad with 5-11 Novi sophomore sensation Anne Robinson, who hauled down 20 rebounds a contest, anchoring the center position.

Senior forwards Jo Longanecker of balanced Whitmore Lake and Giegler, who helped the Howell girls win their first game in district action in the school's history, were equally tough shooting from the field, and especially from the foul line where they made 75 percent of their shots count.

The smallest but quickest members of the All-Area cage team are 5-4 junior guards Cathy Eghotz of Hartland High and Roxane Johns of Pinckney, considered by their coaches to be the playmakers of their teams.

At times, they singlehandedly won games for their

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KATHY EGHOTZ - 1ST TEAM - HARTLAND

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## Honeybees on exhibit

Two special programs on "Honeybees" will be held at the Nature Center of Kensington Metropark near New Hudson with the first on Thursday, December 2 at 7 p.m. and the second on Sunday, December 12 at 9 a.m.

The programs will be held inside the Nature Center, last about 1-1/2 hours and cover the life of the Honeybee, its importance to man and basic beekeeping — and include observation of the indoor beehive.

The program is free and limited to 30 persons, with advance registration required according to Stephen E. Horn, park naturalist. For information or registration, contact the Nature Center — Kensington Metropark — Phone 685-1561 (Milford).

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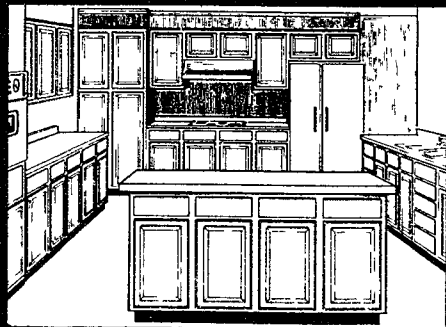
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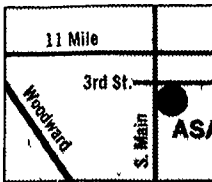
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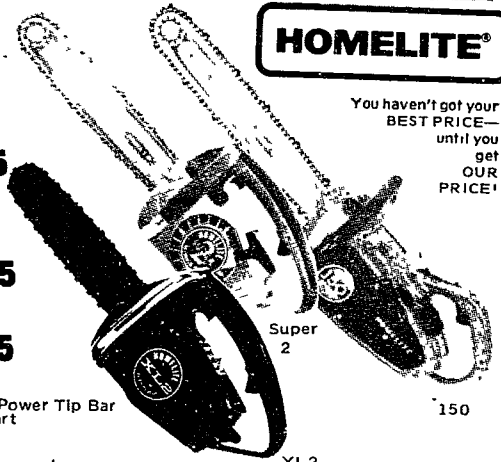
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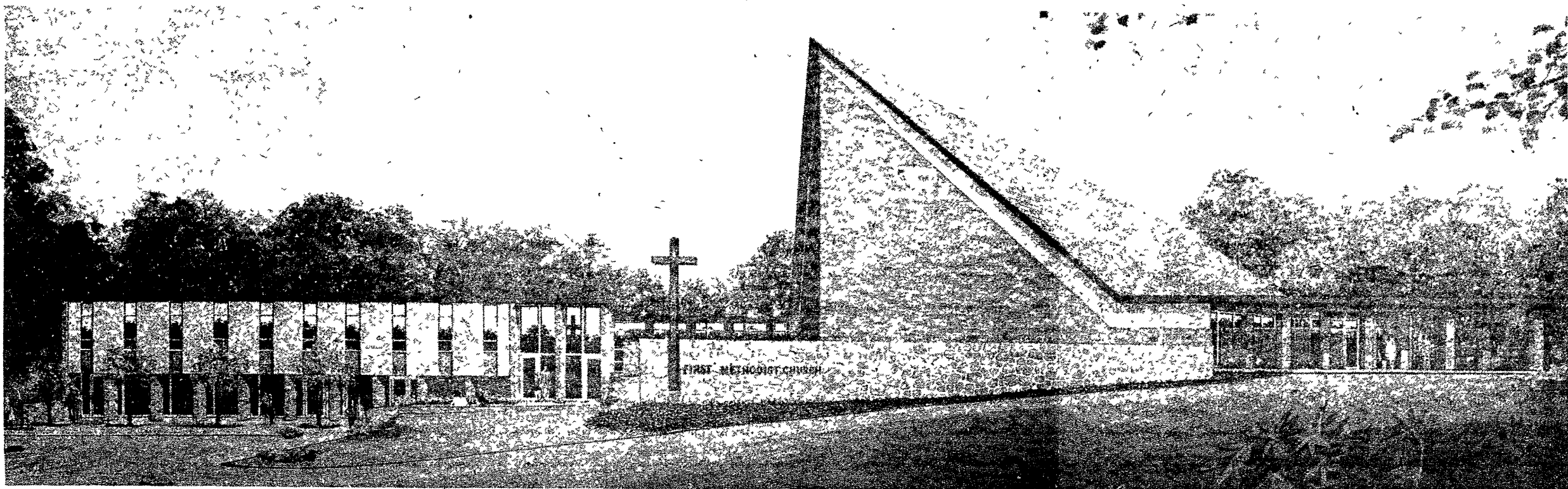
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## Spring groundbreaking planned

# Northville Methodists revive sanctuary plans

Exuding confidence, based on strong, brisk pledging, Bill Maguire says all signals are go as the First Methodist Church of Northville prepares to launch construction of a new church sanctuary.

"We've already received more pledges than during any other building program," reports the building committee chairman. "I'm confident it will go."

Meeting Sunday night members of the church gave the project its green light.

Next step is receipt of bids, due in January, and barring any unforeseen difficulty the long-delayed

project will get underway with the groundbreaking on March 13.

Dedication of the \$400,000 sanctuary is targeted for Christmas, 1977.

Since the spring of 1971, the Northville Methodists have been using the Christian education wing of their new facility for church services. Construction of the sanctuary wing had been delayed because of a financial pinch.

The sanctuary will be constructed on the northwest side of the existing education wing, which was dedicated March 7 of 1971.

Northville Methodist moved to the existing building from the historic church building at the southwest corner of Dunlap and Center streets. The latter building was sold and converted to a restaurant (the Drawbridge), which operated for a few years and then closed this past year in bankruptcy.

Construction of the initial phase of the new Methodist church (the education wing) was started in 1969. A portion of this section (fellowship hall) has since served a dual role as a sanctuary for church services.

The delay in construction of the second phase has been costly, admits Maguire, who notes that 1969 estimates put the combined cost of both the education unit and the sanctuary at \$500,000.

The sanctuary will have a seating capacity of nearly 400 persons, and it will include a library and a ladies' parlor.

Little changes have been made in the initial plans for the sanctuary other than provision for ceiling insulation and barrier free designing for handicapped persons.

Other building committee officers are: James Frisbie, vice-chairman; Rick Watkins, secretary; and William Becker, treasurer.

Other members of the committee include Russell Amerman, George Berquist, Oliver Collins, Robert DeHoff, Earl Eden, Dorothy Fittery, Ralph Gallagher, Doris Herrick, Rob Holloway, Thomas Munsell, George Olson, Ronald Ross, William Temple, Sher Watkins, and Fred Zillich.

Pastor of the church is the Reverend Guenther C. Branstner.

Architect is William Lindhout.

## Academy enjoys great response

"An absolutely tremendous response" to a November 21 open house held by Plymouth Christian Academy was reported by the Reverend G.

Douglas Routledge, its superintendent.

"We were very pleased with the great host of folk who came and expressed interest," he said.

Located in Northville in the Main Street Elementary School, which was not being used by the public school district, the new academy opened in September of this year.

It presently has a total of 140 pupils. About 70 are enrolled in the kindergarten through sixth grades while an equal number are in an academic pre-school program.

"We plan on adding no less than one grade a year so that students enrolling will be able to continue through high school," explains Pastor Routledge.

He is pastor of the sponsoring Calvary Baptist Church at 43065 Joy Road in Plymouth where a new facility is planned to house the academy beginning next fall.

"We're teaching primarily Biblical principles," the pastor continued, mentioning that he may be contacted about the school at 455-0022, or the school administrator, Harry Guess, may be called at 348-2823.

## Church Capsules

"There's a Quiet Understanding" by Tedd Smith and "Let All Things Now Living" by K. K. Davis were the special anthems November 24 when a combined choir of the South Lyon Presbyterian, Methodist and Catholic churches sang at the Union Thanksgiving community service. The worship began at St. Joseph's (the host church). Dr. Milton Bank, pastor of the South Lyon Methodist Church, delivered the message, "Thanksgiving." Dick Lenz of the Presbyterian Church directed the choir.

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Attendance for the first Sunday service November 21 for the Faith Community United Presbyterian Church in Novi was very good, reported Reverend Richard Henderson, who says that 120 children and adults attended.

"Many were brand new faces we didn't know," said Reverend Henderson who is also an associate minister with Northville Presbyterian. The Novi church is being sponsored by the Northville Presbyterian Church.

Services, which are held at Village Oaks Elementary, are scheduled for 10 a.m. each Sunday. Child care services are available during the services while Sunday school is held for youngsters through the eighth grade. Those who are older are encouraged to sit in on the church service itself, said Reverend Henderson.

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First meeting of the newly formed Book Study Club of Northville First Presbyterian Church will be held at 7:30 p.m. Monday, December 6, at the home of Peggy Thies, 9064 Marlowe, Plymouth. Janie Smith is to lead the discussion on the life of St. Paul from the book, "Great Lion of God," by Taylor Caldwell. Anyone who has read the book is welcome to attend even though not registered. Call the hostess at 453-0239.

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"The Clown", a musical by Carl Mays, will be presented December 3 and 4 at 7:30 p.m. at the South

Lyon United Presbyterian Church by the middle and high school youths of the congregation. The production is directed by Richard Lenz, choir director at the church. Admission is free.

Ivor Thomas plays the lead role of the clown who is viewed by the world as a comic because of his religious beliefs. Four worldly characters, E, V, I, and L, played by Carol Spears, Jenny Page, Cindy Oyster and Peggy Curtis are continually questioning and harassing the clown. The story continues with the four worldly characters having eventually to make a decision about God.

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The annual Christmas program at the South Lyon United Presbyterian Church on December 12 at 7:30 p.m. will feature music by the Cherub, Bethel and Chancel choirs with Richard Lenz and Linda Hansen directing. "Good News, World", by John F. Wilson is the title of the cantata which will be sung by the Chancel Choir. Solists include: Karen Young, Susie Hutchings, Sandy Sawie, Bernie Miller and Carroll Tietz.

The Chancel singers will also present the cantata on December 14 at the Southfield United Presbyterian Church. The public is invited. There is no admission charge for either performance.

Regular evening prayer nights are being instituted this week at the South Lyon United Methodist Church with the chapel room open for personal prayer and meditation each Wednesday from 7 to 9 p.m. Attendants will be on hand to assist those who come. On the second and fourth Wednesdays of the month, there will be a structured prayer and praise service from 7 to 8 p.m. for those who wish to participate.

Tonight, the evening begins with a family potluck (a regular first Wednesday of the month activity) at 6:30 p.m. The program which follows will be for young and old alike with Christmas carol singing and the

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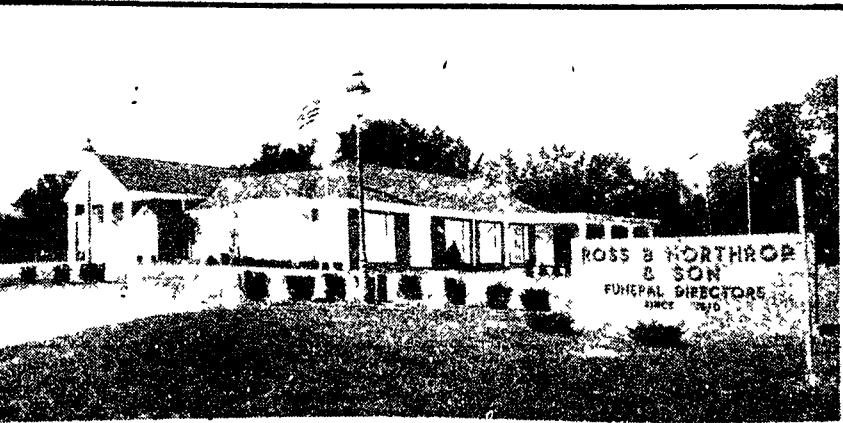
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# Here's our All-Area selections

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team by hustling on the floor, stealing balls and turning them into points.

**ANNIE ROBINSON** broke her finger, hurt her knee and did irreparable damage to the Novi opponents she faced when she wasn't sidelined with an injury.

At 5'11", the sophomore center has provided both the scoring and the rebounding to lead the Ladycats to a 20-0 season and a berth in state regional play.

Coach Chris Hayward says the youngster has exceptional confidence. Her faith in herself is well deserved as she averaged 14.3 points and 20 rebounds a game.

About 60 percent of her caroms came on the defensive boards.

Robinson worked the low post but also had a nice outside shot, making her a threat both underneath and outside.

"She's quick and very agile," says Hayward. "And she thrives on challenges. She wants challenges."

Anticipating the way that Robinson will be meeting challenges for the next two years is enough to make any coach smile.

The coaches who aren't smiling are future Novi opponents who agree that Robinson is one of the area's top players.

Filling one of the first-team forward slots on the first All-Area girls' basketball team is **JO LONGANECKER** of Whitmore Lake.

An outstanding, all-around athlete, Longanecker just may be the single, most important player on the talented Whitmore Lake squad which won the Tri-County Conference championship with an 11-1 record, won the MHSAA Class D district championship at Ann Arbor St. Thomas, and is currently sitting on top of a 19-1 record.

A 5-8 senior, Longanecker collected 260 points in 19 games for a 13.7 points per game average and also hauled down 177 rebounds to rank second on the team in both categories. Coach Marianne Martin points out that her statistics could have been considerably higher if it weren't for the fact that she is such an outstanding team player.

In addition to her scoring and rebounding statistics, Longanecker also had 85 steals, 62 assists, and blocked 65 shots as well as hitting 40 percent of her shots from the floor.

She has been unanimously selected the best player in the Tri-County Conference in each of the past two years. She is also an outstanding softball pitcher who hurled the Trojans into the state semi-finals last year and has been offered a scholarship by Arizona State University.

"Jo could be All-State in three sports this year," commented her coach.

**BRIGETTE GIEGLER**, 5-7 senior forward, helped lead the Howell high cage squad to its first state district tournament win ever as the Highlanders recently dumped Class A Lansing Sexton in semi-final action.

"She was often our team leader," explained Steve Loesch, Howell Coach. "We almost always assigned her to the toughest player on the other team."

Giegler averaged 11.5 points a game, but was equally tough on defense, snaring an average of 10 rebounds a night to keep the opposition offense in check.

But the senior forward, who had her best scoring game against DeWitt of the Capital Circuit when she pumped in 15 points, proved that she was nothing but trouble from the foul line.

Giegler connected on 75 percent of her free throws, taking advantage of enemy fouls.

**CATHY EGHOTZ**, Hartland High School's 5-4 junior guard, is a blur on the court, taking a rebound, setting up a play and then making sure that the ball makes it in the basket if the first try fails.

The all-Genesee County B League cager was the key to the Eagles' strong finish of regular season play and catapulted the team to the Class B state district finals against undefeated Novi, which eventually won the battle by a close 38-31 score.

"She is the best all around ballplayer on our team," said Bob Troesch, Hartland coach. "She has the talent and desire to match and hustles every minute she's on the floor."

Troesch added that, although Eghotz scored an average of 14 points a game, the statistic might have been higher if Hartland did not always play its five-man offense which did not set her up.

Cathy's highest game was a 23-point barrage against league foe Brandon. She was tough in the free throw department, making 60 out of 85 shots for an impressive 71 percent.

Troesch added that Eghotz was devastating from the corner, connecting on three out of four shots from the outside.

The Eagle junior, who scored 310 points for her team was also busy under the boards in any game she played, taking down 89 rebounds for the season.

**ROXANE JOHNS**, 5-4 junior guard, was the heart of the small but quick Pinckney High School squad's defense which gave the Pirates a 13-2 record this fall.

Johns and her fellow teammates hustled and pressed until the enemy turned over the ball. The small guard led the attack with 111 steals, an average of six a game while leading the team in scoring, canning 15 tosses a contest.

"She is one of the best guards in the league, probably in the area," explained Nancy Dustin, Pinckney coach, about the player who is sure to receive All-Ingham County League honors.

Dustin, a former most valuable player at Eastern Michigan University, credits Johns with winning three games, including a crucial contest which put Pinckney in first place, singlehandedly.

With the Pirates behind in the waning minutes against Fowlerville, Johns stole the ball three times in a row and took them all in for needed points to put the Bucs ahead for good. She stole a total of eight balls for the night and pumped in 19 points.

Her high game was a 22-point effort against Williamston.

She tossed in 62 of 103 shots from the foul line for 60 percent while canning 40 percent of her shots from the field.

The Pirates lost a grueling, 45-43 contest to Hartland in the state district tournament semi-finals with Johns keeping the team in the game after a

second quarter slump. The Bucs had earlier beaten South Lyon handily.

**JULIE JOFFRION**, 5-10 senior center, anchored the Pinckney High defense which posted an impressive 13-2 record this year.

She owned the boards in most contests played by the scrappy Pirate team, snaring 173 rebounds for a 10.2 average.

Her best games always seemed to be the crucial ones, according to her coach, Nancy Dustin. Julie grabbed 18 rebounds against South Lyon in the opening contest of the Class B state district tournament at Dexter and contributed 14 points to the winning cause.

Dustin also pointed out that Joffrion, who connected on 55 percent of her shots from the foul line, had a 1.8 foul average herself, considered minimal for a center in on the pushing and shoving under the boards.

**DENNY PARKER**, 5-7 junior forward, joined Joffrion in putting together the staunch Pinckney defense.

She snared 164 rebounds for a nine percent average while adding 11 points a contest for an impressive 40 percent.

"Her percentage from the floor was good because she does so well from the outside," explained coach Nancy Dustin. "And it is always a jump, never a set shot. She is just strong in all departments."

Parker was no slouch from the free throw line, connecting on 52 of 84 shots for 62 percent.



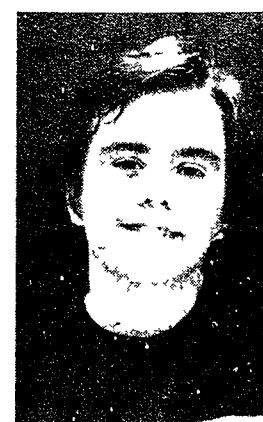
JULIE JOFFRION



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DENNY PARKER



ELAINE MAKI



TERRY WATKINS

**LAURA BIROU** joined with first-team selection Annie Robinson to give Novi a pair of 5'11" rebounders that complemented each other perfectly.

While Robinson was strongest on the defensive boards, Birou — who averaged 20 rebounds a game — did her best board work on the offensive side.

Birou's strength, however, was on defense where she made a habit of holding opposing aces to ridiculously low scores.

"She grooves on defense," says coach Chris Hayward, recalling two girls averaging between 15 and 18 points who were held to one and three by Birou.

Despite aggressive play, she fouled out only once. Birou's scoring picked up strongly at the end of the season, and she scored 21 points two weeks ago, the best individual performance for Novi this year.

**ELAINE MAKI** is one of the few seniors on Novi's SEC championship team and there is little doubt that she's the team leader.

Monday night, the Ladycat floor general was named the team's Most Valuable Player in a vote by her teammates.

"Elaine has a calming effect on the team," said coach Chris Hayward.

Maki owns a "beautiful corner shot" and is a fine driver, she adds.

Maki also sparkplugs the Novi defense, putting constant pressure on opposing guards.

**TERRY WATKINS** of Whitmore Lake is a second-team guard on the All-Area basketball team this year.

A 5-6 senior, Watkins led the highly successful Whitmore Lake squad (conference championship, district championship, and 19-1 record) in the scoring

FIRST TEAM			
C	ANNIE ROBINSON	5-11 sophomore	NOVI
F	JO LONGANECKER	5-8 senior	WHITMORE LAKE
F	BRIDGET GIEGLER	5-7 senior	HOWELL
G	CATHY EGHOTZ	5-4 junior	HARTLAND
G	ROXANE JOHNS	5-4 junior	PINCKNEY

SECOND TEAM			
C	JULIE JOFFRION	5-10 senior	PINCKNEY
F	LAURA BIROU	5-11 junior	NOVI
F	DENNY PARKER	5-7 junior	PINCKNEY
G	ELAINE MAKI	5-6 senior	NOVI
G	TERRY WATKINS	5-6 senior	WHITMORE LAKE

## HONORABLE MENTION

Lori SKINNER (Brighton-10), Kelly POWERS (Brighton-12), Jane WARREN (Brighton-11), Liz FROBEL (Whitmore Lake-12), Jill LONGANECKER (Whitmore Lake-11), Mary SUTTON (Hartland-12), Nancy MILNER (Howell-12), Ellen DEMPSEY (Howell-12), Julie LITTLE (South Lyon-11), Nada OBRENOVICH (South Lyon-10), Nannette NELSON (South Lyon-10), Dede McALLEN (Novi-12), Kathy BELKOWSKI (Northville-12)

department this year by collecting 279 points in 18 games for a 15.5 points per game average.

A hard worker, Watkins scored many of her points off the Trojans' full-court press. She snared 71 rebounds — good for a guard — and also had 71 steals and 51 assists. Her high game came against Ann Arbor St. Thomas when she lit up the scoreboard with 27 points.

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FREE

All items offered in this "Absolutely Free" column must be exactly that, free to those responding. This newspaper makes no charge for these listings, but restricts use to residential (non commercial) accounts only. Please cooperate by placing your "Absolutely Free" ad no later than 4 p.m. Monday for same week publication. One week repeat will be allowed.

EIGHT puppies 4 males, 4 females With and without tails. Mixed breed 349 2501

8 LABRADOR mixed puppies, 326 815 after 5 or 478-1000, ask for Denny.

LONG haired gray kitten, 349 2156

PUPPIES, mixed breed Ready for Christmas Adorable Plymouth 453-3981

PUPPIES, wormed, 349 8461

GERMAN Shepherd to good home - 1 year, good with children, Call evenings between 7 &amp; 8, 437 2902.

GERMAN Shepherd, spayed, with shots, female, 1 year old To good home, 437-3191.

FREE-Two male kittens 437-0970

FREE-Cat, 6 months, female, short haired, white and black, good with children 437-3046

BEAUTIFUL black German Shepherd pups. Free to good home, 437-0991

TWO Labrador Elkhounds, free to good home, good watch dogs 331 0101 after 6 p.m.

FREE-Two female, mixed puppies, 7 weeks old. To good home 437 0877

FREE-Part German Shepherd and Collie dog 3 years old 437-8720.

FREE-Beautiful Shepherd Collie puppies, 10 weeks, three left are accustomed to living outside. Hurry, before they're gone 437-9467.

TWO year old house dog, part collie and beagle, to a good home Call after 5:30 p.m. 437-1148

DUE to allergies, must find good home for 1 year old female cat, spayed, litter trained 437 3475

SPRINGER Puppy, female, good home with fenced yard, nice quiet house dog 517-2334-9342.

MIXED female, Shepherd-Collie, 8 1/2 months, good w-children (517) 548-1066

PART German shorthair Beagle, 6 mo. loves outdoors; children. Rabbit hime! 437-1240

FREE 3 4 month old kittens, litter trained, 1 white female, 1 male short haired, 2 long haired, fluffy male and female, 632 5117

WELL-TRAINED inside watchdog, gentle with children. Shepherd-Collie mix, all shots worm papers 227-6831

1-1 Happy Ads  
M & M, G & K, 2 weeks and counting, Mom

M &amp; M, G &amp; K, 2 weeks and she sure is counting! D W

CONGRATULATIONS and a Happy 30th to Velma and Roy! May the future continue to hold only the good things in life

I'm comfortable because there are some "warm," thoughtful people at The Record. Thanks, Jan

ENTERTAINMENT PLUS!  
Extraordinary Close Up Magic, Mind Reading, Hypnotism & Memory Demonstrations! By Bill Nagler! PLUS Billy the Magic Clown! Birthday Party Magic & Balloons. 569-1719 1-662-3700

Jim B Happy "17" Sorry it's 4 days late 3 W's

1-2 Special Notices  
ALCOHOLICS Anonymous meets Tuesday and Friday evenings At Anon also meets Friday evenings, Call 349 1903 or 349-1687. Your call will be kept confidential

GOLFERS Part I Pro Shop Open 12 p.m., closed Mondays. Loaded with golf bargains. Youth sets, 2 &amp; 3 &amp; 4 bag, 852 Walter Hagen, Ultradyne 11, 753 Woods, 8 Irons, \$220. Golf bag &amp; balls, all sets of clubs at big discounts 11579 Highland Rd 1/2 mile east of US 23 or call (313) 632 7494

TURKEY Shoot, Dec. 5th, South Lyon Target Busters, 12 o'clock till 9 Reg and Bull Durham (roll your own) Shoot 59555 Pontiac Trail

"THE FISH" (Formerly Project Help) Non financial emergency assistance 24 hours a day for those in need in the Northville Novi area Call 349 4350 All calls confidential

SUICIDE Prevention and Drug Information 1 875 5466 Someone Cares

1-3 Card Of Thanks  
A SINCERE thank you to all who helped in anyway, at the time of the loss of our father Frank E. Merrell The Lytle Herb Family, Mr and Mrs. Forrest Allott, Mrs. Phyllis Glenn and Yvonne, J. Alton Merrell, The Otto Mallory Family, The James Deutsch Family

THE ROBERT B. MILLER Family wishes to express their sincere gratitude for the many acts of kindness and sympathy shown during the recent loss of their husband and father. The tangible expressions of food, flowers, memorials, and cards were greatly appreciated. The underlying aspects of your concern truly undergirds and strengthens us in our loss. Thank you friends and family.

1-5 Lost  
BLONDE Cocker, older dog, wearing red collar, male, name "Corky", 229-4496

## 1-5 Lost

SALT and pepper small male dog with short tail, answers to the name of Stubby, stands up and begs. Lost on S. Center, Northville about a month ago. Reward Contact Mrs. Alex Lyke, 213 S. Center 349 3422

CAMEO brooch surrounded with gold carving, 5 pendants hanging from bottom, 2 gold bracelets with safety chain, raised decorated surface. Old family pieces with sentimental value. Reply P.O. Box 651, c/o The Northville Record, 104 W. Main, Northville, 48167.

GOLD antique necklace lost November 20th, Northville or Novi area. Reward 349 3387.

GERMAN Shepherd, 1 year old, female, black with tan markings, answers to "Bertha" Between 12 Mile and Pontiac Trail on Martindale Road 437 3264 after 9 p.m.

BLACK Irish Setter Lab—6 months, female. Vicinity high school, Brighton 229 9277

LOST CLOTHES  
Mistakenly taken from laundrymat across from Sail Inn. If you have or know, where they are, please call 1-517-546-4886.1-6 Found  
NORTHVILLE area, medium size dog, tan with black back. No tail 348 26592-1 Houses For Sale  
BRIGHTON  
Elegant executive home in exclusive area 5 bedrooms, 500 sq. ft., master bedroom suite, 1st floor den could double as guest room. Exquisite landscaping, pool, waterfall, marble walkways. Close to expressways. \$122,000 Call 227 5005 (42226)BRIGHTON  
Charming 4 bedroom home featuring 2 1/2 baths, master suite, patio, partially finished rec. room, and more! All on a gorgeous treed site. Lovely Bitten Lake area. \$61,000 Call 227 5005 (43138)HAMBURG  
Outstanding Value - 3 bedroom home with newly remodeled kitchen on 1 acre. Needs finishing, carpentry. Land Contract terms available. \$22,900 Call 227 5005 (42201)STOCKBRIDGE  
Quaint Town! Four bedroom ranch - 2500 sq. ft. Formal dining room, full basement, sauna bath, 2 fireplaces, family room, 1 1/2 baths, 12x12x12 inground heated pool, 2 car garage. Walk to town & schools. \$49,900 Call 477-1111 (43017)BRIGHTON  
Many fine features are included in this large 4 bedroom home. The living room is 12 x 25. Located on lovely site with a good garden area. \$29,700 Call 455 7000 (43166)COMMERCIAL  
Builder's own dream home! 65' balcony overlooking Lake Sherwood. 2 fireplaces, 2 1/2 baths, 3 bedroom ranch with walk-out basement. Many extras! Fabulous! \$120,000 Call 455 7000 (43166)PINKNEY AREA  
3-bedroom ranch, family room, fireplace, 2 baths. Full basement partitioned with 2nd fireplace, situated on 1 acre, paved road. Immediate occupancy \$48,500.

Great living in this new 3-bedroom Bi-level home, family room, 2 fireplaces, 1 1/2 baths, Rush Lake privileges. Immediate occupancy. \$38,950

BRIGHTON  
Neat 2-bedroom, 1 1/2 story, full basement home, located on paved major roadway. Commercial zoned, could operate business from your home! \$26,900BRIGHTON  
227-1016HOWELL  
546-0906THE MAN TO IS JAMES C  
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NORTHVILLELOVE TO REDECORATE?  
Try your talents on this historical home in Northville. Lots of room for your antiques. 5 rooms down, 3 rooms up. \$59,900IMMEDIATE OCCUPANCY!  
Large 4 bedroom family home in Northville. 2 full baths. Aluminum sided. Panelled basement has great potential. \$45,500.349-4030  
VICTORIAN SETTING WITH MODERN SERVICE1-5 Lost  
BLONDE Cocker, older dog, wearing red collar, male, name "Corky", 229-44962-1 Houses For Sale  
PRESTON REALTY  
(517) 548-1668  
Detroit area call (313) 478-7275

A BARGAIN!! An older 4 bedroom home with over 1500 square feet of living area, close to all that you need in the City of Howell! \$25,900.00

DON'T MISS THIS CHANCE to own a NEW home without the wait! It's ready and waiting for you to move into - with 3 bedrooms, dishwasher and stove in kitchen, 2 fireplaces, and 2 car attached garage and more located on 3.40 acres close to Howell \$59,900.00

THE PRIVACY and seclusion of these lovely wooded parcels outside of Howell are worth your time to see. 4 sites are available from 2-plus acres to over 14 acres, priced between \$11,000 and \$15,900.

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6466 E. M. 36

BEAUTIFUL HOME RIGHT IN TOWN. 3 bedrooms, over 2000 sq. ft. of living space, aluminum siding, first floor utility. Great bargain for only \$23,400. 3-C-1487-C.

PERFECT FOR THE GROWING FAMILY. Clean, 3 bedrooms, 2 fireplaces, 10 x 24 boat house, double lot. This LAKEFRONT home has sandy beach and is close to expressway. Only \$43,900. 3-B-6310-H.

HOME ON 3.73 ACRES on hill overlooking Portage Lake. Clean, well-maintained, 3 bedroom home. Mature shade trees. Good investment. \$45,000. 3-D-2020-P.

HANDYMAN! 3 bedroom brick home. This home has many possibilities! large corner lot in area of very fine homes. Privileges on Cordley Lake and access to Huron River. \$36,500. 3-M-10835-P.

NORTHVILLE ESTATES Custom built 2200 sq. ft. tri-level on 1/2 acre wooded lot offers 3 huge bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, dining room, family room with cozy wood burning fireplace, attached garage and more. — Just \$69,900

NORTH HILLS ESTATES — Owner has been transferred from this impeccable, 2 yr. old, 4 bedroom colonial, plus den, beautiful wooded lot, and a list of top quality extras too numerous to mention. First time offered at \$84,900

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CONDOMINIUMS  
Highland Lakes of Northville Township  
3 bedroom Edinburgh model on the bank of Crystal Lake. Everything upgraded quality. \$33,500  
Newly listed, 2 bedroom Dundee. Tastefully decorated and beautifully maintained. \$34,500  
3 bedroom, Highland model well kept and very nicely decorated. Will consider a land contract. \$37,900  
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VACANT LAND  
Hartland Schools near U.S. 23 and M-59. 10 Hilly, heavily wooded acres. Possibly the choicest parcel in Livingston County. Land Contract Terms. \$29,900  
349-9460  
505 N. Center-NorthvilleWE'RE NOT NATIONAL—WE'RE LOCAL  
Decorate the Pines; 1.79 acre parcel in a beautiful area close to Howell. Rolling with many Pines and maples planted. Ideal for walkout basement. VCO 5629 227-1111  
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Santa Claus Special!! Sharp 4 bedroom ranch in unique "Lake Area". Only \$39,900.00 CO-LHP 5650 227-1111.  
What a gift for your families' future. Pinckney; beautiful building site, high on a hill overlooking Highland Lake, approx. 3/4 of an acre. Only \$5,000.00 VLP 5692 437-2088 or 227-7775.  
Picturesque and Private—2 parcels, both slightly over 1 acre, located on Franins Lake. All-around private lake with excellent swimming and fishing. Sandy beaches w-large weeping willow trees. Conveniently located paradise within minutes of x-ways. Only \$17,400.00 each. VL-VA 5744 437-2088 or 227-7775.  
Country living in the city, with 3/4 acre garden spot. 3 bedroom brick and aluminum ranch. Attached garage, walk to school and shopping. B 5725 437-2088 or 227-7775.  
Invest in the future of a fast growing area with this 5 bedroom ranch home. Good layout for an office or ? 1 acre located 2 miles west of the Dayton-Hudson Shopping Center. Also very close to x-way, zoned light manufacturing. Only \$45,000.00 CID 5270 437-2088 or 227-7775.  
Excellent building sites, 3-10 acre parcels. Stockbridge area. L-C available. Terms. \$9,000-\$15,000.00 VA 5391 437-2088 or 227-7775.  
Don't quit looking until you see this vacant 2.72 acres. Quiet, near M-52. VA 5276 437-2088 or 227-7775.  
A place for Santas' sleigh; 3 bedroom aluminum ranch with a carport, 80' of waterfront on Hope Lake. Brighton area, only \$31,900.00 ALH 5672 546-2880 or WO5-4770.  
Snow clings to the pines; 3 bedroom home on Cordley Lake, beautiful view. Family and living room, some finishing to be done. Pinckney schools. \$36,700.00 ALH 5595 546-2880 or WO5-4770.  
A winter scene: Nice 10 acre woods at rear, blacktop road. Area of nice homes, close to X-way. Interchange. Fowlerville schools. \$17,500.00. Terms. VA 5489 546-2880 or WO5-4770.  
Easy access for Santa! 4.92 acre building site. Close to 96 x-way. Howell schools. \$14,900.00, Terms. 546-2880 or WO5-4770 VA 5661.  
Paint a Christmas scene in this 3 bedroom ranch, barn, 15 acres part woods with creek through property. Terms. \$49,900.00 546-2880 or WO5-4770 SF 5467.  
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A Christmas in Howell!! 3 bedroom home on corner lot in city of Howell. Brand new siding and easy access to city park & boat launch. \$32,900.00 with L-C terms. H 5548 227-1111.  
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HOLIDAY INN  
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(313) 437-1729  
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MOBILE home, 2 bedroom, double wide, carpeting, dishwasher, central air, awnings, enclosed porch, storage building, 90x160 fenced lot, joint lake. For information call (517) 546-5675

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THREE 1/2 acre lots, \$5,500 each or best offer. Close to South Lyon, but not in city. Perk test and water guaranteed. Good soil 15 minutes from Ann Arbor. 437 2380

EXCELLENT 5 & 10 acre building sites T. J. Fisher (517) 521-4082

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FOR SALE  
**ONE VILLAGE**

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**2-8 Real Estate Wanted**

GROCERY or party store wanted. Qualified buyer waiting. For details write or call collect 3 Robert Waters, LaNoble Realty 1516 E Michigan, Lansing, MI. (517) 482-1637, home (517) 351-7028

**FOR RENT**

**3-1 Houses**

FURNISHED cottage utilities included, weekly rent, 2 miles east of Brighton. No pets AC 9 6723

TWO BEDROOM on lake, partially furnished, \$225 monthly for 2 persons. Call 227-9476 between 8-noon

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**3-2 Apartments**

THREE ROOM furnished apartment, prefer middle age person Between Brighton & Howell (517) 546-1780 after 4 p.m.

ONE ROOM apt., private bath 9021 Chilson Rd Brighton

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ONE bedroom on estate \$160 month. Lights and water included. Security deposit. 349-4926

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ROOMS for rent in South Lyon Hotel. Call 8 a.m.-5 p.m., 437 6440

**LEXINGTON MOTEL**  
CLEAN, COMFORTABLE  
MODERN ROOMS  
By Day or Week  
1040 Old US 23  
227-1272

**3-6 Buildings, Halls**

FOR RENT or lease. New building, 10,000 sq ft plus office space. Will divide. 349 0904

WAREHOUSING for storage. Approximately 1200 sq ft South Lyon Call 437 6439 after 7:30 p.m.

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CITY OF NORTHVILLE  
One of the Historic Districts  
Finer Period Homes  
Victorian with 3 spacious rooms and in excellent condition. Four bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, etc. A two year lease available at \$450 a month plus utilities. January 1. No canine pets. Careful screening to be expected.

Ask for Mr. Bake only.  
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It's All Here in Brighton  
Located right in the middle of a recreation area, Brighton has a lot to offer. And Lexington Manor has a lot to offer Brighton. With air conditioning, playground and bedroom apartments among the features. One and two bedroom apartments are now available. Rentals from \$182.50

229-7881  
Lexington Manor APARTMENTS  
Under new management  
850 Grand River in Brighton

**3-2 Apartments**

ONE day only—Treasure sale, Saturday 9 a.m. Hamilton Farms—Pool Club house.

MOVING Hammond organ, like new, best offer. Bar, 2 stools, entertainment center, walnut cabinet, Mangle Ironer, couch and chair, Westinghouse toaster, microwave oven 349 3499

BASEMENT Sale 373 Harvard, South Lyon Dec. 2, 10 a.m. 4 p.m. Girls 3 & 4's, boys 6 & 8's Misc

BASEMENT sale—1255 Old US 23, Brighton. Just north Hwy 6 & 9 thru Sunday 10 a.m. till dark

**4-2 Household Goods**

14-INCH b-w TV, works good, \$25. Very old china cabinet, \$40 Hartland (313) 632 6769

GRINNELL console piano, excellent condition 227 6853

**3-6 Buildings, Halls**

BUILDING for lease for display and or offices, 1,000 sq ft, near Lake Chemung on Grand River. Phone for information 1 517 546-6750, evenings, 229 8547

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**3-7 Office Space**

WEST Oakland Plaza 10 Mile-Novi Road New building in Novi. Will finish to suit 349 7200, Mr. McCurdy

OFFICE space available, 2 locations, downtown Northville 108 N. Center (Newly decorated, carpeted and air conditioned, 1900 sq ft, very reasonable) and 220 N. Center, Detroit Federal Savings Building (Space to be remodeled to suit) Call Lee Holland, 349 5400

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BRIGHTON—Office Suite, \$75 a month per room on lease basis. Utilities included. All newly decorated, carpeted, paneled walls, air conditioned. Convenient to City Hall, Bank, Post Office, shopping. Convenient parking Call 229 6717

**3-10 Wanted to Rent**

SCHOOLCRAFT College girl needs room to rent with kitchen privileges. References available 349 1621

URGENT, Need house in Pinckney School District 227 2566

**HOUSEHOLD**

**4-1 Antiques**

ANTIQUE 18" brass apple bucket, Royal semi porcelain 10" chamber pot with cover, 9" brass planter, Imperial 1894 coffee mill, antique jewelry 349 3488

BOOKCASES 3 sections with glass doors 1 walnut, 1 cherry Desk, 36 x 68, walnut 349 4314

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**4-1Auctions**

AUCTION+Friday Dec 3 7-30 p.m. 8777 Main St Whitmore Lake, misc merchandise, furniture & some antiques Auctioneers Ray & Mike Egnaish Phone (313) 449 4421 or (517) 546 7496

ESTATE Auction Sun Dec. 5, 1 p.m. 8777 Main St Whitmore Lake, Double brass bed, curved glass china cabinet, small brass cash register, leather glass table, round oak table, regulator wall clock, oak hall tree, much more Auctioneers, Ray & Mike Egnaish, phone (313) 449-4421 or (517) 546-7496

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**4-2 Household Goods**

WELL-SEASONED hardwood, \$30, Birch, \$40, face cord Cannel coal 5c per pound, kindling \$1.79 Delivered locally. Nobles & Mills Supply at Middlebelt 474 9222

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Oak & Maple \$29.00  
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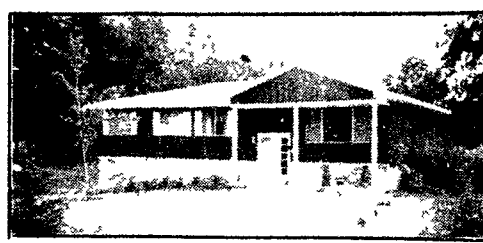
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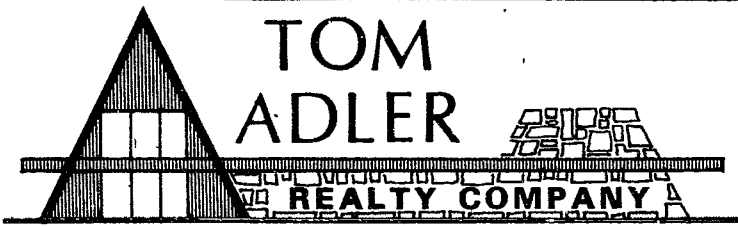
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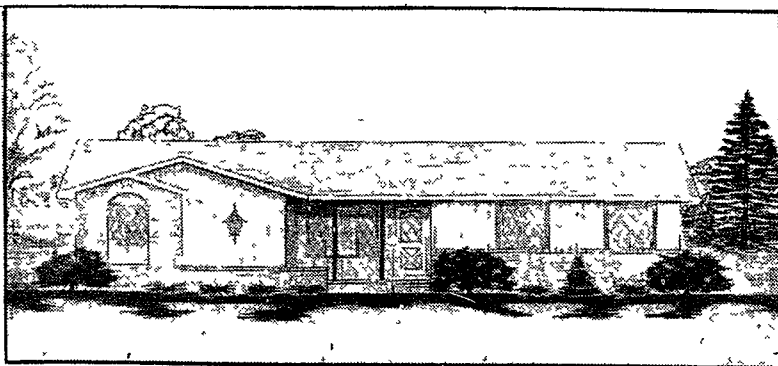
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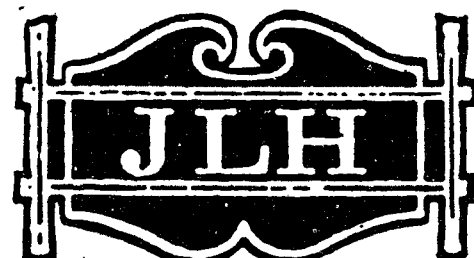
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D4SM Classic Gray - \$32.50-sq.  
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8"RW Ash Biege - \$28.95-sq.  
8"RW Scotch Red - \$28.95-sq.  
8"RW Slate Blue - \$28.95-sq.  
8"RW Spanish Green - \$28.95-sq.  
8"RW Jade Green - \$28.95-sq.  
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340 Lbs. Timberlines Slate Blend - \$31.00-sq.  
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Largest selection, lowest prices around Shop our basement and save 437-0086

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**PRE-WINTER SALE HOMELITE 150 CHAIN SAW**  
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WHEAT straw, \$1. a bale. 349-2724.  
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**WANTED: Baby Grand or small piano.** 425-5113 34

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**PETS**

**5-1 Household Pets**  
ALL breed professional grooming, 229-4548 HTF

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**TROPICAL Fish & Supplies**  
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**AKC Miniature Dachshund puppies, after 5. 437 0719.**

**4-3 Miscellany**

#### 5-1 Household Pets

**BULL Dog puppies.** \$275 and up. Stud service available. C.R. Kennels. (517) 872-4648.

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**5-4 Animal Services**  
PROFESSIONAL dog grooming—Schnauzers, Cock-a-Poo's, Poodles, TLC, fluff dried. By appointment 229 5233, Brighton 436

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**6-1 Help Wanted**

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**MATURE saleslady Full or part-time. Apply in person. Dancers Fashions, South Lyon 148**

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**6-4 Business Opportunities**

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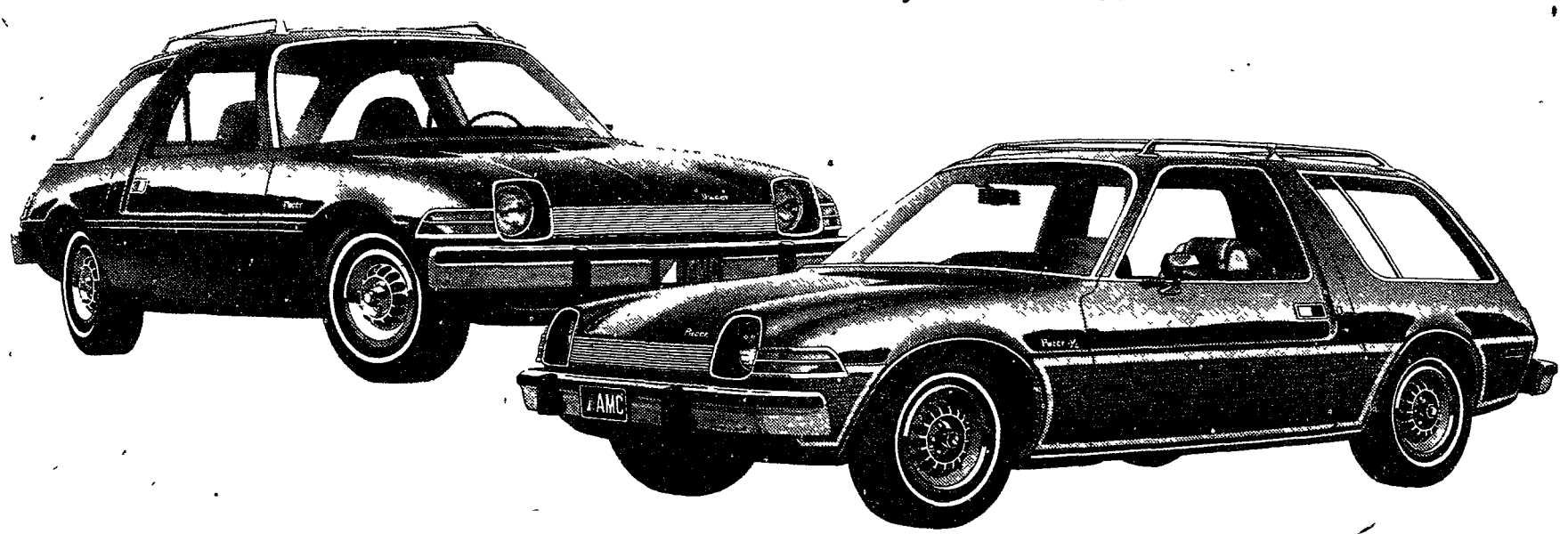
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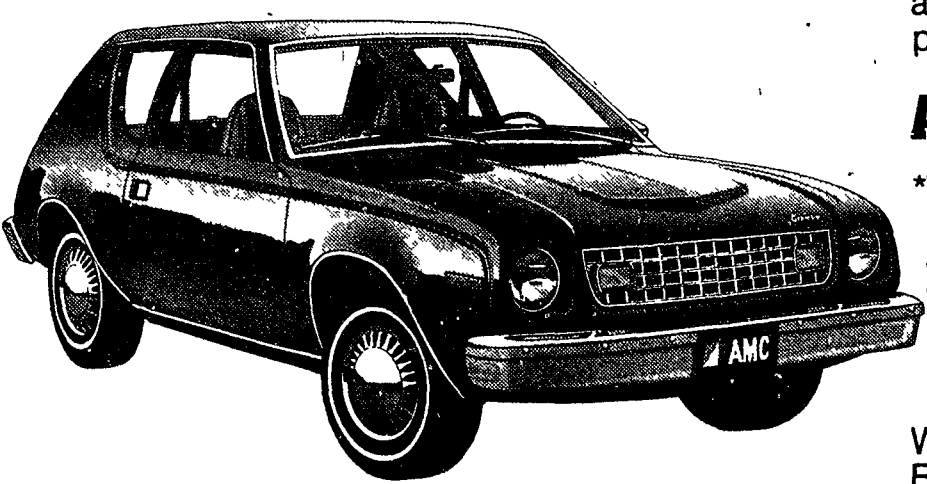


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A native of Endicott, New York, Dr. Hermiz earned his bachelor of theology degree from Circleville Bible College in 1960. He pursued graduate work in administration at Ohio State University and pastored two churches for 12 years before becoming full time director of the Christian Holiness Association.

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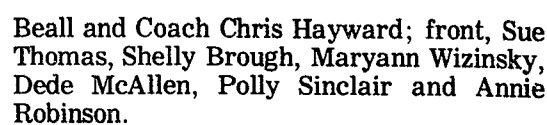
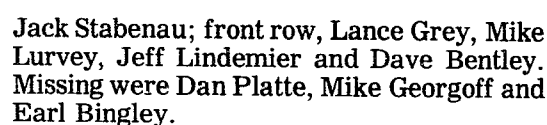


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# Mustangs open with rout

As far as opening night games go, Northville's 70-48 trouncing of South Lyon wasn't too bad.

But the Mustangs know that, from here on out, they won't be meeting many short teams whose centers are out of action with a broken wrist.

And so, little deficiencies such as committing 26 turnovers and falling behind 12-4 will have to be straightened out before Western Six play begins.

Still, nobody complains about a win — especially when it's a rout — and Northville coach Walt Koepke is no exception.

"We played better than in our preseason scrimmage," he said. "After they had a hot first couple of minutes, we got our defense straightened out."

The 26 turnovers were "not good by any means," but Koepke can excuse some of them because they came on fast breaks when the Mustangs were trying to run.

The game also proved Koepke's ability as a prophet. Before the season, he said he had a balanced club, with capable players all the way through the last man on the bench.

Tuesday night, all 14 Mustangs who dressed played, and 12 of them scored.

Center Steve Hudolin, who should see much action this year, missed the game because of a virus.

"South Lyon played a man-to-man defense and we got a lot of driving shots," said Koepke.

Leading the way was Tony Armada who scored 14 points, most of them in the first half, as he hit six for ten from the floor and two of two from the free shot line.

Only other Mustang in double figures was John Horvath, who hit four of six field goal tries and both his free shot attempts.

As a team, Northville made 24 of 49 shots for 49 percent and 22 of 33 free shot tries for 67 percent.

Northville rebounded from an early deficit to lead after one quarter, 16-14. A 28-17 second quarter put Northville ahead 44-31 at half and the game was never again in doubt.

In the decisive second quarter, six Mustangs scored between four and six points to lead the way.

The taller Mustangs completely dominated the

boards, taking a 41-14 advantage. Armada, Horvath, Marc Hooth and Pete Wright each grabbed five rebounds and Doug Harding and Dave Brewer each had four.

In addition to Horvath and Armada, Koepke gave special recognition to Hooth who scored all of his points on a 9 of 11 night from the foul line.

## Bantam icers win 4

Reef Manufacturing Pacers, Northville's Bantam A Travel hockey team, swept to four straight victories to win a Thanksgiving weekend tournament at Sterling Heights.

Reef knocked off Trenton in the first and final games of the double elimination tournament. In between, the Pacers stopped Sterling Heights and edged Dayton, Ohio in overtime.

Goalie Bob Boshoven put a lid on the net, allowing only four goals in four games while recording one shut out and missing a second by only nine seconds.

The Dayton game was the closest. Bill Knauer gave Reef a quick lead but the Buckeyes

"Marc's always in the middle of things and he gets fouled a lot," he said.

Friday night, Northville opens its home season against

Milford Lakeland, a team Koepke knows little about.

On Tuesday, also at home, the Mustangs tangle with a strong Dearborn Divine Child squad.

Less than a minute into the sudden-death overtime period, Mike Shingler turned on the red light to send Reef into the finals. There they topped Trenton, 4-2.

Doug Horst had four goals and Knauer and Pat Rapin each had three to lead the tourney scoring. Two goals were recorded by Shingler and one each by Todd Vincent, Bobby Darrow and Rich Pattison.

Tough defense was turned in by Kevin Travers, Sean Gucken and Don Lucas while Dave Braeseker, Greg Williams and Don Rose played key penalty-killing roles in the physical championship game.



McCarty rallies for fourth place

## Tired Novi is still proud

You could wrap up the Novi wrestling team's feelings in one word after they finished the Northville Invitational last Saturday — tired.

"I'm proud of my boys for doing as well as they did with so little practice," said Wildcat coach Russ Gardner. "I'm satisfied with how hard they tried. They just ran out of gas."

Because of Novi's extended football season, several wrestlers got a late start on pre-season practice. That lack of conditioning is magnified in an eight-team meet where a grappler may have to wrestle three times in a day.

"By the end of the third period, some of them were just about crawling off the

mat," quipped Gardner in deference to the grueling sport.

Nevertheless, the Wildcats captured two firsts, two seconds and four fourths to finish in the middle of the pack.

This, despite one wrestler missing his weight and two others, John Bosco and Steve Weber, out of action for a week or two.

Jim Stevens got things started right with a victory at 112 pounds. R. J. Bain, wrestling with only two days of practice, pinned two opponents and shut out a third to win at 178 pounds.

Freshman Mike Slasor at 98

pounds and Kevin Mills at 126 pounds finished second.

Fourth place finishers were Tony McCarty (132), Joe Stevens (145), Ken Kardel (191) and Ed Busick (heavyweight).

Tuesday night, the Wildcats opened their home season with a stiff test against powerful Detroit Catholic Central. Thursday, also at home, Novi hosts New Boston, Ida and Monroe.

Saturday, the Wildcats travel to the Country Day tournament where they are the defending champions.

With a week's schedule like that, the conditioning will have to come quick.

## Regionals tonight

The Novi Wildcats, who despite great success in the last four years have never won a regional game, are out to break that streak tonight when they take on Brooklyn Columbia in a 7:30 game at Stockbridge.

"When we get past that first game, we could just start rolling," said Coach Chris Hayward. Tuesday. "I was afraid we might be a little flat after the (Thanksgiving) break, but they are ready to play ball."

"I wish we could have played yesterday."

Novi, now 20-0, will try to break the regional jinx against Brooklyn Columbia, a surprise 30-29 winner over perennially powerful Tecumseh in the district finals.

"In the districts, Brooklyn played two of the teams in our league," said Hayward. "Their coaches feel if we play heads-up ball, we shouldn't have any problems."

If Novi beats Columbia, the

Ladycats advance to Saturday's regional finals, where they will meet the winner of the Okemos-Marshall game in another 7:30 contest.

Novi made the regionals by holding off a late Hartland rally last Tuesday to win the finals in the districts at Dexter, 38-31.

The Ladycats broke out to a 12-4 first quarter lead and led 20-13 at half. But the Eagles took advantage of a third-quarter scoring lapse to narrow the gap to 24-22.

High scorer Annie Robinson hit for eight points in a 14-9 fourth quarter to give Novi a seven-point margin.

Robinson ended the night with 14 points, including 10 of the team's 18 second-half tallies. Dede McAllen and Laura Birou each had eight, Maryann Witzinsky six and Elaine Maki two.

"It was a team effort kind of thing," said Hayward. "They are beginning to rely on everyone."

## Ski club is forming

Going downhill can be fun in winter, and it's even more enjoyable if done with a group.

That's the idea behind the ski club that is being organized through the Northville Recreation Department.

The organizational meeting is tonight (Wednesday) at 7:30 in the recreation department offices. The first outing is already planned for next Wednesday.

Tentative plans, which will be discussed tonight, call for skiing on Wednesday and Friday nights at Alpine Valley.

The club is open to anyone between the ages of 12 and 18. Adult sponsors, who get free passes, are also needed.

On ski nights, buses will leave for Alpine Valley at 4:30 and depart from the lodge at 9:30 on Wednesdays and 11 on Fridays.

Costs include \$1.50 for a

membership card, which along with \$1 for each bus ride, goes toward paying for transportation.

A special group rate allows all-area skiing for \$4 and rentals for \$3.50.

The Alpine Valley program requires everyone to take at least one lesson at a cost of \$1. Those who show proper skiing prowess need only take the first lesson. Then they get a patch which lets them ski on all of the runs.

Other Southeastern Michigan resorts — such as Pine Knob, Mt. Brighton and Mt. Holly — may also be considered for future trips.

Recreation department officials are also planning a first-ever weekend ski trip for late January at a still undecided resort.

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## SEC cage round-up

With the start of the 1976-77 SEC season officially slated for this Friday, there are a wealth of unanswered questions floating around the conference coaches.

Not the least of them is which team is going to win the 1976-77 SEC championship. Milan, which split the title with Ypsilanti Lincoln last year, is one of the teams that each and every conference coach expects to be rough this year.

The problem is that each and every coach figures that there will be three other teams — Novi, Saline, and Brighton — in the running for the conference championship this year.

Here's a rundown of what to expect:

It's hard to go against MILAN in picking the SEC winner. After all, the Big Reds have either won the crown outright or shared it with somebody else in seven of the past nine years.

And Coach Ron Dingman has a pair of all-conference selections returning to boost his 1976-77 chances. The two top Milan players figure to be 6-0 Senior guard Kurt Dingman (that's right, he's the coach's son) and 6-2 senior forward Eric Wurster.

Larry Mason has his three top scorers returning at BRIGHTON which is "more than we've had before by far."

The three returning starters will be the keys for the Bulldogs this year. Dean Clark, a 6-4 forward, was the team's leading scorer last year when he was an honorable mention All-SEC selection.

The name of the game at DEXTER is deciding who will start next to 6-6 senior center Dave Sing and 6-1 senior guard Mark Ianni.

Sing and Ianni are proven ball players respected around the league. The biggest man in the conference, Sing can be an awesome rebounder who can dominate a game, while Ianni is just a very fine ball player who can do everything well, including putting the ball through the cords with regularity.

At SALINE, Coach Jim Bradley is trying to nurse all his walking wounded back to health in time for the start of the season.

Mike McGuire, a 6-3 senior center, is likely to be one of the starters as soon as he recovers from a cut hand. The other two jobs in the forecourt will be handled either by 6-3 transfer student Steve Kendzicky, 6-0 senior co-captain Randy Dunny, or 6-0 senior Jay Jahnke.

SOUTH LYON is hoping to move out of the basement it has held for the past two years, although it should be noted in all fairness that they were tied for last place with Chelsea last year.

With three returning starters coming back, the Lions should be much improved, even though they will have a tough time moving up much farther than sixth place.

At center the Lions will have 6-4 senior Scott Herald returning for action. Job Jorae, a 6-2 senior forward and three-year varsity starter, is also back on the front line. And 5-10 senior guard Ron Siclovian will head up the Lion backcourt.

South Lyon shared the basement with CHELSEA last year, and the two teams will be battling it out for the sixth spot in the standings this year.



Injuries don't stop rough Novi workouts

## Goal for Wildcats is title despite rash of bad luck

If Novi basketball coach Ron Flutur can talk now about challenging for the league crown, just think how the Wildcat mentor would be crowing if:

—Several key ballplayers hadn't missed most of preseason practice because they were playing for the football team in the state semi-finals;

—Sprains, hurt knees and other assorted injuries weren't turning his team into the walking wounded;

—He wasn't opening on the road this Friday against a talented Dexter team without the benefit of a non-league game to iron out early problems

—He didn't have a rugged pre-Christmas schedule of six games in 15 days including four games, three against league foes, in the span of one week.

"The league's going to be tight and what happens at the beginning could drastically affect the final standings," said the fourth-year varsity coach.

"Our guys who played football had their last game on Saturday, their first basketball practice on Monday and their first scrimmage on Tuesday."

With so little time to prepare, there were several phases of the Wildcat game that didn't get tested.

Now the Wildcats must open at Dexter, whom Flutur sees as a darkhorse candidate for the title, before returning home on Saturday for a non-conference game with Clarenceville.

Then comes a whirlwind of games — Chelsea on Friday, at Saline Saturday, at Monroe Catholic Central Tuesday and home against Brighton on Friday.

On top of all this, Scott Parsons — who averaged 21

points a game last year and had a high of 47 — has graduated. But the towel is a long way from being thrown in at Novi.

"On paper we look tough and I think we can be tough," said Flutur, whose 12-9 team last year was the first winning cage squad in Novi's short history.

Returning are seven Wildcats — six seniors and a sophomore — who started at one time or another last year. Best of the bunch may be guard Bill Giorgio, a 5'10" sharpshooter who averaged 18 points a game last year when Parsons wasn't shooting.

In fact, last year's offense often boiled down to Parsons and Giorgio, but Flutur sees more balance this year.

Andy McComas, a 5'11"

guard, was the best defensive player on the team last year and Bob Bannatz, a 6'3" forward and a three-year starter is Mr. Consistent on both ends of the court.

When Bannatz goes to the boards, his biggest competitors may be his teammates, the Pisha brothers.

John, the senior, and "little" brother Dave, the sophomore, were the team's leading rebounders last year as a junior and a freshman. Both are 6'4".

At 6'5", Ken Robinson started a few games last year before illness sidelined him for the season. Another senior, Greg Porter, is a 5'10" guard who was basically the team's sixth man last year. Early injuries make the

bench important where Flutur finds Barry Skown, Kevin Pyant, Bob Blackmer, Dave Barr and Tom Michalak.

The short practice time for some of the squad is nullified somewhat by their experience.

"It's just a matter of making it reaction instead of thinking," said Flutur. "I'm not worried as much about offense as I am about defense. We can't trade baskets and win."

Challengers for the SEC crown include traditionally powerful Milan, Saline and Brighton where last year's top three scorers return.

Novi belongs in that group, too. And, by Christmas the Wildcats should have a good idea of where they stand.

## New coach, old strength for Northville swimmers

No team at Northville High School has been more successful than the boys' swimming team.

Under head coach Ben Lauber, the Mustangs won 96 dual meets and lost only 8, won four Western Six titles, were runners-up twice and won the Class B state title in 1973.

Lauber retired after winning the Western Six Crown last winter, but the Mustangs should be as strong as ever this year.

"We have more talent now than we did in 1973," said Randy Roggenbuck, one of only six seniors on a team which should easily defend its league crown.

Into this pleasant situation steps the pleasant Ron Meteyer. A former assistant to Lauber, the 28-year-old teaches biology and conservation at the high school.

"It's a hard act to follow, and there'll be pressure to win," admitted Meteyer, "but I overcome the pressure by the sheer fun of what I'm doing."

Although he didn't swim competitively while attending Eastern Michigan University, Meteyer and his wife, Barb, coached the Cooke Middle School Swim team two years back.

In addition, Meteyer teaches swimming for the YMCA and Red Cross.

Meteyer knows swimming and he knows his team, and he knows he's going to have a whale of a swimming team.

"We have strength in the front line, plus depth, and we're a young team, mostly sophomores and juniors."

"I don't think it's outside the realm of possibility for us to place at least one person in each event in the state meet," he said quite confidently.

Meteyer said the strength of the team will be the 200-yard medley relay, comprised of Roggenbuck, juniors Carl Hayne and Mark Yanoschik, and sophomore Matt Sullivan.

"We have kids right behind these four who are only one second off behind them," adds the first year coach.

Other boys expected to have strong years for the Mustangs are, the Cahill brothers, sophomore twins Tom and Tim, and Senior Jim. They swim everything, as does senior Jim Wright.

Junior Steve Pyett comes off the links where he was an all-conference golfer to swim the breaststroke. He'll get good competition from sophomore Bob Simone.

Bill Lockwood, yet another

sophomore, is a fine back-stroker.

The team's weak link will be diving, where all leaguers Joe Devereaux and Scott Knapp have graduated.

But Meteyer said that he has been approached by a lot of transfer students about swimming and hopes that a diver may emerge from the still unknown and untested newcomers.

"I couldn't ask for a better situation coming in," Meteyer said.

"I've worked with the boys and I have never seen a better and more talented group assembled in one pool at one time."

Northville opens the season in December at Walled Lake Central and then opens its home season later when super powerful Plymouth Salem visits.

"They were the only team to beat us last year and we're out for blood in this one. If there's one match I want, it's that one," said Meteyer.

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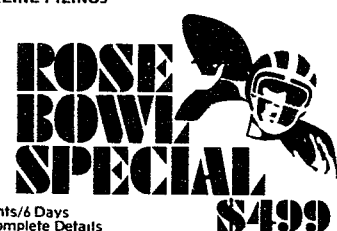
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## Athletes of the Week



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ANNIE ROBINSON



R.J. BAIN

Tony Armada was expected to be a key part of Northville's basketball season and the veteran forward showed why in the Mustang opener at South Lyon. He scored 14 points on six of ten from the floor and two-for-two at the line, grabbed five rebounds, had two steals and two assists. He's a senior.

When Hartland rallied to within two points during last week's district finals, sophomore Annie Robinson took control by scoring eight of the last 14 Novi points to lead the Ladycats to a 38-31 victory. The 5'11" senior scored 11 points the night before in limited action during Novi's win over Chelsea.

Novi's R. J. Bain had only four days of practice but that didn't stop him from taking first in the 178 pound weight class at the Northville Invitational on Saturday. Bain pinned two opponents, including Norm Pratt of Northville, and then shut out Crestwood's Mark Szmigiel in his final victory.

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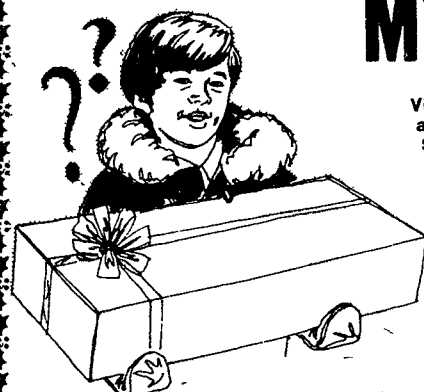
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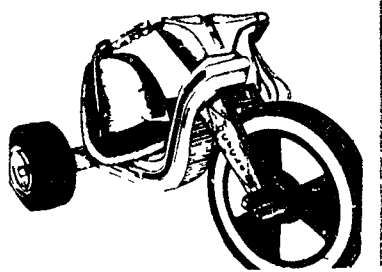
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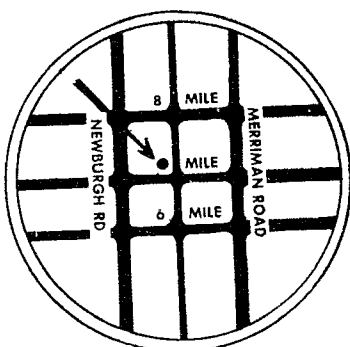
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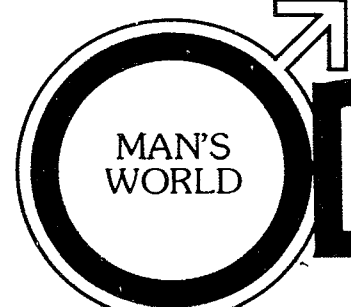
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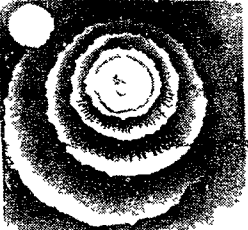


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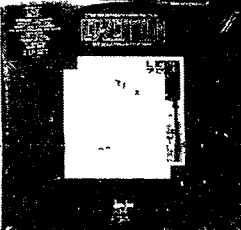


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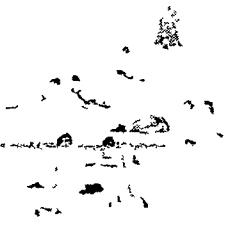
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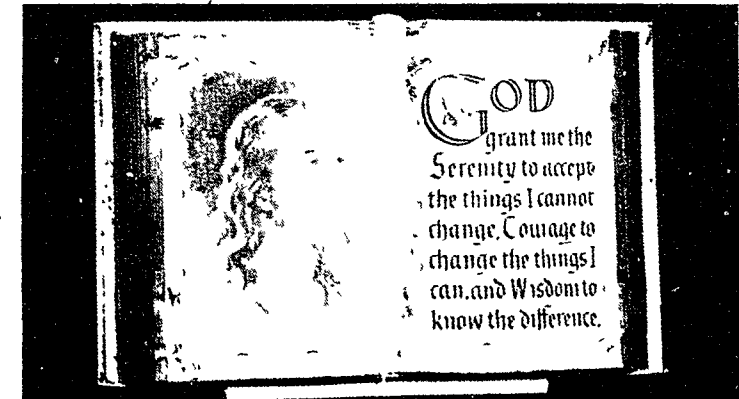
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## Meadowbrook Road area

## 1970 ruling aids medical clinic

A consent judgment entered into in 1970 has paved the way toward issuance of a building permit for construction of a medical clinic on

Meadowbrook Road north of 10-Mile in Novi. The building permit for the medical clinic was requested by Dr. Terry Neilson, a Novi

dentist who said he is seeking to put in a clinic with "all types of medical people." The proposed clinic property is located on the east side of Meadowbrook Road just north of Beverley Manor.

At one time the property was zoned R-4 multiple which allowed medical centers and convalescent homes. The zoning ordinance then was changed to add R2-A multiple which did not allow medical centers. Later, to consolidate the zoning ordinance and drop one of the multiple designations, the council eliminated the R-4 zoning and changed all those areas to R2-A.

When the owners (Philip and Gladys Langwald) of the property on Meadowbrook Road learned of the change, they went to court and reached a consent judgment that required the city of Novi to give them a building permit for a medical clinic.

However, the medical center was never constructed. A letter from City Attorney David Fried to the council indicates several arguments against issuing a building permit at this point. First, material changes in surrounding property can have legal standing in making a past ruling no longer valid. Secondly, the building permit was to be issued to the

Langwalds and a building permit is a non-assignable document.

However, Fried wrote that "all of the above legal arguments, in my opinion, are arguments that can be raised but, in my opinion, are not such arguments that I favor because they avoid the real substantive issue as to whether a building permit should be issued for a medical clinic on the subject property."

"If you believe the present zoning (RM-1 multiple) is valid and you feel there can be no purpose served for the benefit of the community for the prospective buyer to assume the rights, then you can observe the letter of the law that it applies only to Langwald," explained Fried at the council meeting.

Councilman Robert Schmid said that "If this is not legal, then I'm concerned about giving everyone the same

chance for a public hearing. Why should not the public be entitled to a public hearing if this is not a legal document that can be upheld in the courts?"

Council member Romaine Roethel countered, "I really think by court action this land was rezoned for a medical clinic."

Councilman Philip Goodman, an attorney, said that he could not vote in favor of the building permit being issued until he had the reasons behind the consent judgment.

"If we agree to this, we're rezoning this property and I wonder if neighboring property owners could question our reasons for this," said Goodman. "I don't feel we're handling it the right way."

Fried explained that while the effect of issuing a building permit is rezoning, "the council is not rezoning it."

Council voted 5-2 in favor of issuance of the building permit with Goodman and Schmid opposed.

## CITY OF NOVI

## NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that there are three vacancies existing on the Beautification Commission.

Any citizen who is interested in serving on this Commission should submit a resume to the City Clerk, 43315 Sixth Gate, Novi, Michigan, 48050. Anyone desiring further information may contact the City Clerk.

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## Regenhardt

## in concert

John Regenhardt of Northville will participate in a concert today (December 1) at Kalamazoo College Music Department.

The program by the Chamber Orchestra and Wind Ensemble will include music by Vivaldi, Samuel Barber and Franz Anton Rosetti and the Suite from "The Nutcracker" by Tchaikovsky.

Regenhardt, who plays the clarinet at Kalamazoo College, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Regenhardt of 44428 Cottisford Road.

## Powell receives

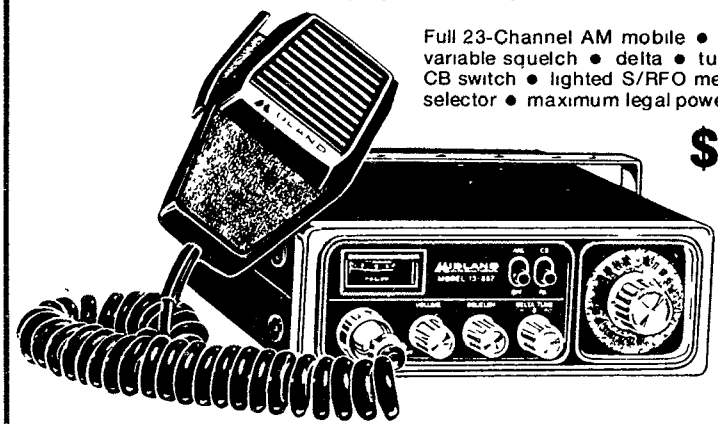
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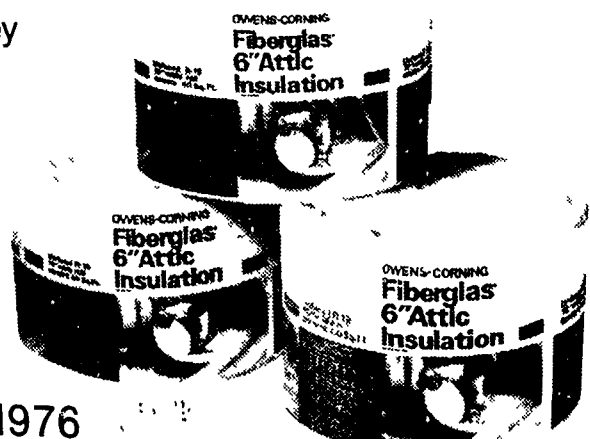
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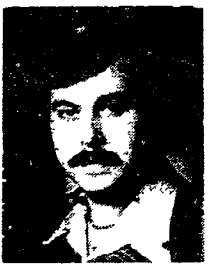
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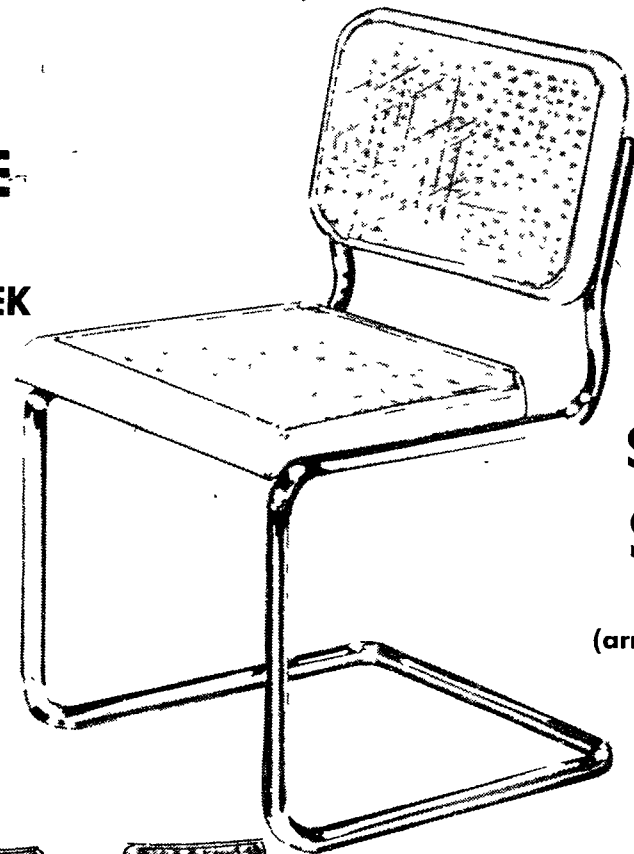


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work one day a week. Here, Jack Riggs gets information from Alice Williams (left), Nancy Gray, Ann Bischoff and Margaret Denhof. Potential employers and volunteers to staff the office should call Michael Burley at 349-3400.

# Beautification survey begins

Northville's celebration of Michigan Week won't come until spring, but one of the highlights of the local program — beautification citations — is already in the works.

Members of the Northville Beautification Commission this week began the first of two surveys of the community to grade business, industry and public facilities on their appearance.

Commission members will

again survey and grade appearances next spring before finally deciding winners of beautification awards.

The awards are made annually at the Michigan Week luncheon program sponsored by the Northville Rotary Club on Our Government Day in the spring.

"Report cards" used by the commission, according to Chairman Paul Vernon, will provide for four grade levels

— 0, unacceptable; 1-2, acceptable; 3-4, above average; and 5-6, outstanding.

Five categories will be judged: auto service, business (landscaped), business (sidewalk-fronts), industry, and special. The latter includes public buildings, including churches.

To survey the community, two commission members have been assigned specific sections of the community this fall. When completed,

each of these sections will have been covered by two different teams.

Here, for example, are the fall inspection assignments: Bea Carlson and Ted Mapes, northwest and southeast sections; Ann Brueck and Vernon, southeast and northwest sections; Ruth Burkman and Wilson Funk, northeast and southwest sections; and Norma Vernon and Milo Hunt, southwest and northeast sections.

Assignments for the spring survey will be alternated so that when it is completed, each inspection team will have visited all four sections of the community, explained Vernon.

Guidelines for judging include:

Overall appearance — Is the property attractive and eye catching? Does the

appearance make you want to patronize the business? Is the building in good repair? Are paint, siding, trim in good condition? If there is a business sign is it in good condition? If there are driveways and parking areas are the surfaces in good repair?

Windows — Are the windows clean? Are the windows free from excessive advertising materials? If merchandise is displayed in the windows are they uncluttered looking?

Landscaping — If there is landscaping is it neat and in good condition? Is adequate use made of landscaping possibilities? Is the lawn neat and well groomed?

Sanitation of property — Is the property free from litter? Is the outside refuse storage area neat and orderly.

## Priority subcommittee suggests recreation needs

One of the charges of Novi's Needs and Assessment Priority Committee is parks and recreation — oftentimes considered one of the lower priorities in the city.

While it may be changed and updated before final submission to the city council, a subcommittee report on parks and recreation has been submitted to the committee as a whole and outlines where priorities should be placed as far as recreational needs and facilities.

According to Lloyd Conklin, chairman of the subcommittee, a survey of the youth in the community was made with the cooperation of the Novi School District. The survey asked the students, primarily, to name their two favorite activities.

Following are the results of that question: football, 12.23 percent; swimming, 11.43 percent; baseball, 8.49 percent; tennis, 6.72 percent; basketball 6.40 percent; horseback riding, 6.40 percent; bowling, 6.33 percent; roller skating, 3.50 percent; hockey, 3.46 percent; and skiing, 2.90 percent.

Others in order were ice

skating, bike riding, gymnastics, motorcycling, soccer, volleyball, golf, snowmobiling, badminton, track events, hunting. There were 36 other activities mentioned by at least one student.

"The youth of our community, without means of transport to regional parks, will certainly be the prime users of local city provided park and recreation areas, thus toward that end a Youth Survey was generated which solicited such information from the youth in our community," said Conklin's report.

The report recommends that money be allocated for the creation or maintenance of facilities supporting swimming, baseball and softball, tennis, basketball, hockey and ice skating.

The report notes that football facilities are available almost anywhere for a "pick-up" game while horseback riding, bowling, roller skating and skiing are largely commercial in nature. The report suggests that with horseback riding and bowling facilities available, "perhaps monies could be expended

buying blocks of time from these facilities allowing Novi youth to use these facilities free of charge or for a nominal charge."

The report suggests also that "park land should be developed with diamonds supporting baseball and or softball, tennis courts and basketball courts, with the tennis courts and basketball courts built-up to allow flooding and freezing in the winter months, supporting hockey and ice skating."

In addition, the report calls the beach at Walled Lake and the swimming pool at the new high school "our two most precious resources". It recommends maintenance to make the park attractive as possible.

In addition, "monies should also be allocated helping the Novi Community Schools maintain, staff and operate the swimming pool at the new high school, keeping the swimming pool available to the youth and adults of the community on a year round basis, with school administration having pre-emptive facility scheduling rights when school is in session."

## Novi slates workshops

Two workshops on the same topic, "Listening with children; How to Effectively Listen to Children and to get them to Listen to You" are coming at Novi Woods Elementary in December.

The sessions, conducted by Novi Woods kindergarten teacher Dennis Lampron, will be held Friday, December 3 from 1-3 p.m. and Monday, December 6 from 7-9 p.m.

Sponsored through the Title One pre-primary pilot program, the workshops are open to the general public and will be held in the community room of the school, which is located on Taft Road.

Other workshops planned for the future include "Reading Readiness", "Math Readiness", "Television and its Effects on You, Your Children and Society", and "Discipline and the Young Child".

## In concert

Timothy Shaughnessy of Northville will participate in the winter Festival Concert featuring the University of Michigan-Dearborn Symphonic Wind Ensemble and Concert Band December 10.

The 8:30 p.m. concert will be held at the Harry S. Truman Center, located next to Cherry Hill High School in Inkster. Shaughnessy plays the trumpet.

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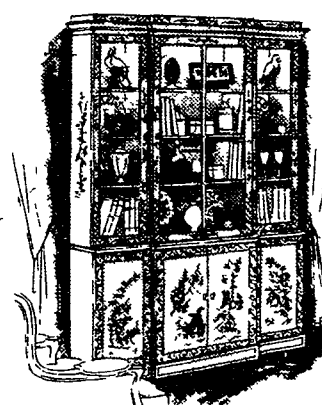


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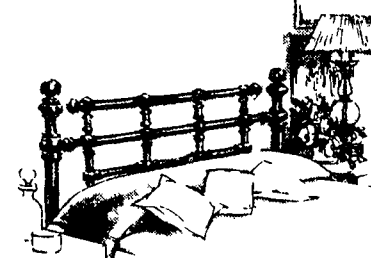
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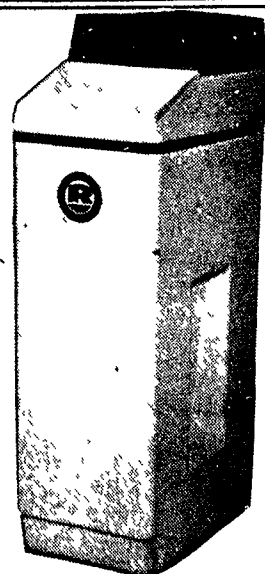
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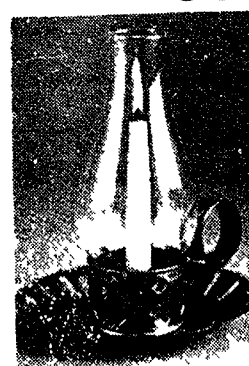
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located just inside Novi, a short distance west of the newly opened I-96 freeway. The greeters are (l to r) Ann Smailis, Mary Horn, Susan Buck, Diane Murphy, Mary Robinson and Helen Smirnow.

### Elderly job hunter ends

With the resignation of its coordinator just a month before funding was to expire, the Retiree Placement Service program has been discontinued at Schoolcraft College.

According to Coordinator Yvonne Cassidy, the program funded through the Comprehensive Employment Training Act (CETA) had been created to assist retired

persons 50 and older obtain meaningful part-time or temporary employment. Approximately 200 persons had registered with the service, since it began in January, and almost half of these were placed.

The service successfully referred mature, dependable, experienced people to employers with hard-to-fill jobs. This enabled employers

to hire retired management professionals, clerical workers, salespeople, service workers and skilled tradespeople.

With the closing of the Schoolcraft service, Ms. Cassidy suggests that retirees and employers should now contact the Michigan Employment Securities Commission or local employment agencies.

### New college fund honors Jan Reef

An endowment fund in the names of Jan and Nelly Reef of Northville has been established by the Schoolcraft College Foundation to assist senior adult students.

An initial \$2,000 donated by the college's board of trustees on November 17. Interest earnings will be used for scholarships and loans to senior adult students on the basis of need.

Reef is a native of the Netherlands by birth, and an "American by choice" since 1921. He has lived in Northville since 1955 where he founded and operates the Reef Manufacturing Company.

Apart from other significant contributions to his community, Reef has been a special friend and supporter of Schoolcraft, especially in his work with the Foundation. He was a charter member and trustee in 1966, a vice president from 1968 through 1970, and president during 1971-72.

In April of 1972, Reef was awarded an honorary associate in applied science degree by the college. Since that year he has also served on its senior adult advisory committee.

The Foundation encourages

### Five from area perform Sunday

A piano and organ recital which will include five students from Novi is planned for 2 p.m. Sunday, December 5 at the Tel Twelve Mall Community Room.

Approximately 30 students under the instructional guidance of Denise Ward of Novi will be playing a variety of music in the "Piano and Organ Winter Concert".

Students from Novi participating are: Mark Ortwine, Mark Depollo, Annie Hwang, Gao Sarnsethstri and Tammy Plunkett.

### 2 get degrees at Oakland U

Two Northville students are among 290 Oakland University students who received degrees at the September 18 commencement exercises.

Beverly M. McKenzie, 18819 Jamestown received her Master of Arts in Teaching for elementary education. Joseph Benstein, 19511 Dartmouth, received the same degree for special education.

From Livonia, Barbara Sutherland, 35171 Parkdale received a Bachelor of Arts Degree in psychology while Judith Higbee received a Master of Arts in Teaching for elementary education.



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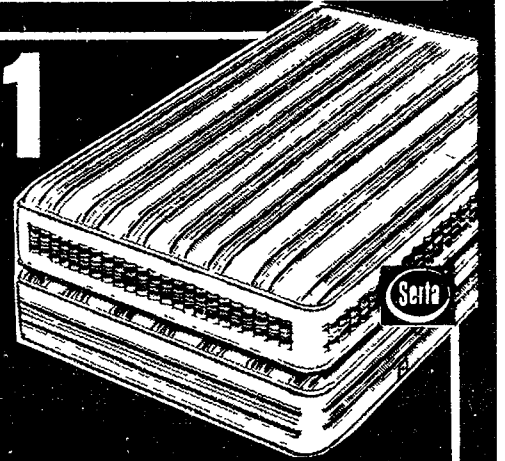
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# She's hooked on seashells

By JEAN DAY

Shells. They're free to beachcombers yet they have an intrinsic value and beauty that keep collectors fascinated.

"Not even the great museums have complete collections," points out Northville collector Elva Miller.

She's one of a growing number of "shell appreciators" who gather, display and make handcrafts of shells.

Many of Mrs. Miller's shells, she told Base Line Questers at their November meeting, have been gathered on Florida vacations with her husband, John, on Sanibel and Captiva islands.

"They're not the product of human hands or brains but the work of lowly creatures," she says, explaining her interest.

"Everyone," she adds, "should read Anne Morrow Lindbergh's 'Gift from the Sea' relating shells to life."

She pointed out also to the antique study club that shells were a first collector's item as excavations show that primitive man used univalve shells for pots and clam shells for receptacles.

Today collectors seek out delicate floral bouquets under domes that were created of shells in Victorian days and "sailor valentines" that were shadow boxes of shell scenes or floral arrangements.

Even the shells themselves are collectibles, especially the choice chambered nautilus from the Mediterranean or the cowrie or turkey or strawberry. Such names as these, plus conch, coquina and worm, star or moon shells, are familiar to serious collectors.

The names usually are a reflection of their appearance.

In displaying her chambered nautilus shell Mrs. Miller told her fellow club members she bought it to have in her collection. There are shell shops selling many varieties in the South, she said.

They're a home decoration when collected and displayed in wicker baskets or arranged artistically in shadow-box coffee tables. They can become part of the decor when combined with fisherman's netting, seaweed and starfish.

She showed how they can be displayed in a wall arrangement with black velvet backing in a deep frame.

Shells, especially small varieties, are loved by those clever with their hands.

Mrs. Miller displayed her conch shell earrings and a necklace with shells encased in gold wires.

Craftsmen, she said, glue coquina shells to wires to create pussy willows and other shell flowers. Tiny ones can cover boxes completely and attractively.

Others, she added, have even covered lampshades.

For shells collected on beaches, she advised boiling and then cleaning out deposits. Then, using tongs, they should be dipped into a water solution with muriatic acid.

Shells are a particularly good collectible, Mrs. Miller told her club, because they're practically injury-free and keep forever.

And if you get "hooked" on this hobby you may be like others who have created entire grotto rooms lined with shells.



Elva Miller displays her conch shell earrings



Mrs. Miller shows how shells are a coffee table focal point in her Valencia Road home

Shells are decorative just arranged in a basket, says the collector



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## New hardware opens in March

Construction of the new neighborhood shopping center at the corner of Novi Road and Allen Drive is expected to be completed by March, owners Roy and William Bushie said this week.

Construction began in October.

The L-shaped center will be located on two acres of property on the southwest corner of the intersection. Entrance will be off Allen Drive.

Central business to be located in the center will be a Bushie hardware store, occupying 8,000 of the 13,000 square foot facility.

Negotiations with other potential tenants are continuing.

According to William Bushie, who will manage the hardware business, the owners are hopeful to attract a druggist, bakery and perhaps a real estate office to the center.

The center will contain five businesses in all.

It will provide sufficient parking space to accommodate 85 cars.

Featuring a brown brick with bronze-colored appointments, the building will have a mansard roof.

The new facility will include special conveniences for handicapped to meet the state's new barrier free law. Among these will be ramps, special toilet facilities, and reserved parking privileges.

Special attention also has been given to prevent any restriction and pollution of the stream that passes the center, emphasized Williams, and to maximize the beautification of the fencing between the center and the adjacent home in Village Green subdivision.

Member of the Sentry Buying Group, the two existing Bushie hardware stores are located in Redford and in Birmingham. The Redford store has been in existence for some 40 years, the Birmingham store for 17 years.

## Needles flying to aid library

Needles are flying at the Northville Library as the Friends of the Library busily stitch away at a red and black patchwork quilt.

Every Wednesday morning from 9 a.m. until noon, members of the organization gather at the frame set up in the brightly lighted room to work on the quilt.

Upon its completion, the quilt will be used to raise funds for future projects of the Friends.

Anyone interested in helping on the project may sign up at the library. Those who would like to learn how to quilt should plan to attend a Wednesday morning session.

## Library hosts a storyteller

A special guest storyteller, dramatizing the famous stories of the season, will be an extra treat this year at the Children's Christmas Party at the Northville Public Library.

The party is scheduled for Saturday, December 11 from 9:30 until 11 a.m. in the library. Two short animated films, "Christmas Cracker" and "A Christmas Dream", will also be featured.

Punch and cookies will be served by the Friends of the Library.

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## Tickets on sale in Novi

# Detroit group stars in jazz ensemble

Advance tickets are currently on sale for the Brookside Jazz Ensemble, a Detroit group of professional musicians which will be performing at 7:30 p.m. Monday, December 6 at Novi High School.

Sponsored for the performance by The Novi Foundation of the Performing Arts, the Brookside Jazz Ensemble will be playing music from such well known arrangers and composers as Maynard Ferguson, Stan Kenton, Buddy Rich, Woody Herman, Thad Jones and Mel Lewis.

In addition, the ensemble will be playing arrangements of the co-leader and music director Craig Strain. His

name should be familiar to Novi residents who know of him as the music coordinator and bandmaster at Novi High School. Equally recognizable to area music buffs is Michael Rumbell, Northville High School bandmaster who is also a member of the Brookside Jazz Ensemble.

Each summer the Brookside group performs at the Pontchartrain Hotel by the pool in a jazz series known as P-Jazz and it's not unusual for 1700 music lovers to see the concerts.

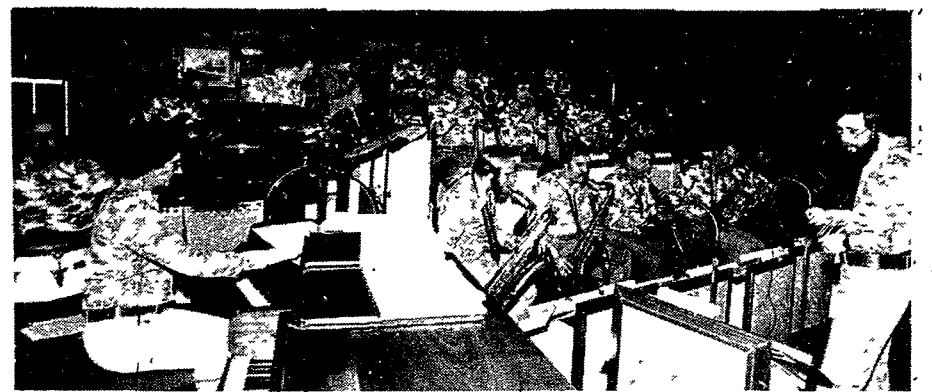
The group also performs four times a year at Cranbrook Academy, its home base. In its sixth year performing concerts at the

Academy, the ensemble has never failed to sell out.

Curt Newmann III is the co-leader of the group and plays baritone sax and handles organizational chores while Strain takes care of the musical aspects such as running rehearsals, writing charts and fronting band, as well as playing trumpet and flugelhorn.

Advance tickets for the Novi concert are available at Meadowbrook Drug Store and Security Bank of Novi, both on 10 Mile near Meadowbrook. Cost is \$3 in advance and \$3.50 at the door.

Novi High School is located on Taft Road between Grand River and 10 Mile Roads.



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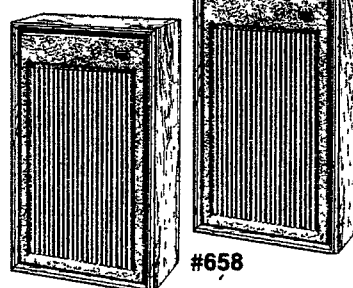


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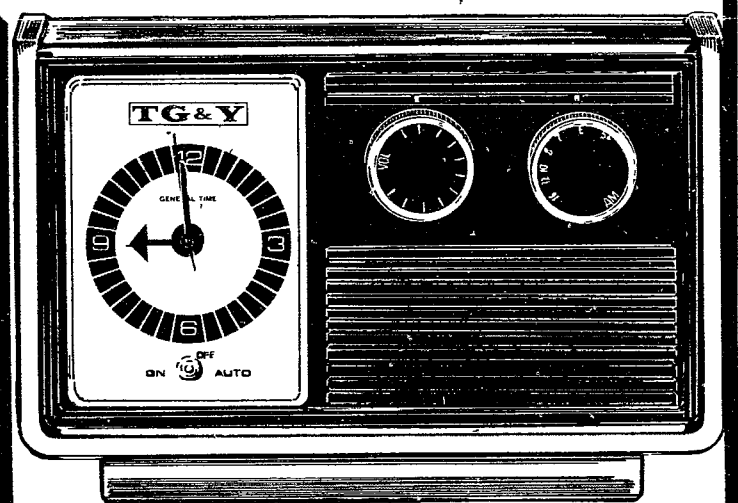
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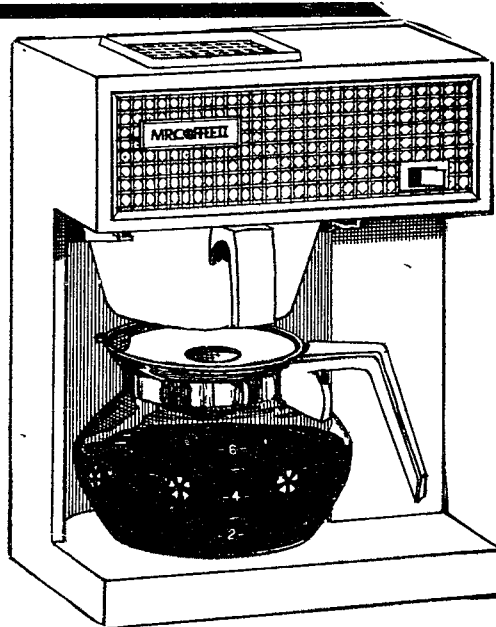


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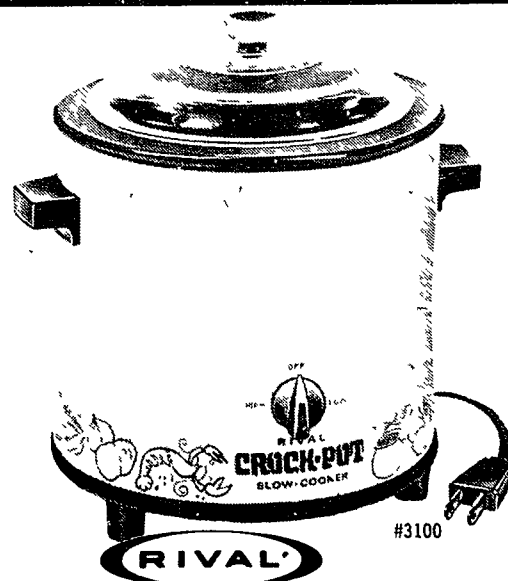
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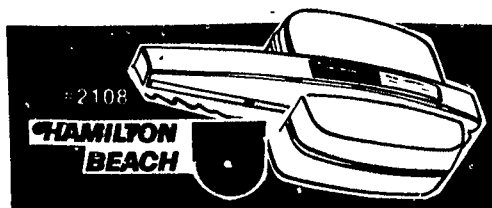


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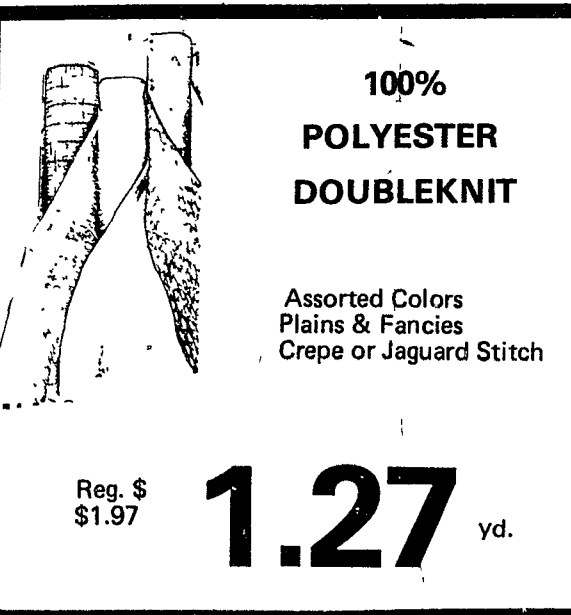
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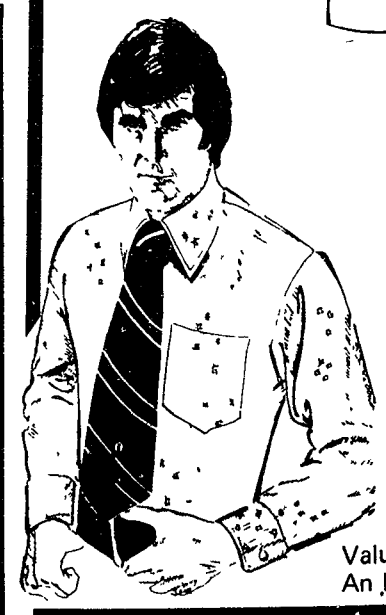
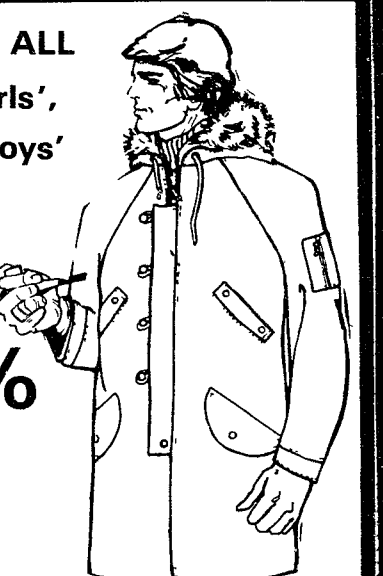
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Various items will be auctioned off individually, until the unpaid taxes are received, at which time the auction will be ended regardless of whether all items have been sold.

The Drawbridge will be open beginning at 9:00 a.m. for inspection of the items to be auctioned, and the auction will begin promptly at 10:00 a.m.

Items may be taken by the successful bidders upon payment by cash or certified check.

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# Eye biggest Allen Terrace hurdle

Fingers are crossed as the city eyes the last and perhaps biggest hurdle in the path of Northville's proposed senior citizens housing development — Allen Terrace.

That hurdle is the sale of bonds to finance construction. Bond bids are slated to be received by the Northville Building Authority on December 16.

If those bids come in substantially higher than hoped for, the project could be delayed, modified or even scrapped, "according to officials.

Bids for six-percent or lower interest on the \$2 million plus bond project would signal its success. But if those bids push the seven-percent mark or go even higher, it could spell trouble for Allen Terrace.

Meanwhile, however, all the other major steps in making the 101-unit apartment complex a reality have been taken.

Bids on all but a few of the trades and equipment have been accepted and potential contractors notified, preliminary site preparation authorized, and the Michigan Municipal Finance Commission has given the project its green light.

Although earliest completion of the project is not anticipated until late next year, an estimated 300 applications already have been received from senior citizens wishing to live in the apartments.

Most of these applications, according to City Manager Steven Walters, have come from non-city residents. City

resident senior citizens will receive a top priority rating — although specific prioritizing has not yet been established.

Allen Terrace is to be located on an 11-acre city-owned site just south of the high school on property that formerly housed the Eastlawn Convalescent Center. It will face south toward Randolph Street, in a wooded setting on the slope of what historically is called Buchner hill.

Targeted rental for these apartments initially was put at about \$200 per month, but escalating costs could force this monthly rent upward to \$215 or \$220, it is believed.

Part of this increase reflects a decision by the Building Authority and the Northville Housing Commission to provide for central air-conditioning in the

heating system for the development. Initially, provisions for independent air conditioning units were to be made optional at added cost.

To keep rental costs down and to offset any greater than anticipated financing cost, the Building Authority will have some flexibility of cutting costs by going to alternative bid materials and building modifications.

However, to remove some of the planned special touches "that make this building particularly pleasing looking and functional" will be a painful recourse for the Housing Commission, which conceived the project and has been involved with its planning since its inception.

Typical of the kinds of provisions that could be removed if necessary is the

planned closed circuit television system, according to the manager.

This system will permit senior citizens to observe people, appearing at the central entrance to the locked facility, who would like to visit them in their rooms. It also would facilitate a more functional social program for senior citizen residents.

Each morning, for example, the Allen Terrace manager could review over television the various activities planned for the day in the complex and in the community for senior citizens. Also, it would mean that if a senior citizen was not feeling well, he or she could watch a performance of a visiting chorus or band over television from his or her room.

What could prove to be equally painful for Housing Commission members are the priorities for occupancy. Hard decisions will have to be made, explained the manager, and some of those decisions may generate some public controversy.

For example, if city residency is to be a top priority (since city residents will be helping to pay for the complex through their taxes), what about those senior citizens who have lived in the city for many years and only recently found housing elsewhere but who would like to return to Northville? Should they receive a higher priority than other non-residents?

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## Community Calendar

### TODAY, DECEMBER 1

Daytime TOPS, 1 p.m., 215 West Cady  
Northville Senior Citizens Club, 1 p.m., Kerr House  
Junior Civitans, 7 p.m., Park Haus  
American Legion Auxiliary Juniors, 7 p.m., post home  
Northville Camera Club, "Architectural Details" competition, 7:30 p.m., Northville Square  
Northville Weight Watchers, 7:30 p.m., Innsbrook clubhouse  
Northville City Appeals Board, 8 p.m., council chambers  
Northville PTSO, 8 p.m., high school cafeteria  
Northville Snowdrifters, 8 p.m., 202 West Main  
VFW Auxiliary Post 4012, 8 p.m., VFW hall  
Novi Athletic Boosters, 8 p.m., high school  
We-Way-Co Sweet Adelines, 8 p.m., Epiphany Lutheran Church

### THURSDAY, DECEMBER 2

Novi Rotary, noon, Farmington Holiday Inn  
Northville schools, curriculum study, no afternoon classes  
Highland Lakes Women's Club, 1 p.m., clubhouse  
Silver Springs PTA, Dr. Edward Pino, 7:30 p.m., school  
Novi Youth Assistance Committee, 8 p.m., Holy Cross Church  
Northville Civitans, 8 p.m., King's Mill clubhouse  
Northville Knights of Columbus, 8 p.m., OLV basement

### FRIDAY, DECEMBER 3

Overeaters Anonymous, 12:30 p.m., 215 West Cady  
Northville Woman's Club, 1:30 p.m., Presbyterian Church  
Orient Chapter, OES, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple

### SATURDAY, DECEMBER 4

Mill Race Village open, 1-4 p.m., off Griswold, also Sunday  
Northville library film festival, "King Kong," 2 p.m., Square community room  
Modern Squares, 7:30 p.m., Northville Square

### SUNDAY, DECEMBER 5

Square dance, teens, 1 p.m., adult beginners 6 p.m., workshop, 8:30 p.m., Northville Square

### MONDAY, DECEMBER 6

Alpha Nu, DKG, 6 p.m., Hillside Inn  
St. Paul's Lutheran paper drive, 6-8 p.m., Seven Mile by party store  
Northville Kiwanis, 6:30 p.m., Old Mill  
Northville Boy Scout Troop 721, 7 p.m., OLV  
Newcomers' craft night, 7:30 p.m., Mill Race  
TOPS, 7:30 p.m., 215 West Cady  
Northville Blue Lodge, F & AM, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple  
Northville Lions, 7:30 p.m., Wagon Wheel  
Northville City Council, 8 p.m., council chambers  
Novi City Council, 8 p.m., school board offices  
Novi Library Board, 8 p.m., library  
Northville Mothers' Club, 6:30 p.m., 18262 Arselot

### TUESDAY, DECEMBER 7

Northville Rotary, noon, Presbyterian Church  
Novi Weight Watchers, 7 p.m., Living Lord Lutheran Church  
Novi Jaycees, 7:30 p.m., Farmington Holiday Inn  
Salem Township Board, 8 p.m., town hall  
Northville City Planning Commission, 8 p.m., council chambers  
NESPO, 8 p.m., Novi Elementary  
Northville Eagles Auxiliary, 8 p.m., 113 South Center

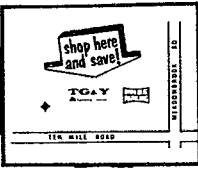
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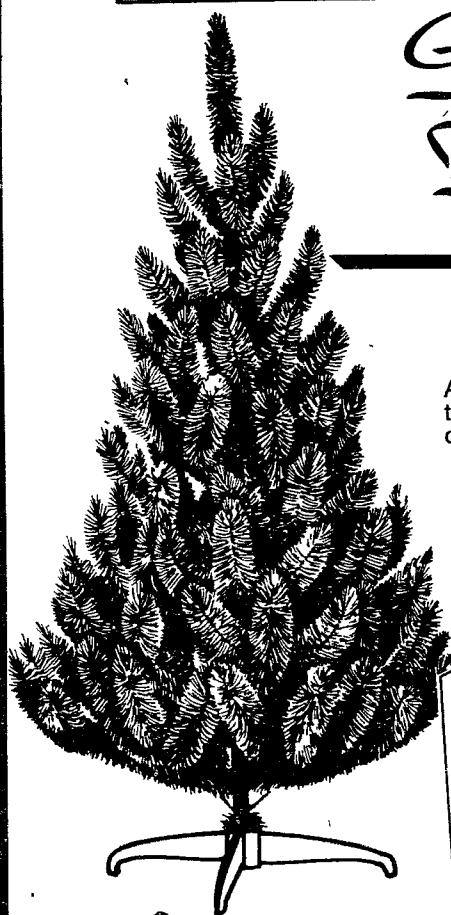
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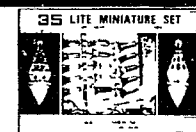
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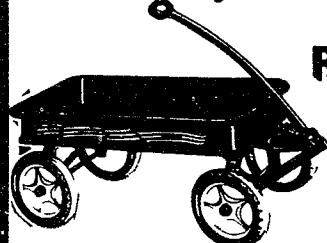
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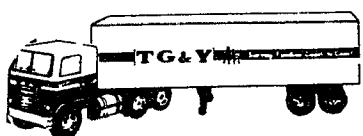


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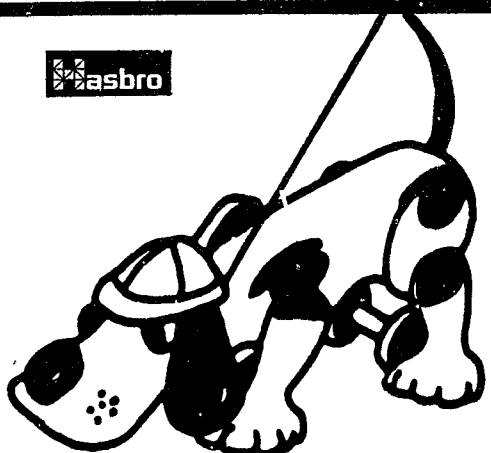
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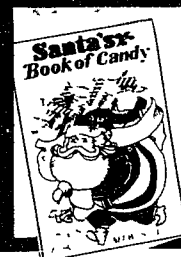
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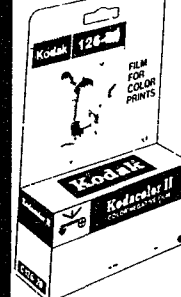


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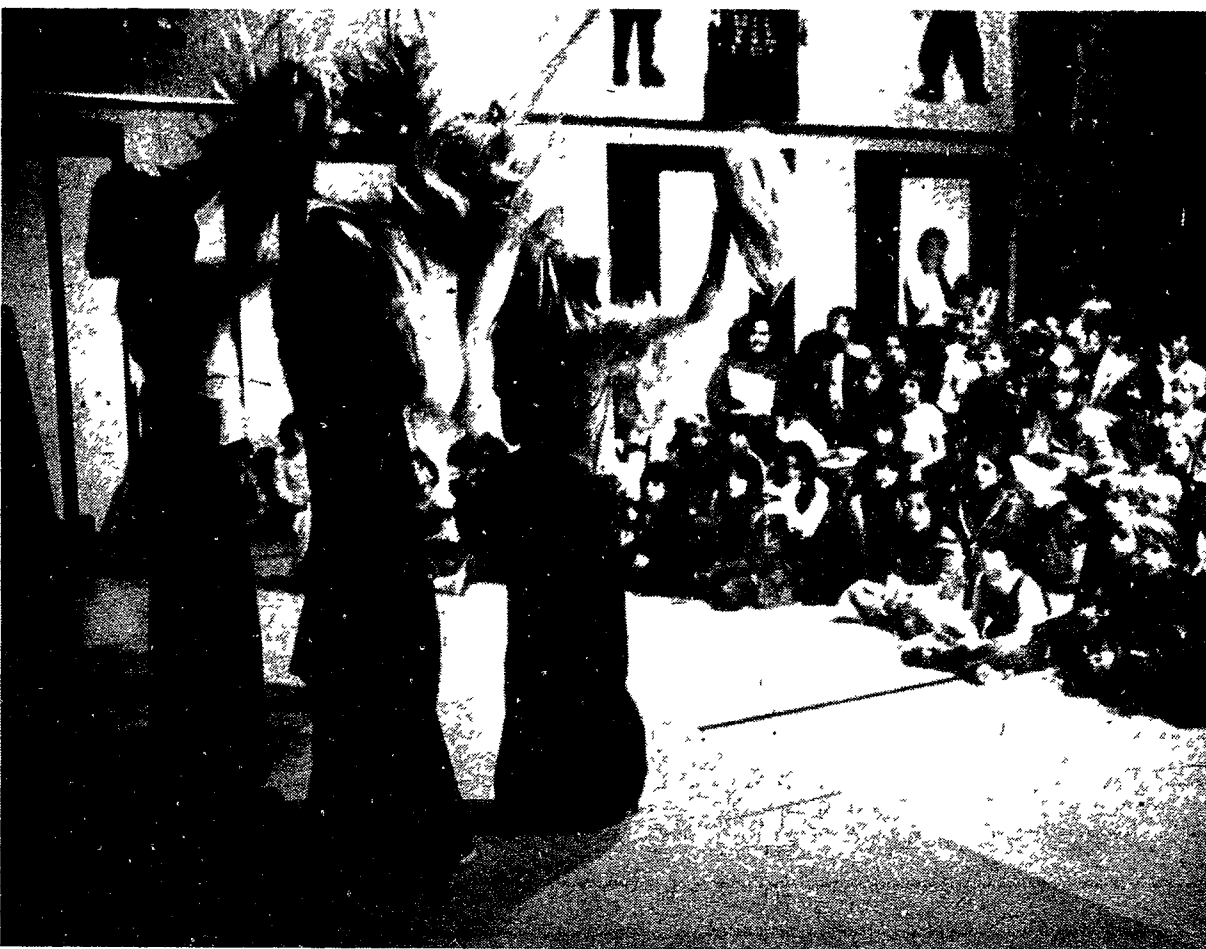
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## New post home planned by VFW

Erection of a new post home with a seating capacity in excess of 400 is in the plans for the new VFW post in Novi.

Grand River Post number 1519 was chartered during the depression days in northwest Detroit January 13, 1930. Recently it moved its charter to Novi and has purchased property at 39935 Grand River for the new post home.

Surprisingly commander Bronko Krovokucha points out this is the first time in the 46 year history of the post that the Grand River Post has actually been located on Grand River. Since 1941 the post has been located on Lesure Avenue in Detroit back-to-back with the Schafer Police Station. That post home was sold earlier this year to a church group.

"This move will enable us to expand into the suburbs where a preponderance of our membership has moved and, in turn, will give Novi, a vital and growing community, a veterans organization," stressed Commander Krovokucha. "We have come to Novi and we like the warm welcome we have received from the citizens and the civil government.

Present membership of the post is in excess of 250 with the roster reading like a Who's Who of VFW. The roster is loaded with past state and national officers including Past State Commander and retired Detroit Corporation Council G. Edwin Slater, Senator Phil Hart, Judge Horace Gilmore, retired Wayne County Probation Officer Eugene Sage and his son Assistant Wayne County Prosecutor Robert Sage.

Post meetings are held on

the third Wednesday each month at the Novi Community Center, 26360 Novi Road.

All eligible veterans are invited to join the Grand River Post and inquiries should be directed to the post home, temporarily located in the home on the post property. Call 476-8348 any Friday or Saturday evening or Monday between 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. Eligibility is based upon campaign medal service in the Spanish American War, WWI, WWII, Korea or Vietnam

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home of Florence Wyatt. Members will exchange Christmas gifts. Plans will be made for the tree trimming Christmas party at the Veterans' Hospital in Ann Arbor.

Cub Scout Pack No. 239

A reminder of the pack meeting with the theme, Rule America, at Village Oaks School at 7:30 p.m. Thursday. There will be a committee meeting December 16 at the home of Connie Webster when the plans will be made for the monthly outing. Anyone wishing to get in the drawing for the C.B. radios should do so before December 2.

Cub Scout Pack No. 240

Tonight (Wednesday) is the committee meeting for Pack 240 at Orchard Hills School. On the agenda will be establishing the 1977 budget and reviewing the charter. Additional plans will be made for the mystery trip to Metro

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Novi Rotary

"Bend in the River," a movie concerning the importance of wills, was presented at a recent Rotary Club meeting by Dave Morse. Plans are being made to have John and Mary Richter to talk about the history of

Novi Thursday. On December 9 there will be a Rotary International slide presentation.

A committee of Bob Stiles, Jim Broderick and Jerry Kratz are planning the Senior Citizens Christmas party to be held at 11:30 a.m. December 16 in Novi middle school.

National Campers and Hikers

"Rarin' to Go," the local

chapter has made plans for the December meeting. It will be at the home of new secretary MNuriel Yordy on December 12 and will be a potluck dinner.

The date of the meeting has been changed from the regularly scheduled third week in the month because of conflicting Christmas plans. This group is open to anyone who likes any kind of camping with a family unit.

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### For children only

Novi Jaycette Charlotte Mathers works on one of the many craft items being prepared by the Novi Jaycee Auxiliary in anticipation of the "Children Only Gift Shop" to be held from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, December 4 at the Novi Community Building on Novi Road. There will be a wide range of gifts with prices from \$.25 to \$1.25. Among the items for sale will be macrame necklaces, cookie jars, decorated soaps, yarn dolls and various Christmas ornaments. Proceeds will go to aid the Jaycettes in various community service projects.

## Eye biggest hurdle

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What kind of priority should close relatives of long-time city taxpayers receive?

What about a township resident who may be very active in the senior citizens organization here and who may over the years contribute time and energy in community projects here? Should they receive a higher priority?

Age is to receive a high priority, but what of the senior citizen who may be younger but have a greater demonstrated need for housing?

Should non-residents who may live within the Northville School District (in Novi, for example) receive a higher priority than other non-residents — higher, for example, than relatives of city residents?

Who should receive rent subsidization: anyone with demonstrated need or only city residents with demonstrated need? And if the latter is to be the case,

what about monies raised for this purpose by civic organizations such as the Kiwanis Club which represent the total community? Whatever the final order of

priorities decided upon by the Housing Commission, it is a certainty that each of the applicants will be interviewed individually, according to Walters.

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Santa's little helpers, the women of the Novi Jaycee Auxiliary, have announced that special direct line mailboxes to Santa are once again being located throughout the city.

The special mailboxes are being placed at the new A & P store in the Novi-10 shopping center at Meadowbrook Road and 10 Mile and at National Bank of Detroit on Grand River.

Youngsters wishing to correspond with Santa should place their letters in the special mailboxes as soon as possible beginning December 2 and running through December 18. All letters bearing a return address will

receive a letter from Santa in return.

The mail is reportedly going to be transported by "reindeer express".

### Kong's coming

The original version of the movie "King Kong" will be presented by the Northville Public Library on Saturday, December 4.

The classic two hour film, made in 1933, will be shown in the Community Room on the upper level of the Northville Square shopping mall. Show time is 2 p.m.

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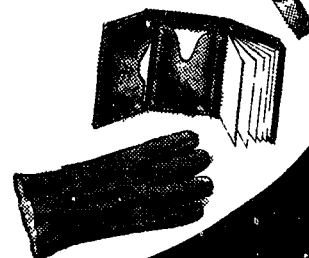
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# Boiling down flabbiness through Movement Ed

By RICH PERLBERG

If the strength of tomorrow depends on the youth of today, this nation could find itself in trouble.

The hearts and lungs of college-aged youngsters are in "alarmingly poor" condition, according to the American Academy of Pediatrics.

Even though 18-year-olds should be in the prime of their health, Troy heart specialist Dr. Joseph Arends claims that only half of America's boys and 10 to 15 percent of its girls in this age group are physically fit.

Cars and TV often get the blame, but the cause of flabbiness boils down to one thing — lack of exercise.

The culprit, in some people's eyes, is the physical education class which has not educated youngsters on the how and why of physical fitness.

"We've gotten athletics and physical education mixed up," says Barbara Wade, who is supervising a new kind of phys ed class at two of Northville's elementary schools.

A blunt Dr. Arends blames the practice of putting football coaches in charge of gym.

"As long as the football team wins, he virtually has no concern about the physical education program of the entire school," he complains.

The fallacy, says Dr. Arends, is that only one percent of the school plays football. What about the other 99 percent?

In Northville, Ms. Wade is trying to meet their needs with a new concept called Movement Education. It started last year at Silver Springs and expanded this year to K-2 at Winchester.

The problem with most physical education classes is that they've geared toward the skilled athlete and the traditional games, according to Ms. Wade.

"If you only get to kick the ball once in 30 minutes, you won't learn much," explains Ms. Wade, "especially if you miss the ball your one chance."

The end result is that a lot of people "turned off"



Movement Ed means everyone participates in fun exercising

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athletics at an early age. Movement Ed tries to reverse that trend by increasing the amount of activity — and fun — for each child.

"We try to help the kids find out about their bodies and space," she says. "The objective is to really feel good about physical education."

A Movement Ed class is a bustle of activity. It may start with students at various exercise stations doing traditional exercises such as push-ups, pull-ups, sit-ups and rope jumping.

Then the class tries a few exercises aimed at increasing skills in rhythm or dexterity. Whenever possible, students get individual or group instruction at their own skills level.

Finally, they play some games that may or may not resemble the type you watch on TV each weekend. Sometimes, students are given objects — such as duck pins, a hoop and a ball — and told to invent a running game for five people.

Opponents to the program fear that both competition and the traditional sports — football, basketball, baseball — are being played down. Not so, says Ms. Wade.

"Competition is not our greatest concern," she concedes but adds, "When the kids are ready for it, we accommodate that."

As for the odd games, she says there is nothing wrong with exploring. After all, a chap by the name of

Fosbury changed the appearance of an entire sport by flopping backwards over the high jump bar.

Still, the main goal of Movement Ed is to instill in youngsters a lifelong desire to stay physically fit. That requires making physical exercise part of a person's daily routine.

"Motivation is the key, to kids learning on their

own," says Ms. Wade. "We want kids taking pride in their own body, in their own human being. Let's face it, it's hard to change the life style for most of us."

Although muscular strength and body flexibility (coordination) are important Movement Ed goals, the

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Jaycette Sharon Laken, daughter Julie and son Alec examine the helping hands sign which will be placed throughout Novi on windows as a symbol of a place where a child can go if he or she encounters trouble on the way to or from school. The Novi Jaycee Auxiliary is sponsoring the project for the eighth consecutive year and is seeking

volunteers who will place the symbol in their home. Volunteers must agree to be home at the time children are coming home from school. All volunteers will be screened by the Novi Police Department. For an application, call Judy Dostal, 477-6823 or Bonnie Hayosh, 349-8612.

## Boiling down flabbiness

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top priority is cardiovascular fitness since heart disease is a major American killer.

That's why it's important for individuals to make a habit of exercise, and that's why it's heartening to see a physical fitness club form at Silver Springs where members run three times a week.

Most teachers, who conduct the Movement Ed classes under Mr. Wade's supervision, appear to like the concept. Parents, once they see the program in action, also seem to approve.

A demonstration of the program will be given at Winchester on Thursday morning, December 2. Movement Ed is funded entirely by grants and may serve as a model for other state and national programs.

## G. Ann Moore gets certification

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to relate her activities to the overall goals and objectives of the college.

The award states she is aware of the interrelationships of the functional areas, the major strategic problems of competition and changes in the environment that confront the college.

Mrs. Moore began at Schoolcraft as general purchasing agent when the college opened and has been director of purchasing since 1971. Prior to that time she was an administrative buyer at Ironrite, Incorporated and as assistant buyer at Process Controls. She has 21 years experience in the purchasing field.

In 1973-74 Mrs. Moore was elected first woman president of the Michigan District of the

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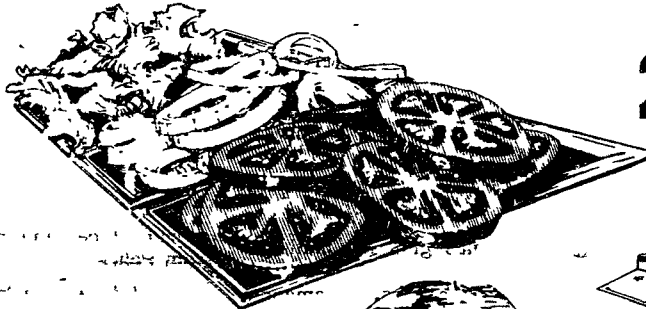


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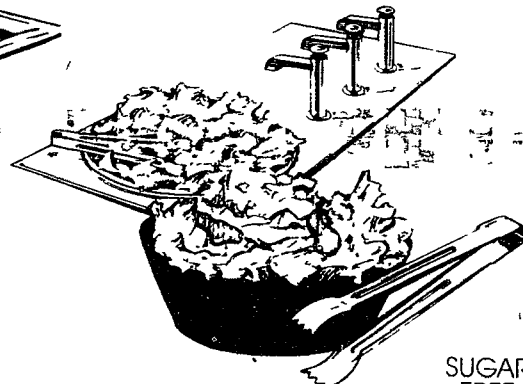


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## Wixom Newsbeat

# Still lots more good eating remains

By NANCY DINGELDEY

After gorging one's tummy with all the goodies found on the Thanksgiving table, it almost seems inappropriate to speak or even think of more food.

But by Thursday

(December 2), the bones of the bird should be picked clean and our appetites sharp for a scrumptious luncheon such as planned by the Friends of the Library.

On tap Thursday between 12:30 and 2:30 p.m., the Friends are offering a

"Taster's Luncheon" to be held at the Community Building. Everyone is invited to bring a favorite specialty dish to pass.

The main difference between this luncheon and the regular Wixom Ladies' Luncheons is that gals are urged to bring a dish they feel is especially noteworthy.

To accompany the dish, the cooks should also plan on bringing 12 copies of the recipe which the Friends will then sell at 25 cents each. Those funds will then be used to further the programs of the Friends at the Wixom Public Library.

Although some time will be consumed writing up the recipes, it should be worth the effort plus giving everyone a good excuse to do some socializing. Cooks are reminded that the recipe copies should be 3" x 5" in size.

Who knows, it could be a good place to pick up ideas for what to serve at a special holiday party besides the opportunity for a good lunch.

Planners for the occasion, Karlene Goedde and Shona Baker also remind everyone to bring their own place setting to the luncheon.

the program has been moved to the Community Building and is scheduled for 8 p.m.

Presenting "Stories of Wixom," the featured speaker will be Hilda Furman.

Attending the program that night will be three troops of Junior Girl Scouts from Wixom Elementary School. The girls will be providing the refreshments and decorations for the evening.

Along with helping to serve the community, the girls will be completing portions of badge work which will entitle them to a special Girl Scout Bicentennial patch.

Through the efforts of Jim Ladd and Hilda, Wixomites have been treated to a slide program of early Wixom which has been shown in the community from time to time.

Jim photographed old pictures which were then compiled with information narrated on tape by Hilda.

The program Monday night is a continuation of the saga of early Wixom and should be of interest to many people. Everyone is urged to attend.

During the program, a new owner will be chosen for the delightful German chalet doll house made especially for the Historical Society.

And the final chapter of "Flops", the rescued chicken, has been written. On the mend after his harrowing experiences suffered in the large parking lot, "Flops" has found a new home.

Nicole Morehead, honored with a surprise birthday party last Saturday, also became the owner of "Flops".

Although it was an unusual and questionable gift, the growing aviary in the Morehead backyard was the obvious home for the young bird.

Happy in his surroundings, which include a couple of peacocks and a few ducks, "Flops" has found duck pellets much to his liking.

And we would like to think he will not be a gift quickly forgotten.

## Cancer detection clinic scheduled

A Breast Cancer Detection and Education Clinic will be held at 1 p.m. December 9 at the Lake Area Senior Citizen Center in Novi Elementary School.

The clinic, one of several presented jointly by the Oakland Livingston Human Services Agency and the American Cancer Society, is aimed at combating the major cause of cancer death among American women.

The program includes

education programs, a film, instruction in breast self-examination and referral to screening and detection centers.

Early detection of breast cancer is paramount, according to Martha Levy, Oakland County director of the program. She encourages all women 35 years or older to attend the clinic.

Ms. Levy will also be available to answer questions following the program.

## 'Good buddies' organize watch

Citizen band radio enthusiasts could become additional eyes and ears for the Wixom Police Department if enough "good buddies" are interested in forming a local CB patrol.

"We'd like to take advantage of the current popularity in CB by having those people help their community by utilizing their hobby," said Richard Ziegler of the Crime Prevention Unit of the department.

Ziegler added that CB patrols have been successful in other communities but the success of such a venture has to first have good response from local CB'ers.

If the response to the idea is accepted, a meeting to organize and disseminate material will be set up by the Wixom Police.

In its initial phase, CB'ers will make application,

followed by a screening process, qualified to a certain criteria and then trained in the procedures the police department would like followed.

Ultimately, the department would like to have the CB'ers on a regularly scheduled patrol reporting suspicious activities, traffic hazards, accidents or in general, any problems that would require police action.

Ziegler also said if there was enough response to the idea, the possibility of establishing a regular base station in Wixom could be achieved.

Any "good buddy" interested in the establishment of a watch patrol should contact the Wixom Police Department at 624-6114 for an application and complete details.

## Mail early, carefully

In addition to appealing to customers to mail all holiday parcels as early as possible, Postmaster John Steimel of Northville also is encouraging mailers to "package with care this year."

The ABC's for packaging Christmas gifts for mailing follow:

- Fragile items can damage each other within the same package if they are not individually cushioned and separated by fiberboard strips. Newspaper or similar materials provide good cushioning.

- Textile products need a sturdy container because they offer little support to the box. If the outer corrugated container is too large it can easily be trimmed to size by slitting the four corners as needed.

- Sturdy hardware items, like an electric knife, deserve good packaging, too. The light paperboard box in which such goods are sold was never intended to be a shipping container. Always place the display container within a sturdy corrugated box. Cushioning can be crumpled newspaper or similar materials.

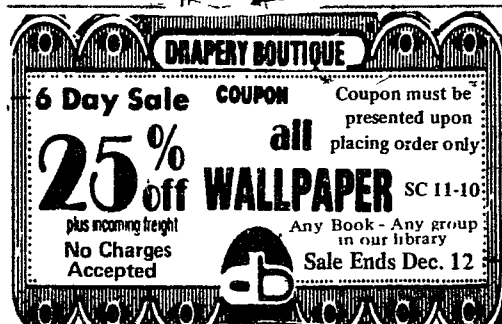
All packages intended for mailing should be sealed with reinforced tape, Postmaster Steimel said.

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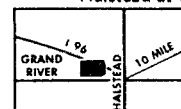
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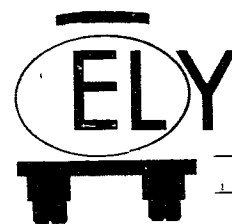
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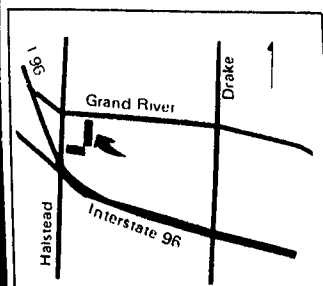
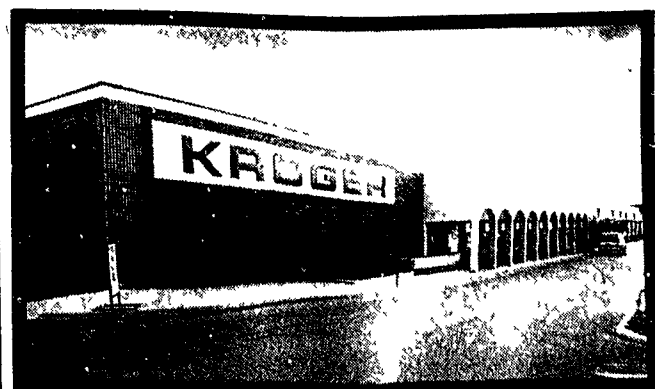
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A&P Pure Pork Sausage . . . . . 1-lb. Roll **53¢**

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**Smoky Links** . . . . . 10-oz. **79<sup>c</sup>**  
Pkg.

Meat, Beef Or Jumbo  
**Eckrich Franks** . . . . . 1-lb. **99<sup>c</sup>**  
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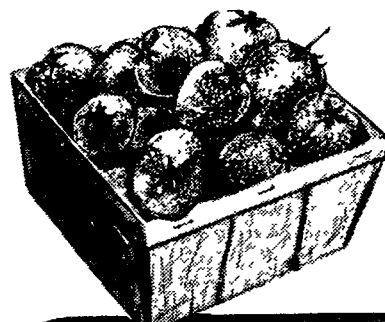
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**49<sup>c</sup>**  
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3" Pots

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20-lb. Bag With Coupon

Golden Ripe  
**BANANAS**



**5<sup>\$</sup>1**  
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California Navel  
**ORANGES**



**10<sup>99</sup><sup>c</sup>**  
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10-oz. N.R. Btls. With Coupon

Vernor's  
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## Dairy Delights

Assorted Flavors Frozen  
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### Frozen



With Cheese  
**Broccoli** . . . . . 10-oz. **59<sup>c</sup>**  
Pkg.  
With Cheese  
**Cauliflower** . . . . . 12-oz. **59<sup>c</sup>**  
Pkg.  
In Butter Sauce  
**Broccoli Spears** . . . . . 10-oz. **59<sup>c</sup>**  
Pkg.  
In Butter Sauce  
**Le Sueur Peas** . . . . . 10-oz. **59<sup>c</sup>**  
Pkg.

### Canned

Medium Size  
**Sweet Peas** . . . . . 3 17-oz. **\$1**  
Cans  
Vacuum Pack, Whole Kernel  
**Niblets Corn** . . . . . 3 12-oz. **\$1**  
Cans  
Kitchen Sliced  
**Green Beans** . . . . . 3 1-lb. **85<sup>c</sup>**  
Cans  
Whole Or Sliced  
**Mushrooms** . . . . . 2 1/2-oz. **45<sup>c</sup>**  
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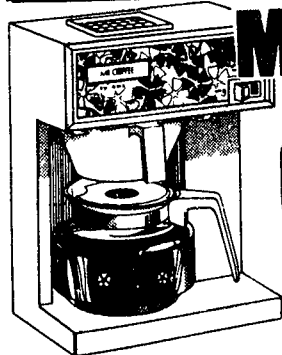
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**FLOATING FAMILY** . . . . . **\$4<sup>99</sup>**  
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Fischer Price, Pre-School  
**POCKET RADIO** . . . . . **\$3<sup>44</sup>**  
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**POCKET CAMERA** . . . . . **\$3<sup>44</sup>**  
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Lapin Products Super  
**DUMP TRUCKS** . . . . . **\$4<sup>49</sup>**  
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**36** **SAVE 25¢**  
On The Purchase Of Heavy Duty (25¢ Off Label) ½-Gal. Btl. Liquid **WISK**  
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**41** **SAVE 40¢**  
Save Up To 80¢ On Purchase Of 2 Pkgs. Regular Or Unscented Deodorant 2½-oz. Size  
**SURE ROLL ON**  
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**49** **SAVE 10¢**  
Save Up To 30¢ On Purchase Of 3 Pkgs. On The Purchase Of 40-Cl. Scott Baby **FRESH WIPES**  
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**29** **SAVE 10¢**  
On The Purchase Of Concentrated (10¢ Off Label) Detergent 49-oz. Box **ALL**  
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**21** **SAVE 15¢**  
On The Purchase Of 1-lb. Roll A&P Pure Pork **SAUSAGE**  
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**47** **SAVE 15¢**  
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**25** **SAVE 30¢**  
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**37** **SAVE 15¢**  
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**42** **SAVE 20¢**  
Save Up To 40¢ On Purchase Of 2 Btls. On The Purchase Of 24-oz. Btl. Mouthwash **SCOPE**  
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**59** **SAVE 15¢**  
Save Up To 30¢ On Purchase Of 2 Cans On The Purchase Of Nine Lives Square Meal 12-oz. Can **CAT FOOD**  
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**30** **SAVE 15¢**  
On The Purchase Of 13-oz. Can Vegetable **PAM SPRAY**  
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**26** **SAVE 20¢**  
Save Up To 60¢ On Purchase Of 3 Btls. On The Purchase Of 12-oz. Btl. Walden Farms Salad **DRESSING**  
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On The Purchase Of 5-lb. 4-oz. Box 25¢ Off Label Detergent **FAB**  
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**48** **SAVE 20¢**  
On The Purchase Of 25¢ Off Label King Size 5-lb. 4-oz. Box **TIDE**  
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**22** **SAVE 30¢**  
Save Up To 90¢ On Purchase Of 3 Pkgs. On The Purchase Of 10-oz. Pkg. **SMOKY LINKS**  
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**38** **SAVE 10¢**  
Save Up To 20¢ On Purchase Of 2 Pkgs. On The Purchase Of Cashmere Bouquet 4-ct. Pkg. **BATH SOAP**  
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**33** **SAVE 10¢**  
On The Purchase Of ½-Gal. Btl. Super Cleaner **MIRACLE WHITE**  
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**55** **SAVE 20¢**  
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**32** **SAVE 10¢**  
Save Up To 40¢ On Purchase Of 4 Bars On The Purchase Of Nestle's King Size, Crunch, Milk, Almond Or Choco-Lite 6-oz. Bars **CANDY BARS**  
Limit 4 With This Coupon, One Coupon Per Customer  
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**27** **SAVE 50¢**  
On The Purchase Of Wilson's Supreme 20-lb. Bag **WILD BIRD FOOD**  
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**43** **SAVE 40¢**  
Save Up To 80¢ On Purchase Of 2 Items On The Purchase Of Your Choice Lotion 11-oz. Btl. Or Tube 7-oz. Head & Shoulders **SHAMPOO**  
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**50** **SAVE 10¢**  
Save Up To 30¢ On Purchase Of 3 Cans On The Purchase Of All Varieties Betty Crocker 16½-oz. Cans Canned **FROSTINGS**  
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**58** **SAVE 10¢**  
On The Purchase Of Aunt Jemima 5-lb. Bag **CORNMEAL MIX**  
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**39** **SAVE 10¢**  
Save Up To 20¢ On Purchase Of 2 Ctns. On The Purchase Of 1-lb. Ctn. Quartered Imperial **MARGARINE**  
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**44** **SAVE 10¢**  
Save Up To 20¢ On Purchase Of 2 Pkgs. On The Purchase Of Betty Crocker 22-oz. Pkg. **PIE CRUST STICKS**  
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**23** **SAVE 30¢**  
Save Up To 60¢ On Purchase Of 2 Pkgs. On The Purchase Of A&P 1-lb. Pkg. Sliced **BACON**  
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**34** **SAVE 15¢**  
Save Up To 30¢ On Purchase Of 2 Cans On The Purchase Of Mazola 9-oz. Can **NO STICK**  
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**28** **SAVE 30¢**  
Save Up To 60¢ On Purchase Of 2 Pkgs. On The Purchase Of 100-ct. Pkg. Red Rose **TEA BAGS**  
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**56** **SAVE 40¢**  
Contains Rich Brazilian Coffees On The Purchase Of 97% Caffeine Free Eight O'Clock 8-oz. Jar **INSTANT COFFEE**  
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**52** **SAVE 40¢**  
On The Purchase Of 8-oz. Jar Regular Freeze Dried Coffee **TASTERS CHOICE**  
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**24** **SAVE 50¢**  
Save Up To \$1 On Purchase Of 2 Pkgs. On The Purchase Of U.S. No. 1 Grade Michigan All Purpose **20-LB. BAG POTATOES**  
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**40** **SAVE 50¢**  
Save Up To \$1 On Purchase Of 2 Cans On The Purchase Of Regular Or Unscented 12-oz. Can Deodorant **SURE**  
Limit 2 With This Coupon, One Coupon Per Customer  
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**45** **SAVE 15¢**  
On The Purchase Of Mrs. Butterworth's 24-oz. Btl. **SYRUP**  
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Pythons, like this Burmese, feed on rodents

'The bald python is a lot more docile than the Burmese python. It's an innate thing.'

## Christmas gifts?

*Singles, marrieds without children go for weird - but dangerous pets*

Thinking of an unusual gift for Christmas? An exotic pet might be the answer. On the other hand, maybe it's not.

"Tarantulas," says Elaine Komorny, owner of the Pets 'N Stuff shop in Novi, "are really popular right now."

She excused herself, as a matter of fact, to complete the sale of a tarantula to a customer.

Piranhas, those voracious little fish with the cannibal appetite, are always popular. Just ask Sandy Clark, owner of the Pisces, a pet fish store in Howell.

Popular also are pythons, those not-so-little snakes that might grow to 20 feet in length at maturity, and of all things, sharks.

Tarantulas are hot items, Ms. Komorny said, because of recent publicity they have been receiving. One of the articles in a metropolitan paper told of how they might be used to protect diamonds and other precious jewels. The venom, so the story goes, scares the daylight out of would-be thieves.

Tarantulas aren't cheap. They range in price from \$9.95 to \$24.95, depending on the species. Browns and blacks go for \$9.95 to about \$11.95. A Mexican red leg, the most colorful of them all (and the most poisonous, wouldn't you know) sells for as much as \$24.95.

Feed is relatively inexpensive. A dozen crickets, which tarantulas relish, cost 59 to 69 cents.

An added consideration in purchasing a tarantula is the fact that they are poisonous. The bite of a tarantula could be fatal, Ms. Komorny said, if a person has an allergic reaction, or the victim is very young. Normally, their bite is not fatal, however, she said.

The always-popular piranha can be a costly proposition also. Depending on the size, they sell for \$1.98 to \$19.95.

"Everybody wants a piranha," Ms. Komorny says.

Ms. Clark said she has sold four dozen in the last three months.

They grow to a maximum size of about eight inches in an aquarium, Ms. Clark explained. That's about four inches less than the size of the finny creatures in their home habitat in South America.

Contrary to accepted belief about the cannibalistic little fish, they might prove shy if you thrust your hand into an aquarium. Ms. Clark said they are likely to run and hide.

But don't push your luck. If you harass the little carnivores, they might take a chunk out of your hand.

"Their jaws are so powerful," Ms. Clark said. "They take big, clean bites."

Feeding piranhas is more expensive than feeding tarantulas. Most popular food for piranhas are goldfish, worm and bits of liver.

Ms. Clark has watched piranhas feed, and, according to her, they follow a ritualistic pattern. If, for instance, there are eight piranha in a bowl and a gold fish is placed in the middle of them, they will take turns eating the goldfish.

The piranhas will form a circle around the gold fish. The first one will chew off the goldfish's tail. The second might take a chunk out of the goldfish's belly. After each piranha has taken a bite, he will return to the side of the bowl while the others take their turn, one by one.

"They eat the goldfish chunk by chunk by chunk," Ms. Clark said.

Even when taking a small piranha out of an aquarium for a customer to transport him home, Ms. Clark said one has to be careful. A thick plastic bag has to be used, or a glass container, because a half-

dollar-size piranha can chew through a thin plastic bag with no difficulty.

If you're choosy about your piranha, Ms. Clark says that the red bellied variety is the most popular.

There's no Michigan law preventing the sale of piranhas, Mrs. Clark explained. They cannot be imported from foreign countries, but they can be bred in the United States and sold, she said.

Pythons present a little different pet problem. Normally, Ms. Komorny says, they are purchased from the pet shop when they are two to five feet in length. But in your home they might grow to a mature length of 20 feet.

A python is likely to cost from \$59 to \$79.

"The bald python is a lot more docile than the Burmese python," Ms. Komorny said. "It's an innate thing."

Normally, she says, the python will be quite docile, if fed and handled a lot. But there's always that chance, Ms. Komorny added, that the python might have an unexpected meal at the expense of a local dog or cat.

Pythons may feed on a variety of rodents — mice, rats, or guinea pigs. And, Ms. Komorny points out, it's not unusual for a particular python to eat one of those rodents exclusively.

While tarantulas, piranhas and pythons might be termed "dangerous" pets, the sharks sold in these parts are as docile as they come.

"They're fresh water sharks," Ms. Clark said. "They are vegetarians and have no teeth."

The two varieties she sells are the black shark, which grows to a maximum of about 15 inches, and the red tail shark, with maximum length of 10 inches.

The best market for so-called "dangerous" pets, Ms. Clark and Ms. Komorny agree, are the young, single people and the young marrieds with no children.

"They go in for an odd-type of pet," Ms. Clark said. "They seem to really enjoy them."

Why these people?

"Creepy things are in vogue now — spiders, tarantulas, piranhas," Ms. Clark offered.

But upon reflection, she said she really couldn't explain the "why" of it.

Ms. Komorny suggested odd pets are novelties, conversation pieces, so to speak.

She had another explanation for their appeal to young singles and marrieds without children. One would be leary, Ms. Komorny said, of having potentially dangerous pets around children.



Sandy Clark looks at a little shark



Tarantulas are really popular right now

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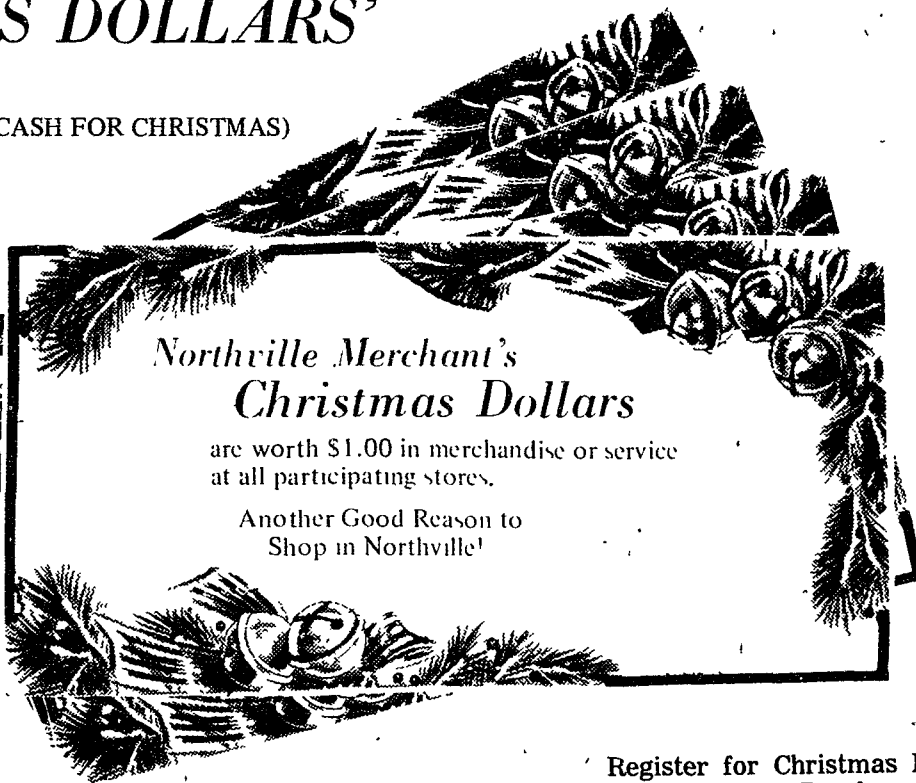
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