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TWENTY-FIVE CENTS



## Crowing for new members

"He's crowing for new members," quipped David White in presenting Freddie, the rooster, to fellow Kiwanian Ray Casterline (right) this week. The young rooster, an early riser who soon will grow into a trouble-maker, is to be housed with each member of the Northville club until that member brings a new member into the organization. "Can you imagine what a guy's wife is going to say when he brings

Freddie home?" laughed White, the Kiwanis club's membership chairman. "He's either going to get a new member real quick or face banishment from the house." Rules require kind care and food. "I don't want him so if there's anyone who'd like to join our club, please call me at 453-4628," begged White. The club meets at 6:30 p.m. each Monday at the Old Mill Restaurant.

## For Child Development Center

## Retirement village eyed

Some Wayne County officials have suggested that the vacant Child Development Center in Northville Township be converted into a large senior citizen retirement community. The center, which is owned by the county, is eyed by the state as a possible prison site for 500 minimum and medium-security inmates. Local opposition to that plan has been vigorous.

Today (Wednesday), officials from the Wayne County Office On Aging, will be asking the Human Resources Committee of the county commissioners to establish a committee to study the senior citizen plan.

"We have a germ of an idea," said Dante DiVitto, director of the Office on Aging. "We want the committee to appoint quality people to study its feasibility."

Northville Township Supervisor Wilson Grier, one of the leaders in the fight against the prison, will appear before the Human Resources Committee today to speak in favor of the retirement center.

Grier said Monday that he still wishes the county would sell to private developers the 300 acres east of Sheldon Road and north of Five Mile Road. One-

third of the township is non-taxable land. If no sale is forthcoming, Grier supports either the retirement community or an educational center

## Solar energy decision seen by end of March

Federal officials still say that a decision about the site of the nation's first solar energy center will be made sometime in March.

One of 19 sites in the running for the \$20 million facility is 500 acres west of Sheldon Road and north of Five Mile Road in Northville Township.

Officials will "make a determination in March", said Pat Rice, public relations spokesperson for the Solar Energy Research Institute (SERI).

Last month, officials of MERRA — a partnership of industry, government and universities which is promoting Michigan as the SERI site — reported

which has been jointly proposed by Schoolcraft College and Wayne State University.

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## Water cut-off hearing set

Public hearing on a City of Northville proposal to terminate water service to township customers has been scheduled for March 21.

The 8 p.m. hearing was decided by the council this week to allow township customers an opportunity "to present any statements or other information concerning the proposed service termination."

Council intends to terminate service effective October 1, 1977 for these customers:

1. All properties in the township served by four-inch water lines, smaller extensions, and separate lines

smaller than four inches which connect to the city's six inch main at the intersection of West Main Street and Clement Road.

2. All properties in the township served by extensions of the four-inch line in Fairbrook (i.e., Seven Mile Road) west of Orchard Drive.

In adopting its resolution noting this termination and slating the public hearing, council cited these reasons for the termination:

1. Health hazards resulting from lack of water due to freezing and back-siphoning due to severely inadequate pressures.

that the choice may be made by the end of February.

"The decision has not been made yet," said Rice. That decision will be made and announced this month, she said.

The 400,000 square-foot research and development center would employ 2200 people and create an estimated 1500 spinoff jobs.

In addition to Northville Township, four other Michigan locations — Romulus, Superior Township, Rouge Park in Detroit, and near Willow Run Airport — are being considered.

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## Township supervisor rips newspaper

## Secret budget talks, illegal hearings held

Public hearing on the proposed new Northville Township budget has been set for March 22 — but details about the budget are being withheld "until later."

Request to obtain a copy of the proposal was denied Thursday by Supervisor Wilson Grier.

Grier confirmed that several work sessions on the budget have been conducted by the board and that specific proposed allocations have been agreed upon but that he will not make figures available "until later when we're ready to present them."

Reminded that the newspaper had requested notification of budget study sessions, the Supervisor first stated that the written request had arrived after the sessions had been held.

Later, however, he said the newspaper was not notified because

under the current law (the new open meetings statute does not take effect until April 1) the township need not hold such sessions in public, even though in past years they have been public.

The supervisor was questioned about the budget after publication last week of a notice of public hearing on federal revenue sharing funds scheduled tomorrow (Thursday). In the published notification, a "summary budget" was presented.

That summary indicates the 1977-78 budget will include an outlay of \$363,473 for general administration, \$110,766 for contractual obligations, and \$215,000 for public safety.

The question put to Grier was: "Does this mean (tomorrow's) hearing is a budget hearing?"

Grier said it was.

When the newspaper challenged the legality of "hiding a budget hearing" under the title of a federal revenue sharing funds notice, the supervisor replied, "We're not hiding anything; we are following the law. If you think it is wrong, write it yourself and we'll republish it next week."

He went on to point out that the law requires public hearing on proposed use of federal revenue sharing funds and that part of these hearings is a discussion of the budget.

Asked then if another, separate hearing on the budget itself would be held, Grier said it might be unless the board adopted the budget tomorrow.

At this point he was asked for a yes or no answer: "Is (tomorrow's) hearing

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## Growing concerned voiced over use of water fund

Is the water and sewer fund of the township going to face the same fate as did the township's public improvement money?

That's the question a number of citizens and public officials are asking themselves as the Northville Township Board nears the adoption of its 1977-78 budget.

Budget sessions by township board members have been held in secret so few people in township government are privy to board plans. Nevertheless, these facts are known:

- The office manager of the water and sewer department is resigning, and although she declines to disclose her reasons The Record has learned through other sources that she is taking an earlier than planned retirement because she refuses to be party to planned use of water and sewer monies and because her executive position was in jeopardy.

- Even before her decision to retire, Supervisor Wilson Grier had indicated plans to take management of sewer and water department out of her hands and elevate the department's field superintendent to overall responsibility for the department.

- A majority number of the water and sewer commissioners have expressed deep concerns about planned uses of water and sewer monies, and some of them question the legality of this use.

- Purchase of a computer billing machine with water and sewer monies was not approved by the commission, nor was a snow scraper, hiring of another water and sewer department employee, and proposed plans to charge \$12,000 rent of the township hall to the water and sewer department.

- Although its function is advisory only, at least one commission member believes the role of the commission is being intentionally undermined to lessen its control over department monies.

The irony of these suspicions and allegations is that none of the township officials is willing to be identified.

"Sure, we're upset, very upset, but until the township board adopts its budget all we have are suspicions based on what Mr. Grier has said," a member told the newspaper. "If they adopt a budget, using water and sewer monies to bail out other departments, then you can be sure I'm going to scream loud and clear."

According to a commission spokesman, the department has a restricted surplus fund in excess of \$1 million.

"We intentionally have been building up this fund because one day soon the township's going to face a hell of a big expenditure for its share in the super sewer," he said. "Without it, the

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township could not possibly meet its obligation."

Said another commission member: "There's no question that the township

can and should charge the department for its share of costs for operation of the township. Our objection is that we're being over-charged to make up deficits in other departments."

He pointed to the charge for township hall rent as an example.

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## NEWS BRIEFS

**WILLIAM LUCAS**, Wayne County sheriff, is to be the guest speaker at an awards banquet sponsored by the Northville Jaycees on May 11. It is at this banquet, to be held at the Park Haus restaurant, that Jaycees will honor the Man of the Year. Nominations for the award are being accepted now, with judging to take place on March 29. Deadline for nominations is March 26. Explanation of how to nominate a candidate is given in an advertisement on Page D1.

**AN UPDATE** on the status of the Wayne County Child Development Center will be given by Northville Township Supervisor Wilson Grier at the board's March meeting at 8 p.m. Thursday in the township hall. Water problems, attorney fees and a proposed fencing ordinance also are on the agenda. The meeting will follow a public hearing on Federal Revenue Sharing Funds at 7:30 p.m.

**PENDING** agreement with the school board, Northville City Council has decided to continue paying for a second school crossing guard at the intersection of Center and Eight Mile roads.

## Services pact looks unlikely

Going into its meeting with the township board yesterday, Northville city councilmen saw little chance that a new pact for joint services can be inked before April 1.

And on the basis of that consensus, given the wide gap between the two sides, council was prepared to offer an interim agreement to carry joint services through June 30 before terminating them permanently.

The June 30 cutoff is a more specific date than suggested by Township Supervisor Wilson Grier at an earlier joint meeting. Grier suggested that at that point in negotiations when the two sides agree they cannot agree, the service would continue for another 60 days before cutoff.

Under the city's proposal, the recreation department joint service would extend through August so as not to disrupt summer recreational activities.

Previous notification to the township that the existing pacts are to end April 1 will stand, council emphasized Monday night in discussing the township's joint services proposal.

Not counting a full-time fire chief, a requirement included in the township's proposal presented to the city Friday, it is estimated by council that a \$30,000 difference exists between the two sides.

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# No Regenesi s fraud or deception, say 3

Northville school administrators told the board of education last week that there was "no attempt to defraud anybody or misrepresent the facts" when the school district applied for state funds to help finance an alternative education class.

In the latest testimony received by the board as part of its investigation, the administrators also said they doubted that the reputation of those taking the Regenesi s class were jeopardized by the funding application.

Parents have charged that the school district unfairly labeled their children as chronic lawbreakers or potential dropouts in an attempt to obtain state money.

The labeling, they say, came in a funding application under Section 48 of the State School Aid Act in which the school said all of the 30 students in the class last year either had "repeated contact with the police" or were "high-risk juveniles".

Students volunteered for Regenesi s and were not referred by the courts or a screening committee which is also implied in funding applications and guidelines, according to the parents.

Three administrators who testified Wednesday said there was nothing unusual or improper with the method of applying for Section 48 funds.

In applying for outside money, school districts inspect funding programs and ask "Does it look like there is anything going on (within the school district) that could benefit from these monies?" said Superintendent Raymond Spear.

Once the district meets the "minimum requirements" of the grant, the money can be used for "anybody else who needs this kind of help," he added.

He said there was not attempt "to defraud anybody or misrepresent the facts" and any "overzealousness on our part" or "indirect labeling of kids" was not intentional.

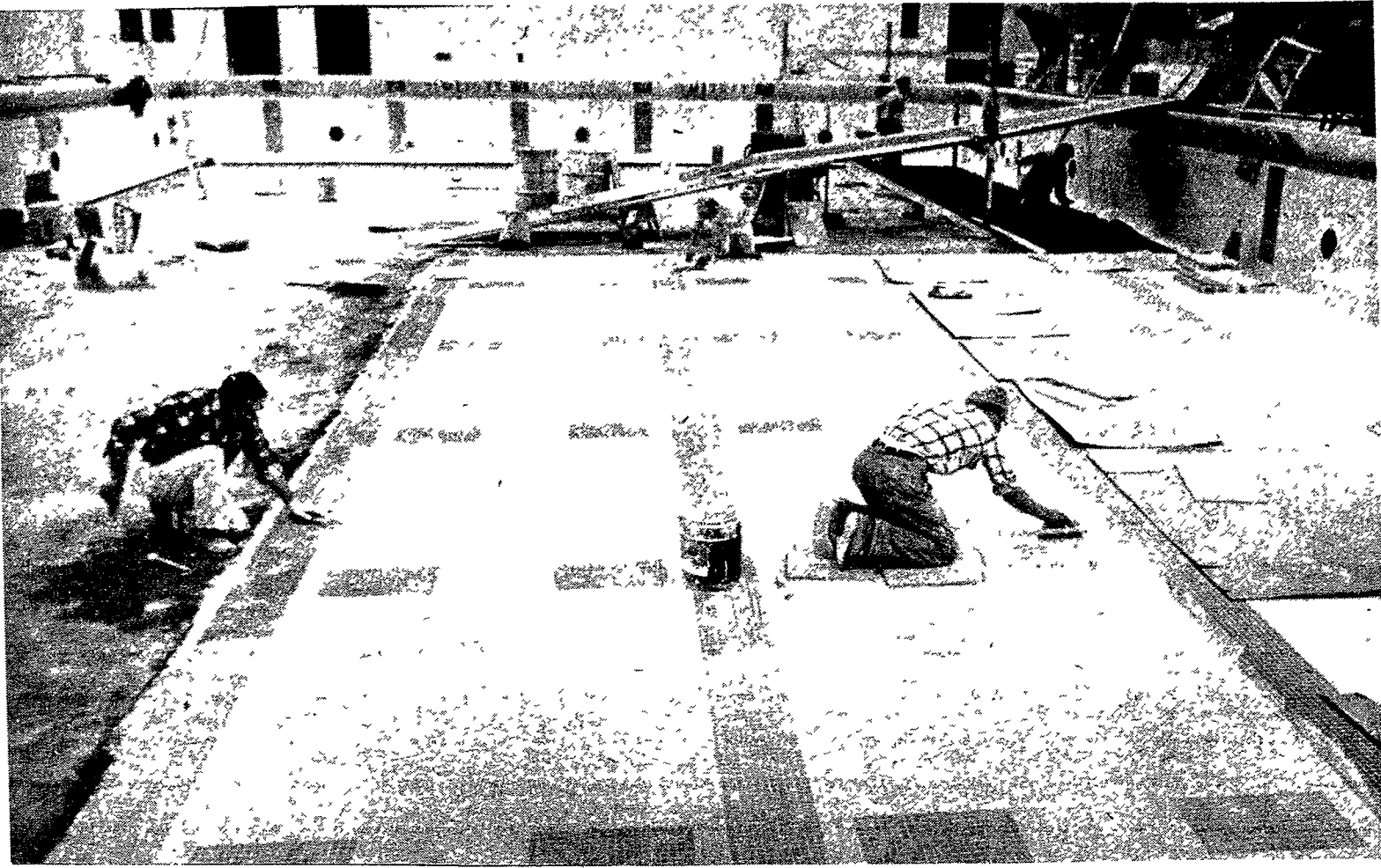
"I sincerely regret that the situation has gotten to this point," he added. "I think that without the knowledge I have now, in the same situation I would have done the same thing again."

Two first-year administrators — Director of Instruction Nancy Soper and Curriculum Director Michael Burley — discovered Regenesi s didn't comply with Section 48 guidelines and tried to see if necessary adjustments could be made, they said.

There was no attempt to sacrifice the nature of Regenesi s merely to get state funds, said Soper.

Students taking Regenesi s do not run the risk of being unfairly linked to Section 48 guidelines, said Burley.

Other sections of the State School Aid fund different Northville programs and "no one knows of it," he said.



In the swim . . .

Workmen are currently putting in place the tile floor of the swimming pool at the new Novi High School scheduled to open in the fall of this year. The pool features a large area of relatively shallow water as well as a deep end in the L-

shaped structure. A curtain of air will be circulated between the swimming-pool and the spectator section in order to keep the audience area cool.

## Parents air statement

Editor's Note: Following is the text of a statement made to the Northville Board of Education on March 7 by parents and concerned citizens relative to the board's Regenesi s investigation.

We are concerned that you, as a Board, may be losing sight of the main issue in the current Regenesi s inquiry: that is, that you, and we, were misinformed and misled by the presentation to the public of the Regenesi s program and its funding.

We also feel strongly that Issues A, B, C, and D of your inquiry are interrelated and should not be voted on separately. For example, it appears to us that the unheeded testimony of the high school principal, as direct administrator of this program, could have substantial bearing on your judgment of whether "unfair labeling" (Issue A) took place as well as on "administration harassment of the teacher" (Issue C). Therefore, we urge that you withhold judgment on Issues A and B until testimony on Issues C and D is completed.

Furthermore, we would like to go on record in expressing our concerns and recommendations regarding the final resolution of the Regenesi s investigation, as follows:

1. We request removal of the term "Regenesi s" from all school, county and/or state records and the substitution of a specific course description that will eliminate any question as to the credits students received in English and Social Studies.
2. If the Board acknowledges that the Regenesi s program was improperly delineated and presented to parents, students and teachers, we request that the Board enact specific policies that make it clear that every school program be openly and honestly presented to the Board and to the public in future, including the manner in which programs are funded and the guidelines under which they are enacted.
3. If the Board concludes that the District did not rightfully apply for and utilize funds under Section 48 of the 1975-76 State Aid Act, we request that the Board publicly censure, or strongly admonish any and all administrators responsible. At the very least, they should be rebuked for poor administrative practices.
4. We request that the Board recognize a teacher's right to inform parents and students about issues as critical as this one. We support the principle of the public's right to know, particularly when a teacher has gone through established channels of authority without success. Further, we strongly urge that the Board commend teacher Kathleen Denmore for her integrity in refusing to cover up an apparent administrative attempt to

## Seek .8 mills

# Schoolcraft tax vote's June 13

By TIM RICHARD

It's definite. Schoolcraft College will ask voters to approve a property tax increase at the June 13 school election.

The two-year community college will seek approval of 0.8 mills (80 cents per \$1,000 of state-equalized valuation).

It is understood, however, that the actual increase will amount by 1980 to 1.33 mills because the new money will be used to operate new facilities to be financed by a \$10 million bond issue.

Taxes for the bond issue interest payment and debt retirement, however, are not subject to a popular vote, though the bond issue and millage request are inseparable.

The board vote was 5-1.

Favoring it were Chairman Paul Kadish, Vice Chairman Rosina Raymond, Treasurer Nancie Blatt and Trustees Gerald Cox and Mark McQuesten.

Opposed was Trustee Leroy Bennett, who wanted the board to sell the \$10 million bond issue prior to the millage vote to impress on the public the need for expansion of the campus.

Missing were Trustees Arch Vallier and Ron Cowden. Vallier is in semi-retirement in Florida. Cowden was involved in his duties as a Livonia School District principal, but has been supportive of the millage request in past discussions.

McQuesten confessed to having "qualms" about holding the election when classes aren't in session. The college's spring term concludes at the end of April.

The election will be held at the same time as elections for three college trustee seats and for local board of education seats in Northville, Plymouth, Livonia, Garden City and Clarencerville school districts.

Mrs. Raymond said publicly what she has been hinting at for some time — that she will seek a new six-year term on the Schoolcraft board. She said she will strongly support the millage request in her platform.

Bennett confirmed officially what he, too, has been saying — that he will not run again.

Vallier has been wavering, but leaning toward not running because his travels have caused him to miss so many meetings.

Mrs. Raymond, of Livonia, is a part-time Wayne State University teacher and long-time political activist in the Democratic party. She lines up with the board's liberal group on student-oriented issues.

Bennett, of Plymouth, is a math department head in the Livonia School District. He has been a swing vote, usually lining up with the business-oriented members. Bennett has been the board's most outspoken — some years its only — champion of a fine arts center.

Vallier, of Plymouth, with a background in industrial engineering, has been the board's most business-minded and hard-liner in dealing with the faculty union.

In a related action, the board designated its entire membership to serve on the millage campaign steering committee.

Two members — Dr. Cox and Mrs. Blatt — volunteered to meet with the college administration to discuss composition of the steering committee.

This will be the college's second millage request in two years. A similar, though slightly smaller, proposal was defeated in the regular June election last year under significant circumstances: K-12 school districts which had money proposals on the ballot all rejected Schoolcraft's request; K-12 districts with no local money proposals on the ballot favored the Schoolcraft proposal.

until it found a special election would cost \$50,000 to \$60,000 and might generate much ill-will among local districts.

The college currently has 1.77 voted mills, but levies 2.13 mills because debt retirement taxes aren't subject to a popular vote.

## Fewer take advantage of free health service

Where have all the children gone? That's the question at a county-sponsored health screening clinic that operates out of one of the buildings at the Child Development Center in Northville Township.

The service is offered to all persons aged 20 and under in Northwestern Wayne County and it is free. But the amount of people using the clinic has dwindled recently.

"We know that there are a great number of children eligible and very much in need of the services, but unfortunately we're seeing only a small percentage of these kids," said Joan Goff, nursing supervisor.

"Maybe it's the cold weather," she suggested.

The program — its official name is Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment — aims at detecting health problems, referring patients to a doctor or medical clinic and immunizing youngsters.

The clinic is especially interested in serving the preschooler. Among the tests are hearing and vision examinations.

Appointments can be made by calling 729-7206. Those with a medicare card should call 729-2211, extension 234.

The screening process includes a health history, tests for blood lead and sickle cell anemia, urine test, Denver Developmental Test, tuberculin test, a review of nutritional patterns and a complete physical inspection by a registered nurse.

"We're trying to identify and locate problems," said Mrs. Goff.

## Ina Whitney Brake named to library board

Named by the Novi City Council to replace Dicron Taffralian on the library board was Ina Whitney Brake, 22848 Tafford.

Mrs. Brake, who was elected in secret balloting, will finish out Taffralian's term which expires March 1, 1981. Mrs. Brake is a 1970 graduate of Michigan State University who majored in psychology. She is currently employed at Detroit Psychiatric Institute as director of personnel and has been a resident of Novi two years.

The council also reappointed Diane Bish to a five-year term on the board. She had been appointed December 20 to finish out the term of Helen McAskin who had moved from the city.

Taffralian resigned his post on the library board following library-council disputes surrounding basically construction of the new library of which he had been a driving force.

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Township approves projects

# Seek recreation funds

A revised list of recreation projects eligible for financial assistance through the Land and Water Conservation Fund Act of 1965 (LAWCON) was presented to the Northville Township Board last Thursday at a special meeting by Recreation Director Charles Froeberger.

In recommending approval to seek six and part of a seventh suggestion from the total of nine, trustee John Swienkowski commented he felt they were "more in line with recreation needs" than previously suggested lighting projects for fields and tennis courts.

The list also will have to be approved by the city in the jointly sponsored program.

Requests, which if approved would receive 50 percent funding through LAWCON, include:

- A football-soccer field on township

property at Six Mile at an approximate cost of \$675.

- A baseball diamond for the same location with a approximate cost of \$4,610 including backstop, infield, bleachers and benches.

• A restroom-concession stand for the fish hatchery park at an approximate cost of \$10,000.

- Waiting benches at tennis courts at the fish hatchery at an approximate cost of \$100.

• Baseball field bleachers and player benches at the fish hatchery at an approximate cost of \$1,800.

- A picnic area at an approximate cost of \$730 and a playground area at \$1,310 at the fish hatchery site.

• Development of the existing pond at the fish hatchery by dredging, stocking and building a dock at an approximate cost of \$3,000.

Froeberger pointed out that the two sites listed are the only ones available for such projects at this time. If approved, jointly, the list will go to the state Department of Natural Resources for its approval for equal funding.

Considered on the list, but not approved by the township, were tennis courts and a picnic-playground for the township-site on Six Mile and a bang board tennis area for the fish hatchery site.

In making the motion to apply for matching funds, Dr. Swienkowski pointed out that "this is a one-time outlay" and included in his motion, passed unanimously, that the township will fund above the budgeted sum for recreation not to exceed \$6,500.

If the grant is received, Froeberger said, work can be started in the spring of 1978.



Award winners

# City ok's five projects

Northville City Council agreed Monday to join with the township in applying for state funds for five local recreation projects.

Council rejected township agreement that the joint application include two other projects.

Approved by the city were:

1. Restroom-concession stand at Fish Hatchery Park, costing approximately \$10,000.
2. Waiting benches at Fish Hatchery Park, costing approximately \$100.
3. Fish Hatchery Park baseball field

bleachers-player benches, costing approximately \$1,800.

4. Picnic-playground equipment at Fish Hatchery Park, costing approximately \$1,310 for the playground equipment and \$730 for the picnic equipment.

5. Development of the existing pond — dredging, stocking with fish, and construction of a dock — at Fish Hatchery Park, costing approximately \$3,000.

Rejected was the township proposal that the application also request funds for a football-soccer field on the proposed township hall property on Six Mile Road, and funds for a baseball field on this same property.

Decision to reject these latter two projects was based on council conclusion that they more appropriately should be financed through the township, as the city is planning to finance improvements at Ford Field located off Hutton Street-at Dunlap.

Under the recreational grant program, which is made through the State Department of Natural Resources (DNR), if the application is approved DNR will pay half the cost of the projects while the city-township would pay the other half.

According to Recreation Director Charles Froeberger, earliest time that construction could begin — provided the application is approved — is the spring of 1978.

Once started, the local municipalities have about three years to complete the projects under state regulations, it was noted.

"It's something we wouldn't have to include in a single budget," observed Councilman Paul Folino, who is the council's representative on the Northville Parks and Recreation Commission

Commendations have been awarded to three Cooke Junior High School students for their entries in a metropolitan newspaper writing contest. Shown here with their certificates and their Northville sponsor,

Mrs. Mary Freydl, are (l to r) Jane Kaestner, who submitted a short, short story; Nancy Joslin, who submitted a sketch; and Robin Georgoff, who submitted poetry.

# Eye retirement village

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DiVitto said his office has considered the Child Development Center for some time.

"We envision a self-contained community affording Wayne County

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keep Regenesis funding from becoming public knowledge, and that the Board also do everything it can to repair the damage done to Ms. Densmore's professional reputation and teaching career, including her relegation to a substitute teaching role.

5. Recognizing the current inadequacies of the traditional high school program, and rather than establishing another alternative school, we recommend that the successful elements and philosophy of Regenesis be incorporated into future high school planning and structure, utilizing Ms. Densmore's invaluable knowledge and experience in the development thereof.

We sincerely appreciate the time and effort that the Board has devoted to pursuing this investigation and hope that you will arrive at a fair and complete judgement of this matter once all the facts are known to you and to the public

seniors an opportunity to live in dignity while being able to maintain close ties with family and friends," he said in a letter to the Human Resources Committee.

With new buildings and renovation of existing structures, the community could house 5000 to 8000 people and be a "model community for the nation," DiVitto said Tuesday in a phone interview.

Plans for such a community are in the early stages, he stressed, and the committee he hopes is formed will have to determine if the project is practical.

"There are a lot of hurdles to overcome," he said.

Maintaining the Child Development Center, virtually vacant since 1974, has been an annual \$300,000 drain on the county budget.

The property includes 800 acres on both sides of Sheldon Road, but most of the 45 buildings are on the 300 acres east of Sheldon. That's where the state wants to put a prison.

Last week, to the pleasure of 250 area residents who were bused to the meeting, the Public Works Committee of the county commissioners passed a resolution which opposed any plan to use the center as a penal institution.

The resolution, prepared by Commissioners Mary Dumas of Livonia and Royce Smith of Westland, will be considered by the full board on Thursday, March 17.

## Township residents cite need

# Sewer district okayed

A Fairway Drive-area special assessment sewer district was approved unanimously by Northville Township Board at a special meeting last Thursday following a public hearing.

Fry and Phillips to the end of Grandview Acres, eastbound to Smock to Fairway and Meadowbrook was outlined as the district involved.

The sewers, Supervisor Wilson Grier said, had been sought by petition of 13 of the 15 residents included. Twelve persons were present with all but two seeking the sewers. Three owned property that required sewers in order to build.

William Yant, who stated his septic system worked well, requested but did not receive immunity from the district.

Janet Warner, a resident of Smock at the end of the road, said she was "not opposed" but would still have the smell of septic from the rest of Smock, not included.

With only trustee James Nowka absent, the board approved the district at a projected cost of \$91,000 with an estimated charge per property owner of \$6,070 to paid in a 10-15 year period.

Questioned by one of the petitioners whether it would be possible to use any of "the \$900,000 fund in the water and sewer department account," Supervisor Grier said the fund is earmarked for general township sewer expansion but that it might be possible to use township funds to begin work and then reimburse after bonding.

The matter of possible use of its funds for this purpose was referred to the water and sewer department.

Township engineering consultant William Mosher estimated that the sewer construction could take three weeks with an additional week for testing.

At the special session, the board approved a resolution to continue the Ann Arbor firm of Ierman, Johnson and Hoffman, certified public accountants, as its auditors with the annual audit to be performed for the year ending March 31.

In other action at the special meeting the board approved purchase of a billing machine for the water and sewer department from Philips Systems, Incorporated, in Southfield at a cost of \$25,500.

Trustee Michael Wilson abstained in the vote to purchase the small computer as no report was yet available from the sewer and water commission which had met the night before, but, Supervisor Grier said, had not given approval to purchase.

Grier announced that Frances Mattison, office manager of the sewer and water department, was retiring and urged that it was "of utmost

importance to get the program going in April."

Treasurer Richard Henningsen made the motion to purchase, saying the machines save on auditing and manpower expenses.

At a second public hearing immediately following the first last Thursday the board unanimously

approved "use of federal revenue-sharing funds in the vicinity of \$42,036 to be allocated in the area of public safety (fire and police) as was done last year."

Trustee Nowka and Dr. John Swienkowski, who arrived in time for the special meeting following, were absent for the vote.

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**Candidates invited to talk March 18**  
A candidate's night program, featuring talks by the three men seeking election to the state senate in the 14th Senatorial District, is planned March 18 at Northville High School.  
The program is being planned by the Novi-Northville-Plymouth-Canton chapter of the League of Women Voters and the Northville branch of the American Association of University Women.  
According to Jan Purcell, legislative chairman for the AAUW, the candidates have been notified of the program which is to be held in the cafeteria of the high school beginning at 8 p.m.  
Candidates include Patrick McDonald, Democrat supervisor of Redford Township; R. Robert Geake, Republican state representative of Northville; and Hector McGregor of Redford, representing the American Independent Party.

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ALTERNATIVE EDUCATION—Novi sophomore Shannon Tipton checks out a prescription on glasses where she works at Northwest Optical while alternative education instructor William Ayotte looks on.

## 'Alternative Ed' aids student cross section

By WAYNE LODER

Many people immediately conjure up negative thoughts when first confronted by the term "alternative education".

In many districts programs with similar names are considered to be reserved strictly for those students who couldn't make it in the regular school program.

But at Novi High School, the students are quick and proud to point out that they are enrolled in the alternative education program. For at Novi High School, there is no visible stigma to the program. It is, admittedly, for those youngsters not able to do well in the regular classroom. But there are also honor students and students who would be considered average.

"It came about to meet the needs of a lot of different youngsters," says high school principal Dr. Helen Ditzhazy.

"It's not a program for dropouts," says the alternative education teacher William Ayotte. "It's a program where some of the students have exhausted the possibilities in the regular high school and this gives them more freedom to explore."

"Some of the students I have here are superior to anything I've had before. But as soon as you say alternative education, it sounds like dropouts."

A pilot program last year, "alternative education" was so successful it received board approval to continue on this year as a part of the regular curriculum.

A strict limit is imposed as many more students seek to enter the program than can possibly be handled by one teacher. The maximum is about 27 and the many students who apply are screened and must have parental permission if they are under 18. The outline of the program goes to both the student and parents.

"The subject matter and requirement for attendance don't differ. The atmosphere and the environment is the biggest difference. There's time to do things. When you have 150 students a day, it's hard to get that personalized."

Because students must take the required classes, a versatile teacher was needed and Ayotte was the man as he was able to teach seven different subjects. The classes are held in the now vacant Novi Elementary building and when a student cannot get a needed requirement in the alternative education program, he goes back to the high school for that class.

Regular required subjects are taught in the morning in the alternative education program — but the instruction is a little different than normal.

"In each subject there are work cards," says Ayotte. "One assignment could be to read a chapter on the president and do some questions. Or another might be to do a poll on the last 10 presidents. There's always a choice."

Each assignment lasts several days and Ayotte emphasizes that

each of the assignments from the work cards covers the same topic area but from a different approach. No set amount of time each day must be spent on each subject.

"They have 15 hours of academic time (in a week) and they arrange their study time based upon their due dates," says Ayotte.

As far as allowing the students to have a choice in which assignment to do, Ayotte says, "Most students enjoy the opportunity to have a choice and the parents go along with it."

In the afternoon, the students are put to work in a job-related field of their choice.

"The idea is to give them a positive work experience," explains Ayotte.

"I've had some people who love the area they're in," he says. "But I've also had students who thought they wanted to be a secretary and find they didn't like it."

Even though a student may not like the area he has chosen, the student must stay in the job for at least a quarter so they can have time to reflect on why they don't like the

job they thought they would.

According to Ayotte, 90 percent of the students in the classes are juniors or seniors.

"They're ready to explore some things," he says. "By waiting for college for some it's too late. I can count 10 teachers who went through classes and then didn't like it. I think 'what a waste'. They spent \$10,000 and four years of their life and then they don't like it."

The jobs are as varied as the youngsters. Some are with local businesses. Others are as far away as Kensington Park.

"The biggest problem is logistics — transportation. Without a bus or dial-a-ride, it's hard to get people around." According to Ayotte, parents and friends have been a big help in getting the students to their jobs.

None of the students are paid for the work during the 10 hours they spend each week on the job. Many of them work extra hours and are paid for that time.

Ayotte himself visits the

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## Program graduate reviews Novi class

Ted Clay is a graduate of Novi's alternative education program.

Anyone who has ever walked into Novi's Police Department may

have seen him. He's known as a "service aid" and does light mechanical work on the police cars and helps in other ways around the building.

Ted joined the police department last year when "Mr. Ayotte came up to me and said 'I heard you want to go into police work and we'll see if we can get you in over there.'"

A good student, Ted took Ayotte up on the offer, believing that the experience could help him toward his end goal of becoming a police officer.

"I think I've gained more than what I had thought. I've learned about radio procedure and laws — what you can do and can't do. I just wanted the experience."

"Another reason I got this job was to find out if I liked it," says Ted.

He found out he liked it so much that he's going to junior college working toward an eventual degree in law enforcement.

Ted admits that there are problems with the program and that it didn't work for some of the students. "I talked to a few and they just didn't hang in."

"But everyone asked how I liked it and I said they should try it. Some took my advice — some didn't. A few of the seniors in my class would have dropped out if it hadn't been for this," Ted says he recommends the



Ted Clay fixes spotlight

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Ordered out of service by firemen

## Last tanker loses fight

A 1,000 gallon fire department tanker, the only tanker in use by the City of Novi, is currently being repaired — but only after its driver lost control and almost suffered an accident during a fire run.

And the city council approved bids for a new fire base station radio after the fire department personnel pointed out that communication via the present base is almost nonexistent and can cause serious problems during a fire run.

Those were two items which came to light over the last week. The tanker, a 1958 Ford has been the subject of complaints from firemen but Fire Chief Duane Bell said that he had not acted on the complaints because, "Even though it's been bad driving it, I didn't think it was that bad. The men had not refused to drive it."

The tanker was the subject Monday, February 28 of complaints by the Novi Firemen's Association during a council meeting. At that time, the firemen reported that the tanker was "unsafe and beyond repair."

The matter was brought to a head last Thursday when the tanker, located at fire station II on Paramount, responded

to a smoke investigation on 13 Mile Road.

According to Lieutenant Larry Wesson, "After going across the bumps (on 13 Mile) he almost lost control so he told me and we pulled it out of service." The driver at the time was Gary Kinkle, a professional truck driver, pointed out Wesson.

Another fireman, more blunt about the problem but refusing to be identified, told The Novi News "The damn thing is unsafe, taking almost two lanes to get it down the road. We're only endangering our own lives and the lives of the public by taking it out on the street. If by refusing to drive it is the only way we can get the council to fix it, that's the way it's going to be."

Bell indicated that he took the blame for the tanker not being fixed previously and said that the council was not at fault. He said there was enough money in the budget to cover repairs which are to be done by F&W on Grand River where the truck was towed. Bell said Monday that he did not know the extent of the repairs but indicated they could include the ball joints and other front end parts. He added that the truck

will be completely fixed to make it safe and driveable.

Meanwhile, Bell pointed out that the department has a 750-gallon pumper at each station plus a backup 750-gallon pumper which should be able to put out any dwelling fire to which the department responds in any area without hydrants. He added, however, that mutual aid with other departments could help out in any emergency.

Bell noted that a 1,000-gallon tanker is on order to replace the Ford and that it should arrive within two months. At that point the Ford will become a backup unit. The 5500-gallon "Hydrant on wheels" is also in for repairs and is expected to return to service.

Meanwhile the base station for the fire department continued to receive attention. The radio was the subject of complaints for several months and Wesson told the council that the recent police department conversion over to the new console finished off what was left of the old fire department radio. He pointed out that the range of the base was down to one mile.

According to Mayor pro tem Martha

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## Study meeting Monday

# Needs Committee gives final report

A five-month Needs and Priority Assessment Committee report has been completed and Novi City Council has set a special study session for Monday to review with the committee findings of the report.

The meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m. in the Novi School District administration building.

While the report was discussed only briefly at Monday's council meeting, the following priorities were contained in the summary of the report as prepared by the committee:

Completion of Municipal Complex Phase I and II as detailed in the Municipal Facilities Subcommittee's report. Briefly, Phase I includes acquisition of the 10 Mile and Taft Road site, preparation of plans and specifications for the entire municipal complex and completion of the library for use as city offices.

Phase II of this proposal recommends construction of a new police facility. It is recommended that financing be obtained through a proposed voted general obligation bond issue of \$2,780,000 to be issued in two series. The first series for \$780,000 for Phase I and the second series for \$2,000,000. This series would be issued only if Federal Grants are not received for financing Phase II construction.

City Council should consider placing before the voters a request for a half mill for Park and Recreation development and operation expenses detailed in the Parks and Recreation Subcommittee's report.

City Council should consider adding sufficient number of police officers to provide for a minimum of two patrol cars on all shifts at all times, as detailed in the Municipal Services Subcommittee's report.

We recommend that City Council obtain a qualified consultant familiar with municipal operations and services to review manpower, and make recommendations to solve problems indicated in the Municipal Services Subcommittee's report.

We further recommend that council consider all the remaining recommendations in the three subcommittee reports on an equal basis.

The subcommittee reports referred to in the recommendations cover Municipal Facilities, Parks and Recreation and Municipal Services.

The Needs and Priority Assessment Committee made up of 11 members, placed first emphasis in its report on additional municipal facilities, based partially upon a survey of residents conducted in The Novi News.

"The most pressing need is the Police Department, where both space and personnel are limited and the demand for more services is being expressed" according to the report. "A survey run

in The Novi News seems to indicate that the citizens support expansion in this area. The citizens are also expressing interest in expanding city services in the non-police and fire areas.

"A review of land values indicates that the city's option with the school

board to purchase the excess property in the 10 Mile-Taft Road area for \$4,397.06 an acre is the most feasible plan for a site acquisition. Current properties could then be sold to recover part of the purchase price."

## Subject of testing covered by Novi board

There needs to be more testing of students in Novi High School.

That appeared to be one of the conclusions of Novi School Board members who sat through a comprehensive study session on testing in the school district Thursday. The report was given by testing coordinator, Julia Crowther, who Superintendent Dr. Gerald Kratz said is the most knowledgeable person in the school district on testing.

Trustee Ray Murphy noted that there is very little testing of students in the high school except on a sample basis.

"If we don't detect a weakness by the eighth grade, we probably aren't going to detect it," he said.

Currently, the only testing going on in the high school is the Stanford Test of Academic Skills in grades 10 and 12.

Both are done with only a random sampling of students. In the 10th grade, only 42 took the test. In the 12th grade 34 took the test.

According to Dr. Kratz, the state will require tenth-grade testing beginning next year and eventually twelfth-grade testing to determine if students have picked up the basic skills while in school.

Dr. Helen Ditzhazy, Novi High School principal, noted that it is extremely difficult to test students at the high school level.

"It's become more and more difficult to test at the high school level because their experiences are more varied," she said. "What is answered on the test

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## Wixom to study industrial complex water possibilities

On the heels of a fire that almost totally destroyed an office unit and threatened warehouse space directly abutting that building, Wixom City Council members directed Fire Chief Robert Potter at its last meeting to check the feasibility of industrial complexes installing water supplies to their buildings.

The fire at the Martin Industrial Park in February sparked questions from Councilwoman Lillian Spencer as to why the area did not have fire hydrants or sprinkler systems installed.

Fire hydrants are currently installed within the new subdivisions in the city however they have not been required in industrial complexes. Only the Ford Motor Company has its own self-sufficient hydrant and fire system.

Several council members indicated

that industrial parks should not be built without adequate fire protection especially those which might contain highly flammable materials.

It was pointed out that without a central water system, hydrants and sprinkler systems would not be economically feasible. Since the city does not have a central system, industrial builders would either have to erect their own water towers or equip each unit with an individual well especially designated for fire protection.

Potter said that individual wells would require back-up generating units which again could be costly to the builder especially if each unit within an industrial park was required to have one.

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In service

Dr. Barbara Gregg (standing) of the Wayne Intermediate School District discusses with Novi school district teachers the concept of "Schools without Failure" during an in-service day last Friday for all teachers, cooks, custodians, transportation and maintenance personnel. Sixteen different

speakers from various educational backgrounds participated in the in-service day at Novi Middle School, the second this year for the Novi School District. Following the speakers, teachers participated in department meetings and visits in other school districts.

## 'Modified' schedule

# Merge ESY and TSY?

Northville's administrative staff has recommended that the school district combine the year-round and traditional school years into a single "modified calendar" that would be used by all students.

The new calendar, if approved by the board of education, would start next school year.

It would be neither a traditional year of nine months of school and a three-month vacation nor the classic 45-15 extended school year of nine weeks of school followed by three weeks of vacation.

A possible "modified vacation schedule," according to Superintendent Raymond Spear, would be nine weeks in summer plus a week in October and two weeks in both December and March.

The "modified" plan was the recommendation ranked highest by the administrators who offered eight alternatives to the present dual

calendar at a study session Monday night.

Presently, about half of the district's elementary students, a quarter of the junior high students and 104 of 1150 high school students are on the extended school year schedule. The rest are on traditional calendars.

The board has been asked by Spear to decide the next Monday if the district will remain on the dual system.

A recently-completed study by an outside consulting firm said there was much dissatisfaction among both the staff and the community with the dual system.

One problem, for instance, is that the dwindling high school enrollment has caused much lower pupil-teacher ratios in extended-year classes than in traditional classes.

However, a North Poll Survey reported that 40 percent of the community would disapprove of dropping either calendar entirely.

Those two findings are behind the "modified" recommendation, said Spear. He also said the same North Poll survey indicated 68 percent of the community would support such a plan.

A high school meeting to discuss ESY, scheduled for Thursday, has been cancelled.

There was immediate criticism of the recommendation from several people in the audience.

William Brown, a former president of the Livonia school board, worried that the board was "snowballing into another situation" that "will make this school district different than any other in the country again."

He feared the board, because of the high school situation, may be acting in a "rash manner" without "really studying the alternatives."

The consultant's study, the North Poll survey, a financial report and the staff recommendations were all given to the board within the last 10 days.

Barb LeBoeuf, president of the Northville Education Association, questioned the claim that the community supported a modified calendar.

"I don't understand how 68 percent can favor a calendar when they don't know what it is," she said.

The question, as submitted to about 500 residents, asked "if a model program could be developed which included the best parts of the TSY and the ESY programs?"

Some 68 percent said they were interested to some degree while 32 percent either answered "no interest" or did not respond.

Spear said it would cost \$127,000 to make necessary improvements in the present dual calendar that wouldn't be needed in a "modified" calendar.

The money would be needed to hire counselors, teacher consultants, a psychologist, a social worker, librarians, a reading specialist and a speech therapist.

# Novi seeks surface road funds if M-275 is dead

Novi City Council has gone on record urging that the extension of M-275 be funded by the state or that the monies that were available for that project be used "for a reasonable alternate to M-275 and for no other purposes."

During a short discussion on the matter last week, several council members indicated that they might not be able to support M-275 but would support use of funds for surface roads. Council appeared concerned because

with the Twelve Oaks Mall opening up soon, north-south traffic will be increased.

"Certainly north-south transportation will become a problem with the shopping center opening, but I'm not sure M-275 would solve it," said Councilman Robert Schmid. "I'd be more concerned with the extension of Decker Road and possibly widening Haggerty Road."

Council members indicated in the resolution that they wanted the road commission to use the funds available for alternates to M-275 when it is realized that M-275 is dead.

"I read it to mean take another look," said Mayor Pro Tem Martha Hoyer speaking of proposed changes in the resolution which originally sought complete support for M-275. "The money is still there and if you're not using it for M-275, then spend it on surface roads."

Council voted 4-3 in favor of the resolution which urged the \$69 million available for the project to be used either for I-275 or reasonable alternates. The resolution also resolves "that the Novi City Council requests that the Oakland County Road Commission, the Southeast Michigan Council of Governments and the Traffic Improvement Association of Oakland County study the need for an adequate north-south highway through western Oakland County and report their findings and recommendations to the Novi City Council and the Michigan State Highway Commission."

Voting in favor of the motion were Mrs. Hoyer, Romaine Roethel, Philip Goodman and Patricia Karevich. Against it were Schmid, James Shaw and Mayor Gilbert Henderson.

## United front drive follows M-275 defeat

Oakland County is preparing a "united front" on what alternate routes the Michigan Highway Department should improve now that it has cancelled plans to build M-275.

"We're going to speak with a united voice," said Patrick Nowak, executive officer for administration under County Executive Daniel T. Murphy. "If we speak with many voices, we'll have no solutions."

Nowak said the county executive, Chairman Wallace Gable of the board of commissioners and Chairman John Gnaou of the Oakland County Road Commission are inviting local officials to meet this week to prepare their position.

The four-man state highway commission will hold a public hearing April 27 in Oakland County to consider alternative plans to M-275.

The board of commissioners last

week gave 22-2 approval to a resolution urging the highway commission to "recognize the need for a north-south" highway through the interior of Oakland County.

The \$69 million M-275 was to have run from I-96 in Novi to I-75 near Holly in roughly the Haggerty Road corridor.

The county board resolution, prepared by Commissioner Robert Gorsline (R-Milford), declared "a need still exists to provide some adequate north-south highway." It called on planning, road and traffic agencies to suggest alternatives to the county board and to the highway commission.

At the urging of Commissioner Robert McConnell (R-Farmington Hills), the board dropped a request that the highway commission "reconsider its action."

"The highway commission will not reconsider M-275," McConnell said.

Gorsline said purpose of his resolution was to "keep the issue of a north-south highway open. I'm not wedded to the proposed route of M-275."

## Alternative ed' students varied at Novi High

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employers and the work situation to see how the students are doing. He asks each employer to fill out a sheet reviewing the student's basic job skills. Each student is graded.

"It's been pretty positive," says Ayotte of the program as a whole. "We've had some cases where it hadn't worked out. But in general it's been a pretty positive thing."

As far as college, many of the students do pursue higher learning.

"We have four students who have applied to (Michigan) State and been accepted. We've had no problem with students coming out and wanting to go to college. Of the ones who have applied, all got their first choice."

According to Ayotte, 15-20 percent of the alternative education students do go on to college.

No major plans to change the program are in the works for next year. But the program probably will take on a different angle as Ayotte is going back into the regular school program and another teacher will be taking over. Ayotte is returning to the normal program, according to the administration, because of a need to be "recycled" because of the strain which the program causes.

"It's very, very demanding for a person," says Dr. Ditzhazy. "The person next year will do a terrific job, but it will be a different program. It will roll based on the person we choose."

## 'Prisons needed'

Indicating that prisons must go somewhere, Novi City Council last week rejected a proposed resolution against establishment of a penal correctional facility on the Wayne County Child Development property in Northville Township.

"There's been much publicity about parole reform," said Mayor Pro Tem

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## Study water supplies

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Building Official William Tyler, responding to questions on building codes, said the building at Martin Park which burned was equipped with a one hour-rated fire wall. That wall, in the building damaged by the fire, will be replaced by a two-hour rated wall. "Other than that," said Tyler, "there is no ordinance requiring either hydrants or sprinklers."

Community wells in the newer subdivisions supply all the homes in the area plus street hydrants, but are not required to have back-up generating units should power fail.

The fire at the Martin Industrial Park totally gutted the office but fire fighters

managed to keep the blaze from spreading to the warehouse area. Tank trucks and pumps from five nearby communities aided the Wixom fire department quell the blaze which lasted over five hours.

The thought expressed by several council members was that Potter survey the immediate area to see how other communities have handled the fire protection in water system-less cities.

Lillian Spencer, meanwhile, suggested that the city "take a closer look at the industrial park complexes slated to be built in the city and check that they are equipped with adequate fire protection."

## Williamsburg films planned

A series of films on Colonial Williamsburg

will be shown at the Northville Public Library beginning Monday, March 21. The four-part series is scheduled to begin each week at 10 a.m.

The first film, "Flower Arrangements of Williamsburg," will be followed by a demonstration of flower arranging by the IV Seasons Florists of Northville.

The films will describe life in the colonial south, and the process of restoring Williamsburg, Virginia, to preserve a way of life that existed 200 years ago.

There is no charge to the films. However, registrations are requested at the library or by calling 349-3020.

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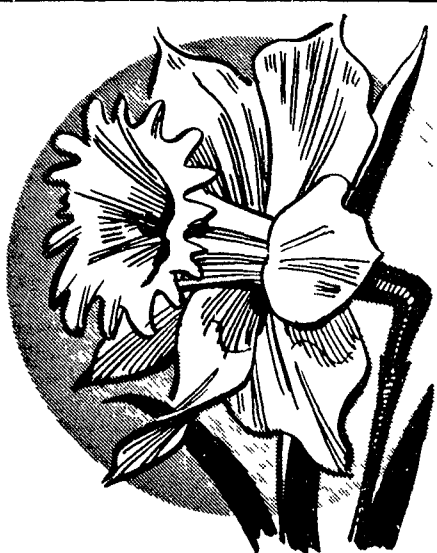
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Science on display

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WINNING EXHIBIT—Kent Westphal's display on friction and leverage was one of the Meads Mill winners in last week's science fair. Awards in several categories

were also given at Cooke junior high school. Here, Robert Medley inspects the award winner.

Thirty-eight Cooke and Meads Mill Junior High School students were awarded first-place ribbons last week as part of the Northville School Science Fair.

The public had a chance Thursday to view the winning projects and the rest of the several hundred exhibits entered from grades three through nine.

Elementary projects were not judged. Those from Amerman and Moraine were displayed at Cooke and those at Winchester and Silver Springs were shown at Meads Mill.

Here are the winners from Meads Mill (hm stands for honorable mention):

Math Computation — Jeff Allen, 1; Dan Brenner, 2.  
Physics-Chemistry — Teresa Mitchell, Kim Kurzawa, Stephanie Colovas, 1; Pam Batzka, 2; Julie Starcevic, 3; Diane Hrubak, 4; Brian Pascoe, 5; Brenda Brown, hm.

Physics-Light — Donna Humphrey, Suzanne Wynn, Alisa Krinsky, 1.  
Physics-Electricity and Magnetic — Tom Rathemel, 1; Curt Bingenheimer, 2; Bob Huff, 3; Charley Geis, 4.

Physics-General — Kent Westphal, 1; Chris Spigorelli, Debbie Swope, Laurie Leinonea, 2; Craig Wisbisket, Todd Ly-singer, 3; Steve Smith, 4; Allyson Farquhar, 5; Steve Denhot, Mary Campbell, hm.

Physics-Heat — Graeme Bicknell, 1; Missy Besh, 2.  
Natural History — Lissa Carter, 1; Tony Decker, 2.  
Microbiology — Kelley Jamison, 1; Nancy Orr, 2.

Human — Dennis Quinn, 1; Allison Ranshor, 2; Kim Storm, 3; Sharon Watson, 4; Connie Mao, 5; Charlie Hibbeln, Don Korody, Karyn Hague, Jim Vallance, Kay Wolf, Tim Cousineau, Maria Crossley, Claudia Horrigan, hm.

Botany — Jacki Stengell, 1; Todd Smith, 2; Anita Hodge, 3; Liz Pond, K. Shertus, E. Broderick, 4; June Salvatore, Dana Kitchen, 5; Sandy Gesler, Jane Field, Linda Brenner, hm.

Zoology — Sue Gorden, Molly Behent, 1; Leslie Farquhar, 2; Anne Doyle, 3; Leslie Bennett, Erin McGoy, 4; Chris Clements, Tony Casteo, Bob Townsend, Gerard Prezkop, hm.

Earth Space — Tracy Wilson, 1; Linda Brown, Ruth Young, 2; Judy Orr, 3; Craig M. Lafferty, 4; Renee Sutton, 5; Brian Gallivan, Tom Doyle, Andy Prezkop, Kale Ruddon, hm.

Engineering-Chemical — Chris Nelson, Eva Skuratowicz, 1; Nancy Lampella, Audrey Riegner, 2.

Engineering-Electrical — Bill Blanchard, 1; Pete Blanchard, 2; Jeff Williams, 3; Don McMann, Chris Allen, Jim Behen, 4; Mike O'Conner, 5; Janet Hudolin, Dave McConnell, Drew Farkas, Gary Benson, Mike Gladd, John Starcevic, Melinda House, hm.

Engineering-Mechanical — Ken Brummett, 1, Julie Hunko, 2; Cindy Phillip, 3.

General Engineering — Greg May, 1; Mark Holland, 2; Lorne Demrose, 3; Steve Chisnell, 4; Lisa Gyoff, 5; Dean Norfleet, hm.

Here are the winners from Cooke:  
Earth Science — Eric Maloney, 1; Jim Crain, 2; Karen Poirier, 3; Brady Lineman, Brian Pratt, 4; Chris Bedford, 5.

Math — Jennifer Carmichael, 1.  
Physics-Light — Edward Pilarz, 1; Amy Abraham, 2; Amy Johnson, 3; Marjie Muller, 4.

Physics-Heat — Lynn Watt, 1.  
Physics-Electricity and Magnet — Sabrina Vanderwouw, 1; Laurel Brewer, 2.

Physics-General — Dee Christian, 1; Ron France, 2; Greg Fraser, 3; Jill Carmichael, 4.

Physics-Chemistry — Lisa Brownell, Luan Tuttle, 1; Greg Ayers, 2; Rita Prystash, 3.

Human Science — Mary Bradley, 1; Pam Erwin, 2; Sean Goscinski, 3; Karen Cassidy, 4; Holly Egner, 5.

Zoology — Dave Babich, 1; Glenn Bousquet, 2.  
Botany — Kris Baggett, 1; Amy Stuart, 2; Patty Jose, 3.

Microbiology — Kay Chandler, 1.  
Engineering-Electrical — Debbie Mynatt, 1; Heidi Schulz, 2; David Lockhart, 3; Linda Schneider, 4; Tim Sullivan, 5.

Engineering-General — Dave Booth, 1; Bruce Wilkinson, 2; Phil Pflugh, 3.  
Engineering-Chemistry — Paul Whittwer, 1; Caralyn Brown, 2.

Engineering-Mechanical — Jim Hock, 1; Kathy Montgomery, 2; Tom Phillips, 3.

Obituaries

VIOLA ARMSTRONG

Private services for Miss Viola P. Armstrong, 82, of Snover, Michigan, were held March 1 at Casterline Funeral Home, Incorporated, in Northville. Miss Armstrong was retired director of social recreation for the City of Detroit.

She died February 28 at St. Mary Hospital after an illness of two years. She had been a resident of Lorie Terrace in Ann Arbor for 10 years and was a member of the Christian Science Church of Ann Arbor. Interment was in Huron Cemetery in Cass City.

Miss Armstrong was born December 8, 1894, in Pontiac to William J. and Emma (Freer) Armstrong.

She leaves a sister, Mrs. Ruth A. England of San Pedro, California, and nine nieces and nephews.

PAUL L. O'NEAL

Funeral services for Paul Lester O'Neal, 14, of 40985 Holly Dale in Novi, are being held at 11 a.m. today (Wednesday) at Muehlig Funeral Chapel in Ann Arbor. The Reverend Father Michael Kelly is officiating.

Interment is to be in St. Thomas Cemetery in Ann Arbor. Rosary was recited Tuesday night.

Paul died March 6 at University of Michigan Hospital. He had lived in Novi most of his life and was an eighth grade student at Novi Middle School.

He was born November 14, 1962, in Ann Arbor to Gene Louise (Lindgren) and George T. O'Neal, Jr.

In addition to his parents, survivors include a brother, Thomas; three sisters, Carol, Martha and Kathleen; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George T. O'Neal, Sr., of Ann Arbor, and Mrs. Jennie O. Lindgren of Chicago.

In lieu of flowers the family suggests that friends wishing to do so, may contribute in Paul's memory to the research or charity of their choice.

Suspension set

A \$200 fine and a 14 day suspension, effective March 21, has been levied against Joe's Pantry of 680 West Eight Mile Road by the Michigan Liquor Control Commission.

The fine and license suspension is based on a charge of selling alcoholic beverage to a minor on December 18, 1976.

BARBARA NIELD

Barbara Adele Nield of 21753 Kilrush in Northville, six-week-old daughter of James M. and Martha (Smith) Nield, died February 23 in Warren. She had been ill since birth.

She was born January 14, 1977, in Royal Oak. Interment was in White Chapel in Troy.

In addition to her parents, survivors include a sister, Stacey; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Nield of New Canaan, Connecticut, and Mrs. Barbara Smith of Coldwater; great-grandparents, Mrs. James A. Nield of Aurora, Illinois; Mrs. Fred Freda of Park Ridge, Illinois; and Bion L. Bates of Ovid, Michigan.

ROBERT JAMES HURST

Private funeral services for Robert James Hurst, 76, of 8245 Euclid Street, in Salem were held Tuesday at Casterline Funeral Home, Incorporated, in Northville.

Interment was in Thayer Cemetery in Salem.

Mr. Hurst died March 6 at his Salem home after a month's illness. A World War II veteran, he had been a resident of the community for eight years.

He was born June 1, 1900, in Rogers City to Sam and Susan Hurst. He was preceded in death by his wife, Gussie.

He leaves two daughters, Mrs. Margaret McChristian of Detroit and Mrs. Marilyn Bryant of Salem; eight grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

AMY CHANEY

Mrs. Amy Jane Chaney, 78, of Indianapolis died March 1 unexpectedly while visiting her daughter in Novi.

In addition to Mrs. Alma Hellwege of Novi, she leaves three other daughters, Mrs. Nina Heering, Mrs. Eula VanHook and Ela, all of Indiana; two sons, Paul of Ohio, and Ray of Indiana; three sisters, Mrs. Ora Burdine, Mrs. Zella Speakes and Mrs. Hilda Finnily; two brothers, Esker and Artis Hash, all of Kentucky; 30 grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren.

A housewife, she was a member of South Baptist Church of Indianapolis. She was preceded in death by her husband.

Mrs. Chaney was born January 22, 1899, in Kentucky to John Tilford and Mary F. (Whitaker) Hash.

Square slates puppets,  
egg decorating events

Two free puppet shows will be given on the upper level of Northville Square this Saturday. Children are invited to see what Robert Pappineau's Critters are up to at 11 a.m. and at 2 p.m.

Mrs. Fay Stone's third and fourth grade class from Silver Springs School will tour the Cheese and Wine Barn next Thursday, March 17.

The class has been studying about goods and services and will learn about the development of a small business and its operation. Students also will learn about cheeses and specialty foods.

Free Ukrainian Easter Egg Decorating Classes will be held from 10 a.m. to noon and from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. next Saturday, March 19, on the upper level of the square.

Participants are to bring two raw eggs, a candle and a candle holder. Cost of supplies, which includes dye, beeswax, a stylist and informational sheet is \$1.50. Marge Wichorek from the Ukrainian community will teach the classes.

Reservations should be made by calling the Cheese and Wine Barn at 348-9280.

"The Week of the Young Child" will be celebrated at Northville Square from 10:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. March 25 and 26. Area nursery schools will have displays on the lower level and will be showing activities for young children. Parents are invited to bring their youngsters to learn more about preschool experiences.

China Decorators Guild of Detroit will hold its annual show and sale in the community room of Northville Square April 1 and 2. The show will be open from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. on the Friday and from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday. The show is free.

The work of Barbara Baluha, a Northville resident whose handpainted china won a blue ribbon at the Michigan State Fair last summer, will be on display.

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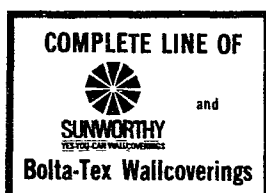
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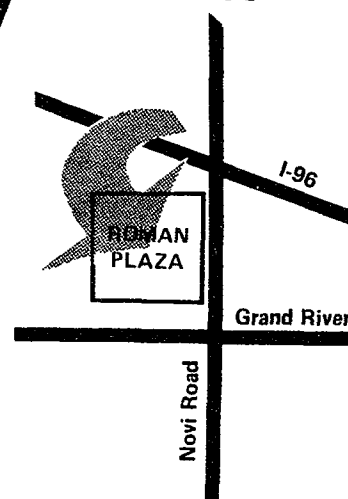
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# Township water department manager to retire

Frances Mattison, manager of the Northville township sewer and water department since its formation, is retiring the end of this month with the satisfaction of having operated "a virtually complaint-free department

known for its accurate billings." This in spite of the fact that it has grown from about 35 accounts when

organized in 1962 to the present 1,000 single residential and 1,500 multiple home customers.

The latter include King's Mill, Highland Lakes, Innsbrook and Northville Forest apartments.

She's also leaving a department that over the years has built up a million dollar reserve fund.

"By good management," she says, "the township has accumulated this amount which is restricted to future water development."

Fran Mattison's department is one that does make a profit.

She remembers going to register to vote when the family moved to 38661 Six Mile near Haggerty in 1955. She previously had worked on election boards in Detroit as well as for mortgage companies.

She mentioned this to Margaret Tegge, who said, "Sign up. We need election inspectors."

In addition to serving at elections, Mrs. Mattison began to fill in when help was needed at the township office.

"At that time the office was open four hours a day and it was a fun thing," she reminisces, recalling that the staff made \$1.25 an hour and could sit and read until some business came in.

When the water and sewer department was organized in 1962, she was asked to do the billing.

"There were something like 35 accounts, part of them on the old Child-Development Center line and part on the Wayne County interceptor," she says.

Then in 1967 Alex Lawrence (treasurer) asked her to take over the department's books and she was in charge from then on.

Last week, at a special township board meeting, approval was given for the purchase of a billing machine that will be programmed to put out the department's bills and provide for future development.

While Mrs. Mattison is retiring from water and sewer work, she hopes to continue to serve at elections.

A member of Northville Town Hall committee since its beginning 17 years ago, she plans to continue her involvement on its board of awards.

She also has been on the library commission since its beginning and hopes to continue. There's also a long-

time involvement with Northville Woman's Club as she served as its auditor many times.

Mrs. Mattison, who has worked under seven township supervisors, says she wants to stay right on in their home on Six Mile Road. Her husband, Roy, retired earlier this year with 30 years' service at General Motors.

Members of the World-Wide Travel Club, they have been to Europe four times and now are on a wait-list for a Spring trip to Hawaii. If that doesn't materialize, says Fran Mattison,

they'll plan a jaunt to Florida.

As the grandmother of three, she's also anticipating seeing more of Arron, Jennifer and two-week-old Eric.

"Eric and Jennifer are children of her son, James, and his wife who live in Roseville. Arron is the son of her daughter, Janice Knobloch. She and her family live in Chelsea.

The Mattisons' youngest child, Jason, a teacher at Hawthorn Center, is married and lives in Plymouth where he also teaches nights at Plymouth High School.



Fran Mattison checks water meters by her desk

## Book fair set in Novi

Village Oaks Elementary will host a Book Fair March 14-18 which will be open to the public. It will be held in the school's library.

Educational Reading Services, a professional book fair company, will be furnishing an

individual selection of books, puzzles and enrichment activities. Publishers will provide books in all popular price ranges with subjects including classics, fiction, biographies, adventure stories, science, nature, crafts,

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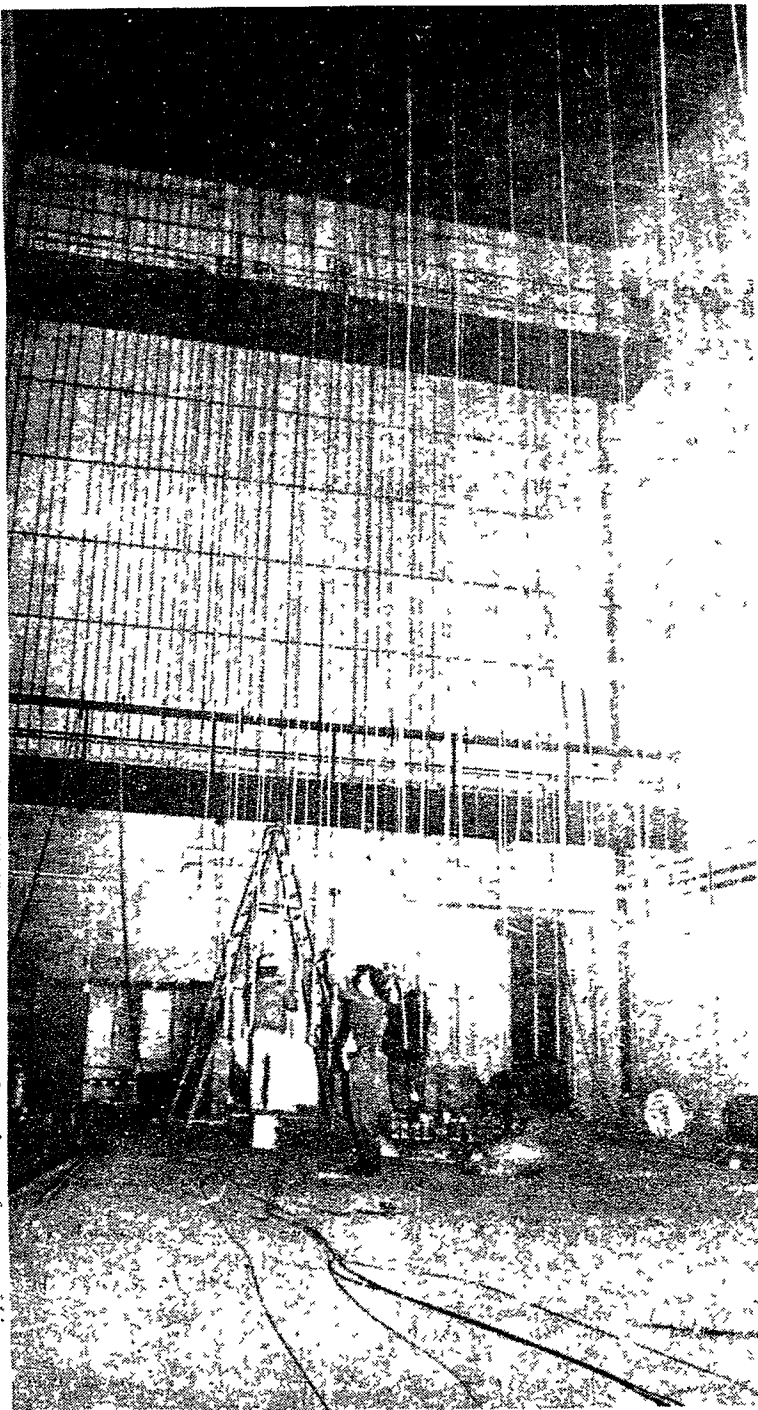
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## 'Prisons needed'

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Martha Hoyer. "If you end parole reform, you must have some place to put them. If no one supports them because it's in your backyard, there won't be any institutions."

"I don't know of many places where their crime rate is greater because of these facilities," said Councilman Philip Goodman.



## A rigged set-up

Stage hands and iron workers from Knoxville Scenic Studios, Inc. trim chains to level the stage curtain rigging in the auditorium of the new Novi High School. The auditorium, which will be used by the public as well as the school district, will be one of the best-equipped high school stage facilities in the Detroit metropolitan area. The new school is scheduled to open in the fall of this year.

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# Testing is explored by Novi School Board

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may vary according to background of the student."

Another criticism voiced was that not enough tests are given which can be correlated to determine if a student has progressed.

"Everytime someone tries to draw a correlation, someone says you can't compare them," stated Murphy.

Trustee Ruth Waldenmayer said that she had read of a school district that created its own tests which were designed to see if objectives had been met over the years.

"A lot of schools in our district do that with the help of the county," said Mrs. Crowther. "This is something to look into."

After examining the test results presented at the meeting, one resident charged that "I don't see why we have to settle for mediocrity. We're paying for a Cadillac and getting a Volkswagen."

Ernest Bauer, assistant director of Measurements and Guidance for Oakland Schools when asked by Dr. Kratz if the district was getting a Volkswagen replied "Do you mean I sent my kids here? Why not?"

According to Mrs. Crowther, the tests that have been given indicate that the students are scoring above average up until high school at which point the results are slightly lower.

Mrs. Crowthers reviewed in detail with the board the various tests given. "We also give other tests which do not lend themselves to group analysis," she said. "I think we've got a good idea of what our kids do without plaguing our kids to death with tests."

The tests given included:

- Otis-Lennon Mental Ability Test, grade three. This test is an aptitude test which provides an assessment of general mental ability or scholastic ability and measures the pupil's facility in reasoning. Test was given in December and showed an I.Q. (Intelligence Quota) of 108.1, well above the "normal" 100. Sixty-five percent have an average ability or potential for learning.

- Stanford Achievement Test, grade five. This measures student achievement in various academic areas including reading, math,

language, spelling, auditory skills, social sciences and science. Test given in October. Average score of the group was 52.5. Only 30 students scored below average while in a "normal population" 68 of 200 would score below average.

- Otis-Lennon-Stanford Achievement Test Analysis. Though not a specific test, the matching of the performance of the same students who took the Otis-Lennon test in the third grade and the Stanford Achievement Test in the fifth grade shows whether the students tested are working up to their capabilities. The comparison showed that of 88 students checked, 13 students scored lower on the achievement test than the Otis-Lennon mental ability test would have indicated. Thirty-two students scored above expectations while the remainder was within the expected range.

- Differential aptitude test, grade eight. This test is scored on separate norms for boys and girls. Subtests cover verbal reasoning, numerical ability, abstract reasoning, clerical speed and accuracy, mechanical reasoning, space relations and spelling and language use. Tests were given in January with mean score for girls 54.9 and for boys 54.8. "The boys' performance was a little more uneven, but both groups had a larger than expected number scoring within an average to much above average range, 108 of 115 girls and 83 of 96 boys."

- Stanford Test of Academic Skills. This measures performance of basic skills of reading, English, and mathematics. As a pilot program for tenth graders, only 42 were given the test. The mean scores were: 50.1 in reading; 49.3 in English; and 48.8 in math. The report says "In reading, more of our tenth graders achieved an average score than one might expect in a normal population with only nine scoring above average compared to an expected 13. Fewer of our students, however, scored below average. English and math were similar to reading in their configuration with greater than expected scoring average and fewer scoring at the two extremes."

- Stanford Test of Academic Skills, grade 12. Thirty-four 12th graders were selected randomly. Mean scores were reading, 51.3; English 48.7, and math 51.0. "The scores on this test distributed themselves fairly close to normal expectations or to the normal curve, although the variability of scores (standard deviation) was higher than on the group of tenth graders. The twelfth-grade group had fewer students which would tend to increase the variance."

Michigan Assessment Test provides achievement measures in reading and math. In the fourth grade 93.1 percent of the students attained 75 to 100 percent of the objectives in math while 71.6 percent attained 75-100 percent of the objectives in reading. In the seventh grade 68.4 percent of the students attained 75 percent or more of the math objectives and 71.3 percent more than 75 percent of the reading objectives. Since 1973 Novi students have decreased the percentage attaining less than 50 percent of the objectives while increasing the percentage scoring 75 to 100 percent of the objectives.

## With police

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program in order for students to get a real head start.

Ted suggests, however, that the alternative education program should be expanded to an additional teacher so that a greater range of subjects can be provided.

Sergeant Dale Gross who has overseen the work done by Ted says he is impressed with the program.

"I think it's a good program. If a young man applies himself, you get out about what you put in. Ted has worked out well. He applied himself and got a lot out of it. He's turned out to be a good mechanic."

# Needs committee finishes report

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The report recommends that the city within the next 24 months purchase the municipal complex property at a cost of \$312,000 while developing a plan to fund purchase of the site. The city should lease the second phase of the Novi Library for use as city office space at an estimated cost of \$310,000. Then the city should expand police department facilities to the vacated city complex at a cost of \$5,000 followed by completing plans and specifications for the entire city complex at a cost of \$150,000.

The first phase of the project, which includes all of the above items, is estimated at \$780,000.

Phase II, according to report is construction of a police facility in the next 2-5 years at a cost of \$2 million.

Phase III, for 5-10 years in the future calls for completion of a city hall, community building, municipal complex and expansion of DPW site and facilities for a total phase III cost of \$3 million.

The report recommends asking for bond issue approval by the voters for phases I and II with phase III left to "future funding".

The parks and recreation portion of the report recommends that in 3-5 years the city:

- Develop comprehensive recreational program for all age groups.
- Develop employment program for Novi teenagers.
- Develop land acquisition program.
- Develop neighborhood park program.
- Conduct in depth study on private parks.

Long range, the report recommends:

- Implement 10-year land acquisition program.
- Plan and initiate major city park complex.

- Plan and implement a basic program for constructing and maintaining neighborhood parks.
- Plan and construct community centers in populated sector of the city.

The report also recommends the implementation of a citywide storm water drainage system as an integral part of the city's park and recreation areas.

Financially, the parks and recreation portion of the report recommends a half mill increase for the department and a future millage proposal for development and maintenance of citywide storm water drainage and park system.

The city services subcommittee recommends:

- The city stay out of the trash collection business

- Police department should add police officers to provide for a minimum of two patrol cars on all shifts.

- The fire department should remain as it is until the regional fire study is completed.

- The city should hire a recreation director (this has already been done).

- The city should insure that staffing levels are made in relation to actual needs and revenues.

- There should be consolidation of as many city departments as possible if one central location to promote efficiency.

## Tanker out of service

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Hoyer who pushed for the immediate acceptance of bids for the base station, the fire department, which has been dispatched out of Walled Lake during its recent problems ran into trouble recently when Walled Lake's dispatchers were tied up on their own calls and refused to relay Novi Fire department messages. That occurred during a fire run and the fire department had to use Milford dispatchers to get relay messages.

The city council had delayed purchase of the new radio several weeks while trying to satisfy bidding requirements. The council received three bids Monday night and originally

decided to hold off on awarding the bids until the specifications could be checked. One bid came in at twice the amount of the low bid.

An appeal by Wesson for action by the council persuaded that body that the bids were correct and that expediency on the matter was necessary.

"Every week we hold off, we're adding another week to that 6-8 weeks for delivery," agreed Mrs. Hoyer.

The low bid was from Standard Electronics for \$1,400 for a 100-watt 12-channel unit.

Until it arrives, however, Wesson said the department is trying to borrow a radio for use in the interim. He admitted, however, that such a setup "is highly unusual".

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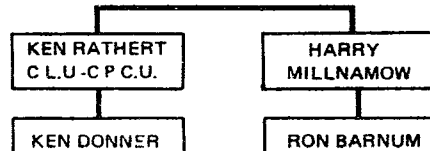
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And in the case of Northville Township, it also could be costly for taxpayers who up until now have shown little concern for what is happening, apparently, behind closed doors.

Supervisor Wilson Grier prefers to smoke-screen township secrecy behind a curtain of charges that an uncooperative newspaper is trying to run township government. Undoubtedly, his charges will be cheered by many.

But the fact of the matter is that it is Mr. Grier who, because of his penchant for secrecy, has been uncooperative. Furthermore, this newspaper never has nor will it ever attempt to "run" township hall. It couldn't even if it wanted to.

We do, however, insist that Mr. Grier and the township board govern legally and that they conduct their township business out in the open where it can be judged in the public arena. By its secrecy, the board manages, perhaps, to satisfy its own ego, but it also demeans its constituency and endangers the public it pretends to serve.

As things stand now, the board through its supervisor may have cost the township \$42,000 in federal revenue monies, set in motion the eventual depletion of the water and sewer fund, forced the early retirement of the water and sewer department office manager, deprived its citizens of the opportunity to hear arguments and counter-arguments that produced the proposed 1977-78 budget, and perhaps set the stage for abolishment of joint services.

Either because of ignorance or deliberate deceit, the supervisor initially intended that tomorrow's public hearing on federal revenue funds would suffice as the annual public hearing on the new township budget. Caught in his blunder or scheme, Mr. Grier quickly backtracked and announced later that the hearing on the budget would be held March 22. His public notice today fails, however, to disclose even a single budget figure.

As for the hearings on federal revenue sharing, one of which was held last week and the other to be held tomorrow, Mr. Grier chastised the newspaper for questioning his intentions. He insisted that he was merely following the law.

Federal officials in Washington, D.C. think differently. The notice of tomorrow's hearing was clearly in violation of the law, and therefore action taken by the township board last Thursday and any action it may take at tomorrow's hearing is illegal.

Among other things, the notice failed to spell out how the township board intended to use federal revenues and it failed to provide an opportunity for the public to inspect the plan for its use and the proposed budget summary.

If it were not for Mr. Grier's repeated attempts to conduct township business in secret, one might excuse his actions as mistakes of a newly-elected official who knows not what he is doing. That is not the case. Mr. Grier knows exactly what he is doing by withholding information from the public. What the public doesn't know it cannot criticize, he reasons.

His actions have placed the township in a precarious position. To salvage federal revenue monies the board may have to rehold last week's hearing and tomorrow's hearing.

And if it does that, it may be forced to delay adoption of the proposed 1977-78 budget since the hearing on federal revenues must occur at least seven days before the budget's adoption. And if it holds no new hearings, it jeopardizes the financial stability of the township.

We cannot be certain, nor can the public, what the board's intentions are relative to the water and sewer monies because its budget deliberations have been held in secret. But a sufficient number of people, inside and outside of government, have voiced concerns to warrant our suspicion.

Perhaps there is good reason for the use of some of this money. We don't know because the public has not been given an opportunity to hear the board's reasoning.

As for joint services, we strongly suspect that several board members would like nothing better than to abolish one or more of these services and establish separate departments. How they intend to do this, given the township's financial condition, remains a mystery.

It is interesting and no less alarming that the board, according to the supervisor, had hammered together a budget by last week — even though it has yet to reach an agreement with the city on the financing of joint services. Unless, of course, the board has hidden reserves in its proposed budget that are not represented in its \$110,766 contractual outlay, it would appear the board is allowing less money for joint services in the new budget than it provided for in last year's budget.

Indeed, going into a joint meeting with the city council yesterday, the township was proposing a fire department pact that asks the city to provide a full-time fire chief while sharing a larger proportion of costs than was required last year. Given the city's contention that last year's sharing formula was unfair to the city, there appears to be no likelihood that the city will accept a still greater burden.

All of which could mean the end of this joint service, which inevitably will cost both city and township more monies to operate independently.

But a separate department may be just what the township is aiming for. It remains to be seen if township taxpayers are ready to finance it.



REVEREND KRUGER

## YES . . .

Assuming that we as the people of the United States are committed to a world of peace and justice where human rights are respected, protected and enhanced, it makes sense to me to reduce our arms sales abroad.

I don't see how a continuing escalation of armaments among the smaller, developing countries of the world contributes to world peace. Are we not adding, though on the smaller scale, to the balance of terror now held by the nuclear powers?

It can be argued that if we do not supply country B with a certain missile system, it will be almost defenseless against neighboring country A. But how has that argument worked in the past? As soon as country B got the missile system, country A felt it was in an inferior position and added to its arsenal — sometimes also from U.S. suppliers. Thus the escalation continued.

When will it stop? If not now, when?

I believe our country has an immense responsibility and a great opportunity to contribute to world peace by reducing its arms sales abroad. I am not advocating the elimination of such sales, but a reduction.

By handling requests with a greater priority to world peace and brotherhood and by providing other kinds of assistance besides military hardware, we can contribute to the defusing of the tensions and armed confrontations that periodically erupt on our small planet.

Reverend David Kruger  
Brighton

## Speaking for Myself

# Curb arms selling abroad?



GLENN MILLER

## NO . . .

This is a very unpopular position to defend when the SALT — Strategic Arms Limitation Talks are trying to limit the buildup of weapons, and have "Balance of Power". However, to properly understand the conservative position certain facts must be discussed.

Ever since a person's earliest school days, there was a "Bully" that controlled others with fear. President Teddy Roosevelt had the solution to other "Bullies" when he suggested, "Carry a Big Stick." That principle still applies today, that if we are strong enough, no one will dare attack.

How nice it is to have friends, not personal friends but friends of our country (allies.) Certainly, there are friendly countries that need equipment. It only makes good sense to sell this equipment to our friends. Note the very important word "Sell" — not lend lease, or a grant, or a loan, but sell the equipment.

Certainly, if our friends can have equipment to protect themselves, it gives them strength to negotiate. Certainly it is better to negotiate from a position of strength, than from a position of weakness.

Certainly we want to sell to our friends and allies, not the enemy, or that ineffective organization, the U.N., where both sides are controlled by the same group. Certainly, it is better, as the old adage says, "Be a friend, before you need a friend."

Glen Miller

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

### Photographic Sketches . . .

By JIM GALBRAITH



The last of winter?

## An Editorial

# Shifting of sub to Novi justified

A citizen of Brookland Farms echoed our sentiments recently when he asked why the subdivision doesn't become a part of the Novi School District.

School district boundaries, particularly between Northville and Novi, have long been a problem — not only for the governing bodies involved but for homeowners and businesses as well.

The situation in Brookland Farms is especially perplexing.

Much of it is located in Novi Township, a smaller portion in the City of Novi. It carries this dual municipal designation because most of its residents preferred not to become part of the city upon incorporation a number of years ago.

Brookland Farms, though within eyesight of the new Novi High School, is located in Northville School District. It has this "neighbor" allegiance because of annexation of a country school district to the Northville school system years ago.

Interestingly, the Novi superintendent of schools is a resident of this Novi subdivision and because it is located in the Northville district his children and the children of other subdivision families are bused to Northville schools.

Furthermore, even though the subdivision is a mile inside the Novi municipal boundary, it carries a Northville mailing address.

Recent school district boundary changes corrected some of the irregularities. But others, such as Brookland Farms, remain, making a section of Novi part of a neighbor's jurisdiction.

We believe this irregularity should be changed.

It is ludicrous to have Novi children of Brookland Farms bused to Northville High School when these children live within walking distance of the new Novi High School located within their own community.

Initially, there was a good reason for the busing of Novi children to Northville. Novi didn't have its own high school. Now, however, not only does it have a high school it also has a new one under construction at the southeast corner of Taft and 10 Mile roads that will be second to none in the metropolitan area in offering educational and recreational opportunities.

Fragmentation of Novi because of the postal district is also absurd. Brookland Farms is a Novi subdivision, and as such its mail should carry a Novi address.

## We welcome your letters

This newspaper welcomes Letters to the Editor. We ask, however, that they be limited to 500 words and that they contain the signature, address and telephone number of the writer. Deadline for submission is 12 noon Monday. Names will be withheld upon request. We reserve the right to edit letters for brevity, clarity and libel.



## Readers Speak

# Prison, township, fire chief, coaching draw letters

### Prison fight support lauded

To the Editor:  
The Western Wayne County Residents' Association is most appreciative and thankful for the areawide support given its effort to combat any penal use of the Wayne County Child Development Center. The large number of area residents who attended the March 1 meeting of the Public Works Committee of the Board of County Commissioners served to convince the committee that the area would not stand for another penal use and resulted in the committee unanimously adopting a resolution opposing such use.

Such resolution is not the end of the problem. The action of the Public Works Committee was merely a recommendation to the full Board of Wayne County Commissioners consisting of 27 individual commissioners representing 27 districts of Wayne County.

The recommendation of the Public Works Committee goes before the full Board of Wayne County Commissioners at its next regularly scheduled meeting on Thursday, March 17th next.

It is extremely imperative and important that you continue to make known your opposition to penal use. This is particularly so as to those commissioners not members of the Public Works Committee. To have the entire Board of Wayne County Commissioners refuse to adopt the recommendation of the Public Works Committee would be a severe setback to our efforts.

We, therefore, urge you to individually write each Commissioner a personal letter expressing your opposition to penal use setting forth your reasons in accordance with your belief. Such letters should be in the hands of the commissioners before March 17th next.

To assist you in this effort herewith is a list of the names and addresses of each of the 27 Wayne County Commissioners.

John Barr — 23211 N. Brookside, Dearborn Heights, Michigan 48125;  
Clemens E. Bykowski — 12661 Grayfield, Detroit, Michigan 48223;  
Arthur M. Carter — 19479 Lauder, Detroit, Michigan 48235;

Paul G. Citkowski — 3871 Junction, Detroit, Michigan 48210;  
Jackie L. Currie — 3560 E. Willis, Detroit, Michigan 48207;

Mary E. Dumas — 17659 Loveland, Livonia, Michigan 48152;  
Edgar L. Harris — 25224 Filmore, Taylor, Michigan 48180;

George Z. Hart — 4200 Roemer, Dearborn, Michigan 48126;

George F. Killeen — 9555 Chalmers, Detroit, Michigan 48213;  
John J. Korney — 16771 Patton, Detroit, Michigan 48219;

Conrad L. Mallett — W.C. Community College, 503 Garfield Building, 4612 Woodward, Detroit, Michigan 48201;  
Richard E. Manning — 23861 W. McNichols Road, Detroit, Michigan 48219;

Edward K. Michalski — 8148 E. McNichols Road, Detroit, Michigan 48234;

Alex Pilch — 1793 Venice, Dearborn, Michigan 48124;

Thomas Presnell — 29053 Manchester, Westland, Michigan 48185;  
Rose Mary C. Robinson — 4221 Avery, Detroit, Michigan 48208;

Jarrette Simmons — 599 Meadowbrook, Detroit, Michigan 48214;

Royce E. Smith — 240 W. Columbia Avenue, Belleville, Michigan 48111;  
Ervin A. Steiner, Jr. — 12730 E. Warren, Detroit, Michigan 48215;

William Sullivan — 1729 Eleventh Street, Wyandotte, Michigan 48192;  
William G. Suzore — 1474 Montie, Lincoln Park, Michigan 48146;

Samuel A. Turner — 17363 Wyoming, Detroit, Michigan 48221;

Norbert Wisniewski — 17316 Detroit, Michigan 48205;  
Chester Wozniak — 2115 Caniff, Hamtramck, Michigan 48212;

Clarence R. Young — 3800 Tenth Street, Ecorse, Michigan 48229;  
Loretta Young — 14304 Schoolcraft, Detroit, Michigan 48227; and

Maxcine Young — 7720 LaSalle Blvd., Detroit, Michigan 48206.

Once again please accept our sincere thanks for the cooperation received to date from residents, associations, organizations and municipalities concerned with this problem.

Western Wayne County Residents' Association  
R. B. Northrop  
W. T. Miron  
W. L. Phillips

### Rips supervisor's actions in township

To the Editor:

Because of a male chauvinistic attitude of a southern boy, the Township of Northville is losing a very dedicated and loyal employee in the Water & Sewer Department.

A field man with less than five-year tenure with the township who lacks both the know-how and experience to manage this department has been put in charge. (He just happens to be a city resident).

Of course, he's going to be ably assisted by a \$25,000 computer which by some magical push of its buttons will do all the billing, keep the books, and prepare budgets.

I suspect there's a little, "You scratch my back and I'll scratch yours," going on in this department.

Township residents in the Main Street-Clement Road area should be very sure of all the facts and know exact costs before they sign any petitions approving water lines in their area. Don't let someone trying to feather his cap railroad this through. Ask for a breakdown of costs — get all the facts!

As Mr. Serkaian quoted in his letter to the editor, February 23, 1977, "You 'stole the job' didn't you, Mr. Grier. Did someone owe you a favor? Because you, citizen, can't get it done that cheap!"

Private citizens or elected officials — we're all entitled to fair play. Make it your business to get the facts.

A Concerned Township Resident

### 'Joint services' needs support

Editor's Note: The following letter was sent to Northville Township Supervisor Wilson Grier with copy to The Record.

Dear Mr. Grier:  
Joint operation of services are the least expensive, most beneficial way to serve the public.

Take whatever time is necessary to work out the differences between the township and the city. But don't give up the joint services!

Sincerely,  
Frank Zimmerman  
Faye Zimmerman

### He attacks interpretation

To the Editor:

Mr. Patrick Montagano, Livonia Churchill Basketball Coach, has admirably defended his fellow coach, Mr. Walt Koepke. However, I must take issue with his interpretation of my letter.

First of all, Mr. Montagano, nowhere in my letter did I mention Mr. Koepke's role as a teacher. I understand, however, that he is a very good teacher. You are also correct in pointing out that I failed to mention even "one redeeming quality". He probably has many redeeming qualities; however, later in your own letter you aptly point out that "when the final line is written it doesn't ask about character during the game or it doesn't describe the great desire and good morale the team exhibits or even how

many played, but what was the final outcome. No one hires a coach because he is all things to all people, you usually hire him on his won-loss record."

If I read you correctly, you are saying that Mr. Koepke can use any method while coaching as long as he has lots of "redeeming" qualities while not coaching. Even if I could accept that logic, the record speaks for itself. Koepke's won-loss record, except for one season, is pathetic.

You also point out Mr. Koepke's hard work and long hours. I find that very commendable, but most coaches do this and consider it part of the job. Almost every manager or supervisor in business is a hard worker, but that alone does not make a successful leader. You imply that on the other hand the players resented his hard-driving tactics. The resentment and lack of respect was a direct result of unequal application of his own rules and a constant lack of understanding as to what Koepke expected from the boys. Example:

Two key players were gone over Christmas vacation. One of Koepke's unwritten rules for several years has been "he who goes on vacation over Christmas need not return." After vacation was over, he got off the hook by stating that he never had any such rule. He told the team that he would not start the two boys but that he would have to play them because if he didn't the rest of the team was so bad they would "stink up the gym". The two boys played over half the game, but Northville still lost. Later in the season another boy went out of town with his parents and when he returned he was told that he could not even wear his uniform in the next game. Explain that one to the team. In my humble opinion neither situation was handled correctly. This type of treatment went on all year.

The reason, Mr. Montagano, for not complaining before should be obvious. As long as I had a son playing for Koepke no way was I going to risk his career. Three weeks before I wrote my letter I had a talk with Koepke concerning my son. No one knew of that talk, including my son and even my wife. Instead of improving the situation, it for all practical purposes finished my son's career. Yes — I'll tell the public that I wrote the letter because my son was not playing. However, before you, Mr. Montagano, and you, the public, accept that as the only issue, I strongly suggest that you get all the facts. Talk to the other parents, to school officials, the boys. My son graduates — I have nothing to gain for next year except some hope for the boys returning.

Mr. Montagano, why not ask the parents of the boys who are either attending or plan to attend Divine Child, Catholic Central, or other parochial schools what the real reasons are for not attending Northville? The main reason is the quality of education. If you have lived in Northville for 15 years, you should know how our school stacks up to the parochial schools. The second reason is coaching — they do not want their sons playing for Koepke.

Last, but not least, please do not give our illustrious superintendent credit for hiring the "best man". A man with the attitude towards athletics that Mr. Spear has wouldn't know a good coach

if he saw one. However, that is another story.

Richard W. Brewer  
45075 Mayo Court  
Northville, Michigan 48167

### Novi fire chief draws criticism

To the Editor:

This is an open letter to Chief Bell, Novi Fire Department.

I have waited these two days vainly in the hope that you would issue a denial of the scandalous statements contributed to you in the current issue of The Novi News concerning denigration of the volunteers of the Walter Tuck Fire Hall (Station Two). Sadly, this was not forthcoming, so I can only assume the statements were quoted with a degree of accuracy.

"Therefore, I feel I must speak out not only in my defense but in the defense of my fellow firefighters as I believe it to be a great injustice not only to the men assigned to the station in question but to all the firefighters of the Novi Fire Department.

As the officer in charge of a fire hall, I can readily sympathize with the complexity of your position. I, too, know the frustrations of trying to do a vital service for the community and I also know the uncertainty experienced each and every time the alarm is sounded, who will be there and will there be enough manpower? But that unfortunately is the nature of the business.

A volunteer is just that, a volunteer. He has already put in his hours of work; he's tired, he is in fact trying to hold down three separate life styles. His regular job, of course, must come first. His family must be fed, clothed and housed and more importantly he must have time for them. This time then must be shared with the volunteer fire department.

He has left family and friends on all occasions to rush out into the most severe weather to man the hoses and help his neighbor in trouble, not because of the pittance he receives each month but because he has a strong desire to help his fellow man. And if he should demand better tools and better training to in effect do the job with less danger to himself and the citizens, I feel he is completely within his rights and is in fact using good judgment.

After all, sir, you and I are both aware firefighting is the most dangerous occupation there is and these statistics are daily being supplemented by the ranks of fully paid, highly-trained, professional firefighters who start their day off fresh, not having to put eight or more hours in a factory or some other type of employment.

Therefore, sir, when you attempt to bring discredit to one segment of this organization, you inadvertently created doubts and feelings of distrust amongst all the firefighters because there must be comradeship between all firefighters because they must not only work together for a common cause but do, in fact, place their lives in each others' hands.

This is why I feel I must protest any personal attack of the character of any and all members of the Novi Fire Department. Help us to help ourselves if you will to be a better firefighter and an improved fire department, but

please don't destroy what we already have by unjust printed newspaper type of criticism which, in my opinion, only alienates rather than helps.

Respectfully,  
Sgt. Lawrence E. Wesson

### 'Silent majority' speaks on prison

To the Editor:

The Silent Majority is no longer silent! Some 200-plus citizens let their voices be heard on Tuesday, March 1st, at the City-County Building in Detroit, before a meeting of the Wayne County Public Works Committee.

The first step proved to be total victory, because of organized involvement and concern about the future of our beloved area. Thanks largely to the eloquence of Commissioner Mary Dumas, the perseverance of Township Supervisor Grier and especially to Co-Chairmen

Northrop and Miron, and all of the men and women, who took the time to organize the community! No Prison Here!

Weekly reports by Northville City and Township Police in the "Record" Police Blotter column, tell of escapes from both Northville State Hospital, and DeHoCo, most of whom are said to be considered dangerous! Our constabulary seems helpless to stem this tide of escapes by serious offenders, and dangerous mental cases alike! The percentage of recapture of these people seems far from 100 percent.

Adding fuel to the fire by considering further deterioration of the area with an additional penal institution being erected in the township, will only tend to compound an already fearful situation. The citizens, and property owners, in Northville City and Northville Township who have invested their future in living free of terror and apprehension have spoken! Let your voices continue to be heard!

Hans P. Lahr

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**NOTICE OF ENACTMENT**  
**CITY OF NORTHVILLE**

The City Council of the City of Northville, on Monday, March 7, 1977 at City Hall, has adopted an ordinance to adopt by reference the Uniform Traffic Code for Michigan Cities, Townships and Villages.

The City of Northville ordains that:  
The Code is summarized as follows:

Section 5-101 Code Adopted  
The Uniform Traffic Code for Cities, Townships and Villages promulgated by the Commissioner of the State Police on February 14, 1958 and published in Supplement No. 13, and as amended on February 14, 1961 and published in Supplement No. 25, and on February 26, 1958 and published in Supplement No. 54 and August 4, 1976 published in Supplement 88, to the 1954 Michigan Administrative Code, in accordance with Public Act 62 of 1956, State of Michigan is hereby adopted by reference as in this ordinance modified.

Section 5-102 References in Code  
References in the Uniform Traffic Code for Michigan Cities, Townships and Villages to "Governmental Unit" shall mean the City of Northville.

Section 5-103 Changes in Code  
The following sections and sub-sections of the Uniform Traffic Code for Cities, Townships and Villages are hereby amended or deleted as set forth and additional sections and sub-sections are added as indicated. Subsequent section numbers used in this Ordinance shall refer to the like numbered sections of the Uniform Traffic Code.

Section 8.25 Parking Between Curb and Lot Line — On All Streets

Section 8.26 Parking on Shoulder of Streets

Section 5.14A Careless Driving

Section 5.15 Driving Under Influence of Intoxicating Liquor or Narcotic Drugs

Section 5.15B Driving Under Influence of Intoxicating Liquor or Drugs while Ability Impaired

Section 5-104 Notice to be Published

Section 5-105 Conflicting Ordinances Repealed


A complete copy of this proposed ordinance is on file for public inspection during regular business hours at the City Clerk's Office.

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Section 7.3 An ordinance which is declared therein to be an emergency ordinance which is immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health or safety may be enacted at the meeting at which it is introduced or otherwise before publication or may be given earlier effect than ten days after enactment or both.

Joan McAllister  
City Clerk

Publish: 3-9-77  
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**CITY OF NORTHVILLE**  
**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

Notice is hereby given that the City Council intends to terminate City water service to the following customers effective October 1, 1977:

(1) All properties in the Township served by a four-inch (4") water line, or smaller extension thereof, or by other separate lines smaller than four inches (4") which lines connect to the City's six-inch (6") main at the intersection of W. Main Street and Clement Road.

(2) All properties in the Township served by extensions of the four-inch (4") line in Fairbrook (i.e., Seven Mile Road) west of Orchard Drive.

Notice is hereby given that the City Council will hold a public hearing on Monday, March 21, 1977, in the Northville City Hall at 8 PM to give an opportunity to said customers to present any statements or other information concerning the proposed service termination.

Publish: 3-9-77  
Joan McAllister,  
City Clerk

### Three win awards

Three Northville ninth-grade entries in the annual Southeastern Michigan Scholastic Writing Awards Program sponsored by The Detroit News have won certificates of commendation.

Winners are Robin Georgoff for poetry; Nancy Anne Joslin for a sketch; and Jane Kaester for a short short story.

All are Cooke Junior High students. Cooke students were encouraged to enter the junior division of the writing competition for the first time this year.

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# Fears voiced over water fund use

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Of the \$12,000 rent, the water and sewer department was charged \$3,600 two years ago, \$7,000 last year, and in the proposed new budget "we'll be paying the whole \$12,000," a spokesman said. "No way is that fair."

Another pointed to the purchase of the \$25,500 building machine.

"The commission didn't request this equipment and we didn't approve it. Obviously, it won't be used only for water and sewer billing so why should this department pay for the whole thing?"

Although the use of water and sewer funds for partially used equipment by the department and the use of such monies for totally unrelated equipment and services "apparently is not illegal," it is certainly improper," this newspaper has learned.

Lawsuits have been started elsewhere by water and sewer customers, charging that in lieu of increased taxes they are being billed at higher than necessary rates to generate general operational monies.

Ironically, in the City of Romulus a lawsuit is in the making for just the opposite reasons. There a move is afoot to tap general operational funds to offset deficits in the water and sewer account.

"Lawyers here have stated it is illegal to use monies that way," a Romulus authority said.

"In your case (Northville Township) I would think your water and sewer customers would have good reason to sue because the rates must be so high they can generate a surplus like that."

Frances Mattison, office manager of the water and sewer department, reportedly is resigning because "she is afraid the same thing is going to happen to the water and sewer money that

happened to the township's public improvement monies."

The reference is to a public improvement fund which at one time nearly reached \$200,000.

But over the last two or three years, this account was "tapped" when the township ran into financial difficulty. The money was "borrowed" until last year it had been reduced to \$47,000. At that time the board voted to use up the remainder of the public works money and to not repay any of it.

According to another source within the township hall, the board "doesn't intend to tap the department's restricted account...at least not yet, but it's going to use money from the water and sewer department's annual operational budget."

It is a "backdoor method" of using restricted monies, because it is from the operational budget that monies are transferred to the restricted fund, the source claimed.

Supervisor Grier reportedly has told commission members that the board will use water and sewer monies whether or not it has the commission's concurrence. He has reminded commissioners that they are appointed by the board and only serve as advisors.

Grier plans to name Walter Holinoty, field superintendent of the water and sewer department, to replace Mrs. Mattison.

Reportedly, he planned to place Holinoty in complete charge even before Mrs. Mattison's decision to retire early.

One source said, "Holinoty is a very competent individual and very likely would do a good job. But it boils down to this: Grier doesn't think too much of women in government, particularly in supervisory roles."

## Supervisor rips newspaper

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on the proposed 1977-78 budget?" And the supervisor replied he would have to call back with the answer.

Upon returning his call, Grier said it would not be the hearing on the budget, and then angrily denounced the newspaper for its insinuations. "We've bent over backwards to try to accommodate you people. You're not going to tell us how to run our business."

He refused to disclose the budget figures, other than to point to the three categories previously mentioned and observe that these "are ballpark figures" and "they're all you're going to get."

Concerning the two hearings — one held last Thursday and the other to be held tomorrow — the federal revenue sharing office in Washington, D.C. confirmed that they are required by new regulations.

Published notification of those hearings are illegal, the department said because they —

—Failed to be published at least 10 days prior to the hearings.

—Failed to spell out the amounts of the revenue funds and how they were proposed to be used.

—Failed to notify the public that a plan for the proposed use of federal revenues and the summary budget was on file at the township hall for public inspection.

—Failed to supply the newspaper with a copy of the plan of use and the summary budget.

As for the published summary budget, the department said it could not determine if it satisfied the law without studying it in context with the entire budget.

The federal department also said that tomorrow's hearing could have been a budget hearing to satisfy its requirement, although not necessarily the requirement of state statutes governing townships.

On Friday, after the newspaper's inquiry about the meaning of tomorrow's hearing and after a request for a copy of the budget, Grier

delivered a notice for a budget hearing to be held on March 22.

That notice, published in this newspaper today, does not include any budget figures. It indicates only that a copy of the proposed budget is available, beginning today, for inspection at the township hall.

### Orchestra set

The Interlochen Arts Academy Orchestra will be performing in Northville later this month as part of the Junior Entertainment Series of the PTA Coordinating Council.

The orchestra, which includes 13 to 18-year-olds, will be at the Meads Mill cafeteria on Monday, March 21, at 8 p.m.

Tickets, \$1.50 for adults and 50 cents for children, are available from Paper and Spice on Main Street in Northville or at the door.

The academy is a co-educational private high school with equal emphasis on pre-professional training in fine arts and college-preparatory curriculum in academics.

For further information, call Joanne Bennett at 349-7614.

### Decision near

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Other states — California, Arizona, New Mexico, Minnesota and Massachusetts — are also in the running.

State promoters are hoping that Michigan's record of private research and its extremely low share of federal research and development funds will combine to sway federal opinion.

Outstanding industrial, technological and educational resources, a highly-skilled work force, and an extensive expressway system are also seen as pluses for a southeast Michigan location.



### Repeat performance

A repeat performance is in store for the more than 200 area residents who were bused to Detroit last week to demonstrate their opposition to the proposed establishment of a state prison on the Child Development Center grounds in Northville Township. The proposal, which was unanimously rejected by the public works subcommittee of the Wayne County Board of Commissioners last week, goes before the entire board next week Thursday. Buses for next week's board hearing in Detroit also are being planned by the citizens' group opposing the prison.

## Joint services pact looks unlikely here

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Addition of a full-time chief would increase this difference significantly, they observed.

Noting that the township appears unalterably opposed to the city's 'millage equivalency', Mayor Pro tem Paul Vernon suggested to council Monday that it not lose sight of this formula but nevertheless propose a dollar figure to the township "so that it becomes a negotiated price."

"I have a feeling this is a matter of pride, so maybe we should give them an opportunity to back down gracefully by eliminating 'millage equivalency' from our discussions."

Councilmen agreed with Vernon when he said, "It's important to stand by our guns on a package program" and to not negotiate a single joint service separate of the others.

Councilman Wallace Nichols, while agreeing that a "compromise" should be attempted, contended, "I think it is obvious that their objective is to have separate services. That's why they come to us with this kind of a proposal."

"A compromise," said Nichols, "will be only a stop-gap measure. The same thing will come up the next time."

Relative to the township's claim that it owns 70 percent of the fire department equipment, Councilman Stanley Johnston said he had reviewed equipment ownership with the city manager and that much of the equipment claimed by the township is "equipment we (the city) don't need."

He cited, for example, the water tanker and the used fire truck purchased late last year by the township from the county.

"I have a feeling we're going to encounter this sort of thing year after year, only it will

compound itself as the township increases in size."

Vernon said he found it "interesting that their ambulance proposal is very close to our (millage equivalency) formula, but they ignore this formula on the other services."

Councilman Paul Folino observed that perhaps in lieu of millage equivalency the city should suggest a proposal tied to population only — a formula, it was noted, that would require even a greater contribution by the township.

In reviewing the township proposal, council concluded that its basic objection was the pact suggested for the fire department. "They're not even offering us what they paid last year," they agreed.

The township's fire pact proposal, as submitted by Grier, reads this way:

"The township currently owns approximately 70 percent of all equipment operated by the joint fire department. We are willing to lease this equipment to the City of Northville for the operation of a fire department for the sum of one dollar."

"The city will in turn guarantee the maintenance of that equipment and its return in good working order upon the termination of the lease."

"The township will also make available all current and future facilities at no additional cost to the city. In addition the township will budget \$30,000 for operational cost of that department and turn those funds over to the city on a quarterly basis."

The proposed agreement also asks the city to agree:

1. To furnish fire protection to the township for the duration of the lease at no additional cost.

2. To hire a full-time fire chief whose sole responsibility is to carry out fire protection of the community and enforcement of its fire related ordinances. He should hold the required state certification to instruct volunteer firemen in the required 240 hours of schooling for qualification."

In his memo to council relative to this proposal, City Manager Steven Walters observed:

"Since part of the equipment and all of the existing and proposed fire facilities owned by the township are of no direct value to the city, the implied fire department support through leasing of equipment and facilities is deceiving. Rather it reflects the greater township need for and benefit from the fire service because of its much larger population and geographic area."

"The proposed contribution of \$30,000 is 10 percent less than would be the case under the present agreement; and even more significant, the township is offering this amount on the condition that the city (1) absorb the risk of a higher than normal fire level in the township, (2) absorb the risk of unusually high maintenance and overhauling cost on equipment which the city would be assuming in a used condition, (3) absorb the additional cost (probably in the area of \$25,000) of a full-time fire chief, and (4) possibly absorb at least some of the cost of operating township fire facilities, although this is not clear in the proposal."

"The total township fire proposal appears to result in a township contribution which would be \$17,176 less than under the present agreement, and \$24,996 less than under the city's 'equal millage burden' proposal."



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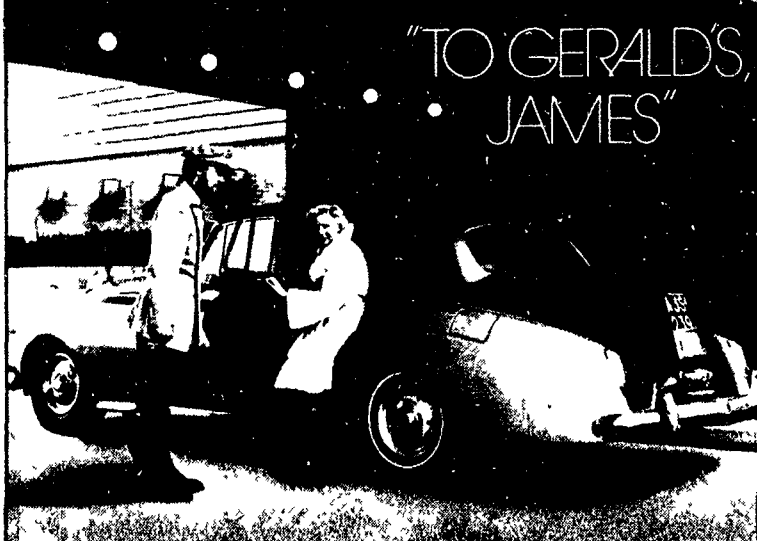
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BILL GIORGIO, Novi

Howell, Brighton, Novi, Northville represented

# All-Area basketball team's a beaut!

With one notable exception, this wasn't the best of basketball years in the Sliger Home Newspaper area.

But there is nothing second-rate about the All-Star team selected this week by sports editors at The Brighton Argus, Northville Record, Novi News and South Lyon Herald.

Any coach would drool for a chance to put Northville's Tony Armada and his 20 points a game in his line-up.

In Howell, the Highlanders roared to their first title in 40 years with the help of speedy Dave Hibner and clutch-performer Jerry Johnson.

Perhaps the hardest worker on the first team is Brighton's Tom Babineau, a scrappy 5' 7" guard.

Outside shooting chores on the first team would fall to Bill Giorgio, Novi's hot-shooting guard.

The first team had three guards and two forwards, all seniors. In fact, all but one player on the second team was a senior.

Three seniors, three juniors and a sophomore were named to the honorable mention team.

Here's a rundown on this year's all-stars. TONY ARMADA, Northville's outstanding senior forward, plays basketball the way Al Kaline played baseball.

While so many players try to "project their ego through their play, Tony was fundamentally straight," said his coach, Walt Koepke.

Armada, whose brother, Cris, was a first-team selection last year, scored 20 or more 11 times, hit double figures in all 21 games and averaged 20.1 for the season.

He had a high of 29, back-to-back 27-point games, a 26 and two 24-point efforts. He scored the winning basket in three of Northville's nine wins, fed for the winner in another and hit two free shots to ice still another close win.

Although he stands 6' 1" and weighs 165 pounds, Armada's 133 rebounds were second best on the team. He was also second in assists with 55 and tied for the lead for steals with 26.

A complete ballplayer, Armada was always "given the best offensive player to guard," said Koepke.

DAVE HIBNER, Howell's Most Valuable Player in the 1975-76 cage campaign, was a major factor behind the Highlanders' most successful season ever this year. A 5' 10" 180-pound senior guard, Hubner averaged 15.2 points per game while leading the Highlanders' fast-breaking offense and helping anchor its rugged defense.

A four-year starter, Hibner not only averaged in double figures this season, but also

handed out assists at the rate of seven per game. A sure-handed and speedy player, Hibner twice scored 27 points and on two occasions came up with 26-point games.

"Dave is our floor general," Howell Coach Jerry Johnson observed. "He leads our fast break, he usually has a lot of assists and he has also had some good scoring games."

According to Johnson, Hibner's greatest asset is his speed with the ball. The honor student is indeed quick — quick enough to be a Class A All-State halfback in football and a professional prospect in baseball.

JERRY JOHNSON is one of Jerry Johnson's favorite players — and for good reason.

A 6' 3" 196-pound senior forward, Johnson is one of two Jerry Johnsons on the Howell Highlanders. The other Jerry is the younger Johnson's father, who coaches the Highlanders, and he enjoys the way his son plays the game.

"I really think Jerry has been our cohesiveness, the thing that's held us together," the elder Johnson said. "Especially early in the season, when Jerry played well, we played well, and when he didn't, we didn't."

The younger Johnson, in his second season as a varsity starter, certainly earned his stripes this year. He averaged 13.3 points per game, swept the boards for an average of 12 rebounds per contest and highlighted Howell's aggressive inside game.

"His rebounding and inside play are his strong points," Coach Johnson said, "and he also does a good job of helping out on defense."

An extremely consistent and durable performer, Johnson showed his true worth during Howell's title run, when he scored a career high 26 points to lead the Highlanders to a crucial victory over former Capital Circuit champion Okemos.

BILL GIORGIO, the sweet-shooting guard from Novi, has been a fixture on the Wildcat

varsity for three seasons.

Rushed into the starting line-up as a sophomore, Giorgio responded with a 12-point average. Last year, Giorgio upped that to about 18 points.

This year, the senior-dominated Novi team had a more balanced attack, but Giorgio was still the second-highest scorer in the Sliger area with a scoring average of about 18 points.

"If he's on, he'll kill you," said Ron Flutur, who has coached Giorgio all three years he's been on the varsity.

He was "on," so to speak, earlier this year when Novi beat Northville in overtime for the first time in history.

Hitting 16 field goals, many of them from outside, Giorgio hit a personal high of 37 points in that game. He topped 20 points eight other times this season.

TOM BABINEAU, 5-7, 165-pound Brighton High guard, is proof that good things come in small packages.

The speedy senior, workhorse of the 8-13 Bulldog squad, was rewarded for his efforts by being unanimously voted first team honors by the Southeastern Conference coaches.

Although he compiled his share of 20-point games, Babineau could always be counted on for his consistent 14 to 16-point effort every Tuesday and Friday night this winter.

Averaging over 14 points a game, the Bulldog captain lead the team in steals and assists.

"I never coached anyone who worked as hard as Tom," said Larry Mason, Brighton High coach. "He does not have a lot of natural ability and has to work hard for everything he gets."

Babineau, who made the Sliger Home Newspapers second team last year, tossed in 67 percent of his shots from the foul line and 44 percent from the floor.

Three years on the varsity squad, Babineau has been a starter for two. In those two years he has never missed a game.

## Second team's great, too

DEAN CLARK, 6-3 senior, was Brighton High's double threat — the team's top scorer and rebounder.

The two year starter who was named most valuable player by his teammates and voted to the Sliger Home Newspapers second team last year, racked up a 16 point average for the season and was instrumental in the Bulldogs surge in the second half of the season.

The quick forward was pesky under the boards, hauling down an average of nine rebounds a game. He was right behind Tom Babineau, first team SEC pick, in assists and steals.

Clark was especially dangerous at the charity

stripe, canning 74 percent of his tosses.

"Dean really came on strong in our last seven games and was the key to our successes this year," said Larry Mason, Brighton High coach. "He played an excellent game against Class A

Ann Arbor Pioneer in the districts for us."

CURT TEFFT, Hartland High's top scorer, decided quickly that a preseason injury was not going to hamper his playing ability for long.

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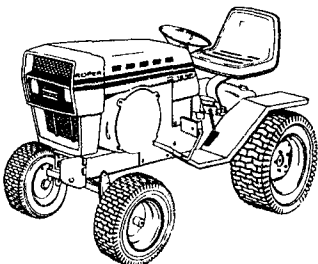
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# Religion

## Stewardship campaign underway

# Stretch your dollar

As consumers, we hear a lot about ways to stretch a dollar.

Around the Hardy United Methodist Church just west of Hartland, "stretch your dollar" has another meaning. It's the theme of a unique, three-month stewardship campaign.

Pastor Ben Bohnsack explained that on February 1, all members of the church — children included — were given one silver dollar and challenged

to use their talents to make the dollar grow.

For example, one might use his dollar to buy the ingredients to make two loaves of bread. The bread could then be sold, and the proceeds used to make more bread to sell.

It all adds up to more than a lesson in capitalism, according to Mr. Bohnsack. "It's a way of dramatizing the Parable of Talents," the pastor said,

"and of learning some things about stewardship."

More than merely contributing money, he says, members are involved directly in exercising stewardship over their dollars.

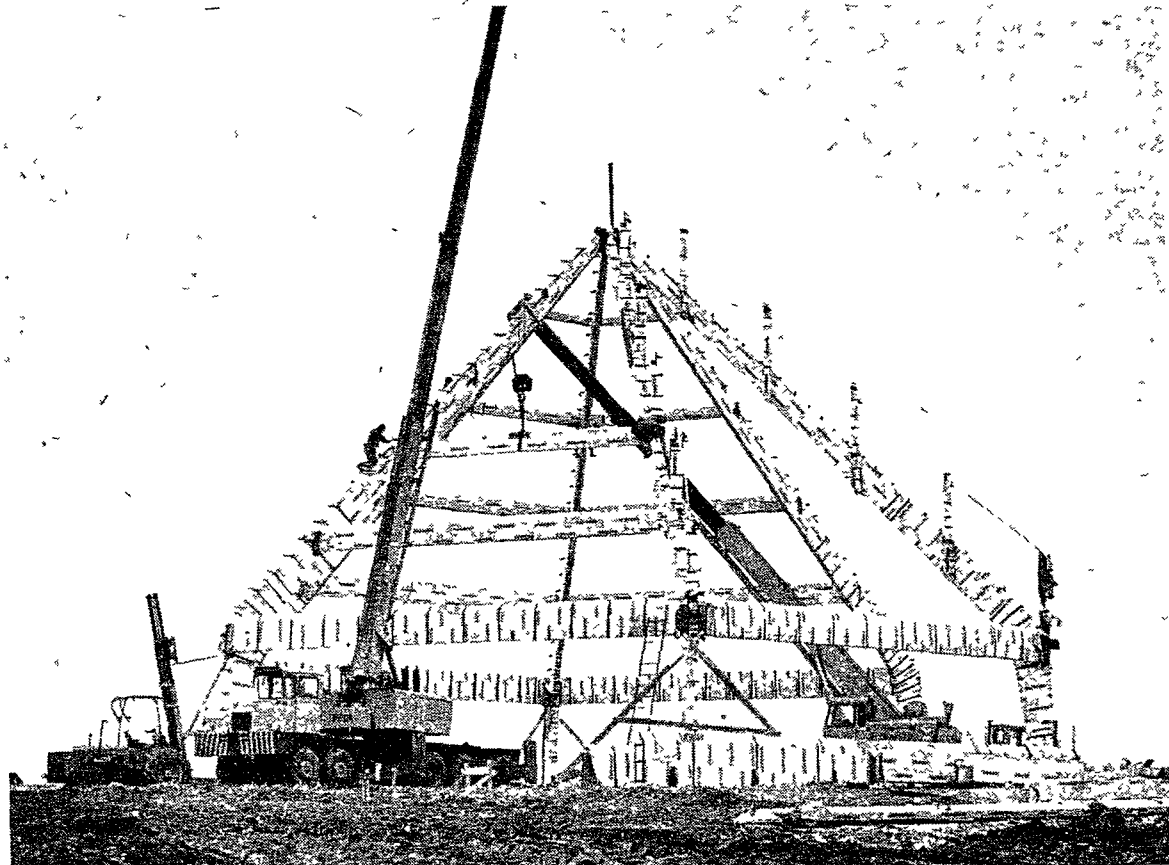
On March 26, parishioners will be offering their merchandise for sale. On that day, the church will hold a bake goods and handicraft sale at the

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**STEWARDSHIP**—Joyce Krahn, Marcia Bohnsack, and Mervil Moore (l-r), members of the Hardy United Methodist Church, hold items made from "stretched

dollars." As part of the church's current stewardship campaign, a baked goods and handicraft sale will be held at the Brighton Mall on March 26.



## Going up

The superstructure is going up on the Church of the Holy Family building being constructed at 10 Mile and Meadowbrook in Novi. The \$473,000 Catholic church is anticipated to be finished by October and will hold 640 parishioners. The superstructure is made of laminated wood

beams which are covered to protect them from the weather. The beams will be visible from inside the church when it is finished. Because of the recent rainy weather, construction on the building has ceased until materials can be transported onto the site.

## Dr. Reuel L. Howe

# Author to speak

Dr. Reuel L. Howe, associate director of the Institute for Advanced Pastoral Studies, Cranbrook House, Bloomfield Hills, will be guest speaker at the third program at 7:30 p.m. Sunday in the adult enrichment series at First

Presbyterian Church of Northville during Lent.

A well-known author of eight books, his recent "How to Stay Young While Growing Older" is based on the premise that since the process of aging

begins early, so should the preparation and planning of one's life for "creative aging."

Dr. Howe is known in the religious community as an eminent theologian and lecturer and was founder and inspirational force of the Institute for Advanced Pastoral Studies for which he was director for 16 years.

The institute is considered a unique national and international continuing educational center that helps people of all faiths face problems and changes of

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## Women's retreat planned

"Called to be God's Daughters" is the theme of the Women's Retreat which will be held at South Lyon's First United Presbyterian Church on March 29 from 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Based on the scripture verse from Ephesians 4:1, "I therefore... beg you to lead a life worthy of the calling to which you have been called", the retreat provides a day of spiritual renewal and rededication.

Mrs. Debbie Arnold, a wife and mother of two young daughters and a speaker and teacher for Mothers on the Move (MOMS), will be the main lecturer of the day. She will present a challenge to the ladies attending to manifest His love through their daily lives.

Five mini-sessions are planned and those present will be able to attend any two of their choice.

(1) Called to Life Eternal, presented by the congregation's new pastor, the Reverend John Mather, will consider how to really know that you are God's daughter.

(2) Called to Prayer by Shirley Radnothy will aid in establishing an effective prayer life.

(3) Called to Witness will be a session in how to reproduce for the Lord presented by Norma Lambert.

(4) Called to Minister by Jay Ward will explore ways of utilizing spiritual gifts through the power of the Holy Spirit.

(5) Called to Rejoice, turning fear and doubt into praise for the Lord,

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TOM HUTCHISON, Pinckney



CURT TEFFT, Hartland



BOB BANNATZ, Novi



DEAN CLARK, Brighton



DAVE CHARRON, Howell

## Second's great

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After a cautious start, the 6-0 senior guard scored in the double figures in 11 out of his last 12 games to put together a 13 point average for the year.

In that stretch after the Christmas break, the bright spot of an otherwise dismal 2-18 season for the Eagle cage squad, boosted that mark to 17 points a contest.

Curt really got hot at the end of the season, putting together back to back 35 and 30 point games.

Tefft singlehandedly took on Milford Lakeland, not only canning 35 points, but stealing five passes, contributing four assists and stuffing in the final three points which clinched the thriller in overtime.

Accurate was the word for the Hartland senior from the foul line as he sank 69 percent of his shots.

"He was an excellent defensive player," commented Eric Greyerbiehl, Hartland High coach. "We usually assigned him to the other team's top guard."

DAVE HUTCHISON, 6-3 junior, typified this year's 11-11 Pinckney High cage squad — scrappy.

The only center on either Sliger Home Newspapers all-area cage team, Hutchison was the tallest starter on the little Pirate squad which had to fight for every victory this year.

His contribution as first year starter on the Pinckney squad was tossing in enough points, an average of over 12 a game, to lead the Pirates in scoring.

"It was his aggressiveness that

made him a good player," said D.J. Lincoln, Pinckney High cage coach.

The junior center was not shy and made things happen under the physical zone under the hoop by hauling down over 11 rebounds a game to keep the ball from the opposition.

Rebounds were an important factor in helping Pinckney take Bath in the second meeting of the season after the Bees had trounced the Pirates in the first go round.

Hutchison owned the boards that night, grabbing 21 rebounds while canning 21 points to carry the Bucs to victory.

DAVE CHARRON earned his way onto the All-Area team with an extremely fine second half of his senior season.

Charron played regularly at the beginning of the year but he didn't truly come into his own until the mid-point of the season when he was called upon to replace injured forward Tom Heximer, who had been one of the Highlanders' leading scorers.

Charron, a 6'3" 175-pound forward, responded in fine form, averaging 14.3 points per game for the rest of the year and ending with a 10-point scoring average. Charron's best scoring game was a 29-point performance but one of his most important contributions came when he led Howell past Adrian in district tourney action with 19 markers.

Give a coach five players like BOB BANNATZ, and he'll think he's in basketball heaven.

"Bob is a player who gets the most out of his

ability," said Ron Flutur, the coach of the Novi senior.

Bannatz, an All-Area defensive end in football, was a consistent forward who was second in the team in rebounds and scoring (14 points a game.)

When the Wildcat offense was slumping prior to Christmas, Bannatz did his best to take up the slack, averaging 18 points over a six-game span.

He had a high game of 26 points and he scored the game-winner in the last SEC game of the year at South Lyon.

Those earning "honorable mention" honor are not just "other" players. All were considered for the second team and for good reason.

Northville's JOHN HORVATH, for instance, scored double figures in 12 of his last 14 games, made the winning basket once and passed for the winner twice.

Sophomore DAVID PISHA of Novi averaged nearly 10 points a game and, in a rarity, led his team in both rebounds and assists. Speedy CRAIG SOVODA of Pinckney spearheaded the Pirate fast break.

MIKE MERIONS played a big part in Howell's championship year. BRAD HAMLIN was a bright spot in the South Lyon season.

And juniors DOUG HARDING of Northville and RICK WEIDMAN of Whitmore Lake had good years.

## Here's our dream teams

### First team

TONY ARMADA,  
Sr. Northville 6'1" Forward

DAVE HIBNER,  
Sr. Howell 5'10" Guard

JERRY JOHNSON,  
Sr. Howell 6'3" Forward

TOM BABINEAU,  
Sr. Brighton 5'7" Guard

BILL GIORGIO,  
Sr. Novi 5'10" Guard



### Second Team

BOB BANNATZ, Sr., Novi, 6'3", Forward

DAVE CHARRON, Sr., Howell, 6'3", Forward

DEAN CLARK, Sr., Brighton, 6'3", Forward

TOM HUTCHINSON, Jr., Pinckney, 6'3", Center

CURT TEFFT, Sr., Hartland, 6'0", Guard

## Colors galore!

## Begonia's versatile

By KATHY COPLEY

Few flowering plants are as versatile as the begonia for use as bedding plants, specimen plants, indoors and outdoors as pot and window box plants, or in hanging baskets.

Whether you are planting the fibrous rooted wax-type begonia, or the larger tuberous variety, the range of colors is broad and dramatic, from delicate

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Fibrous begonias are very popular as bedding or pot plants in a spot which receives light with some morning or afternoon direct sun. They do not mind heat, but direct sun scorches leaves and flowers. Like all begonias, they need

plenty of moisture in loose, humusy soil.

Also like other begonias, the base of the stems will rot in soil which is kept too moist or which is so heavy (made up of tiny clay particles)

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## Michigan Mirror

## Bottle's hazard

By WARREN HOYT

LANSING—NEWEST ON THE LIST of potential health hazard is that 32-ounce plastic bottle that Coca-Cola has recently been pumping its beverage into.

Coke has been touting the new container as a convenient and lightweight alternative to glass bottles.

But the Michigan Department of Public Health is warning Michigan residents to leave the plastic bottles on supermarket shelves. Too many questions are still unanswered on the bottles' possible health hazards, the department says.

The suspected culprit is the chemical acrylonitrile which, when fed to rats in a federal Food and Drug Administration study, caused weight loss and other abnormalities.

Acrylonitrile is in the plastic, but it's still not known whether it transfers to the beverages too. And as yet, no human health problems have been linked to the bottles, first put on Michigan shelves last month.

BUT THE FDA has withdrawn its earlier approval of the bottles, the state health department has issued its warning, the Monsanto Co. has stopped producing them, some supermarket chains have stopped selling them — and the future looks dim for the plastic bottles.

Environmentalists frown on the bottle too, saying it's just another non-returnable container that will end up as litter.

A STATE legislator wants to give people a voice in what may be the most important decision of their lives — whether to die naturally or be kept alive by artificial devices.

State Representative David Hollister of Lansing admits that it may take three to four years for the idea to catch on and win legislative approval. But he wants to introduce a right-to-die bill this year, then wait and see what happens.

CALIFORNIA ALREADY has such a law. It allows people to sign a document asking that their lives not be artificially prolonged if they are ever terminally ill. Signers must re-sign the document every five years and can change their minds at any step along the way, up to the last moment.

The law is a year old in California and similar measures have been proposed in Florida, Virginia, West Virginia, Idaho and Maryland.

BUT IN MICHIGAN, before a bill is even in the hopper, right-to-life groups are criticizing the idea. Others are saying that legislation is no way to deal with such critical life-and-death questions.

For Hollister, it looks like a long laborious struggle ahead.

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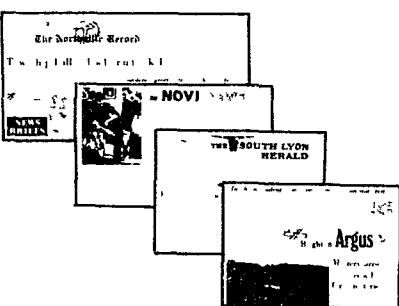
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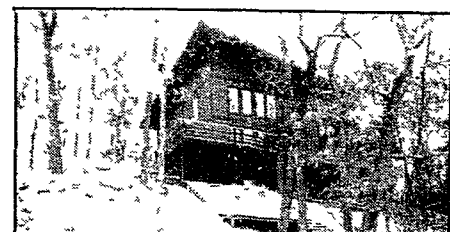
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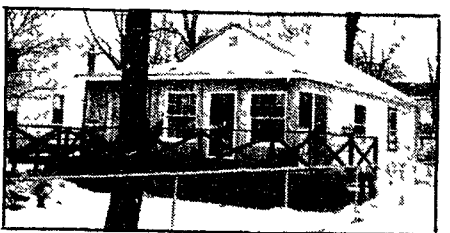
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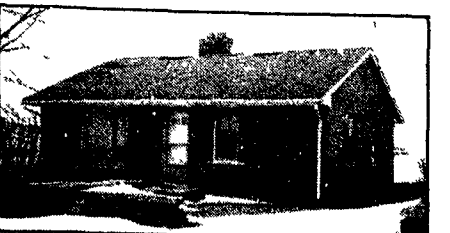
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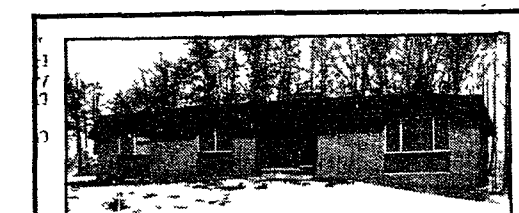
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ANTIQUE square oak 5 leg table, old stuffed chair. 229-2889 after 5 p.m.

### 4-1A-Auctions

AUCTION: Friday, March 11th, 7:30 p.m. 8777 Main Street, Whitmore Lake. Some furniture, glassware, old and misc. items. Auctioneers: Ray and Mike Egnash. Phones (313) 449-421 or (517) 546-7496

4-1B-Garage and Rummage Sales

GARAGE sale March 11-13, 9-6 Two family, 115 Wellington, South Lyon

MOVING sale. Must sell. make offer prices. Couch, many baby items, clothes Wed & Thursday only 878-3569 9180 Mayfield, Pinckney

MOVING sale Saturday Sunday, March 12-13, 1-5 p.m. 19633 Neptune Court, Highland Lakes, 349-4614

4-2 Household Goods

FORMICA dinette set with 8 chairs, \$40 Baby's chifforobe, \$20 349-4215

BEST unfinished furniture available in Michigan, save, at Hartland House in Hartland Village 632-6030

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FURNITURE PLACE 111 Pontiac Trail, North Walled Lake Corner of Walled Lake Dr. & Pontiac Tr. N

ROUND Table w leaf and 4 swivel bucket chairs, Lady Kenmore Washer 227-4205, Brighton

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### 4-2 Household Goods

DINING room set, 7 piece 437-2510 h10

45' ROUND oak table, 349-4110.

BEAUTIFUL couch, junior dining room set Like new Reasonable. 453-2086

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TWO matching chairs, cocktail table. 476-3860

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

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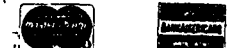
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4-3A Miscellaneous Wanted

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FLOOR manager wanted for rapidly growing drugstore chain. Can offer experience in all aspects of retail business. Call for appointment, apply in person. Arbor Drugs of Northville. 348-2010.

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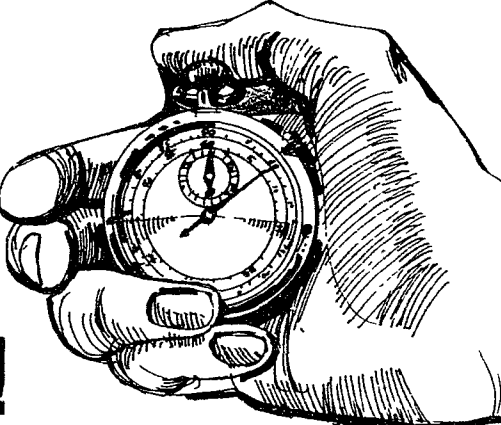
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# Here's capsule of what's happening in area churches

The Northville-Plymouth-Livonia Chapter of the Full Gospel Businessmen's Fellowship is sponsoring a Fellowship Prayer breakfast at 8 a.m. this Saturday in the Miles Standish Room of the Mayflower Hotel in Plymouth. Men and women of all faiths are invited.

Dave Baltes, spirit-filled Christian businessman associated with John Wesley College in Owosso and Christian Community Church in Northville, will be the principal speaker. Donation for the family-style breakfast is \$4. Reservations may be made by calling either 349-0006 or 455-6373.

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Novi United Methodist Church, 41671 10 Mile Road, will be holding an all day bazaar March 19. Theme will be the "country store" which will feature the baking of fresh bread all day long, as well as the sale of homemade spring and Easter items.

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A free public introductory lecture on the Transcendental Meditation program will be given on Monday, March 14, at 7:30 p.m. at the Novi Middle School, Room 101 (25529 Taft Road).

This lecture is sponsored by the Novi Adult Education Program and by the International Meditation Society, a non-profit, educational organization. If there are any questions concerning this announcement, please contact Robert Walls at 478-3840.

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"Corrie: Behind the Scenes with the Hiding Place," a full-length color film from World Wide Pictures, will be shown Sunday, March 13, at 7 p.m. at St. George Lutheran Church, 803 West Main Street, in Brighton.

Filmed in Holland and other European locations, the film is based

## Ex-South Lyon pastor writes about Mexico

The isolated village of Xocempich (show come peach) in central Mexico has become "home" for two transplanted South Lyonites.

The Reverend and Mrs. Norman Riedesel (former pastor of the South Lyon Presbyterian) now live in a seven-room house provided by the Southeastern Bible Institute in this hamlet which has neither post office nor telephone. The nearest phone is in Piste, five miles away and the closest large city is Merida, some 70 miles.

"Travel in Mexico by bus or train is very cheap," Mr. Riedesel writes in a recent letter. "Sadie and I took a bus to Merida one day. Coming home the bus was so crowded that people stood three

deep in the narrow isles. I mean three squeezed in beside each other. There may have been more people standing than in the seats. I have never seen such a crowded bus."

He adds that usually long distance buses are not overcrowded but that the highways are pretty bad. He reports that although some were good, some were "positively terrible".

"Such holes in highways I had never seen before. In many of the small villages the streets are almost impassable due to the large rocks, but they are continually used, anyway."

Due to lack of visas, the Riedesels

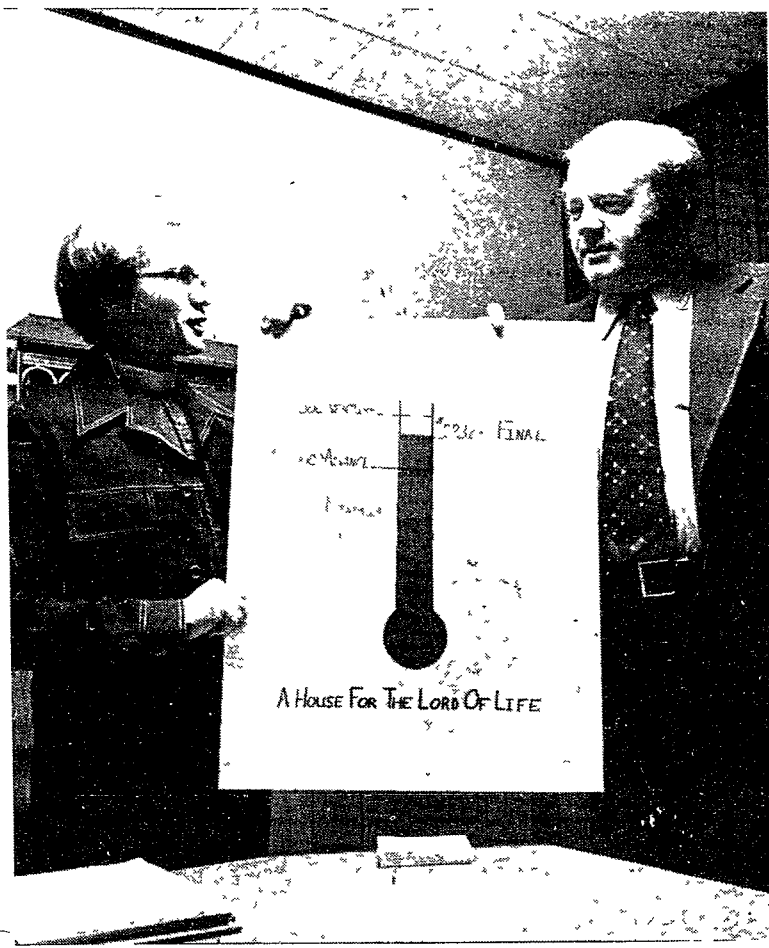
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on the real life experiences of Corrie ten Boom, who, with her father, sister, and brother, provided refuge for Jewish families during World War II.

The Reverend Richard Anderson said the public is invited to attend the showing. A free will offering will be taken, with contributions going to Billy Graham to help defray costs of producing and distributing the film.

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Heather Lacson, missionary to India, will be guest speaker at a 7 p.m. program Sunday (March 13) at the Brighton Christian Church on



**FUND-RAISERS**—Members of the Lord of Life Lutheran Church in Brighton recently assured a summer groundbreaking for a new church building. Over the past three weeks, 45 families from the church pledged some \$23,322 over a two-year period, well over the \$17,000 minimum required in pledges to start construction this year. Al Peters (right) served as general chairperson of the fund-raising campaign. Dave Kruger (left) is church pastor.

Buno Road near Spencer Road.

Ms. Lacson operates a private school and Bible college in India. Light refreshments will be served Sunday night, and a free will offering will be taken.

## 'Stretch your dollar'

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Brighton Mall, from 9:30 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Proceeds from the stewardship project will be used to support another church activity, a mission caravan. In April, some 30 church members will travel to Kentucky to visit several church mission sites and deliver "stretched dollars" from the Hardy

congregation

In addition to supporting the needs of missions in Kentucky, the trip will serve as a educational and fellowship experience for the 30 Hardy members, the pastor pointed out.

The drive was organized by the church stewardship and finance committee. Phil Krahn is serving as chairman of the project.

## Author to speak

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the contemporary world.

In his more than 37 years of teaching Dr. Howe has been counselor to many people besides students, especially in the area of family relations.

He points out that he intends his book on aging for all ages, but is particularly aiming at the younger people who need to plan their lives.

Through his book he hopes he can help others say, as they look back and put their lives in perspective:

"It was good to have been here. I have lived life to the fullest. Each day was an event to be lived and enjoyed. I need not look back with regret or ahead with fear because I have lived growingly and have responded to the rhythm of life itself."

Dr. Howe was born and raised in Washington state on an island in Puget Sound where he remembers he was greatly influenced by the beauty and majesty of the country.

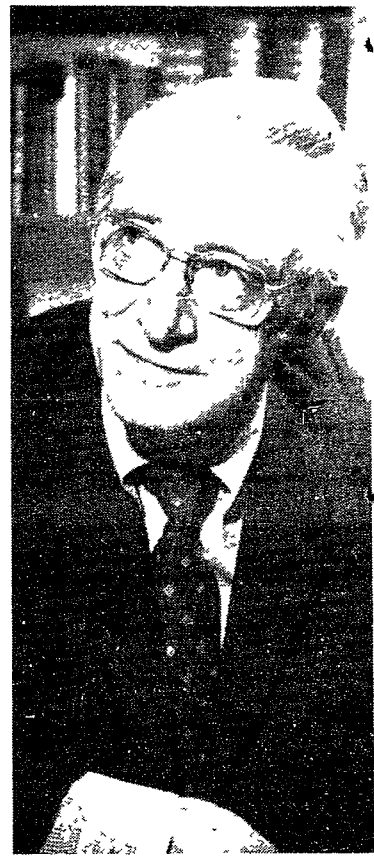
He received his BA degree from Whitman College in Washington and went on to receive his doctorate in divinity studies from Philadelphia Divinity School, University of Pennsylvania.

Other books by Dr. Howe include "Man's Need and God's Action," "Miracle of Dialogue," "Herein Is Love," the "Creative Years" and "Survival Plus."

The Presbyterian Lenten series is made possible through the Bryan Memorial Fund of the church.

Babysitters are available for each of

the six programs which are held from 7:30 to 9 p.m. Sunday nights. Coffee is served afterwards



Dr. REUEL I. HOWE

## Begonia's versatile plant

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through seeds. The seeds are so fine that they should be merely pressed onto the surface of the soil and watered from below, lest they wash

away. Cover the container with glass or plastic — but not touching the soil — to create a greenhouse effect.

Seeds are a bit slow to start, but they do provide

a variety of plants not available as plants in flats. Save cuttings from the most interesting from year to year.

Tuberous begonias are somewhat more dramatic than fibrous types because of their size — often with flowers as much as 4 inches across — and available colors. Much breeding effort has developed flowers which resemble carnations with their fringed edges, roses, camellias, and hollyhocks. While these varieties are labeled uprights — which grow 2 inches or more high and require staking, there are also pendulous multifloras which literally cascade over hanging pots.

All begonias are tender plants which are killed

quickly by the effects of frost. Start plants now so they will be blooming size in late May when they can be safely planted outdoors. Otherwise they will be reaching their peak of beauty just as fall's first frosts begin.

Plant tubers with the concave side up; twist the tuber into the soil so that soil reaches the top of the tuber but does not fill the depression. Water well, but do not allow the depression to fill with water.

Tubers need no light to sprout (those little red spots are prospective stems) but as soon as the stems look like stems, the plants need bright but not direct sun. When the plants are 2 inches high and the leaves are forming an umbrella,

they can take a little direct sun. The more light, the stockier the plants will be.

Tubers started indoors — they are also available this way from nurseries — should be planted with the tuber at the same level of garden soil as it was indoors. Stake the large varieties when they are planted outside. Staking later may damage roots and stems because you drive the stake in too close to the tuber. Hanging baskets can be planted with three or four tubers for an 8-10 inch basket.

Water begonias well, give them bright light but not too much direct sun, warm days and cool nights, and they will reward your efforts generously with splendid colors.

## Retreat planned

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will be led by Linda Kummer.

The public is invited to attend. Cost of the conference is \$2 per person with the registration deadline set for March 20. Babysitting will be available at 50 cents per family.

All participants are asked to bring Bibles and brown bag lunches for themselves and any

children attending. Beverages and cookies will be furnished.

To register, send your name, address, home church name, and ages of any children who will need babysitting along with a check for \$2 to United Presbyterian Women, care of Vonda Boatman, 157 University, South Lyon, MI 48178.

For further information, call Mrs. Boatman at 437-6326.

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# Month of March signals a host of Michigan activities

March in Michigan starts a slow fade into spring. Events-wise, it's the finale of snow bound action and the overture for warmer weather pursuits, according to the Travel Bureau, Michigan Department of Commerce.

Competitive spirit will be at peak among the canine participants running in the Third Annual Cross-Country Sled Dog Run at the Winter Carnival, Newberry, March 6-14. Sled Dog racing is not only a popular and exciting winter sport in Michigan, but also a beautiful exhibition of mutual respect and affection between "musher" and team.

Motorized sled fans can take a last fling at skimming over the trails and through the woods at the Snowmobile Races on Beaver Island, March 13. The races are part of the annual St. Patrick's Day Celebration which will

also include traditional Irish festivities and a bountiful home cooked dinner.

Indoor events cover a wide variety of interests and just about everyone should find something to their liking. First up comes Sports Cars in Review, through April 10, Henry Ford Museum, Dearborn. The assemblage ranges from vintage models to more modern day examples of automotive design and ingenuity, and will impress even non car buffs.

Warm weather sportsmen and outdoor lovers will find much to whet their appetites at the "Outdoorama" Sports Show, March 5-13, Artillery Armory, Detroit. This spectacular show encompasses about every outdoor sports activity you can think of along with demonstrations and tips from experts.

Still in the sports vein, the NCAA Track Meet will be held March 11-12 in Cobo Arena, Detroit.

For "green thumbs", the Flower and Garden Show, March 9-12, County Center Building, Kalamazoo. If you're interested in adding to or starting a "growing" family, flowers and plants will be for sale. The scene changes from posies to postage, March 26-27, when the Stamp Show will be in residence at the County Center Building, Kalamazoo.

If the annual "fix-up, paint-up, decorate" bug has bitten you, a visit to the Builders Home, furniture and Flower Show, Cobo Hall, Detroit might reward you with some spring fresh ideas for your home.

Arts, crafts and antiques have their days in March too with the Hobby Arts and Crafts Show, March 11-13 and the Detroit Antique Show, March 16-20, both at the East Eight Mile Armory, Detroit.

A concert by violinist Gil Margenstern is scheduled for March 10, Central Campus, Muskegon and the opera "Cosi Fan Tutte" by Mozart will be on stage at the Lydia Mendelsohn Theatre, Ann Arbor, March 24-27.

And, a show with a truly "all star" cast, "The Rites of Spring", at the Robert T. Longway Planetarium, Flint, March 18-April 9.

For a complete list of March events and those coming up throughout the spring and summer months, write for a free copy of the Michigan Calendar of Travel Events from the Travel Bureau, Michigan Department of Commerce, Box 30226, Lansing, MI. 48909.

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Pat Kotlarczyk

Thing Thoughts

(of how to)

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I never thought I'd think this way, Until I read Your book one day.

F. A. Hasenau

## Ex-area pastor writes of Mexico

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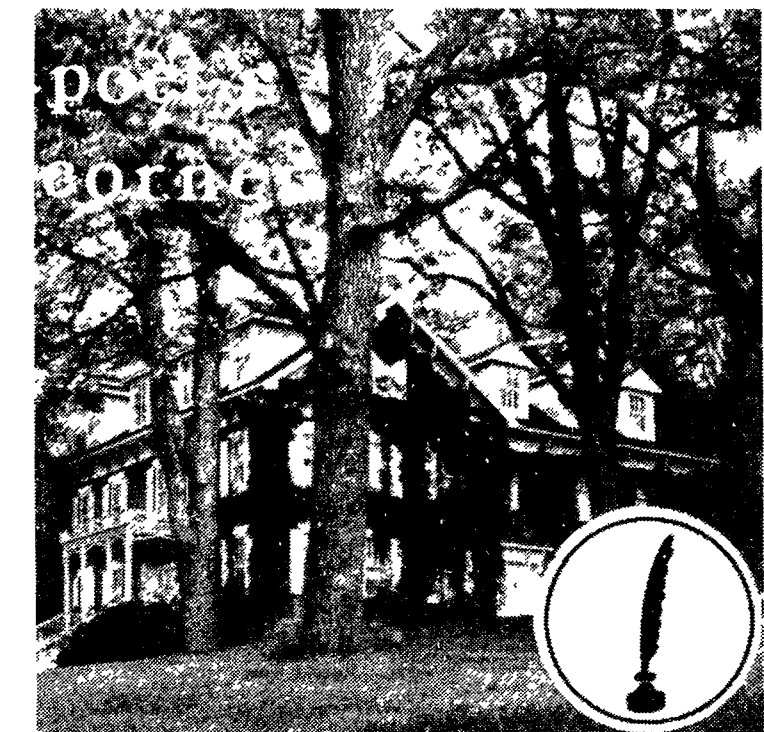
were unable to ship any furniture or other belongings from the United States to their new home. They have with them only the things they were able to take down in their Datsun camper and utility trailer. Necessity has forced them to purchase a bed and mattress, a refrigerator, a typewriter, a hot water tank, a hammock, a washing machine and a gas stove.

Although most of the residents sleep in hammocks strung between hooks on the walls of their homes, the Americans find that they prefer traditional beds.

The hot water tank, too, proved to be a comfort that the Riedesels refused to do without as they could not accustom themselves to cold showers and washing their clothes in cold water.

"Some of the money which came to us from Michigan, Texas, and Ohio (gifts from church congregations) was used by us to purchase a washing machine for the mission school. There was none in the school for the students and nurses (there are 11 girls in nurse's training and 27 young men studying to be lay ministers). Some of the men have wives and families with them, too.

"Actually, Sadie has had more work than I have as she spends quite a lot of time helping supervise the nursing students. Part of the time the girls are here in Xocempich and part of the time



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Charles E. Hutton

Little Things

I remember the way you laughed and smiled and always combed your hair, the way you used to whistle, and the things you used to shave. The little things seem important now, because they were part of you. I think about them all the time; and others, I know, do, too. You loved to watch the animals and take long hikes in the spring, to maybe see a rabbit, or hear a sparrow sing. Though your time with us was short, God had you in His plan and has taken you to be with Him, in a better, brighter land.

Carol Satterfield

Reflections

I look out the window seeing the age of each day still cast in the spell of winter.

We think of spring . . . most of us, in the weeks nearing springs blossom. Funny how some of us tire of seasons as they wear on; especially winter.

Even though a little dreary outside, the beauty is still there . . . look . . . and then listen. The brisk air tells of fine walks, hikes, and travels with the chill . . . breathe in the chilly airs . . . awaken the spirits within that seem so grey. The beauty is still there . . .

reflecting that of a season nearing an end . . . bringing hopes again of awakening to spring and its coming beauty . . .

another new time of change.

Pat Kotlarczyk

Nasal Narcotic

Remember those fresh clothes Just in off the line? Mother shook and folded them— Some of them were mine.

Once she'd plucked the line clean; To hold one at my nose— Was sheer delight! For each one Smelled like baked bread as it rose.

F. A. Hasenau

Seek chorus director

Search for a new choral director is underway this week in the wake of the resignation of William Edwards as director of the Novi Choralaires. Edwards, who lives in Detroit, had been director of the mixed choral group since its formation more than a year ago. The group, headquartered in Novi but including members from Northville, Farmington and other nearby communities, began advertising for a replacement director this week.

"We're looking for an experienced director for this salaried position," a spokesman said. "Anyone interested should call either 477-3776 or 348-2073 between noon and 3 p.m. and 6-8 p.m. Presently, the chorus has a membership of 25 persons. Its most recent public concert was held at Walled Lake Western High School, featuring music from a popular Broadway musical and scores from the classics.

**APPOINTMENTS** involving three Northville men have been announced by the Detroit Diesel Allison Division of General Motors.

One of these involves Raymond L. Riddell, president of the Northville Historical Commission, who has been named regional manager for the Middle East and Central Africa areas.

Riddell, a GM employee for 27 years, has been parts sales manager at Detroit Diesel Allison since 1972. Prior to that appointment, he served DDA as assistant general parts manager, regional sales manager and zone sales manager.

He held a number of engineering, sales and advertising positions with GM's Delco Products Division between 1950 and 1965, when he joined DDA.

A native of Rochester, New York, he earned a degree in mechanical engineering from General Motors Institute and also did graduate work at the University of Rochester.

He will manage the Middle East and Central Africa areas for International Operations from new offices to be established in Athens, Greece.

Riddell has been a member of the Northville Historical Society since 1972 and president since May, 1976. As president, he has been instrumental in the construction of Mill Race Historical Village on Griswold Street in Northville.

DDA also announced the appointment of Alfred A. Voss of Northville as publications manager, succeeding George E. Thomas, who has retired.

Voss has been a GM and DDA employee since 1951. He has held various service assignments — including a stint as a technical writer — at the Parts Distribution Center in Romulus, the DDA main offices in Detroit, and the Detroit, Chicago and Atlanta regional offices.

Before being named service manager of the Great Lakes Region in 1972, Voss was service manager at the Atlanta regional office.

Another Northville man, William E. Johnston, manager of on-highway sales at Diesel Operations, has been named manager of parts marketing and material control.

Johnston has been a DDA employee since 1956, transferring from GM's former Foreign Distribution Division in New York to the Eastern Region.

He also served in DDA's Great Lakes Region before being promoted back to the Eastern Region as regional sales manager.

In 1974, Johnston was named manager of the Eastern Region. In 1976, he became Diesel Operations manager of on-highway sales.



R.L. RIDDELL



W.E. JOHNSTON

**SHIRLEY WAMBY** has joined the staff of Rymal Symes, Novi office, as a realtor associate.

Mrs. Wamby brings with her several years of broad experience in marketing residential properties in Southern Oakland County in general and Novi in particular. Her depth of experience and congenial manner make her a natural success at marketing homes in Novi according to Ben Skelton, Rymal Symes Group vice president.

She will be directly involved with Rymal Symes international employee relocation program, "All Points Relocation Service" which assists transferees with housing problems throughout the free world.

Skelton said that the addition of Mrs. Wamby to his staff is indeed consistent with the guiding principle at Rymal Symes of building a strong professional service oriented firm through the careful selection of highly qualified full-time associates.

**CLAUDIA C. MANNING** has joined the Quanex Corporation as Corporate Director of Investor Relations, a newly created position, according to C. E. Pfeiffer, president.

Ms. Manning's responsibilities will be to maintain communications with shareholders, potential investors, security analysts, and stockbrokers. Other duties will include public relations programs directed at the trade media, community relations, and other internal communication programs.

Ms. Manning will be located at corporate headquarters in South Lyon.

A native of Denver, Colorado, she attended the University of Colorado and was a security analyst with a Denver stockbrokerage firm.

Most recently, she was Director of Investor Relations for the D. H. Baldwin Company, a Cincinnati (Ohio) based manufacturer of musical instruments and specialized financial and banking services.

Ms. Manning will reside in Ann Arbor.

Quanex Corporation, formerly Michigan Seamless Tube Company, is a leading producer of specialty tubing and precision fabricated products, serving American enterprise in the power generation, machinery, oil-petrochemical, fabricated metal, and transportation industries.

Divisions of the company include Fabricating (Shelby, Ohio), Gulf States Tube (Rosenberg, Texas), MacSteel (Jackson, Michigan), Michigan Seamless Tube (South Lyon), and Standard Tube (Detroit). Subsidiaries include U.S. Broach and Machine Company (Detroit) and Viking Metallurgical Corporation (Verdi, Nevada).



C. C. MANNING

**MICHIGAN SEAMLESS TUBE COMPANY** reported that earnings of \$5 million for the first quarter ended January 31, 1977, were 76.9 percent below last year's earnings of \$2 million. Sales of \$26.2 million for the first quarter were 13.7 percent below first quarter sales of \$30.4 million a year ago.

MST President Carl Pfeiffer stated that although lower first quarter results had been anticipated due to higher costs and general business conditions, several factors which could not have been predicted caused both sales and earnings to be significantly lower than the first quarter of 1976.

A principle factor in the decline was a 100-day long strike at Gulf States Tube in Rosenberg, Texas.

The company also experienced a major furnace failure at its South Lyon plant early in January. The failure forced the entire facility to be shut down for one week.

There were other weather-related shutdowns during the quarter, which, along with generally higher fuel costs, adversely affected results.

Pfeiffer stated that despite the disappointing first quarter, the outlook for the remainder of the year is quite positive. "The strike at our Texas plant was settled and production resumed on February 8. Our backlog of \$39.6 million is up more than 55 percent from the October 31 level of \$25.4 million and there are indications that some price increases will be possible this year.

"We expect that results for the full year will be at least as good as 1976," Pfeiffer stated.

Michigan Seamless Tube Company, a leading manufacturer of specialized steel tubing and precision fabricated metal products, has adopted the new name of Quanex.

Founded 50 years ago in South Lyon to manufacture seamless steel tubing, the company in recent years has significantly expanded its products and services and has become a key supplier to customers in the power generation, machinery, oil-petrochemical, fabricated metal, and transportation industries.

The name change was made for a variety of reasons. The company has expanded its products beyond seamless steel tubing. Its product line now includes welded steel tubing, fabricated tubular parts, steel bars, seamless contour rolled rings, forged-extruded and special mill products, and precision broaching tools and machines.

The nine manufacturing operations extend beyond Michigan, supported by a North American sales and service network.

Quanex stems from two words — quality and nexus (the Latin word which means connection).

The divisions and subsidiaries of Quanex are Fabricating Division (Shelby, Ohio), Gulf States Tube Division (Rosenberg, Texas), MacSteel Division (Jackson, Michigan), Michigan Seamless Tube Division (South Lyon), Standard Tube Division (Detroit), U.S. Broach and Machine Company (Detroit and Sumter, South Carolina), and Viking Metallurgical Corporation (Verdi, Nevada and Albany, California).

**DALEY HILL** of Northville recently attended and completed a special course in personal insurance underwriting at Woodmen Accident and Life Company's home office in Lincoln, Nebraska.

The course included comprehensive study of life, health and group insurance. Hill is district manager for Woodmen in this area.

**RICHARD R. CHRYSLER**, president of Cars & Concepts, Inc., Brighton, has announced the appointment of John D. Boutton, David L. Draper, and A. William Niemi as Vice-Presidents for the Brighton special vehicle firm.

Boutton, a graduate of John Carroll University and Cleveland Marshall Law School, will have responsibility for the finance, accounting, and purchasing activities. He was previously Controller of Cars & Concepts and held similar positions at White Motor Corporation and Clevite Corporation.

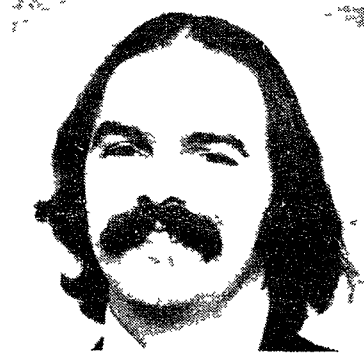
Draper, formerly Director of Design, will be head of the company's Design and Research Center with overall responsibility for the design, engineering, and marketing functions. A graduate of Bridgeport University, Draper had been Chief Designer for White Motor Corporation, design instructor at Bridgeport, and on the design staff at General Motors Styling.

Moving up from Director of Engineering, Niemi will be responsible for all manufacturing operations and the corporate administrative and production facilities. Prior to joining Cars & Concepts, he was Manager of the design staff at White Motors and on the design staff of Ford and American Motors.

Cars & Concepts designs and manufactures special vehicles and T-Bar roof assemblies for the automotive manufacturers and the aftermarket. They also designed and produced the 1977 Indianapolis 500 Pace Car for Oldsmobile.



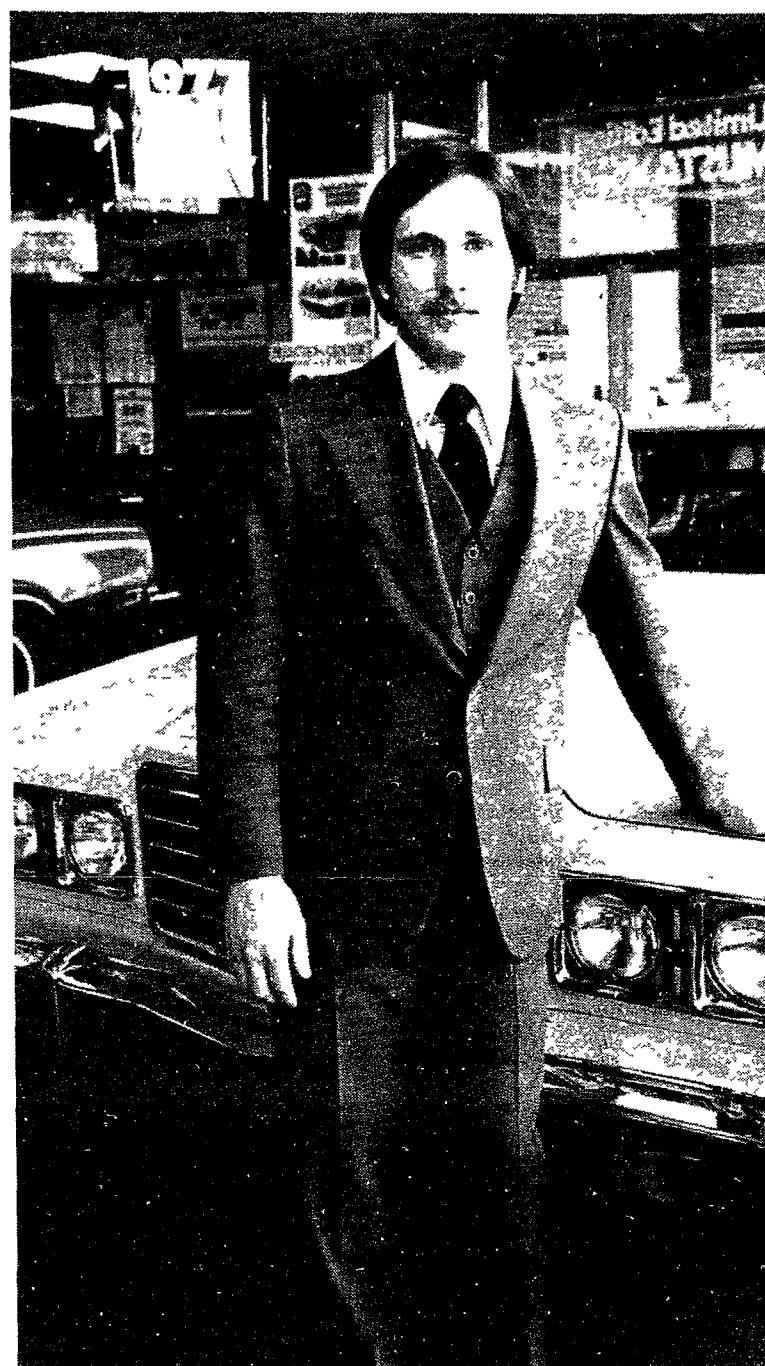
JOHN D. BOUTTON



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A. WILLIAM NIEMI



**PHIL LUNDQUIST** (above) is the newest sales representative at Wilson Ford and Mercury Sales, 8704 West Grand River, Brighton. A Brighton High School graduate, Lundquist has previous sales experience at Burroughs Pontiac, Howell, and Art Moran Pontiac-GMC, Southfield. He attended Oakland Community College, Farmington, and while working for Art Moran was enrolled at the Truck Marketing Institute. Lundquist and his wife, Priscilla, live in Brighton. He invites his friends to stop by Wilson Ford-Mercury.

**JOHN AND COLLEEN AULD** of Brighton are sales representatives for a business that transfers photographs to canvas to give them the textured appearance of a painting.

The process, called Art-Fac, works on photographs, lithographs and prints, Auld said.

"The process brings photos to the canvas," he said. "We enlarge the color photo to the desired size. Then we take the cellophane-thin emulsion that is the photo and separate it from the paper backing."

A vacuum press is used to bond the emulsion on canvas, Auld said. When finished, not only does the customer have an enlarged picture but a painting with a personal meaning, he said.

The Aulds, who operate from their home, at 6523 Catalpa, work for Deana Neadeau of Farmington, whose family developed the process.

Orders take from four to six weeks to fill, Auld said. The Aulds' telephone number is 229-4574.

## Tax deductions

# Itemize the cost of driving your automobile

Michigan motorists who itemize deductions on federal income tax returns may include many of the costs related to owning and operating an automobile, according to Automobile Club of Michigan.

Copies of a pamphlet listing tax deductions for car owners, whether they use their automobiles for personal or business use, are available to Triple-A members at any Auto Club office.

The following deductions to which all car owners are entitled, even if their automobile is used solely for pleasure, are listed by the Auto Club:

• State gasoline taxes.

In Michigan, nine cents per gallon. (Divide the miles per gallon consumed by the car into the total miles driven in 1976 to determine the number of gallons used.

For the amount deductible, multiply gallons used by nine cents.)

• Interest paid on automobile loans and finance charges on revolving charge accounts used to purchase gasoline, oil or accessories.

• The four percent Michigan state sales tax on the amount paid for a new or used car, parts, accessories and supplies.

• Damage to, or loss of, an automobile due to fire, theft, collision, vandalism, storm, etc., not reimbursed by insurance or other means, if not due to willful negligence. (Deduction for damage to property used for personal purposes is limited to the amount of each loss in excess of \$100.)

Persons itemizing deductions may claim as a charitable contribution any actual unreimbursed out-of-pocket expenses of operating an automobile in the course of services to a charitable organization.

The actual expenses of using an automobile to obtain medical or dental

services may be claimed as a medical expense.

In lieu of itemizing actual costs, a standard rate of seven cents per mile for such mileage, plus any parking fees or tolls, may be used in figuring deductions for charitable contributions and medical expenses.

Auto Club reminds motorists that the cost of license plates and driver licenses are not deductible items, unless the car is used for business purposes.

If a car is used for business, the following items (in whole or in part, depending upon the extent of business use) are deductible: Auto Club membership cost; state automobile license plate

fees; driver license fees; automobile insurance premiums; car depreciation; judgement for damages due to negligent driving; gas, oil and lubricating expenses (also winterizing and anti-freeze charges); loss on sale of automobile; cost of repairs, maintenance and accessories; washing and polishing expenses; garage rental, parking charges and toll road fees.

Instead of maintaining detailed records itemizing the costs of operation, a person who operates an automobile for business purposes may, under certain conditions, figure the cost of such operation by taking a standard mileage rate.

The standard mileage rate is 15 cents per mile for the first 15,000 miles of business driving and 10 cents per mile for additional business

mileage. A log should be kept of mileage and parking and toll charges business use.

Automobile expenses incurred in connection with business use should be computed on Internal Revenue Service Form 2106, which should be attached to the individual income tax return.

Auto Club points out that costs incurred in driving from home to a regular place of employment and returning home are not tax deductible.



# Swimmers romp to Western Six crown

Finishing either first or second in all 10 swimming events, Northville easily outdistanced host Farmington Harrison and Plymouth Canton to win another Western Six swimming crown Saturday.

The Mustangs won the medley relay, the 50-yard freestyle, the butterfly, the 500-yard freestyle and the breast stroke while amassing 341 points.

Harrison was a distant second with 266½ points, slipping past Canton with 237. Walled Lake Western was fourth with 144½ points and Livonia Churchill

fifth with 75 points.

The title is the second in a row for Northville and the first under rookie head coach Ron Meteyer.

The Mustangs were most dominant in the breast stroke where Matt Sullivan's league record of 1:02.7 led a four-man assault.

Steve Pyett and Jim Wright, each with their best personal times, took second and third and Bob Simone took sixth.

Northville already led by nearly 40 points heading into that event and the 50

points there boosted the lead to 72½.

Northville also placed three in the top six in two other events.

Jim Cahill was an easy winner in the 500-yard freestyle with Bruce Hackman taking second and Derek Gans sixth.

In the 200-yard freestyle, Jim Cahill took second, Tom Cahill fourth and Hackman sixth.

Randy Roggenbuck steamed to a first-place finish in the butterfly as did Mark Yanoschik in the 50-yard freestyle where Matt Sullivan finished fifth.

The medley relay team of Carl Haynie, Sullivan, Roggenbuck and Rick Bargert took first and the freestyle team of Yanoschik, Tom Cahill, Roggenbuck and Jim Cahill took second.

Yanoschik and Tom Cahill in the 100-yard freestyle and Haynie and Bill Lockwood in the backstroke took seconds and thirds, respectively.

Haynie also placed second in the individual medley where Tim Cahill placed fifth, both recording their best personal times.

The next stop for at least four Mustangs is the state championship in East Lansing.

Randy Roggenbuck in the butterfly, Matt Sullivan in the breast stroke, Carl Haynie in the backstroke and Matt Yanoschik in the 50-free have all qualified for the meet.

The four have also qualified as a medley relay team.

In the Western Six meet, preliminaries were held Thursday to determine the six swimmers in the

finals heat. Six swimmers also qualify for the consolation heat.

Even if a swimmer has a better time in a consolation heat than someone in the finals, he can get no higher than seventh.

Here's Northville's finishes in consolation races: 200-free, Jim Pitak, 2; IM, Jim Wright, 7; Gans, 10; 50-free, Bargert, 7; Brian McSeveny, 11; butterfly, Pete Couse, 9; 100-free, Pitak, 7; Thierry Dechape, 9; backstroke, Tim Cahill, 8; Brady Kramer, 9.

## Lose in districts

# Salem closes Mustangs' curtain

It was more of a swan song than a last hurrah, but the 1976-77 version of the Northville basketball team had its moments before taking a quick exit from the statewide tournament last week.

The Mustangs lost as expected to powerful Plymouth Salem in the first-round of district play at Southfield Tuesday.

But the 85-69 defeat did not come until Northville had scared the Rocks with a third-quarter rally that cut the lead to three points.

Trailing 42-34 at half, the Mustangs — on the impetus of a pair of guards — put their fast break and upset hopes into high gear.

Peter Wright, who came on strong at the end of the season, keyed the fast break and John Horwath hit 10 of his 15 points in the third period.

But Salem didn't come into the game with a 15-3 record because it folded under pressure. Led by 23 from Tim Ellinghausen, whose brother starts for Ohio State, and 19 from substitute guard Mike Christie, Salem moved into a 61-49 third-quarter lead.

A lot of damage was done by sophomore guard Rick Hewitt who, despite foul trouble, scored 15 points and "really ignited them," said Northville coach Walt Koepke.

Northville's own superstar, Tony Armada, showed why Western Six coaches think he was the second best player in the conference.

He pumped in 19 points to finish his outstanding career with a 20.1 scoring average in his senior year.

"It's going to be strange next year not having an Armada in the Northville line-up," said Koepke. Tony teamed with brother Cris on last year's team.

Center Steve Hudolin also finished his career in fine style Tuesday, pulling in a team-high 13 rebounds.

The Mustangs finished the year with a 9-12 record which, Koepke admitted,

was "disappointing. All of us thought we would do a little better than we did."

In fact, Koepke added, "we all had hopes of it really being a good season."

Although the Mustangs were looking for a well-balanced attack, the Northville offense fell mainly on Armada's shoulders for the first half of the season.

Other support was spotty. Hudolin

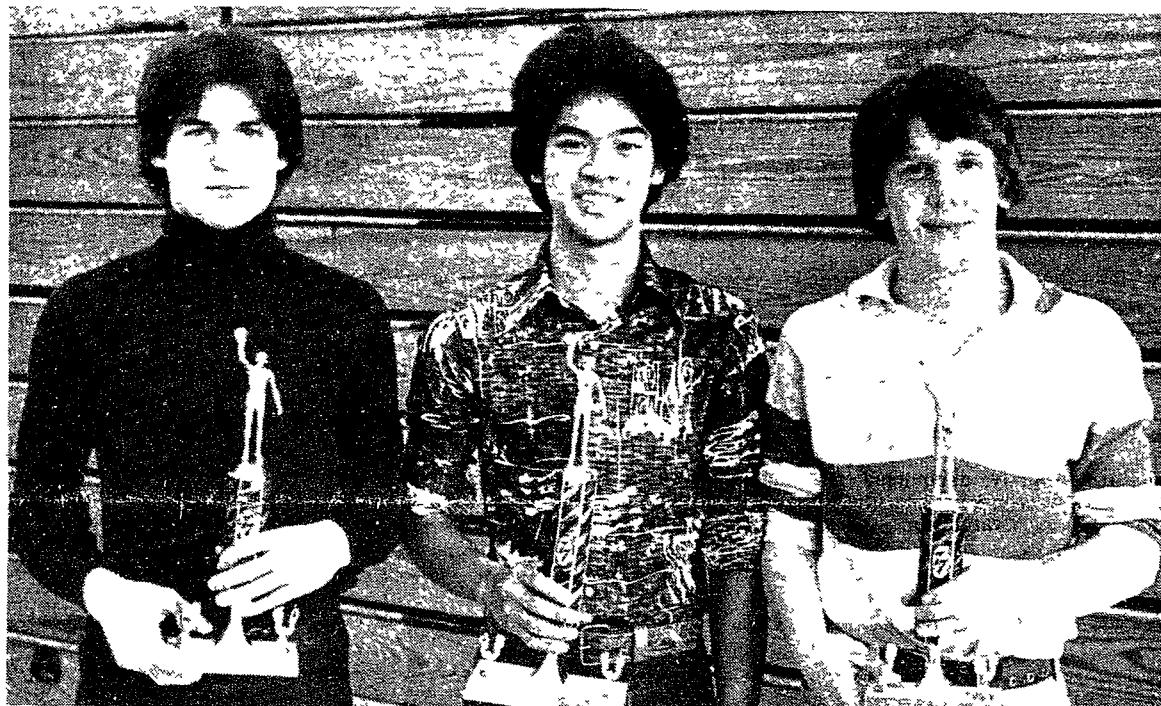
caught fire against Brighton with 21 points in a two-point win. Horwath fired in 23 in an overtime loss at Novi and there were other examples but they were few and far between.

By the end of the season, three juniors had come around and — combined with a junior varsity team that had the best league record — they show hope for the future.

Horwath, after a slow start, hit double figures in 12 of the last 14 games.

Wright, whose 13 points Tuesday gave him 55 in his last three games, sparked the offense at the tail of the season.

And Doug Harding, who missed four early games with an injury, gave the Mustangs necessary muscle under the boards.



Top Mustangs

Three awards were announced this week following the end of Northville's basketball season. Senior Tony Armada (center), the team's high scorer, was named the Most

Valuable Player. Juniors John Horwath (left) and Peter Wright were co-winners of the Most Improved Player Award. The Mustangs were 9-12 this year.

# Wildcats belt Pinckney before Flyers pull rug

For six quarters last week, the Novi basketball team played the way that many hoped it would perform all season.

For the first 48 minutes of their district tournament play at Dexter last week, the Wildcats shot well, played spirited defense, crashed the boards, and took advantage of their height and weight by moving steadily toward the basket.

The result was a surprisingly easy 80-53 rout of Pinckney on Thursday and a 33-33 half-time tie with heavily favored Willow Run in Saturday's championship game.

But the bubble, which had been stretching in the closing moments of the second quarter of the Willow Run game, burst wide open in the third quarter when Novi could manage only one bank-shot basket by Bill Giorgio.

Willow Run scored 15 during the same eight minutes and had an untouchable 48-35 lead heading into the final quarter.

The Flyers added to that lead in the fourth quarter, winning 62-46 and qualifying for regional play this week at University of Detroit High School.

"We played as a team," said coach Ron Flutur in explaining the turnaround of the Wildcats who finished the year 9-12 overall and tied for fourth in the seven-team SEC.

Pinckney, which entered the game with an 11-10 record, never had a chance after the early moments.

Leading 22-20 in the second quarter, Novi reeled off 14 straight points. In the third quarter, Novi put together 11 straight points and eventually built up a 26-point advantage, 68-39, early in the fourth quarter.

Flutur started emptying his bench

with more than four minutes to go, but the subs were almost as hot and protected a 22-point lead.

Bob Bannatz with 17 and Giorgio with 16 led the scoring but it was hard to find fault with any of the Wildcat performances.

It was more of the same Saturday when Novi battled quick and strong Willow Run to a 16-16 first quarter tie and then delighted the Wildcat crowd by taking a 31-26 lead.

Giorgio, who shot brilliantly, ended the first half with 15 of his team-high 19 points. Andy McComas and Greg Porter ignited the second-quarter rally with twisting drives to the basket and sophomore David Pisha did a yeoman's job on the boards.

But Willow Run battled back with seven straight points and only Giorgio's half-court shot at the buzzer allowed Novi to leave the floor with a tie.

In the third quarter, Flutur tried to stop a Willow Run flurry by calling three time outs.

## Tony, Billy on All-Stars

Two outstanding seniors, Northville's Tony Armada and Novi's Bill Giorgio, were named to the Sliger Home Newspapers All-Area basketball team this week.

They joined Dave Hibner and Jerry Johnson, both of Howell, and Brighton's Tom Babineau, on the first team. All are seniors.

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## Lynne Hicks' machine

# Record speed for snowmobile

As fast as Lynn Hicks' snowmobile was moving last week, that's how slow the process may be as he attempts to get verification for the world's speed record.

Hicks' 800 cc Sno Jet blistered across the mirror-smooth Union Lake ice a week ago Sunday to the mind-boggling speed of 135.9 miles per hour.

That's more than eight mph faster than the recognized mark held by a Ski-Doo.

Hicks is writing the people who publish the Guinness Book of World Records to see if his speed qualifies for the record.

The next book won't be published for two years.

Nothing that the facts behind the Ski-Doo mark are vague, Hicks is confident that his methods will be more than sufficient.

Manning the elaborate timing lights that caught driver Don Ditzen's speedy run was Bill Bollister, who has been the chief timer for the Spirit of Detroit Gold Cup Races for the past four years.

Others helping were Donald Crowl, a development engineer for UniRoyal Corporation, and William Milne, a Northville resident who is a Chrysler engine development supervisor.

"You can't get any better than that," said Hicks. "Those are pretty reputable people."

Hicks was hoping to set the record last month at MISA Sanctioned World Snowmobile Land Speed Races near Algonac, but weather conditions made the runs impossible.

Hicks built the snowmobile at his Eight Mile Road shop west of Northville.

Ditzen's first run last Sunday fizzled when the engine backfired and the machine only made 103 mph.

He hit 122 and 123 mph on his next two runs and then went for broke.

"Accelerating for 2640 feet, the Sno Jet blasted through the 132-foot space between the lights at 135.9 mph.

"It blew about 40 metal studs out of the track," said Hicks. "They were coming out of there like confetti."

Another six runs were tried after that, but it never passed 120 mph.

Hicks is pleased with the time, but he thinks the machine is capable of 140 mph.

## Softball meeting

The Northville Recreation Department is still seeking men's softball teams for either the National or the American leagues.

Those with teams should call 349-0203 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday.



## Icer O'Rear

Novi's Tom O'Rear is one of four Michigan players on Union College's 17-2-1 hockey team coached by former Detroit Red Wing coach and general Manager Ned Hardness (left). A freshman, O'Rear has become a regular and has one goal and 11 assists at the Schenectady, New York school.

# Ladycats trip Hartland in volleyball districts

Novi's volleyball team continued its late season surge Friday by beating Hartland to advance to this weekend's state regional play-in in Linden.

The Ladycats, who had split two earlier contests with Hartland, stopped the Eagles 15-9, 15-9 to win the pre-regional contest on their home court.

"They played well, they got together," said Novi coach Rose Riopelle. "These girls keep their cool. They don't show their anger."

The serving of Dede McAlle and the spiking of Sue Beall was cited by Riopelle as major factors in the win.

"It was probably not our super game, but we had some good servers and spikers," said Riopelle.

After a slow start, the Ladycats rallied this year to take third in the SEC.

They hope to continue that success

Saturday when they take on South Lyon in the first game of the single-elimination regionals.

## Cole in NCAA's

Guy Cole, who used to burn up high school tracks for Northville, hopes to do more of the same this weekend at Detroit's Cobo Hall.

Cole, an Eastern Michigan University junior, is a member of the Hurons' sprint medley team which will be competing in the NCAA national championships Friday and Saturday.

At 1:45 on Friday afternoon, Cole will start running the opening half-mile leg of the four-man relay. If Eastern qualifies in Friday's preliminaries, the team will advance to the finals on Saturday.

# What a grudge match!

## Seniors battle faculty

Having to live up to advance billings ranging from "The Greatest Show on Earth" to "The only thing going on Friday night," the Northville faculty-seniors basketball game takes to the hardwood this week.

Tickets for the 7 p.m. game are 75 cents for students and \$1 for adults and are available during

school hours or at the door.

Proceeds go toward the spring musical. Game time is 7 p.m. Friday.

One teacher said the faculty has attempted to scout the senior talent.

"We tried to find out how fast the senior guys are by asking senior girls, but all the girls were out with junior guys," he said.

In response, the seniors explained that the faculty needed a large team because the "spare-tire syndrome" might "overcome their physical capabilities".

After the game, there will be a disco dance sponsored by the senior class in the cafeteria from 9 p.m. to 11:30 p.m. Cost is \$1.25.

## Soccer sign-up

# Moonkin trips Alma

Howard Bennett scored 21 points and five others scored double figures as Moonkin Toys outgunned Alma Machinery, 95-91, to win the Novi Recreation Basketball tournament last week.

Following Bennett were Jeff Moon with 16, John Pantalone who had 14 including five clutch free throws, Jeff Spires and Lanny Hahn with 12 apiece, and Steve Utley with 10.

Bill Hall with 24, and Don Scheffeld with 23 led Alma who reached the finals by knocking off Masonary, 82-68, in the consolation game.

Scheffeld, the leading scorer in the regular season, had 31 points that game.

Youngsters between the ages of 7-10 can start registering for soccer

either through the school or at the recreation office on the corner of Novi Road and Twelve Mile.

All three Novi elementary schools will have a team. The fee is \$8 a child and size is limited to 90 participants on a first-come, first-served basis.

The season will start April 4 and run nine weeks.

Registration for the T-

Ball League will begin Thursday at 7 p.m. in room 7 at the high school. No money is needed that night, but sponsors and coaches are still being sought. This is basically an information meeting.

Women's softball has a meeting tonight (Wednesday) also at 7 p.m. in room 7. Girls' softball has a meeting at 8:30 in room 6.

## Athletes of the Week



MARK YANOSCHIK



BRITT EVANS

Mark Yanoschik, a junior swimmer for Northville, won the 50-yard freestyle in the league meet last week and will swim in the state meet this week. He holds the team and pool records for both the 50 and 100-yard freestyle and is on two pool and team record setting relay teams.

Britt Evans returned from Florida last week and then sizzled in Northville's gymnastic win over Bishop Borgess. The sophomore won both the floor exercises and tumbling competitions and, even though it was her first time in competition, she took third in the vaulting.

## Junior Basketball Standings

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Pacers	Cougars	3	5
Cavaliers	Rockets	3	5
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Kings	Bullets	1	7
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5-6 Grade		W	L
Mustangs	Royals	7	1
7	1	6	2
Trofters	Hawks	5	3
Knicks	76'ers	5	3
3	5	3	5
Bulls	Colonels	3	5
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Bucks	Suns	1	7
7-8 Grade		W	L
Nets	Royals	7	1
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Warriors	44	Bullets	10
Cougars	17	Pistons	14
Cavaliers	15	Rockets	14
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5-6 Grade			
Colonels	37	Knicks	14
Royals	23	Suns	10
Trofters	43	Hawks	23
Mustangs	31	Bucks	22
Bulls	19	76'ers	11
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Nets	35	Nuggets	27
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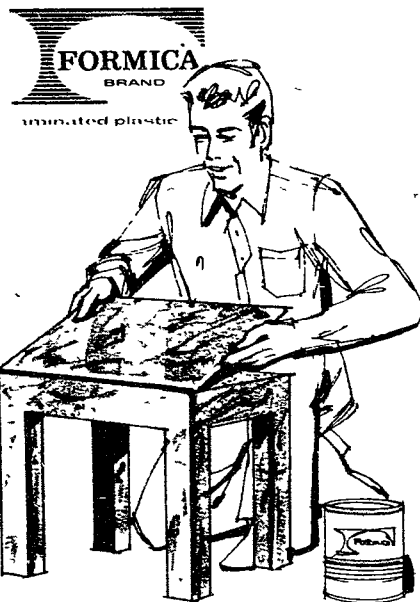
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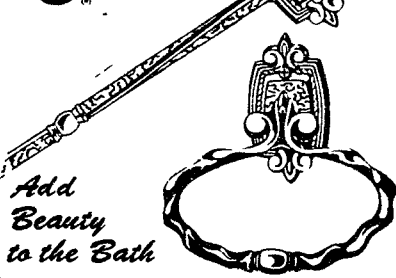
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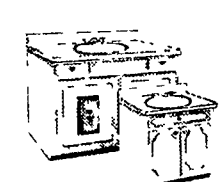
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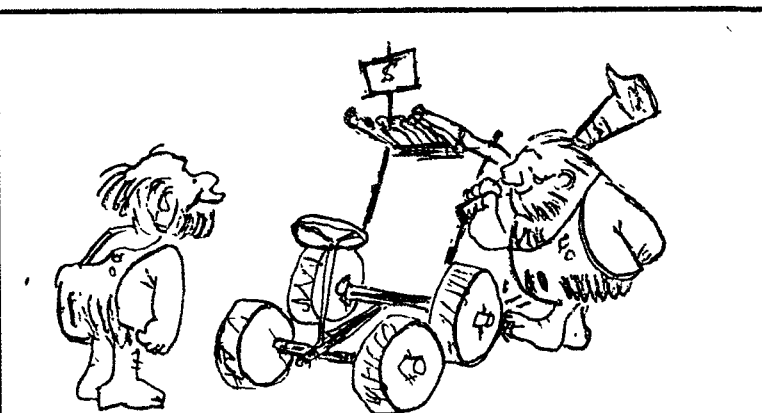
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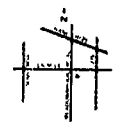
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# Guardian uses cagey girls in basketball tournament

Television's "Battle of the Sexes" has nothing on a basketball tournament that is being held in Novi this weekend. While television devises handicaps to even things out between the males and females, the two sexes will be battling it out on an even basis during the second annual Guardian Industries tournament.

The girls who are involved will play for the Guardian Knights, the team that will be representing the world headquarters, located on West Nine Mile Road near Novi Road.

Seven other teams from Michigan, Indiana, Ohio and Illinois will be competing in the double-elimination

tournament at the Novi Middle School on Saturday and Sunday.

"Everybody is kidding me about the girls," said Tim Bolinger who organized the Knights. "But they are experienced in basketball."

Bolinger should know. One of the three girls is his wife, Mary Ann, who was a star for Novi in the early 1970's when she was known as Mary Ann Pierce.

The other two girls, Jerri Isanhart and Jan Wilkinson, are from Livonia.

Bolinger said he'll be able to start a team with a front line that averages 6' 5" and that height and the home-court advantage may make things rough on the defending champion Blues from Upper Sandusky.

This year's tournament was originally planned for Toledo but the site was changed because the Ohio fuel shortage made gym space difficult to obtain.

Novi's team will play at 11 a.m. Saturday morning and, after that, the schedule will depend on the outcomes of games.

Admission is 50 cents and refreshments will be available.



Champions

Coach Gene Wagner and leading scorer Jim Harding clutch the trophy won by the OLV 7th and 8th grade boys in regional play last week. The Cougars are now one of

only four remaining teams in the tournament which started with 138 squads. They have won their last 20 games.

## Gymnasts finish season with win

Sue Kinnaird, Britt Evans and Theresa Norris led a sophomore-dominated gymnastic team to its second win of the season as Northville swept three of five events to upend Bishop Borgess, 59-48, last week.

Kinnaird then went on to regional competition at Troy Athens Saturday where she placed 15th among 38 vaulters.

Evans and Norris led sweeps in floor exercises and tumbling against Borgess. Lori Herguth took third in floor exercises and Kinnaird third in tumbling.

The Mustangs also finished one-two-three in vaulting with Kinnaird, Cindy Roberts and Evans — her first time

vaulting in competition — taking the honors.

Kinnaird also took third in the uneven bars and Diane Dechape took third on the balance beam.

All of the girls who placed were sophomores except for Roberts who is a junior.

Only the top ten at a regional go on to state competition in Grand Rapids, but coach Debbie Davis was pleased with Kinnaird's showing.

"She got a 7.0 from the roughest judges in the state," said Davis. She needed a 7.3 to place 10th. Only one girl scored as high as 8.0.

Since Kinnaird is only a sophomore, it is likely that she will have future chances at qualifying for the state finals.

### Await regionals

## Mustang spikers top Franklin in 3 games

Western Six champion Northville opened its state volleyball tournament run last week by whipping Livonia Franklin, 15-1, 11-15, 15-5.

It was Senior Night for four Mustangs playing their last home games and one senior, Becky Albus, started things off right by serving for the first 10 points of the night.

Franklin battled back to win the second game, but the Mustangs

### Baseball sign-up

Those wishing to play baseball in the Novi little league program this summer will get a second chance to register and they had better not miss this opportunity.

Registration will be from 9 a.m. until noon on Saturday, March 19 in the commons room at Novi High School.

finished off the Livonia school in the deciding contest.

Besides Albus, Debbie Maguire, Louise Hopping and Sharon Broderick are seniors on the squad that won the first volleyball title in the school's history.

Franklin has some strong spikers, but the Mustangs countered with good blocks and their share of good spikes, said coach Jane Stubenvoll.

"They just played super," she said.

Maguire, Kim Kratz and Margo Baranowski were the team's top spikers. Maguire also did a good job blocking and dropped in several dink shots "where they couldn't get them," said Stubenvoll.

Northville heads into an eight-team field Saturday morning with a 10 a.m. game with the winner of the Salem-Canton battle in Plymouth.

The Mustangs will have to win three straight to survive that single-elimination tourney.

## 10 Novi wrestlers win medals at AAU meet

Ten members of the Novi wrestling club earned medals at the Edison Invitational at Hazel Park last weekend, which drew 350 competitors.

Kevin Mills and Jim Longhurst each took seconds in the 15-16-year-old bracket. In the same division, Addison Keiser took a third and R. J. Bayne, Jim Stevens and Andy Anton took fourths.

Jebb Rich and Rick

Burgan each took second in the 11-12 age bracket. At 9-10, Ed Marech took second and Kjell Johnston took third.

The boys were wrestling under Olympic free-

### Northville's Friehl takes 3rd

Northville's Chris Friehl beat two opponents who qualified for the regionals this year and went on to finish third in an AAU wrestling meet last weekend at

style rules and scoring practices. Mills, for instance, had the best record in his division but had to settle for second because of the marking system.

Westland John Glenn. Friehl is a member of the Northville AAU team that meets Tuesday nights at the high school and goes to tournaments most Saturdays.

## OLV boys take trophy in 20th straight win

The season is over for two of OLV's three successful basketball teams, but there's still more to come for a third.

The 7th and 8th grade boys won the regional title last weekend by beating St. Bedes of Southfield, 31-29, and St. Mikes of Livonia, 35-29.

Jim Harding led all scores with 22 points, followed by Dave Greer with 15, Tim Sullivan with 14, Kevin Swayne with 11 and Dennis Quinn with four.

The Cougars, one of only four teams remaining from the 138 who started the area playoffs, move into the semi-finals Saturday where they meet St. Pious of Southgate.

Coach Gene Wanger's squad is now 22-1 and has won 20 straight games.

The 5th and 6th grade boys finished a 14-7 year by winning the consolation

trophy in the Our Lady of Refuge Tournament.

After an opening loss to Holy Name, the tournament champion, OLV beat Our Lady of LaSalette by 23 points and St. Hugo by 15.

Terry Nadeau, the tournament's leading scorer, and Chris Wagner were named to the All-Tournament team. Dave Bach and Dan Nielson provided strong rebounding and Dave Martin did some fine outside shooting.

Meanwhile, the girls lost in the first round of the city playoffs, falling to St. Michael's of Livonia, 39-27.

Leslie Nadeau scored 173 points for the season, leading the girls to an 11-3 record, the best ever.

Cindy Martin had 105 points as the second leading scorer.

## Spring sport is ahead for area prep athletes

This week's balmy weather gives reason to believe that there may be a Spring after all, despite the memory of this record-cold winter.

(Don't get too optimistic, yet. There usually a snowstorm around St. Patrick's Day.)

Athletes at Novi and Northville expected Spring all along and most have already begun practicing for the next season in the high school sports year.

Most practices are still indoors, of course, but it won't be that long before sweat-soaked trackmen and women,

baseball and softball hopefuls and would-be Rod Lavers take to the tracks, diamonds and courts as a sure harbinger of warmer weather.

Boys' and girls' track, baseball, softball and tennis are all swinging into action.

Competition begins in April, so March is devoted to conditioning and sharpening the skills that will be needed for Western Six and SEC competition.

Starting next week, the Record sports pages will be carrying pre-season articles on all of these sports. First on the list is track and field.

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Novi Highlights

Funds sought for police CB's

By JEANNE CLARKE  
624-0173

**CB'ers for Novi**  
This group was organized to raise money to equip the Novi Police Department with CB's so that the emergency channel and traffic channel can be monitored.

Contributions are needed by this group if the drive is to be successful. Anyone wishing to contribute should send a check made out to "CB'ers for Novi" to 41024 Hollydale, Novi. Further information can be obtained by calling 478-5177.

Area News

Mr. and Mrs. George Ciot of Wainwright Street have returned after an extended visit to Florida which started December 18. They first went to Texas to visit their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wenzell of Humble, Texas. While in Florida they visited relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Voder of Zephyrhills, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Robertson near Sarasota. Former Novi residents were also on their itinerary, including Sam Johnson and Victor Muscat of Palm Springs, the Plautz family, and Father Jones who was formerly with St. Williams in Walled Lake.

The Novi Heights Association met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Dingman last week with a very good number of residents in attendance including several new families.

Mrs. Stanley Orzechowski of Beck Road has returned from flying down to Largo, Florida for 10 days to visit her parents, former long-time residents Mrs. and Mrs. Harold Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dobek of 12 Mile Road celebrated their 35th wedding anniversary very quietly at home last Sunday with dinner. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Don Dobek and children.

The Novi Book Bank will be held from 2-8 p.m. April 11 and donor cards can be picked up for any organization to distribute by calling Ray Tobias at 349-5455 after 1:30 p.m. Anyone who would like to help on this project should call him.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Smith and family have returned from spending five weeks in the St. Petersburg, Florida area with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff (Darlene) Bruehl and daughter, Julia. On the way down they visited their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Smith of Bloomington, Illinois. Former residents, the Edward Spisaks of Novi entertained them at their home in Sarasota, Florida.

American Association  
Retired Persons

Regular meeting of the group will be held Friday, March 18 at 1:30 p.m. Meeting will be held at the Farmington Hills library which is located on 12 Mile between Orchard Lake and Farmington. The special guest speaker will be David Banks whose theme will be "Save Your Sight." He is the education director of the Greater Detroit Society for the Blind.

The Tax Aid program will be available to Senior Citizens Thursday, March 17, at the Novi Community Center on Novi Road north of Grand River. It will also be held Monday, March 21, at the American Legion Hall in Farmington. There is no charge.

Novi Pinpointers

Mystery game was won by Doris Holroyde. High bowlers were Sharon Icenoggle with 225, 187 in a 589 series; Mary Nummery with 217 in a 522; Sue Taylor with 210; Shirley Selep with 209

in a 553 series; Diane Alexander with 193; Jean Forter with 182.

The bowling banquet again will be held at the C.R.C. Clubhouse. Date is May 25. Cost of tickets is \$9.50 and will be on sale shortly.

Novi Blue Star Mothers

The Blue Star Mothers have resumed meetings again and the last meeting was held at the home of Helen Burnstrum in Northville on Thursday. Members discussed and made decisions regarding participation in national and state projects. They will be participating in a bake sale to be held at the V.A. Hospital March 18. This group is interested in obtaining new members to help in the work at the Veterans Hospital in Ann Arbor.

Novi Senior Citizens

The Novi Senior Citizens met today at the Novi United Methodist Church. Hostesses were Mesdames Elizabeth Cheaney, Roberta Apker, Florence Bachtie. The decorating committee had the tables decorated with St. Patrick's designs. Following the covered dish luncheon they played cards. Anyone who knows of any ill members is asked to contact President Leonard Butler or the sunshine committee, Violet Howard and Dorothy Finlan.

Welcome Wagon

Date of the Spring Splendor is March 24 at 7:30 p.m. It will be held at the Novi Middle School. Anyone wishing tickets can call Carol at 349-6764. Activities are: Daytime bridge, March 17 at 12:30 p.m.; Couples bridge group "A" March 19 at 8 p.m. and group "B", 8:30 p.m.; Daytime craft March 15 and they will be working on wire trees and macrame. If interested call Sue, 349-1161.

The Ladies Golf League is getting underway with first meeting set for April 5 at 10 a.m. The first game is set for June 1. Anyone interested in playing should call Marilyn at 349-1297 if interested in being a regular or a substitute. Many interest groups are available. Call Connie at 477-9666.

Novi Jaycee Auxiliary

Last Saturday, seven members attended the district judging of projects done by Jaycee Auxiliaries in the area. Novi submitted three projects for judging, including the Health Fair, Haunted House assistance and Jaycee Mystery Dinner.

On March 10, members brought treats and entertained the patients of Beverly Manor. The same day several other members took the young adults from the Northville State Home to McDonalds and then for a trip to the Historical Museum in Detroit. Current projects include the Treasure Hunt, Easter Egg Hunt for Jaycee families, Girl Scout Birthday outing, Health Fair and assisting the Jaycees with Oak Park Extension.

NESPO

March 11 is the date set for the annual cupcake sale at the school. The sale is always held in honor of Principal Roy William's birthday. Proceeds will go into a special project. Last year they sent several fifth grade girls to camp. All Campbell soup labels and Post cereal boxtops must be in by March 11th. They will be going towards additional equipment in the library and the physical education department.

American Legion Post No. 19

There has been a change of meeting days the new time of meeting will be the second and fourth Thursday of each

month. The post will continue to meet at Northville Post Home No. 147 for the time being. The group is interested in hearing from more veterans. They have several projects coming up including Poppy Day, as well as sending a boy to Wolverine Boy's State in East Lansing for a week. Anyone interested in more information on the Legion can call Raymond Tobias at 349-5455 after 1:30 p.m.

Orchard Hills Booster Club

At the board meeting on March 8, additional plans were made for the T-shirt and sweatshirt sale at the school. Everyone in the community is reminded of the Book Fair to be held at Orchard Hills School March 24 and 25. New books will be on sale as this time.

Athletic Booster Club

Final plans for the "Spring Dance" were made at their last meeting. The date of the Winter Sports Banquet has been changed to April 4 from March 21. Plans were made for an A&P Donation day tentatively scheduled for April 27. There will be more information in the school newsletter. Tickets for the Flea Market Auction March 26 at the Village Oaks clubhouse are available by calling Mrs. Spielman at 349-0228. At the next meeting, everyone is encouraged to come as there will be nominations for officers for the coming year.


Parent Advisory Council

A reminder of the meeting this evening to be held at the Novi High School library at 7:30 p.m. Of special interest in the evening will be the presentation by Dr. Helen Ditzhazy of the newly proposed grading policy in the high school. Any questions regarding this group can be directed to 349-9286.

Novi Jaycees

The monthly meeting was held at the Holiday Inn with reports being given on the Senior Citizen project. Steve Dulac presented some of the plans for the annual Gala Days project. March 10, the Novi Jaycees will be meeting with young men between the ages of 18-36 in the Oak Park area to help them organize a group. At the next meeting, election of officers will be discussed. A 50's party is being organized by the Jaycees for the membership and guests. The Hockey for Burns was a huge success under the leadership of Terry Roberts and a considerable amount was presented to the Burn Center in Ann Arbor for their use.

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Friends of the Library

The Friends report a very interesting and informative meeting last week with special guest Mrs. Laura Hickson of Northville, who also has taught at Schoolcraft College. Her lecture on genealogy was followed by discussion. The movie last Saturday was very successful with about 60 children in attendance and there has been another one scheduled for Saturday, March 26 at 2 p.m. Title of the film will be "Flash, Teenage Otter." More details at a later date.

Novi Campers and Hikers

"Rarin' to Go" had another meeting last Saturday and plans are underway for participation in the state spring campout scheduled for May 20, 21 and 22. Again, the welcome mat is out for any family interested in camping. Contact Bob Le Tarte at 349-2064 for additional information on this branch of the National Organization of Campers and Hikers.

Novi Boy Scouts

A troop committee meeting was held March 1 at the Novi United Methodist Church with discussion of upcoming activities. During the month of March the boys will be selling fertilizer with delivery about the first part of April. Anyone wishing more information should contact Bill Rice at 349-5953. On March 26 they have planned a kite fly out at Kensington Park. They have several campouts coming up starting with one on April 2 and the big one for a week at Lost Lake Woods starting July 10. Advance reservations must be made for this one.

Novi Girl Scouts

Anyone wishing to get a Red Cross card should call 422-2787 as soon as possible to get on the list for the next class. The class will be held at Middlebelt and Five Mile Road and you will be notified as to date and time.

There is still time to sign up for the Arts and Crafts Class to be held in Birmingham on April 1 from 9:15 a.m. to noon. Cost is \$5. Registrations should be sent to the Girl Scout office. All troops are reminded the World Friendship Fund can be sent to the Girl Scout office and is due in by May 1.

The council meeting will be held March 22 from 7-9:30 p.m. and is open to all registered adults. Special speaker will be Edward Guest, Jr.

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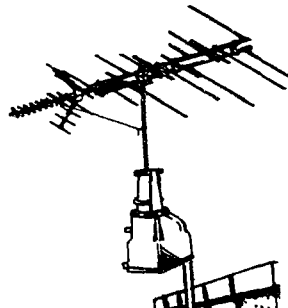
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# Hostages taken at DeHoCo after deliberate fire

## In Township . . .

A deliberately set fire to a mattress in a unit of a maximum security barracks housing 40 female inmates at the Detroit House of Corrections Sunday afternoon led to what was described by Michigan State Police as a "disturbance".

The fire was thought to have been set as a distraction for an escape planned by some inmates. After the fire, which was quickly extinguished, the inmates reportedly became unruly and refused to obey the directions of correctional personnel.

Several prison personnel were held inside the barracks although none were injured or abused during the fracas. It was apparent to troopers responding to the scene however, that those personnel were no longer in command of the inmates.

Those women denied the entrance of or leaving to any correction official or police personnel at the scene. Since the possibility of a riot or hostage action being taken existed, additional units of troopers from other posts were alerted. Northville Township Police also responded to the area in case of further trouble.

The disturbance was quelled when a correction official managed to talk most of the inmates back to their units, with the exception of four women.

Those four, who were thought to have spurred the initial outbreak, were forcibly returned to their quarters.

State Police troopers called to Northville State Hospital Friday night to investigate a larceny from a car found instead three "tipsy" hospital employees.

The troopers were reportedly told by the threesome to be quiet, not to bother the employees and to leave the hospital. The officers then informed the two women and one man that it was forbidden to drink intoxicants on state property especially while on duty.

The man, a security guard at the facility, said he brought the liquor in the hospital after taking it away from an unknown person in the parking lot. Troopers were told by one of the women that she had been drinking on her lunch hour and that was her own time.

Dr. Calvin Chen of the hospital, who was contacted by the troopers, said the employees were suspended after he arrived at the facility.

A Highland Lakes resident, who had been evicted from an apartment and subsequently was living in his car parked near the area, reported a case of malicious destruction of property to both the State Police and Northville Township Police Wednesday.

Later the same day the man returned to his car only to find all the windows smashed out. But that incident was observed by Officer Philip Presnell of the township during a routine patrol of the Highland Lakes area.

Presnell watched three Northville juveniles use rocks and chunks of ice to smash the windows of the car and then run off to the shopping plaza parking lot nearby.

Presnell apprehended the three youths at 3:30 p.m., March 1. Two 13-year-olds and one 12-year-old child were later released to their parents pending disposition of the case which totaled \$400 in damages.

A Northville Township resident was bound over to circuit court Monday morning after being charged with an armed robbery Friday. Under the new state law, 26-year-old James Lockhart was charged with a second count of committing a felony with a firearm.

That charge brings a mandatory two year prison sentence.

Lockhart, apparently disturbed after losing some money in a card game, aimed a loaded rifle directly at the stomach of William O'Brien of Detroit demanding his money.

Approximately \$150 in cash was reportedly handed over to Lockhart who then ordered both O'Brien and another man, Dennis Hanson, into the trunk of a car parked in the garage.

The men refused to do Lockhart's bidding and told police they began to back out of the garage. Lockhart was then said to have raised the rifle to his shoulder, aiming it directly at O'Brien.

O'Brien and Hanson continued to back out of the garage and then fled on foot approximately a half mile from the residence on Seven Mile to the Northville City Police Department.

Officer Philip Presnell taking the call for the township, found Lockhart in the garage area of the residence. Lockhart was arrested and turned over the weapon which had been hidden in the house.

Lockhart is being held in lieu of a \$50,000 cash bond imposed by Judge Dunbar Davis in Plymouth Court.

## In Northville . . .

Among the many calls for Northville City Police last week, four malicious destruction of property and two stolen vehicle complaints were logged.

Tire slashings and smashed car windows made up the damage reports. In an incident that occurred March 1, the driver of a car southbound on Center Street told police he heard something strike his right rear window.

The window was shattered but still intact when the driver reached the police department. Officers there observed a small hole in the upper corner of the window which was reported to be typical of a hole made by a BB gun.

The owner of a vehicle parked at city lot No. 1 reported the right side of the car's windshield smashed with some unknown object. The woman told police the incident occurred between 9 and 10:15 a.m. Wednesday. Damage was estimated at \$150.

The right front and rear tires of a car parked in the employee's lot at Northville Downs were found slashed Saturday night. The owner told police he suffered from a similar episode not three weeks ago.

In that incident, all four tires were slashed while the car was parked in the same location.

During the nighttime hours last week, someone threw eggs against the wall of the building housing the Bedsprad Place. Not only was the paint on the building damaged but two windows were broken as well. Damage was estimated to be \$100.

A 1974 car was stolen Friday night while it was parked at city lot No. 4. The reportedly locked car was found missing by its owner at 11:30 p.m.

Meanwhile, the Novi Fire Department responded to a car fire on Garfield near Nine Mile Road at 11 p.m. The blazing vehicle was found to be the one stolen from Northville.

The car was reported by Novi to be a total loss.

## In Novi . . .

Over \$1400 worth of merchandise was taken March 4 from a home in the 46000 area of Nine Mile.

Taken from the home were a Craftsman toolbox, Sears television, Johnson CB, two archery bows, a tape player, an electric portable typewriter, two Sears Omega calculators and a Sony clock radio.

The building was entered by prying open a door. Neighbors reported seeing

a 1969 gray automobile parked in the driveway and two long-haired white males roaming the property. That same car had been noticed by neighbors in the past cruising the area.

Joe's Market, 47375 Grand River, was broken into March 5 and 18 to 20 cartons of cigarettes taken. According to police reports, a complainant phoned the station to say that while driving down Grand River he saw a subject in front of the market who ran as his car approached.

Officers found a small hole in the window of the front door although the door was locked. It was determined later that the cigarettes, as well as several grocery bags were missing. Other items also may have been taken.

Between 7:30 p.m. March 5 and 1:30 a.m. March 6 a home in the 28900 area of Summit Drive may have been entered. According to reports, four windows valued at \$500 were broken with rocks which also smashed a table lamp and a full-length door mirror. Nothing appeared disturbed in the house. Police theorize that a dog in the house may have prevented entry.

An attempted child enticement may have occurred March 4 when three youngsters reported that the driver of a black over red Mustang or Duster stopped and asked the boys if they wanted a ride to school or if they smoked. The youngsters said they did not want a ride and the car, with three persons in it, left. The driver was described as having an afro.

A high-speed chase resulted in the arrest March 5 of four men in the car. According to reports, officers observed a vehicle backing onto eastbound Nine Mile just west of Ennishore. Believing the driver to be intoxicated, officers turned on their overhead lights and pursued when the subject vehicle accelerated reaching speeds of 90 miles per hour. That car reportedly ran several stop signs including at Meadowbrook Road and Haggerty.

The car then went southbound on Gill to Eight Mile and westbound on Eight Mile to Newburgh where officers stopped the vehicle. The driver was issued violations for fleeing and eluding and confined to Oakland County Jail where he later posted \$100 bond. Two of the passengers were issued violations for being intoxicated in public while the final occupant was issued a violation for possession of alcoholic beverages.

Dave's Hamburgers at Novi Road and Grand River reported that 30 dozen eggs and 40 pounds of American cheese were taken March 5 from an outside food storage locker. Twenty dollars in change was also found to be missing from the cash register when the day's receipts were tallied that night.

Edward Bardeleben, 38, of Walled Lake received an incapacitating injury and was taken to Botsford Hospital for treatment as the result of an automobile accident which occurred March 4.

According to police reports, Bardeleben was eastbound on Grand River waiting to turn into National Bank of Detroit. A second vehicle was waiting to turn into the post office on the south side of the street.

The second driver waved Bardeleben across and in so doing, his vehicle was struck by a car driven by Lary Klossa, 37, of Walled Lake who was westbound. He received a possible injury.

An eyewitness verified that Bardeleben was waved across. The second vehicle did not stop after the accident and is being sought.

## In Wixom . . .

Warrants were issued and one arrest was made by Wixom Police in a case involving malicious destruction of property by strikers at Automotive Specialty Company on Beck Road.

Strikers stopped Gary Onyskin of Westland as he attempted to cross the picket line at the company Wednesday morning. Two workers reportedly stood

the incident told police one man struck to move out of the way.

Both Onyskin and a guard watching the incident told police one man struck the hood of the car with a piece of doubled steel cable. He then struck at the windshield with the cable with a second striker hitting the windshield with a large stick.

The impact of the blows broke the windshield as well as damaging the hood of the car. Arrested Thursday and charged with malicious destruction of property over \$100 was Steven Yenshaw.

Police investigated a second case of trouble at the same company also apparently linked to the picket line. In the early morning hours Thursday, a log was thrown through the window of the plant manager's office.

Police have no leads in that case.

A portable car radio and speakers were taken from a stake truck parked at Foster Floors on South Wixom Road early last week.

Police theorize a driveshaft was taken

from the bed of a nearby pickup truck and used to break out the side window of the truck to gain entry.

Four chrome wire spoke hubcaps valued at \$120 were taken from a car parked at the Maple North complex. The theft was discovered February 28.

A handgun was taken from an unlocked car while it was parked at the Continental Bar on Grand River. The gun was found missing February 25 and was thought to have been taken between 4 and 6 p.m.

The owner placed a value of \$100 on the Colt Cobra revolver.

Two Wixom juveniles were detained by police for possession of stolen property February 28. The youngsters, had in their possession at least \$500 in merchandise which had been hidden in various parts of a Wixom residence.

The items were thought by Wixom investigating officers to have been stolen from a Stratford Villa Trailer Park home. Included in the list were two long guns.

## NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE

To the Qualified Electors of the  
Township of Northville  
Wayne County, Michigan

Notice is given that a General Election will be held in the Township of Northville, Wayne County, Michigan on Wednesday, March 23, 1977 from 7:00 a.m. in the forenoon until 8:00 p.m. in the afternoon, Eastern Standard Time for the purpose of filling a vacancy in the 14th State Senatorial District.

Polling Places:

Precincts 1 & 3 — Moraine School — 46811 Eight Mile Road  
Precincts 2 & 8 — Silver Springs School — 19801 Silver Spring Dr.  
Precincts 4 & 7 — Meads Mill School — 16700 Franklin Rd.  
Precinct 5 — Kings Mill Clubhouse — 18120 Jamestown Circle  
Precinct 6 — Winchester School — 15141 Winchester School.

Notice to Absentee Voters:

Anyone wishing to obtain an Absentee Voters Ballot must do so before 2:00 p.m., Saturday, March 19, 1977. The office of the Clerk will be open from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, March 19, 1977 for this purpose. Regular office hours of the clerk, Monday thru Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Clarice Sass, Clerk

Publish: March 9 & 16, 1977

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE PLANNING COMMISSION

Date: March 29, 1977

Time: 7:30 p.m.

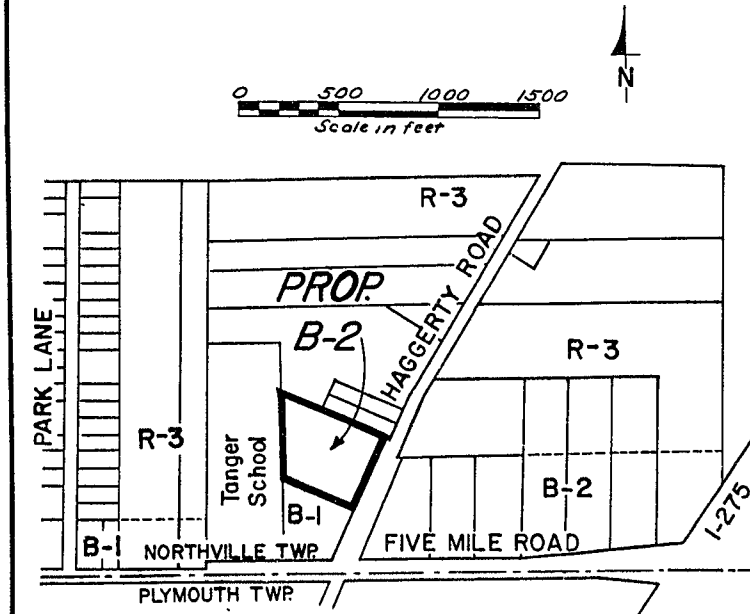
Place: 16300 Sheldon Road

Address of Property to be rezoned: 15465 Haggerty Road

Request: To Rezone from R-3 (One Family Residential) to B-2 (General Business)

At a meeting of the Northville Township Planning Commission to be held at 16300 Sheldon Road, on March 29, 1977 at 7:30 p.m., a public hearing will be held to consider the following:

To rezone the following described property: Part of the Southeast Quarter of Section 13, T1S R8E, Northville Township, Wayne County, Michigan, described as: Beginning at a point on the westerly line of Haggerty Road (120 feet wide), said point being located N 88 degrees 25' 50" E (along the south line of said Section 13, 603.02 feet, and N 23 degrees 32' 40" E along the westerly line of Haggerty Road) 338.08 feet, from the south quarter corner of said Section 13; thence N 68 degrees 47' 40" W. 403.95 feet; thence N 0 degrees 12' 50" W. 430.30 feet; thence S 68 degrees 00' 00" E. 577.18 feet to the westerly line of Haggerty Road; thence, along the westerly line of Haggerty Road, S 23 degrees 32' 40" W 392.89 feet to the point of beginning.



All interested parties will be given an opportunity to participate in the hearing and at the close of the hearing all comments and suggestions of those citizens participating will be considered by the Northville Township Planning Commission before making its decision.

A copy of the item scheduled for hearing is on file in the office of the Township Clerk during regular office hours for public examination.

John Dugan, Chairman  
Northville Township  
Planning Commission

Publish: March 9 & 23, 1977

## FEDERAL REVENUE SHARING FUNDS NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE

A PUBLIC HEARING will be held on Thursday, March 10, 1977, at 7:30 p.m. at 16300 Sheldon Road on the budget summary of Federal Revenue Sharing Funds.

All handicapped residents who need assistance to attend the meeting — call the Northville Township Office — 459-1710 or the Northville Township Police — 459-1700.

Wilson C. Grier  
Supervisor Northville Township

Publish: March 2 & 10, 1977

BUDGET SUMMARY	
General Administration	\$363,473
Contractual	110,766
Public Safety	215,000

## SPECIAL ELECTION

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State of Michigan  
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## CITY HALL, 215 W. MAIN STREET ON WEDNESDAY, MARCH 23, 1977

FOR THE PURPOSE OF ELECTING THE FOLLOWING OFFICER, VIZ:

STATE SENATOR Fourteenth (14) District

Notice Relative to Opening and  
Closing of the Polls

Election Law, Act 1954 P.A.

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

THE POLLS OF SAID ELECTION WILL BE OPEN AT 7 o'clock a.m. and will remain open until 8 o'clock p.m. of said day of election.

### ABSENTEE BALLOTS

Absentee ballots for the Special Election may be obtained from the Office of the City Clerk until 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, March 19, 1977.

Special and Emergency-type applications for absent voter ballots will be received and processed in accordance with the General Election Laws of the State of Michigan.

Joan McAllister  
City Clerk

Publish: 3-2-77 & 3-9-77

## NOTICE BOARD OF REVIEW

CITY OF NORTHVILLE

Wayne and Oakland Counties, Michigan

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Board of Review of the City of Northville, Wayne and Oakland Counties, will meet at the City Hall, 215 W. Main St., for the purpose of reviewing and adjusting the Assessment Rolls of the City of Northville on the Following dates:

Tuesday, March 8, 1977  
1-4 p.m. 7-10 p.m.  
Tuesday, March 22, 1977  
9 a.m.-12 noon 1-4 p.m.

Pursuant to Act 165 of Public Acts of 1971, the Oakland County Equalization Dept. sets for the following Tentative Factors relative to the 1977 Assessments on Real and Personal Property:

Real Property	Factor	Personal Property	Factor
	1.07		1.00

Pursuant to Act 165 of Public Acts of 1971, the Wayne County Equalization Dept. sets forth the following Tentative Factors relative to the 1977 Assessment on Real and Personal Property:

Real Property	Factor	Personal Property	Factor
	1.17		1.00

CITY OF NORTHVILLE BOARD OF REVIEW

Harold W. Penn, Assessor  
James Cutler  
Essie Nirider  
J. Burton DeRusha

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## Wixom Newsbeat

# Couples win trips

BY NANCY DINGELDEY

Super "cinderella" stories this week in Wixom which include Stan and Linda Gidley and Mary and Jon Jerore. Both are looking forward to fantastic holidays, both at someone else's expense.

There is hardly a soul in town that doesn't know Stan and co-hort Don at the Wixom Gulf Station. We users of gas and sundry items have done such a super job helping those men in their daily work that they far exceeded a "percentage of business quota" set by the Gulf Oil Corporation.

For their fine efforts the station won one of 150 nation-wide all-expense paid trips for two to Rome, Italy. Now, since Don and Stan are partners and two trips weren't offered they had to devise a method of choosing who was to go.

And because the wives had to put up with the long hours at the station, too, the men decided that the one who won could take his wife. Also if they didn't make that decision it's feasible someone could wind up in divorce court.

Drawing straws seemed a good way to choose "the man" but then who got to choose first was another question.

The age-old method of flipping a coin was decided upon, with Don supplying the coin. "And that's about all I did—Stan got the call and got first drawies on the straws," said Don, with a "you can't win 'em all" look on his face.

Stan and Linda will leave in mid-March for seven days in the Eternal City with side trips to Naples and Capri. They'll be wined and dined and entertained... all courtesy of good old Gulf Oil.

To further explain all that is planned, Stan was invited to a luncheon hosted by Gulf officials. "Wow, Stan, that

sound's terrific...where are you going for lunch?" said I, really enthused. "Cincinnati!"

"Cincinnati, for lunch? I mean isn't that a little far?"

"Nah, said Stan, in his own Wixom drawl, "It's only a four hour drive."

At the time we were talking about the glorious up-coming trip, Stan was totally covered with grease and grime...his hands were absolutely black!

What else can you expect from a mechanic...but it was hard to imagine Stan all slicked up hopping on an airplane...or even going to lunch.

Stan could easily see the question on my face...looking at his hands he said, "I think I'll soak them in Dawn."

Lots of folks in town, even Don, are just thrilled over Stan's good fortune...it just proves once again that lot's of hard work sometimes pays off.

Arreviderci Stan and Linda. I can hear the mandolins already.

Mary and Jon Jerore are local proof that people really do win trips from TV shows. Theirs will take them by plane to Miami and then onto a cruise ship to the Bahamas for a week.

"For a person who broke two vacuum cleaners in one day this is unbelievable," said Mary bubbling over with joy. "I've never won a thing in my life."

I keep saying that all the time and it hasn't changed my luck at all!

The soft sea breezes, thoughts of the atmosphere on a cruise ship, nice warm sun and the golden sands of the Bahamas have completely erased all thoughts of snow, mud and grey skies from Mary's mind.

It just makes you want to lean back and dream!

## NOTICE TO NORTHVILLE TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS

### SETTLEMENT DAY MEETING

TUESDAY, MARCH 22, 1977 — 8 P.M.

The purpose of the meeting is to audit and settle all claims against the township, to examine and audit the accounts of the Township Treasurer and to audit and settle the accounts of all other townships officers authorized to handle public monies.

Wilson C. Grier  
Supervisor

Clarice Sass  
Clerk

Publish: March 9 & 16, 1977

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

TO

RESIDENTS OF NORTHVILLE TOWNSHIP  
TO CONSIDER 1977-78 TOWNSHIP BUDGET

DATE: Tuesday, March 22, 1977  
TIME: 7:30 p.m.  
PLACE: 16300 Sheldon Road.

A copy of the proposed budget will be available for public inspection Wednesday, March 16, 1977 at the Northville Township Hall.

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Clerk

Publish: March 9 & 16, 1977

## ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

The City of Wixom, Oakland County, Michigan, will receive separate sealed All Trades Work bids for the Proposed Municipal Services Center Addition and Renovation at 49045 Pontiac Trail, Wixom, Michigan until 4:00 P.M., local time, April 1, 1977, at 49045 Pontiac Trail, Wixom, Michigan which is the existing City Hall. At this time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

This project shall be funded by the U.S. Department of Commerce, Economic Development Administration under the Local Public Works Capital Development and Investment Act of 1976 and is their Project No. 06-51-01726.

The Architect for the project is Winebrenner & Ebejer Architects, Inc., 33333 West Twelve Mile Road, Farmington Hills, Michigan 48018, telephone number is 478-6633. Their Project No. is 7411

The information for Bidders, Form of Bid, Form of Contract, Plans, Specifications, and Form of Bid Bond or Bid Security, and other contract documents may be examined on or after date stated below at the following:

1. The Builders Exchange of Detroit and Michigan.
2. F. W. Dodge, Div. McGraw-Hill Inc.
3. The Office of the Architect.
4. The Office of the Construction Manager.

Copies may be obtained at the office of the Construction Manager, The Barton-Malow Company, 13155 Cloverdale, Oak Park, Michigan after 2:00 P.M., local time on March 17, 1977, upon payment of a \$35.00 per set deposit in the form of cash, certified or cashier's check. All checks shall be made payable to the City of Wixom. Any bidder upon returning such set and in good condition to the office of the Construction Manager shall be refunded his deposit.

The required trades work bids will be primarily as follows: Demolition, Site, Foundations (Excavation, Concrete, Masonry), Masonry, Structural and Misc., Metals, Metal Deck, Roofing, and Sheet Metal, Carpentry, Movable Partitions, Caulking, Porcelain Panel Siding, Doors, Windows and Glass, Hardware, Finishes, Specialties, Equipment, Mechanical and Electrical.

The owner reserves the right to waive any informalities or to reject any or all bids.

Each bidder must deposit with his bid, security in the amount, form and subject to the conditions provided in the Information for Bidders in the Specifications.

Attention of bidders is particularly called to the requirements as to conditions of employment to be observed and minimum wage rates to be paid under the contract.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within 30 days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

City of Wixom  
JUNE BUCK, Clerk

# Northville Council minutes

NORTHVILLE CITY COUNCIL  
MINUTES  
February 21, 1977

Mayor Protem Vernon called the regular meeting to order at 8:00 p.m.  
ROLL CALL: Present Folino, Johnston, Nichols, Vernon  
Absent: Allen, excused out of state

MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING: The minutes of the February 7, 1977 meeting were approved and placed on file.

MINUTES OF BOARDS & COMMISSIONS: Minutes of the Northville Planning Commission, February 1, 1977, Northville Recreation, January 20, 1977, Northville Library Advisory Commission, February 3, 1977 were placed on file.

Councilman Folino noted on page 2 of the Northville Recreation Minutes the office of Vice President was omitted under Election of Officers (3).

APPROVAL OF BILLS: Motion by Councilman Nichols support Councilman Folino to approve the bills as listed.

A L L E N T E R R A C E  
CONSTRUCTION FUND \$83,482.41

BUILDING AUTHORITY NO. 2 INVESTMENT 8,800.00

EQUIPMENT FUND 3,425.28

GENERAL FUND 46,790.65

LOCAL STREET FUND 2,590.55

MAJOR STREET FUND 2,904.47

PARKING FUND 112,751.43

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT FUND 62,015.00

LOAN TO PARKING FUND 96,000.00

PAYROLL FUND 8,284.67

RECREATION FUND 3,382.22

SEWER AND WATER FUND 10,913.39

TRUST AND AGENCY FUND 129,430.04

Carried unanimously

Mayor Protem Vernon asked to proceed to item, no. 1, on the agenda, Eight Mile and Sheldon Crossing, because of interest in the audience.

EIGHT MILE & SHELDON CROSSING: Councilman Folino mentioned that for several years the City has been negotiating with Wayne and Oakland counties to get Eight Mile Road widened. The plans have been approved and at this point Wayne County has agreed to pay for the widening.

Councilman Nichols queried if the City could widen Center Street legs of the intersection on its own.

The City Manager stated this could not be done without County approval, because of the tie-in to the county road.

Councilman Johnston commented that the City Manager mentioned the City had made an appeal to get the speed on 8 Mile reduced by 10 miles an hour.

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does not want to see somebody killed. He asked Captain Westfall to direct someone to be at the corner.

Mrs. Thompson stated there was a man who lived in the neighborhood perhaps he could be asked to be a guard.

The City Attorney asked if the City would agree to go with another guard.

The City Manager suggested contacting the school board concerning putting another guard at the corner. He stated the City could hire one for three or four weeks and then talk to the school based on the experiment.

Ward Riley was mentioned as the man who might be asked.

Mayor Protem Vernon asked if there were any more comments.

There was some discussion on the no right turn signs. Mayor Protem Vernon read Captain Westfall's recommendations.

As soon as weather permitted that all school cross walks be crosshatched as prescribed in the Michigan Uniform Manual on Traffic Control Devices.

Placement of the School Crossing Signs (211) and the School Crossing Sign (521) be installed on Sheldon Road north and south of Eight Mile Road.

That an additional Adult School Crossing Guard be hired to assist in the movement of pedestrian traffic across Sheldon and Eight Mile Road.

That for 150' east and west of Sheldon Road on Eight Mile Road be designated as a low speed zone.

That the installation of the speed limit sign which would reduce the speed limit to 30 MPH along Eight Mile Road during school hours in the area of the schools.

That if these items are installed that a costly item as poles would be needed on Eight Mile Road east and west of Sheldon Road, timers and cable installed, etc., however in the Michigan Manual of Traffic Control Devices it is suggested that these be installed if the following conditions are not satisfied.

a. The existing posted speed limit is 35 MPH or greater but 50 MPH less.

b. When there are a minimum of 50 crossings per day by school children.

Of Chamber

City manager  
to address forum

Steven Walters, Northville city manager, will be the guest speaker at a public forum to be sponsored by the Northville Chamber of Commerce on Thursday, March 17.

The 7:30 p.m. forum will be held in the council chambers of the Northville City Hall.

Second in a series of forums sponsored by the Chamber, next week's talk by Walters will zero in on these three main topics:

- Street improvement program.
- Senior citizens housing project.
- City financial structure.



STEVEN WALTERS

In addition to these, Walters also will speak on related topics and answer questions.

"These 'town hall' type meetings are arranged for the public by your Chamber of Commerce, it is vitally important that citizens attend and indicate their support for this type of meeting so they can be planned on a continuing basis," said Chamber president, Ann Roy.

The forums are free and open to anyone living in the community.

Born and raised in Battle Creek, Walters attended the University of Michigan where he earned a BA degree in political science and an

MA in public administration.

Upon graduation, he was employed by the City of Plymouth as assistant to the city manager. In 1970, he became the first city manager of St. Ignace upon the adoption of a new city charter in that Upper Peninsula community.

In 1973, he accepted the post of city manager of Northville.

Married to the former Martha Huber, he has three sons, David 12, Thomas 9, and Richard 3.

Some of the city manager's hobbies include playing trombone, stained glass art, and collecting Presidential political campaign buttons.

County will help  
after patrol ends

With a June 30 funding cutoff approaching the public safety and judiciary committee of the Wayne County Board of Commissioners has agreed to help townships make a smooth transition to other arrangements to replace the free protection now provided by the sheriff.

After receiving reports requested from the county fiscal advisor, corporation counsel and sheriff's offices, and labor relations board, the committee will send letters to townships offering to help them in any way possible.

Commissioner Richard E. Manning from Redford, a member of the committee, said that it is important to contact the townships as soon as possible in order to have sufficient lead time for necessary changes.

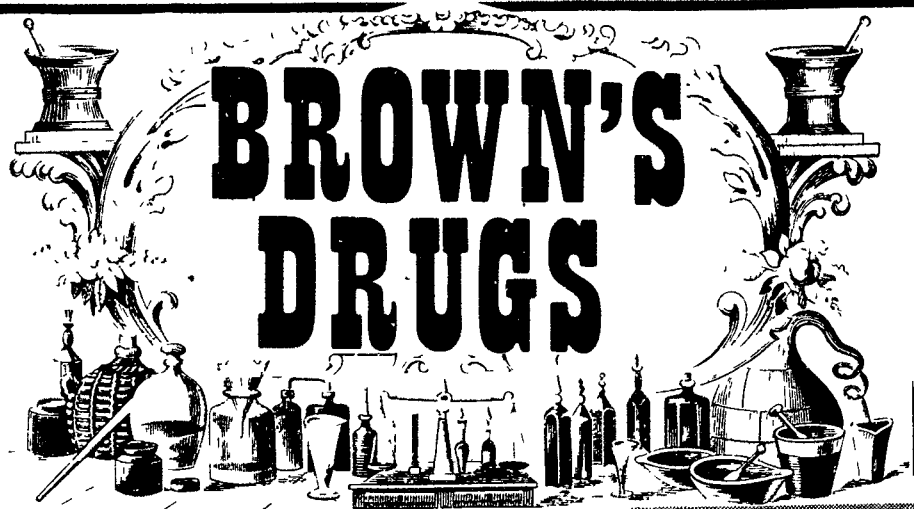
He said, "Both the townships and sheriff

need as much time as they can get to negotiate for other means of protection, and for job transfer."

Manning noted that only four months remain until June 30, and suggested that the townships try to borrow money from the State if they need to develop "immediate police departments."

In the reports expected two weeks from the committee meeting, March 1, the sheriff is being asked to advise on how the townships can best ease the impact when the present form of services is terminated.

The committee decided to offer assistance following a review of the State Supreme Court ruling last month that upheld the right of the board of Commissioners to require townships to pay for sheriff's patrol services.



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# Hixsons lavish tender care on old houses

By JEAN DAY

If you appreciate details like a trefoil design in porch trim and footed bathtubs and if you find uncovering black walnut or beechwood woodwork exciting, then you can understand why the Dumont Hixsons have just begun to restore their fourth historic home.

Last month Hixson, an instructor at Schoolcraft College, and his wife, Laura, a counselor at Huron Valley in Milford, with their four children still at home moved to an 1898 brick Victorian house at 590 Old Base Line in Northville.

When the family first moved to Northville about eight years ago, it was to an 1883 Victorian house at 512 West Dunlap. It now is one of the handsomest houses on the tree-lined street of old homes.

"We were living in California," Mrs. Hixson recalls, "when Schoolcraft opened and Dumont was offered an instructorship, and we came back.

"We kept looking out here, but there wasn't much for sale in the 1960's. Then we bought the Dunlap house."

The family later moved to 521 West Main Street, buying the two houses west of Main Street School. This was considered a temporary move with the family next buying a newer home at 46000 Pickford Court in Pickford.

But the family, admits Mrs. Hixson, feels most comfortable in high-ceiling homes that complement its collection of antique furniture.

Before moving into the Base Line house located opposite the John Burkmans' white Victorian home, the Hixsons had the house rewired and some of the floors sanded.

"When we moved into the Dunlap house we rented an electric sander, but

it's worth it to have the floors (now stained a dark brown) already done when you move in," explains Mrs. Hixson.

"I kind of enjoy choosing wallpaper," she confides, showing the dining room of the present home freshly papered in a blue-mustard print Schumaker traditional paper.

The woodwork already has been painted a matching mustard color and the room is a pleasing background for a Welch cupboard dating to 1820, a stretcher dining table and Windsor chairs.

A treasure possession is a desk brought to Michigan from New York state in 1836 by Hixson ancestors in an oxcart. This is in the living room of the Base Line home.

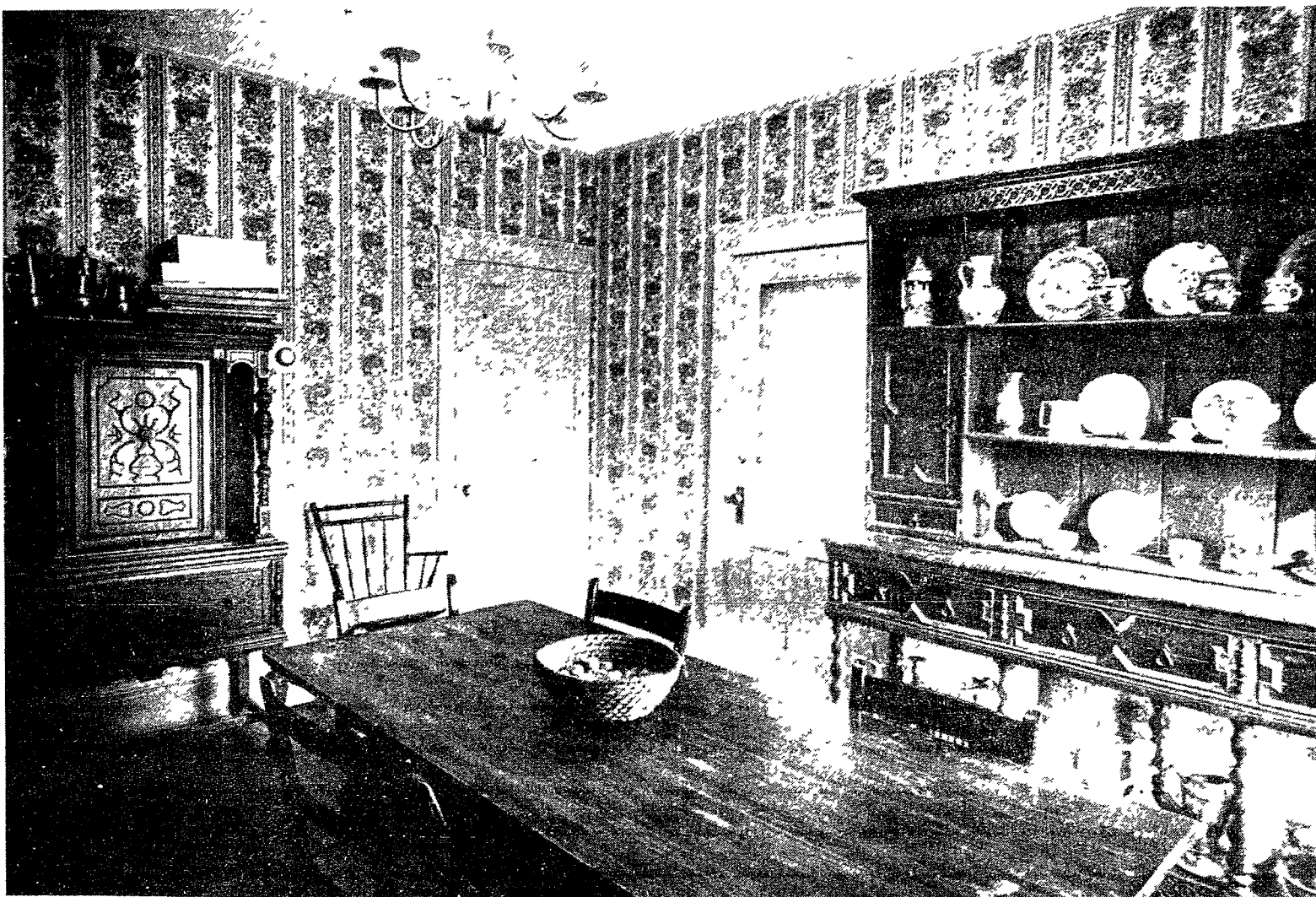
Located off a large entry area, this room and the entry, the Hixsons plan, will have the beechwood and oak woodwork refinished. The kitchen, presently without cupboards, also is in line for intensive work.

"We also plan to install a bath upstairs where there now are three-and-a-half rooms," says Mrs. Hixson with confidence built on previous experiences.

While deciding what color to paint the now-white house on Base Line, Mrs. Hixson and her husband are looking back for old photographs to help in the exterior restoration.

She has a snapshot of a B.A. Parmenter and thinks he was the builder of the house.

The Dunlap house was the "most work," comments Mrs. Hixson, remembering removing wallpaper from the high-ceilinged back stairway and stripping the black-painted



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A week and a half after moving to Old Base Line home the Hixsons have papered and painted dining room

## Home histories hold appeal for researching family



Historic Old Base Line home being restored



Dunlap Street beauty is first Hixson restoration



Laura Hixson's not dismayed with old kitchen

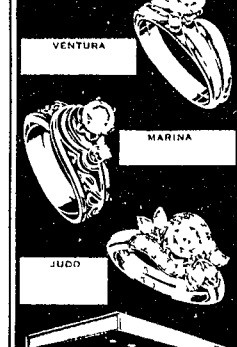
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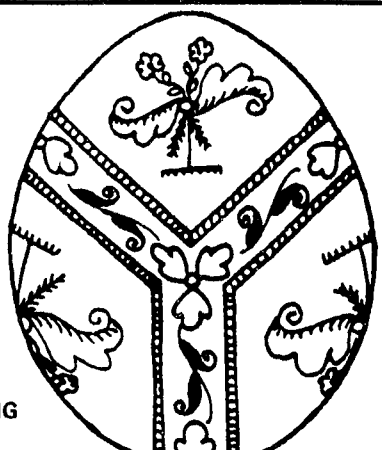
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SUSAN SALE



Maureen Porter poses with pink valentine — birthday gift

## Dore'-Calhoun vows spoken

## Cub banquet results in wedding

Because Judith Anne Calhoun and Russell Dore' met while attending the annual Blue and Gold banquet of their sons' cub scout den February 19, 1976, they now have agreed to be leaders of Den Three.

The couple was married exactly one year after the banquet, on Saturday, February 19, at First United Methodist Church in Northville.

They are assuming leadership of the den to say "thank you" to the cubs for the happy meeting.

The Reverend Guenther C. Branstner officiated at the 7 p.m. double-ring ceremony, which included special words on joining of two families into one.

Given in marriage by her grandfather, Harold Compton of Plymouth, the bride wore a floor-length gown of heavy white linen with lace inserts and a wreath of baby's breath in her hair.

She carried a red and white arm

bouquet of carnations and baby's breath at the candlelight ceremony which included special music selected by the couple.

The bride's six-year-old daughter, Kelly Calhoun, attended her. She wore a red and white organdy dress and carried a white basket filled with red carnations.

The bridegroom's attendants and ushers were his nine-year-old son, David Dore', and the bride's nine-year-old son, Patrick Calhoun.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Doris Herrick of Plymouth and the late Mike Herrick. Mrs. Herrick and the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Irma Dore, and sister, Carol Dore, both of Manistee, were among the 60 relatives and other guests attending the wedding and reception at the Plymouth Hilton.

After a wedding trip to Schuss Mountain in Upper Michigan the couple and the merged family now are settling in a new home at 409 Larry Drive in Northville.



WEDDING PARTY—Mr. and Mrs. Russell Dore' with her son, Patrick Calhoun, left, and daughter, Kelly Calhoun, and his son, David Dore'.

## In Our Town

## She fell in love with pink T-bird

By JEAN DAY

Since last month there's been a pink Thunderbird in the driveway of the Douglas Porter home at 16400 Homer. It was a "heart's desire" valentine-birthday present to Maureen Porter from her husband.

"She really liked it," he explains, "when we saw it earlier in Dallas." It was a lease car in a district sales office of the firm for which Porter works, and was due to be sold.

Porter remembers he was in Chicago on Valentine's day wondering what to buy his wife. He decided to splurge and combine that sentimental occasion with her upcoming birthday February 28. Acting on the impulse, he flew to Texas, picked up the car and drove it home.

Since his wife is a representative for Mary K cosmetics, a firm that uses a pink packaging, the car seems especially appropriate. Porter says he's happy to have his wife drive the pink bird now as he had more than his share of glances enroute home from Texas.

*Will you SHARE a talent?*

Members of the Northville branch, American Association of University Women, are preparing to tap the large reservoir of local talent — from high school students and housewives to career people and senior citizens — for Project SHARE, which they describe as "a human resource file of volunteers."

Judy Bloomquist, 349-7681, and Jane Rodgers, 476-1708, now are taking calls from anyone who wishes to participate in the project to use the community's human resources creatively. They plan to compile card files of specialists in everything from Indian lore and dog breeding to ethnic cookery, antiques and needlework. Files will be placed in each local school and libraries and will indicate area of interest, specific type of sharing (lecture, slide presentation, one-to-one telephone conversation) the volunteer is willing to do. They stress that a volunteer can limit participation or withdraw from SHARE at any time.

They hope to have files in place by the start of the 1977-78 school year and ask if you have an unusual hobby, occupation or collection that you're willing to share with school children or senior citizens that you call now.

## Seek Woman of Year

Northville Jaycee Auxiliary is seeking nominations for its annual Woman of the Year Award. Organizations and individuals are invited to call Mrs. John Buckland, 349-0773, for nomination forms now as the deadline is April 1.

"We're looking for the quality of a young woman's involvement," says Sue McManus, chairman, who asks that those submitting names give specific examples of why they think the person is worthy. Carolann Ayers, last year's winner for her dedication to the library and the League of Women Voters, will be one of this year's judges.

"We're hoping for as many nominations as last year (seven)," says the auxiliary, pointing out that all nominees are honored at a tea to be held the third week in April.

## Compact gardening?

"Container Gardening" will be the topic of a program by Gerald Draheim, Wayne County horticulturist, at Northville Branch, Woman's National Farm and Garden Association meeting at 12:30 p.m. Monday at the Winchester Drive home of Diane Ramsey.

Margaret Weider will be chairman for the day assisted by Dorothy Calmes, Carrie Konrad, Ruth Klein and Verna Wall.

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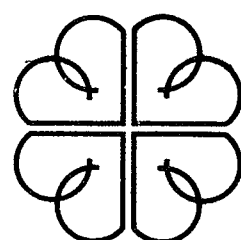
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# Women welcome spring with fashion, plant shows

Take a month like this with St. Patrick's Day March 17 and spring officially following three days later on March 20 and you're certain to find

fashion shows topping events for women. Seven members of Northville Newcomers Club will be models for its

fashion show-luncheon March 23 at Meadowbrook Country Club. They are Cathy Anthony, Jacque Downs, Jackie Payne, Pam Urban, Sherry Unger, Marion Frohriep and Nancy Naszradi.

The event will begin with a cash bar at 11:30 a.m. with luncheon following at 12:30 p.m. Fashions and commentary will be by Claire Kelly at 1:30 p.m. with Del's Shoes providing footwear.

Newcomers invites all interested women of the community to join them with reservations at \$7 to be made with Carol Halverson, 348-1542, before March 16.

A babysitting service for those attending will be held at First United Methodist Church of Northville. Cost is \$2.30 for the first child and \$1.15 for additional children. Reservation should be made with Beverly Walsh, 349-9315.

A club member, Aurelia Powledge, will play the piano as background for the fashion show.

## Meadowbrook event

Meadowbrook Country Club will hold a spring fashion show and luncheon for its members and their guests on March 17, beginning with a complimentary champagne punch at 11:30 a.m.

The show, "St. Patrick's Day Parade of Fashions," will be presented by Claire Kelly to the musical accompaniment of Shelby Lee. It will be at 1:30 p.m. following luncheon at 12:30 p.m.

Co-chairmen Mrs. Donald Settles and Mrs. Joseph Lineman have been assisted by Mrs. Peter Herguth, Mrs. Norman Davis and Mrs. Robert DeAlexandris.

## Highland Lakes fete

Members of Highland Lakes Women's Club are thinking of spring in relation to green plants.

They are holding a program on the care and growing of plants March 17.

Members are to meet in the clubhouse parking lot at 12:30 p.m. to go to the Livonia home of Julia Kuczwarza for a plant party.

She will instruct on their care and show how to decorate with plants.

New officers have been elected and installed by the club. Phyllis Siegel is president.

Others are Margaret Lambert, vice-president; Dorcas Amond, secretary; and Ruth Collins, treasurer.



**CLAIRE'S CLOTHES**—Members of Northville Newcomers Club trying on fashions at Claire Kelly's shop at 141 East Cady are, from left, Marion Frohriep, Nancy Naszradi and Jacque Downs. They will model the spring clothes March 23 at Meadowbrook Country Club.

## Parents name new babies

A daughter, Meredith Leigh, is the newest member of the Ray W. Doeksen family of 18513 Innsbrook in Northville. She was born February 25 at Mount Sinai Hospital and weighed nine pounds, thirteen ounces.

The baby joins a brother, Ray William Doeksen, at home. Grandmothers are Mrs. Edith Zecker and Mrs. Frances Doeksen, both of Northville.

Aubrey Walter Downs, Jr., was born February 18 to Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Walter Downs of Brighton at McPherson Community Health Center in Howell. He weighed seven pounds, one ounce.

The baby is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Nichols of Northville. Maternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Mudge of Hulbert, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey B. Downs of Livonia and Mrs. Lora Downs of Detroit are paternal grandparents.

Two sisters and his parents welcomed Matthew Aaron Beford when he arrived February 19 at St. Mary hospital. He is the first son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald L. Beford of 16351 Winchester Drive in Northville. He weighed seven pounds, four ounces.

His sisters are Kristin, 9, and Aimee, 6. Grandmothers are Mrs. Gertrude Beford of Littlestown, Pennsylvania, and Mrs. Dorothy Konwerski of Dearborn.

Birth of their first child, David Christopher II, February 24 at St. Mary Hospital is announced by Mr. and Mrs. David C. Marino of 24247 Bashian in Novi. Mrs. Marino is the former Sarah Barron of Northville.

The baby weighed six pounds, 15 ounces at birth.

Grandparents are Richard and Nona Barron and Charles and Audrey Marino, all of Northville.

## Three residents hospitalized

Three present or former active residents of the community have been hospitalized.

Mrs. William Miron, a former chairman of Northville Town Hall, was scheduled to return home last weekend after

surgery at Ford Hospital.

Miss Ruth Knapp, also a faithful Town Hall worker, who had moved to the Lutheran retirement center in Ann Arbor, has been a patient at University of Michigan Hospital in Ann Arbor

and now is back at the center in its care section.

Jim Spagnuolo of 113 East Main, one of the community's oldest residents at 90, is hospitalized with pneumonia at St. Mary Hospital.



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# U-M Band to play at Northville High

Four Northville High students are members of the University of Michigan "Michigan Youth Band and Wind Ensemble" that will present a concert in combination with the high school jazz band at 7:30 p.m. March 20 at the high school.

Joe Mason, Randy Casteel, Eric Horner and Viki Purcell will be playing in the ensemble.

The band, under the direction of Professor Thomas L. Dvorak will perform works by Hindemith, Jacob, Strauss and other known composers. Joining the youth band will be the Northville High Jazz Ensemble I under the direction of Michael H. Rumbell.

Sponsored by the Northville Band Parents, the concert is open to the community with admission of \$1 for adults and 50 cents for students. Proceeds will be divided equally between the U-M band and the high school band with both earmarking them for scholarships.

Tickets will be available at the door. The University of Michigan Youth Band-Wind Ensemble is a wind and percussion program sponsored by the University of Michigan School of Music and Extension Service. The ensemble

was organized in 1973 to provide a broad and stimulating musical experience for musically talented high school aged youth.

The Youth Band Wind Ensemble rehearses every Saturday morning throughout the academic year on the University of Michigan campus. High school students come from approximately 35 schools in over 25 cities throughout Michigan to perform each Saturday.

Membership in the ensemble is open by audition only to students who are recommended by their school music directors and who are currently enrolled in grades 9-12.

Besides playing opportunities in chamber wind groups and large band, youth band members receive group master classes in instrumental performance from graduate students and faculty at the University of Michigan School of Music.

A broad scholarship program involving advanced study at Interlochen and the University of Michigan, is also a part of the growing opportunities for youth in the University of Michigan Youth Band-Wind Ensemble program.

# Hixsons remodel historic homes

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staircase to uncover solid walnut. "Dumont rented an electric brush and sanded the whole house before we painted — it took all summer," she recalls, adding that after painting the house green, they decided upon gold and repainted in that color. Painting was a trial-and-error process also with the Main Street houses. Their home at 521 West Main, the Hixsons remember appreciatively,

had very ornate woodwork with bull's eye corners and fluting. They first painted in blue but changed to gold with light gold that shows up the gingerbread trim. "Sometimes a color looks different on from the charts," Laura Hixson notes ruefully. "We learned the hard way." The house had been a three-family dwelling when they purchased it and converted it to a single family, taking out drop ceilings and false partitions. "Part of this house was very early

construction. We understood an Ambler built the back part where we found remains of an old fireplace. An 1860 map indicates there was a house on the property at that time." It's obvious to anyone talking with Mrs. Hixson that part of the appeal of the old house is the history surrounding them. The Hixsons have been active members of the Northville Historical Society with Mrs. Hixson editing the Mill Race Quarterly since 1974. Mrs. Hixson says that the moves from house-to-house have been advantageous ones financially. She adds, however, that old home prices in the community have escalated and anticipates that the present move will be a "break even" one. While this home is smaller with only three bedrooms, the Hixson family is beginning to look toward college days. Oldest daughter, Kathy, 20, now is at Eastern Michigan University. Karin is 15, and Dumont III, 13, while Patrick's 11 and Tim's 8. For anyone interested in an old house, Mrs. Hixson reports that maintenance is the biggest item. She doesn't say so, but it also helps to have a husband willing to paint and to have a family that will pitch in and lay brick patios, as they did on Dunlap street, with bricks from the old Presbyterian church. The results are one-of-a kind homes that can be lived in proudly.



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# Town Hall tops this week's community calendar

## TODAY, MARCH 9

Northville Senior Citizens Club, 1 p.m., Kerr House  
Junior Civitan Club of Northville, 7 p.m., Park Haus  
Novi High PAC, 7:30 p.m., high school library  
Northville Weight Watchers, 7:30 p.m., Innsbrook Clubhouse  
Northville Camera Club, 7:30 p.m., Northville Square  
Three Cities Art Club, 8 p.m., Plymouth Credit Union  
We-Way-Co Sweet Adelines, 8 p.m., Epiphany Lutheran Church

## THURSDAY, MARCH 10

Daytime TOPS, 9 a.m., 215 West Cady  
Northville Town Hall, 11 a.m., Plymouth Hilton  
Wixom Senior Citizens, 11 a.m., Wixom Community Building  
Christian Women's Club, noon, Mayflower Meeting House  
Novi Rotary, noon, Farmington Holiday Inn  
Novi School Board, 7:30 p.m., board offices  
Northville Township Board, 8 p.m., township offices  
Northville Civitans, 8 p.m., King's Mill Clubhouse

## FRIDAY, MARCH 11

Overeaters Anonymous, 12:30 p.m., 215 West Cady  
Northville Council No. 89, RSM, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple  
British Club of Northville, 8:30 p.m., 215 West Cady

## SATURDAY, MARCH 12

Full Gospel Businessmen's prayer breakfast, 8 p.m., Mayflower Hotel

Northville Newcomers' tennis party, 7:45 p.m., Farmington Racquet Club

## MONDAY, MARCH 14

Northville Branch, WNFGA, 12:30 p.m., 16046 Winchester  
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  
TOPS, 7:30 p.m., 215 West Cady  
Northville Blue Lodge No. 186, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple

## TUESDAY, MARCH 15

Northville Curriculum afternoon, no p.m. school

Northville Rotary, noon, Presbyterian Church  
Novi Chamber of Commerce, noon, Saratoga Trunk  
Embroiderers' Guild of America, Livonia chapter, 7 p.m., Carl Sandburg library  
Novi Weight Watchers, 7 p.m., Living Lord Lutheran Church  
Northwest Wayne NOW, 7:30 p.m., St. Paul's Presbyterian Church  
Northville City Planning Commission, 8 p.m., council chambers  
Northville Handweavers' Guild, 8 p.m., Mill Race Village

## WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16

Northville Snowdrifters, 8 p.m., 202 West Main  
VFW Auxiliary Post 4012, 8 p.m., VFW hall  
Greater Northville Republican Club, 8 p.m., school board offices  
Northville Antique Automobile Club, 8:30 p.m., 215 West Cady



## Dancing day

Sherry Cordero, center, strikes a ballet pose for, from left, Northville Woman's Club President Mrs. William Switzler, her daughters, Ann and Nancy, and Millie Turnbull. Pupils from Miss Millie's School of Dance entertained members of Northville Woman's Club and their daughters at a tea Saturday.

## Local students playing in U-D High musical

Christopher and Ruthanne Carbott, former students at Our Lady of Victory School, are cast in "My Fair Lady", the musical being presented by University of Detroit High School drama students. The adaptation of George Bernard Shaw's "Pygmalion" will be given at the school, located on West Seven Mile and Cherrylawn in Detroit, March 13, 14 and 18, 19 and 20 at 7:30 p.m. Chris, a junior at U-D High, will be playing the part of Hungarian Count Zoltan Karpathy. This is the fifth play in which he has appeared at the school. His sister, who is in her first year at Ladywood High, is cast as Lady Boxington. Female parts in the musical are played by girls from schools in the metropolitan area. This will be her first performance with the Harlequin group. She has assisted with make-up at previous productions. They are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Carbott of 16773 Old Bedford in Northville. Tickets for the musical may be purchased at the door.



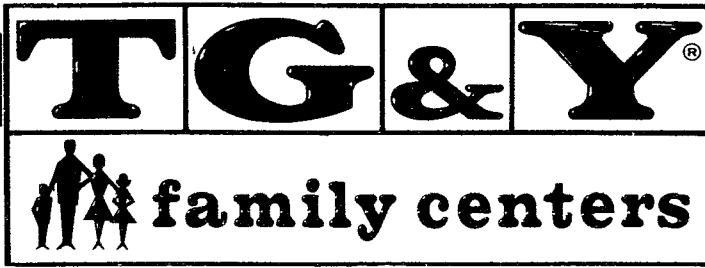
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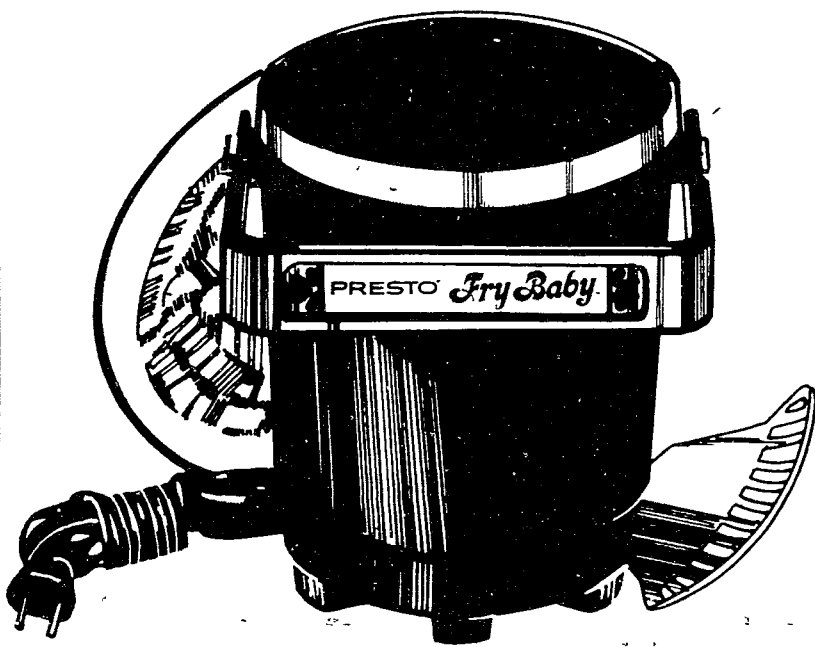


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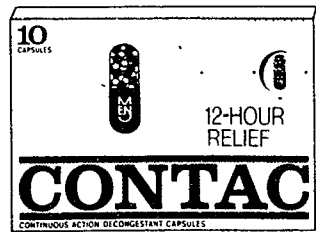
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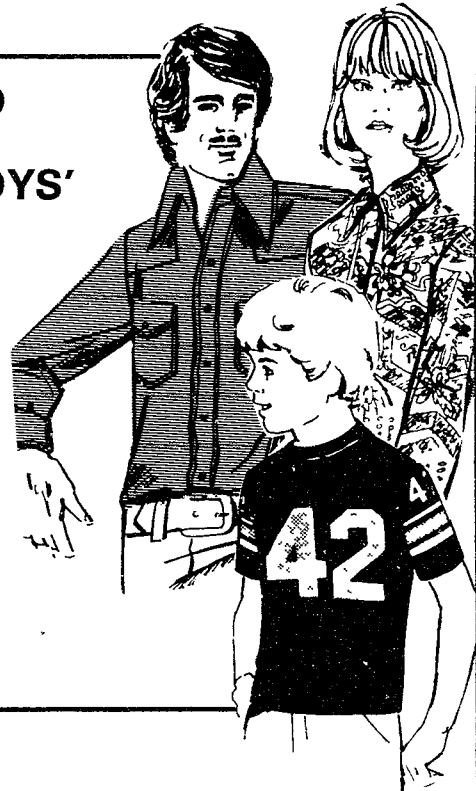
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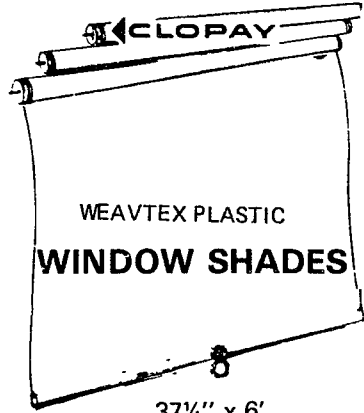
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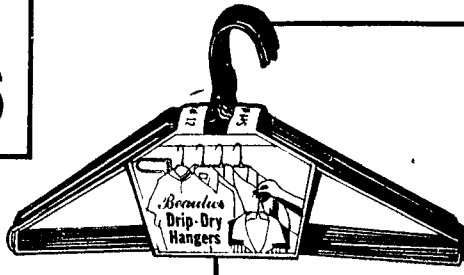
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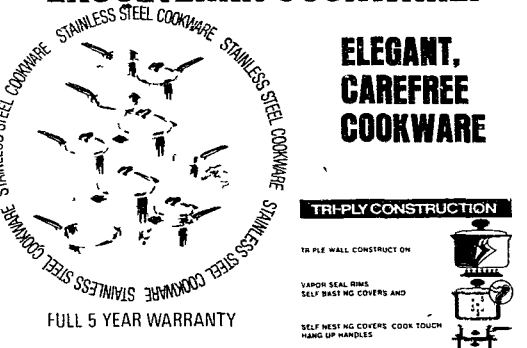
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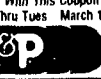
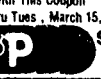
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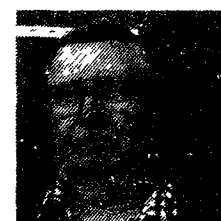
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# League slates urban study

Northville, Plymouth, Canton and Novi members of the League of Women Voters will be participating in the first meeting in the Detroit area devoted to a national league study of problems of large cities.

"The Reality of the Urban Vision" is the theme of the all-day program planned by the League of Women Voters in the tri-county area to be held beginning at 9:30 a.m. Friday, March 18, at the Detroit Institute of Art.

Local members may make reservations to attend by calling President Annalee Mathes, 349-7334, or Neva Carter, 459-0441, by the deadline of March 14.

Child care reservations will be taken by Lesa Buckland, 349-0773, by the same date. The five dollar registration fee includes lunch and tours of the art institute after the program.

The conference will cover a variety of views of Detroit and what it means to metropolitan area residents. The program will open with a discussion of "The Meaning of the City," by Corinne Gilb, professor of history at Wayne State University whose special field is the city.

"Fiscal Problems of the City" also will be discussed. Commentator will be Beverly McAninch, Plymouth City Commissioner and chairman of the SEMCOG housing committee.

After lunch, the subject will be "Jobs and Employment in the Urban Area" by John Mattila, professor of economics at Wayne State University.

An optional tour of the museum's Italian wing will follow the conference.

# Clubs schedule March events

Members of the Northville Handweavers' Guild will see a slide presentation, "The Hank Coverlet Collection from Pennsylvania," at their March meeting at 8 p.m. Tuesday in the Mill Race library.

A slate of officers for 1977-78 will be voted upon and plans will be made for restoration work at the gothic cottage.

Past presidents and past commanders of American Legion Post 147 and Auxiliary will be honored at a dinner dance in celebration of the legion's birthday at 8 p.m. Saturday at the post home on Dunlap.

The junior auxiliary is planning a dinner for senior citizens at the post home.

It will be served from 4 to 5:30 p.m. Friday, March 18 with all senior citizens of the community invited. Donations will be accepted.

Reservations should be made with Pat Hartley, 453-9318, or Pat Jordan, 349-7832.

A talk on genealogy will highlight the meeting of No. VI Station Quarters at 12:30 p.m. today (Wednesday) at the home of Mary Beth Baxter at 544 Langfield in Northville.

"Genealogy — Searching and Finding Your Family History" will be discussed by Val Houston of Okemos, Michigan. She is to explain the science of genealogy and methods used to research family histories and backgrounds.

The Quaker chapter reports that, due to interest created by the television series, "Roots," this is intended to be a timely meeting.

A critique of paintings by members and also the public will be offered at the March meeting of Three Cities Art Club at 8 p.m. today (Wednesday) at the Plymouth Credit Union.

Celia Kelly, professor of art at Schoolcraft College, will give commentaries on paintings brought to the meeting.

John Sackett Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will hear a program on life saving, "Cardio-Pulmonary Resuscitation — CPR," at its March 12 meeting at the Detroit home of Mrs. Leslie Picklesimer.

Mrs. Donald Thompson and Miss Carol Murray, both of Novi, are among assistant hostesses for the noon luncheon.

Orient Chapter, Past Matrons Club, will meet at 12:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 16, at the Six Mile Road home of Mrs. Herbert Famuliner for a dessert luncheon and business meeting.



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