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# **Police catch** rape suspect in Florida

By MIKE TYREE Staff Writer

A man suspected of violently raping a Northville woman was arrested over the weekend near a Florida rest area.

Northville Township police said Ronald Dale Johnson, 27, a former maintenance man at Swan Harbour Apartments in Northville, was arrested Saturday by Florida Highway Patrol officers in Leon County, Fla. Johnson was arrested for driving with a suspended license and repor-

tedly confessed to raping a 24-year-

old Northville woman in her apartment off Silver Springs Drive April 8. The arrest capped a hurried flight from Northville to Holland, Mich., west to Oklahoma and finally to Leon

County, near Tallahassee, according to Johnson's statement to Florida police. Township police earlier this week

obtained an arrest warrant for Johnson, who allegedly used a Swan Harbour Apartments pass key and wire cutters to enter the victim's apartment. Police allege that Johnson

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# Few speak out at cable hearing

By STEVE KELLMAN Staff Writer

City Council chambers were crowded for a public hearing on Omnicom Cablevision Tuesday night. but few residents spoke up about the Canton-based cable company's service.

And most of those who showed for the hearing were mainly upset that they do not get cable.

Of an estimated 17 city residents

at the hearing. 10 came from Allen Terrace, where the housing center's seniors have been seeking cable service for two years.

Omnicom officials have told the seniors that 50 of the 101 apartment units must sign up before making it worth the company's while, and so far only 40 have signed on.

I don't have a complaint other than we haven't got it," said Allen Ter-

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# Student expelled

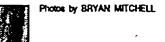
By SHARON CONDRON Staff Writer

A junior at Northville High School was expelled Monday night for bringing a BB gun to school, allegedly to sell to a younger student.

The Northville Board of Education Monday night made a unanimous decision to expel the 17-year-old student from the school for the March 25 incident. The boy's behavior violates immediately following the board's ac-tion Monday, district officials said. According to a city police report on the incident, police were called to the school by high school principal Thomas Johnson after he was informed by a third student the gun was in another student's locker.

The 15-year-old student, in whose locker the spring-loaded BB gun was found, told police he got it from another student.





### Lunch with the Easter Bunny

The Northville Community Center hosted its annual visit with the big furry guy on Tuesday for local kids to get a preview of Sunday's festivities. Above, four-month-old Bobby Taepke gets a hug from the bunny. At left, Scott Maxfield strikes pay dirt during an Easter egg hunt. For a rundown on other area Easter activities, see page 3-B.



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sections E and G of the school's student code of conduct, which is punishable by immediate expulsion.

Section E of the school policy reads, "A student shall not possess, handle, or transmit any object that can reasonably be considered a weapon." Section G supports that by prohibiting students from committing or participating in "any conduct or act defined as a crime by state law or local ordinance." Possession of an air gun, sling shot, or pellet gun by anyone under the age of 18 without parental or legal guardian supervision violates a city ordinance.

The boy's expulsion was effective

The owner of the gun, a 17-yearold student, claimed no knowledge of the incident when questioned by school officials. Since then, he admitted he brought the weapon to school to sell it to the younger boy. Johnson said the boy's parents

have not requested an appeal but said he will be in contact with them to lay out options for alternative education.

We have to act swiftly on this," said Superintendent Leonard Rezmierski. "It's cut-and-dried, but the family is devastated. We are here to create a safe environment for students to learn."





### Back in the top 10

The Northville High School girls soccer team is off to another good start, with an earlyseason ranking of seventh in the state.

Above, Jane Wterek stretches for the ball during a recent match. See Sports, page 7-B.

Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

# Schools pitch millage request

### By SHARON CONDRON Staff Writer

Last Thursday The Northville Record caught up with Leonard Rezmierskt, superintendent of the Northville Public Schools, on the millage campaign trail. What follows is excerpts from an hourlong interview with Rezmierski, school board presi-

dent Jean Hansen, and district manager John Street addressing the issues surrounding the millage proposal that will go before voters April 28. The school district is asking voters to approve 25.41 mills of property tax to operate the district for one year - 2.78 mills more than the current levy. One mill is \$1 of tax per \$1,000 of assessed property value.

RECORD: What is the current financial situation of the district, specifically in regards to the existing and the future of state funding, state cutbacks, and projected revenues and expenses? What will voters get for their tax dollars and specifically what programs would be cut if the miliage

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action against against developer By STEVE KELLMAN Staff Writer Selective Group President Michael Horowitz faced a horde of business suits at Friday's show cause hearing at Northville City Hall. Many belonged to St. Lawrence Estates homeowners disgruntled over the way Selective built their con- dominium complex, and irate over	Index         Business       1D         Classifieds       4D         Community Calendar       2A         Editorials       18A         Entertainment       5B         Letters       17A, 19A         Mill Race Matters       15A         Mustang of the Week       5A         News Briefs       3A         Obituaries       12A         Our Town       1B         Police News       4A         Recreation       10B         Senior Center Briefs       8A         Sports       7B         Travel       6B	Spring Fix Up/Cleaning Improving? Check Out The Services In The Service & Buyers Directory In The Green Sheet (313) 348-3022	
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### **Community Calendar**

### FRIDAY, APRIL 17

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY: A non-denominational Bible Study Group, sponsored by the Michigan Fellowship of Christian Athletes, will meet at 6 a.m. at the Northville Crossing Restaurant, located on Northville Road south of Seven Mile. For more information call Clayton Graham at 349-5515.

BLOODMOBILE: An American Red Cross Bloodmobile will be in Northville from 1-7 p.m. today to accept blood donations. The Bloodmobile will be at the Northville Christian Assembly, 41355 W. Six Mile. To schedule an appointment to donate, call Sara Page at 422-4090.

OES: Orient Chapter, No. 77, Order of the Eastern Star, meets at 7:30 p.m. at the Masonic Temple at Main and Center.

### SATURDAY, APRIL 18

EASTER EGG HUNT: Northville's annual Easter Egg Hunt begins at 10 a.m. at the Cass Benton area of Hines Park. For children ages preschool through 12 years. For more information contact Teresa Folino at 349-3391. Sponsored by the Northville Jaycees.

VISIT WITH EASTER BUNNY: Sponsored by the Northville Jaycees, the Easter Bunny will give out candy, balloons, and prizes from local merchants from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. The festivities will be in the downtown bandshell for children up to age 10.

### SUNDAY, APRIL 19

RAISING KIDS ALONE: This support group for single parents meets at 11 a.m. in room 10 of the First United Methodist Church of Northville. Public welcome. The facilitator is Carol Haveraneck, MALLP, educator and psychologist.

SINGLE PLACE BRUNCH: Single Place will meet at 12:30 p.m. for brunch at Northville Crossing. Northville

to play bridge today and Wednesday from 12:15-3:30 p.m. at the Senior Center, located at 215 W. Cady St. in

SENIOR PINOCHLE: Area seniors are invited to play pinochle today and Thursday from 12:30-4:30 p.m. at the Senior Center, located at 215 W. Cady St. in the Scout Building.

KIWANIS: Northville Kiwanis meets at 6:30 p.m. at VFW Post 4012, 438 S. Main St.

MOTOR CITY SPEAK EASY TOASTMASTERS CLUB: The Motor City Speak Easy Toastmasters Club of Northville meets from 7 to 9 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church, 777 W. Eight Mile. For more information call Jerry Delaney at 349-8791. Visitors are welcome.

GRIEF RECOVERY CLASS: Ross B. Northrop & Son Funeral Home/Psychotherapy and Counseling Services offers a free class in grieving and recovery from 7 to 8 p.m. tonight at the funeral home. Tonight's topic is "Changing Relationships - How do I Now See Myself? How do Others See Me?" RSVP to 348-1233; drop-ins welcome.

NORTHVILLE MASONIC ORGANIZA-TION: Northville Masons meet at 7:30 p.m. at the Masonic Temple.

CITY COUNCIL: Northville City Council meets at 8 p.m. at city hall, 215 W. Main.

### TUESDAY, APRIL 21

SENIOR VOLLEYBALL: Area seniors are invited to play volleyball and other indoor sports at 9:30 a.m. at the Northville Community Center, 303 W. Main St. For more information call the center at 349-0203 or Karl Peters at 349-4140.

ROTARY CLUB: The Northville Rotary Club meets at noon at the First Presbyterian Church of Northville, 200 E. Main. Dick Meyerson, Ann Arbor Rotarian, will speak on the overall view of Rotary.

Historical Village, on Griswold north of Main.

EAGLES AUXILIARY: The Fraternal Order of Eagles No. 2504 holds an auxiliary meeting at 8 p.m. at 113 S. Center. For more information call 349-2479.

CITY PLANNERS: The City of Northville Planning Commission meets at 8 p.m. at Northville City Hall, 215 W. Main St.

### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22

KIWANIS-EARLY BIRDS: The Kiwanis Club of Northville-Early Birds meets at 7 a.m. at the Northville Senior Citizens Center, 215 W. Cady.

HIGH SCHOOL PARENT ADVISORY MEET-INGS: The Northville High School Parent Advisory group does not meet today; rescheduled for April 29.

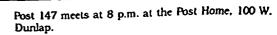
WEIGHT WATCHERS: Weight Watchers meet at 9:45 a.m. and 6 p.m. at the Northville Community Center, 303 W. Main. Doors open 45 minutes before scheduled meeting time. For more information call 1.800-487-4777.

SENIOR BRIDGE GROUP: Area seniors are invited to play bridge today from 12:15-3:30 p.m. at the Senior Center, located at 215 W. Cady St. in the Scout Building.

CIVIL AIR PATROL: Civil Air Patrol, Mustang Cadet Squadron, meets at 7 p.m. at the Northville VFW Post 4012, located at 438 S. Main St. Everyone over the age of 13 is encouraged to view the activities.

SINGLE PLACE: Single Place meets at 7:30 p.m. at First Presbyterian Church, 200 E. Main. Donation \$3. For more information call 349-0911.

AMERICAN LEGION: Northville American Legion



### THURSDAY, APRIL 23

CHAMBER BOARD: The Northville Community Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors meets at 8 a.m. today at the chamber office.

TOPS: Take Off Pounds Sensibly for all ages meets at 9 a.m. at the Northville Area Senior Citizens Center, 215 W. Cady. For more information call 420-0569.

NEW LIFE BIBLE STUDY: A neighborhood nondenominational Bible study offers two different classes this year. Discovering New Life" and "Healing, Joy and Hope." Classes run from 9:30-11:30 a.m. at the First United Methodist Church of Northville on Eight Mile at Taft. Baby-sitting provided. For more information call Sybil at 349-0006 or Pam at 349-8699.

LIVONIA REPUBLICAN WOMEN AND WESTERN SUBURBS: Regular monthly meeting from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Mayflower Hotel, Ann Arbor Trail at Main Street in Plymouth. Speakers are Livonia Mayor Bob Bennett and Plymouth Mayor Robert Jones on the four tax-cut proposals; and Assistant Prosecutor George Ward on prosecuting pornography cases. Public wel-come. Call for reservations at 427-8837 or 459-0134,

"Community Calendar" items may be submitted to the newspaper office, 104 W. Main St., by mail or in person; or fax items to 349-1050. The deadline is 4 p.m. Monday for that Thursday's calendar or 4 p.m. Thursday for the following Monday's.



### **News Briefs**

CORRECTION: A photograph in Monday's Record incorrectly identified Dee Harding as a member of the township police department. Harding actually is a member of Telephone Pioneers of America

WTUA PROBE REFOCUSES: State Rep. James Kosteva, D. Canton, announced last month that the state would investigate the Western Townships Utilities Authority sewer project, after charges of alleged cronyism surfaced. But last week, he said the project was no longer being specifically investigated.

'it's more generic; we're looking at how to improve the performance of these quasi-governmental authorities." Kosteva said last Thursday. Bidding and auditing procedures of such agencies are also being reviewed, he said.

CALLING ALL CARDS: Business cards, that is.

You may have heard about the 7-year-old Georgia boy suffering from terminal cancer who is trying to get into the Guiness Book of World Records for having the world's largest collection of business cards. Lately his appeal has been making the rounds in Northville. He asks that anyone interested send a card as soon as possible, since time is of the essence.

Send business cards to: Craig Shergold, c/o Children's Make a Wish Fund, 32 Perimeter Center East, Atlanta, Ga., 30346.

HOSMER, BRITTON PULL PETITIONS: Current township Treasurer Jack Hosmer and resident Gini Britton are the latest to pull petitions for township elected office. Hosmer, appointed to the post last fall, is seeking election to the treasurer post, a postion he

# **Fishy business in Johnson Drain**

A plant of 4,500 brown trout into the Johnson Drain will begin within two weeks.

Bob Laich, of the Michigan United Conservation Clubs and the Western Wayne County Conservation Association, has been working for years to clean up the drain which runs through much of Northville Township. He said Tuesday those efforts will pay off soon with an initial plant of trout fingerlings on Wednesday, April 29.

"When we started, (the Johnson Drain) was totally cluttered with everybody's junk." Laich said last week in a presentation to the Salem Township Board.

"There were refrigerators and bed springs. Anything anyone wanted to get rid of was in the creek. It is looking good now and that pleases me."

The Johnson Drain travels from the Five Mile/ Curtis roads area in Salem southeast into Plymouth Township, then northeast through the western half of Northville Township. It runs through Fish Hatchery Park and eventually joins the Middle Rouge River below Northville Downs. Some time the afternoon of April 29, the state'

Department of Natural Resources plans to make the first in a series of five plants of brown trout in

the stream. In the first drop, "fingerling" brown tr-out between four and five inches in length will be planted near the bridge on Napler Road between Five Mile Road and North Territorial Road in Salem.

Four more plants are planned for later this year. They are set for FIsh Hatchery Park, at the Six Mile crossing west of Beck, at the Five Mile crossing just west of Ridge, and at Five Mile between Chubb and Currie.

Laich said exact times and dates for those plants haven't yet been determined.

At this point, the fish are under seven inches and therefore not of legal fishing size. They should be large enough for fishing season next year.

Laich said hopes the drain will continue being improved. It has played an important part in the history of the area, he said, noting that it fed the long-running fish hatchery at the current park site off Seven Mile Road.

Cleanup efforts have made a difference for the Johnson Drain.

While doing tests on temperature and water quality of the drain, the DNR fishery division found an endangered species of fish living in the

The DNR fishery division found red-sided dace in the stream. Red-sided dace are on the endangered species list," Laich said, Red-sided dace are in the same family as the

more common black date fish, he said. Hopefully, putting the trout in will give resi-

dents incentive to keep the water clean." Laich said. "We need to keep this clean. There aren't many good streams anymore." Efforts to clean the creek and make it a good fish

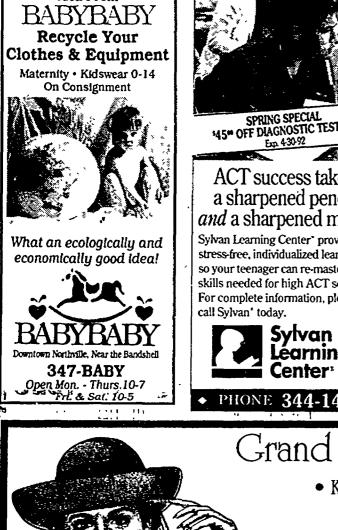
habitat continue. The five fish plants this year are only a part of a proposed three-year project. Next year, Laich said, fish will be dispersed

Next year, Laich said, iish will be uspected along the drain, rather than dumped in just spe-cific spots. Other cleanup efforts will include bank restoration and building dams.

Laich is also working to protect the creek on another front: At a recent meeting of the Friends of the Rouge, he announced that the Western Wayne County Conservation Association hopes to formally classify the Johnson Drain as a stream, rather than a drain. That would add tighter restrictions on water runoff which could be legally discharged into the tributary, he said.



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# **Police News** Highland Lakes residents hard-hit by vandals

Township police last week re-ceived several complaints from Highland Lakes residents concerning damages and thefts from vehicles parked outside homes there.

Reports included the following: A Scenic Lane resident told polce that someone broke into a 1988 Ford Taurus late April 10 and stole a car telephone and a radar detector and broke the vehicle's windshield.

A Queen Anne Court resident told police that someone cut the left front tire of a 1990 Ford Taurus parked

### there April 10.

A Queen Anne Court resident told police that someone entered a 1988 Olds 98 and cut the inside of the car in two places. Damage was estimated at \$200. The incident occurred late April 9 or early April 10.

The owner of a 1991 GEO Metro told township police that someone cut the vehicle's vinyl roof sometime late April 9 or early April 10. The vehicle was parked on Queen Anne Court Damage was estimated at \$500. A Queen Anne Court resident told

police that someone entered the residence's garage and stole two motor-cycle helmets sometime between April 3-7. The helmets were valued at \$300.

BIKE STCLEN OFF PORCH: A Randolph Street resident reported the theft of a bicycle off a front porch. The unlocked bike, a girl's Giant Whirlwind model valued at \$160, was taken sometime between April 3-10.

GARAGE WINDOWS SHAT-TERED: A Yerkes Street resident reported the breaking of two garage windows. A group of young teenagers was seen playing in an aliey by the garage at the time. Damage to the windows was estimated at \$25.

LICENSE PLATE TAKEN: A license plate was stolen off a car parked on Orchard south of Thayer between 9-10 a.m. April 12, while the owner was attending church. The Michigan license plate was number

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RADIO STOLEN FROM CAR: A Livonia woman told township police that someone broke into her 1989 Pontiac Grand Am and stole an AM/ FM cassette player and other items while it was parked in the lot at Meijer, 20401 Haggerty, April 7.

Also stolen from the vehicle were three jackets. The stolen items were valued at \$400, and police said the thief broke a door lock to enter the vehicle.

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OUIL: A 38-year-old Redford man was charged with operating a vehicle under the influence of liquor after his arrest early April 11 on eastbound Seven Mile near Haggerty. Breathalyzer tests indicated the man's blood-alcohol level was .13 percent, police said.

Citizens with information about the above incidents are urged to call Northville City Police at 349-1234 or Northville Township Police at 349-9400.

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# Rape suspect nabbed in Florida

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then bound the woman's hands and feet in duct tape and repeatedly sexually assaulted her.

Johnson also reportedly rubbed a long-handled, serrated knife over the victim's body, and threatened to kill the woman and her young child during the two hour, early morning ordeal.

The Wayne County Prosecutor's Office has issued a warrant charging Johnson with seven counts of firstdegree criminal sexual conduct and one count of breaking and entering an occupied dwelling. Johnson faces life imprisonment if convicted of any of the first-degree CSC charges, said township police Capt. Philip Presnell.

Presnell said Johnson had not waived extradition as of Monday, but

was expected to do so later this week. Johnson is expected to be arraigned when he is returned to Michigan. Presnell said.

Police accounts of the hours and days following the alleged rape portray Johnson as a man on the run.

According to police, Johnson told arresting officers that he knew he was wanted in Michigan. He reportedly told them he had been "a little rough" on a woman, but did not immediately confess to the alleged rape.

Later in the interview with Florida police, Johnson reportedly said he left the woman's apartment and retired to another Swan Harbour apartment to sleep. The second apartment belonged to the Swan Harbour Apartments manager, who was letting the former maintenance man flop at the room, police said.

Police said Johnson had lost his job at Swan Harbour a few weeks earlier, because of a month-long stint in the Lenawee County Jail in March. Police said Johnson reportedly returned an apartment pass key, but a key duplicating machine is present at the apartment complex.

Police believe the suspect used pass keys to open an outside apartment door and unlock the deadbolt lock on the victim's apartment. Police said Johnson then allegedly used a pair of wire cutters to snip the victim's door chain.

After a couple hours of sleep at the manager's apartment. Johnson noticed considerable police activity around the complex, police said. Johnson then hurriedly left the Northville area with about \$20 in his pocket, police said, and drove his pickup truck to a relative's home in Holland,

where he reportedly secured another \$70.

Police do not know if Johnson then returned to Northville, but the suspect reportedly told Florida police that he drove to Oklahoma, and then veered southeast to the Tallahassee area.

He reportedly told police where to find the weapon used in the alleged attack, and officers later located a large steak knife in the toilet tank of the victim's apartment.

The victim reportedly told police that Johnson had once helped her move furniture in the apartment. In a tape recorded 911 call to police, the victim at one time told a police dispatcher that she thought she recognized her attacker, though during the attack. Johnson reportedly wore a white, fishnet-type stocking over his head.

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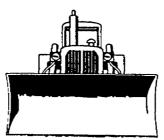
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### **Mustang of the Week**

### By LAURA WHITELEY Special Writer

The singing quartet Back-beat, composed of Northville High School students JASON MILLER, JOHN NORMAN, GREG RABY and MIKE ROWE. has been named \*Mustang of the Week."

Backbeat has given much of its time and talent appearing at many school and community functions, such as Kiwanis, the 1991 Statewide SADD conference at Shanty Creek, and the SADD Boblo Boat cruise. The four performed for 45 homeless people housed for the week at First United Methodist Church of Northville.

The group was nominated to receive this honor by NHS Student Assistance Program Coordinator Charlie Stilec, who noted, "Beyond their caring ways and dedication, these four young men are future leaders. They strive for excellence and change the lives of the people who come in contact with them. Most of all, they provide a certain hope in the promise of a positive future."

Miller is involved in the NHS Concert Choir, Northville Singers and NHS Drama. When not working at the Sawmill in Northville, he spends his time playing the piano, singing, and dancing. He hopes to obtain a degree in music education, and possibly enter the field of teaching.

President of the NHS Choir, Norman is also involved in



Backbeat is, from left, Jason Miller, John Norman, Michael Rowe, and Greg Raby.

Northville Singers, NHS Drama and Forensics. He works at Cin-nabon, and for Entertaining People Productions, and is interested in music, theater and human and criminal rights.

Raby enjoys playing the piano, singing, swimming, and collecting play programs. When not in school or performing with Backbeat he spends time with his church youth group and enjoys "going on work camp to help people less fortunate." His plans include attending either the School of Music at the University of Michigan for a music degree or Michigan State University for a pre-medical degree.

Rowe works as a cashier at Hardees and is a member of the NHS Concert Choir and Northville Singers as well. He spends his time singing and with his friends, and is interested in art and music. Although unsure of his plans for college, he stated that his dream job would be "touring the country - singing and having fun."

The Mustang of the Week is named by the School Climate Committee at Northville High School. Laura Whiteley, who writes this feature, is a student at the high school.

# First step okayed in district library plan

### By MIKE TYREE Staff Writer

The township board last week ap proved the first chapter in what could be a novel approach to area library needs.

The board okayed a Northville Library Advisory Commission's resolution that would create a district library study committee.

Such a committee would determine the feasibility of developing a district library, potentially involving Northville city and township and Plymouth city and township governments.

Township officials asked enough questions to fill a book, but finally gave the nod for the study committee to proceed. According to plans, the township and city each would appoint two committee members, and the library commission would add a fifth person.

The committee then would research key points, including possible location, funding sources, individual

government contribution methods, and day-to-day library operations. A district library would be a the plan could seek up to two mills for proponents said. a district library, which would alter the current Northville city/township shared services funding plan.

Library commission members realize a possible district library is a big if.

So is the idea of weaning the li-brary from the shared services funding source.

"If the millage passes, we would have a district library," said commission member Lynn Parkllan. "If it fails, (the same system would continue).

District library supporters point to Northville City's huge budget deficit and the continuing recession as ample reason to explore a district library plan.

Although it would create another unit of local government — an elected district library board would be needed - the library could operate on its own merit, with its own millage, millage-supported endeavor decided and not suffer when local governby voters of the district. Supporters of ments target shared services for cuts,

The library commission now will ask the city council's blessing of the district library research plan. The township did not announce its appointments to the committee at last week's board meeting.

# Band sponsors needed

Local organizations and businesses will have an opportunity this summer to sponsor local musicians.

The Northville Arts Commission will offer local businesses and organizations the opportunity to cosponsor the very popular Friday night music series: The Clock Concerts.

For \$100 co-sponsor fee, the spon-

sor will not only receive the gratitude of the residents who enjoy these concerts (sometimes as many as 500 gather at the downtown bandshell), but will have the opportunity to promote good will in the community and receive increased public visibility.

Due to the city budget cuts, the

Northville Arts Commission is seeking this financial help with these free concerts. If enough support is generated the Clock Concerts will be held each Friday evening all summer.

Co-sponsors may make their checks payable to The Northville Arts Commission and mail them to: Northville Arts Commission, P.O. Box 99, Northville 48167.





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### On a Carousel

Northville High School presented its annual spring musical last weekend, Rodgers and Hammerstein's Carousel. Above, John NorPhoto by HAL GOULD

man played Billy Bigelow and Lori Brummett was Mrs. Mullin.

### the township seemed determined to VISIONS Salon. 42260 Grand River • Novi Cedar Ridge 344-9944 Plaza **APRIL SPECIAL**

By MIKE TYREE Staff Writer

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Will Northville Township dump its

current cast of consultants, or stand

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Township officials have sent out

about 30 requests for proposals for

assessing, engineering, and legal ser-

vices, Trustee James Nowka said

the month, and a township commit-

tee is expected to develop a short list

could be reached before the end of

of candidates at that time.

Responses are due by the end of

A final decision on consultants

The township last January an-

nounced plans to seek RFPs for con-

sultant services, citing a need to scale

back costs related to its outside pro-

fessionals. Early plans to seek in-

house help quickly evaporated, but

look to other consulting avenues, es-pecially since allegations of cronyism and patronage among some officials and companies surfaced.

**Township researching** 

consultant process

The professional services search is necessary, but time-consuming, due to the ground-breaking nature of the

task, Nowka said. This is the first time we've ever put RFPs together," he said. "We're be-coming a more sophisticated, more technical, more professional community, and as you become a larger community, you have to do a better

job." Nowka said the RFP committee used state and local resources to research possible professional consulting firms. Some areas, like assessing and engineering, are specialty trades, offering fewer choices than other services.

Legal representation is readily available through many outlets, he said

Northville Township annually spends more than \$300,000 for pro-

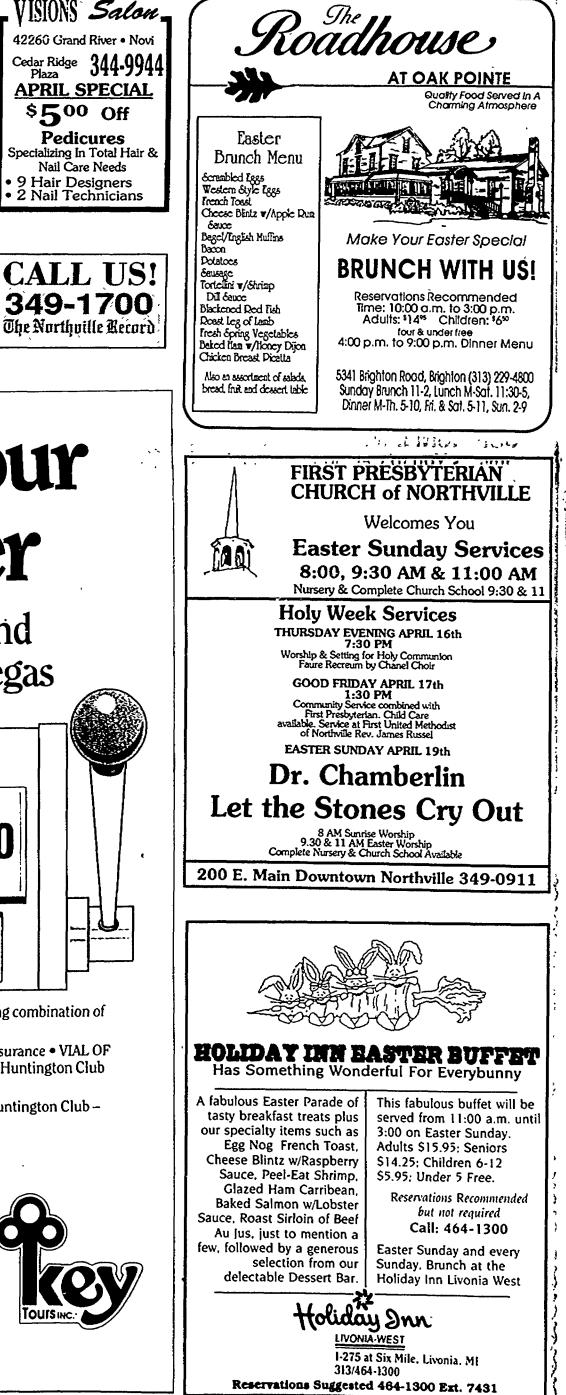
fessional services. Its assessing contract with Wayne County Appraisal Co.runs about \$50,000 per year, and the township may decide to align it-self more closely with Wayne County government to streamline assessing services.

The township also spends tens of thousands of dollars on Ayres, Lewis, Norris & May, its engineering firm. But much of the Ayres, Lewis costs are passed on to developers,

Attorney fees are a different matter. The firm of Law, Hemming, Essad & Polaczyk is again on pace to earn about \$200,000 for handling town-ship legal chores. When those fees are mixed with the firm's activities in the Western Townships Utilities Authority turmoil, Law, Hemming could be an inviting target for change.

Although the township is looking to make a change in some areas, it has extended RFP's to its current consultants.

"You've got to be fair to everybody," Nowka said.



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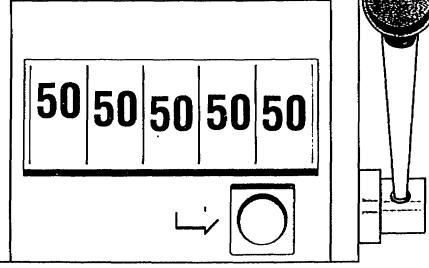
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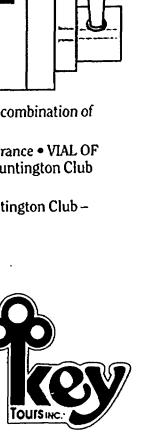
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By STEVE KELLMAN Staff Writer

Don't bet against a racetrack breaking even despite an economic slump.

Northville Downs and Jackson at Northville posted a combined \$77,821,675 handle for the 1991-1992 racing season ending April 5. The amount was almost 2 percent above last season's \$76,487,109 handle. A track's handle is the total money bet.

Attendance was up slightly, too, from last season's 391,059 people to this one's 394,332. Northville Downs itself, whose rac-

ing season began Jan. 2, fared better than the folks from Jackson Harness Raceway, who raced at Northville between Oct. 14 and Dec. 31.

Northville Downs posted an aver-age handle of \$511,147 a day this year, nearly 4 percent more than last year's average of \$493,107.

Average daily attendance rose to 2,568, up less than a percent from last year's average 2,547 daily attendance.

The typical bettor felt a little luckier this year than last, placing \$199 in wagers in each visit as opposed to \$194 last year.

Jackson at Northville's average daily handle of \$443,794 was down more than 6 percent from last year's

down nearly 5 percent from 2,388 to

up, and they've been picking up for the last two years."

"Of course, they have the football season, and their weather was not that great either," she said. "When we're racing, the football season's

Northville posted its first wagering 1985-1986 racing season.

The Downs held 88 racing dates, which included 10 matinees.

> average, \$473,054. Average daily attendance, too, was

2.274 for Jackson's 74 racing dates. Northville Downs' Executive Manager Margaret Zayti seemed pleased with the year's results. We did better in our matinee cards than we did in our evening cards," Zayti said. "I know that our matinees kept picking

She attributed Jackson's poorer showing to several factors.

over too, and what can people do on Saturday?

increase in five years during the 1989-1990 racing season, with a \$79,141,726 combined handle. But that was still well below the track's record \$89.370,335 handle for the







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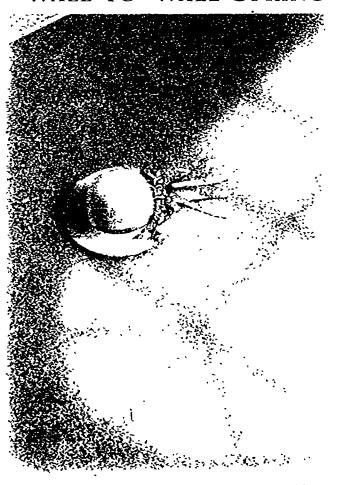
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# Omnicom gets less than rave reviews

#### By STEVE KELLMAN Staff Writer

Northville city council members may not have gotten an earful about Omnicom Cablevision's service Tuesday night, but they got a mailbox full.

The council is deliberating whether to renew Omnicom's 15-year cable contract with the city in 1994, and Tuesday's public hearing was intended to elicit public input. But city hall had already recetved nearly a dozen letters and phone calls rating the Canton-based cable company's service by Tuesday, and most of the reviews were bad.

Some subscribers protested Omnicom's everincreasing cable rates, now up to \$21.50 for basic service, while others complained of frequent cable interruptions and poor accessibility.

Township resident Eugene Lawler, who billed himself as a "less-than-satisfied customer," wrote that signal outages are a recurring problem at his house. "Nearly every week I experience service interruption for varying times by Omnicom." he wrote. Thave often tried to call to report (outages), but for the last year the telephone line is too busy, so that L exercisely give up."

so that I eventually give up." Attorney Michael Poterala, though he found General Manager Lisa Boland and assistant Hideko Mills to be "very receptive and helpful." wrote that "Omnicom still does not provide the high quality of service we as residents have a right to expect, especially given the relatively high cost of Omnicom's service."

Among the problems Poterala noted were Omnicom's use of outmoded cable boxes and signal interruptions "every time it rains or the wind blows."

Township resident Harold Froh sent a letter complaining of "extremely poor picture quality" and "repeated and extended outages," as well as "difficulty in reaching the assigned customer rep." A former Livonia resident who subscribed to MetroVision, Froh said he had "more outages in the last seven months than in seven years with MetroVision."

While other residents said they hoped the cable company could improve its level of service. Froh said he was fed up with Omnicom altogether.

"As far as I'm concerned there are no reasons for renewing Omnicom's contract," he wrote.

But Omnicom's cable is better than no cable at all, at least to some. An elderly couple at Allen Terrace asked for the council's help in bringing cable to the housing complex, but Deputy Director Darlene Oginski said Omnicom will not wire the building for less than 50 customers.

But a recent survey found only 30-35 prospective customers among Allen Terrace's 101 units, Oginski said.

# Cable hearing draws few speakers

### Continued from Page 1

race resident Betty Brennan. But when Brennan said that 40 residents have signed up for potential cable service, and another five or six have expressed interest, Omnicom General Manager Lisa Boland told her that the company may be more willing to provide the service.

"Let's sit down one more time," she told Brennan. "We're real willing to stretch that (50-customer) formula as far as we can."

But one city resident whose home is already wired for cable is not happy with the result.

"I'm not positive about Omnicom at all," said city resident Pat Rashid. Rashid, who moved from Livonia, where she subscribed to MetroVIsion, said the cable package that cost her \$45 there now costs \$78 in Northville.

Boland said the increased cost is largely due to Omnicom's dated descrambler system, and the company's lack of a more modern "addressable" cable system. Because of it, she said, a customer needs to use descramblers on every television on which they want to watch different pay channels like Showtime and Pass.

Rashid also had unkind words for Omnicom's signal and installation service. "The reception's been bad; it's flickering all night," she said. She also recounted getting the equivalent of an electronic runaround from one of Omnicom's answering machines, saying, "When you call and get a recording telling you to call the number you're already calling, it's pretty disturbing."

Resident Libby Lockwood's main concern was with the cost of cable service, and she asked why customers cannot drop basic channels that they don't want on an individual basis and see their individual bills drop correspondingly.

Boland explained that cable companies are required to include such channels in all their basic subscriptions, because advertisers in those channels are promised that they will reach every household getting the basic package.

One recurring complaint was about the difficulty reaching Omnicom during a signal outage. But Boland said that problem 'is common throughout the cable industry, and advised customers getting a constant busy signal to wait an hour and see whether the problem is corrected before calling back.

This is the begining of what I think is going to be a long analysis." said Mayor Chris Johnson. We'll take a long, hard look at all the aspects that make up cable service in the city, and I think at the end of the process we'll have a better cable service "

### Senior Center Briefs

**DETROIT SYMPHONY "COFFEE CONCERTS":** The Northville Area Senior Citizens Center will be attending the Detroit Symphony "Coffee Concert" on Friday, April 24 and May 15.

Cost for the outing is \$20 per person and includes round-trip transportation via 12-passenger Club Van, admission to the concert and coffee and donuts at the concert. We were able to switch the seats to main floor from the balcony. Please call 349-4140 to make a reservation.

**PLYMOUTH COMMUNITY CHORUS:** We have purchased tickets to the sold-out performance of the Plymouth Community Chorus,

This year's concert, "Destination: Down Home," will be performed at the First United Methodist Church in Plymouth on Friday, April 24.

Departure is from the Northville Recreation Center at 5 p.m. Transportation is \$8 and includes: round-trip transportation via Senior Citizens Bus, stop for dinner (not included) and admission to the show. Please call 349-4140 for information or reservations.

**PHANTOM OF THE OPERA/MASONIC TEMPLE:** The Northville Area Senior Cilizens Center has purchased lickets to see the *Phantom of the Opera at the Masonic Temple Theater*. Show date is Jan. 6, 1993.

Ticket prices are as follows: Main floor ticket price is \$115 per person; balcony seating is \$95 per person. Cost for both seatings include: round-trip transportation, buffet dinner at the River Place Inn (part of the old Parke-Davis laboratories renovation). Admission to the show with excellent seats for both locations.

Tickets will go on sale Friday, May 1 at 9 a.m. A \$55 deposit for main floor and a \$45 deposit for balcony will be accepted on or after this date only. Reservations will take place at the Northville Senior Citizens Center, 215 West Cady from 9 a.m. to noon.

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with any news tips.



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# Student engineers learn science through design

#### By SHARON CONDRON Staff Writer

They designed race cars and powered boats to compete against one another. They illustrated the effects of aerodynamics relative to performance. And then they improved on their designs to cut down on friction and wind resistance.

The whole time students were experimenting with cardboard box cars and boats they were doing math and science, but you'd never know it from their enthusiasm.

"I covered my wheels to cut down on wind resistance and then I spray-painted them," said Chris Strandt. "But that made them wobble and caused more friction."

Friction is a negative force and it wears down the car's ability to perform, students said. Removable noses on the front of the cars, which were made from milk cartons and push up sticks, allow the car higher performance with better aerodynamics. Plastic straws kept cars on track. and sleek paint jobs would catch the buyer's eye, so some say.

All these comments sound like they came from engineers. And they did - student engineers.

Northville Public Schools partnership program with the Society of Automotive Engineers (SAE), now in its second year, has attracted more than 15 engineers from Ford Motor Company, General Motors, Nissan, Motorola, Kelsey Hayes, Campau, Associates and Dow Corning Automotive.

Paired up with fourth ., fifth ., and sixth-graders. englneers introduce students to the real-life applications of math and science.

The "World in Motion" program, sponsored and coordinated by SAE, provides a forum for engineers and teachers to work cooperatively with students to introduce the

diverse world of engineering. Volunteer engineers work with students for two months teaching them basic engineering concepts like aerodynamics, wind resistance, friction, electric circuits, and mechanical design. The program, which requires students to work as a team member to design either cardboard boats or cars, teaches students the value of problem-solving, team playing, compromising, and

cooperative learning. Team races are the culmination of a two-month-long lesson plan.

"What I like most about this program is that it teaches kids to think." said Jeff Lightfoot, a fifth-grade teacher at Amerman Elementary. "It teaches them that there are no right or wrong answers. Instead it says to kids if you have problem, you find a solution."

Lightfoot, and other teachers like Winchester's Jay Gilshire, said interactive lessons plans allowed students to see how math and science is used in the work place to design everything from cars to boats to trains and planes.

The five engineers that worked with us introduced themseleves and their jobs," Gilshire said. "And then did exercises with the kids to show them how broad the field of engineering is. They showed them how everything is affected by engineering."

Ford engineer Debbie Wines, who coordinates the national partnership program for students at Northville, said she's thrilled with the turnout and the interest in the program.

Participation has doubled," she said. "People have

been springing out of the woodwork to get involved in this program."

Also a member of SAE, Wines said there is an ulterior motive for the professional society to take the reigns of the program.

'lt's been great to work with this program. SAE has been selfish getting involved because we are trying to get kids interested in math and science, hopefully to get more interested in engineering." An important by product of the program participants

and sponsors agree on is that it teaches kids to work cooperatively.

"This pulls them all together," Lightfoot said. "Boys and girls are equal, teachers and students are equal and the problem-solving is phenomenial."

For Kate Vannier, a fifth-grader at Amerman, the program fostered teamwork.

"I saw a lot of advantages to working together as a team. We had a lot of good ideas and got our work done faster. It was a good experience because it helped me learn about cars and how to work in a team.





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### Writing honors

These six local seventh-graders recently won certificates of merit in the Wayne **County Regional Educational Service** Agency essay writing contest. They will receive invitations to an awards ceremony and

Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

reception June 4. Clockwise from front are Melissa Wilhelm, Elizabeth Orlowski, Avo Magar, Chris Bond, Ryan Howe, and Mike McNally.



# **Township declines free PR**

#### By MIKE TYREE taff Writer

Thanks, but no thanks, township officials recently said to an engineering consultant who offered to pick up a public relations tab.

The township reportedly turned down Abe Munfakh's offer to have Ayres, Lewis, Norris & May pay for a public relations campaign in support of the Western Townships Utilities Authority sewer project.

The reason? Possible conflict-of-interest issues, said Northville Town-

ship Supervisor Betty Lennox. "Ayres, Lewis offered to pick up the cost of a newsletter about WTUA just to explain the program," Lennox said Monday. "I thought it wasn't appropriate."

Lennox said Munfakh's offer came on the heels of newspaper reports questioning various aspects of the \$100-million, three-township sewer project. Munfakh is the president of Ayres, Lewis, and is a Phymouth Township trustee. The firm serves as Northville Township's engineering Lennox said.

consultant and also is the lead engineer in the WTUA project.

Ayres, Lewis stands to earn the bulk of the \$10 million allotted for WTUA's engineering services. Lennox said the decision to reject

Munfakh's offer came before revelations that Ayres. Lewis picked up a 1991 township public relations expense. At that time, former Supervisor Georgina Goss hired a local public relations firm to script a newsletter for the township fire department.

Goss did not clear the deal with the township board, and Ayres, Lewis sent a \$500 check to Quidnunc Corp. of Northville to cover the bill.

While township officials say the fire department public relations campaign was carried off minus township funds, the newsletter was printed on township fire department stationery and mailed to thousands of homes.

Something just did not set well with Munfakh's most recent offer to pay for the proposed WTUA letter.

"I just thought some people in the township would have a problem with that," Lennox said. "We were talking about conflict of interest and I wanted to avoid any of that."

But not every township board member sees a problem with Munfakh's contributions. Trustee Richard Allen last week was angered that the Goss/Ayres, Lewis ties were reported.

Allen called a Record reporter and editor "apparent lackeys" of Quidnunc President Charles Keys "in what appears to be a private business deal gone awry between Mr. Keys and Mrs. Goss." [See letter, page 19-A.)

Lennox said Munfakh, a selfproclaimed political activist, likely did not know the implications of his offers to pick up township tabs.

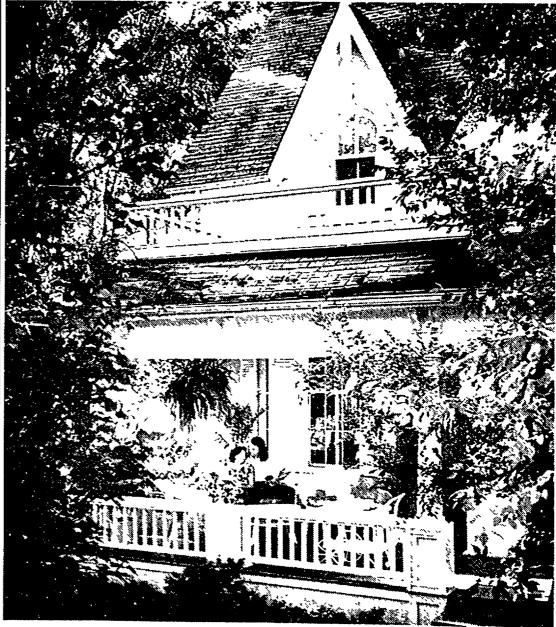
Maybe I'm too innocent, but I think Ayres. Lewis got into it without knowing it was a problem," Lennox said, adding that Ayres, Lewis "urged me to do (the WTUA public relations campaign).

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# **Bookstall moves** into more space

By STEVE KELLMAN Staff Writer

Bookstall-on-the-Main is now the bookstore at the corner, following its expansion into the former Collector's Corner gift shop.

Store owner Berclay Ruschak said the move from 116 E. Main St. to 100 W. Main has given the Bookstall more room to grow. The shelves still remained half-empty Tuesday, the second day the new location was open for business.

After seven years at 116 E. Main St., Ruschak is already enjoying the increased visibility and space at the corner of Main and Center.

\*Yesterday we were open but people were just kind of wandering around," she said Tuesday. "Today it's crowded."

The previous Bookstall was little more than a wide hallway lined with books, Ruschak said. The visibility wasn't real terrific there, but certainly it was a cozy little store."

The new location, in contrast, has windows on both Main and Center streets, and three times the floor space.

"It's terrific," she said. "I love this corner.'

Bookstall-on-the-Main specializes in children's books but can stock a wide variety of subjects, Ruschak said. We've always done a lot of children's books and we like to cater to the teachers . . . Now that we have more room we'll still be a general book store, and if anyone has any preferences, we'd like to hear them."

While the store is still a far cry in size from competitors like Borders Book Shop to the north, Ruschak said the Bookstall is second to none when it comes to reader service.

We do a lot of special orders," she said. "It has nothing to do with size; basically it has to do with service."

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### CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE MOTOR CARRIER FUEL TAX LICENSES AND TRIP PERMITS ORDINANCE **ORDINANCE NO. 104**

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CODE OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE BY ADDING A NEW CHAPTER, WHICH NEW CHAPTER SHALL BE DESIGNATED AS CHAPTER 54, MOTOR CARRIER FUEL TAX LICENSES AND TRIP PERMITS, OF PART V, TRAFFIC, OF SAID CODE; TO PROVIDE FOR THE PROHIBITION OF ACTING AS A MOTOR CARRIER WITHOUT A LICENSE; TO PROVIDE FOR ACTING AS A MOTOR CARRIER WITH A TRIP PERMIT IN LIEU OF A LICENSE; TO PROVIDE FOR DEFINITIONS; TO PROVIDE FOR THE PARKING OR STORAGE OF VEHICLES OPERATED IN VIOLATION OF THIS ORDINANCE; TO PROVIDE FOR PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS OF THIS ORDI-NANCE; TO PROVIDE FOR THE SEVERABILITY OF THIS ORDINANCE; TO NANCE; TO PROVIDE FOR THE SEVERABILITY OF THIS ORDINANCE; TO PROVIDE FOR THE REPEAL OF CONFLICTING ORDINANCES AND THE SAV-NGS OF ALL PROCEEDINGS; TO PROVIDE FOR THE EFFECTIVE DATE HEREOF

THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE ORDAINS:

SECTION 1, The Charter Township of Northville Code is hereby amended by adding a new chapter to be numbered Chapter 54 of Part V, which shall read as follows: CHAPTER 54 — MOTOR CARRIER FUEL TAX LICENSES AND TRIP PERMITS

Section 54.010. Definitions. As used in this Chapter: A. Axle means any two (2) or more load-carrying wheels mounted in a single

transverse vertical plane. B. Commercial Motor Vehicle means a road tractor, or a truck tractor or a truck

having more than two (2) axles, if the road tractor, or truck tractor or truck is propelled by motor fuel. Commercial Motor Vehicle shall not include either a road tractor, a truck. a truck tractor owned by a farmer or used in connection with the farmer's farming oper ation and not used for hire.

C. Motor Carrier means a person who operates or causes to be operated a Commercial Motor Vehicle on a public road or highway in this Township. D. Non-Profit, Private, Parochial, Denominational, or Public School, Col-

lege or University means an elementary, secondary, or post secondary education

facility. E. Person means a natural person, partnership, firm, association, joint stock mistae. conservator, officer, company, syndicate, or corporation, or any receiver, trustee, conservator, officer, other than a unit of government having jurisdiction and control of property by virtue of law or by appointment of a court. F. Public Roads or Highways means a road, street, or place maintained by the

State of Michigan or a political subdivision thereof and located in the Charter Town-ship of Northville and generally open to use by the public as a matter of right for the purpose of vehicular travel, notwithstanding that they may be temporarily closed or travel restricted for the purpose of construction, maintenance, repair or reconstruction. G. Road Tractor means a motor vehicle designed and used for drawing other

vehicles, but not constructed to carry any load either independently or as a part of the weight of the vehicle or load being drawn. H. Township means the Charter Township of Northville. I. Truck means a motor vehicle designed, used, or maintained primarily for the

transportation of property. J. Truck Tractor means a motor vehicle designed and used primarily for drawing

other vehicles and not constructed to carry a load other than a part of the weight of the vehicle and load being drawn. Section 54.020. Acting as a Motor Carrier without a License is Prohibited.

No person shall act as a Motor Carrier in this Township unless the person is a holder of an unrevoked Motor Carrier Fuel Tax License issued by the Revenue Division of the Department of Treasury for the State of Michigan pursuant to Act No. 119 of the Public Acts of 1980. The license shall be affixed to the right-hand of the cab of every commer-cial motor vehicle while it is being operated by a licensed Motor Carrier in the Township.

Section 54.030. Trip Permit in Lieu of License. A person may act as a Molor Carrier in this Township without a Motor Carrier Fuel Tax License if the person pos-sesses a valid Trip Permit issued by the Revenue Division of the Department of Treasthe State of Michigan. ury for

ury for the State of Michigan. 54.040. Exempted Commercial Vehicles. This Ordinance shall not apply to a Commercial Motor Vehicle operated and owned by the State of Michigan, a political subdivision of the State of Michigan, or the Federal Government, or to a Commercial Motor Vehicle owned by, or leased and operated by, a non-profit, private, parochial, or denominational school, college, or university, or a public school, college, or university. Section 54.050. Parking or Storing Vehicles Operated in Violation of This Ordinance. When a person is discovered in this Township operating a Commercial Motor Vehicle which is in violation of this Ordinance, another person shall not thereat the operate this vehicle on the public reads or highwars of this Township accept to the

ter operate this vehicle on the public roads or highways of this Township, except to remove it from the public road or highway for the purpose of parking or storing the vehi-cle, until a license or a trip permit is obtained pursuant to Act No 119 of the Public Acts of 1980.

SECTION 2. VIOLATIONS: PENALTIES

Any person who violates a provision of this Ordinance shall be guilty of a misde-meanor and may be fined not more than One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars, or impris-oned for not more than ninety (90) days or both, in the discretion of the Court. SECTION 3. SEVERABILITY

If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or portion of this Ordinance is for any reason held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such portion shall be deemed a separate, distinct and independent provision and such holding shall not effect the validity of the remaining portions thereof. SECTION 4. SAVINGS CLAUSE

Rights and duties which have matured, penalties which have been incurred, proceedings which have begun and prosecution for violations of law occurring before the effective date of this Ordinance are not affected or abated by this Ordinance. SECTION 5. REPEAL

All Ordinances and parts of Ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are, to the extent of such conflict, hereby repealed. SECTION 6. EFFECTIVE DATE

DECTION 6. EFFECTIVE DATE This Ordinance, as amended, shall take full force and effect upon publication. CERTIFICATION The foregoing Ordinance was adopted by the Township Board of the Charter Township of Northville at a meeting of the Board duty called and held on the day of , 1992, to be effective upon publication as provided by law. INTRODUCED: 4-12-92 ADOPTED:

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### SPECIAL SCHOOL ELECTION

OUTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION OF THE ELECTORS OF NORTHVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOLS WAYNE, OAKLAND AND WASHTENAW COUNTIES, MICHIGAN TO BE HELD APRIL 28, 1992 TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT: Please Take Notice that a special election of the electors of Northville Public Schools, Wayne, Oakland and Washtenaw Counties, Michigan, will be held in the school district on Tuesday. April 28, 1992.

school district on Tuesday, April 28, 1992. THE POLLS OF ELECTION WILL OPEN AT 7 O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING AND CLOSE AT 8 O'CLOCK IN THE EVENING.

The following proposition(s) will be submitted to the vote of the electors at the special election:

MILLAGE PROPOSITION Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Northville Public Schools, Ware, Oakland and Washtanaw Counties, Mi-chigan, be increased by 25.41 mills (\$25.41 on each \$1,000.00) on state equalized valuation for the year 1992 to provide additional funds for operating purposes (22.63 mills of the above increase being a renewal of 22.63 mills for operating purposes which expires with the 1991 tax levy and 2.78 mills being additional operating

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PRECINCT NO. 4 Voting Place: Amerman School, 847 North Center Street, Northville, Michigan PRECINCT NO. 5 Voting Place: Northville City Offices, 215 West Main Street, Northville, Michigan PRECINCT NO. 6 Voting Place: Moraine School, 46811 West Eight Mile Road, Northville, Michigan All school electors who are registered with the city or township clerk of the city or township in which they reside are eligible to vote at this election. STATEMENT AS REQUIRED BY ACT 278 OF PUBLIC ACTS OF 1964 Amendian the Property Tax Limitation Act

Amending the Property Tax Limitation Act I, RAYMOND J, WOJTOWICZ, Treasurer of Wayne County, Michigan, do hereby certify that, as of March 20, 1992, the total of all voted increases in excess of the Constitutional fitteen mill tax limitation and the years such increases are effective are as follows affecting the taxable property of Local Unit: NORTHVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOLS Washington of the North Schools

Wayne, Oakland and Washtenaw Counties, Michigan Scated in the City and Township of Northville, Wayne County, Michigan

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Local Unit	Date of Election	Voted Increases	Years Increase Effective	
County of Wayne	August 7, 1990	1 mil	1992 thu 1999 Inclusive	
Wayne Courty Regional	August 6, 1974	1 mil	1992 Indefinitely	
Wayne Courty Regional Educational Service Agency	November 8, 1968	1 mil	1992 Indefinitely	
Wayne Courty Jail	August 2, 1968	រណាដ	1992 thu 1997 Inclusive	

Date, March 20, 1992

# SIGNED: RAYMOND J. WOJTOWICZ WAYNE COUNTY TREASURER'S STATEMENT AS REQUIRED BY ACT NO. 62 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1933 AS AMENDED

I, C. Hugh Dohany, County Treasure of the County of Oakland, State of Michi-gan, do hereby certify that according to the records in my office, as of March 13, 1992, the total of all voted increases in the tax rate limitation above the 15 mills established by Section 6 of Article IX of the Michigan Constitution of 1963 affecting taxable prop-erty in the Northville Public Schools, Oakland, Washtenaw, and Wayne Counties, Michigan, is as follows

LOCAL UNIT	VOTED INCREASE	YEARS INCREASE EFFECTIVE
Nontrylle Public Schools	None	
Township of Novi	1.00	Unlimited
Township of Lyon	1.00	Unlimited
	2.50	1992
County of Oakland	25	1992 to 2001 Ind.
Dated: March 13, 1992		

Dated: March 13, 1992 C. HUGH DOHANY, TREASURER OAKLAND COUNTY BY: DOUGLAS J. WILLIAMS, CHIEF DEPUTY TREASURER I, Michael A. Stimpson, County Treasurer of the County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, do certify that according to MCLA 211.203 Sec. 3 (3), and the records of this Office, as of March 6, 1992 the total of all voted increases over and above the tax voted limitation established by the Constitution of the State of Michigan in Local Units of covernment affection the taxable omergy in Northwille Public School District. of government affecting the taxable property in Northville Public School District, State of Michigan, in said County is as follows:

REQUESTING UNIT	: Northville Public	c School District
OCAL UNIT	VOTED INCREASE	YEARS EFFECTIVE
County of Washtenew	0.25, MB . 🖓	1988 & Future <
5 Y Y Y Y	0.25 MI	1988 & Future < 1988 - 1996 Ind.
Salem Township	NONE	
Schoolcraft Community College	0.50 ME	1986 & Future
Vayne Intermediate School District	NONE	
iontrville Public Schools	22.63 Mils	1991 only
ATED: March 6, 1992		•
nn Arbor, Michigan		
		MICHAEL A. STIMPSO
WAS	HTENAW COUNT	Y TREASURER, MICHIGAN
		Education of Northville Public

This Notce is given by cruer of the Counties, Michigan. Schools, Wayne, Oakland and Washlenaw Counties, Michigan. CAROL J. RAHIMI

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### **Obituaries** BARBARA HUNTINGTON

Barbara Grifin Huntington, 69, of Howell, died April 3 in Longboat Key. Fla.

She was born May 13, 1922 in Findley Lake, NY and had lived in Howell since 1966.

Survivors include her husband. Merle W. Huntington, former owner of Warren Products on Baseline Road in Northville; two sons, Kevin Huntington of Canton, Conn, and Jeffrey Huntington of Yellow Springs, Ohio: a sister, Lillian Fresch of Erie, Penn.; two brothers, James Griffin of Westfield, NY and Donald Griffin of Manhattan Beach, Calif.; and four grandchildren.

### CATHERINE MOSHER

Catherine Mosher died April 8 at her home in Northville Township. She was born March 2, 1900 in Grand Rapids. Her father was Harry K. Dean, president of the Dean-Hicks Printing Co., one of the larger and more diversified printing and publishing firms in the midwest.

In 1919, her family moved to Boston. While there, she entered and graduated from the Burdett Busi-ness College. In 1921 she returned to

Michigan and enrolled in the University of Michigan, where her longtime close friend was enrolled in the Engineering College. She became a member of the Delta Delta Delta Sorority.

On Jan. 5, 1924, she married Lloyd William "Bill" Mosher, a ctvl engineer, employed in a supervisory position by the largest engineering firm in Pontiac. She returned to college to complete her junior year and in June 1924 joined her husband in Pontiac.

The 1929 depression forced them to leave their home in Pontiac. After living in Clare County and Alma, Mich., they returned to Detroit, and her sons graduated from Cooley High School. When her sons were no longer dependent on her, she turned her energies to volunteer work.

She served as a Red Cross nurse's aid at New Grace Hospital and the Allen Park Veterans Facility. She also served at the Red Cross Blood Bank.

She became actively involved with loosley organized group called "Friendly Visitors," whose objective was to visit and aid elderly women living with limited means.

She became a member and eventually President of the College Women's Volunteer Services, sponsored

by the Merrill-Palmer Institute.

Delta Delta Delta Sorority alumni, a group which included many gradu-ates from colleges other than the University of Michigan. In 1965 she was elected president of that group and as such attended the sorority's national convention in Washington, D.C.

She also joined the Detroit Associates of University of Michigan Wo-

men and in 1967 was their president. In 1975 she and her husband moved from Detroit and purchased a lakeside condominium unit in Northville Township, which was their final home.

She loved flowers and flowers seemed to love her, thriving under her care. Until she reconstructed knee and arthritis restricted her physical activity and her gardens annually were showplaces.

Her son, William, preceded her in death in 1989. Survivors include her husband, her son Harry, five grandchildren and nine greatgrandchildren.

Memorial services will be held Saturday, April 18 at 2 p.m. at Northrop & Son Funeral Home in Northville. Officiating the service will be the Rev. James P. Russell of the First Presbyterian Church of Northville.

Memorials to Arbor Hospice would She joined the Detroit Alliance of be appreciated by the family.

### CITY OF NORTHVILLE NOTICE OF ENACTMENT

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NUTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Northwite City Council following a public hearing on Monday, April 6, 1992, at 8:00 p.m. in the Municipal Building, 215 West Main Street, adopted amendments to the Zoning Ordinance, as follows: AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTIONS 12:03, PR-1, AND 13:03, PR-2, STORAGE OF MATERIALS, 15:04m, SMALL CAR PARKING, BY ADDING SUBSECTION (4), AND 16:18 6, PERMITTED WALL SIGNS, BY ADDING SUBSECTION (b), OF TITLE IV, CHAPTER 12, ZONING ORDINANCE, OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF NORTHVILLE The City of Northwite Ordans: Sorting 1 Section 14:000 BP 1 and 12:00 DP 0 Street Ministric Ordinance Street 10:000 DP 10:000

Section 1. Sections 12.03, PR-1, and 13.03, PR-2, Storage of Materials, Section 15.04m(4), Small Car Parking, and 16.18.6(b), Permitted Wall Signs, of Title IV, Chapter 12, of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Northville are hereby amended as follows: SECTION 12.03, PR-1 and 13.03, PR-2, STORAGE OF MATERIALS — ADD: Section 12.03 — Special Land Uses Permitted After Review and Approval

The following uses shall be permitted by the Planning Commission pursuant to Article 17 and subject to the following provisions:

Storage of Materials The location or storage of materials shall be regulated as follows

(1) The outdoor storage of materials within any right-of-way is prohibited.
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 (2) The outdoor storage of materials shall be screened from adjoining public right-of-ways or from adjoining residential uses. A five and one-half foot (5%) screening wall, fence or landscape buffer shall be used to provide effective screening and shall conform with Section 16.09(b and c) of this ordinance.

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m. (4) The number of permitted small car spaces and stall configurations shall be subject to site plan approval by the Planning Commission

SECTION 16.18.6 b. PERMITTED WALL SIGNS WITHIN THE CENTRAL BUSINESS DISTRICT (CBD) b. Permitted Wall Signs within the Central Business District (CBD).

- (1) Each tenant within a business site may have one (1) wall sign displayed on the exterior wall of that building.
  (2) Total signage area per building or site frontage may be calculated in either of the following methods:
  (a) Thirty-two (32) square leet for the single tenant, 50 square leet total for two tenants and an additional lifteen (15) square leet
- for each additional tenant, or (b) One (1) square foot of lotal building sign area for each lineal foot of building frontage with a maximum height of three (3) feet. (3) A business site may erect an additional twelve (12) square foot wall sign to be placed on any other exposed building surface
- or wall other than the street frontage. (4) A transmith a second means of access directly onto a public alley or parking lot may opt to use the wall sign area allocation in 16.18.6 b for the front, rear or combination thereof. The total rear or the total front may not exceed the maximum allowance for front.
- Section 2. This ordinance shall become effective ten (10) days after enactment thereof and publication thereof. A complete copy of the Ordinance is available for purchase or inspection at the Clerk's Office during regular business hours. INTRODUCED: 3/16/92 PUBLISHED: 4/6/92 & 4/16/92

ENACTED: 4/6/92 EFFECTIVE: 4/16/92

(4-6-92 & 4-16-92 NR)

CATHY M. KONRAD, CMC CITY CLERK

# **Changing times bemoaned**

### By STEVE KELLMAN Staff Writer

The times, they are a-changing in

Northville. At least that was the tune sung by community leaders at the Northville Chamber of Commerce's Tuesday morning forum, "Changing Times in Our Community."

City Mayor Chris Johnson, Township Supervisor Betty Lennox and Northville Public Schools Superintendent Leonard Rezmierski all agreed that tough economic times are challenging their efforts to meet the community's needs. In the city, the current \$1-million

budget deficit has led to layoffs, service reductions, and - most impor-tant to merchants - delay of the long-planned expansion of the Cady Street parking deck. To alleviate the parking squeeze in the meantime. Johnson said, the city's Downtown

Development Authority will soon implement a parking management strategy setting aside less prime spaces for store employees and forbidding parking in prime locations until most stores have opened for business.

Johnson asked the merchants for their input on where the employee and restricted lots should be located, and their help in enforcing employee use of the designated lots.

When asked whether the city's police department would ticket cars parked in the restricted areas, he said, "If your car is parked there, you are going to get a ticket . . . Besides, the city needs the revenue."

Lennox praised community participation in the township's recently established Northville 2000 committee. The committee, made up of representatives from the township's 22 subdivisions, has been given the charge of helping officials develop a future needs strategy for the township.

The committee has already proposed a township-wide resident survey, but Lennox said that fiscal constraints may prevent that.

With state pillaging of school revenues becoming a yearly ritual. Re-zmierski said Northville Public Schools needs the 25.41 mills on which Northville residents will vote April 28. The millage request is for 78 mills more than last year.

Rezmierski said the schools need the added revenue to replace that taken by the state as part of its so called "Robin Hood" bill, and that schools face further "velled threats" from Lansing in the form of proposed raiding of Social Security and retirement funds.

What we're telling people is, 'If you're angry and concerned, make sure you direct your anger where it belongs, he said.

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how Selective has handled their subsequent complaints. But one suit was worn by Selective's own attorney, there to defend the development company against charges of construction deficiencies at St. Lawrence.

The city council had called the show-cause hearing following the complaints of St. Lawrence residents at several council meetings. Led by Jim Steckel, head of the homewowners association, residents found fault with the complex's road system. street lights and lack of sidewalks. Individual condominium owners also raised a host of complaints about problems in their own units.

The evidentiary hearing, recorded by a court reporter, was called to take testimony on whether Selective should be barred from further construction at St. Lawrence until deficiencies in the complex's drives and parking areas, street lights and sidewalks are corrected.

Questioning by attorneys for the city, Selective and the St. Lawrence Homeowners Association elicited often-conflicting testaments to the

state of St. Lawrence's roadways and the reasons street lights and sidew-alks were not installed as planned.

Richard Connors of Plunkett & Cooney, on the city's behalf, asked Building Inspector Joe Attard about the streetlight and sidewalk deficiencles. "It's apparent that (streetlights) have not been installed in the amount called for on the site plan and . . . the sidewalks are evidently not installed," Attard said.

Maureen Turner, of the city englneering firm McNeely & Lincoln, told Connors that the firm did not inspect St. Lawrence's roads during construction but did do so later at the city's request. The investigation showed that the base material did not match that shown on the city's site plan," she said.

An initial test boring with an undersized auger did not reveal the specified Michgan Department of Transportation-approved 21AA gravel base, though a follow-up investigation at Selective's request found a base of crushed concrete, she said.

Connors concluded by asking City Manager Gary Word to slap Selective with an administrative order requiring the firm to repair the deficiencies.

and issue a stop-work order if Selective does not comply. But Dean Gould, Selective's attor-

ney, argued that the roads and street lights have not been shown to be deflcient, even if they do differ from the site plan, and that the sidewalks were not installed at the homeowners association's request.

Under Could's questioning, James Oliver of Nage Paving said his company used both crushed concrete and 21AA material in the St. Lawrence roadbed. He said the larger pieces of crushed concrete were used to "bridge and stabilize the subbase.

Oliver, who said his company per-forms between 800 and 1,000 road construction asignments each year. added, "I would say 80 to 90 percent of those jobs are built in this manner. with clean crushed concrete."

Dave Nona of NTH Consultants Ltd., a consulting firm hired by Selective to analyze the roadbed investigations, said, "I don't think there's any evidence that the road was inadequately constructed . . . There is strong evidence that there is structural adequacy or equivalency between what was specified and what there ís.'

Nona also described Nagle Paving's construction technique as "normal," saying, "It is a very normal and acceptable practice in subgrade such as this . . . to first stabilize the subbase with large aggregate and then come in with the 21AA material."

Nona added that the 21AA material could have filtered down into the crushed concrete, making it appear that none was used in a later inspection.

Jim Gibbons, of North Consulting Engineers of Birmingham, drew up the street lighting plans for the site and explained that their heights might vary based on their location. He also said "I can't see a particular need" for underground conduit around the streetlights' electrical cable, a previous point of contention between Selective and the homeowners association.

But Gibbons added that he has not visited St. Lawrence, "so I don't know what's actually installed on the site.

Cal Hall of Calvin Hall & Associates, which prepared the landscape plan showing sidewalks at St. La-wrence, said the plan included a note allowing the installers to deviate from the site plan because of the tightness of certain areas of the site and because site conditions can change over time."

Horowitz himself, when asked by Gould why the sidewalks have not yet been built, said Selective delayed the installation at the request of the development's advisory board, the forerunner to the homeowners association.

"When we began to make plans to install them late last summer or early fall, we were asked by the advisory board not to install them based on the fact that there might be some residents who do not want them installed at all," he said.

He said the request was reiterated in a letter from Robert Meisner, an attorney retained by the homeowners association.

He added that the city was notified of the advisory board's request.

We are still willing, ready and able to install the sidewalks at any time," Horowitz said.

But Steckel, the homeowners association president, said the association wants to see a plan showing where sidewalks would be installed before approving their installation. Steckel, in response to questions

by association attorney Meisner. added that the association's roadway concerns are not limited to the subbase. The edge of the roadway is cracking off in numerous areas, we've had a number of sewers drop six to eight inches, we have water permeating up from under the roadway due to a perceived drainage problem, in my mind . . . and the entire roadway is starting to crack up." he said.

Steckel also listed homeowner concerns about roof drainage onto walkways and driveways, the lack of privacy plantings between units, and a rock retaining wall in the Johnson Drain.

The comments came despite a very strong objection from Gould that Selective had not been informed that anything other than the roads, lights and sidewalks would be on the agenda.

City Manager Word promised to rule on the show-cause hearing within 14 days. The city may issue the developer a compliance notice, an administrative order indicating the deficiencies that must be corrected and the time allowed, or a stop work order halting all further construction until the deficiencies are corrected.





### 14-A-THE NORTHVILLE RECORD-Thursday April 16 1992

# WTUA delays response

### By MIKE TYREE Staff Writer

Western Townships Utilities Authority officials have tossed four Record Freedom of Information Act requests on the back burner because WTUA is too saddled with other FOIA requests, a WTUA spokesperson said Tuesday.

WTUA Director Deloris Newell on Tuesday notified the Record that the utilities authority is extending its re-sponse to four April 8 information requests by 10 business days. This extension is necessary since

the review of the records and the response to your request will be very time-consuming." Newell wrote.

The newspaper asked WTUA to provide information on four topics: information pertaining to the WTUA bond rating: all bills submitted by federal lobbyist Cassidy & Associ-



ates; documents pertaining to the selection of Cassidy & Associates; and expense account records for repayment to WTUA commissioners, employees, and contracted employees.

The 10-day extension, which under state guidelines is permitted time WTUA has asked for additional "under unusual circumstances," will time to gather information for the allow WTUA to wait until April 29 be-

fore response is mandated.

The 10-day extension is not a stalling tactic, said Anita Crone, WTUA administrative assistant.

"No. WTUA is not delaying." she said. "Part of the situation is that yours is not the only agency sending Freedom of Information requests.

Other newspapers and individuals are sending in (requests)," Crone said.

Crone said three WTUA staffers currently are working on 12 FOIA requests. WTUA is handling the requests on a first-come, first-served basis, she said,

Tuesday's extension is the first

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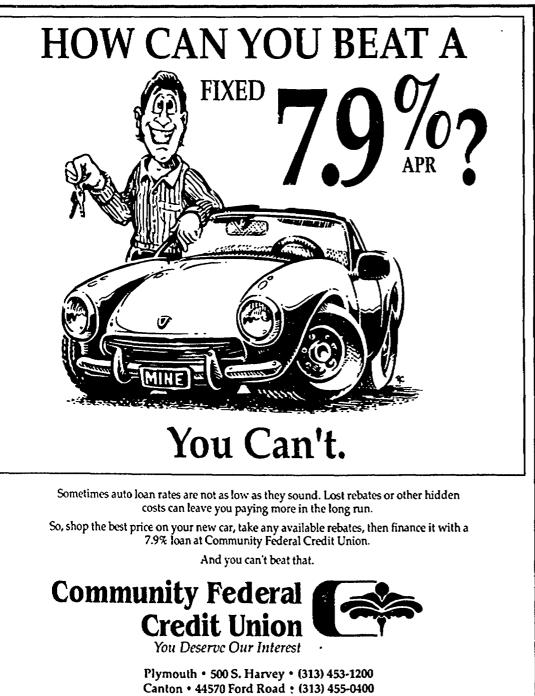
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The City of Northville reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and to waive any informality or irregularity in any proposal in the interest of the City. (4/16/92 NR)



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### Mill Race Matters

It's spring and isn't it lovely. The flowers have begun to bloom at Mill Race Village. This Saturday Rosarians Pat Hibbard and Dora Pepino will stage a rose pruning clinic in the gardens behind our Yerkes House from 1 to 3 p.m. Advance registration is not necessary and there will be no charge for the training. The following Saturday members and friends will join for the annual spring planting/cleanup session at about noon. Be sure to make time for both upcoming events

Also on Saturday, April 25 at noon the Mill Race Docents will meet for their spring luncheon. Participants are asked to bring a salad or dessert. Entertainment will be provided by Kathy Leo, who will read selections for her poetry works. Prospective docents and interested parties are invited to attend.

Special thanks to all host houses at the recently completed Progressive Dinner. The food was excellent and the company couldn't have been better. 158 members and friends spent the evening enjoying the food and the companionship. Appelizers were available in three village buildings: Cady, Church and Yerkes. Dessert finished the evening in three locations: Atchison House with hosts Don Mroz and Sue Lapine, the Beson Home and the Sherkenbach Home. Main course hosis were: Dick and Nancy Bohn, Marlanne and Thom Barry, Mona Harmon-Trogdon, Barb and Bruce Dingwall. Susan and Paul Anker, Barb and Al Glover, Kathy and Jay Hunt, Amy and Jerry Miller, Laurie and Terry Marrs, Dorothy and Don Eden, Sue and Keith Wright, Cheryl and Greg Spinazze, Camilla and Frank Mitchell, and Caroline and Jim Stuart.

Thank-yous also go this week to Dan and Kate Holstein for the Yerkes Tool Box, Susannah Egan Holstein for a Victorian chair and Milton H. Holstein for a Victorian table.

Although the site of Northville's earliest business, the grist mill of John Miller, our Mill Race Village location did not see further expansion at that location. It continued for almost 100 years as exclusively a mill location. The hub of today's city, Main and Center, was even in earliest times the hub of our community. The first two-story frame structures were all built in close proximity to that intersection. Community development itself sprang from there as well. The Wayne County Tract Index points to the earliest subdivision of community property at that local. By 1840 the two blocks east of Center on both sides of Main had been carved up into small pieces of property, as had the block North and South of Main. Cady Street east and west of Center showed similar subdivision and Dunlap east of Center was similarly divided. William Dunlap kept for himself the block today bounded by Dunlap, Randolph, Center and Wing. Similarly Daniel Cady retained the section south of Cady and east of Center for his homestead. Cady and Dunlap were responsible for the first plat of our village in 1841. At that time the Village limits as platted were Randolph to the north, a line just south of Cady to the south, Linden to the West and today's Hutton to the east.

Both the Cady and the Dunlap homestead remain, but much altered from their original form. The Cady Homestead is today an apartment structure just north of the Downs parking lot facing Center. The Dunlap Homestead was turned to face Dunlap and is today the American Legion Hall (It originally faced Center). More about our earliest history next week.

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# Rezmierski defends millage hike

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proposal does not pass April 28?

REZMIERSKI: Well, we don't have an official hit list for publication right now. But we are looking at the fact that we would lose \$2.1 million. That's what the 2.78 constitutes, so if we don't have that, that's not a bloated issue. We would have to then go into the program, into the district's program, and cut out \$2.1 million worth of programs and people and services. Which, any way you look at it, is devastating. And I think that's one of things

we've been hopefully, accurately por-traying to individuals through the 48 millage campaign meetings that having the 22.63 (mills) renewed alone won't do it and that may be the misleading fact - Well, we'll just support the renewal" - and Ive heard that - and that's great except then comes the other shoe falling because, wait a minute: I thought I just gave the renewal; how come you're cutting things out?

Because zero property tax growth this year affects us, all the mandates from the state chip away at the edges and affect us, and of course the big three veiled threats right now that you're aware of - tax base sharing at \$54,000 plus interest; recapturing, or not giving us all of our FICA which they've been doing since '53, would cost us \$600,000 plus; and retirement. Now the only good news on retirement we heard, and this was just as of Wednesday night, was that the governor may hold that till 1993-94. but nonetheless it's coming. So as we look at the threats to our district, those three become ominous to our operation and what we need to defend.

And again, are we just whistling in the dark? Let's look at what happened to us in 1990: In the end of August, we lost \$600,000. Let's look at what happened to us this year: We lost \$25,000 thanks to the FICA recapture, the fifty, and then the taxbase sharing.

We have two years of experience that point out that we can't trust that our revenue picture is as accurate as we think it is going to be ending July 1. And then how do we keep coming back to tell the staff, the parents, the students, the community - ooops. Because the oops wasn't of our making.

As you know, by law the board must pass a balanced budget, which this board has done religiously if you will. every July 1, that says we will not expend more money than we have revenue for, and yes, via strategic planning we will set aside

one percent to build up our fund equity, which is good wise management. We do that.

Then comes the first quarter, early second quarter shock and then we're the ones scrambling trying to explain to people how did this happen. . . We anticipate quite realistically that next fall something else will happen. It may be later because of the ballot proposals in November, it may be, and this is only conjecture, that the legislative body or the governor might walt until after the citizens vote. Then we'll find out again possibly middle of November, end of November here's the next cut. Now, we are very strongly inclined to believe that's true, and we've been informed again and again the state is in deficit to the tune of \$785 million plus; Ive heard figures as high as \$850 million; that's a lot of money. We have already been forewarned that we could look at an executive order cut this May or June to education but that waxes back and forth, and the fact that the governor went to the rainy day fund committee and asked for \$150 million and that we won't get state aid payments in August; they'll be deferred to next fiscal year so they can balance their books. Any way you look at it we are in some very choppy economic times in education not only this year but we think for the next couple of years,

And that's why when you look at this millage campaign and the respect we believe that's in this district it couldn't have been a wiser move on the part of the citizens to the board and the board unanimously saying it's only one year. I've heard that comment, you know, Why are you only doing it for one year? Well, what better protection can we give the citizens than to say we've got to lay this all out again.

Now I can tell you from having done it just this far I would like to continue doing this like Id like a sharp stick in my eye. This is not the way to spend our time, if it's not the (state funding situation), then it's getting prepared for the millage campaign.

So you have to wonder where are we devoting the time to enhancing the program that we . . . should be directing. Well, there are others who are doing it — thank goodness — but we are spending a lot of time on the millage. That's the best protection we can give the citizens, is to come back out again. I know it's painful; I know it's costly, but what better protection

can we give them? Just think: This year's property tax (increase) is zero. If all three or two of those bills don't pass by majority in November, this time next year as everyone is sitting down opening up their property tax envelope — they better be sitting down, because it's the infrastructure. Remember what not going to be just one or two percent - and then here we come out again. Now, if we had a rolled up millage, besides Headlee, we'd be probably sitting in good shape. But no, it's not the advice of the citizens that we have to tell them about if the Governor kicks in retirement, recapture for '93-94, and then where are we at (new elementary school) Thornton Creek We've got to lay it all out. And we have to then tell people where we are with contract settlements and the whole nine yards.

RECORD: Is Thornton Creek on budget?

REZMIERSKI: Yeah, in fact we are very pleased; John (Street) can speak more specifically to it.

STREET: We had the greatest number of bids received, even commented on by Barton Marlow folks. They've never seen 190 bids. We had in excess of 100 people at the board office about a month ago on a Friday (for bid openings). It went three and a half hours because you have to open it in public and read it into the microphone.

REZMIERSKI: Anyways the bottom line is we were able to bring it in under those contracts \$50,000. It's yet early but that's a good sign.

HANSEN: Getting back to your first question. That 2.78 mills in a way is being looked at as an increase because it's above our current millage levy for operating expenses, but now with that tax base it does not translate into an increase into any new programs. It's necessary to cover our current programs with the growth that we are experiencing and then just to continue some of the things in the Strategic Plan and as those citizens and the strategic planning committee went over all the budget projections, really that 2.78 increase, if that's how you want to look at it -- although it should not be stated like that - really amounts to a cut in program for us.

And this is one of the reasons why we are having it as a single issue rather than a double issue, because there is no new programs in there that have not been started. It's a continuation of what we are doing. things that have been building up.

**REZMIERSKI:** I've been here long enough, for 16 years, to see what happens when we go by cheaply if you will. When we don't build in the able rate. For example, taking care of the infrastructure. Remember what happened at the high school. Instead of putting the money back in 76 a little bit, a little bit, a little bit; no, we didn't have the money, cut corners, cut corners, cut corners, and what happened was we needed \$9 million to renovate It. Now, we would have needed a chunk of change to do the things we would have wanted to do anyhow, but the point was we really let it build up. We can't do that. That's not good business. That's why what we are asking for as part of this millage corresponds to the strategic planning. These are the things only that the strategic planning committee. Strategy 1 and the entire strategic planning committee and the board unanimously, by consensus, supported.

We went from zero, no increase, to the maximum, which all of this maximized out would be 4.6 (mills). Neither extreme received consensus support at all. Frankly, 4.6, we know that would have been an overload to what's a devastating situation for many people in the community, and frankly we might not have had all the people in the right spot to pull it off anyhow. That's an awful lot of things to try to do.

Zero, on the other hand, is again that \$2.1 million loss and now what do we tell people about cutting out programs, cutting out staff, reducing this, reducing that.

They comprised and came to that odd number of 2.78. That's what keeps the programs going. It's no new things. It's all things we have and things we will hold on to and things that may be held on for a couple of years because we are not in the position financially or personnel wise to do it. But that's all the things in strategic planning.

**RECORD:** What about growth potential?

REZMIERSKI: We've just been given new information that down here on Beck between Eight and Nine Mile we didn't know about two Fridays ago - 89 homes - so we're going to have growth there in the next couple of years. And then frankly when Mount Skimore gets finished, the dump on Six Mile, and that gets converted to something, then this Six Mile corridor, we are told, will be just a mere image of the Nine Mile. So when you look at the district, our growth potential is astronomical.

In fact, the 125 kids we're projected to receive next year, our build-

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Date Thursday, April 30, 1992

Time: 7:30 p.m. Place: 41600 Six Mile Road

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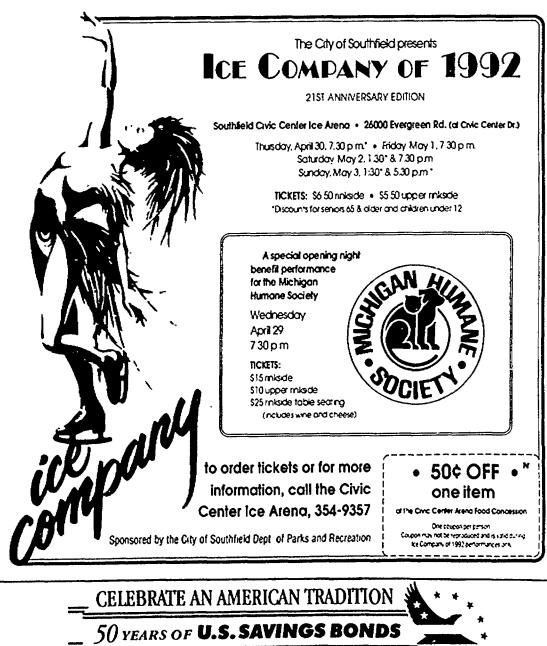




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# Schools face several threats from state

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ing administrators double checked that with parents and people in the community and with the builders there, saying, 'If you moved in how many kids did you have? because all we have is numerical statistics from Stanford which is out of Michigan State, which is very reliable. But our projections through the turn of the century, barring any other setbacks we are not aware of, is up, up, up, up,

STREET: In 85-86 we were at a low point in enrollment; we had 3,254. In 92-93 we are projecting 4,154 students, which is 3-3.5 percent increase each year.

**REZMIERSKI:** We have to hire the teachers. That's not new for us: it's business as usual. Unfortunately those 125 magical number of kids don't come where we have the openings. They're not 10 second-graders and 15 fifth-graders. From experience we'll probably be in the range of adding at least five, six, maybe more depending on support.

**RECORD:** Can you break down for us, of the \$2.1 million that results from the added mills, how much of that will be added costs from new students and how much will be expecting bad things at the state?

RE2MIERSKI: Well, again it would be at a minumum of five new teachers to eight. That's pretty standard. That's with fringes, about \$300,000 with salary when you multiply the fringe factor in there.

The mandates from the state; well. tax-base sharing for one, that's not a mandate, that's an issue, but that's already \$54,000, 4.85 percent interest that we've lost or at least it's in limbo. I don't know what our projections are next year but it's going to be somewhere in that area that we are going to float that amount of money we'll have to protect.

The other factor is losing all of the FICA which is \$600,000 plus. That's on the drawing boards, whether again it's dribbled or taken all at once we stand vulnerable to lose it all.

Again, it would be fair to say the retirement, but then to be brutally honest about that we've been told it may be slid to '93-94. That is \$839,000 plus to us so if they take five percent on retirement and that 7.65 percent on FICA, that's what we lose. That's what we've always had since the late '50s.

in the education of kids. And that's a pool of money that obviously with vulnerable there.



Leonard Rezmierski

lage in anticipation of these kind of cuts. If they come, they come out of what we have.

HANSEN: We don't think we could go to the voters and say we are increasing our millage by \$600,000 because we are afraid of what the state will cut. However, he (Engler) has said he was going to do it and with his \$800-million deficit we are pretty sure it's going to happen.

In that last couple of years we have cut from the budget close to \$1 million because of what the state has done. But we've not cut programs in this. In some places, people have re-tired and they have not been replaced, but no program has been cut. We have not increased our class teacher per-pupil ratio because of those surprise cuts. So when you look at a budget of say \$23 million. 80-85 percent of that budget is people. We've cut out close to \$1 million from the other 15 percent of the budget and now we are getting down pretty tight.

Now we've used some bond money for roofs and for buying buses in the last couple years. What that did was freed up some money that otherwise could have been used for operational expenses and allowed us to put that into instruction. But now all that bond money is gone. We have to continue to keep the buses running and the roofs finished so what we have to do now is take operational money back say from instruction to capital outlay portion so this is hitting us doubly in some senses. That is why or just one example of why this increased millage rate is not going to increase programs.

RECORD: If I'm hearing this cor-But that's been the agreement rectly, a large part of the need for the with the state in all local districts .- higher rate is just increasing costs for That's their share of the involvement what's happening? Is that fair to say?

**REZMIERSKI:** Yes, a lot of it is their debt issue they see as a chance that and equally maintaining what to balance things out. So we stand we have. Some people have brought up why don't you use your fund



Jean Hansen

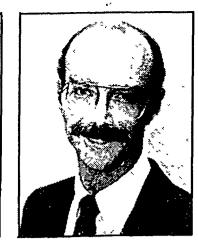
come in as we predicted and as we are watching we will have \$575,000. Well, that's good except we really want to have \$2 million and why we want to have that or better is because we know, historically, this will happen again. Now maybe in the year 2001 or 2002, we can't quite predict when, but this will repeat. We want to be able to be as a district wise enough to have squirreled it away, legally, appropriately, so that we can then override a situation of this magnitude.

Like your family, would you take and deplete all of your savings? No. you would want to keep some things and you'd cut back on others. And that's what we are attempting. We're looking at every aspect of our operation from these infrastructure items. program Items, to salary contracts and telling people it's not business as usual.

The fact that we are looking at staffingissues at people — not classroom teachers, because adding kids means we are not going to be able to hold back on teachers because we need teachers — but all the rest of us, if you will.

As people have informed us they are going to retire, our first operation is positions are frozen, second operation is how can we consolidate them. We look at those persons, aspects of their jobs, redefine them, evaluate whether another department or another group of people can do it and then do it.

Now in some cases that may mean we aren't going to be doing some things as we normally did. Well, very frankly that's okay and that's more than okay when you look at all the mandates we keep getting from the state and we are looking at who we are going to free up to keep monitoring them. Those folks are micromanaging us into debt. The issue here is that we are inundated between time, effort, and money to keep putting up with Washington, Lansing issues.



John Street

HANSEN: That's one area where I think Northville really has an advantage over any other district that I know of. We have this Strategic Plan. We know the direction we are going in, and we can look at these things coming out and we can see how they fit into our plan or if they don't fit our plan. We are backed by research, it's knowledge-based. We aren't going to be intimated by all these things because we have a solid course.

Some of the good parts about this school district is, for example, we pay \$5,800 per student. This is less than what many of the surrounding districts pay for kids. At the same time, if you want to take standardized tests, we are above most of those districts. There is no district in the State of Michigan that pays less per kid but whose kids score higher on standardized tests than Northville. And that has to say something about the way we are spending our money.

It's very easy for somebody to say, Oh. you are administratively topheavy or that you're inefficient here. But if you can take some solid facts and show them, okay, with all that we spend on kids and this is our total budget and the total number of kids, and if we can get this kind of results with a lot less money than many others districts who get worse results, then you've got to be doing a lot of things right here.

**RECORD:** What about the campaign strategy and making the millage request a single ballot question?

**REZMIERSKI:** Well the citizens and the board. I guess after looking at all the options, could not warrant that we would have one ballot that would say 22.63 and another that would say 2.78 and if the 22.63 passes and the 2.78 falls, how do we tell the community that we just lost \$2.1 million? As it is people are confused. We are trying to clear that air up on the money issue. How does it get to be



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25.41 mills, which is what we are talking about. Well, that's the base with 2.78 added makes it 25.41. Many people looked at it. The citi-

zens advisory committee that studied it for a month and a half, the strategic planning for one whole night, and the board finance committee and the full board. Now we are talking January 1 through March 9, there was a unanlmous decision that it would have to combined in one because that's what we need.

If it's not adding the staff we need for the growth, all of those things rolled together with the veiled what-if threats from Lansing, we couldn't operate any other way.

RECORD: If it does fail on the 28th, obviously the board is seven individuals, but Jean, you at least were nodding that you would favor coming back with the same proposal. In one sense you've spent the last 45 minutes answering this, but why would you do that? You've explained why you're coming with that given proposal, but if the voters come out and say, for whatever reason, no, why not come back with a lower proposal?

HANSEN: I don't even know what that would mean. The only reason we'd come back with a lower proposal would be if you cut staff. There's no other way to do this but by cutting people. Couple of million dollars that's a lot of people. That means class size, 45 kids in the class, I mean our schools aren't even set up for that. I mean it's inconceivable to me to be part of a school district that would run under those conditions.

If, by some chance, it doesn't pass, we are going to have call the citizens committee back and we are going to really take a hard look at what the alternatives are and then the community and these people who spent hours scrutinizing this budget are going to have to have some sort of consensus on what are going to do next. Now I'm not even speaking as a board member but as a person, because I cannot conceive of a district that would have to face those kinds of cuts.

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### Letters/Northville Schools millage

# Residents debate school millage proposal issues

### Maintain our excellence

A letter to the city and township citizens of Northville:

My family and I have lived in Northville for over three and one half years now and have enjoyed a school system that is far superior to that of our previous home in Irvine, Calif. (which was rated one of the highest in Southern California during our 11 years of residence.)

We made the decision to leave with the opportunity of transfer after seeing the classroom/teacher ration skyrocket from 35 to an average of 42 to 45 children to one teacher with no teacher's aide. Obviously, for apparent reasons, our first choice for relocation was strongly centered around a school system.

Don't let the children or their school programs be held hostage by a situation that was handed to our school district by the State of Michigan. The current state of the economy and political climate is slowly shifting the brunt of anger. confusion, and frustration to issues at risk — that being the education of our children. Letters to the proper representatives in our state government do make a difference - but only you can exercise that right.

We as an intelligent and involved community owe it to ourselves to get accurate information to make an informed decision facing the future of education in this community. It would be sad to see a district like Northville take a sudden step backward for not taking an honest, straightforward look at the facts before casting ballots relating to the millage vote this month. Susan Brattina

### Tax base is our problem

#### To the editor:

In reference to all the arguments in suppor of and against a millage renewal for our schools in Northville, I don't understand how those against can continue to ignore the main reason we're in this finacial position.

We are not top-heavy in administration: An example of this is the education of Northville school fact that our two middle schools share a vice principal. In addition, at Cooke Middle School one

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Teachers are not, and have

never been, overpaid. I am not a teacher but in the six years my children have attended Northville schools they have had the good fortune to have been taught by an excellent teacher in every single grade. These are teachers who come in early, stay late, spend weekends planning a creative curriculum, and give 100 percent every day.

I'm tired of hearing how teach-ers' salaries and benefits should be limited. Physicians don't lower their fees during a recession. Their patients continue to pay high fees ecause we value what they do. I think it's time we look at our priorities. How much do we value the people in whose care we leave our children for most of their young lives? Our attitudes about money spent on education are reflective of society's attitude toward children in general.

And then, of course, there's the opposite extreme. The parents who want an alternative classroom for their children when they object to the state mandated curriculum. Who's going to pay for that?

The answer is Northville property owners. The bottom line is that Northville doesn't have a commercial tax base like that of Novi, Plymouth, Livonia, etc. There isn't the industry here to share the burden of educating our children. There re still more subdivisions being built and more children moving in to be educated. But still no industry.

So, ultimately it boils down to this: If we care about our children we'll give the teaching profession and the education process proper respect, and here in Northville we'll pay for it. If we don't, our children will pay for it in the future.

If you're angry about paying higher taxes, put the anger where it belongs. Be angry when you step into a voting booth and vote for politicians who will revise this antiquated system of paying for education. If we don't, our children will pay for it in the future? Were

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To the editor:

A few years ago John F. Kennedy said. "Ask not what your country can do for you - ask what you can do for your country." This quote might aptly be applied to the Northville School Board: "Ask not what your local school board can do to provide quality education - ask what taxpayers can do for the school board." The answer, of course, is to give the board more money.

Does quality education always have to depend on more funding? I think not. My children have, and are, currently receiving quality education in the Northville school system. Without a doubt, I attribute the quality to the sincere dedication and professional qualifications of their classroom teachers: from primary through secondary grades.

This quality has persisted in spite of the inflated spending which has occurred over the years for non-classroom staffing and nonacademic programs.

The educational system in America is currently being challenged on many fronts: children in Europe, Japan and China spend more than 25.3 percent of their funds on non-classroom related cost (Northville reported spending 30.2 percent.)

And how did Mr. Rezmierski and the school board respond to the above challenges? To my knowledge, no Northville school board member has ever suggested in-creasing instructional time or days. Instead, we have been told that if Northville schools don't get more money, class sizes will increase, busing to school will be compromised, there will be cuts in athletics and on and on.

In repsonse to the possibility of being penalized \$10 per student by the state for excessive nonclassroom related spending. Mr. Rezmierski states, Those figures are deceiving." This spending report was provided by the school board

to the state: Apparently Mr. Re-zmierski and the board need more time to reorganize their data so the figures don't look quite so bad. To date, I do not feel that the

Northville school board has tried hard enough to assure quality education in a cost-effective manner. Instead the board uses scare tactics and political rhetoric in order to perpetuate a costly, escalating system that primarily benefits themselves, not the students. I'm voting no to the millage increase because I believe the Northville school board and Mr. Rezmierski are trying to sell us a costly bill of the goods that has nothing to do with education. I won't buy it.

Patricia Custer Editor's note: Custer is a school board candidate.

### Request is unnecessary

To the editor:

I am writing as a resident of Novi who lives in the area of the city lying within the Northvile School District. My family has paid Northville school taxes each year, beginning in 1969.

In the last few years, I have be-come increasingly concerned with the actions of the Northville school board in increasing taxes. Rather than just renew an expiring millage, the board now seeks to increase its tax rate by more than 12 percent. Rather than have two ballot proposals, one merely for renewal and the other for its desired increase, it is trying, as evidenced by its printed campaign literature, to scare taxpayers by trotting out the old "schools won't open in September" unless you approve our millage proposal on April 28.

I have taken time to read the board's defense of its position for the higher millage rate, looked at its statistics, talked to past and current students, studied current and proposed budgets, and considered the general economic conditions prevailing in our community as well as taxpayers' ability to pay. I

note that Novi the property tax as-sessment Board of Review adopted property assessment guidelines this year, which made it terribly more difficult to get homestead tax relief through reduced assessment, as provided by Michigan law 211.7U.

I have concluded that our school board's request is unnecessary and excessive. I will vote "No" and hope that affected Novi property owners will do likewise. After rejec-tion on April 28, the board then will justified submit a new, more realistic millage proposal for our approval. It won't allow for the proposed whopping salary increases for staff, fa-culty and administration. Such income increases have not been received by any of the taxpayers I have spoken with lately. Bruce W. Butske

### How can you ask for more?

To the editor:

I have only written one other letter to the editor in 35 years, and that was to praise the post office. I don't see how you can talk mil-

lage increase for the schools when everyone is retrenching and digging in. When you increase our property taxes, as we try to get ready for retirement, where does that leave a fixed-income couple? Every dollar you take out of our retirement is less for medicine and hospital insurance which is going up every year. We must draw a line.

I am concerned; they say taxes cannot be raised unless certain things are done or are overridden. Yet here they are again.

Where does one just x a box saying. No tax increase, no teachers' pay increase, no administration raises.

Taxes are increased when property sells for more than the previous owner paid. That ain't surplus. happening.

Most companies say, this is our

income: what do we have to do to live within our cash flow? You say. how can we raise our taxes to adjust to our wants and wishes? Trying to make sense of it all,

Robert H. Stone

# Increase not

#### To the editor.

I am a junior at Northville High School and I feel that the millage increase is a bad idea. From my experience in elementary school, at the middle school and the high school, I don't see how the school board can justify an increase.

The teachers don't pay enough attention to the students and their needs. I have sat through classes where the teacher doesn't answer the student's questions and they wonder why our grades are low. I have sat through classes where the teacher lets students take the last half hour of class off because they don't feel like teaching. Yet they want more money. Why should our parents have to pay more taxes while teachers get automatic pay raises for teaching only five hours a day, nine months a year?

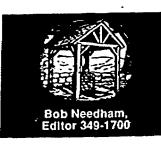
The administration isn't much better. When I have tried to talk to the assistant principals it's been like talking to a brick wall. The only good that comes from talking to an administrator is the comfort from sitting in their air-conditioned office.

My parents' tax dollars have been put to bad use and won't be put to better use by voting yes on April 28. Let's not forget this is the same board who threatened to cut many programs last year because of a lack of money, while having close to a \$600,000 budget

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# RECORD **OPINION**



### **Our Opinion**

# District library issue off to a positive start

Things are off dead center, and that alone is a step in the right direction.

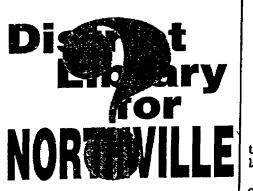
After years of worrying and talking about the Northville Public Library's funding situation, the last few weeks have seen some quick action to explore alternatives. Most recently, the Library Advisory Commission took its plan to establish a district library committee before the township board. The board had a lot of questions, but ended up approving the concept on the spot.

The city has not yet considered the commission's proposal, and all the appointments to the new group have yet to be made. So putting an actual proposal up for a vote - which is the ultimate goal of all this activity - is at least a few months off.

To repeat, though, things are certainly moving, which is a definite change for the better.

As we've said before, a district library may or may not turn out to be the way to go here. The concept touches off lots of questions: Do we want another local unit of elected government? Would the overall tax burden increase? (The answer to that is almost certainly yes, but by how much?) Would the library's funding stabilize? Would the library be more or less likely to be able to accomplish its expansion?

The district library concept, used successfully in Plymouth and elsewhere, has been talked about for years in Northville, usually in private, as a distant possibility; a far-off concept to someday.



maybe, take seriously. But it always seemed too unlikely a possibility to spend much time really exploring questions like these.

Well, the time is now upon us. Thanks to a handful of activists on the advisory commission and among the Friends of the Library, the entire community can spend the next few months figuring out the appropriate answers.

Of course, the momentum which has started building needs to continue. Moving forward to put the issue before voters deserves full support. We're glad to see the Library Advisory Commission take this step, and we're glad to see the township board back it up. We look forward to the city following suit, to the appointment of committee members, and to some frank and thorough discussion of the issues.

Will Rogers said that even if you're on the right track, you get run over if you just sit there. The Northville community is on the right track to settle a longstanding issue; let's keep moving along it.

# **Tim Richard** Lansing lawyers even worse

\*Some high-class columnist you are!"

When Lem Messee, the retired outdoors writer, begins a phone conversation that way, I know I'm due for an earful.

His aspersions on my ability to influence our public officials struck me to the quick. "Go ahead," I told him, hunkering down.

You wrote a column coupla years back about our crazy fishing regulations - all the footnotes and that," he said. "It was slick, but it didn't budge them Lansing

lawyers. This year's regulations are worse than ever." I had barely glanced at the 1992 Fishing Guide, noting only that the print job was bad, almost as if the Department of Natural Resources didn't want you to read it. Corporations

do that — use small gray type — when they've had a losing year. But you expect governmental rules to be printed clearly. "Look at pages 12-13, the centerfold," Lem went on. There's one extra reference to 'see regulations by county,'

under bass. And there's a new note under the daily creel limit for sturgeon." That bugs Lem, who started fishing as a kid when the

guide was one simple chart with columns for the species, season, size limit and creel limit. Today the guide is 24 pages. and the centerfold has 18 footnotes, plus the references to county regulations.

Look at the cover - the picture of the sunfish leaping from the water to get a popper. You ever see a sunfish break water? A sunfish slurps down a popper. Picture's phony.

"And look where they got it. It tells on page 3," he said. Sure enough, the picture credit was a Minnesola library. With all the wildlife artists we have in Michigan, our DNR was buying a Minnesota picture of a stuffed sunfish breaking water.

\*Look at the rules changes on page 4 - a full dozen of 'em.' Lem shouted. "Get this: "Fishing restricted to single hooks not larger than % inches pt. to shank in the Bear and Boyne Rivers.' How's a body to remember what size hook is illegal on two particular streams? Ain't realistic. Hell's bells, you gotta read the durn 24-page pamphlet for every lake and stream in the state!"

I didn't argue.

Turn to page 15 - the spearing ban rules. Here's where you really fell down on the job, Mr. High-Toned Newspaperman," he said. Lem Mesee holds the press personally responsible for the deterioration at DNR.

\*First it tells you that the listed lakes are closed to spearing. Then in parentheses it says, no, they're not closed to spearing carp May 1 to Aug. 15. Then there's an exception for spearing pike on lakes with a plus sign.

Then it lists certain lakes in darker type where hook and line fishing is restricted to the Last Saturday in April to Nov. 30 for pike and muskle. Then it says that lakes with an asterisk have a 30-inch size limit for pike.

\*So tell me what you can do on Lake Hudson in Lenawee County. It's in dark type, there's an asterisk, and on top of that there's a footnote.

I didn't know, but I had an answer. 'I was there last year. Never got a bite. Skip Lake Hudson.\*

Lem was winding down. "You got rules for tagged salmon, ice shanties, unlawful methods, snagging, netting, definitions, special regs for the Sylvania Wilderness, Wisconsin boundary waters, extended season trout streams, spearing, lake trout refuges (in a special publication called CFI 104), designated trout lakes, four pages of special regs by counties and three pages of fish consumption advisories. No matter what you do, you're likely to break a rule."

Then why do you still go fishing?" I asked.

"Heck, the way the state is cuttin' back on game wardens along with welfare and the arts and mental hospitals - not much chance of getting caught if I make an honest mistake," the sage replied. "John Engler wasn't kiddin' when he said he'd give us less government."

Tim Richard reports on the local implications of state and regional news.



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rould not be paid enough to make them financially dependent on getting re-elected and. thereby, on special interest groups.

This is where the overwhelming influence of special interest money comes in. Consider:

More than \$6.6 million was contributed by special interest PACs to our state legislators during the 1990 election.

The average member of the House took 68 percent ... total campaign expenditures from PACs while the average senator took 56 percent. This means the average representative relied on individuals for only 22 percent of their campaign contributions.

Ever wonder why our Legislature seems more interested in special interests, PACs and lobbyists than you? Look no further.

So the second device is public funding of election campaigns.

The more radical version is public funding of all elections to the Legislature. Give each incumbent and nominated challenger X dollars. Ban other expenditures. My lawyer friends tell me that's likely to violate the First Amendment.

So support the Michigan Common Cause proposal to require matching contributions from individuals for each dollar in PAC money spent by candidates. It's half a loaf, but it's better than what we have.

Phil Power is chairperson of the company that owns this newspaper. His award winning column appears periodically.

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States concludes: "The amount o time a legislature spends in session and the level of compensation

paid to its members have a direct impact on the type of member found in legislative bodies. Those states with longer sessions and higher salaries have, for the most part, a larger number of members that consider the legislature their career.'

Michigan's Legislature convenes every year in January and recesses in December, with several breaks. We taxpayers pay them \$45,450 per year, third highest in the country, plus generous fringes and perks.

In contrast, Vermont legislators are paid \$6,650 annually; North Carolina, \$11, 124 a year. Those legislatures meet only in odd-numbered years.

Minnesota legislators are paid \$26,385 and meet for 120 days in odd-numbered years. Indiana legislators are paid \$11,600 and meet 61 days in odd-numbered years and 30 days in even-numbered years.

Are those states worse off than Michigan because they lack the constant vigilance of a full-time legislature? Plainly, no.

Why would a part-time legislature improve things? I see four reasons:

First, legislators would truly be citizen politicians instead of careerists. They would have real jobs, spend time with the people they represent, and reflect the people instead of the values of an entirely political culture.

Second, more and better people could serve if they didn't

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### Letters

# Paper sinks to bottom of sewer

### To the editor.

Mike Tyree has been writing a series of articles titled "Out of the ewer." Clever title, but now he and his editor. Bob Needham, have slipped and fallen into the bottom of the sewer with their latest journalistic endeavor. Last Thursday night after the Township Board of Trustees meeting, Mr. Tyree expressed his amazement that I was not incensed at Georgina Goss for the Chuck Keys, Abe Munfakh affair. Well, I am incensed by the fact that Mr. Tyree and editor Needham would stoop to becoming the apparent lackeys of Mr. Keys in what appears to be a private business deal gone awry between Mr. Keys and Mrs. Coss. The main evidence was a check which mysteriously ap-

peared in Mike's possession. I asked Mike, Where did you get a copy of the check?" He replied, "I received it in an envelope." It doesn't take a genius to figure out the two most likely places were the person who wrote it or the person who received it. High-class investigative reporting revealed that Mr. Keys had been short-changed on a private matter between himself and Mrs. Goss. As was stated in the Record, she had no authorization from the Township Board to contract for PR work on the police millage (Mr. Keys must have been fully aware that she had no authorization to spend tax dollars on PR work based upon the previous problem with the fire department millage.) Therefore, it was a private matter. Any citizen is allowed to campaign for or against a proposal. She chose to support the police millage as did many other private citizens who contributed to the "Supporters of Police Millage." Further on in his article Mike Tyree stated, "The letter and check were signed by Sally A. Williams - wife of township trustee Donald Williams." Mike failed to mention that Mrs. Williams was treasurer of "Supporters of Police Millage," and had every right to sign that check. The addition of "wife of Trustee Donald Williams" was put in there soley to imply hanky-panky. If Dawn Needham had written the check, would Mike have written "Wife of Editor Bob Needham?" Cheap shot, Mike.

Since Messrs. Tyree and Needham have expressed their scenario on the PR work done for the Township Fire Department millage, let me try my scenario. Granted, some of my scenario is based upon facts and some speculation, the same as theirs. FACT: The township published a newsletter, and part of this letter urged the public to support a millage for the fire department. It was brought to the Township Board's attention that the township did not have a right to use taxpayers' funds to urge support of a millage. The Township Board had two options: 1. Ignore the situation and let it die. 2. Rectify the situation. As I recall, Supervisor Goss wanted to rectify the situation and told the Board that it would be paid for some other way. SPECULA-TION: Mr. Munfakh, who stated that he is a political activist (as evidenced by his recent letter to the editor), called Supervisor Goss and volunteered to help her out of the jam by paying Mr. Keys' company. **Guldnunc**.

FACT: The Northville Record has publishing numerous articles attacking now Representative Goss. SPECULATION: What if Mr. Keys, who claimed to have been shortchanged on a private deal between he and Supervisor Coss over the police millage campaign, just happened to have a copy of a check from Ayres, Lewis, Norris, and May paying his firm, Quidnunc, for the fire department PR work. Since it appeared he would not get the balance of his money for "Supporters of the Police Millage" job, he saw an opportunity to get even by supplying a copy of the check to the Record and adding fuel to the Records attack on Representative Goss. FACT: I don't know which scenario is true because both of them are built on circumstantial evidence. I am not accusing Mr. Keys of actually doing this. I have used him to illustrate there could be another side of the story.

Now we have Editor Bob Needham who admits to being the author of the editorial in the Thursday. April 9 paper. Bob begins the editorial by writing. The negative revelations about the running of Northville Township government reached a new low this week." Nice innuendo. Bob, implying that township government is still running at a new low, even when the accused (Mrs. Goss) hasn't been in township government for seven months. In the fourth paragraph, Bob writes, "What does this mean? What exactly happened? It's easy to speculate, but we're trying to refrain from that. It seems inescapable, though, that Goss asked the engineers to pay this debt of the township's.'

First Bob tells his readers that he will refrain from speculating but in the same paragraph proceeds to tell the "truth" as he speculates. All without any facts to back his speculation.

Next comes paragraph eight. Here good old Bob gets into more speculation and adds another innuendo for good measure. He writes, "Goss hired Quindnunc for another PR project of more far-reaching scope. This time, there was no question that the Township Board had to know about the campaign. Yet the hiring came before any presentation to the Board, and in fact Quidnunc submitted an initial bill for the second project before the balance of the Board even knew the company had been hired." Sone-of-a-gun, the Township Board was clairvoyant and knew all about it before it was told.

In the next paragraph Editor Bob takes one more step lower into the sewer when he states, "The Supervisor spent money on town-ship projects without the board's approval, and that's inexcusable." Well. Bob needs to get his facts straight. All checks issued by Northville Township require the Board's approval first. That was never given so township money was never spent!

There are just too many facts missing from both scenarios. I have been trained as an engineer and learned to deal with facts. There is a saying around work, "Without facts you are just another person with an opinion." Publishing opinions as "fact" is dangerous because Messrs. Tyree and Needham have just appointed themselves judge and jury and conducted a trial in the newspaper.

With hindsight, what may have been an innocent action now certainly appears to be a perceived conflict of interest. Was it done innocently or maliciously? With the facts to date, I don't know and neither do Bob and Mike.

These two "journalists" have for months been telling their readers how corrupt and unethical the Township Board is with few facts to back it up. How about Bob and Mike's ethics? They seem substan-dard to me. People that tell stories based upon some truth and with added speculation to fill in the gaps are called "gossips."

Doesn't it seem strange that the Township Board can do nothing right, just create one screw-up after another? When was the last time something positive was written about the Board? Recently, a concerned couple decided to attend a board meeting to find just what dastardly deeds were being whipped up by the Township Board. At the beginning of the meeting the gentleman severly chastised the Board for its muddling ways, referencing Mike Tyree's articles. At the conclusion, he stood up and said, "I fail to find anything negative for Mike Tyree to write about tonight." I'll give you one guess who did not write a negative article that week. Poor Mikel

have told both Mike Tyree and Bob Needham personally that if the Board does something wrong, criticize us for it, but I also expect that when we do something right, that it also should be reported. When I ship executive committee, not by the told this to Editor Bob on the tele- supervisor alone.

phone all I received was a mumbled concurrence that this was fair. Interestingly, the negativism stopped for a few weeks.

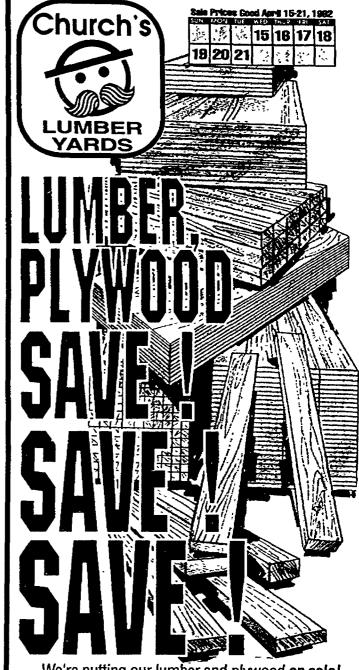
Several times in the past when Mike Tyree has asked me my thoughts about a certain issue and when I expressed an opinion different than his, he puts on this deep frown and says, 'You don't really. believe that, do you?" If I didn't believe it, I wouldn't say it. I am not a political animal. A recent editorial expressed the concern that I come to the defense of the township board's action too frequently. Just maybe it is because I was there, have done my homework and actually participated in the action. Since I didn't agree with Mr. Tyree, I was being too defensive. Strangely, in a democracy I though I was entitled to have an opinion of my own. What power has Mike been given to assure that he is never wrong? Every issue has two sides, or it wouldn't be an issue. According to Mike and Bob there is only one side. Theirs! Have you ever noticed, they are never wrong. Reading their articles leads me to believe they assume every issue must have a sinister plot behind it.

The Township Board has made some mistakes over the past years and has been rightfully chastised for it. I know of no one on the Township Board who spends any time trying to find a way to pull the wool over the public's eyes. In fact, a great deal of time is spent putting issues up front, because hiding them would only lead to a major disaster later. Unfortunately all Board members share a common trait: We're all human and not infallible.

I have to wonder where the management of The Northville Record has been when a reporter and editor choose to become judge and jury and subsequent lackeys of a dispute between two citizens. The executive editor, Phil Jerome, has told us weekly where he has been - down at the drugstore trying to buy a magazine that is sold from under the counter and playing Pac-Man at the local saloon. The time has arrived for Executive Editor Phil Jerome and Vice President/ **General Manager Richard Periberg** to decide if they want The Northville Record to return to a policy of fair factual reporting or to become the local edition of the National Enquirer.

Richard E. Allen

Editor's note: Guidnunc's work for the fire department was not for a millage request, but rather for a letter about a change in ambulance companies. For the police millage, guidnunc was hired by the town-



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# Editorial requires clarification

#### To the editor:

As a resident of St. Lawrence Estates and an elected member of the Homeowner's Association Board of Directors, I would like to address some of the issues expressed in the editorial St. Lawrence scuffle masks real concerns\* printed in the Record opinion section on April

The homeowner-elected Board of Direcors only recently assumed responsibility from the developer, the Selective Group. Members were elected with the mandate to protect the value of homes within the development and that has been the only objective. That is what we are struggling to accomplish. There are no personal agendas or vendettas agbainst the developer. The Board Members are not compensated,

and most of have willingly given countless personal hours in performing their duties.

All the St. Lawrence residents willingly and specifically chose to live in the City of Northville. Its first-rate reputation most likely influenced the choice of many homeowners. As taxpayers and citizens, we, the homeowners, believe it is our right to look to the city to respond to our concerns. We do not appreciate the depiction (in your editorial) that "city officials have been dragged kicking and screaming into the mess.

The City of Northville Planning Commission approved a site plan for our development. Our concern is that the development meet all specifications detailed in that site plan. We look to the city for help in ensuring enforcement of all site plan specifications. This is our real and only concern. We were pleased that the city called the Selective Group to a "show cause" hearing last Friday regarding construction deficiencies.

Let me state again for the record. the homeowners of St. Lawrence Estates are not attempting to force the city into accepting our streets and public roads. We merely want our private roads to meet specifications and survive to a reasonable life expectancy. If not adequately addressed and corrected by the developer, this concern may cost the homeowner hundreds of thou-

sands of dollars in the near future. The Board of Directors is working diligently to avoid this potential outcome.

Another open construction issue addressed in your editorial also needs to be clarified: Downspouts discharging over walkways and driveways are not "seemingly minor items." Ice caused by such poorly placed downspouts could be a major safety hazard, and the Homeowner's Association could potentially be liable to an injured party. (Specification regarding downspouts are in the site plan.)

7/16" - 4'x8'

Thank you for this opportunity to clarify these issues.

Linda E. Schweinus

### Mary Ellen King/Northville Youth Assistance

# Setting goals builds self-esteem



Building your child's self-esteem is one of the most important jobs of parents. Parents can help to build their child's self-esteem by listening and talking to them, giving them positive feedback, spending time with them and teaching

them to be responsible. Yet another way to help build your child's self-esteem is to encourage them to set goals.

Setting goals, developing talents and recog-

nizing positive attributes will help bolster a child's self-image. Every goal - big or small will show your children that they have the power to accomplish what they want to do. Also another self-confidence booster.

Help your children set realistic goals. They will gain confidence in learning to "walk" before they "run."

Help them understand that you expect them to perform at a level appropriate for their age and ability. Challenges that are too difficult leave them open for disappointment and frustration.

Provide a wide range of activities for your children, so they can find and develop their own talents and interests. Knowing they have their

own talents will help them when they feel insecure or inadequate.

Remember that winning isn't everything. The fact that they try their hardest is what is most important. Let them know that "coming in first" isn't as important as doing their best. Let your children know that you will be there to cheer them on when they try again.

If you have any questions about goal setting or you feel your child's self-esteem could be bolstered, call 344-1618. We are your community resource for help.

Mary Ellen King is the director of Northville Youth Assistance.

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# RECORD **OUR TOWN**



# Readership survey

Dear readers: May 14, 1992 marks the second anniversary of the Monday edition of The Northville Record. The staff of the newspaper thought this would be an ideal time to reflect on the progress we've made as a twiceweekly publication --- where we are and where we're going, with both our Monday and Thursday editions.

To do that, we need your help. On this page is a survey asking your opinion about the various items you regularly see in the Record. We hope you'll take a few minutes to consider the items and

offer your opinion on them. Getting your opinions in a format like this should help us see how we can do a better job making your community newspaper the best it

### can be.

We'll share the results of the survey in an upcoming issue. As an added incentive for you to return the form, we'll randomly draw three responses from those who include their name and address and give them a year's worth of the Record for free.

Of course, we're always interest-ed in what you think; we like to hear from you on an individual basis as well. Our phone number is 349-1700 (fax 349-1050), and our address is 104 W. Main, Northville 48167.

Thanks for your interest. We hope to hear from you soon. Bel Needham

# SHOULD WE HAVE ....

Editor

·	:		
Local news coverage	more	same	less
City/Township government coverage	more	same	less
Local business coverage	more	same	less
Crime/courts coverage	more	same	less
Feature stories about individuals	more	same	less
Feature stories about groups	more	same	less
Lifestyle coverage	more	same	less
School coverage	more	same	less
Opinion pages	more	same	less
County government coverage	more	same	less
State government coverage	more	same	less
Photo features/photo pages	more	same	less
Sports coverage	more	same	less
Recreation leagues?	more	same	less
Schoolcraft College?	more	same	less
Other?	more	- same	less
Development/building coverage	more	same	less
Entertainment/Leisure time stories	more	same	less
Other	more	same	less

### PLEASE RATE THE OVERALL QUALITY OF ....

News stories	good	fair	poor
Feature stories	good	fair	poor
Editorials (Our Opinion)	good	fair	poor
Personal columns	good	fair	poor
Sports coverage	good	fair	poor
Photographs	bocg	fair	poor
Design/appearance of paper	good	fair	poor
Readability of type	good	fair	poor

### Note: Some items do not appear every week. Please check Michael Malott column "always" if you read the item whenever you see it.

### **MONDAY "A" SECTION** (NEWS)

Front page	always	sometimes	never
Local news/feature stories	always	sometimes	never
Community Calendar	always	sometimes	never
News Briefs	always	sometimes	never
Meeting Agendas	always	sometimes	never
Police News	always	sometimes	never
Sports Briefs	always	sometimes	never
Obituaries	always	sometimes	never
Editorials (Our Opinion)	always	sometimes	never
Rick Byrne column	always	sometimes	never
Phil Jerome column	always	sometimes	never
Reporters' columns	always	sometimes	never
Schoolcraft College Briefs	always	sometimes	never
Senior Center Briefs	atways	sometimes	never
Local advertisements	always	sometimes	never
Regional advertisements	always	sometimes	never

# DO YOU READ .... always sometimes never

Letters	always	sometimes	never
Charles Stilec column	always	sometimes	never
Mary Ellen King column	always	sometimes	never
Local advertisements	always	sometimes	never
Regional advertisements	always	sometimes	never

### THURSDAY "OUR TOWN" SECTION (FEATURES)

Front feature	always	sometimes	never
Cristina Ferrier column	always	sometimes	never
Volunteer profile	always	sometimes	never
Pet of the Week	always	sometimes	never
In Our Town	always	sometimes	never
Anniversaries	always	sometimes	never
Births	always	sometimes	never
Weddings/Engagements	always	sometimes	never
Church Briefs	always	sometimes	never
In Uniform	always	sometimes	never
On Campus	always	sometimes	never
PTA News	always	sometimes	never
Reunions	always	sometimes	never
Diversions page	always	sometimes	never
Entertainment Listings	always	sometimes	never
Travel page	always	sometimes	never

### **THURSDAY "SPORTS" SECTION**

Athlete of the Week	always	sometimes	never
Scoreboard	always	sometimes	never
Fitness Briefs	always	sometimes	never
College Periscope	always	sometimes	never
Mustang Roundup	always	sometimes	never
Recreation page	always	sometimes	never
Recreation briefs	always	sometimes	never
Scott Daniel column	atways	sometimes	never

### **THURSDAY "CREATIVE LIVING" SECTION** (REAL ESTATE)

Home Designs	always	sometimes	never
Antiques	always	sometimes	never
Real estate advertising	always	sometimes	never

### THURSDAY "GREEN SHEET" SECTION (BUSINESS/CLASSIFIED ADS)

Business Briefs	always	sometimes	never
Money Management	aiways	sometimes	never
Mary DiPaolo column	always	sometimes	never
Classified ads	always	sometimes	never

### **MONDAY "CREATIVE DINING" SECTION** (FOOD)

Main feature story	always	sometimes	never
Wine column	always	sometimes	never
Mary Brady column	always	sometimes	never
The Refrigerator Door	always	sometimes	never
School Lunch Menus	always	sometimes	never
Classified ads	always	sometimes	never

### **THURSDAY "A" SECTION** (NEWS)

Front page	always	sometimes	never
Local news/feature stories	always	sometimes	never
Community Calendar	aiways	sometimes	never
News Briefs	always	sometimes	never
Police News	always	sometimes	never
Mustang of the Week	always	sometimes	never
Obituaries	always	sometimes	never
Mill Race Matters	always	sometimes	never
Library Briefs	always	sometimes	never
Health Briefs	always	sometimes	never
Chamber of Commerce Brie	fs always_	sometimes	never
Editorials (Our Opinion)	always	sometimes	never
Tim Richard column	always	sometimes	never
Phil Power column	always	sometimes	never
Bob Needham column	always	sometimes	never

If so, what have you noticed?	OUR MONDAY EDITION	IN GENERAL
first two years of its existence?	often than the Thursday edition?	What is (are) your favorite part(s) of the Record?
How would you change the Monday edition to make it more use- ful and/or valuable to you as a reader?	first two years of its existence?	What is (are) your biggest complaint(s) with the Record?
		How would you improve the Record?
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Number of years in Northville?		
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# Children tell own story in education handbook

When you ask kids a question, you can never really be assured of their answers. But members of Northville's Special Education Parent's Advisory Committee, who recently asked students in regular education classes their thoughts about their special education peers, were not surprised by the responses they got.

\*People are like bricks in a bullding and special education students are just as necessary as all the rest, said Kathy, an eighth-grade student.

Quotes like these and drawings made by students in regular education classes decorate the pages of A Parent's Guide to Special Education. The handbook, published recently by the school district's special education department, serves as a resource guide to special education for district newcomers and is available at all school offices, most community offices, and at the Chamber of Commerce.

For Rhonda Baiocchi, a member of the advisory committee which authored the handbook and a parent of a Down's syndrome child, there was a vested interest in compiling the book and incorporating the views of some fourth-graders at Winchester Elementary.

"It created an awareness of them." Balocchi told school board members at the unveiling of the book last Monday. "It depicts the attitudes of the children. Often times there is a lack of communication between typical students and special education students."

District officials commended Balocchi, Karen Finnigan, Mary Wilson, and Jospeh Blake — the four-member committee who composed the handbook — for their creativity and intuitiveness.

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"I think you've done a wonderful job, " Superintendent Leonard Rezmierski said. "This book has the kids' handprints all over it."

Under the direction of newly appointed executive director of the department, Robert Sornson, the handbook includes pencil drawings, quotations, and photographs of children and staff for the special education curriculum. Copies of the handbook are available now. For more information call Sornson at 344-8443.

### Resident wins first place

Northville resident Tracey Ann Martin, a part-time history instructor at

Schoolcraft College in Livonia, won first place in Schoolcraft's The MacGuffin creative writing competition.

Martin's story, "Meanings," earned her two free tickets to the college's dinner theater performance of "Waiting for Godot" and "The Marriage Proposal." In addition, Martin's story will appear in the fall 1992 edition of The MacGuffin, Schookraft's literary magazine.

### **Brighton Beach Memoirs**

The Plymouth Theatre Guild presents Neil Simon's Brighton Beach Memoirs at the Water Tower Theatre.

This play, one of Simon's most acclaimed, is a warm and humorous autobiographical portrait of the playwright as a teenager and his family in a crowded lower-middle class Brooklyn. The first of Simon's famous trilogy, it is a deeply appealing play that mixes drama and comedy.

Friday and Saturday performances on May 1, 2, 8, 9, 15, and 16 are at 8 p.m. Curtain time for Sunday shows on May 3 and 10 is at 3 p.m. Tickets for all shows are \$6 in advance for adults, \$5 for seniors or \$7 at the door for adults, \$6 for seniors.

Tickets for the opening night performance. May 1, are buy one, get one free. For reservations and more information call 349-7110.

### Magic by "Ming"

Take an enchanted journey to visit the mysteries of the Orient with magician Ming the Magnificent and Company on Saturday, April 25, at 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. at the Detroit Public Library.

Northville resident Barbara Louie will be assisting Ming the Magnificent in the magic show that is filled with wonders from the Far East. Featured illusions will be the Incredible Floating Stick, the Indian Broom Suspension, the tortuous Chinese Head Twister and more.

This free program, open to magic fans of all ages, will be held in the Friends Auditorium of the Detroit Public Library, 5201 Woodward, Detroit. For more information call the library at 833-4029.

### Family Fun Day

Maybury State Park is host to the Family Fun Day, a daylong event commorating Eart Day 1992. The day's event kick off at 8:30 with a 10 K May Day Race/2-Mile Walk. Entry fees for the race are \$10. \$6 for walkers before April 24. After that a \$2 late fee is tacked on to both entry fees.

Mustard's Retreat will entertain runners and walkers and families alike with stories, folk music, and songs. A kite show, face painting, a visit from Willie the Clown and nature walks are all part of the day's events.

Booth displays held from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m. will share information about the environment, landfills, and recycling at the Exhibition Hall. For further information, please contact Peg Campbell, Director, Community & Public Relations University of Michigan Health Center at Northville or call 936-9538.

### "A Carousel of Fashions"

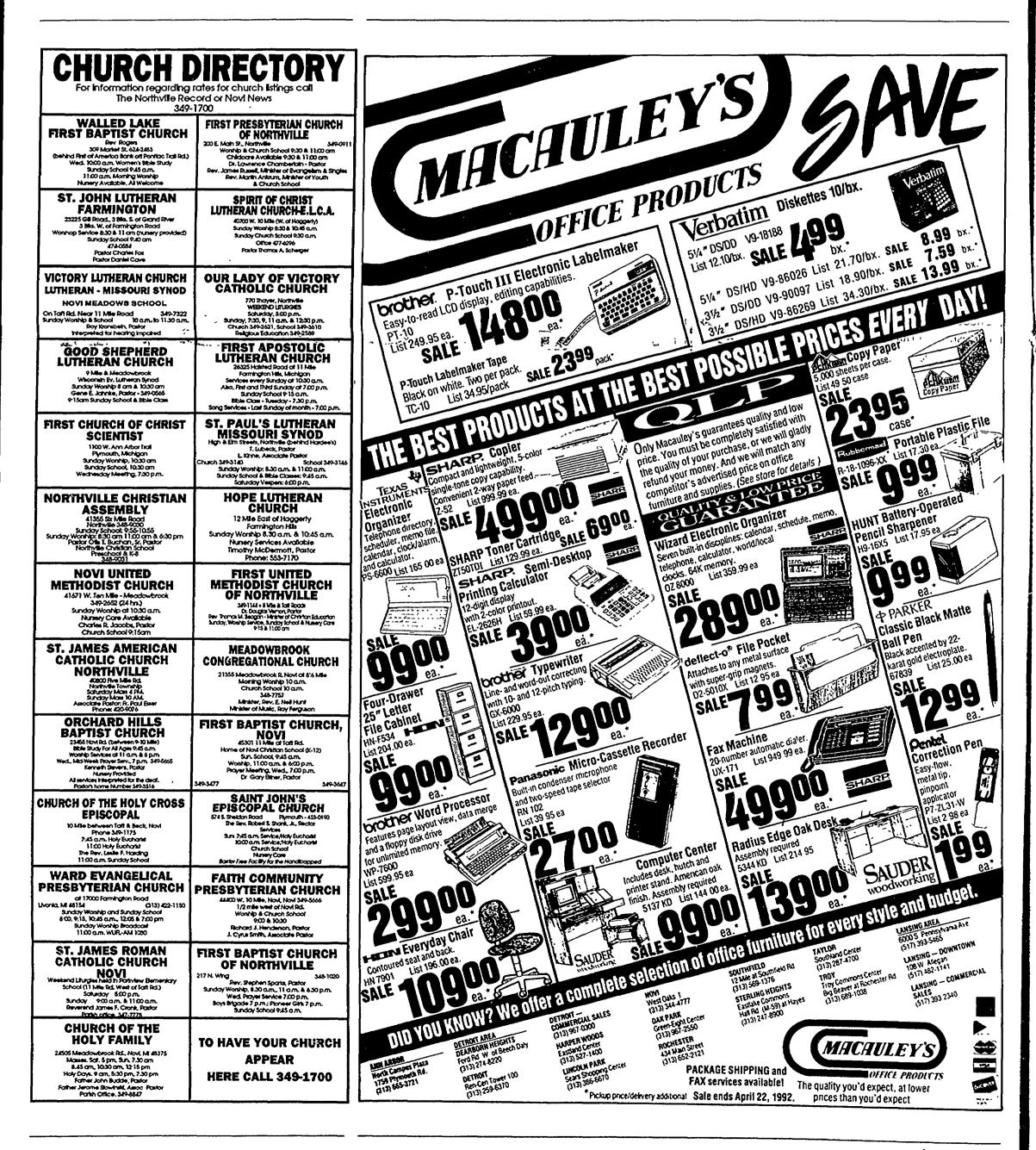
The Women's Association of First Presbyterian Church is sponsoring "A Carousel of Fashions," a spring fashion show at 12:30 p.m. on May 13 at the church, 200 E. Main in Northville. Proceeds from the show will benefit the association's missions.

Fashions by Talbot's will be featured in the show along with raffles, door prizes, and refreshemnts. Tickets are \$6 and are available at the church office. For more information call the church office at 349-0911.

### Northville Co-op Preschool Reaches Milestone

The Northville Cooperative Preschool is celebrating its 40th anniversary with a parents night and dinner dance on Friday, June 5, at the Meadowbrook Country Club. This year's event seeks to honor past presidents and alumnus.

Deadline for purchasing tickets is Wednesday, May 13. Ticket prices are \$26 per person and include dinner and dancing. A cash bar is also available. The dance is open to all alumni, parents, and children of the preschool.



### In Uniform

Marine Pfc. GREGORY L. HOMRICH, son of Thomas L. and Dorothy L. Homrich of Northville, recently completed recruit training.

During the training cycle at Marine Corps Recruit Depot, Parris Island, S.C., recruits are taught the basics of battlefield survival, introduced to typical military daily routine and personal and professional standards.

All recruits participate in an active physical conditioning program and gain proficiency in a variety of military skills including first aid, rifle marksmanship and close-order drill. Teamwork and self-discipline are emphasized throughout the cycle.

The 1983 graduate of Northville High School joined the marines in 1991.

ADAM B. BURKETT, son of Carol Burkett of Northville, has enlisted in the Air Force Delayed Enlistment Program, according to Sgl. Robert Anderson III, Air Force Recruiter.

Burkett, a 1989 graduate of Northville High School, is scheduled for enlistment in the Regular Air Force on June 24. Upon graduation from the Air Force's six-week basic training course near San Antonio, Texas, he will receive technical training in the mechanical aptitude area.

He will be earning credit toward an associate's degree in



Christopher A. Zammit

applied sciences through the Community College of the Air Force while attending basic and technical training schools.

Marine Private CHRISTO-PHER M. KING, son of Lisa C. King of Northville, recently completed the Light Armored Vehicle Repairman Course.

During the eight-week course at U.S. Army Ordnance Center and School, Aberdeen Proving Ground, MD., students receive instruction on troubleshooting, repair and inspection of light armored vehicles.

The 1989 graduate of Northville High School, Northville, joined the Marine Corps in July 1991.

### Volunteer

### **O'Flynn offers Hospice** her time, friendship

#### By DOROTHY NASH Special Writer

Because she has the time and flexible schedule, Diana O'Flynn responded to a notice in the paper. saying that Hospice of Southeastern Mi-chigan needed volunteers to help terminally ill patients and their families by running errands, lending support and being a friend. After a telephone call to the volun-

teer coordinator, she took part in a one-day, eight-hour training session in which there were eight women, ages 20 and up.

A social worker and a hospice volunteer described the work and told them what to expect, about family situations they could get into. The job is many things, they said, but above all, it's to be a friend.

A social worker and a nurse, they also said, would be assigned to a case with her, and she was expected to file a report after every visit she made to a patient.

Being new on the job, she has not had much to report as yet, she said.

"My first case I never visited. I talked to the woman's daugher on the phone and found there were two nurses, taking turns around the clock with her. Then she improved and was doing fine. So they took me off the case.

Then she was put on a case of an elderly man with lung cancer. His wife had just come home from having been hospitalized, and she said she would like to have her hair washed.

A paid hospice was coming in ev-ery day to prepare meals and do light housekeeping. O'Flynn's services were not necessary, they told her, but, the patient said, "If you're in the area, stop in."

Possibly when the wife takes over the household duties, they will want OFlynn to look in on them on a regular basis - unless she has been assigned elsewhere.

If you, too, can be flexible with your time and would like to volunteer for this hospice duty, call the volunteer coordinator. David Turner at 559-9211.



Diana O'Flynn

Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

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### Engagements



MARY FRANCES DUWEL/CHARLES KENNETH AL-BRECHT: Mr. and Mrs. Richard Duwel of of Northville announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Frances, to Charles Kenneth Albrecht, son of Mrs. Elaine Bachman and Mr. Dennis Albrecht.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Mercy High School and the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. She is employed as a mechanical engineer with Motorola in Chicago.

Her flance is a graduate of Pioneer High School and the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. He is employed as an electrical engineer with Commonwealth Edison in Chicago.

A fall 1992 wedding is planned.



CHRISTINE LEULIETTE/MARK CERNY: Timothy David Leuliette of Bloomfield Hills and Lindsay Jo Leuliette of Northville announce the engagement of their daughter, Christine Renee Leuliette, to Mark Steven Cerny of Sterling Heights, son of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Cerny of Sterling Heights.

The bride-elect graduated from Northville High School in 1988 and will graduate from Michigan State University in June. She is a volunteer for the Michigan School for the Deaf, student coordinator for the Michigan School for the Deaf, and has held internships at Siemens Automotive.

The future groom is a 1980 Sterling Heights High School graduate and a 1984 Oakland University graduate. He is working as a project engineer for Chrysler AETF.

The wedding date is set for Aug. 22.

### PTA News/Middle Schools

#### COOKE

We are pleased to report that the Senior Prom put on by Cooke Middle School students and staff was a resounding success, enjoyed by all. We received many delightful thank-you notes from the "seniors" that attended. Everyone is looking forward to next year's event.

The next and final after-school activity will take place May 14. It will complete a year of well-attended and enjoyable events.

session worthwhile.

On May 22, Cooke is hosting its annual Teacher Appreciation Luncheon. It will be held on a half day so that the teachers can enjoy a leisurely afternoon.

We would like to announce the new Cooke PTSA officers for the '92-'93 school year: President, Pat Melvin; Vice President, Barb Flis; Secretary, Lee Stevenson; Treasurer, Mary Ellen Wolbers.

Congratulations ladies! We look

forward to your leadership abilities. We also would like to thank this year's officers for their tremendous job.

Our next PTSA meeting will be held at Cooke on May 7 at 9:30 a.m. We are very pleased by the wonderful attendance at our meetings and hope to see even more new faces at this one

— Arlene Kurzawa 🕹

# **Community sets Easter services**

### By SHARON CONDRON Staff Writer

The Easter bunny has been extra busy this year hiding easter eggs in Hines Park in anticipation of his annual hop through Northville.

With a little help from the Northville Jaycees, ol' floppy ears will be hopping right through downtown this weekend. This Saturday, the eve before his annual visit, the Jaycees will host their Easter egg hunt in the Cass Benton area of Hines Park. The hunt begins at 10 a.m. for children ages preschool to 12. After the hunt, the Easter bunny

will meet and greet little ones, under 10, in the downtown bandshell. With candy and balloons in paw, the big bunny will be hopping around from

11 a.m. until 2 p.m. In addition to children's festivities. area churches will be holding special Easter services. On Good Friday, the Northville Christian Assembly will have a communion service at noon and a blood drive from 1-7 p.m. Donors wishing to contribute can do so at the church, 41355 W. Six Mile Rd. To schedule an appointment call Sara Page at 422-4090. First United Methodist Church's

Good Friday service, Commemora-tion of the Crucifixion, will be held with the First Presbyterian Church at the Methodist church at 1:30 p.m. in

the church sanctuary. First United Methodist Church will offer three Easter morning celebrations and an Easter morning breakfast. Services are at 7, 9:15, and 11 a.m.; breakfast is at 7:30. First Presbyterian will hold Easter morning services at 8, 9:30, and 11 a.m.

Good Friday services at St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church are at 1 and 7:30 p.m. Easter Sunday services are at 6, 8:30 and 11 a.m. An Easter breakfast is planned in the gymnasium from 7-10 a.m.

Our Lady of Victory has the Stations of the Cross at 12:30 p.m. and Tridiuum at 1 p.m., followed by Tenebrae at 7:30 p.m. on Good Friday, On Holy Saturday an Easter vigil Mass will be held at 8 p.m. Easter Sunday Mass schedule is 7:30, 9, 11 a.m., and 12:30 p.m.

### Pet of the Week

"Cody"

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On April 29 the Education Celeb-

ration will take place at Northville High School. This event brings together staff, parents, and com-

munity members. It gives us all a

chance to see the people who are in-

giving a Leadership Training Session on May 26 at the Board of Education

office for any all volunteers who wish to attend. Ideas on how to handle

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# RECORD TRAVEL





By WILLIAM T. TOMICKI New York Times Travel Syndicate

9: Can you suggest a good spot for duck hunting in the south central United States?

A: Try Blytheville, Ark., a small town (population approximately 23,000) in Mississippi County. It's a leading agricultural area and also a major retail trade center for northeast Arkansas.

The town is in the pathway of the Mississippi Flyway, over which migrating waterfowl fly.

The season begins in late November and lasts until early December. A second season starts in late December and lasts until early January.

Each type of duck has a point value assigned to it with a daily hunter's quota of 100 points. Nearby Mallard Lake has good bass, bream and crapple fishing. The license and federal duck stamp required for hunting cost about \$20. For further information contact the Blytheville Chamber of Commerce at (501) 762-2012. Information is also available from your local travel agent.

### **Q:** Is it still possible to travel by freighter and save money?

A: Freighter travel is great for those who want quiet days at sea and casual surroundings no crowds, no fonnalities - just comfort, relaxation, sun and clean air.

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It is published by Freighter World Cruises, which is a passenger agent for many freighter lines and currently has ships bound for Australia, New Zealand, South America, Africa, Europe and Asia, departing from

# The best Irish bookstore in America Bastion of Irish language and literature thrives in New York

By EVERETT POTTER New York Times Travel Syndicate

New York's SoHo neighborhood is known for its art galleries, flashy boutiques and trendy gift stores. Soit's a bit of a surprise to discover a bastion of irish language and litera-ture in this world of leather jackets. portfolios and attitude.

Irish Books and Graphics is the name of a small shop owned by Angela Carter, a soft-spoken irishwoman with fierce opinions about the way the Irish have been portrayed in books and on film.

They come in here from Madison Avenue, these young kids looking for books about Ireland, and then they go out and perpetuate this 'Quiet Man' imagery, she says with disdain.

"The Quiet Man" (1952) is a classic film, with John Wayne and Maureen O'Hara, about a boxer who returns to his native Ireland, wins over the townsfolk and falls in love with a strong-willed Irish beauty.

They never portray the Irish middle class or talk about the real problems of people finding work in Ireland. They never talk about emigration, which is the country's biggest problem."

Carter, a native of Keshkerrigan. County Leitrim, came to America in 1963. She has been quietly changing the way people think about Ireland since she opened her first shop. Keshkerrigan Books, on lower Broadway in Manhattan in 1978.

"I was looking for Irish books and finding that I had great difficulty in getting them." she says.

Two years ago she moved to the present location because of a rent increase. At that time she also renamed the shop "because it's easier for people to know what it's about." ...Carter's stock is impressive - es-i pecially crammed into such a small space. There are photography books such as "The Forgotten Hermitage of Skellig by Michael Walter Horn (University of California, 1990).

There are histories about the Irish at home and abroad, such as Emigrants & Exiles: Ireland and the Irish Exodus to North America" by Kerby A. Miller (Oxford, 1985). And there are biographies, travel books and sociological studies, such as "Women in Ireland: Voices of Change" by Jenny Beale (Indiana University

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Angela Carter is owner of Irish Books and Graphics in Manhattan's SoHo district

Press, 1987).

Carter has little time for a current best seller about Ireland, "A Day in the Life of Ireland" (Collins Publishers, 1991). It's a collection of photographs of Irish people taken by 75 world-renowned photographers on a single day, May 17, 1991.

"I hated it," said Carter, who ad-

mits she nevertheless keeps a few copies on a bottom shelf in case anyone asks for it.

The problem, she says, is that like so many other books. It portrays Ireland as a quaint rural country peopled by eccentrics. "It's like they went around looking

or freaks and they found them. It's

an outrage to see money spent that way, given to famous photographers to roam around the country, when we have young Irish photographers and artists over here in New York, waiting tables to make a living."

Instead. Carter recommends another best seller, "Jiving at the Crossroads" by John Waters

(BlackStaff Press, 1991), a look at current Irish politics and journalism. She also singles out the recent novel "Amongst Women" by John

McGahern (Viking, 1990) and a classic short-story collection. "The Road to Bright City" by Mairtin O'Cadhain (Poolbeg Press, 1981).

The shop is decorated with the graphics" part of Carter's business and includes steel engravings of Irish scenes from the 1870s Illustrated London News, priced at \$75; an early 19th-century map of Ireland for \$300; and framed prints of paintings by the Irish artist Paul Henry for \$75.

Carter is also a strong advocate of the Irish language, which she speaks fluently. Her stock of Irish-language books is considered the best in the United States.

"A lot of Irish Americans are taking up the study of the language," Carter says.

"I actually have customers who have never been to Ireland who are fluent in Irish. For some of them, it's more of a living language than it is for many Irish people. Many of them were raised by parents and grandparents who were native speakers and they grew up hearing the language."

Carter stocks dozens of books and tapes on the Irish language, including Beginner's Irish Dictionary" (Gill and MacMillan, 1990) and a cassette and phrase-book combination, "Enough Irish to Get By" (Interlingo 1989}.

Carter singles out "The Irish Piper" by Jim Latimer and John O'Brien (Scribners, 1991), a twist on the Pied Piper story, as the best current Irish children's book. Those awaiting the birth of an Irish child might want "Irish Names" by Donnchadh O'Corrain and Fidelma Maguire (Lilliput Press. 1990), which features only native Irish names. -10173 31

But of all the books about Ireland and the Irish that Carter has, the one she recommends without reservation is James Joyce's "Dubliners" (Penguin).

The Dublin he described hasn't changed," says Carter proudly of Joyce's 1916 short-story collection. That book could be written today."

For further information, including a free catalog, contact Irish Books and Graphics, 580 Broadway, Room 1103. New York, N.Y. 10012 or call (212) 274-1923.

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### **G**: Do you know when the famous dragon boat races are held in Hong Kong?

A: The 1992 Hong Kong Dragon Boat Festival International Races take place June 13 and June 14 at the East Tsim Tsui waterfront.

The sport is based on a legend dating back to the 4th century B.C., in which fishermen were said to have raced in boats to try to save a venerated minister who committed suicide by throwing himself into the Mi Lo River.

In the modern-day races, the boats of teak and camphor wood are about 38 feet long and quite slender with dragon-head prows. Each one may carry up to 20 paddlers plus one drummer, who beats steadily as the paddlers thrash the waters.

Last year 23 teams from 14 countries as well as 127 local teams participated. For further information contact the Hong Kong Tourist Association in New York at (212) 840-1690. Information is also available from your local travel agent.

Readers are invited to submit questions to William Tomicki, P.O. Box 5148, Santa Barbara, Calif. 93150. Although he cannot answer each query individually. selected questions will be included in his column.

# Finished horseback riding? Then try white-water rafting

By GENE AND ADELE MALOTT New York Times Travel Syndicate

DEAR TMT: May I ask just one question: Do people at age 68 still ride horses?

It has long been a dream of mine and I now am free to pursue it, but I must be sensible . . . mustn't I? Mildred Bechtl Piscataway, N.J.

DEARM.B .: What on earth is "sensible," anyhow? Sure, go for it!

You might want to start with a dude-ranch vacation. In a week at a good dude ranch, travelers learn to be comfortable on a horse, how to take care of one and what kinds of riding opportunities are offered.

Dude-ranch vacations are good for singles too, if you don't have a friend to take along who wants to share the good times riding. In a group activity such as dude ranching, single travelers seldom feel left out.

For a start we'd recommend a jaunt to a fairly small ranch in the to be the motto for Idaho river run-West, perhaps in Wyoming, around the scenic Shoshone country west of Cody.

But there are great dude ranches just about everywhere in the country. To see what's available, order a \$3 copy of the Dude Ranch 1992 Vacation Directory from the Dude Ranchers' Association, P.O. Box 471. LaPorte, Colo. 80535.

Also, ask your local travel agent to get information from Fits Equestrian Travel. a travel wholesaler that specializes in horse trips for seniors.

After the riding experience, the whole world of soft-adventure travel may suddenly be tempting.

Several klaho outfitters offer senior discounts on 1992 white-water raft trips, with savings ranging from \$50 to \$200 per person for those age 50 and older.

One is Scott Faskin, the owner of



Judy Cote, owner of Tanque Verde Ranch in Tucson (on foot) is shown with her friend Marlis Rogers getting ready for the day's trail ride.

ners: 'We guarantee two things: You'll get wet. And you'll have fun." Among the outfitters who offer special discounts to senior vacation-

ers are: Mackay Bar Wilderness River Trips (3190 Airport Way. Boise. Idaho 83705: 208-344-1881}: discounts of 25 percent to travelers age 49 and older on five-night Salmon River trips that include four nights of camping out.

Sun Valley Rivers Co. (P.O. Box 1776, Sun Valley, Idaho 83353: 208-726-7404): discounts of 10 percent or more to travelers age 49 and older on steelhead-trout fishing trips on the upper Main Salmon River near Stanley, Idaho.

Hughes River Expeditions Inc. (P.O. Box 217, Cambridge, Idaho 83610; 208-257-3477); discounts of 10 percent to travelers age 49 and older on three- to six-day white-water river trips on the Snake and Salmon rivers.

Oregon River Experiences Inc. (18800 N.E. Trunk Rd., Dundee, Ore. 97115; 503-538-3358]: discounts of 10 percent to rafters age 60 and older on trips down various rivers in Idaho and Oregon.

■ Warren River Expeditions Inc. (P.O. Box 1375, Salmon, Idaho 83467; 208-756-6387): discounts of 10 percent during September to travelers age 49 and older on floats.

The river season in Idaho runs from late May through September. so there is plenty of time to write for a catalog and select a trip. All these outfitters are veteran over runners with first-class credentials.

To study the range of trips, get a free directory from the Idaho Outfitters and Guides Association. P.O. Box 95, Dept. NYT. Boise, Idaho 83701 or call (208) 342-1919.

The vacations range from one-day floats to six-day adventures on wild river stretches and have an activity level that can be anything from genile to jolting.



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# RECORD DIVERSIONS



# Kinsella to appear locally

W.P. Kinsella, whose best-selling novel Shoeless Joe formed the basis of the movie Field of Dreams, will appear for a reading and signing of his newest baseball novel. Box Socials (Ballantine), Tuesday, April 21 at 7 p.m., at Borders Book Shop in the Novi Town Center.

Already a best-seller and literary success in Canada, where it was published last fall, Box Socials paints a comic and colorful portrait of North American life in the 1940s. It is set in the small towns and ball fields of Alberta and is filled with quirky, rowdy. hot-blooded characters

Kinsella has published 11 acclaimed short story collections and has received numerous writing awards, including the Houghton Mifflin Literary Fellowship Award, the Books in Canada First Novel Award and the Canadian Authors Association Lifetime Prize for Fiction. He travels extensively across the country to give some 50 readings a year. When he isn't writing or making appearances, Kinsella scouts for the Atlanta Braves along with his wife. Ann Knight. They live in the Pacific Northwest, dividing their time between homes in British Columbia and California

In addition to Box Socials, extra copies of Shoeless Joe and Kinsella's other bestselling novel. The Iowa Baseball Confederacy, have been ordered for his appearance at Borders.

Borders Book Shop is located in the Novi Town center, off Novi Road, just south of 1-96.



### Simply wizard

A musical version of The Wizard of Oz recently finished a successful run at the Marquis Theatre in downtown Northville. Lynne Sher-

wood, above, starred as Dorothy. For a rundown on other chances to see live theater in the community, see the listings below.

### **Entertainment Listings**

### Music

GITFIDDLER CONCERT/ WORKSHOP SERIES: The Githddler Music Store, 302 E. Main, offers a concert/workshop the last Friday of each month. For information or reservations call 349-9420. Each concert runs from 7:30-9:30 p.m.

Schedule includes: April 24, Irish folk musician Marianne Skrent, \$6.50; May 29, classical guitarist \$6.50 Ken Puteri uigh.

Novi Road north of Ten Mile, presents live music all week with no cover charge.

Sunday is a "Strings 'N' Things Jam" from 9 p.m. to midnight every Sunday night. Local artists get together for impromptu jams.

During April, the lineup is: Monday, Not Afraid, a band from the Sunday jam; Tuesday, Randy Bizer and Dave Ebersole; Wednesday and Thursday, the Bizer Brothers; and Friday and Saturday, Sittin' In.

Music starts at 9 p.m. For more information call Mr. B's Farm at 349-7038.

of the playwright as a teenager and his family in lower middle class Brooklyn.

Performances are at 8 p.m. on Fridays and Saturdays, May 1, 2, 8, 9, 15, and 16; and at 6 p.m. Sundays, May 3 and 10. Tickets are \$7 at the door or \$6 in advance; \$1 discount for playgoers 62 and over and 18 and under. Advance tickets available at Penniman Deli and Sir Speedy Printing in Plymouth, or by mail at P.O. Box 451, Plymouth, MI 48170.

moirs, an autobiographical portrait Denise Victoria Catt are among 62 artists and craftspeople appearing at the 24th Westacres Artist Market, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, May 2 in West Bloomfield.

Politowicz Heires of Northville is a returning favorite to the show. Her watercolors of birds and wildlife are detailed yet softly romantic. Catt of Novi, new to the show, cre-

ates one-of-a-kind clothing. Some of her fabrics she hand-paints. The Westacres Artist Market is lo-

ated at the Westacres Clubhouse,





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STARTING GATE: The Starting Gate Saloon offers live music every Friday and Saturday night from 9 p.m. to 1:30 a.m.

The Starting Gate is located at 135 N. Center St. in downtown Northville.

COMMUNITY CHORUS: Join the Plymouth Community Chorus as it searches for Bill Bailey during the spring concerts titled "Destination: Down Home."

In a change for the chorus, the performances will be at the First United Methodist Church of Plymouth, on North Territorial Road, in a "cabaret"-style setting. The concert will include "The Boy from New York City," "Oklahomat," "Please Mr. Postman," "Grandma's Feather Bed." and \*Route 66.\*

Concerts will be Friday and Saturday, April 24 and 25, at 8 p.m.; and 4 p.m. Sunday, April 26. Tickets are limited, and are on sale now at Side-ways in Plymouth; or call 455-4080.

CHURCH CONCERT SE-**RIES:** The First Presbyterian Church of Northville presents its 1991-92 concert series. The remaining schedule is as follows: • Men and Boys Choir of Christ Church Grosse Pointe, D. Frederick DeHaven, conductor, in a concert of English Cathedral Music. Sunday, May 17. at 4 p.m.

Tickets are \$8 each. For more information call 349-0911.

YOUTH PHILHARMONIC: The Livonia Youth Philharmonic, three separate orchestras including several local residents, plays its spring concert at 3:30 p.m. Saturday, May 9, at the Smith Theater on the Orchard Ridge Campus of Oakland Community College.

Tickets are \$5 for adults, \$3 for students and seniors; family rate, \$10. For more information call 453-8887.

Local members include, in the Philharmonic Orchestra, Amy Baxtresser and Beth Ganfield: in the Advanced String Orchestra, Lindsay Neuss, Noreen Hughes and Sophie Liao: and in the Junior String Orchestra, Janice Liao.

WHISPERS LOUNGE: Whispers Lounge, in the Novi Hilton, is open Sunday through Tuesday, 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 a.m. and Wednesday through Saturday, 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 a.m. Live entertainment from 9 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. Tuesday through Saturday.

Through April 18, Rumplestilitskin. April 21 through May 2, Heartbeat.

Monday evening is Jazz Monday from 8:30-11 p.m. at Whispers. Schedule includes, April 20, Steve Wood Quartet; April 27. Schunk, Starr, Dryden.

VICTOR'S: Where can you find an active Hammond organ, great music and good food? Answer: Victor's of Novi. Call 349-1438 ahead to find out if nostalgic Connie Maliett will be on keyboard.

Master of the Hammond, Mallett charms her audiences at Victor's with such favorites as "Misty," "New York, New York" and "Moonlight Serenade."

PIANO MAN: Pianist Tom Altenburg is now performing nightly at the Country Epicure Restaurant, Tuesday through Saturday. Crowds are welcome to sing along beginning at 7 p.m. each night.

Country Epicure is located at 42050 Grand River between Meadowbrook and Novi roads. For more information call, 349-7770.

WEEKNIGHT JAZZ: Home Sweet Home restaurant, on Nine Mile just east of Novi Road, offers live jazz ery Wednesday from 8-11 p.m.

Performances are by the Buddy Budson Band with featured vocalist Eric Brandon. Often local jazz stars like Ursula Walker and Marcus Belgrave sit in as well.

There is no additional charge for the performances. For more information, call the restaurant at 347-0095.

### Theater

BRIGHTON BEACH MEMOIRS: The Plymouth Theatre Guild presents MR. B'S FARM: Mr. B's Farm. on Neil Simon's Brighton Beach Me-

Performances are in Northville at the Water Tower Theatre on the campus of Northville Regional Psychiatric Hospital, 41001 Seven Mile. For more information call 349-7110.

MURDER MYSTERIES, OPERA AT GENITTI'S: Genitti's Hole-inthe-Wall Restaurant continues to present its Murder Mystery and Verdi Opera Dinner Theatre performances. Genitti's now has three different production companies performing three different Murder Mystery Dinner Theatres. Every Friday evening at 7:30 p.m. separate performances are planned in separate dining rooms. Reservations are required for all shows.

Special performances of the Murder Mystery Dinner Theatre are now available for large groups of people any day of the week, day or evening. lunch or dinner time.

Dinner is served. As the crime unfolds during the performance, the guests try to discover who "committed the murder" through clues given out during heated exchanges between cast members. Small gifts are awarded to those who correctly guess the identity of the murderer.

The "Verdi Opera Dinner Theatre" is now scheduled the third Thursday of every month at 7:30 p.m. All arias are performed by the Verdi Opera Theatre of Michigan. Special performances are available for large groups. Reservations are required for all shows.

Genitti's "Hole-in-the-Wall" restaurant is located in downtown Northville at 108 East Main St. just east of Center Street (Sheldon Road). The Murder Mystery Dinner Theatre and the Verdi Opera Dinner Theatre including the seven-course dinner costs \$25 per person (including tax and tip).

Please phone 349-0522 or fax 349-4641 for reservations. Group rates are available. Large parties can be accommodated for any performance. The Genitti's Gift Shop will be open for dinner guests. Valet parking is available during the evening.



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LOCAL ARTISTS EXHI-BIT: Theresa Politowicz Heires and

Westacres Drive east of Union Lake Road, south of Commerce Road. Free admission. For more information call 360-2182.

GATE VI GALLERY: The Gate VI Gallery is located in the atrium of the Novi Civic Center, 45175W. Ten Mile.

### Literature

BORDERS: The following events are scheduled at Borders Book Shop in the Novi Town Center:

• In honor of Earth Day (April 22), Northville's Kathleen Ripley Leo and Brighton's Dan Minock will read poetry in honor of nature at 7 p.m. Wednesday, April 22.

• Wednesday, April 29: "The New Immigrants" — a lecture by Sidney M. Bolkosky from his book Harmony and Dissonance: Voices of Jewish Identity in Detroit, 1914-1967. (Wayne State) Sign up at Information.

 Eleventy-fun: As space is limited, please sign up in advance for all children's programs. The fun begins at 11 a.m. on Saturdays, as follows: April 18, Cheering Up a Princess --

The Michigan Opera Theatre presents this delightful opera about a bored princess who finds excitement in the library.

April 25, Sign Language Saturday Tales from the Orient, with Kim and Mary.

April 26, Sunday Funday - Meet Clifford the Big Red Dog and get his paw-tograph.

### Karaoke

GETZIE'S PUB: Getzie's holds "Karaoke Nights" on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays starting at p.m.

The pub is on Main Street at Hutton

NOVI BOWL: Novi Bowl on Novi Road above Eight Mile offers karaoke every Friday and Saturday between 8:30 p.m. and 12:30 a.m.

Submit items for the entertainment listings to The Northville Record, 104 W. Main, Northville, MI 48167; or fax to 349-1050.

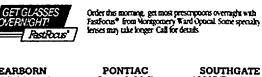
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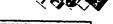
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# RECORD **SPORTS**



# **Tracksters** beat Churchill, Novi

By SCOTT DANIEL Staff Sports Writer

The boys track team went two-fortwo last week with wins over Novi and Churchill.

The Mustangs won Thursday's matchup against Livonia by a narrow margin, 76-61.

According to coach Dennis Faletti, one of the highlights of the day came in the discus. Sophomore John Gatti won the event with a toss of 147-6%. That's a pretty good throw,

Faletti said. "He had another throw of 160 feet, but it didn't count. He should break the school record this year."

The Mustangs started of strongly in the field events.

Long-jumper Jamie Miller won with a 20-8% . Brian Dugonski was third.

Senior Chris Lehr placed second in the high jump as he cleared 6. Gatti came back to win the shot put with a toss of 45-1.

Brett Butz won the 110-meter hurdles in 15.9. He took second in the 300 hurdles with a time of 43.0.

Dugonski was the winner of the 100-meter dash with a time of 11.5. Rick King placed third in 11.9

Northville won the next four consecutive events.

The 800-meter relay team of Ryan Huzjak, Rob Subotich, Lehr and Miller finished ahead of Churchill

The win improved Northville's overall record to 4-0 overall. They are 2-0 in the conference.

NORTHVILLE 86, NOVI 80: The Mustangs used nearly a dozen firstplace finishes to beat the 'Cats and Redford Union in a tri-meet April 7. Lehr took the high jump by clear-ing 5-10. Miller was the winner of the

long jump with a leap of 20%. Butz easily won the 110-meter hurdles in 15.7. He also won the

300-meter hurdles in 43.7. The relay team of Dugonski, Huz-

jak, Hemp and Miller won the 400 in 46.6. Cuadra took the 400-meter run in

53.6. He also won the 200 in 23.80. Gatti won both the discus and the shot put. He had throws of 132-3 and

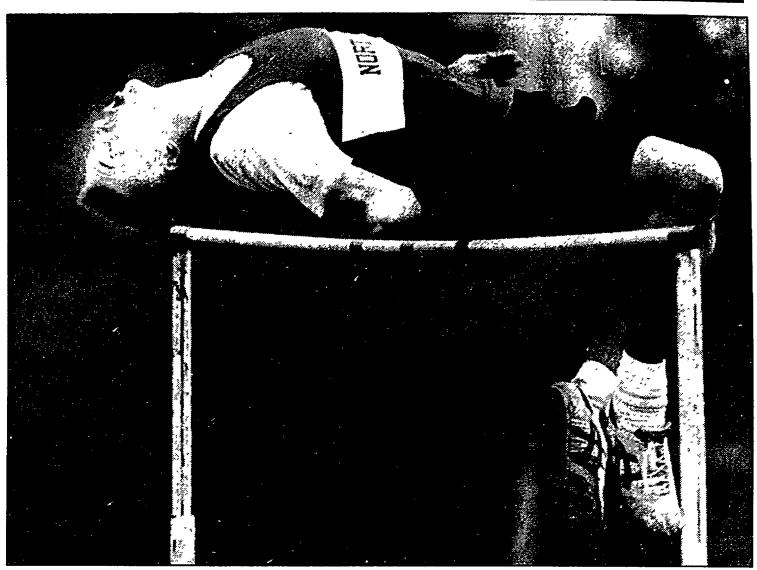
43% respectively. The 1,600-meter relay team of

Huzjak, Subotich, Miller and Lehr won in 3:36.50. with a time of 1:33.90. The 400 relay was won by Dugonski, Huzjak, Matt

Hemp and Miller in 46.0. In the 1,600-meter run, Erik Goerke won with a time of 4:59.60. Brandon Cuadra was the winner of

the 400-meter run in 52.5. The Mustangs swept the 200-meter dash. Cuadra won in 24.0, Dugonski was right behind in 24.2, and Hemp was third in 24.3. Mark Ritter won the 3,200-meter

run in 10:52.40.



Chris Lehr placed second in the high jump against Churchill.

Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

# Netters whip Novi, North Farmington, Stevenson

Activities Association opponent.

#### By SCOTT DANIEL Staff Sports Writer

It's getting serious.

Northville is threatening to run away with its border battle with the Wildcats. First, it was basketball. Then soccer. Now tennis!

The Mustangs used superior depth and one of the state's best brother combinations to hand Novi a 6-1 setback Thursday.

Novi played the Thursday match without its best player, Mark McGrew. The sophomore was in Florida competing at a top national event. Even with McGrew, Novi coach

Jim Newbold said the Wildcats probably wouldn't have won the match.

Northville's Mark Schwagle, who has finished second in the state two years in a row, gave McGrew his only loss as a freshman.

Matt Butler moved up to the No. 1 spot in his teammate's absence. Al-though he played well, Schwage blanked the senior with scores of 6-0. Northville freshman Matt Schwagle went up against the 'Cats' Brennan Sicks. The Mustang prevailed 6-2, 6-1.

The final two singles matches produced similar results. Tim Wheeler fell to Brad Smith 6-2, 6-1 and Northville's Britt Davis beat Curt Speersehneider twice by 6-2 counts.

Novi's lone victory came in the second doubles match.

"I'm very happy about the week. It's one of the goals we talked about (a perfect season). If the kids can continue to play well I think it's possible."

> **DICK NORTON** Tennis Coach

NORTHVILLE 5 NORTH FAR-Dick Norton was excited about the Mustangs' 4-0 start on the season. MINGTON 2: The April 8 matchup "I'm very happy about the week," was the second win in three days for he said, adding that a perfect season the Mustangs over a Western Lakes may be attainable. "It's one of the go-Northville edged Livonia Stevenals we talked about. If the kids can son 4-3 on April 6 at home. Coach continue to play well I think it's

possible.

The Schwagle brothers had little trouble with the Raiders' top two singles players. Mark won 6-1, 6-0 while Malt won 6-2, 6-0. Smith, in the No. 3 spot, won twice

Smith. in the No. 3 spot. won twice The Schwagles started out on a po-by 6-1 margins. Davis closed strigtes slive note for Northville, Mark swept action with a three set victory, 6-7 (5-7), 6-4 and 6-0.

Northville lost two of three in doubles competition. Matt Telepo and Rob Kukainis were the Mustangs' lone winner.

NORTHVILLE 4 STEVENSON 3: The Mustangs used last-match heroics by Telepo and Kukainis to pull out the victory. Norton said he expected a hard-fought match.

"I usually figure them for a tough

match," he said. "It's a big school with lots of kids. They always find a few good ones." The match was as close as it could

get.-

his opponent 6-0, 6-0 and Matt won almost as easily 6-0, 6-2.

The Mustangs' final singles victory came from Smith, 6-1, 6-3. Davis fell 6-1. 7-6.

Stevenson continued its rally by taking the first two doubles matches. But, Telepo and Kukainis came back to win in three sets 4.6, 6-0 and 7.6 (7-3).

"I'm very optimistic about how things are going." Norton said.

Kickers crush South Lvon 7-0

## Mustangs get sweep, knock off Western

By SCOTT DANIEL Staff Sports Writer

The Mustang baseball team gave its fans plenty to cheer about Friday in its two-game sweep of Redford Union at home.

A combination of timely hitting in game one and superb pitching in game two boosted Northville's season record to 3-1. After droping their opener April 6, the Mustangs have gone on a three-game win streak. Til take any victory any way I can

get it," said coach Tim Cain. Trailing 7-6 in the bottom of the

seventh, the Mustangs rallied to take the first game. But it wasn't easy.

The Panthers collected two outs to start the inning. Joey Staknis then singled. Rick Biermann pinch-run for the junior and promptly stole second. After a walk, Fred Swarthout doubled in Biermann to tie the score at seven.

Two batters later, sophomore Neil Yackle singled to right to win the ball game. The Northville bench erupted in joy.

"It was a great win for us," Cain sald.

Northville didn't get to enjoy the victory for long. Because of darkness creeping in, the teams quickly reloaded for game two.

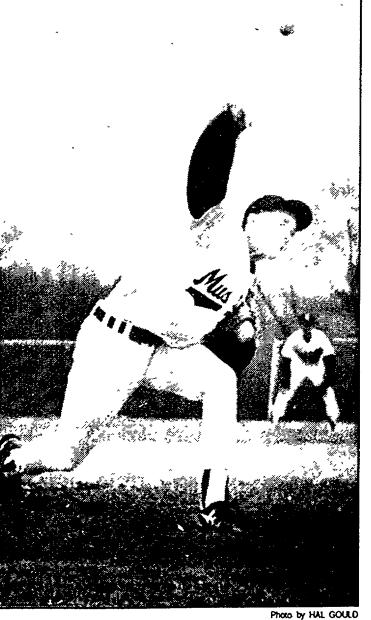
John Farrar, who was the winner in game one, stayed on the mound to open the nightcap.

This one was decided by a five-run Mustang third inning. Northville used three doubles to put Reford Union away.

The Mustangs won 5-1. The game was called after five innings because of darkness.

Eric Shaw got the win in relief of Farrar. Chuck Apligian pitched the final inning for a save.

NORTHVILLE 11, WESTERN



Andy Smojver delivers a pitch.

5: The Mustangs had their collec-

tive hitting shoes on for the April 9

cluding a pair of home runs. Starting

pitcher Staknis also turned in a fine

performance as he held the Warriors

in check long enough for his 'mates to

The teams traded runs in the first

build up a comfortable lead.

inning of the game, which was held in Northville. game against Walled Lake. Northville pounded out 10 hits, in-

After recording a strikeout of Western's lead-offhitter, Staknis was touched for a run on a pair of backto-back doubles. The junior righthander got out of the jam without further damage. A walk, single and

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# ranked seventh in Michigan Class A

### By SCOTT DANIEL Staff Sports Writer

Seven appears to be the Mustang soccer team's lucky number this year.

First, Northville whipped the Kensington Valley Conference's South Lyon 7-0 Friday. Then, on Monday, the coaches' association ranked the Mustangs as Michigan's seventh best team.

"We are really happy about the ranking," said coach Bob Paul. Four of the Western Lakes Activi-

ties Association's 12 teams are among Class A's top 10. Stevenson, Salem and Canton join Northville in the rankings.

Against the Lions, goalkeeper Jessica Jones collected her fourth shutout. The freshman continued her fine string of play, Paul said, noting that she boasts a measly 1.0 goalsagainst average. "I think that says something for

her performance in goal," he commented.

Jones was only tested three times by the Lions. Northville outshot South Lyon 22-3.

"For the most part, it was a well-played game," Paul said. "We had very good ball movement. It was a good win for us."

Northville wasted little time in getting on the board. Val Schuerman scored with just 30 seconds gone by in the game.

The Mustangs scored three more goals in the half. Renee Androsian, Regan Wisely and Cindi Tolstedt collected the scores before the 20-minutes mark.

Sue Morton and Katle Kohl, with two, scored Northville's second-half goals. Wendy Carroll, Nir' Cross, Schuerman, Karen Schwartz, Androsian, Kohl and Angle Schneider each collected assists.

The Mustangs now stand at 4-2-1 overall and 2-1-1 in the WLAA.

NORTHVILLE 2, NORTH FAR-MINGTON 0: Although the Mus-



Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

Jane Luterek in action. Continued on 9

# Softballers fall in tourney, walk past Western 14-11

### By SCOTT DANIEL Staff Sports Writer

The Mustang softball team continued its slow start last week by dropping three straight at a tournament hosted by Canton.

It was a particularly frustrating tournament for Northville. The Mustangs lost by a run twice and went to extra innings in the third game before falling.

Coach Frank Friemund saw a silver lining in the narrow losses: He noted that the tournament featured top-notch competition.

"I think we found out that we (are) a good team," Friemund commented. "We played a lot of good teams." Northville stands at 1-4 on the

season. The tough day started against

Western Lakes Activities Association rival North Farmington. If not for the bottom of the fourth inning. Northville would have easily won the contest.

The Mustangs jumped out to an 8-0 lead in the fourth.

After loading the bases, junior Christie Green singled in two runners. Kara McNeil and Laura Apligian followed with doubles to knock in two more.

The senior catcher then manufac-

tured a run on her own by stealing third and home. Starting pitcher Stacey Nyland also knocked in a run.

The Raiders came right back with eight of their own, however, in the bottom of the inning. Northville regained the lead, 9-8, in the sixth before North Farmington won it in the seventh, 10-9.

McNeilled the hitting attack, going 4.4 with a double and two RBIs. Kathy Lang had three hits and Nyland, who was also the losing pitcher. had two.

Game two, against the WLAA's Salem, didn't get any better.

The game was knotted at the end of seven innings. The Rocks busted it open in extra innings for a 10-4 victory.

Northville got all of its runs in the first three innings.

Nyland struck the big blow in the first. Green walked to start the frame and she was then followed by singles from McNeil and Apligian. Nyland then scored all three with a double.

Salem came back with two in the bottom of the first. Northville's final lead of the day came in third.

Apligian reached base on a fielder's choice. Nyland then singled her to second. Apligian then stole third and home - again.

Friemund said his senior catcher

is something watch on the base-paths, even though she's not blessed with loads of speed. "She gets it on her smarts," he

explained. Farmington Hills Mercy ended the Mustangs day on an equally sour

note. Again, the game was tied after the regulation seven innings. In the ninth, though, Mercy scored the winner on a squeeze play at home. They won 3-2.

The Mustangs' only runs came in the fifth. Green reached on an error and McNeil blasted her in with a bomerun.

NORTHVILLE 14, WESTERN 11: The Mustangs got their first win

on the road Thursday. It wasn't pretty. But it counted just the same.

We played better in the tournament," said Friemund.

Northville mustered only two hits against Walled Lake. But they did draw 19 walks to count for the offensive explosion.

The Mustangs blew the game open in the flifth. Down 6-3, Northville rallied for nine runs. The Warriors could come no closer than three the rest of the way.



Infielder Lori George makes a throw.

Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

# Tracksters fall to Churchill, Baseline rival Novi

By SCOTT DANIEL Staff Sports Writer

The difference between winning and losing in track can be one or two events.

That was the case for the Mustang girls team Thursday against Western Lakes Activities Association foe Livonia Churchill. Northville failed to tally any points in both hurdle events and, subsequently, the Mustangs lost a heartbreaker to the Chargers 69-59.

We did expect to do a little better," said coach Ann Turnbull. But they do have a really strong team. They will probably finish in the top half (off the conference)."

The coach was encouraged by improved times in the meet, though. Michelle Splan, for example, cut 53 seconds from her time in the 3,200-meter run.

"Even though we lost, it was a good meet." Turnbull said. "The girls were running their best."

Northville took the top two spois in the long jump. Wendy Forster won with a leap of 14-8%. Angle Tune was second with a jump of 14-2%

High jumpers Julie Buser and Lisa Aimone were also one-two. Buser cleared 4-10 while Aimone jumped 4-8. Senior Mari Kissenger took first place in the shot put with a toss of 29-1%. Neeta Saran was second with a

25-6 throw Michelle Fetterman was the Mustangs' top finisher in the discus. She improved by nearly 20 feet from the previ-

ous week with a throw of 78-2. Forster came back to help Northville with a pair of

wins In the 100-meter dash, she outdistanced the field with a time of 13.6. Adrienne Browne, Kissenger and Trish Lu-

komski joined Forster in the 800 relay and won in 1:54.80. Browne won the 400-meter dash in 1:05.10.

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In the 800 run, Marcy Bolger was second in 2:50.60. Lukomski won the 200-meter run in 28.7 while Kissenger placed third in 29.1.

Splan's time of 13:46.50 was good enough for second in 3.200.

The 1,600-meter relay team of Forster, Kissenger, Browne and Lukomski finished the meet on a positive note. The group won with a time of 4:37.40.

NOVI 56, NORTHVILLE 40: The Mustangs came up a bit short against Baseline rival Novi April 7, but did manage to outdistance Redford Union by six points.

Northville tallied three first-place finishes in the meet. The first of those was by Forster in the 100-meter

dash. She finished ahead of the pack with a time of 13.5. Forster joined teammates Browne, Kissenger and Lukomski to win the 800 relay in 1:56.6. That foursome was

second in the 400 relay with a time of 55.2. The Mustangs also won the 3,200 relay in 12:04.

The 1,600-meter saw a third- and fourth-place finish by Northville. Laura Brown took third in 6:42.70 while Laura Thomas was fourth in 6:51.40.

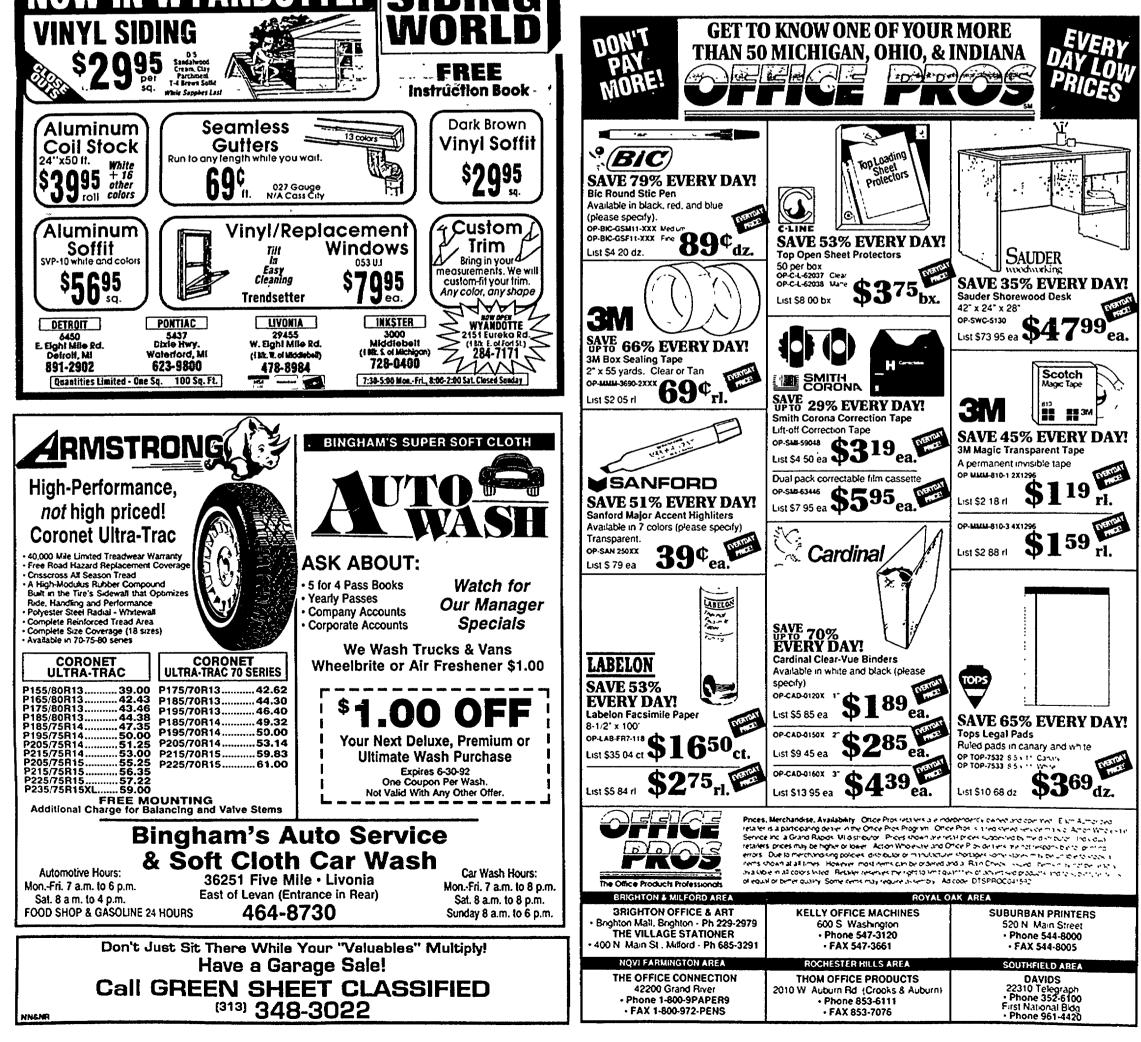
Kissenger won the shot put with a toss of 28-2. Fetterman was third in the discus with a throw of 69-9.

Northville managed third-place showings in the 400, 800 and 200 runs. Buser and Bolger garnered the finishes with times of 1:10.6 and 2:48.90 respectively. Forster ran the 200-meter in 29.1.

Tune placed third in the 300 hurdles in 56.3. Splan took the three spot as well in the 3,200 meter run with a time of 14:18.60.

The Mustangs finished in second place in the final event, the 1,600 relay. The team of Tune, Buser, Kissenger and Browne ran a 4:36.40 race.





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Park Place

### Athletes of the Week





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JOE STAKNIS: A junior righthander, Staknis was outstanding in Northville's win over Walled Lake Western. He pitched into the seventh inning against the Warriors, giving his teammates time to generate enough offense to win the ballgame. Staknis gave up eight hits, mainly in the late innings after tiring, while striking out two and walking two.

MARI KISSENGER: The senior has started the season in strong fashion for coach Ann Turnbull. Against Churchill last week, Kissenger took first place in the shot put with a toss of 29-1% . She was also part of a winning 800-meter relay team. Kissenger won the shot put against Novi with a toss of 28-2.

### League Line

GIRLS UNDER 12: Arsenal No. 1 lost 5-0 April 5 to Plymouth No. 2d. MVP of the game was Kate Vamier on offense. The team is 0-1 on the season.

Northville United No. 2 outbattled South Lyon No. 1 by a score of 1-0. MVPs were Janet McDonald on offense and Cecelia Boggess on defense. The team is 1-0 on the season.

GIRLS UNDER 10: Northville Arsenal No. 1 lost to Novi No. 1 by a count of 3-2 on April 4. Kelly Modetz and Chris Argenta both scored in the defeat. Lauren Reese and Beth Fischer were MVPs. Goalie Col-len Thompson played a good game as well.

GIRLS URDER 14: Plymouth No. 2 beat Northville Express No. 1 April 4, 2-0. Jodie Brown, Michelle Mackinder and Kathy Wyscocki were MVPs.

The Mustangs took the lead for good in the second.

After stealing second, the junior at-

ered one of the conferences better teams. Lastly, Paul said, the game was played on a football field, which is narrower than a soccer field.

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"The game changes a lot," he explained. There is less strategy and it's more kick-and-run. They knew what they had to do to win. It just wasn't a preity game."

Schuerman gave Northville all the offense it needed with a goal at the 33-minute mark of the first half. She took a pass from Cross about 18 yards from the net and put it in just under the post.

Androsian got the Mustang's final

goal. She scored, with an assist from Tolstedt, 25 minutes into the second half.

BASKETBALL Men's Division

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### STEVENSON 2, NORTHVILLE

1: Despite the loss, Paul said the Mustangs played an excellent game. The coach called the Spartans probably the most talented in the state." The contest was a confidence

booster, Paul added. 'We thought it was an extremely strong game for our team," he said. "The girls have a lot of confidence now that we can do well against them."

Livonia got both of its goals in the

first half. Paul said the Mustangs' game plan was to play tight defense. "We tried to frustrate them with tight marking," he said.

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Schuerman broke the shutout with 25 minutes gone in the second half. She snapped a 25-yard kick that the Stevenson goalie stopped but failed to cover up. Schuerman followed her shot and kicked in the net to cut the lead to 2-1.

Northville couldn't tally again, however. Paul said he was encouraged in defeat.

"We can be a strong team in the state," he said. "We can make a run for it on any given day."

# **Baseballers stomp Walled Lake**

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Volleybusters.

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sacrifice fly scored Northville's Danny Walsh to tie the game at the end of the first.

SCOREBOARD

Recreation

High Rollers.

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performance.

tangs appeared to dominate the

game April 8, Paul said it was less

"I don't think anybody was happy

with the performance we put up

against North Farmington," he said.

"It wasn't one of our better games."

reasons for the sluggish

The team experienced an "emo-tional letdown," he commented, after

a tough 2-1 loss to Stevenson two

days before. The coach added that

the Mustangs may have been looking

Paul said he felt there were three

than the team's best effort.

Ryan Millsap led off with a walk.

throwing error by Western's catcher. Northville scored at least twice in every inning following the second. Home runs by Kevin Shaw and Mill-sap accounted for four runs.

Walled Lake scored three times in the sixth. They added a run in

Staknis went 6 and 1/3 innings for the victory. Tom Busard got the final

two outs and squelched a Warrior rally.

FRANKLIN 7, NORTHVILLE 6: The Mustangs looked as if they would begin the '92 campaign with a win, but Livonia rallied for four runs in the fourth and fifth innings to beat Northville.

The Mustangs, on the road, was a decent game."

opened with a 6-3 lead after three innings. Swarthout, Apligian, Millsap and Kevin Shaw all collected RBIs.

Starting pitcher Steve Christenson tired in the fifth and sixth and was the loser. The junior went the distance, striking out five and walking only three.

"Being the first game, I wanted the victory," said Cain. "But overall, it







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# **Race slated for Maybury State Park**

Start the spring off right by bring-ing your family out to Maybury State Park on Saturday, May 2. This is the date for Family Fun Days and the Mayday 10K Race. An entire day of activities is planned for the entire family. Sign up for the two-mile walk. or for those with the stamina there is the 10K Race.

The race will be divided into several age groups. The divisions will be: under 20; 20-29; 30-39; 40-49; 50-59; and 60 and over. First-, second- and third-place finishers in each age division will receive awards. Every runner will receive a gift and

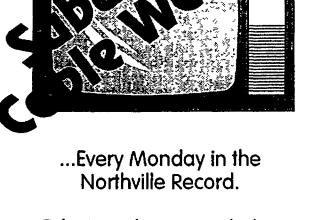
coupons. Runners of all abilities will participate. Competitive as well as the recreational runners should feel comfortable in this race. Bring your fam-ily out to cheer you on and have them get involved in the other events sche-

duled for the day. Other activities include folk music by Mustard's Retreat, face painting by Margo's of Northville, a kite show sponsored by Browning-Ferris Industries, and nature walks by Carol Fink, a naturalist. As you can see, there is something for everyone.

Booth displays will emphasize various issues concerning the environment, the planet, and ways we all can help in making our future a little brighter. See discussion on the gypsy moths, tree planting, tree care and gardening.

Representatives from Northville, Novi and Plymouth will be on hand to explain recycling procedures. This is your chance to become informed on projects to improve the environment right in your own back yard.

The race begins at 10 a.m. with the walk following at 10:15 a.m. Prere-gistration is highly recommended. Registration forms can be picked up at the Recreation Center, 303 West Main, Northville. Call 349-0203 for more information. The cost is \$10 for the race and \$6 for the walk. The cost for on-site registration will be \$12 for the race and \$8 for the walk. The run will be held at Mayburry State Park, located on Eight Mile between Napler and Beck Road. Daily passes for the park are \$3 per vehicle. Everyone is invited to attend.



Television listings with the actual channel numbers for the Omnicom cable system.



# Rec department starts spring activities

### SPRING

TIES: Registration for spring courses through Northville Parks and Recreation began April 15. Activities include gymnastics, ballet, aerobics, golf, volleyball and much more. For more information call 349-0203.

ACTIVI-

SWIMMING INSTRUC-TORS: Instructors are needed immediately to teach and assist in youth swim lessons. Candidates must have strong swimming skills and must be comfortable working with children. It is a perfect job for high school or college students wanting to earn extra money. Applications can be picked up at the rec department, 303 W. Main.

NEEDED: The Northville Recreation Department needs a record player. If you have one in good working condition and would like to donate it to the department, call 349-0203.

OPEN SWIMMING SCHE-DULE: Enjoy the benefits of swimming during open swim hours. Swimming can be a great exercise, or come out just for fun. Lockers and showers will be avail-

able. This activity is open to all ages. Site is the Northville High School pool. Cost is \$1.50 per person (pay lifeguard on duty).

year; a regular annual permit is \$15 and a senior annual is \$3.75.

This year permits also have gift certificates in denominations of \$25 - good toward camping or purchases made within state parks.

SELECT PLAYERS SOUGHT: The Northville Sting Under-11 boys select soccer team is looking for a couple of skilled players who are interested in playing select-level soccer during the spring 1992 season.

Players who are interested will be given the opportunity to play indoor soccer with the team during the January-February Indoor soccer session. Interested children born between August '80 and July '81 should contact Larry Schlanser at 420-0285.

42153 Westmeath Ct., Northville 48167.

> HANDBALL, RACQUETBALL, PADDLEBALL: If you enjoy hand-ball, racquetball or paddleball, open court time is being offered by Schoolcraft College. Courts can be sche-duled for doubles play. Gloves, paddles, racquets, balls and lockers are furnished.

> For more information, call 462-4413.

NOVI TRACKERS: Membership in the Novi Trackers Running Club is open to all interested individuals regardless of age, sex or skill level.

SOFTBALL: Adult softball registrations are now being taken for summer softball. Leagues will include men's, women's, 35-and-over and co-ed.

If you think you might be interested in signing up a team you need to pick up a registration form as soon as possible. For more info call the Recreation Department at 349-0203.

Peg Campbell/Health

Open swimming is Mondays and Wednesdays from 8 to 9:30 p.m., and Saturdays 12:30 to 2:30 p.m.

TRAVEL COACHES NEEDED: Northville Junior Baseball is looking for travel coaches for the 1992 season. Interested parties should contact Bob Willerer at 348-0975.

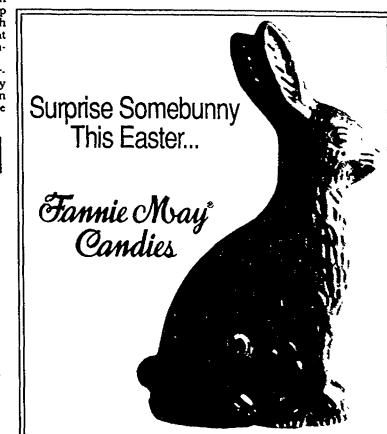
NHS SEASON PASSES: Family passes to all home athletic events at Northville High School are available for \$35.

To order, contact Sue Christenson STATE PARK PERMITS: State at 349-7933, or send a check made Park Permits for 1992 are now on out to NHS Athletic Boosters and list sale. The prices are the same as last all names in your family. Mail to:

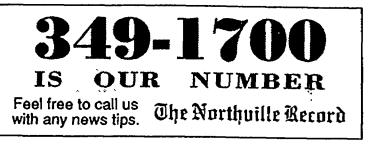
Prospective members are invited to join the Trackers for either or both of their twice-weekly runs. The group meets Wednesdays at Novi High School at 6:30 p.m. and Saturdays at O'Sheehan's on Seven Mile in Northville at 8 a.m.

More information about membership in the Trackers is available by calling the Novi Parks and Recreation at 347-0400 or President Jeanne Willford at 227-3127.

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# Step undergoes heart valve surgery



Randy Step, of Running Fit in Novi, would normally write this column. But he is unable to do so this week because he had heart value surgery April 6. He is doing well and should be out of the hospital just about the time this article goes to press. Peg Campbell of

the University of Michigan Health Centers is serving as guest writer for this column.

Those who know Randy Step would never guess that he had a heart problem. With a list of athletic credentials that includes two Imoman World Triathlons and more than 25 full marathons, it's astounding that he could accomplish these with a malfunctioning heart valve.

A full marathon is a 26.2-mile race. While completing a marathon is a major accomplishment in itself, the Hawairan Ironman Triathlon begins with a 2.5-mile ocean swim, is followed by a 112-mile bike race through the searing heat of the Kona lava fields, and finishes with a 26.2-mile marathon. Step completed all three in 11 hours, which gave him a finish with the top 20 percent of his competitors.

Step was voted Runner of the Year by the

readers of Michigan Runner magazine in 1989. He organizes several races each year, including the 340-mile Race to Mackinaw, a team realay race that begins in Novi. He's founder and president of Running Fit, a three-store chain specializing in running shoes and other running equipment, and he's co-owner of American Gym and Fitness Equipment, a seven-store chain of exercise equipment.

If it's hard for his friends to accept, you can imagine how hard it was for Step, now 35 years old, to accept when he was diagnosed with a leaking aortic valve four years ago. The problem has existed since birth. "I feel great and have absolutely no symptoms of a problem," he said. That's what made it so hard to stop competing. It took about a year for the reality of the problem to set in." Over the past three years, Step has not run more than 35 miles in a week, raced full force or run more than a 13-mile race.

In last week's column, Dr. Hobbs explained that the heart has four chambers — two atria at the top and two large ventricles at the bottom. The right side of the heart pumps blood to the lungs, where fresh oxygen is received, and then the left side pumps blood to the rest of the body. Since the left ventricle supplies blood to most of the body, it is thicker and stronger than the other chambers. It's also one of the most important chambers because it supplies blood to such an extensive area.

Step explained that his aortic valve leak puts

a tremendous load on the left ventricle of his heart. The severity of the leak caused about half the blood pumped out of my left ventricle to leak back, giving only half the output my body is calling for," he said. "To compensate for this inefficiency, my left ventricle enlarged to pump twice as much blood so that with half of it leaking back, the other half meets my body's demand.

The problem is that the left ventricle cannot take the strain and will eventually develop fibrosis and lose function that will never return." Step continued. The secret here is to replace the valve just before that point. My heart has been carefully monitored for functional changes since I became aware of the problem."

After four years of waiting, the replacement became absolutely necessary this spring. Step needed to select a replacement valve from three choices: a mechanical valve, an animal valve or a homograph (a human transplanted valve). With his wife, Kathy, Step did extensive research, interviews and discussions and finally opted for a complicated surgical procedure that only about five surgeons in the world would recommend.

His surgeon at St. Joesph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor suggested that since the heart is basically symmetrical and the pulmonary valve in the right ventricle is very much like the aortic valve in left ventricle.

# **REAL ESTATE CREATIVE LIVING**



### REALESTATE Flexible commission rates are now possible

### By James M. Woodard Copley News Service

Real estate commissions charged by brokers are strictly negotiable - and tend to be decreasing in most markets throughout the country.

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"In our Board, we probably have as many home-sale transactions where the broker's commission is 5 percent as 6 percent," said Joe Young, president of a California Board of Realtors. "Commissions now generally range from about 4 to 8 percent in residential transactions

That's a contrast from "the old days" in the real estate brokerage industry when the 6 percent commission was virtually unshakable. In fact, the commission amount was often mandated by a regional board of Realtors.

Today, commissions are not only negotiable between broker and client, that fact is printed in most listing contract forms.

The commission must be enough to cover the broker's costs and generate a reasonable income," Young said. "Otherwise, there's no incentive for the listing broker (and cooperating brokers) to actively promote and market the property.'

When two or more brokers work together on a property transaction, they share the commission stipu-lated in the listing contract. Then within a brokerage firm, the com-mission is further split between the broker (compány) and the sales associate who handled the transaction. After paying for advertising. printed materials and business overhead, the bottom-line profit for

the firm is often whittled down to a bare-bones amount. Also, to keep commission revenues in proper perspective, it should be noted that the broker normally doesn't receive any commission income until a sale is consummated and the transaction is closed. Considerable money and time is necessarily expended on activities that never generate a cent.

To gain an edge on competition, some brokers are offering full ser-vice—including exposure through a Multiple Listing Service—for a reduced commission, like 4 percent or 5 percent.

Some are creative in structuring a commission schedule. One broker, for example, offers service for a brokerage commission of 6 percent for the first \$100,000 of the home's price, then 4 percent of the remaining amount.



Bob Waun relaxes in the living room of his new home in the Lake Sherwood subdivision.



### The Frenchglen offers a touch of the Mediterranean

By James McAlexander Copley News Service

A stucco exterior, accent windows and a red-tile roof give a French Mediterranean flavor to the

side onto the terrazzo patio. The master suite also is on the main floor. This arrangement provides privacy for couples with children and allows empty nesters to confine their daily lives to the lower level, leaving the upstairs for visiting grandchildren and other guests. The master bath features his-and-her walk-in closets and has a compartmentalized toilet and two basins in a dressing area. An open stairway curves up one side of an entryway that is vaulted to the second floor, providing a view of the foyer from the landing at the top. The three large rooms upstairs could be used as bedrooms or put to other uses. In the upstairs bathroom, a pocket door separates the water closet from the twin vanities. Extra storage is available in a closet at the end of the hall. Soiled laundry takes the easy way down with a laundry chute that drops into the utility room below.

ob Waun of Milford has seen the broken dreams, the heartache and the disappointment. No, Waun is not a clinical psychologist, therapist or marriage counselor. Waun is a loan officer,

and he has recently collaborated on a new book on the best ways to attain financing for first-time buyers and avoid the disappointment that often goes along with buying a home.

Your First Step Toward Home Ownership" was recently published by Southfield-based Village Mortgage Co., where Waun is employed.

Waun and his wife recently purchased their second home in the Lake Sherwood subdivision in Commerce Township.

In order to avoid the previously-mentioned heartache. Waun has developed a step-by-step process to allow potential home buyers to stay in touch with reality and evaluate what they can afford in order to achieve the American dream of owning a home.

Waun, assistant vice president of the company, co-authored the book with the sociates War potential homeowners to develop their own plan of evaluating income, determining affordability and making the right decisions to make home ownership a reality.



Story by Martin E. Deschaine Photos by Charlie Cortez

spacious home, sipping lemonade, the 23-

scrimped and saved to purchase their first home in Royal Oak. While it was not always easy to live in a less-than-luxurious domicile, he said the saving paid off in the long run.

First-time buyers will often have to sacrifice to make their initial home purchase, but once that is done they can gain equity and move on to a larger home the second time around.

Waun admits typical first-time homeowners would be remiss to think they could save enough money to purchase a 2,400-square-foot home like the one he now owns.

Pretty simply, you need a plan," said Waun of the key to his publication. You've got to have the plan before you can do just about anything."

"It's a lot easier to shop when you have money." he said, referring to price ranges. What we're saying in the book is to go to the lender first, find out what you qualify for before you go out there and get in an embarrassing situation.

In order to plot your strategy, Waun outlines various steps in the book to attain your goal. Saving money is a key, but so is outlining your assets, debts and identifying what you seek in a home.

Frenchglen.

Columns flank the stately entrance, and inside, slender-column archways grace the passages between each of the family living areas. Another set of columns in the master suite add a surprise touch of elegance to the spa.

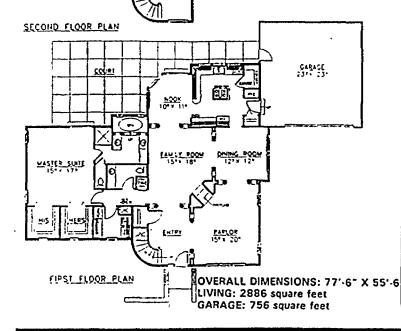
The family room is at the hub of the home. A French see-through fireplace connects the family room to the living room, offering enjoy-ment of fires from either room.

You can park the car in the garage and carry groceries right into the kitchen, which has a central cooking island and a large step-in pantry. There's room enough in this big kitchen for a freezer, as well as refrigerator, and the nearby nook is awash in light from two walls of windows. One of the walls is actually sliding-glass doors, allowing meals to move out-

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For a study plan of the Frenchglen (209-50), send \$7.50 to Land-

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Saving 15 percent of your income before the bills are paid is an important step, he insists. While sitting in his brand-new,

year-old Waun explained that sacrifices need to be made in order to reach the goal of owning a home.

Waun said he and his wife just moved to the area, buying their second home. Getting to this point, however, has not always been easy, he emphasizes. The couple ate a lot of macaroni and cheese and

It is also important to establish what you can afford in a house payment, budget your salary to save as much as possible, and establish a goal chart. One chapter in the book addresses the

optimum time to purchase a home. That

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## Tasty tomatoes

By C Z. Guest **Copley News Service** 

There's nothing like a ripe. juicy tomato to liven up a tossed salad, especially if it's a tasty tomato you've grown in your very own garden.

Varieties abound. Tomatoes can be red, orange and even green, and all are immensely delicious. Tomatoes can be grown just about anywhere: on the ground, in containers or hanging baskets and on vines that climb fences or specially made cage

Environmentally concerned tomato gardeners can take advantage of Mother Nature's many resources. Rich, moist soil combined with adequate sunshine and the regular nourishment of an all-natural fertilizer, such as Nature's Best All Natural Organic Garden Fertilizer, promotes chem-ical-free fruit growth and results in full-bodied, deliclous tomatoes.

Tomatoes are warm-weather plants and thrive best when set out in the garden once evening temperatures hit 55 degrees. Garden supply retailers generally stock the most popular seedling varieties at the appropriate planting time. In this case (starting from seed), a two- to six-week process is required before the gar-

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den is ready for planting.

The first step when starting from seed is to purchase individual peat pots filled with a sterile sphagnum planting medium or compressed peat pellets that expand when watered. Then push one or two seeds approximately 12 inch into the potting mixture. Expect small green seedlings seven to 10 days after the peat pot has been put in large, dry baking dish and protected with a layer of light plastic covering. Though the planting mixture should be kept moist, make certain not to overwater.

Once seedlings appear. move the trays to a sunny but relatively cool location and continue to keep the planting mixture moist.

The smart gardener can do his or her work while Mother Nature does hers. In other words, gardeners should be prepping the garden bed while seedlings are sprouting indoors.

Choose a section of the garden that receives plenty of sun. Mix garden soil thor-oughly with sphagnum peat moss and compost, which adds organic matter to sandy Continued on 2

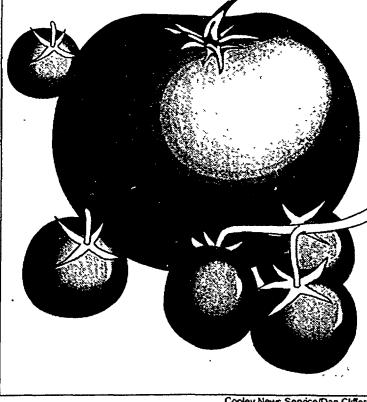
### **Tomato tips**

**When starting tomatoes** from seed, allow two to six weeks before transplanting them to the garden.

Plant seeds in individual peat pots filled with sterile sphagnum or compressed peat pellets.

Plant one or two seeds in each pot, pushing them a half-inch into the potting mixture.

Protect seedlings with a layer of light plastic. Keep planting mixture moist without overwatering.



Copley News Service/Dan Clifford

# Milford loan officer offers 'Waun'-derful advice for first timers

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chapter concludes that anytime you can afford a home is a good time to buy. . The key to the book and Waun's philosophy is to be

realistic about what you want and can afford.

You're wasting (realtors') time if you're looking for a \$100,000 range, when you should be looking in the \$80.000 range."

"We have seen that a lot, and that is why we decided there is more education needed in the first-time buyer community."

Waun, who has helped consult a "few hundred" first-time buyers, said he and his wife have sacrificed to get their second home.

You have to buy within your means and give up certain things to have other things."

"My wife told me the other day that some friends commented to her that they wanted to buy (but could not afford) a house. A moment later they were telling her about the new Corvette they just bought."

"It's amazing, when people go out and shop first they are unrealistic. That's what the realtors tell me. They want a three-bedroom house with a two-car garage, with a Jacuzzi tub but only want a \$535 house payment."

The Charlevoix native has been in the business for four years and is about to graduate with a bachelor's degree in business administration from Walsh College in Troy.

Practicing what he preaches. Waun said he and Cherle worked hard to save money in order to purchase their first home.

We built up our discipline in our first house," he said, partially by putting away 15 percent of his gross monthly income. "Anytime you're in an apartment, it's a good time to buy a house."

The biggest problem first-time homeowners face.



Waun's new home also includes a study where he spends a great deal of time working.

Waun said, is realizing their financial limitations. Their ego steps in and they say they don't waant that house. A lot of people who have the money already will stay in their apartments because they just can't see themselves living there."

Once people let go of their pride, they will realize

that a little work and a lot of elbow grease will turn even a handyman's special into a home. They're alraid to go in and tell someone what they

make, and that they can't afford it." Rejection is not part of Waun's plan, he said,

because the potential homeowners he consults already know what to expect and don't have lofty. unrealistic goals which can't be achieved. They know they got, say \$90,000 to spend on a house so they don't go out and make an offer" on a more expensive home.

"And they're confident because they have this preapproval letter that says they're good for a certain amount. The whole transaction goes much smoother."

Buying and affording a home is an emotional thing. You take your whole family out and your in-laws to see this house you made an offer on, and 30 days later you find out you are rejected.

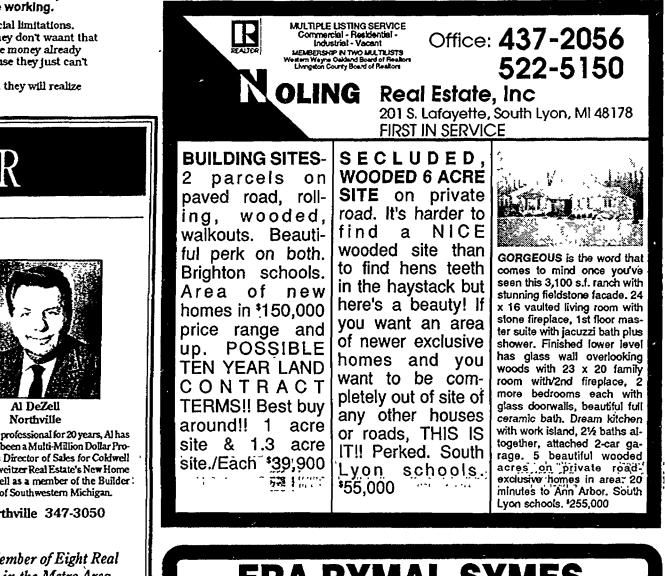
Those people may never buy. I had a couple who were 55 years old and just bought their first house a year ago. The reason why they lived in their apart-ment for 17 years was because they tried to make an offer on a house 12 years ago and the offer didn't go through because they couldn't afford it. They were so embarrassed by it that they never tried again." Waun said the Federal Housing Administration is

among the loan sources available for first-time buy-The book also features a "simple all-American

English" glossary of mortgaging and real estate terms. Showing visitors parts of his home, Waun said he is proud to own a nice home at such a relatively young age. But by his own account, it took a lot of saving, realistic goal-setting and hard work.

The book is available at Border's Book Shop, 31150 Southfield Road, Birmingham; the book store at Walsh College, 3838, Livernois, Troy; the book store at Oakland Community College, Orchard Ridge Campus, 27055 Orchard Lake Road, Farmington Hills









This primitive washstand was made in the mid-1800s.

# A valuable pine washstand

By James G. McCollam Copley News Service

Q. Enclosed is a picture of a pine washstand commode. I know it is more than 100 years old, but I would like to have your opinion as to vintage and value.

A. This is a nice. primitive washstand made in the mid-1800s. A dealer would price it at \$375 to \$400.

9. The mark is on the bottom of my Hummel figure of a monk is a script "Goebel" with a crown above it. The figure is 5-1/2 inches tall. Can you tell me when it was made and what it might sell for?

A. This figurine is called Friar Tuck; it is not a Hummel. It was made by the same company (Goebel) but was not designed by Sister Maria Innocentia Hummel. All genuine Hummels are signed "M.I. Hummel.

Your figurine was made in the mid-20th century and would probably sell for about \$35 to \$45.

### KPM

KPM are the initials of the Konigliche Porzellan Manufaktur (Royal Porcelain Factory), which was founded in Berlin under the auspices of Frederick the Great of Prussia in

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1752. This factory produced some of the finest porcelain made in Europe.

The earliest pieces were marked with a "W." and then a "G." From 1760 to 1830, the mark was in the form of a scepter. Also, from 1823 to 1832, the Prussian eagle over "K.P.M." was used.

From 1832 to 1847. "K.P.M." with a cross. sphere and scepter or with the Prussian eagle appeared on their products. From 1847 to the present, the mark has again been a scepter, sometimes with a seal.

Since "K.P.M." was also used by the Krister factory in Waldenberg. Germany, and the Kister company in Schlebe-Alsbach, Germany. caution is required when identifying genuine "K.P.M."

During the early years, KPM porcelain had a dense white glaze over a white base. Coloring was brilliant and details were exquisite. As the 18th century ended, the production of complete dinner services increased and the famous KPM plaques were introduced.

From 1852 until the end of World War I. KPM was under the control of the monarchy. Currently, the company is the property of the city of Berlin.

Generally, figurines and plaques are the most eagerly sought items. For example, a 19th-century figure of a man and a woman (9 inches tall) sells for about \$800 to \$900. A 7by-5-inch plaque of a Cupid made in the mid-1800s sells for \$500 to \$650.

### **BOOK REVIEW**

"Old American Kitchenware" by Louise Lantz (available from Louise Lantz, 5703 Williams Road, Hydes. MD 21082, \$10 postpaid) is a special limited-edition reprint of the first and most authoritative book on the subject.

It covers everything from primitive Colonial housewares to those of the early 20th centu-

Lantz has written two other books and numerous magazine articles. Her collection of kitchenware exceeds 3,000 items. She is the leading authority on the subject.

Letters with picture(s) are welcome and may be answered in the column. We cannot reply personally or return pictures. Address your letters to James G. McCollam, P.O. Box 1087, Notre Dame, IN 46556.

McCollam is a member of the Antique Appraisers Association of America.

# Tasty tomatoes and do your strawberries propagate?

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soils and lightens heavy clay soils. Then spread 2 to 3 pounds of fertilizer for every 100 square feet of soil and work it into the top 3 to 4 inches of the garden's soil.

Set the plants into the ground gently. Though seedlings tend to come with a few roots, additional roots can be developed by cutting off the lower branches and planting them deeper in the soil. Allow 1-1/2 to 2 inches between staked plants. between 2 and 3 inches for from that of regular varieties? those that are unstaked.

Vulnerable seedlings are best protected from bugs by slipping collars" around the plant's base. A plastic foam cup with the bottom pushed out works well. To promote moisture retention and to create a decorative look while discouraging weed growth. a bark mulch is suggested.

9. Is the care and propagation of alpine strawberries different

Alpine strawberries produce smaller fruit on smaller plants over a longer harvest season than modern strawberries. However, the total yield is less. If given full sun, rich soil and a steady supply of water, alpine strawberries will thrive and fruit easily.

Alpines don't throw many runners, but they can be propagated by either runners or dividing mature plants. To divide, encour-

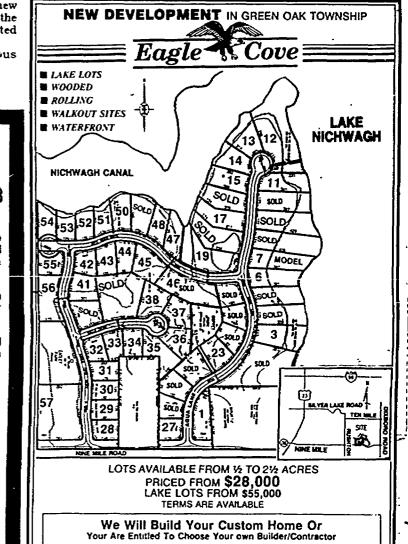
age more roots on side crowns by mounding soil over the base of the plant in late summer or early fall. After the ground has frozen it's best to mulch plants in 3 to 6 inches of straw. (You don't need to cut back the plants).

In spring, remove the mulch just before growth starts. When new growth starts, you can dig up the plants. cut apart the well-rooted sections and replant.

Several varieties of delicious

alpine strawberries are available to gardeners. Suggested sources: ity whose work appears in House Wayside Gardens, Garden Lane, and Garden and author of numer-Hodges. SC 29695-0001 and W. ous books and videos, including Atlee Burpee Co., 300 Park Ave., Warminster, PA 18974.

C.Z. Guest is a gardening author-"Five Seasons of Gardening" (Little, Brown and Co.).



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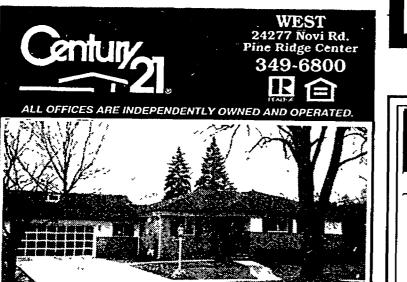
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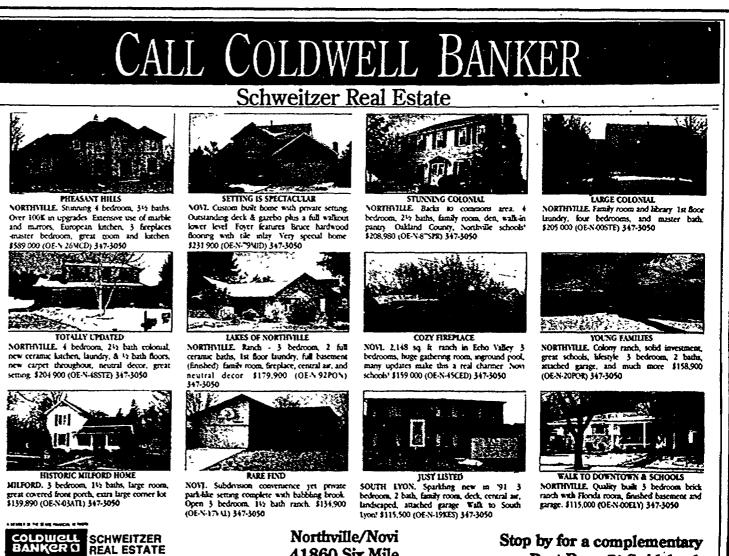
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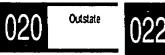
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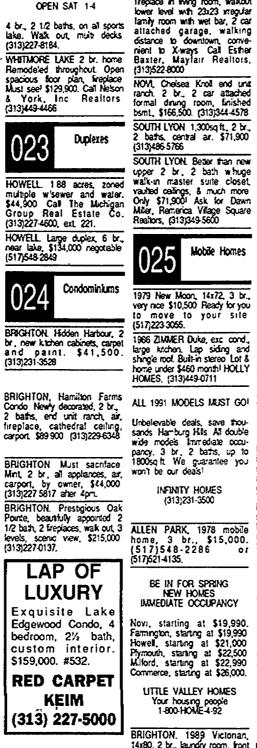
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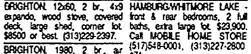
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# CLASSIFIED **GREEN SHEET**



## New bulk food store catches lots of attention

#### By Marilyn Herald

it's a fairyland for kids, a step back into childhood for adults and a great place to browse while you choose between Tear Jerkers, Jelly Bellies and good old-fashioned chocolate.

Jacklyn Fox said she and her husband Malcolm wanted to have a business their kids and the children of the community could enjoy when they opened Nuts About Sweets just before Halloween last fall.

Now 6 months old, the bulk food sweet shop located at 636 N. Lafayette in Huntington Square, South Lyon certainly has caught the attention of young and old alike. A recent half-day vacation from school provided youngsters with the opportunity to feast their eyes and their stomachs on Fox's wide variety of goodies, while mom scanned the many specialties among the Easter line-up. Hours at the shop are 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. Mondays through Fridays: 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturdays; and noon to 5 p.m. Sundays.

"We have 500-600 bins of candies. nuts and other items in bulk." Fox said, smiling at an older child who was carefully checking the weight on her selection of gummies to see that it fell within her budget.

We have lots of people come in here and say 'I haven't seen Black Jacks like this since I was a kid. Fox commented.

A resident of South Lyon for 41/2 years, Fox said part of the impetus for opening her own store came from the enjoyment she and her daughters.

Jennifer, 13, and Jessica, 5, got from a similar store in Novi."We used to go in there a lot," she explained. "An older man owned it and when he died, it closed. We were so sad."

Currently. Fox is all set for the Easter rush with her store walls and counters lined with all kinds of candy bunnies, rabbits, eggs and just about anything a child could want to find in an Easter basket. In fact, the store itself looks a little like a great big Easter basket with its pastel colors of blue, yellow, green and pink.

Both imposing and inviting is the giant free-hand painting of "Fred the Smooch" on a big plate glass window of the storefront. Painted by Paul Lockwood, a South Lyon schools student, Fred wishes everyone a "Happy Easter" and announces that he will be at the store from 1.5 p.m. Saturday, April 18.

Parents are invited to bring their kids and their cameras and get pictures of the 12-foot-tall Fred with

their youngsters. During Fred's visit, there will also be a drawing for Troll dolls and Easter baskets as an Easter promotion to aid in diabetes reseach.

It may appear a little unusual for a candy store to be helping in the fight against diabetes, but it seems perfectly natural to Fox, who carries special no-sugar candy items for those who have the disease.

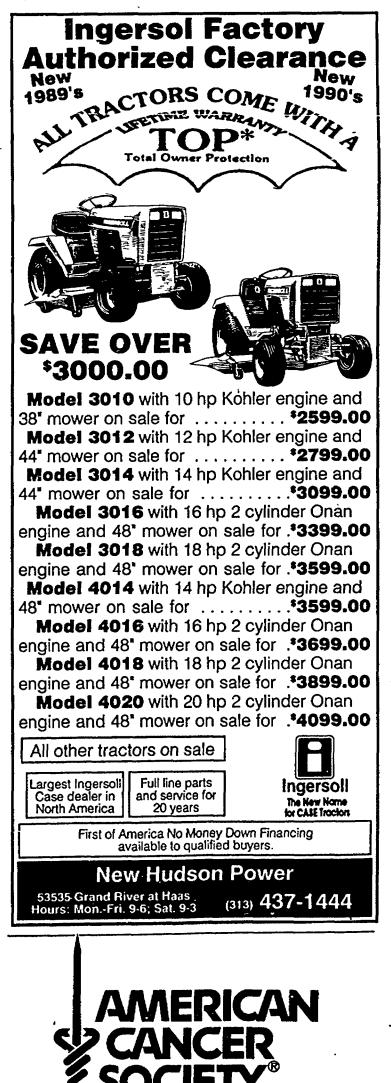
"I especially feel sorry for kids to have the heartbreak of having to go without candy," Fox explained. "I have melting chocolate without su-

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Megan Fox, owner Jackie Fox, and Jennifer Fox show off hot-selling trolls.

Photo by CHARLE CORTEZ







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#### **Business Briefs**



Northville Township Supervisor Betty Lennox cut the ribbon at the grand opening of the Meijer gas station at Eight Mile and Haggerty.

THE MELJER GAS STATION is now open for business at the corner of Eight Mile and Haggerty roads in Northville Township.

The gas station serves Meijer customers with gasoline, kerosene, diesel fuel, motor oil, free air and a free car vacuum cleaner. The convenience store offers everything from fresh hot coffee and chocolate, doughnuts and cigarettes to milk, snacks, aspirin and auto accessories, all with the company's pledge of "first in line" service.

Manager of the new store is Kathy Roberts, and co-manager is Rhonda Adams.

**METROMEDICAL GROUP** and Health Alliance Plan recently announced the opening of their new office center, Metro Medical Group-Novi, at 40000 W. Eight Mile Road in Novi. Call 380-6200 for more information.

**RON MCNEAL**, a Realtor with Schweitzer Real Estate of Northville, was granted his Graduate Realtor Institute designation at the recent awards dinner for the Western Wayne Oakland County Association of Realtors.

At the same event, he was also presented with the President's Club Award and the Educational Achievement Award. The awards were presented by Ruth Clevers, president of the WWOCAR.

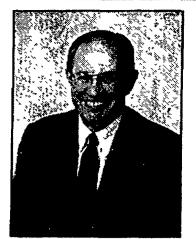
The GRI designation, demonstrating professionalism in theory as well as in practice, is conferred after successful completion of a minimum of 90 hours of classroom instruction and subsequent testing. The designation is held by less than 1 percent of all Michigan Realtors.

The President's Club Award was presented to McNeal for his active involvement in the Association's public and member relations committee, other association functions and for his having produced over \$2½ million of residential real estate sales in 1991. The Educational Achievement Award was given in honor of McNeal's ongoing efforts to promote professionalism through continuing real estate education.

Schweitzer Real Estate is at 505 N. Center St. Call 349-1515.

#### JAN'S BLIND CLEANING SERVICE is a new service in Northville which cleans vertical and horizontal blinds.

Operated by Jan Mnich, the company uses the "Ultrasonic" cleaning method to clean blinds of wood or fabric. Blinds are placed into a



Ron McNeal

Ron Winters

"bath" which closely resembles a small jewelry cleaner. A unique process "of 40,000 bubbles removes dirt from pets, cigarette smoke, fire, grease and dust off each blind.

Jan's Blind Cleaning will pick up blinds of any kind or size at your home or office and return them within a day or two. The company serves the Northville, Novi, South Lyon, and Plymouth.

For more information, or an appointment to have your blinds picked up, call 349-9033.

**RE/MAX 100 INC.** recently announced that four of its associates were awarded membership in the prestigious RE/MAX 100% Club to honor their high sales volume in 1991.

Donna Donaldson, Ron Ochala, Rachel Rion, Diane Braykovich and owner/broker Crystal Cunningham-Halley were named to the 100% Club. Braykovich was also recognized as the fourth highest RE/MAX producer in the Detroit Metro region for 1991.

To be awarded membership in the 100% Club, an associate must have annual sales volume in excess of \$3.4 million. Thirty-five associates in the Metro Detroit region were awarded membership.

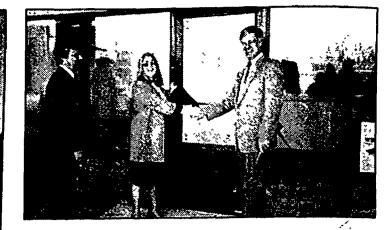
RE/MAX 100 Inc. is located at 39500 Orchard Hill Place, Suite 130. Call 348-3000.

MANUFACTURERS BANK recently announced that Mark K. Koszyk of Northville was among its officers promoted in the month of March. Koszyk was promoted to second vice president and account officer in regional banking. Division A.

RANDY CLARK, Broker/Owner of RE/MAX Countryside in South Lyon, was recently awarded the RE/MAX Spirit award. Ed Le Voir, regional director for the RE/MAX Detroit Metro Region, presented the award at RE/MAX Detroit Metro's 13th Annual Dinner Dance at Penna's of Sterling in Sterling Heights.

Clark received the Spirit award for the outstanding participating and enthusiasm he and his office displayed at RE/MAX activities and events during 1991. Overall, the Spirit Award recognizes the RE/MAX Broker/Owner and his or her office that exhibits and exceptional interest and involvement in their personal and professional growth.

Clark has been with RE/MAX since opening RE/MAX Countryside



Reliable opened with Lee Barrons, Ginger Barrons and Novi Mayor Matt Quinn.

in November of 1990. He has served South Lyon and the surrounding area as a Realtor, builder and developer for nearly 13 years. Clark attended the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor and Eastern Michigan Unversity in Ypsilanti.

A lifeong resident of South Lyon, Clark is married and the father of two. The phone number is 486-5000. The 2,300-square-foot office is fully automated and offers private suites for 15 sales associates.

RE/MAX is an international real estate firm with more than 30,000 real estate associates working out of over 1,865 independently owned and operated offices. It is the largest real estate franchise in Canada and the second largest in the United States. RE/MAX currently has 21 offices in Oakland, Wayne and Macomb Counties. In all of Michigan, RE/MAX has a total of more than 780 real estate associations working out of 76 offices.

**GRAPHICOLOR SYSTEMS** of Northville has announced the appointment of **RON WINTERS** as production manager. Winters held a similar position at Lettergraphics/Detroit. GraphiColor Systems specializes in the production of high-quality, short-run and one-of-a-kind color imaging/printing, for a wide variety of applications.

GraphiColor Systems is at 43334 W. Seven Mile, Suite 400. Call 347-0271.

**RELIABLE REAL ESTATE** announces its grand opening. Reliable is located in Pheasant Run Plaza, 39809 Grand River, Novi, just west of Haggerty Road. The company is owned by Ginger Barrons, who is a successful Realtor in the Western Wayne Oakland area. Ribbon cuting ceremonies were held March 3, with mayor Matthew C. Quinn officiating.

Barrons reports that Reliable is a full service company offering national relocation, and home warranty. She added that the public is always welcome to visit the office. The office setting by design is set up for professional Realtors, as each associate will have the privacy of their own office under a traditional commission split basis.

Barrons will be interviewing potential associates to ensure affiliates who join the firm are professional, knowledgeable and caring. "As a family run business it is important to me that each customer we make contact with feel the experience was pleasant and satisfied their objectives." Barrons said.



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#### Mary DiPaolo/Focus: Small Business

## Remember purpose of seminars



Q: "I'm very interested in conducting semlars about my company and what we offer to our business customers. How do I get started?"

A: Before anything else, keep in mind that the purpose of a seminar is to inform and educate particip-

ants on one or more topics they know little or nothing about. If your proposed seminar does not attempt to do this, it will be perceived as nothing more than an obvious "sales pitch" among attending guests.

To help you decide on prospective seminar topics, consider the most common questions asked by potential customers about your business industry. As an example, I recently spoke with a management consultant who developed a seminar devoted exclusively to the topic of "legal forms of business" serving to present the

pros and cons of each legal form up to the would-be entrepreneur. You can also review the "upcoming events" section of various business trade publications to get a good idea of the seminars now being offered by industry professionals. First-time seminar programs may initially be

offered to local community groups (such as Rotary clubs, businesses networking groups, and service organizations) as part of their monthly luncheon program(s) or annual membership meeting(s). Taking advantage of these speaking opportunities allows you to "fine tune" your seminar (and presentation skills) before it is offered to industry associations and other professional groups on a fee-paid basis.

Regarding the subject of compensation, you will find that most organizations offer honorariums" (a standard fee ranging from \$50-\$100) to guest lecturers and speakers conducting "short" seminar sessions (two hours or less). Of course, you are free to sponsor your own seminar(s) held at local community centers and libraries, your own office, other business facilities, etc. In this type of situation, the perperson seminar fee may range anywhere from \$0-\$75, depending on session length, material preparation and/or distribution costs, and room rental rates.

Q: What are some of the common mistakes first-time seminar leaders make?"

A: The laundry list is as follows: 1. not knowing enough on the semnar topic being presented, 2. not "practicing" the seminar presentation enough times as is necessary to be completely comfortable with the material, 3. trying to cover too much material in too short a time frame, 4. "reading" the seminar presentation from script or note cards, 5. not having enough handouts or business cards for distribution to attending guests, 6. not making a point to collect business cards from attending guests, and 7. failing to follow up on any "leads" generated as a result of the presentation.

Many DiPaolo, a Northville resident, owns the local marketing firm MarkeTrends.

### Thursday, April 16, 1992-GREEN SHEET EAST-3-D

## **Small business** seminars set

Entrepreneurs from across Mi-

chigan will have the opportunity to learn about critical small business issues and become acquainted with the state's best and brightest companies during Small Business Day '92, scheduled for April 28 at the Novi Hilton, Haggerty Road just above Eight Mile.

The event features an awards ceremony for Boyd Berends. chairman of Holland-based Pro-Light, who was selected Michigan Small Business Person of the Year by the U.S. Small Business Administration, and an evening banquet recognizing the firms of 1992 Michigan Private 100, a ranking of the state's fastest-growing, privately held companies.

The day also includes workshops geared to the concerns of small business in Michigan, addressing issues such as: securing financing for your company. marketing on a small budget, exporting and sources of assistance. responding to environmental

challenges. The Private 100 awards banquet will feature Murray Feldman. businss editor of WJBK-TV and WWJ NewRadio 95. who will speak on the business climate. both inside and outside an organization.

Other highlights of the program include a morning panel discussion featuring six previous win-ners of the Small Business Person of the Year award, a luncheon during with Berends and others will receive their awards, and an exhibit of information for small businesses.

Small Business Day '92 begins at 9:30 a.m. at the Novi Hilton. Tickets for the entire program are \$80. A reduced rate is available for either the luncheon or the banquet. Reduced-priced hotel reservations are also available. For more information, call Richard Temkin of the SBA at 226-6075. extension 84.

## Bulk food store catches attention

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offerings are designed especially for the younger generation, there's plenty besides candy to attract

"People come in and order 20

Fox stressed that if she doesn't

Many novelty and gift items are

Nuts About Sweets is not Fox's

wanted to try something different," she explained.

She also drove a South Lyon

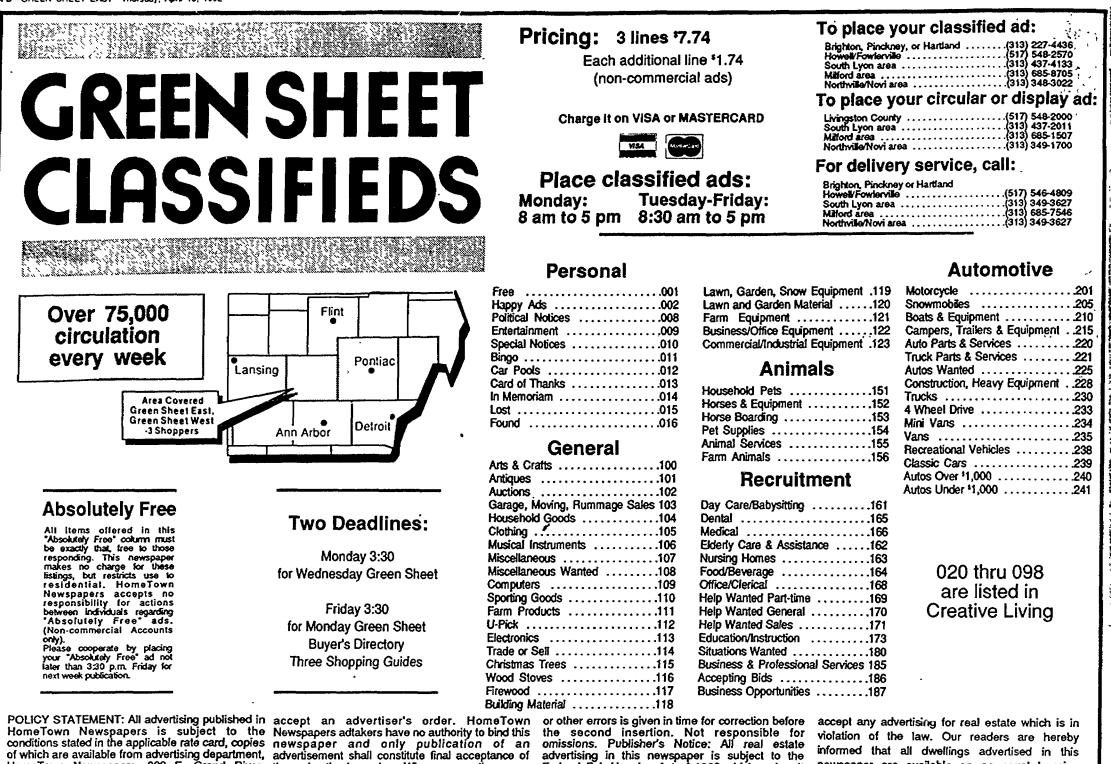
that's how we finally met." A few months later, Jackie and Malcolm decided to combine their families and she became the mother of six instead of two. Two boys and two girls, Melissa, 17, Malcolm Jr.,

family version of "The Brady Bunch."









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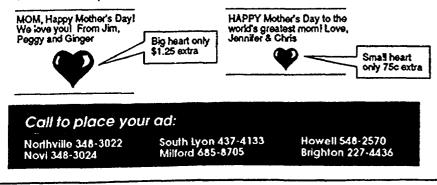


## Happy Mother's Day Ads

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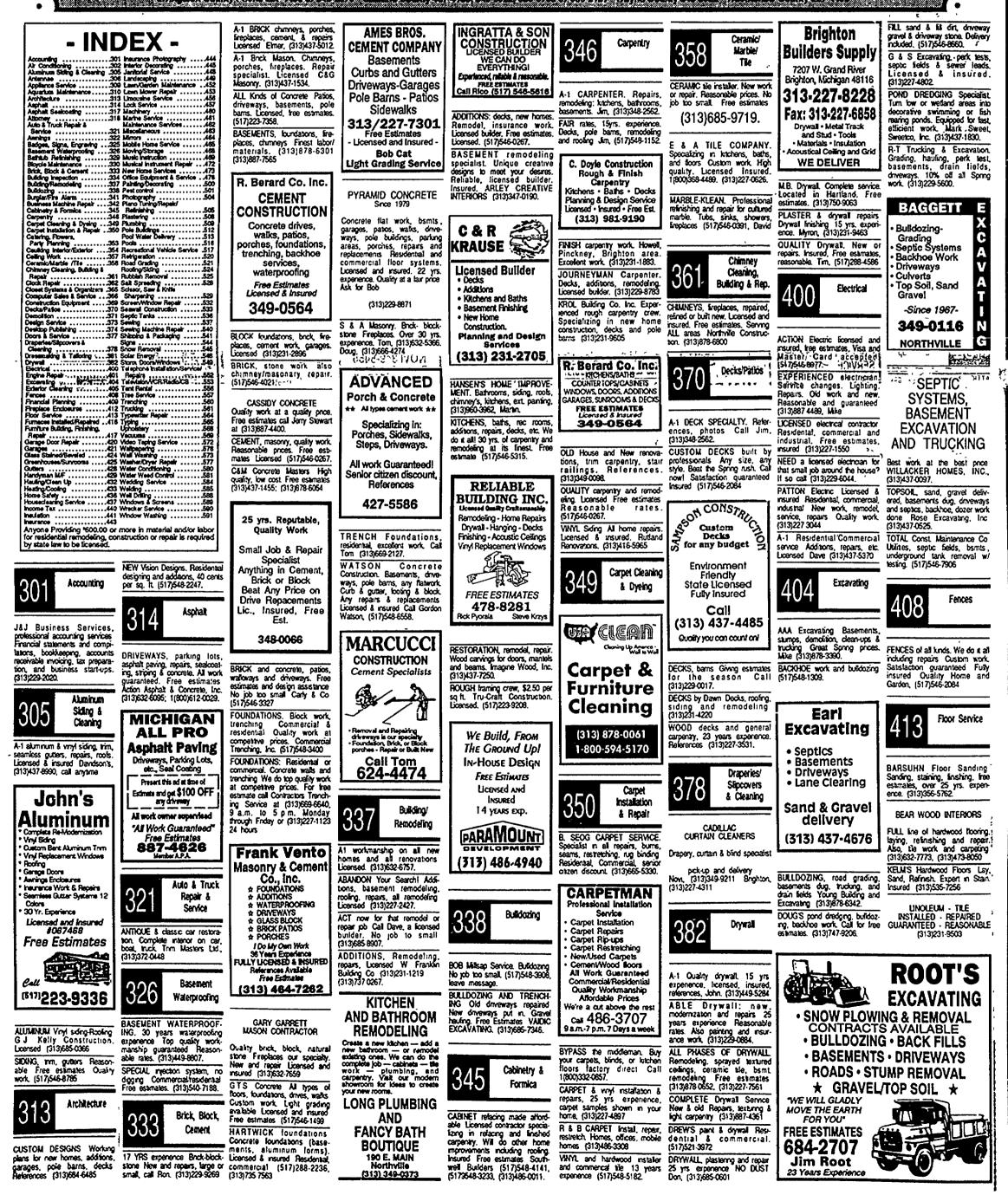


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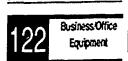
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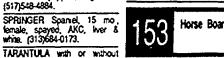
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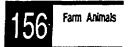
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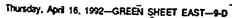
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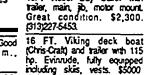
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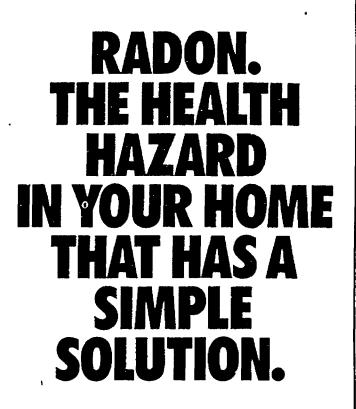
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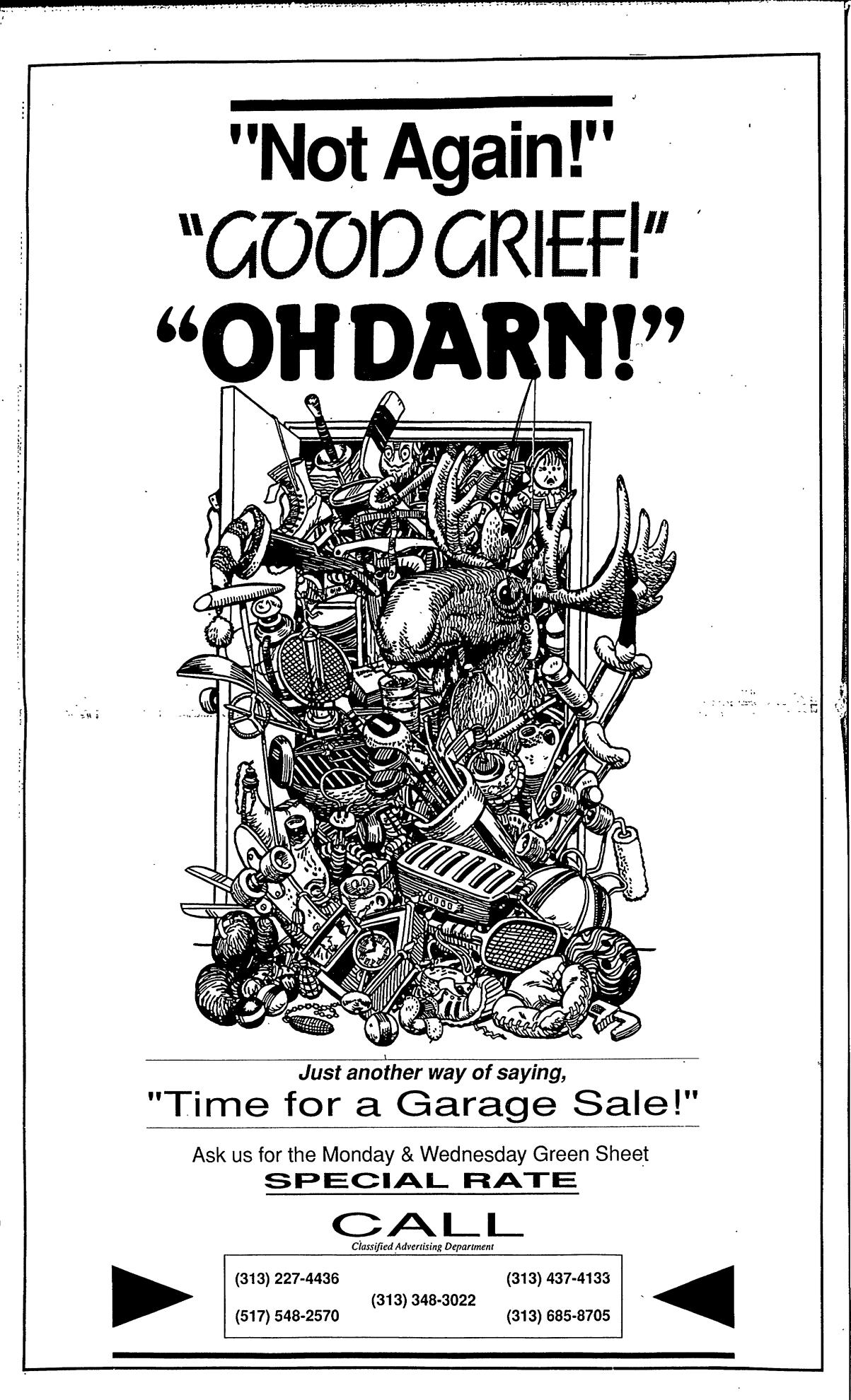
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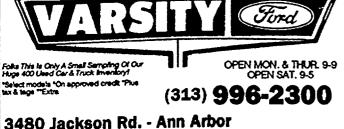
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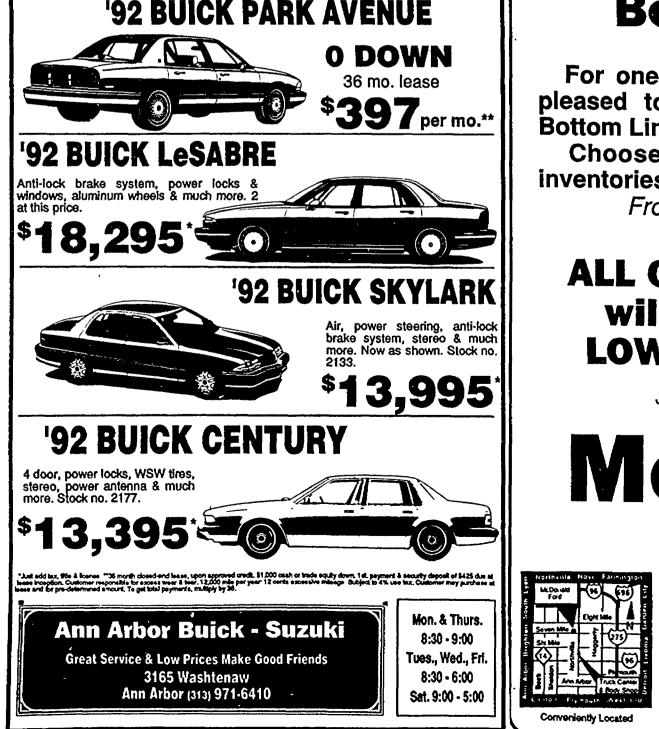
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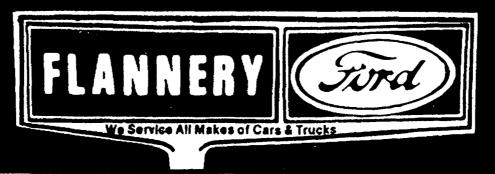
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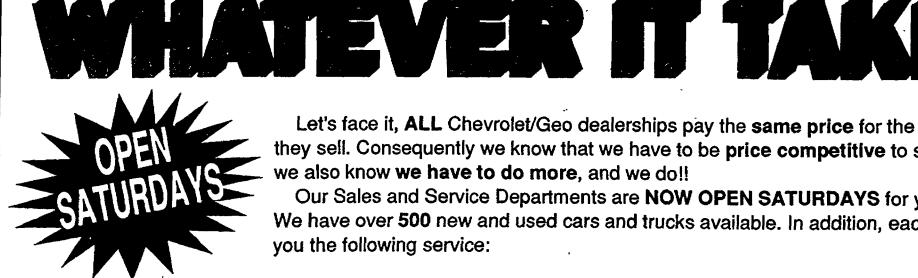
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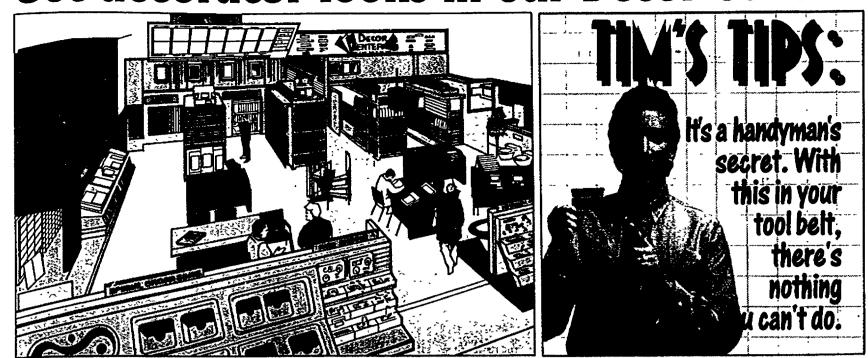




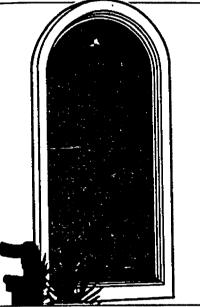
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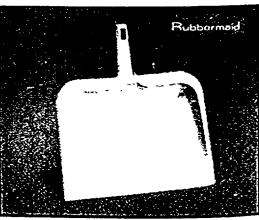


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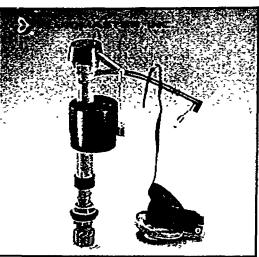
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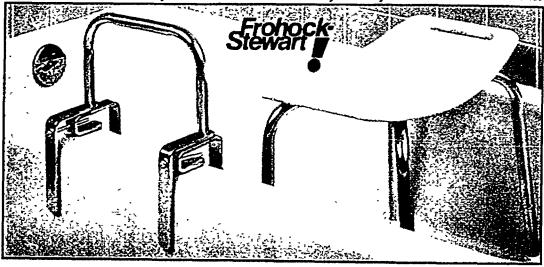




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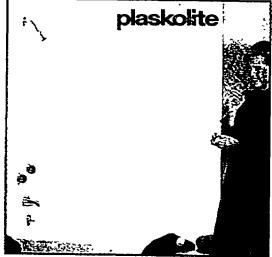


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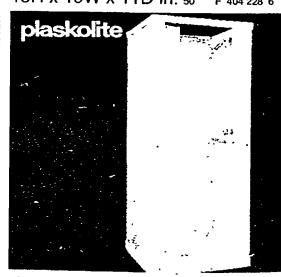
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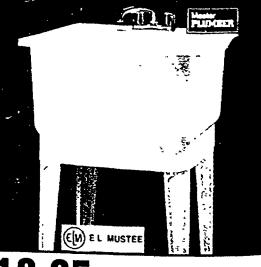
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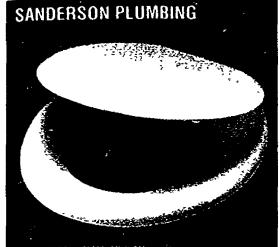
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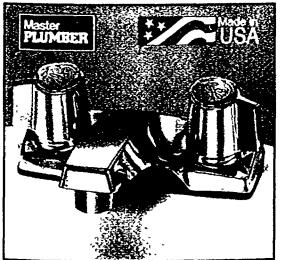
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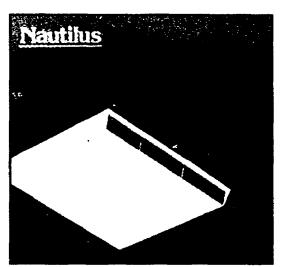
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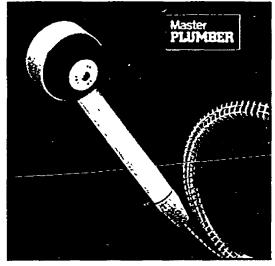
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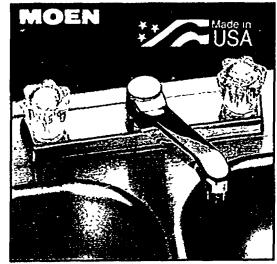
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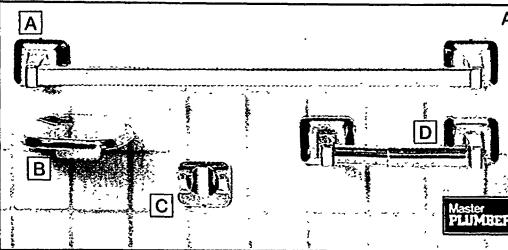
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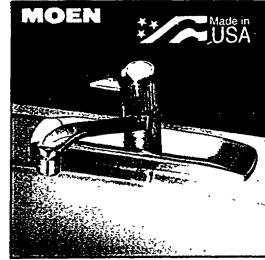


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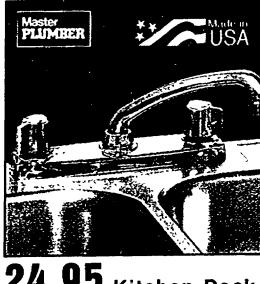
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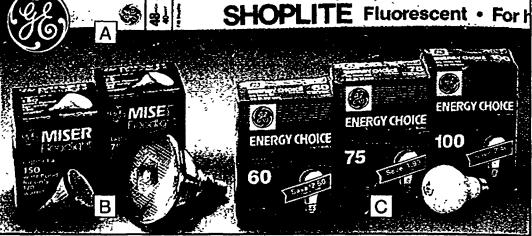


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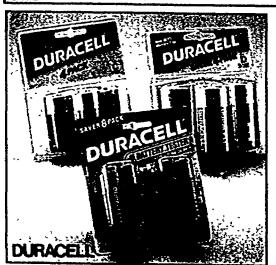
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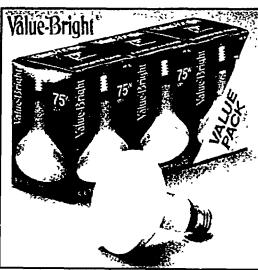




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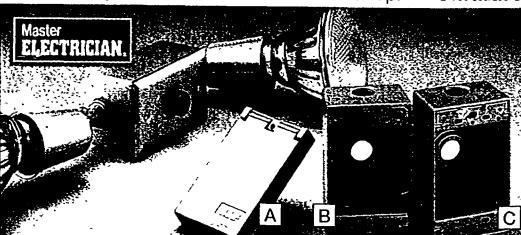
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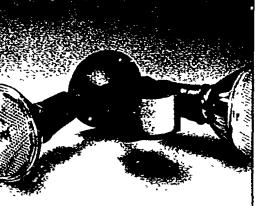


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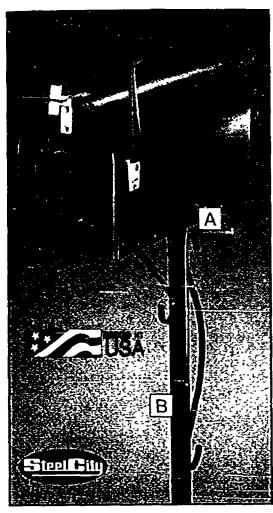
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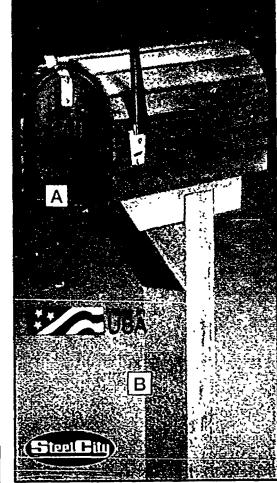
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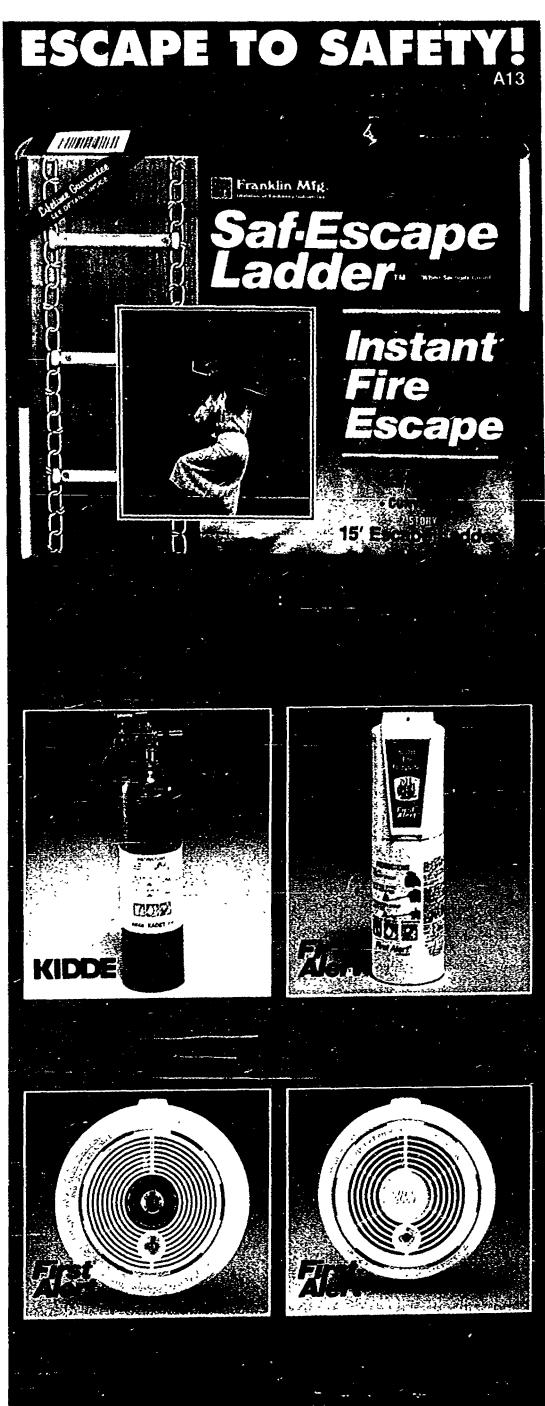
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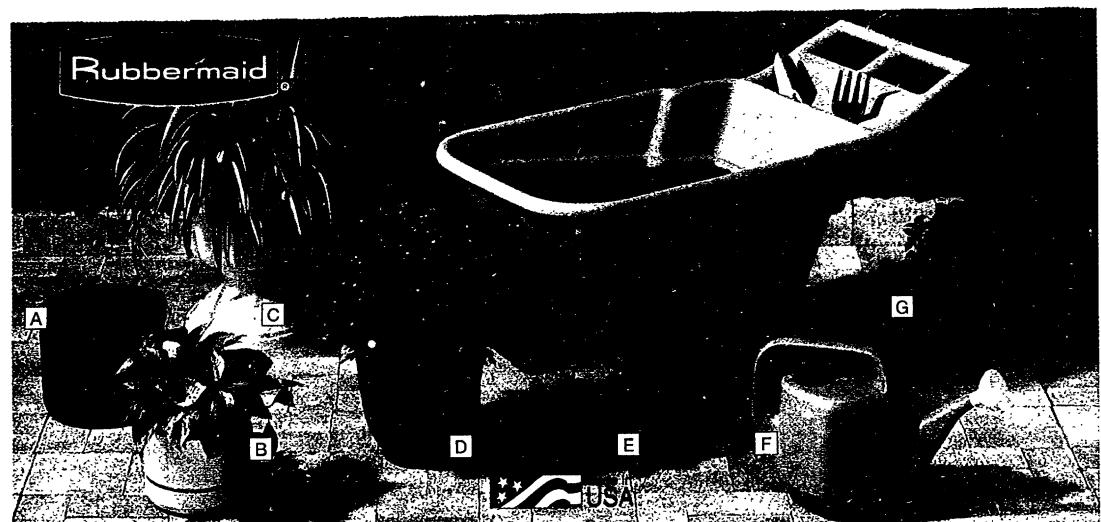


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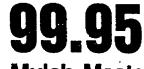


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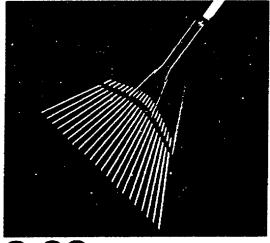
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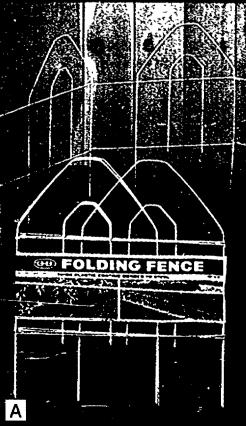


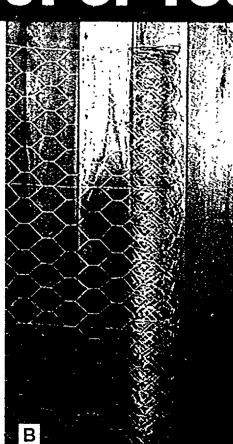


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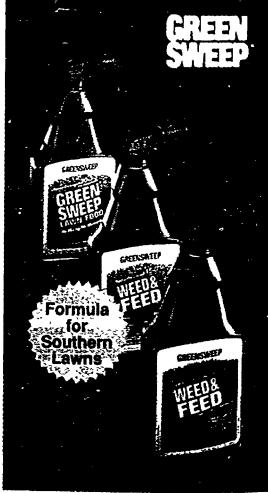
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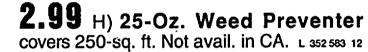
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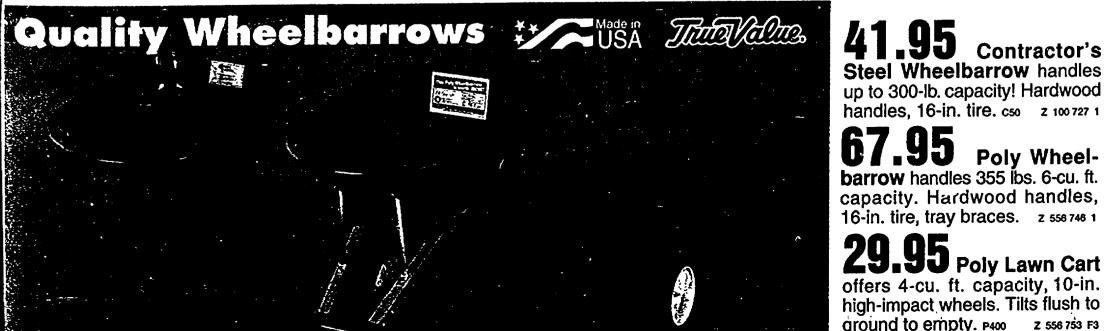


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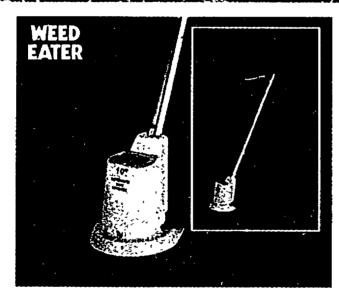
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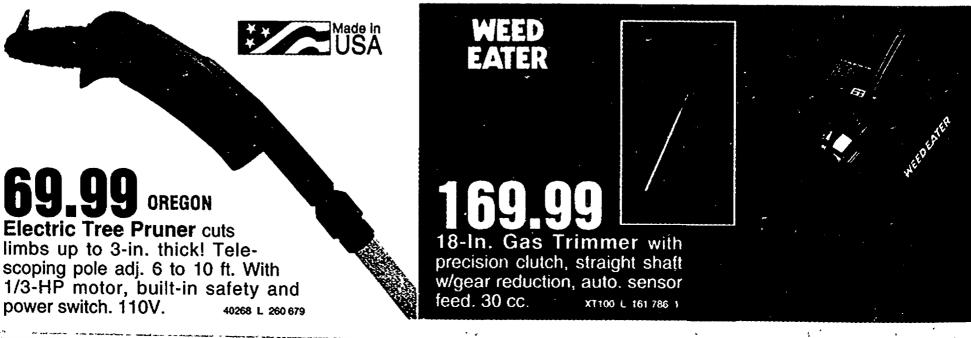
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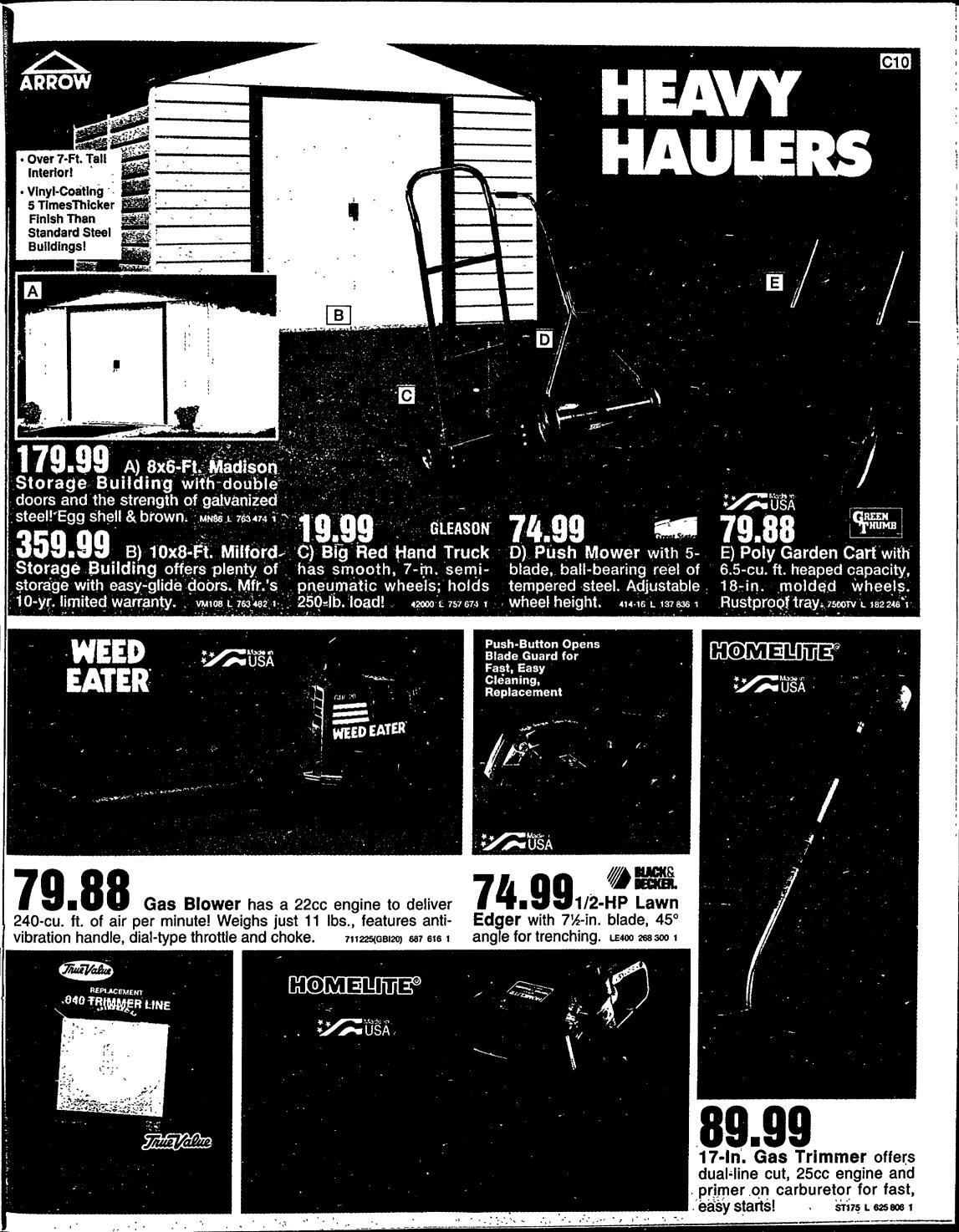
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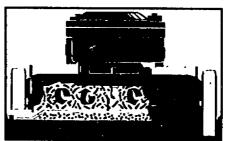
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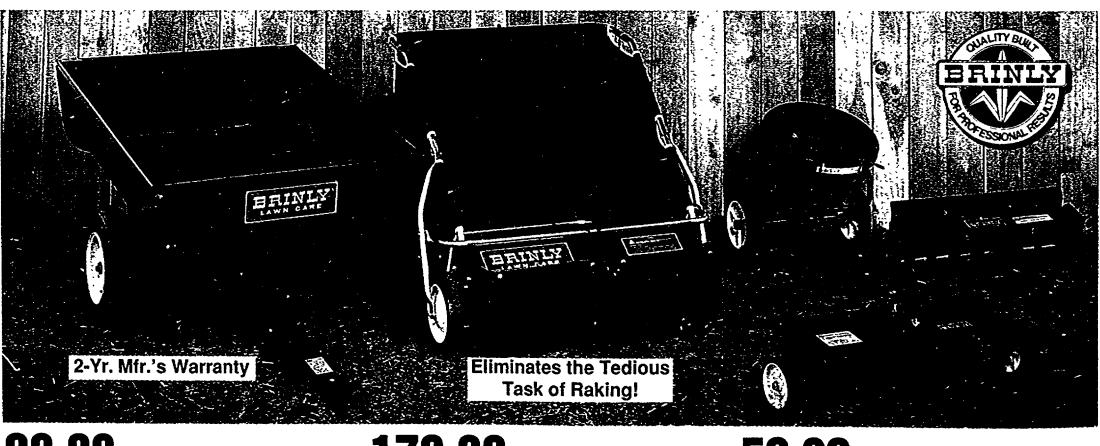
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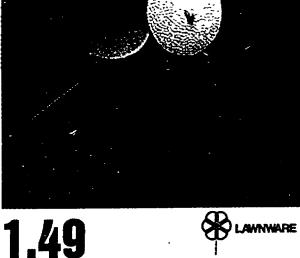
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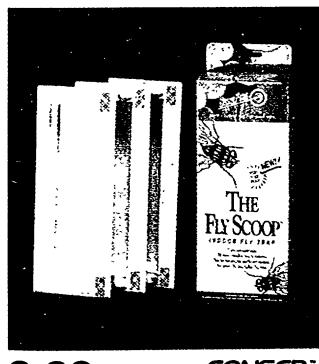
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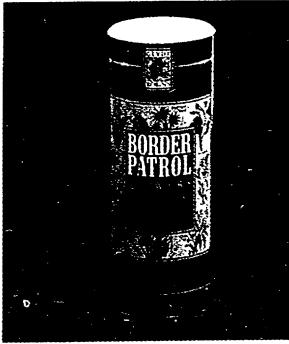


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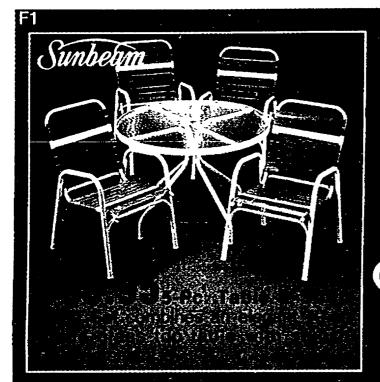
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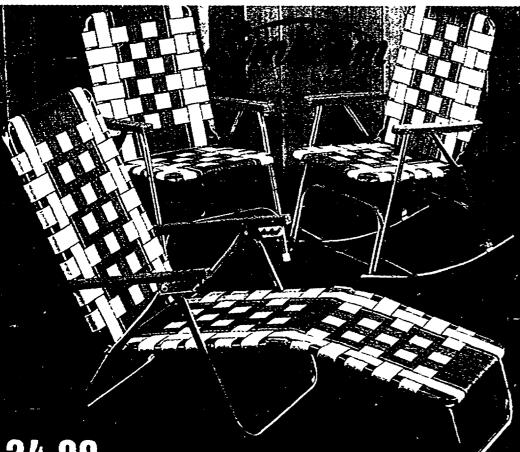
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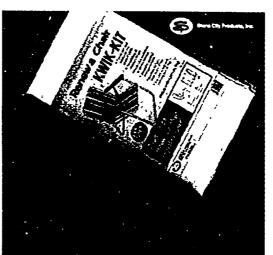


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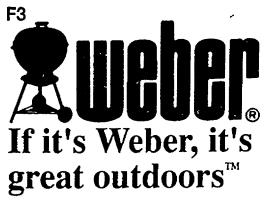
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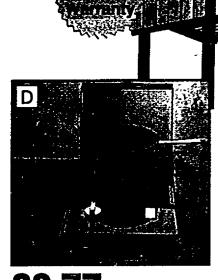
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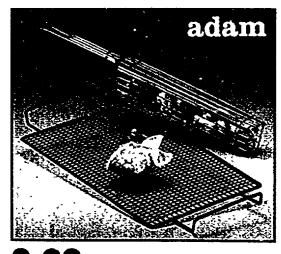
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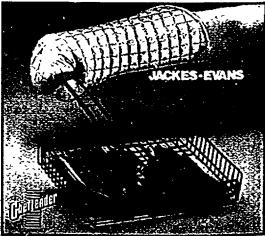
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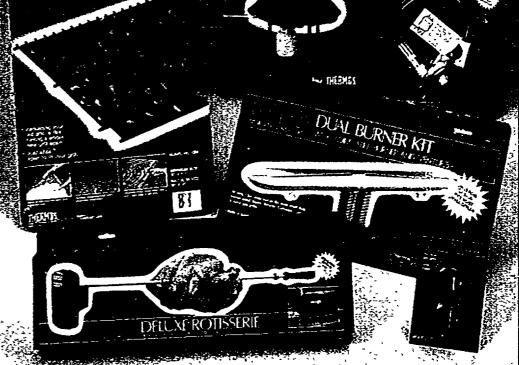
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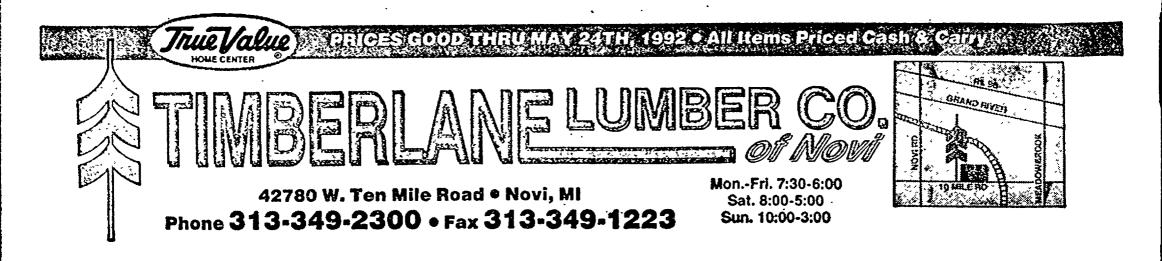
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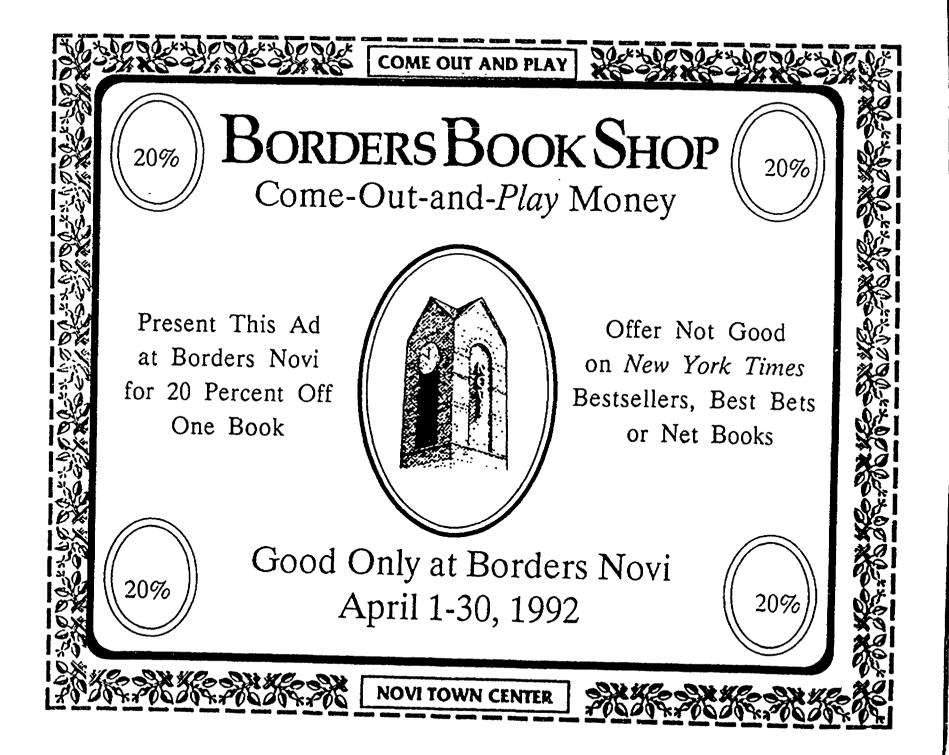






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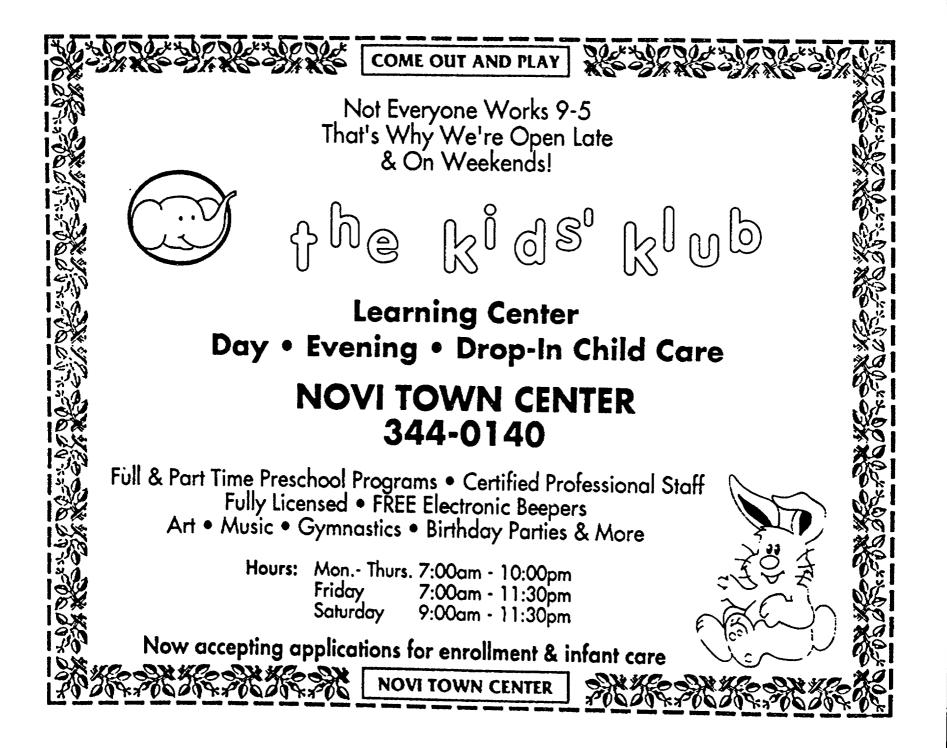


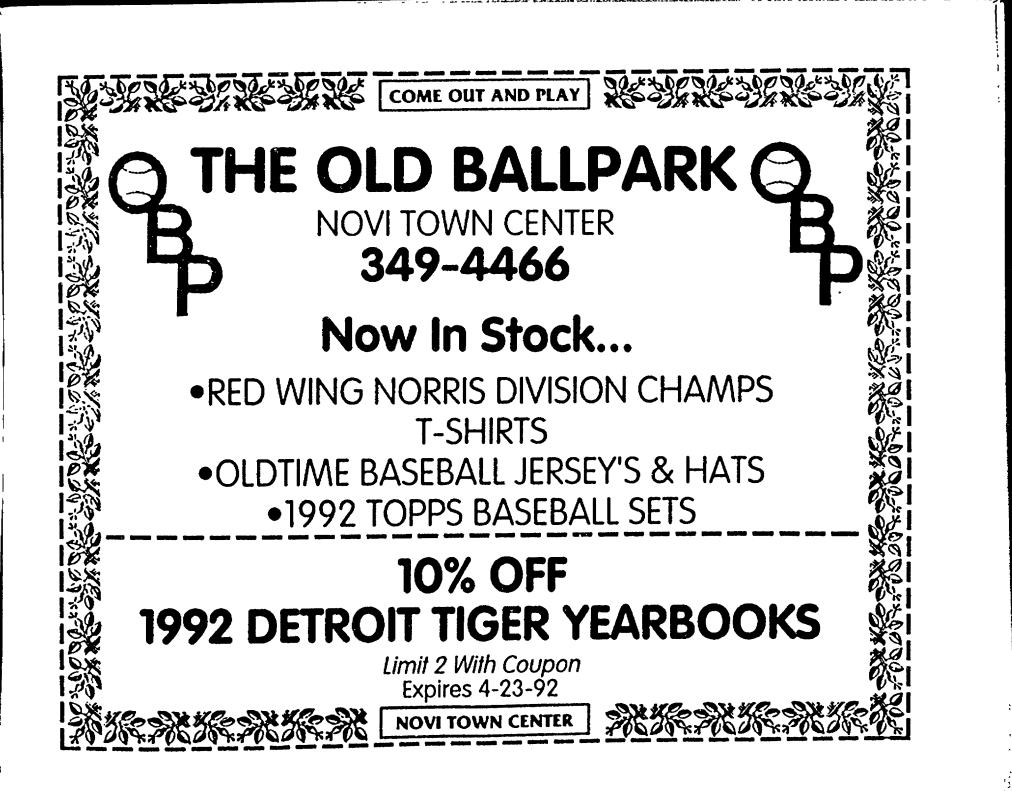




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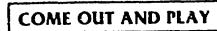
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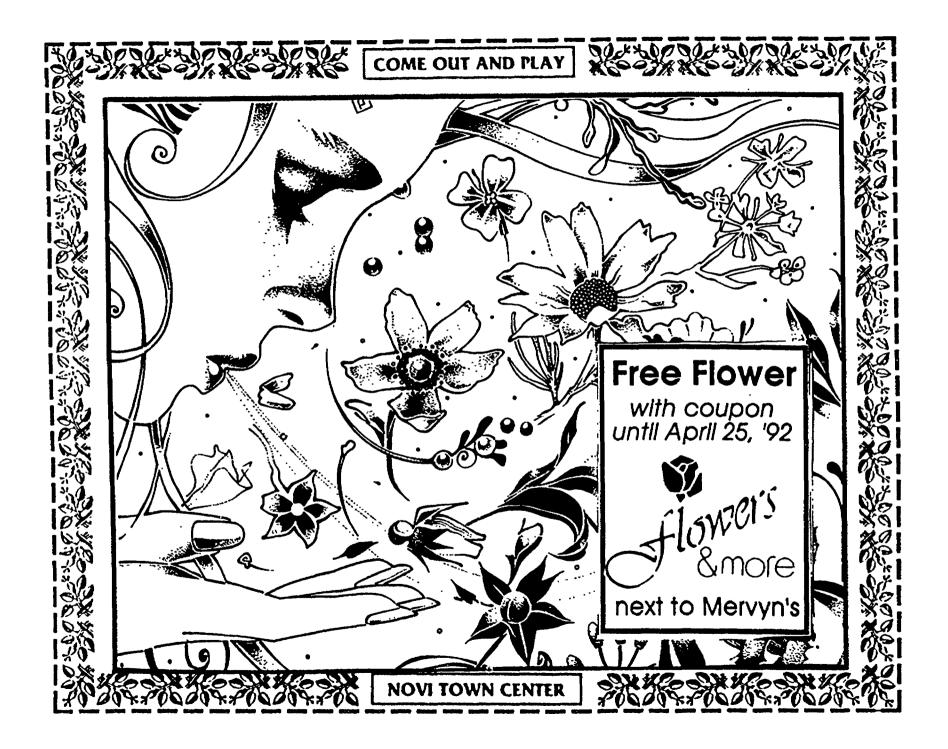
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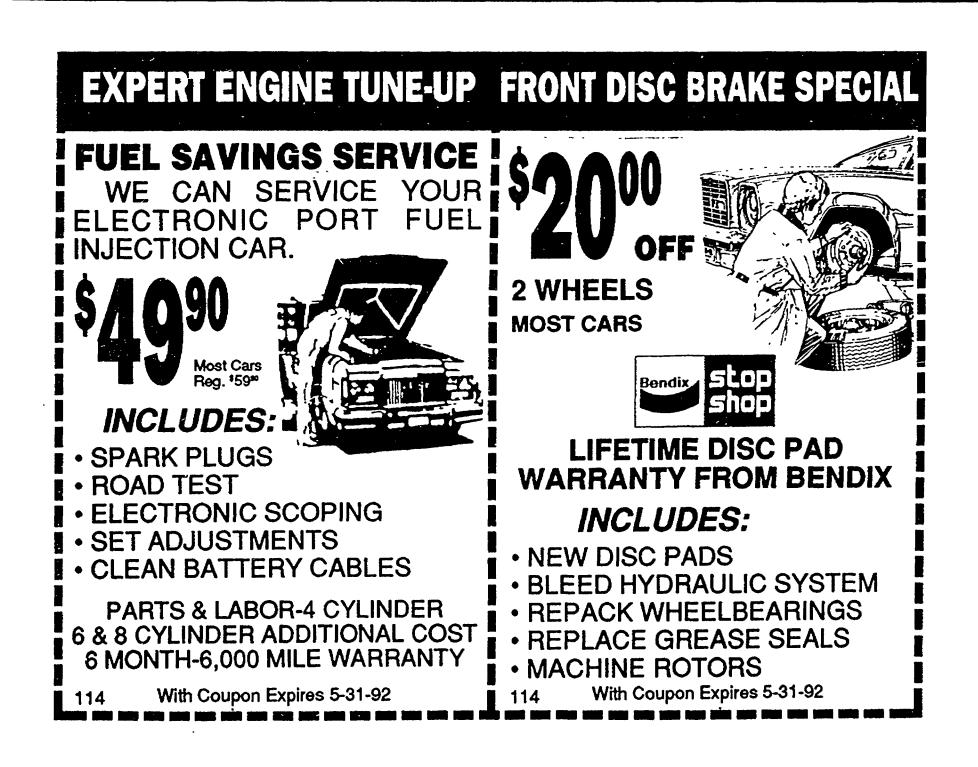












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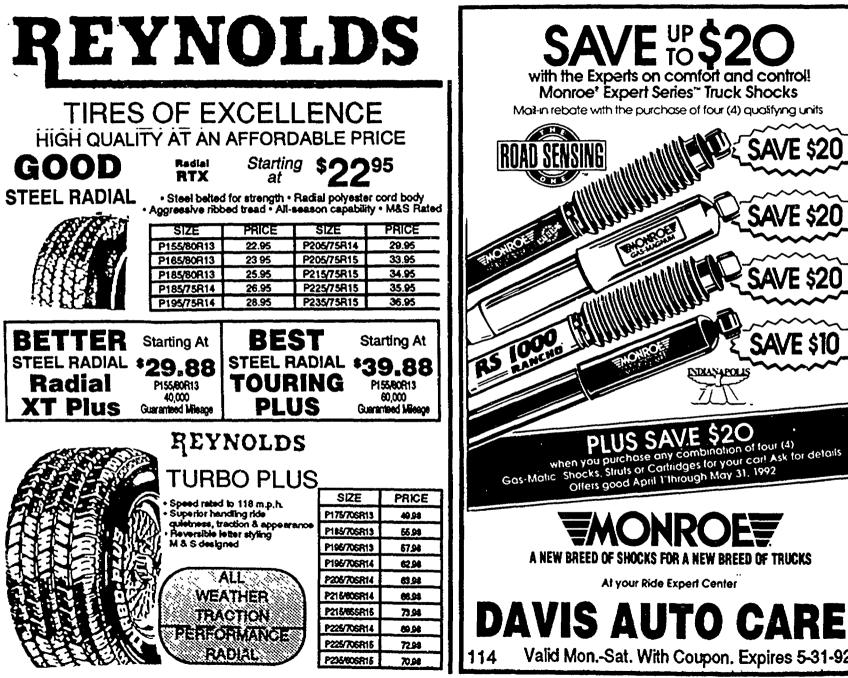
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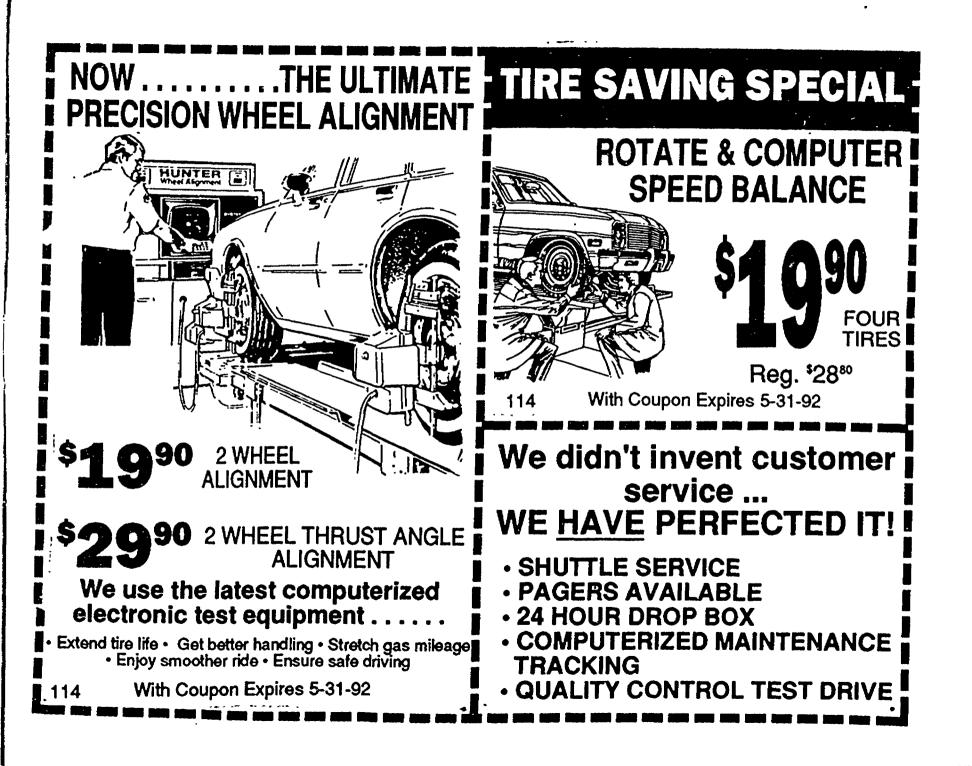


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