

Carry-over budget leaves narrow fund surplus

By STEVE KELLMAN
Staff Writer

The city council got its first look Monday at a proposed budget for the 1993-1994 fiscal year that anticipates little new revenue and provides for even less spending.

The budget is largely based on the 2 1/2 percent deficit elimination plan adopted by the city council in February 1991, after the state's withholding of allocated racetrack revenue helped put the city \$1 million into debt.

"It's largely a maintenance budget," said City Manager Gary Word.

The budget calls for a 13.68-mill operating rate, the same as last year's. A Truth-in-Taxation hearing is required, though, because higher property assessments will re-

sult in the millage raising more tax revenue this year than last. That hearing has been scheduled for May 17.

While the city's operational millage will not be reduced, Word noted, "Our overall millage rate will be somewhat less than last year."

That's due to slight decreases in levies for the city's street reconstruction program and Randolph Drain project.

The total proposed city millage for operating and debt payments is 17.4 mills, about 1 percent less than last year's 17.55-mill levy.

The budget forecast leaves a razor-thin balance of \$2,466 at the end of the fiscal year, which Word admitted is "a very, very narrow surplus in light of a \$4 million overall budget."

Word noted that the budget is based on

several assumptions, including no return of state racetrack revenue to the city, a slight increase in the city's capital improvements fund and passage of a state property tax reform package by Michigan voters June 2. The package as it now stands would cap property tax increases at 3 percent and raise the state sales tax from 4 to 6 percent.

The city already has received about \$200,000 in racetrack revenue, but Word said he does not expect to get more. That revenue has been used to reduce the deficit.

Other state-shared revenues have been steadily decreasing, and are projected to account for an estimated 12 percent of the city's revenues during the 1993-94 fiscal year. Two years ago, state shared revenues made up about 16 percent of the city's revenues.

Council Member Jerry Mittman asked about the impact on the city budget if the June 2 vote does not pass. Mayor Chris Johnson noted that the city may have to draft a "parallel budget" to address that situation.

Chief Financial Officer Mark Christiansen said the latest version of the state tax package links all the legislation to the June 2 sales tax vote. "So if the vote doesn't pass, we're back to ground zero," he said.

Failure to pass the package likely would work in the city's favor, since property assessments would not be capped at 3 percent.

While the city's total state-equalized value increased about 8.6 percent since 1992, the state tax package would limit the city's assessment increase to about 4 percent including new construction.

The budget also is based on a delay in the Downtown Development Authority's proposed Mainstreet '92 plan, to finance a new 469-space Cady Street parking deck.

Tax revenues were lower than predicted in the deficit elimination plan due to the settlement of several long-standing tax disputes by the state tax tribunal, Word said.

The council agreed to hold three hearings before the budget is adopted May 17.

An April 8 hearing will focus on revenues, the city council and manager's budgets, and police, fire, attorney and election expenses. On April 20 the public works, building department and shared services budgets will be up for review. On April 26 the housing department, water and sewer and refuse budgets will be reviewed.

Annual road run heads downtown after council OK

By STEVE KELLMAN
Staff Writer

Northville's best-known runner, Doug Kurtis, will get to demonstrate his far-flung marathon prowess in his hometown this year.

Kurtis won city council approval Monday to move the annual RoadRunner Classic Run from Livonia, where it has been held since 1984, to downtown Northville.

The 10th anniversary RoadRunner Classic Run will be held Saturday, July 24, between 6-11:30 p.m. The 8-kilometer run will wind around downtown Northville, starting and finishing at Northville Downs. Part of the route will cut through the central business district, closing downtown streets briefly around 6:30 p.m.

The RoadRunner Classic Jr., a 3-kilometer race for youngsters, also will be held that day.

The run is sponsored by the Redford Roadrunners.

Kurtis said the RoadRunner Classic, which typically draws between 1,000-1,500 participants, should attract about 2,000 runners. He hopes relocating the race to a more scenic setting in Northville will accomplish that.

"Over half of our membership lives in Northville, including myself," said Kurtis, who made his pitch Monday night in a coordinated Nike running

outfit. "We think this race will legitimize Northville as a true running community, and we think moving it to Northville will make it a great event."

Kurtis said he has been involved with the RoadRunner Classic since its inception. "In fact, it started in the basement of my house," he said.

Proceeds from the race will go toward a scholarship program for Northville students, Kurtis said.

When council members asked why the race is held so late, Kurtis noted that it is part of a "Twilight Triple Crown," and is similar to other evening races in Trenton and Allen Park.

"We've decided to make it a party as well as a race," he said, "a whole evening of just racing and having a good time."

Post-race events will include free food and beverages for the participants, entertainment and dancing.

Council members were pleased to support the move.

"This is really exciting," said Council Member Mark Cryderman, as fellow member Jerry Mittman asked where to sign up for the run.

Kurtis, 40, is a world-class marathon runner who has won numerous Detroit Free Press/Mazda International marathons, and won an international marathon in Hanoi, Vietnam, last fall.



FILE PHOTO

Eastertime

What would an Easter holiday be without a visit from the Easter Bunny? Fortunately, thanks to the Northville Jaycees, area children won't have to find out. Like in this file photo above, Bunny will visit with children at the band shell near Crawford's Restaurant from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday. Children should be 10 years-old or younger and

come accompanied by an adult. All young visitors must be willing to accept an Easter treat, a helium balloon and any prize they might receive. Visiting is free and will be held rain or shine. For more information or to volunteer to help, call Lisa Compo at 348-9284.

Two file for two seats on board of education

By MICHELLE KAISER
Staff Writer

Only two candidates have filed for the two seats on the Northville Board of Education that will be up for grabs in the June 14 school election.

The filing deadline for potential candidates is 4 p.m. Monday.

Jean Hansen will be seeking reelection to a four-year term while activist Joan Wadsworth has thrown her hat into the ring for a three-year position being vacated by board president Carol Rahimi.

In March, Rahimi announced she will be stepping down because she is moving with her family to Illinois. Her husband accepted a job as vice-president at Northwestern University.

Wadsworth currently serves as

vice president of Advocates for Quality Education. Regardless of whether she's elected, she has already decided not to serve as an officer in the group when it prepares to elect a new slate of officers. However, if elected, Wadsworth said she would continue to attend the meetings.

"I think it's important to have different ways of listening to the community," she said.

Wadsworth said she decided to run for the seat because she considers herself a "moderate, middle-of-the-road" candidate and has always been involved in the schools.

Hansen has been a member of the board of education for the past 12 years. She has served as president three times and has also held the of-

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Parking dispute winds up in circuit court

By SHARON CONDRON
Staff Writer

With business owners from Woolly Bully's and the Highland Lakes Shopping Center literally on opposite sides of the fence, the fight over parking rights in the Seven Mile Road strip center is being played out in court.

On March 24, Woolly Bully's owner Mark Roman met Highland Lakes Shopping Center owner Bill Autry in court over a trespassing complaint. At that hearing, Wayne County Circuit Court Judge Kathleen MacDonald ruled in Roman's favor and refused to issue the temporary restraining order Autry sought against the restaurant owner.

Roman said MacDonald didn't issue the restraining order against him because it wasn't Roman or his employees who were parking in Autry's lot. Autry, along with tenants of Highland Lakes, say that spillover parking on spaces reserved for customers of Highland Lakes.

Roman said the judge also denied the restraining order because she thought there was evidence

of a verbal parking agreement between the Roman and Autry.

The two met again in MacDonald's court last Friday. Roman asked MacDonald to order Autry to remove the fence installed around Woolly Bully's last week, saying the fence violated the alleged agreement he had with Autry. The judge, however, denied that request.

Roman contends he made a parking agreement with Autry before the grand opening of Woolly Bully's in March.

The restaurateur says Larry Sheehan, the former owner of Roman's land, orchestrated the parking deal and concluded a verbal agreement with Autry before selling the property to Roman. Roman said Sheehan asked Autry to put the deal in writing several times, but Autry declined due to concerns about the liability he might incur.

Roman said he met with Autry in May to discuss the parking issue. At that time, the restaurateur said Autry reconfirmed the terms of the deal.

"Mr. Autry told me, 'I don't have a problem with you parking in my lot, but I won't sign a written agreement,'" Roman said.

According to Roman, the verbal, handshake deal allowed him to park bar patrons' cars in the far end of the strip center's parking lot before 9 p.m. After 9, Roman claims Autry said the full lot could be used to park cars.

"Two weeks before the opening we met with Mr. Autry and confirmed that handshake deal," Roman said.

At that time, Roman offered to rope off a portion of the lot and put up signage to direct traffic from Woolly Bully's to the allotted parking spaces Autry agreed to. He also offered to post an employee of the restaurant in the lot to control traffic. But Autry turned Roman down on all counts, according to Roman.

"I thought we needed it to control the overflow parking," Roman said. "We tried to make the effort to rope it off, put up the signage, to control it, but he wouldn't let us do it."

"We were a new restaurant and we expected there to be higher numbers (of patrons) in the beginning," Roman added. "We feel this was a lease

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City authorizes testing for eroding streets

By STEVE KELLMAN
Staff Writer

Subsurface erosion on the city's northwest side threatens to become a safety hazard, according to city officials.

City Manager Gary Word won council approval of a plan to test Sherrie Lane, Ely Drive North, Hillridge and Jeffrey for what he termed "significant voids beneath the roadway" due to underground erosion. City records indicate that Sherrie Lane was built near a former stream

bed, according to city engineers at McNeely & Lincoln.

The council authorized paying Fishbeck, Thompson, Carr & Huber of Grand Rapids up to \$3,000 to locate and map the extent of the voids. The two days of tests will allow McNeely & Lincoln to figure the cost of repairing the roadway.

A preliminary estimate by McNeely & Lincoln placed the cost of repairing the roadways at \$156,000 including the testing, but that figure could change depending on the amount of

damage found.

City Engineer Maureen Turner said the Grand Rapids firm would perform "radar, non-destructive testing of the subsurface conditions."

The firm is the only one in Michigan that currently has the sophisticated equipment necessary, she said. "We thought they would be the most cost-effective because of the travel time involved."

Turner said the neighborhood shows evidence of subsurface erosion and water flow, including under-

ground water flowing into storm sewer drains.

"I've seen evidence that driveways are sliding in the front areas of some of the homes," she added.

According to Council Member Paul Folino, the subdivision was built in 1958, making the street about 35 years old.

Turner said such streets typically last at least 20 years, and could last between 40-50 years before needing replacement, depending on subsurface conditions.

Community Calendar

TODAY, APRIL 8

CHAMBER BOARD MEETS: The Northville Community Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors meets at 7:30 a.m. at the chamber building, 195 S. Main.

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 non-denominational Bible study offers two different classes this year, "Discovering New Life" and New Testament studies. 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. Newcomers welcome any time. For more information call Sybil at 349-0006 or Pam at 349-8699.

TOWNSHIP BOARD: The Northville Township Board of Trustees meets at 7:30 p.m. at Township Hall, 41600 Six Mile Road.

GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY: Northville Genealogical Society meets at 7:30 p.m. at Mill Race Historical Village, on Griswold north of Main. For more information call Ray Collins at 348-1857 or Sue Petres at 344-4635.

HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION: The Northville Historic District Commission meets at 8 p.m. at Northville City Hall, 215 W. Main St.

FRIDAY, APRIL 9

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY: A non-denominational Bible Study Group 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.

MOM MEETS: Meet Other Mothers will hold a group meeting at the First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth, 701 Church St., from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. MOM is a support group for mothers. This meeting will feature a speaker from First Step, a shelter for battered women in the Plymouth area. Child care is available for a nominal fee. For more information call Kim at 459-7465 or Toni at 453-6134.

NORTHVILLE COUNCIL NO. 89: Northville Council No. 89, RSM, meets at 7:30 p.m. at Masonic Temple, at Main and Center streets.

SATURDAY, APRIL 10

BUNNY COMES TO TOWN: That furry friend of children far and wide, the Easter Bunny, comes to

downtown Northville and will visit with children from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the band shell. The visit is sponsored by the Northville Jaycees and is free of charge. For information, call Lisa Compo at 348-9284.

SUNDAY, APRIL 11

SPECIAL DAY: Children everywhere will have their parents' permission to overturn seat cushions and pull chairs away from walls in search of hidden treasure. And that's only part of the fun; once the booty is found, it can be eaten! Happy Easter.

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 Haveranek, MALLP, educator and psychologist.

SINGLE PLACE BRUNCH: Single Place will meet at 12:30 p.m. for brunch at Northville Crossing, Northville Road south of Seven Mile. The group is organized for the purpose of providing friendship, caring and sharing for all single adults. Everyone is welcome; just come in and ask for Single Place.

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

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

NORTHVILLE GARDEN CLUB: The Northville branch of the Woman's National Farm and Garden Association meets at 11 a.m. Members and guests will gather in the parking lot on Dunlap at that time, have lunch at a Cracker Barrel restaurant then tour the Willow Run Greenhouse. Call 348-2618 for information.

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

ABWA: The American Business Women's Association meets at Country Epicure restaurant, 42050 Grand River in Novi. Social hour starts at 6:30. Dinner is at 7 and the business meeting is immediately following. For information and/or reservations call 348-3297.

KINGS MILL WOMEN'S CLUB: The Kings Mill Women's Club will hold its monthly meeting in the clubhouse at 7 p.m. All women residents are invited.

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 Barbara Wold at 464-4199. Visitors are welcome.

NORTHVILLE MASONIC ORGANIZATION: Northville Masons meet at 7:30 p.m. at the Masonic Temple.

NORTHVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION: The Northville Board of Education meets at 7:30 p.m. Location TBA.

VIETNAM VETERANS: The Plymouth/Canton Chapter No. 528 of the Vietnam Veterans of America meets at 7:30 p.m. at the Mayflower/Lt. Gamble VFW Post, 1426 S. Mill in Plymouth.

TUESDAY, APRIL 13

CHAMBER BREAKFAST MEETING: The Northville Community Chamber of Commerce holds a breakfast meeting at 7:30 a.m. at Riffle's restaurant on Northville Road. Program to be announced. Reservations (\$10 for members, \$12 for non-members). Call 349-7640 for more information.

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.

WATERFORD BEND QUESTERS: Waterford Bend Questers meet with a social gathering at 11:30 a.m. General membership meets at 12:30 p.m.

ROTARY: The Northville Rotary Club meets at noon at the First Presbyterian Church of Northville, 200 E. Main. Bryan Mast, physical education teacher with Northville Public Schools, will speak on "The Olympic Team I Coached in Barcelona."

ACORD: A Community Organization Recognizing Diversity meets at 7 p.m. at a site to be announced. Everyone welcome.

EAGLES: The Fraternal Order of Eagles #2504 hold a men's meeting at 8 p.m., 113 S. Center. For more information call 349-2479.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 14

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

YOUTH SERVICE FORUM: The Northville Youth Service Forum meets at 9 a.m. at Northville City Hall, 215 W. Main.

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 \$4. For more information call 349-0911.

RECREATION COMMISSION: The Northville Recreation Commission meets at 7:30 p.m. Call 349-0203 for location.

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NORTHVILLE ACTION COUNCIL MEETS: The Northville Action Council meets at 7 p.m. at Northville City Hall, 215 W. Main.

LEXINGTON COMMONS BOARD MEETS: The Lexington Commons Homeowners Association Board of Directors meets at 7:30 p.m. in the Lexington Condo clubhouse. Everyone is invited.

"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.

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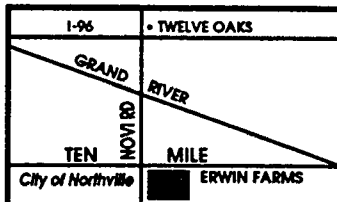
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CORRECTION: An April 4 article on the district library board incorrectly identified Carolann Ayers as a member of that board. Mayor Pro Tem Ayers is the city council's liaison to the board, but not a voting member. She is a member of the city library board, a separate group.

The Record regrets the error.

DRIVERS' ED CLASSES: Applications for township drivers' education classes are available in the Northville High School office. Two sessions will be offered: one June 21-July 16 and the other July 19-August 13. Applications must be returned to the office by Friday, May 14. Students must be 15 years of age by the first day of class.

EASTER BREAK FUN: Children 6 to 12 years old can spend a day during spring break hiking around Maybury pond, studying wildlife and wetlands ecology. Classes will be offered from April 12-16 at \$5 per session per student. Call 347-0316 for information.

LAMAZE CLASS OFFERED: A seven-week childbirth preparation class, based on the Lamaze method, is offered at St. Mary's Hospital in Livonia. The course will teach relaxation and breathing techniques. Meeting times are 7-9 p.m. Monday through Thursday. Call 591-2922.

ALTERNATIVE WORSHIP SERVICE: St. Paul's Lutheran Church, 201 Elm, will offer a mid-week worship service on Wednesday evenings for people who can't make it to church on the weekends. The new service will begin April 14 at 7:30 p.m.

TORNADO SAFETY TIPS AVAILABLE: Northville City Police have information on tornado safety available outside the police station's information window. Residents should seek immediate shelter when they hear the city's warning siren, a three-minute blast that indicates a tornado has been sighted in the vicinity. Residents are advised to tune in to local radio and television stations for more information, but not to call local police unless they have an emergency.

Civil Defense sirens are tested for three minutes at 1 p.m. the first Saturday of every month.

FOSTER FAMILIES NEEDED: Wayne Community Living Services is looking for families residing in Wayne County interested in becoming a foster family to a child who has autism and some challenging behaviors.

Wayne Community Living Services will train families, provide support and pay a daily rate. For more information, call Jan Myers, 455-8880, Ext. 297.

County seeks industrial district plan

By SHARON CONDRON
Staff Writer

In anticipation of a prospective development project in Northville Township, Wayne County is asking the township to create an industrial development district on the north side of Five Mile Road between Beck and Sheldon Roads.

County official Arthur Wild, director of the Business Development Division, made the request in an April 1 letter addressed to Township Clerk Sue Hillebrand.

In it, he says the county is entitled to the district designation under a state statute. That law, Wild writes, allows a property owner to petition the municipality for the district ap-

proval if he or she owns more than 75 percent of the land in question. The county owns the entire 900-acre plus parcel at that intersection.

The request is further indication that the county is still negotiating with an unidentified developer who wants to relocate to the county's vacant lot in Northville.

Six of the seven elected township officials know who the unnamed developer is. They met with the business owner one-on-one last month to learn more about his plan.

Township treasurer Rick Engeland, saying he wanted to avoid all appearance of secrecy, was the only board member to refrain from meeting with the mystery man.

From limited details released by county officials, the interested developer is seeking a location on which to build an 80,000 square-foot production facility. The facility will manufacture products for the aerospace and defense industry. The proposed development is expected to create 300 new jobs, and if successful could branch out into other facilities.

After meeting with the developer and learning more about his plan, Supervisor Karen Baja and Hillebrand said if the county manages to win the developer over, it would be Northville's gain.

"Northville Township will be very, very excited if this project goes through," Baja said.

Hillebrand said she was skeptical

of the developer's anonymity at first, but after hearing his pitch, she said she's convinced it would be an asset to the township to have him in town.

"I was concerned about all the secrecy," she said. "But now I'm very comfortable with the plan. In my opinion this could be a very good thing for Northville Township."

Baja said she empathizes with the developer whose business is on the line and wants to remain anonymous until the deal is closed.

"It does not harm the township in any way to keep the developer's name confidential," she said. "We are trying to encourage the right kind of business to come into this town, and this is the right kind of business."

1993 Rouge Rescue in planning stages

It's that time of year again when Northville residents get down and get dirty for a good cause.

Northville's Parks and Recreation Director Traci Johnson said Saturday, June 5, is the designated day for the 1993 Rouge Rescue.

Rouge Rescue is an annual cleanup project of the Middle Rouge

River. It is sponsored by the Friends of the Rouge organization. Johnson said in her letter to the township board.

The parks and recreation director said she is willing once again to organize the event for both Northville city and township. She is looking for

direction from both municipal boards to get the ambitious project up off the ground in time for the June date. Johnson said she already scheduled organizational meetings and is looking for volunteers.

Volunteers are needed to help the Friends of the Rouge clear logjams, branches, garbage and other debris

that clog the river's flow. While some dedicated volunteers may need to get into the water, it isn't a requirement for those wanting to help.

For more information about 1993 Rouge Rescue or to volunteer, call Johnson at the Parks and Recreation Department at 349-0203.

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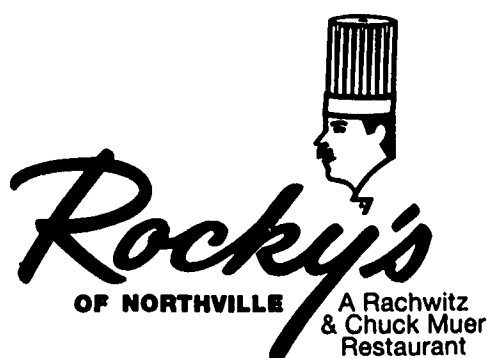
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Police News

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A 22-year-old Northville man told city police he was driving north on South Main Street when a shirtless man ran across the road from the Wagon Wheel Bar and into the path of his pickup truck.

The man said he struck the runner and stopped to see if he was all right when the victim jumped up and began beating on the hood of his vehicle, shouting obscenities. The victim then reportedly jumped into another vehicle with several other people and followed the Northville man until he drove to the city police station.

The man could not describe the victim or the other vehicle.

POSSESSION OF MARIJUANA: In addition to receiving a citation for possessing marijuana, a 37-year-old Northville man was also ticketed by township police for possession of paraphernalia and having no driver's license with him.

An officer made the Saturday morning traffic stop on Hines Drive, north of Five Mile, when he noted the pickup in front of him had a cracked windshield. The driver also reportedly failed to use a turn signal.

After pulling the driver over, the officer noted the motorist was shaking to the point where he couldn't obtain the correct paperwork when asked for his registration and insurance. The officer advised the driver he would only get a verbal warning for the cracked windshield.

The driver reportedly told the officer he was nervous because he had lost his driver's license. The officer said the man would only receive a verbal warning if he didn't have any warrants or contraband on his person or in his vehicle, according to reports. The motorist was still shaking, according to reports.

The officer then had the driver exit the vehicle and patted him down.

When he asked the motorist what was in his top left coat pocket, the motorist replied he didn't know. The officer removed a rolled up glove and a plastic bag with four marijuana cigarettes, rolling papers, hemostat tweezers and some loose marijuana, according to reports.

The driver was then placed in the rear of the patrol car while the officer conducted a search of the pickup. Nothing else was found.

The driver was then told his pickup had been impounded and forfeited before he was released at the scene.

VEHICLE SCRATCHED: A 17-year-old Novi man reported to township police that a 1984 Bronco he was driving was scratched while parked in the Meijer lot Sunday.

The teenager said he felt the scratch was made by a man in his thirties driving a Ford Escort after the

man made some remarks over a parking space the teen had taken. The Novi man said he and his girlfriend saw the suspect place an obscene note on the Bronco's windshield. The complainant spoke with Meijer loss prevention officers to see if the incident was observed on the store's recording camera.

The scratch is approximately four feet long on the passenger fender and door. Damage is estimated at \$105.

CIVIL WARRANT ARREST: City police arrested a 52-year-old Detroit man on a civil warrant just before 3 a.m. April 3 in front of the Dandy Gander Restaurant, 333 E. Main. The man had failed to comply with a handicapped violation. He was released after posting a \$70 bond.

LARCENY FROM STUDENT LOCKER: A purse containing \$90 was reported stolen from a Northville

High School locker sometime between 7:30-11:30 a.m. April 1. The purse was described as having a brown oval shape, and valued at \$20.

LOVERS ASKED TO LEAVE: Meijer loss prevention asked for the township police department's assistance in asking two lovers to leave the parking lot. The man, driving a 1989 Olds Cutlass, and woman, driving a 1987 Pontiac, complied when police arrived at the scene at 4:14 a.m. Sunday.

FENDER BENDERS: City police reported three accidents over the past week, all on April 1. A Lathrup Village woman, 45, was cited for failing to yield from a stop sign after driving into another vehicle at Main and Wing. The woman was heading south when she struck the westbound vehicle. No injuries were reported and

neither car had to be towed.

A 16-year-old Northville girl heading south on Novi Road just south of Allen Drive lost control of her car in the slush and swerved off the road, over a guard rail, through a fence and into a ditch. She told police she lost control after swerving to avoid a northbound vehicle that crossed into her lane. No citations were issued, and the girl refused medical attention.

Just before midnight, a 63-year-old New Hudson woman driving west on Eight Mile at Lanthorn struck a deer. The car sustained only minor damage and was driven from the scene.

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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Proud birds

Debbie McDonald and Jerry Kwas, president and treasurer, respectively, of the Northville Kiwanis Early Birds, were presented with Distinguished Club Officer Awards recently by the Michigan District of Kiwanis. The club also received a

first place ribbon for its annual club report which highlighted the supervision and involvement in the organization as well as the club's 1992 Fourth of July parade.

Photo by JON FREILICH

Township taking bids to improve air

By SHARON CONDRON
Staff Writer

For years Northville Township employees have dealt with the recurring problem of poor ventilation at township hall. Now, after more than a decade of inhaling toxic carbon monoxide fumes from the attached fire garage, township employees may get some relief.

Township building inspector Mick Kruszewski, acting under the auspices of the township board, is seeking bids to repair the ventilation unit and to see what it would cost the township to install retractable doors on the face of the fire barn adjacent to township hall.

Police Chief Chip Snider brought the matter to the board's attention last month. He was seeking the board's help to rectify the situation, and the board responded by agreeing to seek bids. A status update on the proposal will be discussed at tonight's 7:30 p.m. meeting.

Snider said the ventilation problem predates his tenure with Northville Township and according to people at township hall he's talked with it may date back as far back as 1978. Even though he and Kruszewski disagree on the source of the problem, they want it fixed.

While Snider thinks the problem comes from a positive pressure situation that sucks the fumes from the fire garage through the police department vents and blows them into the township offices, the building inspector says it's just the opposite.

"It's a negative pressure situation

that pulls air in," Kruszewski said. Kruszewski said the township had sought similar bids in 1990. At that time, estimates indicated it would cost somewhere between \$2,400-\$3,700 to fix the system. Township records also indicate that the previous administration had sought bids for the retractable doors in 1990 too. They were estimated at \$11,000, Kruszewski said.

Either way it's a problem that has in some severe cases stalled township business and needs to be addressed, township officials say.

Snider told board members last month he learned about the severity of the problem from a recently filed grievance. He said now that the grievance had been settled, he hoped the board would now lend its support and fix the system.

Township Supervisor Karen Baja said a board of review session last month had to be interrupted because the fumes were so bad.

"It goes through the whole building, we almost had to delay Board of Review longer than an hour because of it," she said.

But that delay didn't encourage Baja to act on the problem immediately. She asked the building inspector to seek bids for the project and report back to the board on his findings.

"If it's been since 1978 and nobody's died of carbon monoxide poisoning yet, then I think it's safe to wait until our next meeting," Baja said.

Kruszewski is expected to make his report Thursday.

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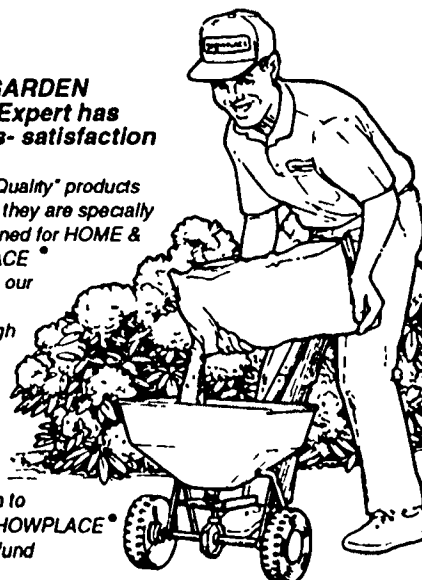
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Co-op seeks input on services

By STEVE KELLMAN
Staff Writer

An inter-governmental cooperative involving Northville, Plymouth and Canton is seeking proposals from area universities and consulting firms for a review of police service consolidation options.

The top elected leaders of the five municipalities had agreed to pursue potential joint dispatch services during an April 1 meeting in Northville Township. The meeting was the latest in a series of inter-governmental cooperation begun in December 1991.

A sub-committee of administra-

tors from the five communities prepared preliminary information on the potential cost savings from combined police departments, but the leaders felt that an outside consultant could help investigate various options quickly and thoroughly before the committee made a specific recommendation.

"We determined that we don't know enough about this whole thing and we need some outside help," said City Manager Gary Word.

A request for proposals was sent out this week to local universities and consulting firms, asking for qualifications, cost estimates, and an outline of the approach and scope of the

study.

Proposals were sought from Jackson Community College, Delta College's Criminal Training Center, Ferris State University, Macomb County Community College's Criminal Justice Center, Madonna University, Michigan State University, Schoolcraft College, the Ann Arbor-based consulting firm Plante & Moran and the Pennsylvania-based Bartell & Bartell.

The elected leaders will meet again May 3 to review the proposals they receive. If a consultant is chosen, each of the five municipalities' boards and commissions will be asked to approve the plan and any expenditure.

The municipalities' top elected leaders — Canton Township Supervisor Tom Yack, Northville Mayor Chris Johnson, Northville Township Supervisor Karen Baja and Plymouth Township Supervisor Kathleen Keen-McCarthy — first met last December at Plymouth Mayor Robert Jones' request. Meetings since then have focused on how proposals for cooperative services would be reviewed, and the goals of such cooperation.

The city council and township board each have adopted position statements pledging to support more inter-governmental services to save money and increase efficiency.

MADD honors officers for making arrests

Mothers Against Drunk Driving in Wayne County has honored 34 officers for high drunk driving arrest totals with the 1993 Lifesavers award.

Honorees were nominated by their supervisors and were presented with plaques from MADD.

Area officers honored were:
Northville — Patrolman Glenn Stewart, who joined the department as a part-time officer in 1984 and returned full time in 1986. He previously received the MADD Lifesaver

award in 1991 from the Oakland County chapter.

Canton Township — Officer Todd Mutchler, who issued 91 drunk-driving citations during 1992.

Garden City — Officer Lyle Dickson, whose arrests were 30 percent of the entire arrest totals in department.

Livonia — Officer Donald Borio. Assigned to the midnight shift, Borio improved his personal OUIL ar-

rest record by 500 percent and led the way to his shift achieving a 50-percent improvement.

City of Plymouth — Officer Steve Hundersmarck, who in 1992 made 68 drunk-driving arrests, approximately 30 percent of the department's total.

Plymouth Township — Officer Kevin A. Lauria.

Redford Township — Officer Timothy L. Paull, who made almost

twice as many OUIL arrests as any one else in the department.

Wayne County Sheriff's Hines Park station in Livonia — Officer William Fox, who has been with the department nine years and has been assigned to the OUIL squad for two. Fox has received the MADD Michigan Lifesaver award as one of nine officers in the entire state. He has personally made 173 drunk driving arrests in 1992.

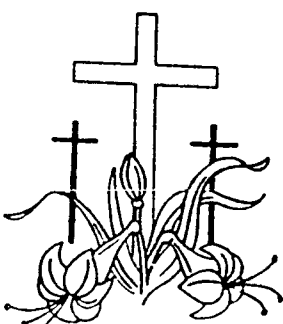
Mill Race Matters

Thanks to the hardworking progressive dinner team for their commitment and energy which enabled members and friends to share in another memorable Northville Historical Society Progressive Dinner. The Historical Society functions primarily to fund and operate Mill Race Village, so it's nice that occasionally time can be taken to just relax and have a social evening. Profits, over and above expenses, if any occur, go to aid in the preservation of Mill Race Village.

Archive committee members have returned from their variety of winter pursuits and are again actively cataloging and classifying donations on a regular basis. Thank you to Marjorie Nace of Florida for the pictures she has shared for inclusion in the Archives. A team of researchers from Eastern Michigan's graduate program in Historic Preservation have been using the collection to study the history of Mill Race Village and the Historical Society. A copy of their final report should be available in May for the archives.

This week's archival excerpt comes from *The Northville Record* of April 1, 1892. "Northville is to have another cure for inebriated, etc. The J.M. Simmons' property on Main Street has been purchased for the purpose and it is expected the new institute will be ready for business by April 15. Dr. W.H. Yarnall, formerly surgeon-in-chief at the Keely Institute here, will have charge. Tim Tarsney and other Saginaw capitalists are interested in the new deal. The remedies used will be of Dr. Yarnall's own preparation and *The Record* is informed that there are already twenty patients awaiting the new institutes opening. More particulars next week." Dr. Yarnall operated this institute in two Northville locations; one today is the home of the Glovers at 404 W. Main St. The other location on East Main is today a commercial property in which Copy Boy Printers is located.

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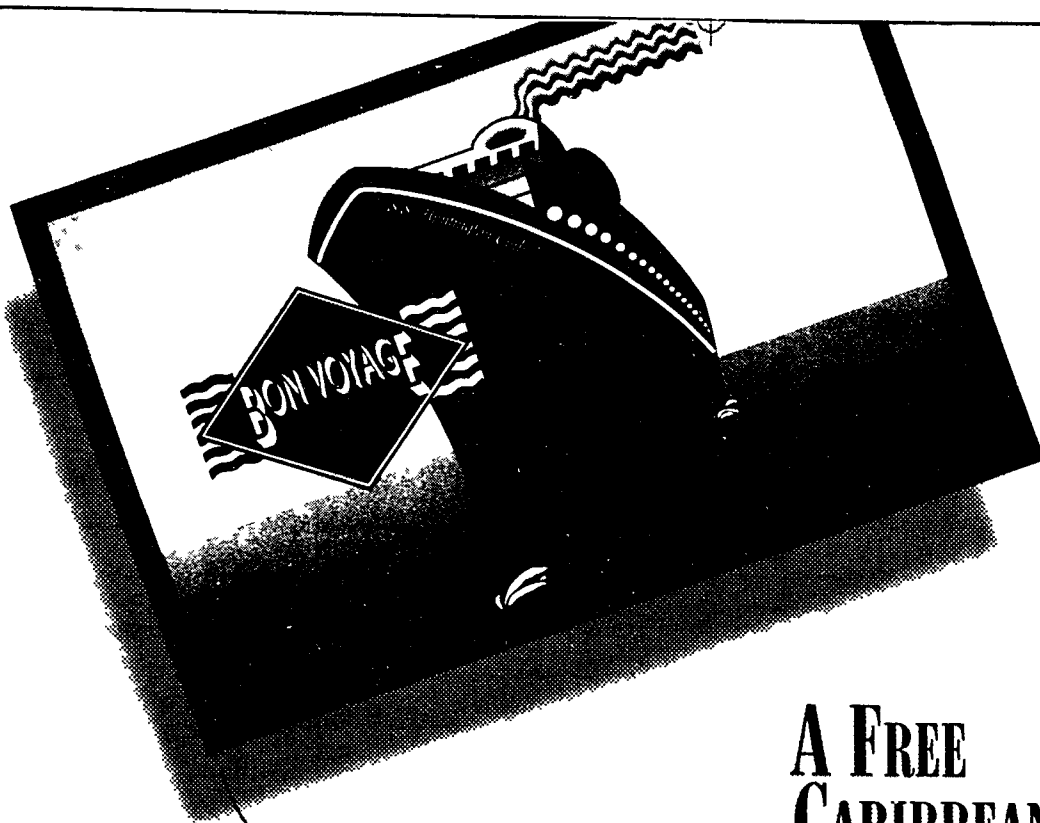
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Hooked on homework

Twelve-year-old Steve King has been in a body cast since a March 1 traffic accident, but computer technology has

enabled the Cooke Middle School student to keep up with his studies. See page 1-B for the story.

Local colleges seek status quo in aid

By TIM RICHARD
Staff Writer

Community colleges aren't looking for more money, they just want to keep the \$240 million they got this year.

But Gov. John Engler wants to earmark just \$233 million for the fiscal year beginning Oct. 1. Reason: Now that Wayne County Community College has its own local property tax after 20 years, the state won't ship \$7 million in extra aid there any more.

"Our lobbying will be to keep the \$7 million," said Schoolcraft College President Richard McDowell, after meeting last week with a House appropriations subcommittee.

McDowell and the presidents of 28 other two-year colleges say the \$7 million should be steered to their institutions rather than to anything else in Engler's nearly \$8-billion general-fund budget.

"I wish I could say things were going to get better," said veteran Rep. James O'Neill Jr., D-Saginaw. "But if you look at the last five or six recessions, we've come back (after each recession), but never to where we were."

Added Rep. Glenn Oxender, R-Sturgis: "O'Neill and I don't like taking things away."

"We're 79 years old," said a spokesman for Grand Rapids Junior College, "and this is the greatest

growth period in our history."

Of the \$233 million Engler has budgeted for community colleges, Schoolcraft is recommended for \$8.4 million this year, fiscal 1994 and 1995; Oakland Community College, for \$16.8 million for this year and the next two.

McDowell put in a plug for keeping two special grants — \$3.28 million for "at-risk" students and \$3.12 million for job training.

"The at-risk money is for students who are not ready for college-level work," he said. "Seventy-nine percent of the new students coming to us need developmental work."

"The success rate of these students is phenomenal. The normal retention rate (for students to re-enroll) is 63 percent. For these (at-risk) students, it's over 90 percent."

Not only do at-risk students get developmental academic work in math and reading, he said, they also get special counseling and help with setting career goals.

Schoolcraft currently gets \$159,700 and OCC \$123,000 for at-risk programs.

As for job training, McDowell said, "Community colleges have been identified by all governors as job training providers."



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Obituaries

NORA MARIE DYAR

Nora Marie Dyar, 99, of Northville, died March 25 at Whitehall Convalescent Center in Novi. She was born Feb. 17, 1894 to the late Frank Stefens and Ella Maloney. Her husband, Edward John Dyar, preceded her in death May 6, 1979.

She is survived by her children, Marie Weeden of California, Joseph Dyar of Pontiac, Francis Dyar of Detroit, Dorothy Fisher of Dexter, Edward Dyar Jr. of Birmingham, Raymond P. Dyar of California, and Patricia McClure of Northville; 22 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

She lived in Detroit before moving to Northville and was a member of Our Lady of Victory Church.

Funeral services were March 29 at Our Lady of Victory Church, Northville. Fr. Ernest Porcari of Our Lady of Victory officiated. Interment was at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Southfield.

EMILY M. MCCOY

Emily M. McCoy, 95, died March 31 in the Michigan Masonic Home, Alma, after a long illness. She was born March 18, 1898, in Springfield, Wisc., to the late Frank H. Culver and Annette Doubleday.

Emily McCoy was active in the Old Redford section of Detroit for 65 years. She was a member of the Job Winslow Chapter of the National Society of Daughters of the American Revolution, Victoria Chapter No. 290 of the Order of the Eastern Star, Redford Baptist Church, charter member of the Redford Child Study Club and the Navy Mothers Club.

Visitation was April 3 and 4 from 2-9 p.m. at the Northrop Funeral Home, Northville. Visitation will be at Redford Baptist Church in Redford Monday from 10 a.m. Services will follow at 11 a.m. The Rev. William Nelson will officiate. Interment will be in Acacia Park Cemetery, Southfield Township.

Memorials to the Redford Baptist Church, the Michigan Masonic Home, Save the Children's Federation or the charity of choice would be appreciated.

Surviving Emily are her children, Walter T. McCoy of St. Clair; Mary A. Edwards of Elmhurst, Calif.; Culver E. McCoy of Farmington; Bernice J. Stone of Kensington, Calif.; Emily J. Tugan of Brethren; Alice E. McCoy of Southfield; Allen A. McCoy of Boyne City; 36 grandchildren; 46 great-grandchildren and six great-great-grandchildren.

Arrangements were made by the Northrop Funeral Home, Northville.

CLAUDE "JAKE" MORGAN

Claude "Jake" Morgan, 83, of Belleville, formerly of Northville, died March 27 in his home. He was born May 29, 1909 in Middleville to the

late Rodrick Morgan and Martha Wilber.

Surviving is his daughter, Janice Grady of Belleville; two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

He lived most of his life in the area and was a retired carpenter. He was a member of the M.Y.F. Leader and a very active Boy Scout leader.

Funeral services were April 3 at Casterline Funeral Home, Northville. Pastor Mark Mounts of Worldwide Church of God, Plymouth, officiated. Interment was at Novi Cemetery, Novi.

JOSEPH RAY STOECKER

Joseph Ray Stoecker, 77, of Northville died March 30 in his home. He was born March 10, 1916 in Milwaukee, Wisc. to the late Charles Stoecker and Eileen O'Connell.

He is survived by his daughter, Judy Rae Coyle of Highland, his son Vernon Stoecker of Georgia, six grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

He lived most of his life in the community and was a retired bartender at Meadowbrook Country Club. He was a member of Our Lady of Victory Church.

Services were April 2 at Casterline Funeral Home, Inc. of Northville at 2 p.m. Fr. Ernest Porcari of Our Lady of Victory Church officiated. Interment was at Rural Hill Cemetery, Northville.

SYLVIA V. MORNINGSTAR

Sylvia V. Morningstar, 65, of Westland died March 29 in Ann Arbor. She was born June 1, 1927 in Ruthersford, New Jersey.

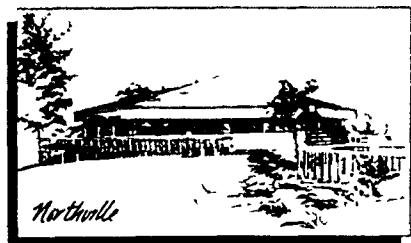
Survivors include her sons, Dain K. of Farmington Hills, Todd E. of Milan; her daughter Barbara L. of Northville; her grandchildren Dain B. and Justine Morningstar of Plymouth and Matthew and Adam Leggat of Northville; two brothers and one sister.

She was a public school teacher in the Livonia Public Schools for 20 years. She also taught at Franklin and Stevenson High Schools.

She was a member of the Michigan Education Association and graduated from Wayne State University in 1967 Phi Beta Kappa.

Funeral services were April 2 at 11 a.m. at Schrader Funeral Home. Pastor Jerry Yarnell officiated. Burial was at Cherry Hill Cemetery, Canton. Memorials to the American Heart Association would be appreciated by the family.

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County funds reallocated to avoid their loss

By STEVE KELLMAN
Staff Writer

The Northville City Council Monday agreed to reprogram \$56,500 in Wayne County Community Development Block Grant funds to avoid losing the money altogether.

An additional \$8,800 in Oakland County CDBG funds was programmed toward the construction of barrier-free sidewalks and a Master Land Use Plan for township property on Seven Mile.

The Wayne County funds, allocated to the city in 1990, were originally planned for construction of a city hall elevator. That project has been put on indefinite hold as city hall offices undergo an efficiency review for a potential reorganization, and the status of the downstairs library remains in doubt as a district library is considered.

"We're really not prepared to address an elevator in city hall at this time, or install one," said City Manager Gary Word.

Instead, city staff recommended directing \$5,000 of the funds toward a Master Use Plan for Fish Hatchery Park in conjunction with a planned park redevelopment, and the remaining \$51,500 to purchase an additional senior citizen van.

Recreation Director Traci Johnson said her Northville Parks and Recreation Department, which oversees senior citizens services, will seek bids for the senior van. The van should have air conditioning and a wheelchair lift to meet the seniors' needs, she said.

An additional vehicle is needed because the Senior Citizens' existing 20-passenger van does not meet an increasing demand for trips and activities outside the Northville area. A wheelchair-accessible van would also increase the number of seniors who could use the service, Johnson noted.

Johnson asked the council to approve the request that night, because of the fast-approaching deadline for using the funds.

"They (Wayne County officials) want this money to be expended rather quickly," she said.

The city was surprised to hear from Oakland County April 1 that an additional \$8,800 in CDBG funds was available from that county this year, over and above the amount already allocated for 1993. The council agreed to direct \$6,300 of the additional funds toward continued construction of barrier-free sidewalks along the east side of the Community Center Building at 303 W. Main. The remaining \$2,500 was allocated toward a Master Land Use Plan for a future joint service on township property on Seven Mile.

Council Member Jerry Mittman asked whether \$3,000 in planned subsurface testing of Sherrie Lane would qualify as an urgent community need, and Johnson said she would check into it. If so, the testing fees would be moved to the top of the Oakland County CDBG allocation list.

Community Development Block Grant funds must be spent on projects that benefit low- and moderate-income residents, removal of slums or blight, or an urgent community need. Projects that benefit senior citizens or the handicapped qualify.

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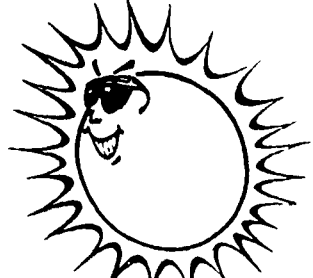
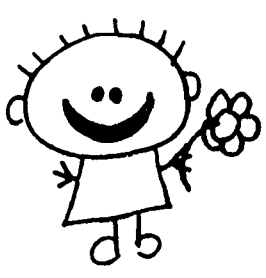
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Northville faces hefty funding axe from Michigan's tax plan

By TIM RICHARD
Staff Writer

Suburban school districts are in for a period of belt-tightening, regardless of voters' action in a June special election on school finance. Hardest hit will be out-of-formula districts with high property tax bases, including Northville. People's property tax bills will drop the least, and the schools will have to pay their own Social Security and retirement costs out of basic grants.

"You're getting less, no matter what happens," House Taxation Committee chair Willis Bullard, R-Highland, warned Michigan Education Association members.

"Out-of-formula schools get less. It's like blackmail," said Bullard of the forthcoming referendum on raising the constitutional limit on the sales tax from 4 cents to 6.

Bullard said legislators in April and May would prepare two school aid budgets — one if the sales tax hike passes in June 2, the other if it

doesn't.

Unionized teachers in high-paying suburbs may face cuts. "There'll be strikes," said Rep. Jan Dolan, R-Farmington.

After more than a 14 hour-long session, the House early April 3 passed two measures to restore funding equity and work the greatest tax shift Michigan has seen since the first sales tax was passed during the Great Depression.

The House version of Senate Bill 146, the property tax cut, was adopted on a 96-0 vote.

House Resolution G, the sales tax referendum, won on a 74-22 vote, one vote more than the two-thirds needed to put it on the ballot. Thirteen members either were absent or left the chamber before final action at 2:30 a.m.

Both measures go to the Senate, where passage may come more easily than in the deeply-divided House.

Much of the time was spent not in debating but in caucuses and recess, where the arts of persuasion and

compromise were used to bring reluctant Democrats around. Early Tuesday afternoon, a test vote indicated nearly the entire Democratic contingent might balk.

If voters say yes, here is how taxpayers in local school districts would fare under the proposed property tax cut, with current millage rates shown first, 1994 rates next and net cut last:

- Northville — now 29.9 mills, to 25.19, cut of 4.67.
- Novi — now 29.2 mills, to 27, cut of 2.2.
- Walled Lake — now 36 mills, to 27, cut of 9.
- Huron Valley — now 38.5 mills, to 18.12, cut of 20.38.
- South Lyon — now 34.28 mills, to 18, cut of 16.28.

All area members from Oakland County voted yes on both SB 146 and HJR G — Bullard, Jerry Vorva, R-Plymouth, Tom Middleton, R-Ortonville, Dan Gustafson, R-Haslett, Susan Munsell, R-Howell, Kirk Profit, D-Ypsilanti.

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History buffs

The Sarah Ann Cochrane Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution recently presented a certificate to American History

Essay Contest winner Paul Strachura of Meads Mill (far left). Also honored were Amanda Nelson and Avo Magar.

Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

MacDonald parks case until later this month

Continued from Page 1

agreement and even though it wasn't on paper we feel it will stand. So if a guest parks there, I'm not telling them to but I'm not out there stopping them either."

Autry and his attorney Jeffrey Meek vehemently deny there was ever any agreement.

"I do not or have never had a parking agreement with Larry Sheehan, with Woolly Bully's or with Mark Roman," Autry told planners last week. "I don't have such a lease."

Autry's attorney said Wednesday he will fight Roman's alleged agreement.

"Bill Autry never made any agreement," Meek said. "He just flat out denies there is any agreement. He has made it abundantly clear he wasn't going to sign an agreement because he wasn't going to have an agreement."

Meek said Highland Lakes Shopping Center tenants have gotten some relief from the parking fiasco since Autry's 600-foot, chain-link fence went up last week.

But the fight isn't over just yet. The two will meet again in court later this month to review the case once more, said Meek. He said the agreement has surfaced in the court hearings but Autry has "remained steadfast" in his position.

"I'm a little perturbed that a man can move in and take over," Autry said in frustration over the situation.

COMMUNITY HEALTH EDUCATION

The Providence Community Health Education department regularly offers classes on women's health issues presented by physicians, nurses and other healthcare professionals. Upcoming evening programs include a session on endometriosis on April 13 and a two-session program on menopause scheduled for May 11 and May 18.

Programs are held in the conference and classroom facility at Providence Medical Center - Providence Park, 47601 Grand River Avenue (at Beck Road) in Novi. There is no charge, but advance registration is required. For further information or to register for either of these programs, please call 424-3068.

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Vorva seeks donations to pay 1992 campaign expenditures

By STEVE KELLMAN
Staff Writer

State Rep. Jerry Vorva (R-Plymouth) is seeking donations, but does not want to be beholden to special interest groups.

Vorva said he is still in debt to the tune of \$20,000 from his campaign last Aug. 4, when he beat incumbent Georgina Goss in a bitterly-fought four-way race for the new 20th district seat serving Plymouth, Northville south of Baseline Road and western Livonia.

He said he needs help now not only to retire that debt but to begin laying the groundwork for his 1994 campaign to win another two-year term.

"I would like to be the first politician up here to have a campaign

completely financed by myself and the constituents," Vorva said from the house floor in Lansing. "It would send the right message to other individuals."

Vorva noted that he ran last year on a platform of change — change in the way lawmakers do business, and change in the way their campaigns are financed.

While the freshman representative said he sees nothing illegal in special interest donations, he questioned the message it sends to constituents.

"Let me put it this way," Vorva said, "you can tell it's spring in Lansing because there's so much green around here, green as in lobbyists' money. Everybody's lining up at the trough . . . There's absolutely nothing wrong with it. What I'm trying

to do is change the impression that it gives."

Vorva, a realtor and former Plymouth police officer, has received donations from political action committees in the past. The Michigan Realtors Political Action Committee gave during his winning 1992 campaign, and both the Michigan Realtors and Police Officers Association of Michigan PACs donated during his narrow loss to Goss in August 1991.

The donations were minor compared to the \$20,000 loan he took out to finance his 1991 effort, and similar donations he made to his own campaign in 1992.

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Nominations sought for distinguished alumni

By MICHELLE KAISER
Staff Writer

As principal of Northville High School, Thomas Johnson has a lot of tough decisions to make.

In his second year at Northville, he's realizing that one of his toughest decisions is selecting one person to be inducted into the district's Distinguished Alumni Club.

"My first year through it — being a

part of the committee — was one of the neatest experiences," the principal said. "We have a number of people with tremendous backgrounds, who have graduated from here, who are just fascinating."

Last year, 12 graduates were candidates for the prestigious award. The competition was tough, but Velma Lewis Ward came out the winner.

A descendant of the Lewis family represented in Jack Hoffman's North-

ville, *The First Hundred Years*, Ward is a biochemist and anthropologist who graduated from Northville High School in 1949. She has a master of science degree in physiological chemistry from Wayne State University. Ward has worked as a research assistant in the biochemistry of mental disease at the Lafayette Clinic in Detroit. She also served as assistant director of a Detroit area precollege engineering program and recently served as vice president of the Detroit chapter of the Association for Women

in Science.

Nominees for this year's award will be reviewed by a committee consisting of representatives from the student body, community, faculty, and central office and high school administration. Serving on last year's committee were Jean Couse, Bruce Turnbull, Jean Hansen, Patricia Dorrian-Sandbothe, Jack Wickens, Dolly McMaster, Barbara LeBoeuf, Chris Ford, Chris Johnson, three students and the principal himself. "We'll go back and look at a num-

ber of things," Johnson said of the review process. "We'll look at the overall application, the contribution they've made to distinguish themselves or the contribution they've made to the community. We're looking for unique and distinguished things they've done in their life."

The Distinguished Alumni Club began a decade ago when David Bolitho, assistant superintendent for instructional services, was employed as the high school principal. He borrowed the idea from former superin-

tendent George Bell, who in turn suggested the award from his days as a principal in the Wayne-Westland district.

The award will be presented during commencement June 11.

Nominations will be accepted through April 14. The review committee will meet in May to select a winner.

All letters of nomination should be sent to: Northville High School, Distinguished Alumni, 775 N. Center St., Northville, Mich., 48167.

Western Townships Utilities Authority Board of Commissioners Meeting Synopsis 7 p.m. Monday, March 22, 1993 WTUA Conference Room 40905 Joy Road, Canton, Michigan

Meeting called to order at 7 p.m.

Present: Thomas J. Yack, Kathleen A. Keen-McCarthy, Karen Baja.

The agenda was adopted.

The minutes of the regular meeting of January 25, 1993, the regular meeting of February 22, 1993, and the special meeting of March 8, 1993, were approved. Requisition Certificate No. 104 and Requisition Certificate 105 totalling \$2,343,711.35 were approved.

The Engineer's Update was received and filed.

The Audit for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1992, was accepted. The meeting was adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

THOMAS J. YACK,
Chairman

This is a synopsis. A complete copy of the minutes may be reviewed at the WTUA offices, 40905 Joy Road, Canton, Michigan 48187.

Publish April 8, 1993

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE

Date: Tuesday, April 27, 1993

Time: 7:00 p.m.

Place: 41600 Six Mile Road

ON PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE ZONING ORDINANCE NO. 94 OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE, WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A PUBLIC HEARING, pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Township Zoning Act 184 P.A. 1943 as amended, will be held by the Charter Township of Northville Planning Commission, on its own motion, on Tuesday, April 27, 1993 at 7:00 p.m. at the Northville Township Civic Center located at 41600 Six Mile Road, Northville, Michigan 48167 for the purpose of considering and acting upon proposed amendment to the Zoning Ordinance No. 94 of the Charter Township of Northville, Wayne County, Michigan relative to Article XVIII, GENERAL PROVISIONS, Section 18.11.6 RECEPTION ANTENNAS, Section 18.11.2 a. ACCESSORY BUILDINGS — DECKS, and Section 18.24 3.h. (4) SITE PLAN REVIEW WAIVER — ACCESSORY, Article XVII, Section 17.4 5.f and g. PRUD DESIGN AND LAYOUT CONDITIONS, Section 17.5.4.b.(3), (4), (5) CLUSTER DEVELOPMENT STANDARDS, Section 17.1 (bb), (cc) LOT DEPTH/WIDTH AND CORNER LOTS, Section 17.7 HAGGERTY ROAD PUD. The tentative text of the proposed amendment is available for inspection by members of the public during regular business hours Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Township Clerk's Office, Northville Township Civic Center.

RICHARD E. ALLEN, CHAIRMAN
CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE
PLANNING COMMISSION

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE PLANNING COMMISSION

Date: Tuesday, April 27, 1993

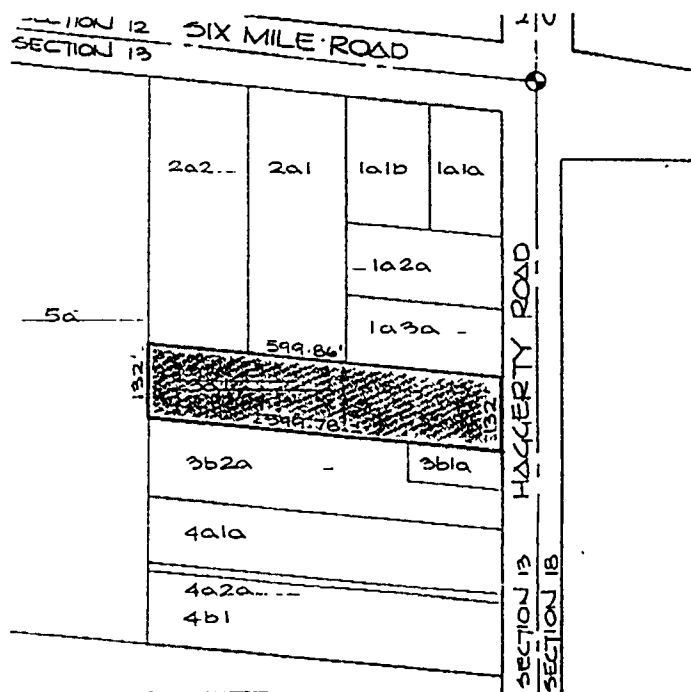
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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Planning Commission of the Charter Township of Northville has scheduled a PUBLIC HEARING to be held on Tuesday, April 27, 1993 at 7 p.m. Eastern Standard Time at the Northville Township Civic Center, 41600 Six Mile Road, Northville, Michigan 48167 for the purpose of hearing the public concerning a proposed rezoning application as follows:

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At the Public Hearing, the Planning Commission may recommend rezoning of the subject premises to any use allowable under the provisions of Northville Township Zoning Ordinance No. 94.

THE PROPOSED ZONING MAP AMENDMENT may be examined by the public during regular business hours at the Northville Township Civic Center, 41600 Six Mile Road, Northville, Michigan during regular business days of said office through April 27, 1993.

RICHARD ALLEN, CHAIRMAN
CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE
PLANNING COMMISSION

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(4-8-93 NR)

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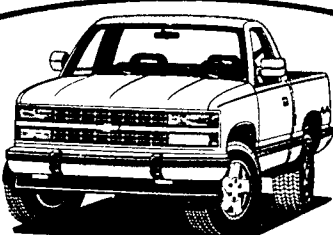
A public hearing can be requested by any property owner of a structure located within 300 feet of the boundary of the property being considered for temporary use permit.

This request will be considered at 3:00 p.m., on Thursday, April 15, 1993, at the Novi Civic Center, 45715 Ten Mile Road. All written comments should be directed to the City of Novi Building Official and must be received prior to April 15, 1993. (4-8-93 NR, NN)

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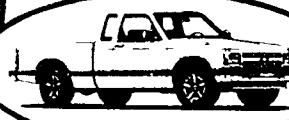


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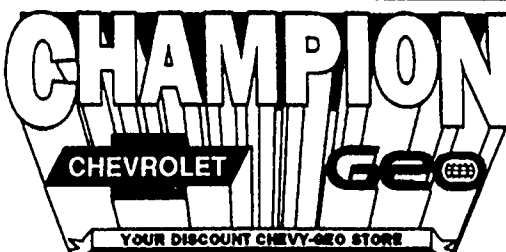
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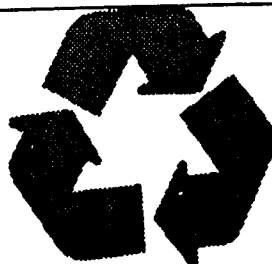
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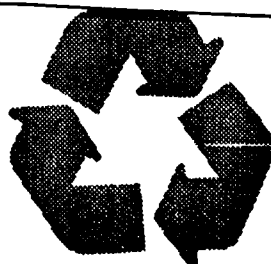
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Advocates address 'quality issues' in statement

By MICHELLE KAISER
Staff Writer

The organization Advocates for Quality Education recently released a position statement regarding teacher contract talks, and there are a number of non-economic issues the group would like to see discussed.

These quality issues, dealing with class size, planning sessions and the district's strategic plan, wouldn't normally be found in a contract, but should at least be mentioned, said Joan Wadsworth, vice president of Advocates.

"We want the contract to be the best contract it can be," she said. "Class sizes is something that's not traditionally part of the contract in Northville."

But it should be, according to the group. Advocates believe class sizes should at least be reduced to the

levels prior to this year: 25 students in each kindergarten class, 28 in elementary grades and 29 for secondary classrooms. The group suggests further reductions in class sizes for grades kindergarten through three.

Amerman Elementary currently has one kindergarten class with over 30 students, according to Wadsworth.

"We think class size is really important," she said. "We don't think it's a bad idea (to have it addressed in the contract). It might not be popular to do so in these economic times."

"We, as a group of parents and citizens, appreciate the (school) board's efforts over the years to have good class sizes," said Jerry Rupley, an Advocate member who worked on the position statement. "Last year was a glaring exception. . . . We're not suggesting a totally inflexible provision. We understand the economic realities. Nevertheless, class size ought

not to be the first thing to go up with financial difficulties."

Another quality issue which should be addressed in the new contract, members believe, is that of staff development and collegial planning time. Advocate members feel planning time is essential for the successful development and introduction of new curriculum components and improvement of teaching.

"Think of any successful business — they do not neglect staff development," Wadsworth said. "The notion to think that we shouldn't be doing this is crazy. I saw it happen while on the language arts curriculum. The teachers sat around a table and talked about how to teach."

Said Rupley, "Staff development programs can be used to raise the quality level of the staff. It can make a good teacher better."

Concerning planning sessions,

called collegial planning in teacher jargon, Rupley said any professional would be expected to devote a fair amount of time to enhancing his or her skills.

"Teaching in one sense, as we understand it, can be a relatively isolated experience even though you're in a big building with a lot of people," Rupley said.

"Collegial planning is an important opportunity for that collegial work to take place."

In addition to providing for collegial planning, Advocates feel the contract should recognize those teachers who work beyond the 7½-hour day.

"The teachers' contract should recognize (within the current compensation structure) the necessity for teachers to work significant hours beyond the regular school day in order to effectively perform the teaching function," the position statement

reads.

Thirdly, Advocates hope that all teachers support the district's strategic plan.

"It's important for teachers to support the strategic plan and that the school district makes sure that plan, down the road, works," Wadsworth said.

In addition to the three quality issues, Advocates members have included a section on accountability in their position statement.

"Accountability — now that's a tough one," Wadsworth said. "We think teachers should be accountable for what they do. But the district really ought to have some commitment to looking at this and considering an evaluation that will be studied. You don't put something like that in place overnight."

"This would be just one way of showing the community that the dis-

trict really cares about quality. And we're not hanging this accountability thing only on teachers by any means. This has to be a top-to-bottom thing."

Performance evaluations should be used positively, according to the position statement. Rewards should be given to those exhibiting superior performance, and procedures should be perfected for those who correct areas in need of improvement. Punitive measures should only be used for continued poor performance, Advocates state.

"Accountability can be beneficial both to teachers and the quality of education that can be delivered," Rupley said.

Any school resident wishing to obtain a copy of the Advocates position statement should send a self-addressed stamped envelope to Advocates for Quality Education, P.O. Box 241, Northville, Mich. 48167.

'Officer of the Year' to be honored by the VFW

The Northville VFW Post 4012 and its auxiliary will sponsor its annual police and firefighter appreciation dinner Sunday, April 25.

The event will be held to honor the "Officer of the Year" from the Northville city and township police and fire departments and the Northville State Police Post.

The event will take place at 3 p.m. in the clubroom of the post at 438 S. Main. A donation of \$5 is requested.

It was 10 years ago that Carl Baker came up with the idea of showing appreciation to the area departments in the form of an awards dinner. A special program is planned for this, the 10th anniversary of the dinner.

Carl and his wife, Cathy, are chairing the special event. Call 421-7675 for details.

Two file for two seats on board of ed June ballot

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fices of vice-president and treasurer. She currently serves as the board's chairperson on the curriculum subcommittee and is a member of the personnel and policy subcommittees.

To be eligible to run for a school board seat, a candidate must be a registered voter in the Northville Public School District, as does anyone who circulates or signs nominating petitions.

A candidate must have 28 valid signatures in order to have his or her name placed on the ballot. The petitions need to be turned in by 4 p.m., April 12, at the district's business office, located on the third floor at 501 W. Main.

Candidates will have until 4 p.m., April 15, to change their minds and withdraw their names from the ballot.

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Speech winners list ways to make a difference

By RICK BYRNE
Copy Editor

Public speaking brings out cold sweats and jitters for most people, but not for a handful of Northville and Novi high school students.

Eleven young men and women gathered recently at the Novi Civic Center to compete in the Novi-Northville Optimist Club's Oratorical Contest. The topic for the students' self-penned speeches was "I Can Make a Difference."

Among the girls, Kathy Smith of Northville High School finished first. Beth Langham and Kristin Martell, both of Novi, were second and third respectively.

Andrew Song of Northville High won among the boys. Second place went to Patrick Dunn of Novi High, and Tom Fleming of Northville was third.

The accomplishments of the Northville students are especially noteworthy since the school's speech program was axed in a recent round of budget cuts at the school. Their coach, Cheryl Gazlay, worked with them on their own time.

Following are the winning speeches in the girls' and boys' competition.

The following is the winning speech presented in the Optimist Club Oratorical Contest by Northville High student Kathy Smith.

Kathy was the winner in the girls' category.

I CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE by Kathy Smith

I was taught to hate Russians. They were the enemy. They were communists. It did not matter if they were advocates of peace. They were terrorists. Or if they signed treaties disarming nuclear weapons. They

were not to be trusted. My parents were taught this, just as Russian children and their parents were taught the same thing about Americans.

I remember summer war games in bare feet and using sticks for guns. We were on a hunt for the enemies, for the Russians. How we would laugh and dance when we defeated our invisible enemy. And then go inside for milk and cookies.

This summer I went to England to attend an international scout jamboree. Thirty-one countries attended it as well as a troop from Russia. The theme for the camp was world friendship. South African troops were camped next to troops from Rwanda. Irish next to English. Do you know what country the Americans camped by? The Italians. One day myself and two other girls were wandering around the camp looking for people to trade patches with when we found ourselves right in the middle of the Russian campsite. The tents were in a horseshoe around a wide open area which we were standing in.

We could see the girls peeking at us through the tent flaps. Then, one by one, they crept out of the tents with little bags in their hands and we found ourselves surrounded. My friends and I don't know any Russian, so communicating was a bit difficult. We did a lot of "Americans . . . no Americans . . . you know, the ones who pointed nuclear weapons at you?" Ah ha, a breakthrough. The Russian girls were better off than we were. They spoke four words of English. They would reach into the bags they had and pull out a handful of pins. They would dump them into our hands as they said, "A gift for you." It's ironic that many of the pins were off the uniforms of Russian soldiers. Medals given for valor by defeating the enemy. They are worth-

less to the soldiers now. Not to be outdone, we great Americans gave the Russians pins, cookie pins, American flags, and the friendship pin. So we traded and told jokes that the other couldn't understand and laughed anyway. After a while we parted with hugs and smiles and the silent promise never again to hate something that we could not see.

I am reminded of Romeo and Juliet. You remember the story. Two warring families brought together by love of children. It is irrelevant that the children died for their love. It is more important that it shows that individuals can make a difference. In the story, the children had to pay the ultimate price for peace. We don't have to be that dramatic. All we have to do is try.

Oh, I can make a difference. I know I can. You just need to look at my uniform to see that it is covered with Russian pins, just as their uniforms are covered with American ones. I think that all of my troop felt a little guilty that day. We had grown up hating children because of the actions of their fathers. It was fitting, I think, that the camp song that year was the song, "Save the Children." One of the lines goes, "Give them all a second chance to live in harmony," something that our parents could not do. But now, starting with my generation, my troop, starting with me, we will be able to do.

Prejudice is ignorance, fear of what we cannot see and it is passed down from generation to generation. It only takes one person to change hate into friendship. And though it is a lot easier to say "I hate you because your skin is darker than mine or your religion is different from mine, or you were born in a different country than I was," it is more appropriate to say to a person, a gift for you.

The following is the winning speech presented in the Optimist Club Oratorical Contest by Northville High School student Andrew Song. Andrew was the winner in the boys' category.

I CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE by Andrew Song

I can make a difference. Kids? What can they do? They're just kids. All we "kids" can do is obey our parents. We must clean our rooms and go to school, but we also have fun, play and just be kids. But we are the future, and we can do much more than many people think. We can write letters to senators and recycle. But what can children do that adults can't?

Well, many children rely on their parents for everything. If you are a parent, you probably understand how much work it takes to be one. But when children grow older they become more independent. Soon, they're off to college. Then they get themselves their own family, and they become parents too.

But what's left for the Mom and Dad. They spent all their energy into raising their kids. When they become great grandparents they're too old to work. Their children have forgotten them along with all the love they have given. No one has enough time to take care of their great grandparents. The usual solution, they're put in a nursing home. That's what happens when the life of the protective parent ends, and the life of the senior citizen begins.

The first time I realized this was on one unforgettable Saturday. I was going with my Chinese lion dance team to entertain a group of senior citizens. If you're wondering, a Chinese lion dance is a cultural tradition performed at New Years to bring good

luck and good health to our audience. It was late. We had already been to one performance at the restaurant. We were all reluctant to dance again.

We marched into the silent white building. We were due to perform in a few minutes. We quickly lined up on stage. I stared across the large room of blank tired faces. They all sat limply in their chairs. One old man was curled up in his wheelchair. His eyes sagged, wrinkles in his face drooped, and his mouth quivered uncontrollably.

I clutched my drum sticks and began to beat on the drum. Accompanied by the deep echo of the drum and gong, the lion danced around the room for 15 minutes. At the end of the performance, the fatigued faces broke into a few smiles.

Afterwards, I volunteered to help serve dinner. The senior citizens lined up, and a few grinned and patted me on the back while I placed a serving of vegetables on their plate. I left that day feeling that I had brought spirit into a lonely life.

A week later, I felt compelled to

visit the nursing home again. I began helping by cleaning windows and sweeping the floor. But after a while, I began to talk with the senior citizens. One man taught me how to play with a yo-yo, a forgotten pastime. I had never been able to use a yo-yo before. But he taught me how to spin it using a quick wrist snap. Then, he taught me tricks like baby in a cradle, walk the dog, and around the world. I also joined them in a game of bingo, which I loved playing when I was younger.

I could never forget their faces, and I visited the nursing home often. I grew to know one individual in particular who would greet me with a toothless smile. He would clasp my hand between his hands, hug me tightly, and utter some strange sounds because he couldn't speak clearly. I would simply smile back. I read articles to him from magazines and newspapers and spent a lot of time with him.

I return to the nursing home often and visit the senior citizens, because I'd like to return the love to them that they gave to someone like me.

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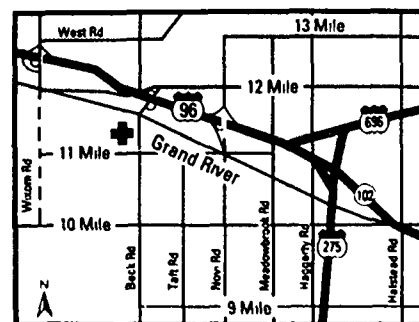


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PROVIDENCE

Jaycees offer prize to best recycler

By STEVE KELLMAN
Staff Writer

Earth Day 1993 may be just around the corner, but Nancy Werth sees little evidence of blooming environmental awareness.

While the annual event drew national attention at its 20th anniversary in 1990, it has faded in popularity ever since and Werth thinks that's a shame.

"There's nobody doing anything special for Earth Day this year," she said. "But it's not any less important today than it was 20-some years ago. It's more important."

Werth, president of the recently reaffiliated Northville Jaycees, wants to help refocus people's attention on the environment and on the April 22

environmental awareness holiday. To do that, the Jaycees are offering a \$50 cash prize to the community's most radical recycler.

Recycling can mean more than putting your milk jugs and newspapers out at the curb each week, Werth said. "People sometimes go a step beyond."

"Garage sales are a form of recycling," she said, as is using old clothing to sew a new quilt or making a sachet out of an old pair of panty hose.

Werth has even heard of a woman who recycles the lint from her clothes dryer, and uses it as kindling in the fireplace. "That was really off the wall," she admitted.

Northville residents who go above

and beyond the demands of curbside recycling, or those who know of a neighbor who reuses objects in an interesting way, can submit their names and stories to the Northville Jaycees for a chance at the \$50 prize.

Entries should be sent to Northville Jaycees, c/o the Radical Recycling Contest, PO Box 241, Northville, MI 48167. All entries should be submitted by Friday, April 16 so that the Jaycees can choose a winner by Earth Day.

Werth has more than a passing interest in recycling herself, since she is writing a research paper on the subject for a conservation course at Schoolcraft College. As part of the assignment, she's analyzed the city's and township's free curbside recycling programs and is surprised at

the difference.

"It doesn't seem that people are happy with the recycling, or doing the recycling," Werth said.

"It's just amazing how much harder it is in the city than in the township," she added. While township users can combine all their recyclable materials in one bin, city residents must place their recyclables in a bag and separate newspapers into a separate bag.

Werth also notes that businesses have little opportunity to recycle other than the cardboard containers in downtown Northville.

But with other communities already making recycling mandatory, she noted, residents may not have a choice in the future.

Scouts seek recycling in local schools

By STEVE KELLMAN
Staff Writer

Sixteen-year-old Cera Cole Lapetz was surprised to read in a recent Detroit newspaper that juice boxes cannot be recycled in Michigan.

That will soon change if she and four other girl scouts have their way. Lapetz, of Northville, and the rest of Senior Girl Scout Troop 646 are working with public and private schools in Northville, Plymouth and Canton to establish a community-wide juice box recycling program.

The program, the first of its kind in Michigan, is the result of more than a year of research and negotiations on their part.

The troop estimates that each student goes through about a juice box a day. Given the 15,000-student enrollment in Plymouth/Canton Schools and an additional 4,000 students in Northville, that's a lot of ma-

terial to recycle.

"The schools are our main focus, but it can be expanded to include grocery store drop-offs too so it can go right through the summer," Lapetz said.

The troop was first inspired by a short-lived series of public service announcements urging people to set up recycling programs in their own communities.

"It was kind of a joint idea," said Karen Randinitis, 17 of Plymouth Township. "We saw the commercials on TV and we started calling. . . They probably took it off the air when people started to call."

Cera's mother, Mary Lapetz, said the troop members called Washington, D.C. repeatedly while seeking information on recycling, "and I have the phone bills to prove it."

Juice box recycling is difficult, because the containers are made of layers of paper, plastic and aluminum

that are fused together, rather than just one material.

Rather than approach school officials first, the troop decided to begin by figuring out where the materials would end up.

"We started by finding the end market where the recycled materials would go, and then worked backwards from there," Randinitis said. "We're at the hardest part now, because now we have to find a pick-up person."

The troop has turned to their local waste haulers with mixed results.

Troop members first approached Browning Ferris Industries, whose Arbor Hills landfill services the Northville area.

"They were one of the first people we talked to, and they were very happy with the idea," Lapetz said. BFI officials met with the students several times and agreed to accept the collected materials at no added

cost.

Plymouth's waste hauler, City Management, has been less enthusiastic about accepting added pickup responsibilities, the troop members said.

Soon, the troop hopes to have special receptacles in each school's cafeteria to collect the boxes. Troop members also hope to publish a pamphlet describing their efforts, and what it would take to start a similar program in other communities.

"We want to make up a booklet for the entire state, and send them out to girl scouts and school districts so they won't have as much of a problem," Randinitis said.

The troop members hope their project earns them a Gold Award, the highest award possible in Girl Scouts.

"Hopefully we'll have it finished by the time we graduate next year," Randinitis said.



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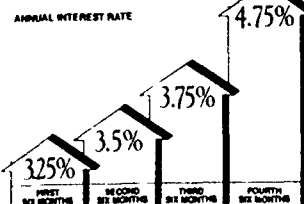
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Low-interest home loans to spur integration

A low-interest home loan program designed to spur racial integration throughout predominantly white Oakland County could be initiated as early as August.

Loans would go to blacks and whites willing to move into Oakland communities where their races are considered under-represented.

Joe Darden, an expert in the field of urban residential segregation, told a gathering of residents last Tuesday in Southfield that intervening with this economic incentive could be "the last hope" for racial integration in this county and metropolitan Detroit.

While Detroit has a black population of almost 76 percent, Oakland's population is just 7.2 percent black. Macomb's is 1.4 percent, and Wayne County's, excluding Detroit, is 6.6 percent.

Terri Purdue — co-director of the Oakland County Center for Open

Housing, which would administer the loan program — said the center expects to receive a \$60,000 grant from the non-profit Fund for an Open Society, a Philadelphia-based mortgage fund, to promote stable housing integration.

"We've applied and have good reason to believe we're going to get the \$60,000," Purdue said last week. "We expect to hear any day now."

Initially, the center proposes to administer 12 loans of around \$5,000 each. "There's no question we'll have more loan requests than money."

A loan committee will be set up to establish guidelines. Purdue said the Fund for an Open Society would assist.

Income would not be a qualifying factor.

Because Oakland County is almost 90 percent white, "any minority move into the county would be considered pro-integrative," Purdue said.

Jim and Laura Paulson, residents of Southfield, praised the proposed incentive loan program. "I hope it gets the financial backing it needs to succeed," Jim Paulson said.

Pro-integrative moves for white families would be moves into Oakland communities with black populations of more than 17 percent. Just a few Oakland communities would be pro-integrative for whites — among them Southfield, Lathrup Village, Oak Park and Pontiac. Southfield's population is about one-third black, and Lathrup's, 23 percent.

In most Oakland communities — including Novi, Birmingham, Bloomfield Hills, Bloomfield Township, Farmington, Farmington Hills, Rochester, West Bloomfield and Troy — the size of the black population is 2 percent or less.

Darden, dean of urban affairs programs at Michigan State University, is a longtime advocate of intervention in the housing markets in

order to overcome racial residential segregation and avoid white flight.

"Data clearly reveals that metropolitan Detroit, of which Oakland County is a part, is the most segregated metropolitan area in the United States. . . . Furthermore, there hasn't been any change in that segregation since the 1960s," Darden told the audience Tuesday. "We must find a solution for the problem beyond what's already been done. Traditional methods have not worked. We must have race-conscious intervention to integrate if we're going to get this problem solved."

Darden has served as a consultant to Southfield, which established the Oakland County Center for Open Housing three years ago and has been its chief financial supporter ever since.

The center has been working to encourage pro-integrative moves and

now has commitments of endorsement from 43 Oakland communities, including Novi, and financial assistance from 16.

"Economic incentives (such as the loan program) seem to be very effective in creating change," Darden said. Such programs already are in progress in Cleveland, Philadelphia, Wisconsin and Illinois.

Oakland would be the first county in the nation to adopt such a program. "I believe in the county of Oakland and still hope change can occur," Darden continued. "Maybe Oakland can be a pioneer not only in this area but in the nation."

"We moved to Southfield from Plymouth because we wanted to live in an integrated area," Laura Paulson said. "I want it to stay as integrated as it is, and I would like others to have this same experience we've had."

Barry Fayne, member of a homeowners coalition, told Darden: "I have a nagging fear your theory and efforts — what we've needed in this area for decades — will not be enough to make real change."

"I say, 'Hope springs eternal,'" Darden answered. He's become frustrated, he said, "but I've never thought of giving up because the alternative is something I won't accept. I'd rather keep trying."

Darden has addressed audiences and consulted with the center frequently on the residential integration of the county and the metropolitan area. He also has addressed the Southeast Michigan Council of Governments. But he has never been invited to speak at open housing forums or meetings in other Oakland communities.

"The invitations haven't come, but I'd love to have the opportunity to speak to other communities," he said.

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Champion of civil rights dies in East Lansing

Don Tucker of Birmingham and Jeaneane Havstad of Plymouth might have different professional backgrounds. Tucker is a lawyer and Havstad works with computers for EDS at the General Motors Tech Center in Warren.

But Tucker and Havstad have at least two things in common. One is a respect and affection for Zolton A. Ferency, the outspoken champion of civil rights who was buried last Saturday in East Lansing.

The second is a love of politics, although each practices in a different way. Tucker is chairman of the Oakland County Democrats. Havstad describes herself as "politically burned out."

"I'm still very interested in politics," she said. "But I realized we were losing because we didn't have any money. So now I send a check instead of walking the picket line."

Havstad attended Ferency's funeral out of respect she said she developed during the days when they helped organize the Human Rights Party.

"Zolton loved the Constitution," she said, explaining at least part of how Ferency came to be known as the champion of unpopular causes.

Tucker was in Hawaii when Ferency died on March 23 and wasn't here for the funeral. "I was shocked when I read about his death in the New York Times."

Ferency, who was a candidate for governor five times and for the state Supreme Court three times, died in Sparrow Hospital from complications following a massive heart attack.

"Zollie was an omnipresent gadfly," said Tucker. "And I mean that with all the respect and admiration I can muster."

Another person who expressed respect is Oakland County Executive L. Brooks Patterson, a self-described conservative Republican who often crossed ideological swords with Ferency.

"He was a warrior, and a good one," said Patterson. "We often debated. . . . Once, in Lansing, I remember we debated on capital

punishment.

"Ferency would pummel you with facts. . . then turn on the charm. He could tell a joke or make a quip that would prove a point as well as sway the audience."

Some of those quips were also irreverent. In the late 1960s, for example, Ferency triggered belly laughs — except from the Michigan attorney general — when he said something like, "Heaven forbid something happen to Leon Cohan (then the attorney general's chief deputy) and Frank Kelley really become attorney general."

Cohan, a Bloomfield Township resident, is now senior vice president and general counsel of Detroit Edison.

Ferency had such a penchant for skewering other Democrats that Bernie Klein, then a Farmington Hills resident, once introduced him with a reference to the Zolton Ferency wristwatch.

"Put it on, and it cuts your wrist every hour on the hour," Klein said of the mythical Ferency watch at a dinner

sponsored by the liberal ADA, Americans for Democratic Action.

Jerry Tobin, public safety director in Southfield, remembers Ferency for his penchant for seeing things differently than others. Their paths crossed occasionally, Tobin recalled, but most often at Wayne State University where he studied criminal justice and Ferency was often a guest speaker.

"We would look at the same law," Tobin said. "But his interpretation was usually very different from mine. I sometimes wondered if we were looking at the same law."

"But he could always explain his interpretation handsomely."

In the mid 1970s, Ferency's interpretation of Southfield's application of its personnel policies put him at odds with the city administration.

Ferency was a special witness at a hearing of the Southfield Civil Service Commission, then reviewing the firings of Maurice Harmon and Larry Hall, two police officers fired within hours of completing their probationary period.

Harmon was a former student of Ferency who argued Southfield was making a "serious mistake" by trying to fire him.

Ferency was very much a mainstream Democrat in the early 1960s, when he was state chairman of the Democratic Party. But Ferency's early — and outspoken — opposition to the Vietnam War led to estrangement. . . and Ferency's organizational efforts on behalf of the Human Rights Party.

At least part of the falling out was rooted in the state Democratic convention of 1970 in Grand Rapids, recalled both Tucker and Havstad, who were both present and advocating for an end to the Vietnam War.

"We had a midnight caucus," said Tucker, who at the time was a law student working for the late Sen. Phil Hart. "It was the same caucus that nominated Ed McNamara as lieutenant governor to run with Sandy Levin (then a state senator and now U.S. representative)."

Tucker said Ferency was one of the main architects of a proposal to grant

amnesty for draft resisters — a highly controversial position.

"We put it on the floor early Sunday morning," Tucker said. "By the time they (party regulars) realized what was happening, we had adopted it."

The fallout was massive and quick.

"We knew that (the amnesty plank of the platform) would get the headlines," Tucker said. "And it sure did."

Party leaders including Tucker said, Levin, McNamara, Hart and others spent much of the next week renouncing amnesty, even though some might have thought it was warranted. "I personally got called on the carpet," said Tucker, "although my boss (Sen. Hart) was against the war."

While some may have viewed the amnesty proposal as political mischief, Havstad said it typified Ferency's willingness to step on toes — and big ones, if necessary — for a cause he considered just. "He was at the heart of the amnesty proposal," she said, "and he loved it."

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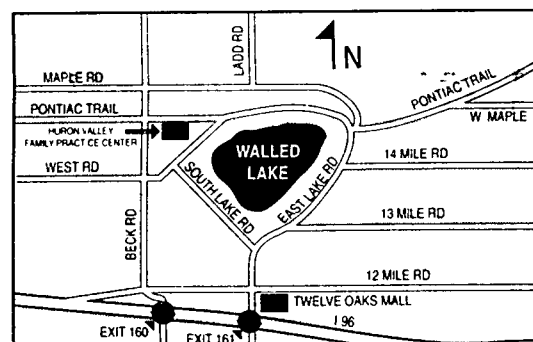
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Parent conferences are just one avenue to tie home to school

By MICHELLE KAISER
Staff Writer

A turn-out of 100 percent of parents at fall parent-teacher conferences is kind of a tradition at Amerman Elementary.

"We have a great bunch of parents here," principal Stephen Anderson exclaimed. "Maybe I'm biased."

At Cooke Middle School, about 93 percent of the parents attended parent-teacher conferences in the fall, said principal Jeff Radwanski.

About 3/4 of the parents checked in to chat with teachers during fall conferences at the high school.

With such an impressive number of parents turning out to talk with teachers about their child's classroom performance, conferences must be an effective method of parent-teacher communication, right?

Well, only one way, according to Anderson.

"It's just one means of home-school coordination," he said. "It's just one means of parent involvement. There are a lot of variables related to a student's achievement and one means is back to the parent-teacher conference."

Other methods of home and school coordination include sending home notes, suggesting activities parents can do with kids, holding open houses, scheduling school meetings, utilizing PTA groups, producing newsletters and calendars, and making telephone calls.

"Nobody has asked the question, 'What is the most important type of home-school coordination?'" Anderson said, adding he will be sending out a parent survey asking the question.

"It's not only a matter of effectiveness, but efficiency. We have 614 kids. It can't be something you do on a daily basis."

Time is of the essence during parent-teacher conferences. At the elementary level, a parent has 20 minutes to discuss his or her child's performance with the teacher.

"That's too little time, but given the number of parents each teacher has to see . . ." Anderson said.

During the conference, the teacher and parent discuss the child's report card, his or her strengths and weaknesses and things parents can help with at home. Sometimes study plans are established.

"What goes on in my home and in the classroom are a lot different," said parent Shelly Miglio, who was conferring with her daughter's first grade teacher Karen Wineman last Thursday. "This way I know what to expect from my daughter and I can track where she's going."

At the middle school level, parents only have about three-to-five minutes to speak with their child's teachers.

"The middle school level is different than the elementary in that teachers don't have a caseload of 30 students but a caseload of 150," Radwanski said.

Parent-teacher conferences are held in the gym at Cooke, where parents move forward in chairs until it is their time to speak with the teacher.

"The beauty of the middle school concept is if there is a concern, an appointment can be made to meet with



Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

Shelly Miglio (left) discussed her daughter's performance with first grade teacher Karen Wineman during a parent-teacher conference at Amerman Elementary.

the academic team," Radwanski said. "It's really just a quick way of at least making contact."

The academic team is composed of the student's social studies, math and science teachers.

High school parent-teacher conferences are modeled after the middle school method, where parents meet with teachers in the school's media

center or cafeteria. Teachers spend about five minutes with each parent.

"(Conferences) are beneficial because they give the parent a good sense of what the teacher's expectations are, what the requirements in the class are and how the student is doing," said Thomas Johnson, Northville High School principal.

Oftentimes, a teacher will provide

a parent with a summary of class requirements, Johnson said.

At spring conferences, parent attendance usually levels off. Anderson reported nearly a 10 percent drop from his building's perfect 100-percent rating. Radwanski said he felt the level of parents attending the spring conferences was close to 80 percent at his school, while Johnson

estimated a 60-percent attendance rate.

"Most parents figure if the kid was doing okay the first time, there's no need to come back," Radwanski said.

"They are always traditionally down in the spring, not just in Northville, but universally," Johnson said. "Maybe parents think because it's toward the end, the die is cast."

Paper offers parents tips to get involved

In the paper "Parent-School Collaboration: A Compendium of Strategies for Parent Involvement" written for the Massachusetts State Department of Education by M.A. Quincy, the author notes five categories of parent involvement.

● Home-school communication. Such involvement includes exchanges of information such as newsletters and handbooks, parent-teacher conferences, open houses, school meetings and telephone calls.

● Parents as supporters. Parents can achieve this level by attending and/or organizing events, discussing homework assignments with their children and providing enrichment activities, such as museum visits, etc.

● Parents as teachers. This can be accomplished through the parent assisting the child in school subjects, reading with children at home, in-school tutoring and volunteering to share skills with students in school.

● Parents as learners. Schools can provide workshops on child development, meetings to explain special programs at school, workshops on at-home activities and literacy programs in English, math, science and computers.

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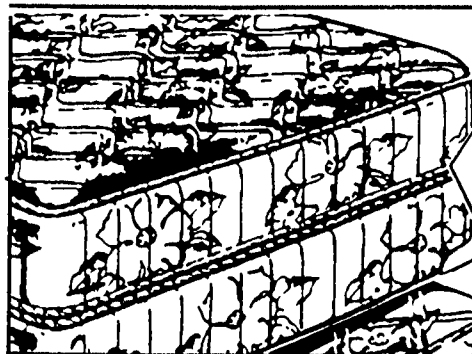
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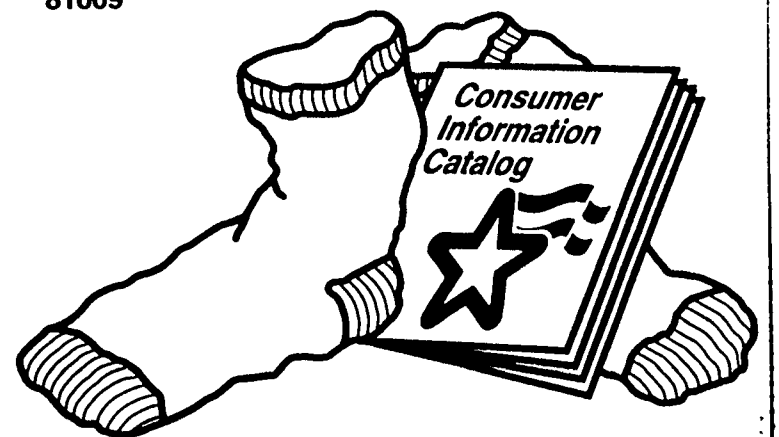
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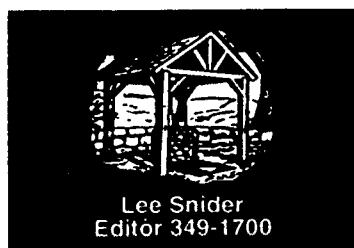
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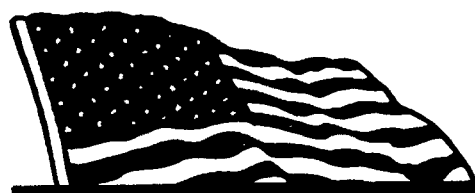
Haste to be generous can undercut services

Believe it or not, there are times when government officials can be generous to a fault.

The Northville Township Board of Trustees tonight will consider imposing a fee of \$30 on residents wanting to restart their curbside refuse pickup service. Adopting the fee will allow homeowners who leave the area during the winter months to cancel their weekly collection service while they are away and reinstate it upon their return. While gone, they will not be assessed the \$10.50 per-month charge for curbside pickup, and the flat fee of \$30 will be used to help defray administrative costs associated with resumption of the service. Residents will have to be away as little as three months for the fee to pay for itself.

It's a good idea — too good, in fact. According to Clerk Sue Hillebrand, \$30 will barely be enough to substantiate the program and will not be enough to justify enforcement procedures. Originally, the proposal called for a \$40 fee and this, Hillebrand argues, is more in line with reality.

We agree. A \$40 fee seems quite rea-



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sonable and easily within reach of couples who can afford to live in a second home during the cold weather season. In order for the fee to pay for itself, residents would have to discontinue their curbside service for just four months, and it is not unusual for people who live out of state during the winter to be gone five or six months at a time.

It is fine for township officials to be sensitive to the financial needs of residents but there is a point where practical considerations must overrule the desire to give constituents what you think it will take to make them happy. In its own way, undermining a program's solvency through adoption of an inadequate users' fee can be as irresponsible as spending wasteful sums and incurring unnecessary expenses.

Parent involvement is key to school success

Parent-teacher conferences were held recently in the Northville School District and, while participation figures are not yet available, it is a safe bet a high percentage of parents showed up to discuss their children's classroom performance with instructors.

A story in today's *Record* quotes school officials as saying that roughly two-thirds of the parents of Northville High School students attended conferences last fall, while the rate was 93 percent at Cooke Middle School and an almost unbelievable 100 percent at Amerman Elementary. Attendance is traditionally down at the spring meetings when the school year is winding down, but participation is still expected to have been relatively high.

It is apparent from turnout at these conferences and from the high academic achievement levels of Northville stu-



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dents that parents here take an active interest in their children's education. This is an encouraging characteristic and indicates that school district parents understand something that is too little appreciated in these days of high-tech tutelage and immediate gratification: there is no substitute for a home environment in which the importance of learning is emphasized. Education, even in the waning years of the 20th century, remains a basic process of study and concentration, and parents are still out on the frontline of the challenge.

Tim Richard

State has obligation to step in



Kalkaska School District, facing a state takeover, is getting a lot of undeserved sympathy from school folks in our suburbs.

"Local control, local control, local control," chant the sympathizers, repeating it so often that they've come to believe in that false god.

The state Senate has approved, 36 to 1, a bill by Sen. Michael Bouchard, R-Birmingham, allow-

ing a state receiver to take over when the locals can't provide 180 days of classes.

"The most irresponsible action I've seen the state Senate take in my 20 years around the Capitol," said Al Short, lobbyist for the Michigan Education Association, the teachers' union. Short's statement was the most irresponsible I've heard a trade unionist make in six months.

In recent years it has been common for higher units of government to step in when the locals flub:

- U.S. District Judge John Feikens appointed a czar to run the Detroit water and sewerage department during a pollution lawsuit.
- Louis Schimmel was appointed receiver when the City of Ecorse went bankrupt.
- Phil Runkel, state superintendent of public instruction, wound up running Wayne County Community College during the worst of its many crises.
- Last Monday, Wayne County supervised the River Rouge

School District's tax and bond election amid allegations of vote fraud and official misconduct.

In 1837 Michigan became the first state (1) to guarantee free public school education as a constitutional right and (2) to make it a state responsibility. After 155 years, the Michigan Constitution still insists: "The Legislature shall maintain and support a system of free public and elementary schools as defined by law." No ifs, ands or buts; no options.

Michigan allowed local districts to be set up, to elect boards, to hire superintendents and teachers. The locals were free to make decisions but never free to shirk their duty, as Kalkaska did on March 24 when it closed its doors.

What went wrong in Kalkaska? Pick one:

A. The greedy union got raises far in excess of inflation and staged "a media circus" (in Bouchard's words) as they sought to send the nation "a message" (in NEA president Keith Geiger's words).

B. The arrogant school board played "chicken" with voters, holding a gun at the children's heads during three property tax increase elections.

C. The stingy taxpayers coughed up only 27 mills when the state average is 34.6 mills and one area district levies 47 plus.

D. It doesn't really matter.

The correct answer is "D." It doesn't matter because the whole local system failed. The schools were closed 45 days early.

School districts are creatures of the state. The state can even abolish them. The state has a clear duty to take over if Kalkaska can't do the job. Let us hear no more idolatry about "local control."

Bryan Mitchell/Moments



'Frosty air'

A Novi firefighter on scene on a cold winter's night.

Phil Power

Taxes move toward fairness



Give credit where credit is due. Gov. John Engler and both houses of the Michigan Legislature last week actually faced up to the way we tax and support our schools — something their predecessors failed to do after 25 years of ducking.

The proposal on the ballot for the June 2 special election would:

- Raise the state sales tax to 6 cents from 4 cents on the dollar.
- Cut property tax millage from a statewide average of nearly 35 to 18, with a top rate of 27 mills for locally passed school taxes.
- Cut property assessments, which define the valuations on which property tax millage is applied, to around 3 percent this year (from a statewide average growth of more than 10 percent) and index levies to no more than inflation in future years.

If passed, this would be the single greatest tax shift — away from taxing the value of property and toward taxing sales — Michigan has seen since the first sales tax was passed during the Great Depression.

And it would mark a decisive turn in the argument about what kinds of taxes we should use that has raged since the latest Michigan Constitution was enacted in 1963.

For years, scholars, politicians and even columnists such as myself have argued that relying on property taxes is inherently unfair.

Consider a column I wrote in 1971 which asserted: "Property taxes are an outdated notion, going back to the days when a man's land and buildings were the only gauge of his

ability to pay. Such taxes rest on the idea that assessments can be fair, which is not always so. And they are so complicated that they give the impression that hanky-panky is going on, even when it isn't."

Six months later, just before a taxpayer revolt swept school millages away in many Michigan communities, I argued in another column:

"For years, Michigan has supported schools by a locally-passed tax on the value of property, which means a tax on people's homes as far as the suburbs are concerned. This tax is unfair (because the value of the land keeps changing and assessments are never up to date), unrepresentative of the facts (because using land as a means of determining a person's wealth became hopelessly unrealistic at least 100 years ago) and inequitable (because a tax on land does not truly tax according to a person's ability to pay)."

Certainly nobody who participated in last week's historic deal-making in Lansing either remembered or cared about these columns. What did count was the growing realization that Michigan's tax structure would be forever out of whack as long as it continued to rely so heavily on the property tax.

That's what made the deal possible.

Rabid tax cutters (read Gov. Engler and most Senate Republicans) got a tax cut — not a big one after you count the non-deductibility of sales taxes for the federal income tax, but a tax cut nonetheless. Liberals and school folks (read most Democratic legislators and some House Republicans who held the governor's feet to the fire, and some media types) got a shift from property to the sales tax.

There's going to be a lot of fine print to read in this complicated proposal. It will affect every school district and every homeowner differently. And there will be plenty of time for everybody to think about whether to support it.

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Tax burden not divided equitably

To the editor:
Property taxes and the elderly. Every segment of society thinks that they are carrying more than their share of costs associated with running the government and the local school system. For those who think that the elderly get all the breaks let me cite a situation that proves differently.

The facts and figures presented here are supported by my personal records. I have resided in the Village/City of Northville for over 70 years and a property owner for 48 years. Over the years, I graduated from Northville High School, married my wonderful wife Marion, raised three daughters who also graduated from Northville High School, and celebrated 53 years of wedded bliss. I hope we can afford to live in this fine city and at our present address more years.

Since my youngest daughter graduated in 1966 my property taxes have increased by 788 percent, (595 percent after Property Tax Credit). Now the city tax assessor has decided the market value of my property should be increased by \$15,400. WOW! Who knows how many more tax dollars the increase will generate for local government and the school system. This presentation of facts illustrates how Northville has funded schools and local government in the past. This does not justify using the same approach for further needs. The school system in Northville is a good one and needs the support of everyone directly affected. However, it is questionable if the elderly should carry any part of the load for funding local schools. My daughters have been out of school for over 25 years and yet I am paying the system as though I still have children in school. It's true that my property tax bill is 25 percent less because of a State of Michigan Property Tax Credit. Still the net amount paid is still a substantial expense to shoulder by this taxpayer on a fixed income.

There must be other ways to fund our schools with much input by all interested parties. The difficult thing to do is to find a method that is fair and equitable to all.

Sidney D. Moase

Wooly's is a positive place

To the Editor:
I completely agree with the Woolly Bully's editorial in the April 1 edition of *The Northville Record*. I have heard both compliments and complaints about the outside decor of the establishment. Maybe I missed it, but I have not seen any opinions of anyone that has patronized Woolly Bully's. I urge everyone to try the place for dinner or a couple of cocktails before making your decision. I had the opportunity to have dinner there. I found the servers to be neat, well groomed, friendly, and eager to please. The food was tasty and well prepared. And if you grew up in the '50s like I did, the inside decor will bring back a lot of memories. Especially with the popular songs of the era being played in the background. Sure, the place gets crowded with young people in the evenings. So do what I did. Go early. At 4:30 or 5 p.m. there are a lot of middle-aged people enjoying the pleasant ambience of the inside.

When our party was leaving, we tried to get in the souvenir shop. It was closed. The manager opened it especially for us. While browsing I accidentally broke a glass. When I offered to pay for it, the management refused. They said, "accidents will happen." Quite a change from some merchants who have signs posted that say, "You break it you own it." The bottom line is, Woolly Bully's is bending over backwards trying to be an asset to the community. Let's give them a chance. I wonder if the owners of the restaurants, florists, tobacco shop and other establishments would be complaining if these people were patronizing their establishments. Just a thought. Care to comment, Mr. Autry?

Leonard F. Kierszkowski

Editorial was one-sided

To the editor:
As a resident of Oak Park Gardens subdivision, (a dirt road resident), I must strongly protest your one-sided editorial (3/29, Residents should pay for road treatment). Until a few years ago, our subdivision had dead-end roads. Now

our streets are access roads into Northville Colony subdivision. Not only do we get all of their car traffic (residents, visitors, etc.), but we get all of their business traffic (deliveries, lawn maintenance, etc.). It is not fair for Park Gardens residents to pay all of the road maintenance when most of our traffic is non-resident. If the only traffic we had was resident, we would not have a dust problem.

In view of this information, you are wrong to say that only residents living on dirt roads should pay for road maintenance. As far as your statement that "we knew what we were getting into when we chose our location" we did not expect our dead-end streets to be accessed by a large "paved" subdivision, thereby more than doubling our traffic flow.

Andrew P. Weinrauch

Taxes can be better used

To the editor:
In reference to your editorial on Monday, March 29, I would like to shed a little different look on the topic of dirt road issue. The main concern seems to be that people living on paved roads would rather see their tax money pay for other things. The majority of our property tax goes to the schools, yet the majority of the people on my street have no students in the schools. Should we then say the tax money from our street shouldn't go to help those with students? Let's all help one another and provide the services we all need — not pick on the minority of the residents by implementing special assessments.

To answer the comment that we knew our road was dirt when we purchased our home and should have anticipated the possibility of a dust problem, yes perhaps we should have given some thought to that fact. However, when many of us purchased our homes, chloriding the dirt roads was a service that was provided through our taxes. It didn't seem to be a problem. Some of us prefer a dirt road. A dirt road retains a little bit of country in an already too much asphalt and concrete community.

By the way, the proposed allocation of \$40,000 is a small drop in the bucket compared to what was spent for library plans that were never used. The money was found and no special assessment, not even notification, until it was a "done deal."

Perhaps I sound a little frustrated. Is it any wonder with such selfish attitudes?

Joyce Stowell

Salaries don't make teachers

To the editor:
Come, come Mr. Hoffman. If I didn't know better I would think "Super Teacher" wrote your letter (March 25). I agree with Mrs. Bjaige. If teachers feel underpaid and overworked, they should quit. Why don't they?

Your gargantuan schedule would rattle anyone. How do you survive from 5 a.m. to 11 p.m., devoting every minute to education? I did do some math and I'm not impressed. One hundred and forty three students at 30 per class yields approximately five teaching class loads — given 50 minutes per class. This amounts to four hours and 15 minutes of actual teaching with two hours to spare (7:30-2:30). Of course, you are entitled to an hour lunch and planning period each day.

Why are you evaluating 143 assignments at home when effective teaching advocates checking the work with the students for immediate input?

What are all the committee meetings you are required to attend? Staff meetings are usually one per week and you do have your planning time. You do have curriculum days and teacher work days. Why are you special tutoring one tenth of your class daily (before or after hours)?

I am not a stranger to the educational system. My day is 7:15-4 minus an hour for lunch, planning periods when one class was out for art, music, P.E. and recess. A very adequate salary and substantial fringe benefits round out my knowledge of the educational system.

I am not a traitor to my profession — what I'm stating is: teachers should not be revered as martyrs. They are well provided for by the electorate. They have Christmas, Easter and winter break, great salaries and ample fringe benefits. Not too many employees in the "real world" make \$1,375 per week.

\$305 per day, \$44 per hour (\$55,000) or beginning salary of \$30,000 (\$750 per week, \$165 per day or \$24 per hour).

Fringes include business days, sick days, dental, medical, vision insurance and life insurance, educational incentives, 11-12 step pay increments.

The school system must make a budget which addresses the needs of the student: supplies, art, music, p.e., sports programs, transportation, small class sizes. Salary increases for teachers should be the last consideration. Their bargaining association refused to even consider opening the contract for reconsideration of a pay freeze — though others in the district did.

The electorate is unhappy with intolerable assessments and high millage and high teacher salaries. High salaries do not make great teachers.

An educator

Protest was orchestrated

To the Editor:
I would like to review the events that led up to a split (3-2) decision by the Northville Township Planning Commission to permit Mr. Autry (owner of Highland Lakes Shopping) to erect a fence in his parking lot in order to isolate himself from Woolly Bully's. The parade of merchants that testified that evening was highly orchestrated by Mr. Autry in that at one point he was out in the hall rounding them up and later actually pointing at some of them to get up and speak. The merchants that spoke ranged from those that desperately need parking relief to those that were pushed by Mr. Autry to speak. Approximately 40 percent of them requested parking relief without directly supporting the fence. As chairman of the Planning Commission, I suggest that some merchants indicated that a means other than a fence might be satisfactory. I was soundly booed by other merchants for even thinking that.

I agree with the editorial that a working agreement between Mr. Autry and Mr. Roman (owner of Woolly Bully's) would provide a better solution for the community, but you cannot have an agreement when one party (Mr. Autry) refuses to negotiate. He was extremely vocal at the beginning of the meeting that he would NEVER negotiate.

It is very important that the Highland Lakes Shopping Center tenants, particularly those open in the evening, need sufficient parking spaces to support their customers. When peak parking demands do not occur simultaneously, the Planning Commission has always encouraged shared parking to minimize the amount of asphalt laid in Northville Township. I have never been past the Shopping Center (before Woolly Bully's) and seen the parking lot half full. This indicates to me that excess parking is available. It would be unreasonable to expect Mr. Autry to donate parking spaces he has paid for and pays taxes on to Woolly Bully's. Therefore, some financial considerations would be appropriate. Possibly Woolly Bully's would provide some sort of parking control to ensure the stores that stay open late in the Shopping Center have sufficient spaces to support their customers. Maybe they could even have a cleaning service to clean the parking lot every morning. The sad part is we will never know since Mr. Autry has vowed to never negotiate with Woolly Bully's. It is not right for Woolly Bully's to inflict hardships of this type on neighboring businesses, but Mr. Autry's actions are inflicting a hardship on Woolly Bully's. I firmly believe there is adequate parking space for both Woolly Bully's and the shopping center due to the differing times of peak load.

For the record I did not support the installation of the fence due to safety implications pointed out by Police and Fire Departments.

Richard E. Allen

Thanks go to engine service

To the Editor:
Northville Parks and Recreation Department wishes to extend its thanks to Mark King of Mark's Small Engine Service for donating to us several pieces of new park maintenance equipment and one year of maintenance service on our existing equipment. The generosity of business owners like Mr. King has made a significant difference in

our budget during these difficult financial times.

The entire Northville community has benefited from the commitment Mark's Small Engine has made to Parks and Recreation.

Traci Johnson, Director
Northville Parks and Recreation

Tax should be on incomes

To the Editor:

The low- and middle-income citizen will be hit with a proposed double-whammy tax increase. The Feds with their B.T.U. energy tax, and the State with Engler's 2-percent increase in the Michigan sales tax.

Although those owning property will be favored with a reduction in property taxes (especially those with high value properties), renters will not be favored in any way whatsoever.

I suggest that instead of a 2-percent increase in the State sales tax, Governor Engler should consider directing his whiz-kids computer operators to work out an appropriate income tax formula for single and married taxpayers that would bring into the State's coffers the same amount of money that the 2-percent sales tax would, but would be equitable and non-regressive.

Alfred P. Gaili

Place deserves a fair chance

To the editor:

My husband and I are in our mid-30s. In the last couple of years, friends of ours introduced us to a great restaurant. It is a place where we can have fun, listen to good music and eat a great meal.

We were surprised to hear that "the restaurant" was moving to Northville. Too, we were excited that a business with a great reputation and business know-how was adding to Northville's tax base. No way would this place go out of business.

Well, slowly we watched the building changes being made. We started reading and hearing negative thoughts and comments. We began to realize that this new restaurant was under some opposition without ever being tried. The eatery was being judged on appearance alone.

The very name, Woolly Bully's, was now a new Northville buzz word.

Alas, opening day has come and gone and I'm sorry to say that poor Woolly Bully's is now trying to survive behind newly erected bars (a huge fence).

Mr. Autry, the owner of Highland Lakes, doesn't seem to realize that many of Woolly Bully's patrons also shop at Highland Lakes; that erecting a fence and "policing" the parking lot is not a constructive way to handle this parking situation. I'm sure that someone could have thought of a less forceful way of controlling traffic. After all, cooperation is better than confrontation.

Highland Lakes has a huge parking lot. Certainly, Woolly Bully's Friday and Saturday night crowd could have been accommodated as well as the few businesses open in Highland Lakes on the weekends.

My husband and I try to patronize Northville's small businesses. We would like to see the small business owners helping and working with one another. Please consider that we want to encourage new thriving businesses to Northville. There are many vacant stores downtown and let's face it, business is not great.

For those of you who object to Woolly Bully's outside appearance, I believe the location is a good choice. The restaurant's location is very inconspicuous, next to railroad and tracks and trees with no housing nearby. Some in the community are probably also afraid that Woolly Bully's will attract a bad crowd. We have patronized each of the Woolly Bully's restaurants one time each and have never encountered a problem. There will, of course, be those that attempt to get a bit out of control. Hopefully, this will be handled just as it would at any nighttime establishment.

So, how about giving it a try yourself. You may enjoy yourselves. Many different ages have been known to patronize Woolly Bully's. After giving this new establishment a try you will be better able to decide for yourself.

C.L. Roberts

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Livingston would get big tax cuts under proposal

By TIM RICHARD
Staff Writer

Five Livingston County school districts would get big property tax cuts — 16 to 20 mills — under the sales tax proposal on the June 2 ballot. That delights Rep. Susan Munsell, R-Howell. "Because we in Livingston have been levying such high millages, we get bigger than average roll-backs," said the lawmaker many credit with being the prime mover in breaking a 25-year tax reform logjam in Lansing.

Many Oakland County school districts will see minimal property tax cuts, and their residents actually will pay more if the sales tax is hiked from 4 cents to 6 cents on the dollar.

That infuriates Sen. Jack Faxon, D-Farmington Hills, whose district stretches across southern Oakland County to Novi. "You're not giving people equal property tax relief and, in fact, you're asking people to approve an increase on their taxes for an unequal exchange on their property," Faxon warned as he voted no.

The plan not only is the biggest tax proposal to face Michiganans since the first sales tax was adopted during the Great Depression, but it also will mean a shift of tax money from the metro Detroit and Grand Rapids areas to outstate Michigan.

The proposal squeaked through the House, 74 to 22, after a 14-hour session. The Senate passed it 31 to 4 within a day.

Voting yes were Reps. Munsell, Jerry Vorva, R-Plymouth, Willis Bulard, R-Highland, Dan Gustafson, R-

Haslett, and Kirk Profit, D-Ypsilanti. In the Senate it was supported by Republicans Robert Geake of Northville and Fred Dillingham of Fowlerville. Opposed were Democrats Faxon and Lana Pollack of Ann Arbor.

If voters approve the June 2 constitutional amendment raising the sales tax, here are area school districts' current millage rates, future millage rates and the amount of cut:

- Brighton — 37.77 mills now, 21.71 in 1994, cut of 16.06 mills
- Fowlerville — 34.21 mills now, 18 mills in 1994, cut of 16.21 mills
- Hartland — 39.67 mills now,

- 19.32 mills in 1994, cut of 20.35 mills
- Howell — 34.49 mills now, 18 mills in 1994, cut of 20.45 mills
- Novi — 29.2 mills now, 27 mills in 1994, cut of 2.2 mills
- Huron Valley — 38.5 mills now, 18.12 mills in 1994, cut of 20.38 mills
- South Lyon — 32.28 mills now, 18 mills in 1994, cut of 16.28 mills
- Walled Lake — 36 mills now, 17 mills in 1994, cut of 9 mills

In the middle and east side of Faxon's Senate district, Farmington will see a cut of just 4.52 mills. Southfield 7.83 mills and Birming-

ham less than 1 mill.

Reason: High-spending school districts in the metropolitan area would be allowed to levy up to 9 mills above the 18-mill floor to prevent deep budget cuts.

Munsell will explain the plan's impact on Livingston County communities in a series of 12 or more public hearings in May. The schedule will be announced in a week or so.

"Let's say we're rolling back 20 mills on a \$60,000 state equalized valuation house," she said. "That's a savings of \$1,200 in property taxes. For those in the 28 percent federal in-

come tax bracket, it's reduced by \$336 to \$864 savings.

"You pay more in sales tax. But you must make \$43,200 in taxable purchases before you are worse off," she said.

No school district would get less than a 3 percent revenue increase, Munsell said. "That's what makes it so attractive to out-of-formula districts" like those in Oakland, she said.

Faxon said the entire concept of guaranteeing every district \$4,800 per child was absurd. "That's \$200 less than the average per pupil expenditure today — less! Are we bring-

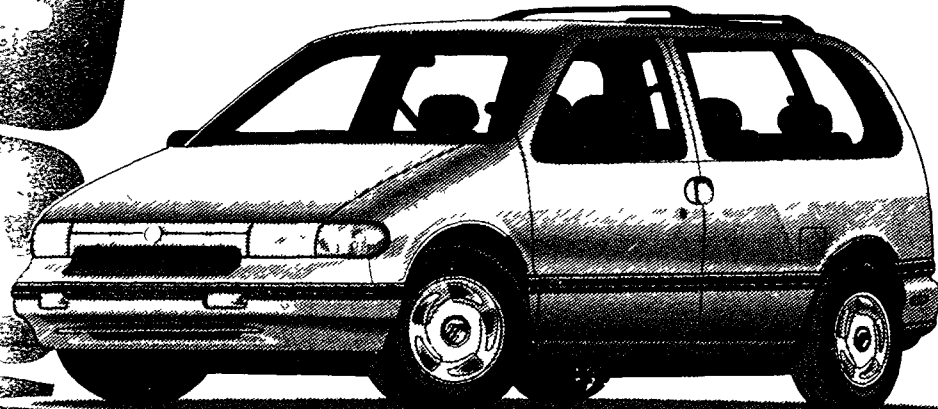
ing their students up to the average? We're not," said Faxon, charging the proposal is "going to pull them down."

"A home in Oakland County of 1,200 square feet can cost 10 times more than in Ontonagon County. Housing is one of the major costs of living factors."

Pollack, whose district includes Salem Township near South Lyon, objected to the plan for a different reason. "The sales tax is a regressive tax. The tax break will be given exclusively to property holders, but 30 percent of the people are too poor to own any property."

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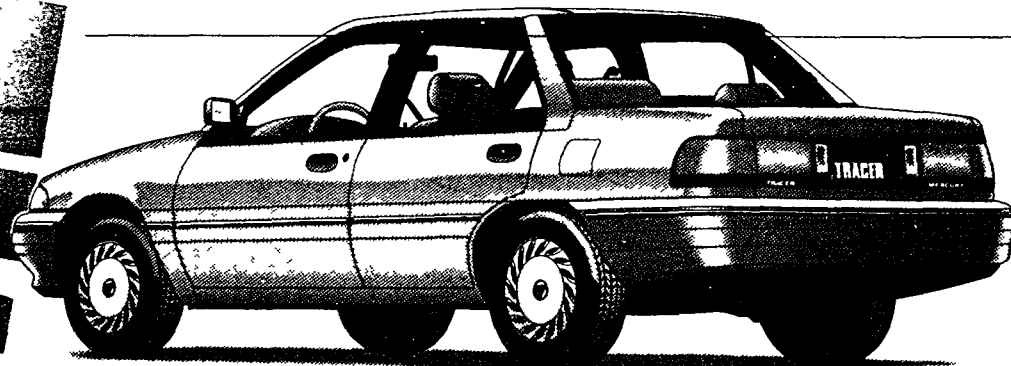
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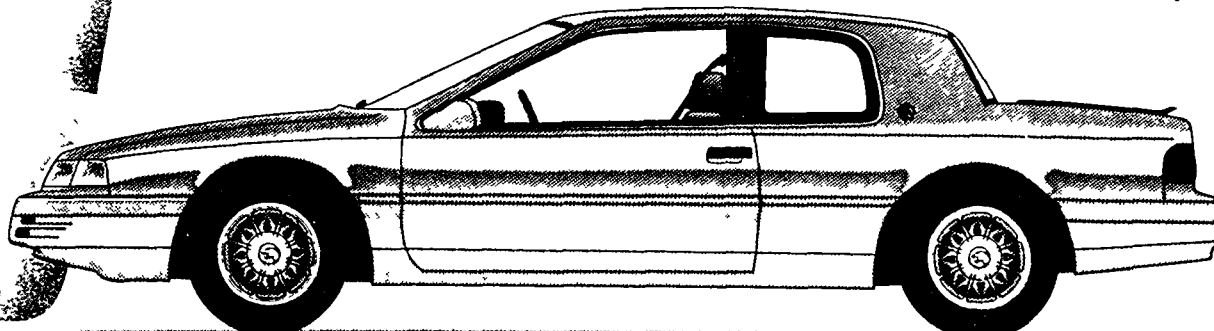
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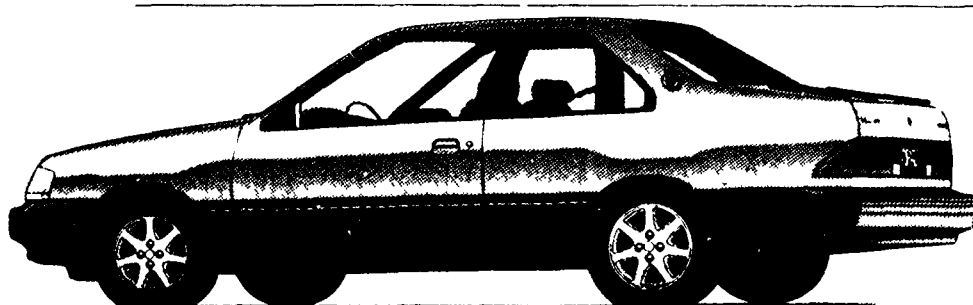


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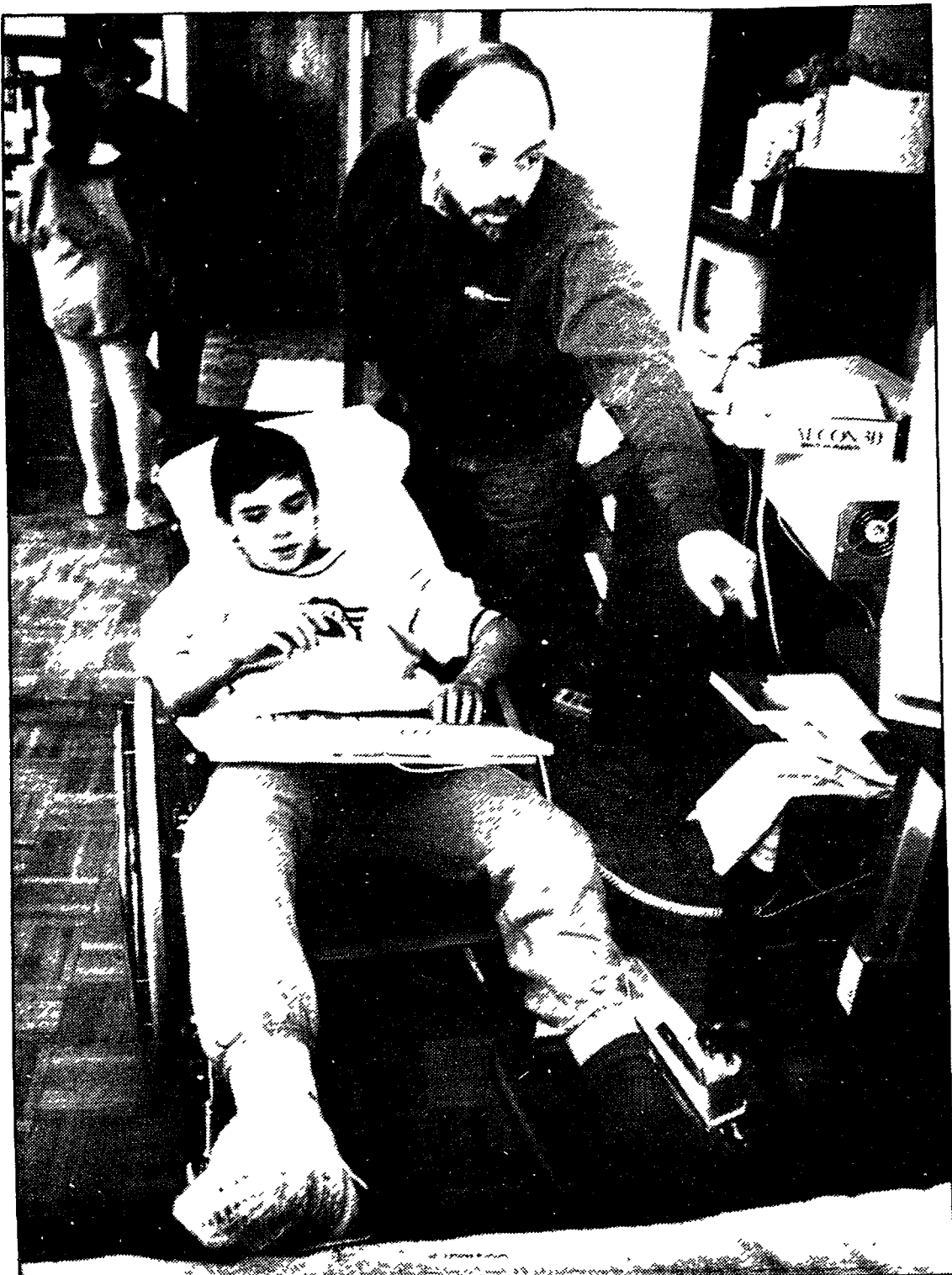
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Photos by BRYAN MITCHELL

Twelve year-old Steve King calls up the district's wide area network to see what his classmates have written to him.



Mark King, Steve's dad, tells him what prompts to enter to call up the district's menu.



Cooke principal Jeffrey Radwanski talks to Steve via the modem that links the two together.

HI- TEK HOME WORK

By SHARON CONDRON
Staff Writer

It's a good thing Steve King and his family are computer literate and Northville school administrators are user-friendly.

For one without the other might have meant the 12-year-old Cooke Middle School student wouldn't have rebounded so quickly from the accident that left him wrapped in a body cast.

On March 1, Steve was riding with his father, Mark in the family's minivan en route to an evening scout meeting. The van was struck by an oncoming motorist while Mark was making a left hand turn at the intersection of Six Mile and Sheldon roads. As a result of the head-on collision, the femur in Steve's right leg was severed. The 12-year-old was rushed to St. Mary's Hospital, detained in traction, and eventually wrapped in a plaster body cast extending from his waist to his right ankle.

Steve was hospitalized for four weeks and released last week. Today Steve is recovering at home in a hospital bed. He's in good spirits and for the time being he

gets around in a wheelchair.

Steve's mom, Ellen, says doctors first thought her son would be immobilized at home for at least three months, but now, she says he could be up and around in just two.

Either way it's a lot of missed class time. But Steve's parents, teachers and school administrators have worked out a plan to keep Steve in touch and in pace with his school work.

It was Mark's creativity and Northville school administrator Bill Hamilton's ingenuity, that helped keep Steve on-line with his classmates and with his teachers. They have collectively worked together to link the family's home computer to the school's wide-area network.

After the accident, it was Mark who first approached school officials with the idea of installing a modem in his home that would link the family's computer to the school's system.

"What we've done is we've put the computer the kids are using here at school into Steve's bedroom," Hamilton said. "What Steve has now at home is what he has here at school."

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Volunteer



Coach helps local girls in meeting of the minds

By DOROTHY NASH
Special Writer

"It was an incredible experience," said Karen Overly about her four months of coaching seven Novi Middle School girls, 11 to 14 years of age, to compete in the regional Odyssey of the Mind tournament.

For four months she met with the girls, one of which was her daughter, in her home one night a week and on Saturdays so they could work on this year's assignment — to create and present a story about dinosaurs. This meant designing one dinosaur, as usually portrayed, and creating a new discovery.

So the girls made a dinosaur they named "Jane" of slate-colored papier mache with an oscillating fan in her head so she moves from side to side.

And they created another named "Blinky," who is made of chicken-wire covered with tin foil and strung with blinking Christmas tree lights.

As coach, Overly said, she helped the girls obtain materials and the knowledge necessary to solve problems, but she wasn't permitted to

make suggestions or help with the construction.

After they had made their dinosaurs, the girls worked on the competition event, which was to have a stage and back-drops against which they and their dinosaurs would enact an entertaining, developmental or intentional scene. A time limit of eight minutes was set.

An unrelated part of the competition was a spontaneous one, Overly said, in which the girls met with the judges. Each girl was given a number, and when a deck of cards turned up her number, she was asked a question like "The air we breathe is invisible. What else is?"

Overly worked with the girls all of the time on similar questions to prepare them to think fast.

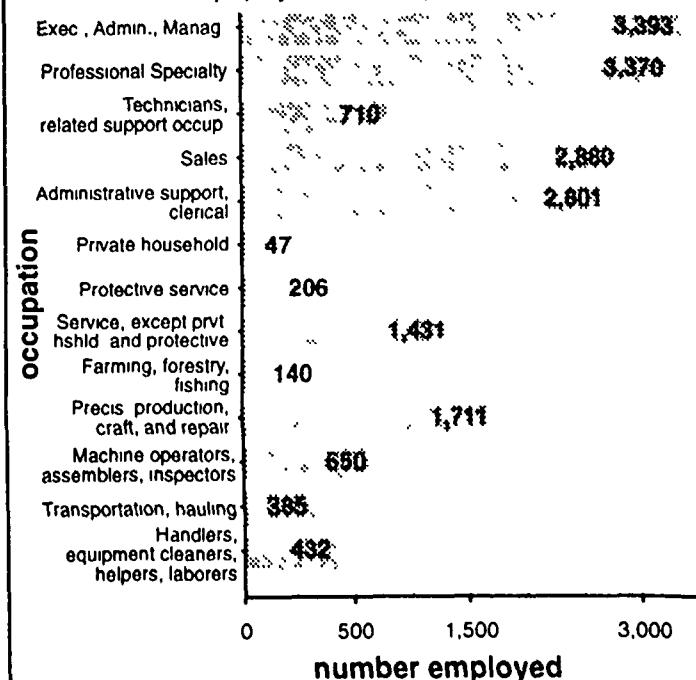
The girls did well in everything, but were penalized for going overtime on their full performance. So they placed eighth instead of second.

Would Karen Overly do it again? Definitely, yes, but next time maybe with seven boys. Her nine-year-old son may want to be on a team.

It's A Fact

Occupation

There are 18,156 persons 16 and over employed in the City of Novi.



In Our Town

Hodak closes Town Hall series

Northville's Town Hall series welcomes WJBK-TV program host Jerry Hodak to Monday's lecture. The fourth and final lecture and luncheon in the 1992-93 series will be held at the Livonia Holiday Inn West at 11 a.m.

Hodak, who now anchors a morning news/talk show on channel 2, is a native of Detroit and a graduate of Wayne State University. Prior to moving to channel 2, Hodak worked as a weatherman and science editor for WXYZ-TV/Channel 7.

For his series on Medicare costs, Hodak was the recipient of the Michigan Non-Profit Homes Association Award. He has also been recognized for his medical story entitled "Cancer Pump" and has received an award from the Michigan Cancer Foundation. His three-part series on arthritis won the 1980 Russell Cecil Award from the National Arthritis Foundation and a report on strokes brought him recognition from the Michigan Heart Association. He and his wife Peggy have three daughters.

Duck dinner designated

The Northville Meadowbrook Area Chapter of Ducks Unlimited is planning its sixth annual dinner party and auction, slated for Thursday, April 29. Tickets are already on sale.

The schedule for the benefit includes cocktails from 5:30 to 7 p.m.; dinner from 7 to 8; and an auction from 8:30 to 10. There will be a cash bar. The evening includes a live and silent auction, with various prizes of particular interest to people who enjoy the outdoors.

For tickets, contact chairman Fred Borchert at 348-7195 or treasurer Tim Glock at 347-4277. Or purchase tickets at Northville Camera & Video, 117 E. Main, 349-0105.

Ducks Unlimited is a national organization of duck hunters and outdoors people which buys land to help preserve the duck population.

21 PLUS hits Woolly Bully's

On Wed., April 14 21 PLUS, a gathering of singles in their 20s from the First Presbyterian Church, will host a singles party at Northville's newest nightclub, Woolly Bully's. The party kicks off at 7:30 p.m.

NYA Volunteer Recognition Reception

On Monday, April 19 the Northville Youth Assistance will be hosting its sixth annual Volunteer Recognition Reception at the Rose Cottage Banquet House and Restaurant.

Lunch Bunch comes to town

The Lunch Bunch performers are bringing their act to Genitti's Hole-In-The-Wall restaurant for six Saturday performances of the Emperor's New Clothes. Lunch Bunch is a theater group affiliated with the University of Detroit-Mercy Theatre group. Dr. Arthur Beer, the assistant director of the theater department at U-D-Mercy is starring in the play. Beer is an award winning actor and director and his achievements on stage have been recognized by reviewers at *The Detroit News* and *Detroit Free Press*.

The show will open on Genitti's stage April 3 at 1 p.m. It will run on consecutive Saturdays through May 15. Tickets are \$6 and lunch is an additional \$2. For reservations and ticket information call 349-0522 or 264-2611.

Northville Newcomers

It's a busy month once again for the Northville Newcomers. The Newcomers

took in three new members to their club this past month. Those three will join in on all the fun planned for the month.

Topping off the month is the club's annual Spring Luncheon. The luncheon will be held Monday, April 26 from 12:30 to 3 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church in Northville. At the meeting, new board members will be announced and the Newcomers will welcome guest speaker Ronnie Cambra from the Kitchen Witch in downtown Northville.

Cambra will be telling audience members what to do with all of those glorious gastronomical gadgets tucked in the back of your kitchen drawers.

Newcomers are also busy planning for upcoming events in May. The club is planning its annual May Day progressive dinner for Saturday, May 1. The dinner kicks off at 6 p.m. and features a tasty menu of appetizers, entrees and desserts. The price per couple is \$30. Reservations are required.

May will also feature a calendar of spring events. Annual golf outings and leagues for couples and ladies will tee off early in May. And the couples' Road Rally is set for May 22.

For more information about the Newcomers call Catherine Rabahy at 420-0125.

Divorce Recovery Seminar

Jireh Ministries, the Single Adult Ministry at the Northville Christian Assembly is organizing an eight-week Divorce Recovery Seminar starting April 30.

Dave Carpenter will be facilitating the seminar which will take place Friday nights (with the exception to May 14) from 7-9 p.m. Child care will be provided.

Participants wanting to advance register must do so by April 5. The cost for advance registration is \$20. After that, cost at the door is \$25.

The seminar will deal with self-esteem, anger and depression, letting go of the past, co-dependency, single parenting, and personal freedom. Child care will be provided. For more information call 348-9030.

Single Place presents

Single Place Ministries of the First Presbyterian Church has a list of events planned this month.

On Sunday, April 11 at the Sunday Morning Gathering Bob Allwine will be speaking on Quality Friendships from 10-10:45 a.m.

On Wed., April 14 Single Place is welcoming two speakers at 7:30 p.m. John Landis will be speaking on Critical Skills for the Next Decade and Barbara McGrew will be sharing tips for traveling in Europe as a single on a light budget. There is a \$4 donation for either speaker.

In four separate sessions, Joe Bavonese, Ph.D. and Shirley Grochok, MSW will be speaking as part of Single Place's Opportunity for Growth Workshop series on "Healthy Relationships Through Skillful Dating." The seminar will run April 15, 22 and 29 and May 6. Single Place is seeking a \$28 donation requested for that seminar.

April 21 is the opening night of a five part series in a Grief Recovery Workshop. This workshop will be held at 7:30 p.m. on five consecutive Wednesday evenings, starting April 21 and ending May 19. The workshop costs \$30.

For more information on any of Single Place events call the Single Place office at 349-0911.

Stories wanted

Do you know of a local resident who's done something interesting or has celebrated something special lately? If so, call Sharon Condron at 349-1700.

PTA NewsElementary Schools

SILVER SPRINGS

Silver Springs "Family Night Supper" was a great success with delicious food from Papa Romano's, great entertainment from Ann Shaheen, fun raffles donated by our teachers, super decorations in the multi-purpose room, and a great turnout by students and their families. Big "Thank You" go to Patti Appleford and Tracy Probst for their hard work with congratulations for a job well done.

Our roller skating party on March 14 at the Skatin' Station was lots of fun with our students and parents taking part in races and raffles. "Thank you" to Debbie Peloso for arranging our roller skating parties all year.

At our evening PTA meeting March 15, Dr. Leonard Rezmierski, Superintendent of Northville Schools, spoke about the school boundary changes, changes in the high school curriculum, and school millage issues. Principal Ken Pawlowski announced some dates to remember: Spring Recess begins on Friday, April 9, and classes will resume Monday, April 19.

In our committee reports, Karen Stephens reported that the Art Appreciation program will culminate this week with a slide presentation from the National Gallery of Art. Peggy Quick, our newsletter editor, reported that the last issue will be published in mid-May, with an April 29 deadline for articles.

Silver Springs families collected almost 18,000 Campbell's labels this year, earning much-needed maps and globes for the school. Thank you to all participants. We will continue to collect labels until June to be used for the 1993-94 school year. Parties

will be awarded in June to the upper and lower-level classes with the highest levels of participation, so keep sending in those labels.

Our Junior Enrichment Series sponsored two performances by singer/song-writer Marc Thomas of "Give Yourself a Star," a program to inspire self-esteem. This program was in conjunction with the school's observance of "Substance Abuse Awareness Week."

The Attic Theater also visited Silver Springs in March to perform its "Magic Carpet Reading Program" in celebration of "March is Reading Month."

Roni McCrumb reported on the World Book Company's "Partners in Excellence" program. One hundred and eighty gold medals were awarded to Silver Springs students who read 10 or more books, and over \$5,000 worth of World Book materials were earned by our school for classroom and library use. Our students are incredible.

In scouting news, the Boy Scouts' Pinewood Derby has been postponed. Members of Girl Scout Troop 331 will earn their childcare badges when they provide babysitting services at Silver Springs' teacher conferences. "Thank you" go to the Girl Scouts for babysitting at our March PTA meeting.

Please notice the PTA Bulletin Board at the School's front entrance hallway. It is a good way to find out what is going on in our school.

Our next PTA meeting is Tuesday, April 20, at 9:15 a.m., which is the day after the school board renders its decision on which school boundary plan it will adopt. Please attend our meeting to become informed.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

For information regarding rates for church listings call
The Northville Record or Novi News
349-1700

WALLED LAKE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Roger
309 Marlet St. 424-2483
(behind First of America Bank off Pontiac Trail Rd.)
Worship 10:00 a.m. Women's Bible Study
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship
Nursery Available. All Welcome

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF NORTHVILLE
349-0911
200 E. Main St. Northville
Worship & Church School 9:30 & 11:00 a.m.
Childcare Available 9:30 & 11:00 a.m.
Dr. Lawrence Chamberlain, Pastor
Rev. James Russell, Minister of Evangelism & Singles
Rev. Martin Arkin, Minister of Youth & Church School

ST. JOHN LUTHERAN FARMINGTON
23225 Cliff Road, 3 Bks. S. of Grand River
3 Bks. W. of Farmington Road
Worship Schedule
Sunday 8:30 & 11 a.m. (Nursery)
Church School 9:40 a.m.
474-0584
Pastor Charles Fox Pastor Daniel Cave

SPIRIT OF CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH - E.L.C.A.
40700 W. 10 Mile (W. of Haggerty)
Worship 8:30 & 10:45 a.m.
Sunday Church School 9:30 a.m.
Church Office 477-6296
Pastor Thomas A. Schlegel

GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH
9 Mile & Meadowbrook
Worship 8:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.
David A. Grundmeier, Pastor - 349-0555
Sunday School 9:45 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.
Worship 7:30 p.m. Lenten Vesper Service

OUR LADY OF VICTORY CATHOLIC CHURCH
7701 Taylor, Northville
WEEKEND LITURGIES
Sunday, 8:30, 9:15 a.m. & 12:30 p.m.
Sunday School 9:45 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.
Religious Education 349-2559

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST
1100 W. Ann Arbor Trail
Plymouth, Michigan
Sunday Worship, 10:30 a.m.
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
Wednesday Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

FIRST APOSTOLIC LUTHERAN CHURCH
26325 Haledale Road at 11 Mile
Farmington Hills, Michigan
Services every Sunday at 10:30 a.m.
Also, First and Third Sunday at 7:00 p.m.
Sunday School 9:15 a.m.
Bible Class - Tuesday - 7:30 p.m.
Song Services - Last Sunday of month - 7:00 p.m.

NORTHVILLE CHRISTIAN ASSEMBLY
41355 Six Mile Road
Northville 424-9030
Sunday School 9:30-10:55
Sunday Worship 8:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.
Pastor Chris T. Buchan, Sr. Pastor
Northville Christian School
Preschool & K-8
348-9031

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN MISSOURI SYNOD
High & Elm Streets, Northville (behind Hardee's)
L. Kline, Associate Pastor
Church 349-3140
Sunday School 8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Wednesday Worship 7:30 p.m.

NOVI UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
41671 W. Ten Mile - Meadowbrook
349-2652 (24 hrs.)
Sunday Worship at 10:30 a.m.
Nursery Care Available
Charles R. Jacobs, Pastor
Church School 9:15 a.m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF NORTHVILLE
349-1144 & 8 Mile & Tott Road
Dr. Douglas Vernon
Rev. Thomas M. Begon
Rev. Arthur L. Spafford
Sunday, 8:30 a.m. & 11 a.m.
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m. & 11 a.m.

MEADOWBROOK CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
21355 Meadowbrook R. Novi at 8 1/2 Mile
Morning Worship 10 a.m.
Church School 10 a.m.
348-7757
Minister, Rev. E. Neil Hunt
Minister of Music, Roy Ferguson

ORCHARD HILLS BAPTIST CHURCH
23455 Novi Rd. (between 9 & 10 Miles)
Bible Study for All Ages 9:45 a.m.
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Wed. Mid-Week Prayer Serv. 7 p.m. 349-5665
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Pastor's Home Number 349-3516

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10 Mile between Tott & Beck, Novi
Phone 349-1175
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11:00 Holy Eucharist
The Rev. Leslie F. Harding
11:00 a.m. Sunday School

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH NOVI
45301 11 Mile at Tott Rd.
Home of Ft. Christian School Grade 2-12
Sun. School, 9:45 a.m.
Worship, 11:00 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.
Prayer Meeting, Wed., 7:00 p.m.
Dr. Gary Elmer, Pastor
349-3477 349-3647

WARD EVANGELICAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
17000 Farmington Uvoda 422-1150
Rev. Mark A. Brewer, Senior Pastor
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10:00 a.m. Service/Holy Eucharist
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ST. JAMES ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH NOVI
Weekend Liturgies held in Parkview Elementary School (11 Mile Rd. West of Tott Rd.)
Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.
Reverend James F. Cronk, Pastor
Parish Office 347-7778

FAITH COMMUNITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
44400 W. 10 Mile Novi 349-5666
1/2 mile west of Novi Rd.
Richard J. Henderson, Pastor
J. Cyrus Smith, Associate Pastor
Worship & Church School 9 & 10:30 a.m.

CHURCH OF THE HOLY FAMILY
24505 Meadowbrook Rd., Novi, MI 48375
Masses: Sat. 5 p.m. Sun. 7:30 a.m.
8:45 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 12:15 p.m.
Holy Days: 9 a.m. 5:30 p.m. 7:30 p.m.
Father John Budde, Pastor
Father Jerome Szwedinski, Associate Pastor
Parish Office 349-8847

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF NORTHVILLE
217 N. Wing Rev. Stephen Sparks, Pastor
Sunday Worship, 8:30 a.m. 11 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Serv. 7:00 p.m.
Boys Brigade 7 p.m. Pioneer Girls 7 p.m.
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

VICTORY LUTHERAN CHURCH (MISSOURI SYNOD) NOVI MEADOWS SCHOOL
On Tott Rd. near 11 Mile Road 348-5230
Sunday Worship & School 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

FIRST CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
21260 Haggerty, Northville
(between 8 & 9 Mile Rd. near Novi Hilton)
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.
Evening Celebration 6:00 p.m.
Holland Lewis, Pastor

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<p>801 Female Seeking Male</p> <p>WIDOWED white lady in 60's. Well educated, dresses nicely, attractive, energetic, unselfish, non-smoker, moderate social drinker. Loves theater, travel, walks holding hands, snuggling, music, gardening, warm beaches in the winter time. Owns charming country home. Looking for compatibility, chemistry, ultimate commitment. # 12088</p>	<p>802 Seniors</p> <p>70 YEARS old and lonely seeks a female 65 years and lonely for companionship, maybe marriage later. #12079</p>	<p>805 Christians</p> <p>34, 5'8" 180, quite, sincere Classical musician/composer seeks lady 20-40 with strong musical interest. No prejudices but smoking #12058</p>		

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Phone link keeps student in touch

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Steve had already been communicating with Cooke Principal Jeffrey Radwanski at home through Prodigy, an on-line computer network that allows computer users to communicate with one another via a telephone line. Mark thought it would be easy to spin off on that concept and do the same kind of thing with the school's system.

Mark hoped it would keep his son up to speed on his missed class work, an idea Hamilton had envisioned for the district years ago.

"I'm used to doing business this way," Mark said Monday about the modem hook-up. "I just thought it could work. Yeah, I had the idea, but Bill (Hamilton) is the one who made it work."

"Bill is the one who's told me what's possible and what's not."

According to Hamilton it wasn't as easy as tapping a modem into the phone line. It took Hamilton, other school technology support staffers and Mike Refalo from Elan Engineering, the school district's technology contractor, about 80 hours to bring the modem connectivity on-line with the district's wide-area network. Working day and night, the team worked with trained system operators at Cooke to get the link on-line. After a few setbacks, the district was able to successfully bring Steve on-line last Wednesday.

Refalo said he was pleased to see that the system was up and running even though the home-school link was well ahead of schedule in the district's overall technology plan. Refalo said the district had hoped to pursue the idea and implement it sometime this fall, but Steve's circumstances have given school officials a jump start.

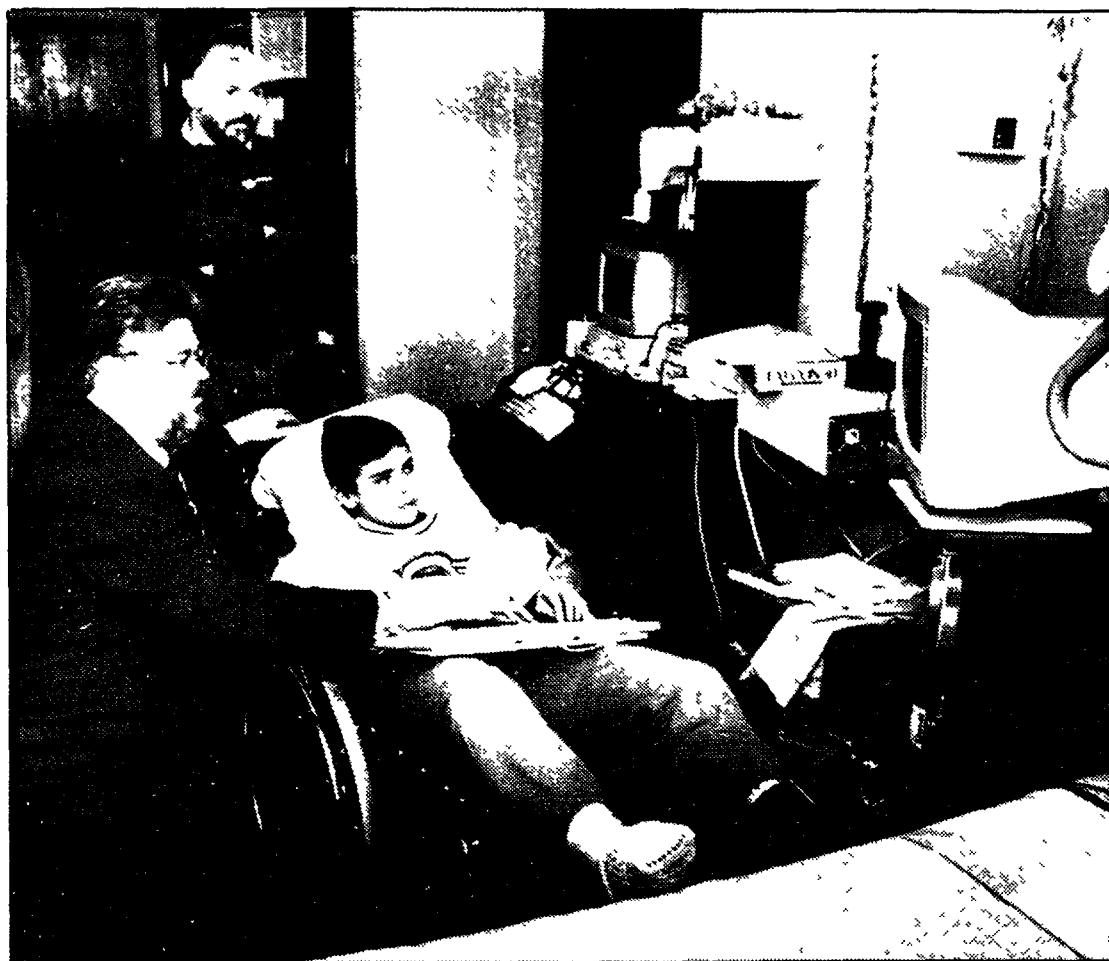
Now thanks to their efforts, Steve has access at home to the same software that's available to the seventh graders at school. He's also able to communicate with Radwanski, his teachers, and classmates through an electronic mail system.

"It's fun," Steve said. "It's very fun," he responded when asked to elaborate on the issue. "I can write to any teacher in the school system and write messages to teachers and to the kids there."

Steve admits he spends most of his time reading the files of messages he's been getting back from teachers and his classmates at Cooke. Last Friday, he said it took him nearly two hours to read them all.

His mom says that even though he spends time monitoring his electronic mail, he does get around to doing his homework.

"That's his favorite thing, checking



District administrator Bill Hamilton helps the Kings iron out the system's bugs.

for mail" she said. "But he's kept on top of his homework," she said.

Mark said in spite of the length of his absence, he said his son really isn't that far behind in his school work.

"He's only about a week behind," Mark said. "That's not too bad considering he's been out for five or six."

Hamilton said the link keeps everyone happy.

"This has been a highly effective communication tool," Hamilton said about the electronic mail system. "This has been a vehicle that's allowed Steve to remain a part of things at school even though he can't be there. The most important part of this whole thing was keeping Steve involved in what was going on at school while he was laid up at home," Hamilton said.

Hamilton, who is the district's director of instruction, said having the modem in place makes Steve's situation more convenient for everybody involved. He said it allows the student to work at home on his class assignments and then print them out at school for his teachers. The elec-

tronic system also allows him to ask his teachers specific questions about homework assignments and to talk with his classmates.

"If he has questions they can all be answered through E-Mail," Hamilton said. "It really is helping to keep the human touch there too. Who knows how long this kid will be out of school, and this allows him to keep in touch with the other kids."

Refalo agreed. His company loaned the equipment to the district, and the high speed modem to the Kings, so the pilot program could get off the ground.

"It's just like he's sitting in the classroom, only he's doing it all from home," Refalo said.

Refalo and Hamilton said the whole situation has also been a learning situation for everyone involved.

"This was all part of our vision for the overall technology program but this case has allowed us to move forward with the pilot," Hamilton said.

"We've built a technology infrastructure that we knew we could build from," Hamilton said about Northville's wide-area network. "We

are now in the process of adding onto it and we knew it would enhance the home-school program."

Radwanski said it took commitment from Steve's parents, his teachers and district administrators to complete the project. He said he was pleased that all of Steve's seventh grade teachers were willing to help. The teachers involved from Cooke were Carol Pasco, Chuck Hayes, Pat Baird, Cheryl Gibbs and Karan Cotter. Radwanski said they have talked with Steve once a day through the system to ensure he's keeping up.

"This is really neat stuff," Radwanski said. "Teaching has changed a lot since technology has come to Northville."

Steve's mother said she's grateful for all that the school personnel have done to help Steve get through this ordeal.

"Bill has been wonderful and very helpful," she said. "He's been more than willing to coordinate things from the school's end. And the teachers have gone out of their way to help us. They've made visits and phone calls to show their support and that support still continues."

Wedding



Elizabeth and David Perpich

Elizabeth Marie Walsh and David Edward Perpich were married by Fr. Matt Ellis at March Chapel, Farmington. She is the daughter of Mary Walsh and the late John F. Walsh of Plymouth. David is the son of Edward and Nancy Perpich of Northville.

Both the bride and groom attended the University of Michigan.

The bride is employed by The Coffee Beenen, Ltd. as district manager. The groom is employed by American Int. of Dearborn as project manager.

The couple received guests at Vlanders before leaving for their honeymoon in Vancouver. They are making their home in Dearborn.

NOTICE CITY OF NOVI

REQUEST FOR APPLICATIONS TO SERVE AS A MEMBER OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION OR THE BOARD OF REVIEW

The City Council is accepting applications for service as a member of the Planning Commission or the Board of Review. The deadline for receiving applications is May 15th. Should you not be able to meet the deadline, please call the City Clerk for further instructions. The Council will interview applicants during early June. Applications or additional information is available at the City Clerk's Office.

GERALDINE STIPP, CITY CLERK
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(4-8, 4-15, 4-22, 4-29-93 NR, NN)

PUBLIC NOTICE TO THE RESIDENTS OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE

This is a public notice that the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Northville is going to adopt a resolution at its Board meeting of April 8, 1993 setting up a procedure for compliance and inquiry procedures regarding the AMERICAN WITH DISABILITIES ACT. The resolution will appoint Ed Cook as the Township temporary delegate and the person responsible to coordinate compliance with the ACT. Questions and/or inquiries may be directed to:

Ed Cook
Charter Township of Northville
41600 Six Mile Road,
Northville, Michigan 48167

Or persons may inquire by telephone during normal business hours at (313) 348-5800.

(4-1 & 4-5-93 NR)

SUE A. HILLEBRAND,
CLERK

NOTICE — CITY OF NOVI REQUEST FOR BIDS — ELEVATOR MAINTENANCE/ TESTING PROPOSAL

The City of Novi will receive sealed bids for Elevator Maintenance/Testing Proposal according to the specifications of the City of Novi.

Bids will be received until 3:00 P.M. prevailing eastern time, Tuesday, April 20, 1993, at which time proposals will be opened and read. Bids shall be addressed as follows:

CITY OF NOVI
CAROL J. KALINOVIC, PURCHASING DIRECTOR
45175 W. Ten Mile Rd.
Novi, MI 48375-3024

All bids must be signed by a legally authorized agent of the bidding firm. ENVELOPES MUST BE PLAINLY MARKED, "ELEVATOR MAINTENANCE/TESTING PROPOSAL" AND MUST BEAR THE NAME OF THE BIDDER.

The City reserves the right to accept any or all alternative proposals and award the contract to other than the lowest bidder, to waive any irregularities or informalities or both, to reject any or all proposals; and in general to make the award of the contract in any manner deemed by the City, in its sole discretion, to be in the best interest of the City of Novi.

Notice dated April 8, 1993

CAROL J. KALINOVIC,
PURCHASING DIRECTOR
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CHAMBER/CITY/SCHOOLS/ TOWNSHIP MEETING SYNOPSIS MARCH 30, 1993

Superintendent Rezmierski welcomed all present. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the "Future of Northville."

Present: Chamber of Commerce: Todd Knickerbacker, Ann Willis, Al Ferrara, President, Laune Marrs, Executive Director, Jan Purcell. City Council: Paul Folino, Christopher Johnson, Mayor, Joseph Dunkerly, Mark Cryderman, Jerry Mitman, Gary Word, City Manager. Northville Board of Education: Carol Rahimi, President, Glenna Davis, Jean Hansen, Patricia Custer, D. Brown, Dr. Leonard Rezmierski, Superintendent, Dolly McMaster, John Street. Northville Township Board of Trustees: Karen Baja, Supervisor, Sue Hillebrand, Clerk, Rick Engelland, Treasurer, Russ Fogg, Trustee, Mark Abbo, Trustee, Barbara O'Brien, Trustee. Also Present: Pat Orr, Librarian, Tracy Johnson, Recreation Director, Mary Ellen King, Youth Assistance, Steve Kelleman, Northville Record, and approximately 8 visitors.

The Chamber of Commerce addressed the following items: Victorian Festival, Business Expo, Farmer's Market, Chamber Building Expansion, and Future of our Community. The City Council addressed the following items: Inter-Governmental Services, Drug Task Force, Library (District), Downtown Development Authority (D.D.A.), and Deficit Elimination Plan. The Northville Board of Education addressed the following items: Property Tax Proposal/School Finance Reform (OK Petition), Strategic Plan, Michigan Educational Assessment Program (MEAP), PTA Celebration — April 21, 1993, National School Boards Association (NSBA), Site Visit — 4/27 & 4/28/93. The Northville Township Board of Trustees addressed the following items: Fire Safety, Recreation, New Beck Road, Friends of Recreation, "Bike Path" concept, Rouge River Rescue, and Wayne County Land Update. Superintendent Rezmierski thanked all for attending. Meeting closed at 9 p.m. THIS IS A SYNOPSIS. A TRUE AND COMPLETE COPY MAY BE OBTAINED at the Northville Township Clerk's office, 41600 Six Mile Road, Northville, Michigan 48167.

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Emmett Kelly Jr. to appear in Novi

He's been a clown for 32 years. At 68, he's an institution, when a legion of fans around the world and an animated Christmas special in production.

Emmett Kelly Jr., perhaps the world's most famous circus clown, will be appearing in Novi April 25 to sign autographs, meet with his fans, and promote a line of porcelain figurines made in his likeness. Kelly will be appearing at Churchill's in the Twelve Oaks Mall from 1-4 p.m. that Sunday.

Kelly was born Emmett Leo Kelly, Jr. on Nov. 13, 1924, in Dyersburg, Tenn. His parents were also circus acts. His father Emmett Sr., actually originated the character of Weirde Willie and his mother Eva May Moore Kelly was an aerial act for the same company, the John Robinson Circus.

Kelly quit touring with his parents when he was old enough to enter school. At age 9, his parents divorced, causing his life to become as nomadic as the circus life his parents had led. But early on, Kelly didn't want to be a circus clown. He wanted to be a Greyhound Bus driver. Kelly admired the drivers because they were always nice to him as he traveled between the homes of various relatives.

When he turned 16, there was no more living with relatives. His father told him to go to work, so he waited tables in Lafayette, Ind., for \$14 a week. He worked a variety of other jobs until April 1943, when he was drafted.

In 1944, Kelly was stationed in Fort Lauderdale. He got a 72-hour pass to visit his father in Sarasota, but got stranded in the middle of Florida. The man who picked him up that evening had a 15-year-old niece in Miami. Kelly arranged to date her on his way back.

Although Kelly transferred to Camp Bradford, Va., and New Orleans, he continued to correspond with the Miami girl, Dorothy. Shortly after, Kelly took a leave of absence and went to Columbus, Ga., to be married.

During the rest of his stint in the Navy, Kelly was on a ship that participated in the invasions of both Iwo Jima and Okinawa. He was discharged on Dec. 19, 1945.

He worked a variety of jobs—some for the railroad—until 1960 when he made his clown debut as Weirde Willie. In the summer of 1962, he took a six-month leave of absence from the railroad and toured with the Hagen-Wallace Circus of Florida as their star.

Following Hagen-Wallace, Kelly clowning at beauty pageants, hootenannies—wherever he could get work. In 1964, Kelly gave up traveling for a year to work for Kodak at the World's



'Sweeping up the spotlight' was Emmett Kelly Jr.'s best know act. Kelly will be appearing at Churchill's in Novi Sunday, April 25.

Fair Pavilion in Flushing, N.Y. During that time he set two world's records. It was estimated that more than five million photos were taken of him, making him the world's most photographed person. He was also the subject of the world's largest photo—a 30-by-36-foot picture that lit the side of the Kodak Pavilion.

Four years after the close of the World's Fair, Kelly continued at act as Kodak's Ambassador of Goodwill—visiting more than 2,400 child-

ren's and veteran's hospitals.

Kelly eventually started his own circus, the All-Star Circus. It was the only circus to perform at the White House and it played there twice—in 1972 for Tricia Nixon Cox and in 1973 for the White House Easter Egg Hunt.

These days, besides touring to promote his collectibles line, Kelly is a resident of Tombstone, Ariz. There he is an active member of a group called the Tombstone Vigilantes—a

non-profit civic group that donates 80 percent of its income to charities and other local causes.

The city honors him with Emmett Kelly Jr. Days—an event featuring a Main Street parade, bands, antique fire trucks and of course clowns, Kelly among them.

The collectibles Kelly is promoting were developed by Flambro Imports and produced by EKJ products, sold through Churchill's.

Entertainment Listings

Special Events

ATRIUM GALLERY: In April, in honor of Michigan Glass Month, the work of Birmingham glass-blower Stan Megdall will be featured at the Atrium Gallery. Megdall creates rainbow-colored, tortoise shell or "sea foam wrap" perfume bottles, vases and bowls.

April 27 will be "for the birds," as Northville artist Bill Thelan will present his new line of steel bird sculptures for the yard and Millford artist Dee Segula will show her artistically appointed bird houses. You can meet them from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

The gallery is located at 109 N. Center St. in Northville. Gallery hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Saturday; and Sunday from noon to 4 p.m. For more information call 349-4131.

Kid Stuff

HOP TO IT: Next in the Eleventh Fun series is a program in honor of the 100th birthday of Beatrix Potter's Peter Rabbit. The April 10, 11 a.m. party will include stories about the naughty bunny.

For information, call 347-0780.

Theater

TOP OFFICIAL EXPOSED: The popular musical version of an old classic *My Emperor's New Clothes*, will be revived by the Lunch Box Players during April and May at the Samuel H. Little Theater in Northville.

The show will be presented each Saturday until it closes on May 8. Performances are at 1 p.m. with lunch available next door at Genitt's Hole-In-The-Wall Restaurant. Tickets are \$8 for children, \$8 for adults and it's just \$2 for lunch. Group rates available.

For information, call 349-0522 or 264-2611.

WHO DUNNITS AND HIGH C's: Genitt's Hole-in-the-Wall Restaurant continues to present its Murder Mystery and Verdi Opera Dinner Theatre performances.

Genitt's has three different production companies performing three different Murder Mystery Dinner Theatres every Friday evening at 7:30 p.m. Reservations are required. Special performances of the Murder Mystery Dinner Theatre are available.

The restaurant is now featuring *The Soap Opera Murders*. Soap stars are dying off as the program "The Tears of Our Life" is being filmed. As the crime unfolds during the performance, the guests try to discover who "committed the murder" through clues given out by cast members. Audience members are asked to perform roles in the play. Gifts are awarded to those who correctly guess the identity of the murderer.

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

Genitt's "Hole-in-the-Wall" restaurant is located in downtown Northville at 108 E. 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 \$29.95 per person (including tax and tip).

Phone 349-0522 or fax 349-4641 for reservations. Group rates are available.

Music

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.

HOTEL BARONETTE: Pianists Anthony Lang and James Jewhurst play every Tuesday through Saturday from 7-11 p.m. in the Tara Lounge, in the Hotel Baronette at Twelve Oaks Mall.

The entertainment is provided for patrons of Tara restaurant and lounge.

MR. B'S FARM: Mr. B's Farm, on 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 week. Local artists get together for impromptu jams.

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

ANTHONY'S NIGHTCLUB: Anthony's provides a steady diet of entertainment, both musical and comedy. For information, call Anthony's at 348-5000.

NOVI HILTON: Whispers Lounge, in the Novi Hilton, is open Tuesday through Saturday, 8 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. Live entertainment from 9 p.m. to 1:30 a.m.

Monday evening is Jazz Monday from 9 p.m. to midnight.

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Nearby

PCC TO PERFORM: The Plymouth Community Chorus will present its Spring 1993 concert, "Best Seat in the House," at 8 p.m. Saturday April 24 and 4 p.m. Sunday, April 25 at Plymouth Salem High School. The 124-voice ensemble will perform selections from *West Side Story*, *Les Miserables*, *Beauty and the Beast*, *Aladdin* and *Phantom of the Opera*. Tickets are available at the offices of *The Northville Record/Novi News*, Dearborn Music on Ford in Canton, Agape Booksellers in Plymouth, Call 455-4080 for information.

Art

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Q&A

By WILLIAM T. TOMICKI
New York Times Travel Syndicate

Q: I've heard that Hong Kong's coins and currency are in the process of being changed. Is this true?

A: Yes, Hong Kong's existing coins and currency are gradually being replaced.

The new coins and notes will feature a bauhinia flower in place of the queen's head, and the words "Hong Kong" will be printed in both Chinese characters and English.

The new \$5 and \$2 coins are currently in circulation and a \$10 coin will be introduced in 1994 or 1995 to replace the existing \$10 bill.

Q: I am a big Bing Crosby fan and will be going to Spokane, Wash., his hometown, on business this spring. Are there any places there that display Bing Crosby memorabilia?

A: The Crosbyana Room at Gonzaga University, where Bing Crosby attended high school and college, displays the history of the star's illustrious career.

Crosby's friends and agent donated his trophies and awards to the college as part of the Crosby Library in the late '50s.

While a new library has since been constructed on the campus, his collection remains in the Crosby Student Center, located on the first floor of the Student Union Building.

The collection features an exact duplicate of Crosby's Oscar for his performance in "Going My Way" (1944) and all his gold and platinum records, including those awarded for "White Christmas."

Admission is free. Visitors can view the collection anytime the Student Union Building is open. For more information call Gonzaga University, (509) 328-4220.

Q: What do you know about Fort Huachuca in Sierra Vista, Ariz.?

A: Fort Huachuca was founded by the U.S. Army in 1877 to protect settlers and travelers from hostile Apache raids.

The fort is now the home of the U.S. Army Intelligence Center, the Information Systems Command and the Electronic Proving Ground.

A historical museum is located on the Old Post grounds and admission is free. For more information call (602) 533-2622 or contact your local travel agent.

Q: I know about Las Vegas, Nev., but please tell me more about Las Vegas, N.M.

A: Las Vegas, N.M., is northeast of Santa Fe, N.M., and was once a stopover on the old Santa Fe Trail.

The town, which was founded in 1835, prospered as a shipping point. After the arrival of the railroad in 1879 it began an active period of rebuilding. Consequently, there are over 900 historic buildings here that date from 1851-1898.

A Ranger District Office of the Santa Fe National Forest is located there. So is the New Mexico Highlands University and the Armand Hammer United World College of the American West.

For further information and brochures for walking tours of the historic districts write to the Las Vegas-San Miguel, N.M., Chamber of Commerce, P.O. Box 148, Las Vegas, N.M. 87701; or call (800) 832-5947. More 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. Mr. Tomicki, who logs over 150,000 miles each year, is the publisher of *ENTREE*, a travel newsletter.



Photos courtesy Michigan Travel Bureau

A solitary fisherman finds a perfect place to cast his line off the Isle Royale coastline.

Michigan's jewel of a national park

Isle Royale — an unspoiled wilderness island in the middle of Lake Superior

By STEVEN STAGE
Special Writer

After a four-hour ferry ride from Copper Harbor, it slowly comes into view.

The fog that shrouds its shores gives it the look of a floating island. Indians called it "Minong," literally "a good place to live."

We call it Isle Royale.

Isle Royale National Park is a wilderness archipelago in northwestern Lake Superior, 73 miles north of the Upper Peninsula city of Houghton. The park contains the large island of Isle Royale, 45 miles long and nine miles wide, and 200 smaller islands.

The park is open from April 16 to Oct. 31. Peak season is from late June to late August.

You will not find large crowds on Isle Royale. Most of the time you will have the hiking trails and rivers to yourself.

A one-day round-trip ferry ride from Isle Royale Headquarters in Houghton costs \$35. Travelers on tight schedules can see some of the island in a four-hour stay.

For the person with more time, a one-way ticket aboard the ferry can be purchased for \$35 during the off-season, \$40 in peak-season. The boat leaves from Houghton four days a week.

You can also fly from Houghton to Rock Harbor for \$150 round-trip, or hire a private charter

for \$350.

Ferry prices aboard the Isle Royale Queen, which docks in Copper Harbor, are \$60 round-trip in the off-season and \$64 around trip during peak-season.

To really enjoy Isle Royale's beauty, it's advisable to stay more than one day. There's a lodge on the island at Rock Harbor. It costs \$83 per person, based on double occupancy. Three meals are included in the price. Housekeeping units, or cabins, are also available. They cost \$51 per person based on double occupancy; meals are not provided.

For the true outdoorsman, Isle Royale offers 1,670 miles of hiking trails. There are no motor vehicles or horses on the island so the only way to get around is on foot or by canoe. The terrain is often rugged. High bluffs, rocky slopes and wet marshes slow travelers, but the views are worth the effort.

With more than 570,000 acres of park land, the scenery is different day in and day out. Thirty-six campgrounds dot the island; there is no fee for camping.

Backpacking or canoeing the backcountry offer the best opportunities to enjoy the wildlife. There are over 1,600 moose and 12 wolves on the island.

You won't see bear, skunks and raccoons that bother you in other Michigan camp-

grounds, but you will be able to spot beaver, fox, otter and weasels with a little patience.

Isle Royale is also a favorite for inland and coastal fishing. A Michigan fishing license is required.

Even if you are unable to detect the living wonders of the island, the breathtaking views will make up for it. At the top of Greenstone Ridge, which runs along the middle of the island, you can see much of the terrain along with views of the rocky cliffs along Canada's southern shore.

Stewart Croll, Chief of Visitors and Resource Protection, says the ridge is a special place to go. "With skies crystal clear, you can see miles into Canada," he said. "The views are tremendous."

If you find yourself with nothing to do, just wait. Sitting in camp can be as enjoyable as walking in the woods. People are kind and courteous. They will come back from their hikes with stories of wildlife or breath-taking vistas they have just discovered.

A moose may stroll into camp. A peregrine falcon or bald eagle may soar overhead.

Just doing nothing on Isle Royale promises to be better than camping or canoeing anywhere else in Michigan.

For more information regarding departure times, contact the Visitor Information Center for Isle Royale National Park at (906) 482-0984.



Tenting on Isle Royale

Calling home from Europe has never been easier

By EVERETT POTTER
New York Times Travel Syndicate

With the many new long-distance services available to travelers, calling home from the road has never been easier. The only difficult part is deciding which of the three major long-distance carriers to use: AT&T, MCI or Sprint.

Here are highlights of some of the plans offered by the big three companies:

■ AT&T trumpets its Calling Card as the most efficient way to call home — or anywhere else — while on the road. Calls charged to the card are billed to a traveler's home phone number.

A surcharge of 80 cents is added to each direct-dial call billed to the card, but this is usually less than the charges most hotels add.

"If you've ever called direct from your hotel to your home, you know that hotels impose steep surcharges," says Mark Siegel, district manager, media relations for AT&T. "We find that most travelers in the U.S. who use AT&T use our Calling Card from their hotel telephones."

Calls charged to the Calling Card are also much less expensive than collect calls, Siegel says.

"Any call that utilizes the services of an operator is going to cost more," he explains.

When traveling overseas, however, it often pays to get the assistance of an operator.

With some European hotels charging 200 percent to 300 percent over and above the cost of a direct call, more than one traveler has had a rude awakening at checkout time. To call the United States during a

trip abroad, it can be more economical to use AT&T's USADirect service, which is available in 120 foreign countries. By dialing a toll-free USA-Direct access code, clients are connected to an English-speaking operator in the United States.

The operator helps complete the call, and the call is then charged to a traveler's Calling Card. Per-minute charges vary from country to country. A \$2.50 surcharge is added to each call.

AT&T's World Connect Service is a godsend for anyone who has ever been intimidated by language barriers when trying to call between foreign countries. It allows users to place calls between more than 40 foreign countries through an English-speaking operator. Calls can be billed to an AT&T Calling Card.

Per-minute charges vary from country to country. A \$2.50 surcharge is added to each call.

What if you need to call someone in a foreign country, but you don't speak their language and they don't speak English?

You can try AT&T's Language Line, a service that connects users to interpreters who stay on the line while a call is made to facilitate communication.

The interpreter service costs \$3.50 per minute (plus the price of the call), but clients who bill Language Line calls to their AT&T Calling Card get a 10 percent discount.

For more information about AT&T services, contact AT&T, 295 N. Maple Avenue, Basking Ridge, N.J. 07920; telephone (800) 222-0300.

■ MCI also has a variety of services for the traveler, including personal 800 numbers and the MCI Card.

Patty Proferes, who oversees these two special services for MCI, says personal 800 numbers are used most often by parents of children who are traveling (in the United States) or are away at camp or school.

For \$5 a month, clients can get their own private toll-free 800 number. They can then receive calls on that line from any phone in the United States.

The calls are billed to the client at a flat rate of 25 cents per minute, no matter where the calls originate.

"There's a 20 percent to 40 percent savings using a personal 800 number over calling collect," Proferes says.

Another option for travelers is the MCI Card, which permits users to place long-distance calls when they are away from home and charge the calls to their MCI accounts. A 75-cent surcharge is added to all direct-dial calls.

When calling from an international destination, MCI's Call USA allows users to dial a toll-free access code and connect to an English-speaking operator. The service is available in 71 foreign countries. Per-minute charges vary from country to country. A \$2 surcharge is added to each call.

MCI's World Reach program allows customers to call between 35 foreign countries via an English-speaking operator. Calls are billed at the Call USA rates plus \$1.25 per minute.

Discounts on some of these services are available to callers who belong to MCI's Friends and Family program.

For more information, contact MCI, 1200 South Hayes Street, Ar-

lington, Va. 22202, telephone (800) 444-3333.

■ Sprint offers a Foncard that allows users to place long-distance calls while traveling and have the calls billed to a credit card or to their Sprint account. A 75-cent surcharge is added to each direct-dial call.

When they are abroad, customers who want to call the United States can use Sprint Express to be connected to an English-speaking operator. The service is available in 60 foreign countries.

Per-minute rates vary from country to country. A \$5.50 surcharge is added to each call.

Sprint's Global Calling is for calling between two foreign countries as well as within a foreign country via an English-speaking operator. The service is available in 34 countries, and per-minute rates vary from country to country. A \$1.25-per-minute surcharge is added to each call.

"Life is a hassle when you're travel-

ing and the biggest hassle may be a foreign telephone system," says Andrew Burroughs, vice president of global marketing for Sprint International.

"Local telephone customs can be confusing and awkward, especially if you don't speak the language. So we find that many people use the Global Calling option to call across town in the city they're staying in. That call is relayed back to the U.S. and then to the party in the same city."

"It's not cheaper than calling direct, but it's more convenient when you're jet-lagged and tired."

For more information about Sprint Services, Contact Sprint International, Global Marketing, 12490 Sunrise Valley Drive, Reston, Va. 22096; telephone (800) 877-4646.

The calling cards for all three companies are available to any qualified applicant regardless of the primary carrier they have designated for their home or office telephone.



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Golfer awarded college grant

By **SCOTT DANIEL**
Sports Editor

Mustang golfer Kristine Arnold was recently awarded a \$1,000 scholarship by the Michigan High School Athletic Association as one of the state's top scholar-athletes.

The senior is one of only 23 Michigan students to receive the award this school year. The MHSAA names one scholar-athlete for each sport where it sponsors post-season competition.

"I've always wanted to be a doctor," Arnold said Monday. "The human body is fascinating. I want to know how it works."

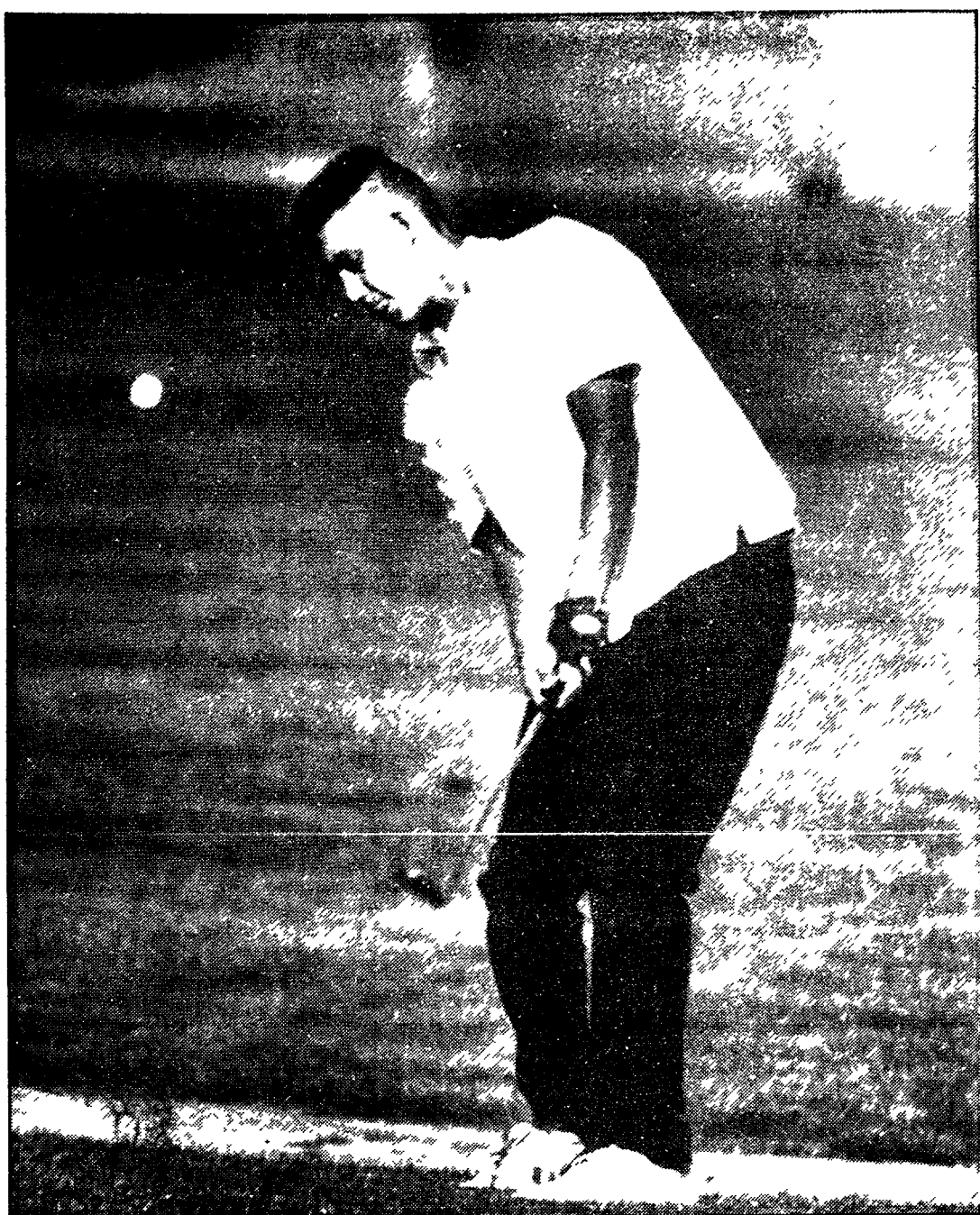
Arnold will study pre-medicine at Albion College this fall and continue her golfing career. She will add the scholarship money to a more sizable award granted by Albion to help defray an \$18,000 annual tuition rate.

More than 1,700 students applied for the 23 scholarships. To qualify, students had to carry at least a 3.5 grade point average, participate in other school or outside programs and write a 500-word essay.

Arnold, who carries a 3.95 GPA at Northville High, became a finalist for the scholarship in February. She said her essay, on the merits of high school athletics and extra-curricular involvement, "was the deciding factor."

Golf, softball and volleyball are the three sports Arnold has played as a Mustang. She also participated in debate, Students Against Drunk Driving and many other activities with her church in Novi.

Surprise, shock and joy is how Arnold described winning the scholar-athlete award. She was honored for receiving the scholarship, which is underwritten by Farm Bureau Insurance.



FILE PHOTO

Joe Staknis was having an outstanding golf season when he contracted Wegener's.

ance, at the boys basketball finals at the Palace of Auburn Hills March 27. Arnold will begin her final campaign on the links for Northville High after Easter break.

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Pitcher fights disease to play with Mustangs

By **SCOTT DANIEL**
Sports Editor

Joe Staknis is determined not to miss his last chance to play baseball with his friends.

The Mustang pitcher grew up down the street from teammates Kevin and Eric Shaw in Northville. The trio are seniors this spring, so Staknis decided not let Wegener's granulomatosis, a disease that causes an inflammation of the blood vessels, throw him a curve.

"It's our final year to do our best," Staknis said. "Since we only lost two kids from last year I think we will do really good."

The 18-year-old came down with Wegener's last fall. There is no known cause for the disease or particular point of origin. The senior's family believes he contracted it on a ball-playing trip to either California, Tennessee or West Virginia last summer.

Staknis first noticed symptoms in late September, in what was turning out to be his best season on the golf course as a Mustang, when his cheeks began to swell. The disease attacked his salivary glands, swelling them and making it very difficult to eat normally.

Doctors were unable to correctly diagnose the disease for more than a month. Finally, after nearly two weeks at the University of Michigan Hospital in Ann Arbor, Wegener's was tabbed as the culprit of Staknis' illness. A combination of drugs was prescribed for treatment, a steroid and a drug used to treat cancer patients.

"If you don't catch it early," Staknis said, "it's trouble." Indeed, victims died of the disease years ago before a treatment was discovered.

"It puts a new perspective on life for me," said father Joe Staknis Sr. "I can sympathize with people whose kids are sick. We are just taking this one day at a time."

The disease kept the younger Staknis out of school for more than two months. He returned to classes after Christmas break and has made considerable headway against Wegener's since then.

The swelling has gone down in his face. Staknis has also regained most of the 24 pounds he lost and much of his strength.

The lasting effect on the teenager is in his lungs. The disease inflamed his lungs and trachea. As a result, Staknis' lung capacity is only about 50 percent.

Not being able to run without becoming winded kept him from playing basketball last winter. Staknis had been a valuable member of the squad as a junior playing extensively at forward.

"I thought I would play," he said, adding that doctors told him he would be back to 100 percent towards the end of the hoop season. "It was a disappointment."

Instead of sulking and asking "why me," Staknis showed his dedication to the team. He sat on the bench during most games helping Northville coach Larry Taylor chart action on the floor. But that wasn't all.

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Canton, Salem favored to take division titles in WLAA

By **BRAD EMONS**
Staff Writer

The Hatfields and the McCoy's of girls soccer will be at it once again this spring in the Western Lakes Activities Association.

The Western Division of the WLAA figures to be a scrap between defending champion Plymouth Canton, Northville and Livonia Churchill.

Meanwhile, Lakes Division champion Livonia Stevenson, hard-hit by graduation losses, will be hard-pressed to fend off perennial state power Plymouth Salem.

Canton lost four starters off last year's 18-1-2 team when they lost the state Class A championship game before losing to Rochester Adams, 1-0.

The Chiefs, coached by Don Smith, boast 14 returnees including All-Area goalie Jori Welchans and All-Area forward Leah Hutko.

Churchill (8-7-2), led by all-area junior midfielder Almee Cousino, came on strong at the end of last season and should be improved after a 1-5-2 start.

The Chargers have more speed and a solid corps of sophomore defenders.

"The year before we had a huge turnover; we lost eight seniors," Churchill coach Nick O'Shea said. "Last year, with the young kids, it took a long time to adjust. This year should not take as long for us to get going."

"We hope to pick up where we left off. We played well at the end of last year and came together as a unit." O'Shea knows his club will have to perform well early.

"Canton is going to be good in our division, but Northville has a lot of good, young talent," O'Shea said.

On the Lakes side, Stevenson (15-3-2) is reloading after graduating first-team all-area players Ragen Coyne (Notre Dame) and Shannon Wilkinson (Michigan State).

First-team all-area defender Patty Diamond, headed for Florida State on a volleyball scholarship, did not return, along with junior scoring threat Mo Drabicki (who opted for the golf team).

"This league is still a tossup; anything can happen," Stevenson coach Mary Kay Hussey said. "It's pretty much the same Canton is saying. They really didn't lose anybody."

Salem, 10-4-2 overall a year ago, should be the Lakes favorite.

The Rocks return 12 players, but lost second-team all-area defender Shelby Carey to a knee injury.

Kris Goff, a first-team all-area senior midfielder, is the team's top returnee.

Salem coach Ken Johnson also is high on freshman defender Marie Hoff, who reminds some of former Salem all-stater Jill Estey.

Farmington, another Lakes Division contender, lost all-area forward Sue Gibson (MSU), forward Kim Popyk, and defender Julie Dugan to graduation.

The Falcons, however, return junior midfielder Michelle Lorenz, a second-team all-area pick.

Brad Emons is sports editor of the Livonia Observer.

Northville kickers face battle in '93 Western Division race

The upcoming Western Lakes Activities Association soccer season promises to be one of the best in years.

Once again the conference is loaded with quality teams from Plymouth Canton, Livonia Churchill and the Mustangs in the Western Division to Plymouth Salem, Livonia Stevenson and Farmington in the Lakes Division. Northville will try to fend off all WLAA foes this spring with a strong group of experienced and younger players.

Valerie Schuerman, Renee Androsian and Kristen Wasolaski will lead the Mustangs offensively. Lisa Bernardo, Angie Snyder and Mary Pat Bahl will work in front of goalkeeper Jessica Jones on defense.

Just who will be Northville's toughest competition in the Western Division? We'll try to answer that question by taking a brief look at division schools.

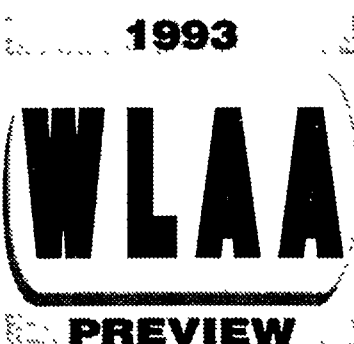
PLYMOUTH CANTON

With 14 players returning from last year's Class A runner-up squad, the Chiefs are picked by many as the team to beat this season in the WLAA and the rest of the state.

Canton lost only once in 21 tries last season — a 1-0 setback in the state finals to Rochester Adams. Chief coach Don Smith said his team must learn how to win those big games.

"If we win a few of those and get something going, we'll be hard to stop," he said.

Canton will be strong defensively, led by standout goalkeeper Jori Welchans. A senior, she posted 13 shutouts and a microscopic 0.48 goals-



against average. Top defenders include Kelly Reeves, Kathy Bahr and Erica Anderson.

On offense, Leah Hutko is the top returner. Colleen Connell is also returning from an 11-goal performance last year. Midfielders to watch for are Alyson Nounie, Amy Westerhold and Becki Cifaldi.

The Chiefs won the WLAA a year ago.

"We didn't have a star (last year) and they thought they should have been able to stop us," Smith said of conference foes. "But team-wise we were pretty solid, and that should hold true again this year."

FARMINGTON HILLS HARRISON

One of the perennial weaker Western Division teams, the Hawks face a difficult year in '93.

A total of 12 players, including eight starters, graduated from Harrison's 1-10-1 squad of a year ago. Farmington Hills scored just six goals all last season.

The good news for the Hawks is that their top two goal-scorers do return. Carle Earle roams midfield

while other leading scorer Amy Spurlock will play forward.

Defensively, Kristen Wolters, Marla Pinsky, Laura Westberg and Jenni Japenga lead the way. Monica Sklar will be the Hawks' goalkeeper.

"We're loaded with (sophomores) and that makes it better to look down the road," Farmington Hills coach Glenn Breuhahn said. "Right now, we're having trouble getting quality practice time because of the weather. When you have a young, inexperienced team, it's important to get good practices. Obviously, I see us improving as the season goes along."

LIVONIA CHURCHILL

Coach Nick O'Shea leads the Chargers into the spring campaign coming off a so-so year. Livonia went 8-7-2 last year.

"We've got some speed and we're faster than we have been in the past," O'Shea said. "We expect to score some goals with the players we have. The key for us doing well this year is if our goalies step up and perform."

Sarah Fabirkliewicz will be in the nets for Livonia. Working in front of her will be Danielle Priebe, Janess Vartanian and Jenny Wysocki.

Almee Cousino is the top offensive threat as she scored nine goals and nine assists. Andrea Zawislak and Erin Stancherski are other top forwards.

LIVONIA FRANKLIN

The Patriots were under .500 last season and don't figure to do much better this spring.

Franklin lost no fewer than six top performers to graduation. Coach Joe Galea makes no bones about the upcoming season.



FILE PHOTO

Angie Snyder will help lead the way for Northville in 1993.

"This is a rebuilding year," he said. "We'll just try to do our best and take it from there."

Lenay Truchan, Lesley McDougall

and Angie Gonzalez are top returners. Newcomers will include Lisa Deshano and Sarah Ouellette, both forwards, and Meghan Brodick who is a defender.

Plymouth Observer staff writer Dan O'Meara and Farmington Observer staff writer Neal Zipser contributed to this report. Other Observer staff contributed as well.

Scott Daniel

Successful spring ahead for Northville



It happens every spring. Just when you think winter has slithered away and old Sol is once again master of the sky — BOOM, the snow storm from hell hits. This year was no exception, of course. The white stuff really put a damper on what was supposed to be the first week of action for Northville High sports teams. The baseball, soccer and track teams all had games or meets canceled. But no need to fret, sports fans. Your fearless ink-stained wretch has come up with a solution. The Mustang Dome! Instead of keeping fingers crossed for the entire month of April, every event would go off as planned. The Dome would bring a plethora of other benefits, too. Overcrowding on the practice fields would be

a thing of the past. And talk about your bragging rights, how many prep teams play in a dome? All of this could be accomplished with just a little financing from the voters. Say a one-time 50-mill increase? Sure, it's a small sacrifice. But wouldn't it be worth the expense in the long run? Northville High sports would really be on the map (literally) with a dome, wouldn't they? Okay. Okay. So I've taken one too many fastballs off the helmet. Seriously, folks. It should be a successful spring for Northville if and when the weather cooperates. After finishing second in the Western Division a year ago, look for the baseball team to take the top spot. The Mustangs return almost the entire roster from last season. Northville should score plenty of runs and field everything in sight. The girls track team is also on the rise. A larger, more talented squad will make noise in the WLA for the first time in years. Look for big years from runners like Adrienne Browne and field performers such as Wendy Forster.

Bob Paul's soccer team is strong — again. The Mustangs appear to have a solid mix of veterans and younger players. Northville will have to overcome highly ranked Plymouth Canton to win division and conference titles. It's hard to say what kind of season it will be for the boys track team. Graduation losses and a smaller squad will probably force Northville to relinquish its WLA crown. The same can't be said for the tennis team. Led by Mark and Matt Schwagle, the netters are almost a lock to repeat as conference champions. Trish Waldecker's golf squad tries for its third straight excellent season. Northville went to the state finals in its first year and took a Western Division title last year. One Mustang must step up to replace the leadership of graduated Kelli Woodsum. Graduation losses will also be felt by the softball team. Sluggers Laura Apligian and Kara McNeil are gone, along with pitching ace Stacey Nyland. The Mustangs must develop a solid battery to remain competitive.

Novi lacrosse team evens season mark

By SCOTT DANIEL
Sports Editor

The Wildcat lacrosse team evened its season record with a 8-0 triumph over Lansing Waverly March 31. Steve Wells led Novi to victory with four goals, all in the second half. Wildcat coach Kelly Kroll said it won't be the last big game for the sophomore. "He played a wonderful game," Kroll commented. "We expect Steve to score quite a few goals." Novi is now 1-1 Michigan Scholastic Lacrosse Association. The Wildcats played a strong game despite less than ideal conditions in Lansing. Kroll said the field was wet, and temperatures hovered around freezing. Goalie Eric Hoffman recorded his

first career shutout. He stopped seven shots on goal by Lansing. "The shots they took weren't good shots," Kroll said. "We played much better defense. We were all over them." The win avenged a loss to Grand Rapids Forest Hills on March 26. Kroll said he changed his team's style of play after that setback. "We picked up the physical end of the game," he said. Novi went into halftime up 1-0 over Waverly. Mark Lopez scored an unassisted goal in the first period of play. The barrage began in the third quarter. Kroll said he told his team to start shooting more in the second half. "I think they were a little too concerned about taking good shots," he said. "We cleared that up at

halftime." Of Novi's 25 shots on goal in the game, 15 came in the final two periods. Wells scored twice in the third period and freshman Mark Schaeffer added a tally to make it 4-0. Kroll said he used more of his bench in the fourth with the big lead. "At 4-0 we were much more confident," he said. Wells added two more goals in the fourth while Jeff Ernst and Jamie Thomas also netted goals. "We still have to work on points in our game," Kroll said. "But they did what I asked them to do. They played much better." GRAND RAPIDS FOREST HILLS 10, NOVI 2: The 'Cats opened the season on the road against a much more exper-

enced Grand Rapids squad. "They were much bigger and more mature," Kroll said. "Their physical size just did us in. We were simply overpowered." An important part of lacrosse is controlling the ball when it's on the ground, Kroll said. Forest Hills picked up four ground-balls for every one of Novi's. Grand Rapids outshot the Wildcats 42 to 8 as well. "We were extremely rusty," Kroll said. Grand Rapids led 5-0 by halftime. Novi got both of its goals in the fourth period as midfielders Mike Sill and Mike Hicks scored. Novi resumes its season against Lansing Waverly, at home, on April 20.



JOE STAKNIS

Staknis fights rare disease

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"I went to all the practices," Staknis said, "and did what I could to help out." The prognosis is good for a full recovery. The drug treatment will eventually clear away the inflammation in his lungs, in about two years, and the swelling in his trachea is already gone. As for now, Staknis is looking forward to getting back on the pitcher's mound. Baseball coach Tim Cain said he will use the senior as a reliever to start the season. Staknis was one of the Mustangs' main starters a year ago and a good outfielder.

"It's our final year to do our best. Since we only lost two kids from last year I think we will do really good."

JOE STAKNIS
Baseball player

"His defense in the outfield is excellent," Cain said. "He covers a lot of ground and has a great throwing arm." The coach said his pitcher's arm is almost back to full strength. But because of his shortness of breath, going a full seven innings or playing in

the outfield would be difficult. Just having Staknis on the team is enough for his teammates. "They come up to me everyday and say they really want him out there," said Cain. "He's a quiet leader. He does his job and works hard."

Fitness Briefs

JAZZERCISE: Jazzercise is now in Northville. Evening classes start soon at the Plaza Dance Company in the Northville Plaza Mall on Seven Mile Road. Babysitting is available. For more information call Dawn at 347-3335.

YOGA CLASSES IN NORTHVILLE: Yoga classes are being held at the Northville American Legion Hall this spring from March 15 to May 20. Taught by Diane Siegel-DiVita, yoga effectively trains the body to develop strength, flexibility and balance. Classes will be held Mondays and Thursdays from 7:15-8:45 p.m. at a cost of \$45 or both days for \$85. For more information call 344-0928.

STEP BENCH, AEROBICS AND TONING: New Attitude Aerobics and Northville Parks and Recreation offer year-round fitness classes, seven days a week. Program opportunities include: step bench, high and low impact aerobics, low impact fatburner aerobics, and early bird (5:45 a.m.) workouts. Classes are designed with everyone in mind: men and women, all ages and levels of fitness, beginners to advanced. Special features include: "flexible scheduling" (mix and match classes from week to week), child care, personalized instruction, and nationally certified instructors. For more information call 348-3120 or 349-0203.

AEROBIC FITNESS CO.: Step classes, multi-level aerobics and strength training classes are offered by the Aerobic Fitness Co. An exercise physiologist and certified instructors are on staff. Morning and evening classes can be combined to fit into your busy schedule. Excellent child care is available. For more information call 348-1280.

FITNESS AFTER 50: Schoolcraft College's Continuing Education Services is offering a serious physical health course specially recommended for persons over 50. Instruction includes the latest health concepts and conditioning exercises. The 12-week class costs \$59 and is offered in two separate sessions. Call 462-4400 for more information.

WEIGHT WATCHERS: Weight Watchers, the internationally recognized weight loss program, meets every Wednesday at the Northville Community Center at 9:45 a.m. and 6 p.m. Registration fee is \$17 plus a weekly fee of \$9. For more information, call Diana Kutzke at 287-2900.

WEIGHT LOSS: Ellie's Weigh weight loss classes are being held each Saturday morning at 10 a.m. and again at 12:30 p.m. at Grand Slam USA in Novi on Ten Mile Road. For more information, call 682-1717.

CPR CLASSES: Botsford General Hospital in Farmington Hills is offering adult and infant/child CPR classes. The adult program is offered the first Thursday of every month in the Administration and Education Center from 7-10 p.m. Preregistration is required. The infant/child program is offered the first Monday of every month in the Administration and Education Center from 7-10 p.m. Preregistration is also required. Fee is \$5 for each class. Call 471-8090 for more information. A cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) class is also offered by Schoolcraft College on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 6-10 p.m. An American Red Cross CPR certification card is issued upon successful completion of the course. Cost is \$18. For more information call 591-6400, Ext. 410.

RENT A POOL: For those who like to keep fit by swimming, the Novi High School Pool is available for rent. Groups may rent the pool on Fridays from 7:30 to 9 p.m. If interested, call the Novi Community Education office at 348-1200 at least one month prior to date requested.

HEALTH SCREENING: The Novi Parks and Recreation Department offers a variety of health screening events each week. One is blood pressure screening for senior citizens. This free service is offered each Wednesday in the Novi Civic Center from 11 a.m.-noon.

ASK-A-NURSE REFERRAL: "Ask-a nurse," the new 24-hour health information and physician referral line sponsored by five Mercy hospitals in Southeast Michigan, is offering a new speaker's bureau to community groups. Program director Linda Hintze, R.N., and registered nurses who man the telephone lines seven days a week, 365 days a year, will be available to speak to groups of 15 or more about the calls they receive and how they help callers locate physicians and health or community information.

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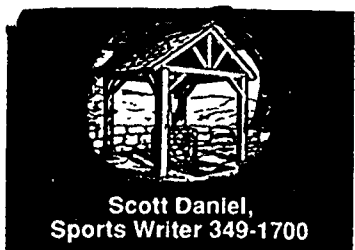
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THURSDAY
April 8, 1993

Learn while you burn in Novi

By CINDY STEWART
Special writer

If you think our Novi seniors have all the fun... you're definitely right. Novi Parks and Recreation provides a wide variety of daily activities and the staff is always willing to try new programs — like the new line dancing class offered on Tuesdays from 10 to 11 a.m.

Everyone is invited to the Civic Center to "learn while you burn." Instructor Eleanore Malchie teaches terrific line dances that you can do without a partner. The Tuesday class has been well attended by the "young at heart" from ages 55 to 80. It's a great way to get in shape and stay in shape.

I have been line dancing since 1979 and love it," said Malchie. "When Kathy Crawford and Jan McAlpine asked me to teach a class I was thrilled. It is so much fun and it is good exercise."

Wanda Diebold has been line dancing for 10 years and comes every



Line dancing can help burn fat for seniors.

week to help Malchie with the class. While Malchie is on the stage demonstrating the steps, Diebold is on the floor helping one-on-one with the participants. Together, they know about 60 to 70 line dances.

The line dance that Malchie teaches is performed to a variety of music which appeals to about every-

one. Songs include "Achey Breaky Heart," "The Hustle," "12th Street Rag," "Jingle Bell Rock," "Cabrera" and the "Irish Jig."

Line dancing is fairly easy to learn and the class only costs 50 cents per week. Men and women are invited to drop by every Tuesday, regardless of age. The class has been averaging 20

participants.

"It's a great exercise," Malchie said. "A great way to keep young. Before each lesson we begin with stretches and the dances include kicks, reaches and lifts, making it a good total workout. I dance five days a week in Novi, Farmington and Walled Lake."

Kathryn Hoppe D.D.S./Health

Sterilization makes dentist office safe



Today's dental office atmosphere is rapidly changing for some, and for others it has already been a matter of daily routine. Dental offices all over the country have implemented specific procedures for sterilization of dental instruments and preparation of dental

treatment rooms before each patient's visit. Dental professionals are very committed to protecting their patients' health, and as a result, the dental office environment has become more sterile.

There are many "behind the scenes" procedures taken for each patient before a dental visit. The daily schedule is prepared a day in ad-

vance and the dental team prepares and reads the necessary instruments, handpieces and supplies needed for each procedure. Dental instruments are vibrated in an ultrasonic solution, rinsed, placed in a milk bath (optional), placed in packages and heat sterilized (autoclaved) or chemically/heat sterilized (chemoclaved) for complete sterilization.

Some procedures may require as many as six or eight packages of sterilized instruments and each dental procedure also has many disposable items that are used. The items that cannot be adequately sterilized are called disposables and are discarded after one use. Some examples of disposables are the rubber polishing cups used in cleaning teeth, fluoride trays used for fluoride treatments, needles, anesthetic cartridges and saliva suction straws.

Many dental supplies are now pre-packaged in unit doses which saves time and ensures that sterile supplies are being used for each pa-

tient. Examples are cleansing paste for polishing teeth, anesthetic, filling materials and cements.

The dental treatment room is also sterilized between each patient. Counter tops are wiped with an antimicrobial spray and each portion of the equipment that might be touched during a procedure is either wrapped, wiped or sprayed.

The dentist and staff providing direct dental treatment wear face masks, protective eye glasses or face shields, protective clothing (scrubs and lab coat) and gloves. This is for the safety of the staff and patients.

If you are interested in learning more about sterilization procedures in the dental office, please ask questions or request an office tour. Dental health is a must and regular care is a requirement. Dental professionals want patients to be relaxed and have confidence that their health is our primary concern.

Recreation Briefs

Bowling outing planned in Northville

BOWLING DAY: Why sit at home on your day off from school? The Northville Parks and Recreation Department wants to give you and your friends a chance to go bowling on April 16 from 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Participants will meet at the Novi Bowl and Recreation Center. The event is open to children 5-14 for a cost of \$8 per person. The day will include two hours of bowling, an orientation session, shoe rental, pizza, pop and chips. For more information call 349-0203.

ADULT SOFTBALL: Northville Parks and Recreation is accepting registrations for adult softball leagues. Women's and co-ed leagues are now forming. The cost is \$250 per team (co-ed teams \$255), non-resident fees and umpire fees extra. The women's league plays Tuesdays and Thursdays, and the co-ed league plays Sunday afternoons. Teams may register Monday through Friday. For more information contact the department at 349-0203.

LIVING SCIENCE FOUNDATION Creation: The Northville Parks and Recreation department is proud to present the Living Science Foundation

Camp. This program offers a unique learning experience through hands-on activities. Come face to face with exotic animals that include an eight-foot snake, exotic birds, reptiles and other animals from around the world. Materials for all experiments, crafts and snacks will be provided. Campers should wear comfortable indoor and outdoor clothing and bring a sack lunch each day. The camps run from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. for a cost of \$45 per camp. Camps are held on April 12, 13, 15 and 16. For more information call 349-0203.

VOLLEYBALL: The Northville Parks and Recreation department will be holding men's, women's and coed volleyball leagues this spring. Registration deadline is April 21 and a mandatory manager's meeting will be held April 28. For more information call 349-0203.

UMPIRES NEEDED: Northville residents interested in umpiring high school and summer league baseball should contact the Wayne-Oakland Balls and Strikes Association through Matt Burnash at (313) 532-8986 or (313) 328-0478. You must be at least 18 years old.

SOCCER: Girls premier soccer players who have no team to play for in the spring '93 season, call Tom Coyne at 427-3336. For players with a birthdate of Aug. 1, 1976 and younger who have no team to play with, Linda Hamilton, USA Women's National Team, and Tom Coyne, USYS National Championship, will provide an opportunity for girls premier soccer players to train and compete this spring season.

JUNIOR BASEBALL: Northville Junior Baseball is accepting applications for house and travel league coaches for the 1993 season. Applications are available at Northville Parks and Recreation, located at 303 W. Main St. Returning coaches also need to complete a coaching application. For further information, call Northville Parks and Rec at 349-0203.

SCUBA CLASSES: Become a certified scuba diver and explore the fascinating world of lakes and oceans. Don's Dive Shop teaches classes throughout the year on Mondays and Wednesdays at Northville High School Swimming pool.

The cost is \$68 for residents, plus book fees and equipment rental. If you would like to register for this class you can do so by stopping by Northville Parks and Recreation on Main Street in downtown Northville or call 349-0203 for more information.

ATHLETIC FAMILY PASSES: Northville High School passes are available by contacting Sue Christenson. This year's passes are \$45 and are good for admission to all home high school athletic events. Make checks payable to Northville Athletic Boosters along with the names of family members and return addresses. To contact Sue Christenson, call 349-7933, or write to 42153 Westmeath Ct., Northville, Mich. 48167.

HANDBALL, RACQUETBALL, PADDLEBALL: If you enjoy handball, racquetball or paddleball, open court time is being offered by Schoolcraft College. Courts can be scheduled for doubles play. Gloves, paddles, racquets, balls and lockers are furnished.

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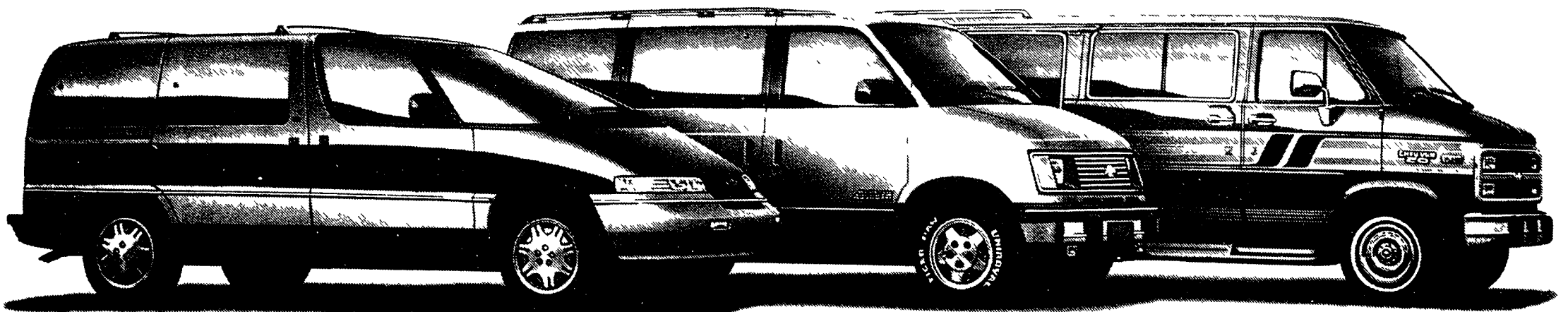
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REAL ESTATE

Apartments are a good investment nowadays

By James M. Woodard
Copley News Service

If you're having a home affordability problem, you might consider buying an apartment building.

That's how four families recently solved their housing problems. They teamed up as one buying entity and purchased a nice fourplex building. To finance their purchase, they each chipped in equally for the 10 percent cash down payment—\$7,250 per family.

The total cost per unit (per family) was only \$72,500. That's less than a quality condo unit would cost in many areas. Their combined monthly principal-interest payment amount is \$2,043, or \$511 for each family. Taxes, insurance and maintenance cost also are divided equally.

It not only provides low-cost housing for the buying families, it's also a premium investment. The vacancy factor will always be "0 percent" and appreciation (increasing value) in future years should be substantial.

"Apartments are probably the best of all real estate investments, considering current market conditions," said Dawn Dyer, senior investment consultant for Thomas Associates, an investment real estate brokerage firm.

"An exceptionally large number of people and businesses are now moving from one area to another. And during periods of transition, people usually seek out an apartment for their residence," Dyer said.

"Also, in today's market a large proportion of people — singles, couples and families — can only afford to live in an apartment. And, let's face it, some people pre-

fer renting an apartment for their residence.

"Another important consideration is the lack of new apartment construction. In most areas it's just not feasible to build new apartment buildings in today's market. Even developers are now seeking and buying existing structures."

The increasing potential in purchasing seasoned apartment buildings is catching the eye of investors and real estate analysts nationwide.

"Apartments offer the best current investment opportunity of any real estate today as the cycle starts to turn up," according to a report from the research and accounting firm of Kenneth Leventhal & Co. "Now is one of the better times in a number of years to invest in apartments in selected market areas."

Ernst & Young, another research and consulting firm, pointed out that construction of new apartments has dropped to a quarterly rate of 37,000 new unit starts per quarter. By comparison, the quarterly production rate in 1986 averaged 121,000 starts.

Many recently purchased apartment buildings are now generating a return of at least 10 percent on their invested cash, Dyer said. As the rate of return increases, prices will also rise.

"Not all apartments will generate the same types of return," Dyer said. "Larger buildings are generally a better investment than smaller ones, based strictly on cash flow. There are many reasons for this, primarily the fact that fewer people can afford to buy a 20-plus unit

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HOME DESIGNS



Energy efficiency is the summit of the Hilltop

By James McAlexander
Copley News Service

Jutting out to the rear like the prow of a ship, a vaulted family room dominates the core of the Hilltop. Living room and dining room are also at the center, facing the street.

Bedrooms are located on both sides, with the master suite to the left, two bedrooms and a utility room to the right.

Energy efficiency is a primary concern in this plan. Windows, high and low, make up most of the prow-shaped rear walls of the family room, creating a bright environment on even the darkest of winter days. In fact, these rooms are so naturally well-lit that electric lights will rarely be needed during daylight hours.

An eating nook, adjacent to the kitchen, is illuminated by a side window. Plants will flourish here as well as in the garden window, in front of the sink.

Even the utility room has a win-

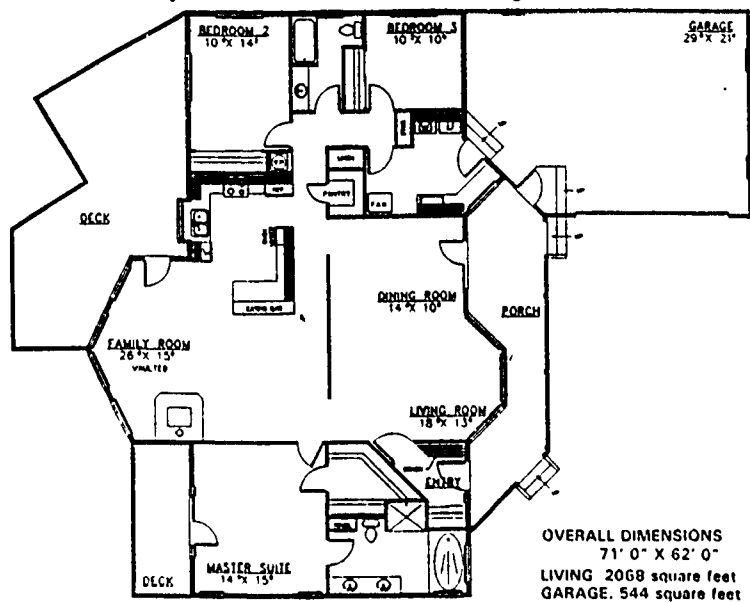
dow, which looks out across the yard. But here, and in the living and dining rooms, the light is softer, muted by a covered porch.

Another energy-conservation feature is an air lock entryway with a built-in bench for removing muddy or snowy footwear. Boots and shoes can then be stowed underneath.

Double doors in the master suite open onto a private deck, one of two at the back of the Hilltop. Other features in the master suite include a large walk-in closet and a private bathroom with twin basins and a glass-enclosed spa tub.

A utility room with a deep sink is accessible from the garage as well as the bedroom wing, and the hallways are lined with linen and storage closets.

For a study plan of the The Hilltop(401-03) send \$7.50 to Landmark Designs, c/o HomeTown Newspapers, 323 E. Grand River Ave., Howell, MI 48843. (Be sure to specify plan name and number when ordering.)



The home of Mark and Jane Heintz is reminiscent of the late 1800s era

Photos by HAL GOULD

Milford subdivision offers 1800s style homes

By Marilyn Herald
Special Writer

Mark and Jane Heintz fell in love with the Victorian fashion of homes on Mackinac Island years ago and still return there annually for special vacations.

It's no coincidence then that their new home in Milford Heights, on South Milford Road, high above the village, has a definitely Victorian style.

"We saw this design as one of the models, and we loved it for its Victorian look," Jane said enthusiastically.

The wide front porch and turreted second story are indeed reminiscent of the late 1800s era, yet inside are all the modern amenities.

The master bedroom located at the right front on the second floor incorporates the turret area. It provides a cozy place for relaxation as well as a vista for viewing.

"This house has everything I ever wanted in a home," Jane explained. "It has an open staircase going up from the foyer, and the master bedroom is located on the opposite end of the upstairs from the other bedrooms."

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Mark added that they were pleased to have the opportunity to select the 115-by-140 lot from among the 81 lots included in the subdivision. "We had several models of homes to choose from, and we were able to select the siding, roofing and brick as well as the interior finished."

instead of a door wall there." The 17-by-20 foot family room includes a brick fireplace and is the gathering place for everyone when sports are slated on TV.

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Cuttings from fig trees

By C Z. Guest
Copley News Service

GARDENING

Q. I'd like to know the best time to collect cuttings of fig trees and root them into new trees. How long does it take, and what is the best type of soil to use?

A. New trees can be started in the spring from cuttings or "layering," a process that is used widely to reproduce rhododendrons. It involves bending a branch of the mother plant earthward and making a slanting cut halfway through it, about 9 inches beyond the top. Remove all but one pair of mature leaves from the stem.

After applying a rooting hormone to the cut, insert a splint to keep it open, bury the treated area (still attached to the parent) about 4 inches deep—the top few inches with leaves stays above ground. Provided the ground remains moist (not soggy), roots should begin to emerge from the cut in four to six weeks. The best time to do this is in warm weather.

If you wish to make cuttings, they should come from young (new) wood, in its second or third year.

Remove all leaves or buds except the topmost so that the future tree will be less apt to

produce suckers near the base. Pot the cuttings in a mix of equal parts builder's sand, peat moss, perlite and vermiculite. To speed things up, dip the cut ends in a rooting hormone.

Throughout the rooting process, the cuttings must stay moist, so cover the pots with plastic bags, leaving small air holes. In about six to eight weeks, the cuttings will be ready to be potted.

Q. Do you have a list of poisonous plants? I have young children around so I need to be careful.

A. I think it's best to teach young children not to put random pickings from the garden into their mouths. Keep in mind one part of a plant may be OK to eat, but the other may not!

Potentially dangerous plant poisons include azalea leaves and flowers, clematis leaves, the flowers and leaves of rhododendron and mountain laurel, English ivy berries, leaves and flowers of the herb tansy, to name a few.

Q. Can you give me any

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Fig trees



Weeping fig
Ficus benjamina

- Start new trees from cuttings in the spring.
- Select cuttings from young wood.
- Remove all but one pair of mature leaves from the stem.
- Dip cut end in a rooting hormone. Pot cuttings in a mix of equal parts coarse builder's sand, peat moss, perlite and vermiculite.

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Beware of 'lien sale' provision in contracts

By Gene Gary
Copley News Service

G. I recently had some concrete work done, which included a patio and walkways. The job was not finished satisfactorily. The entire surface was to have been textured and the contractor left it in a mess.

I notified the contractor that I was withholding payment until the job was corrected. Instead of redoing the surface, the contractor started foreclosure proceedings. I had to pay the contractor or risk losing my home.

I fail to understand how this

can legally happen. Can you explain, and warn others about this possibility?

A. The contract you signed with the contractor must have included a "lien sale" provision, which is not uncommon. This clause allows a contractor to foreclose on a house if the customer fails to pay his bills. It is often abused, however, by dishonest or incompetent contractors.

Before hiring a contractor, a homeowner should check on the contractor's reputation and previous customers, and with the Better Business Bureau. You also can demand the addition of a lien

release clause to the contract.

G. I am remodeling my kitchen and plan to install new flooring. I would like to use a vinyl, but I am concerned about dents from our breakfast table and chairs on this type of flooring. That happened on the old floor, which was vinyl.

Do you have any suggestions on how to prevent this?

A. Most floor covering or hardware stores, or even furniture stores, sell a variety of furniture glides that attach to almost any style leg. These will help protect your new flooring.

In addition, the type of vinyl you purchase is important. Often, the more resilient (cushiony) the floor covering, the more subject it is to dents and spike-heel marks. Occasionally, the underlay or improper installation is to blame.

An exception is the newer cushioned vinyl that actually has a springy foam layer on the underside. This flooring, although more expensive, is very comfortable and is resistant to normal indentation.

The more expensive line of vinyls also resist dirt better, and many of the no-wax varieties live up to their name, requiring dampmopping with a mild detergent as their only

upkeep.

G. I have some parquet flooring that was removed when a friend decided to replace it with a tile flooring. I would like to reuse these wood tiles in my own home.

Do you know of an easy way to remove the mastic on the backs of the tiles, so I can reinstall them?

A. Finding the right solvent that will remove the mastic is the answer. I suggest that you take one of the tiles to a large paint dealer in your area, so you can experiment with different solvents,

and find the right one to do the job.

Another technique would be to use rubbing alcohol. Pour it over the mastic and let it sit for a couple of minutes before scraping it off.

Or you can try freezing the individual tiles to make the mastic brittle, then use a stout scraper or broad chisel to remove it.

Send inquiries to *Here's How*, Copley News Service, P.O. Box 190, San Diego, CA 92112-0190. Only questions of general interest can be answered in the column.

Democrats and the real estate market; low mortgage rates

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building. Thus, sellers must be more competitive in pricing their product for this market.

"Even with two properties of the same size, there can be a significant difference in cost per unit. As in other types of real estate, condition and location are the key factors. Before making an investment decision, it's vitally important for individual investors to clearly identify what is most important to them — their investment priorities."

G: How will our country's new Clinton-Democratic leadership change the real estate market?

A. Here's the view of David Liniger, founder and chairman of Re/Max International, a real estate franchise group:

"I think you'll see very little change occur in the real estate market in the next 12 months. Over a longer period of time, I would anticipate increased taxation, especially in the middle- and higher-income tax brackets."

"Also, I anticipate that the Democrats, controlling all three branches of federal government, will eliminate the income tax deductibility provision of mortgages over \$150,000 or \$200,000. And with the deficit being the size that it is, I think you can anticipate there will be a lot of pres-

sure to keep interest rates as low as possible."

G. With mortgage interest rates at near-record lows, is this a good time to buy a home?

A. The market is shaping up favorably for both home buyers and sellers. Here's a quote from William Chee, president of the National Association of Realtors:

"We're seeing more and more 'for sale' signs going up around the country. The timing is good now for both sellers and buyers."

Currently, NAR is predicting existing single-family home sales

to total 3.69 million units this year. That reflects a 4.9 percent increase from last year. The median price for existing single-family homes is expected to be \$106,900, rising 3.1 percent above the price for last year.

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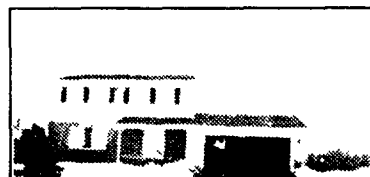
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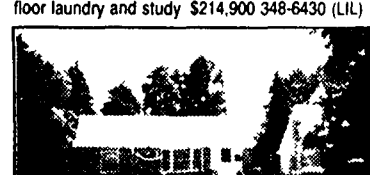
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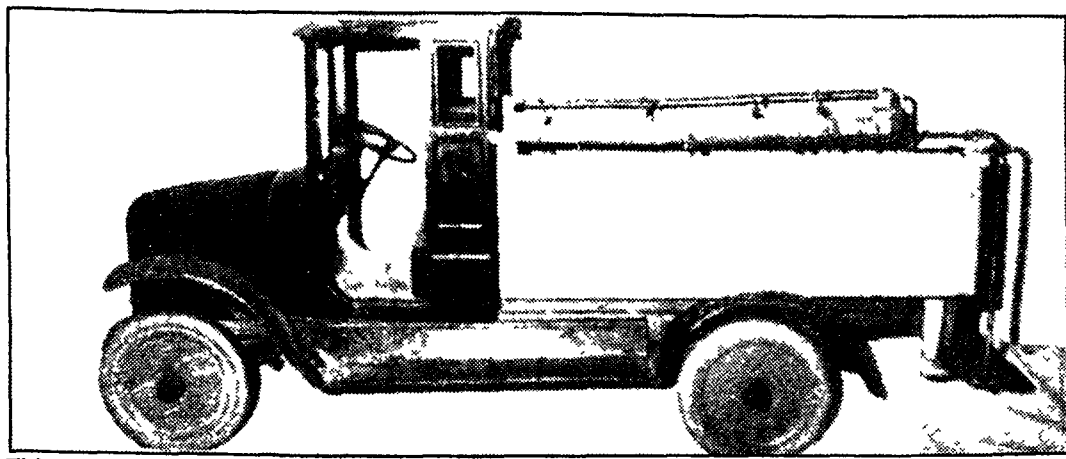
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This Buddy "L" ice truck was made between 1926 and 1931 and might sell for \$325 to \$335.

Buddy 'L' ice truck named for owner's son

By James G. McCollam
Copley News Service

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Q. Enclosed is a picture of my Buddy "L" ice truck. It is 25 1/2 inches long and 12 inches high, and has a canvas cover in the rear.

I would appreciate your opinion as to its value.

A. Your truck was made between 1926 and 1931; in very good condition, it might sell for \$325 to \$335.

Buddy "L" toys were first manufactured by the Moline Pressed Steel Co. in Moline, Ill., in 1921, and were named for the son of the owner, Buddy Lundahl.

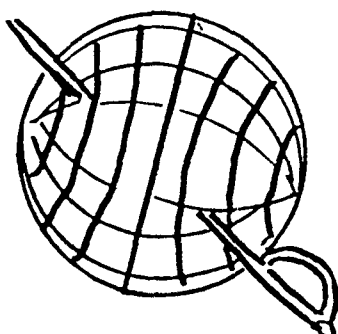
The early toys made between 1921 and 1932 are the most valuable.

Q. This mark is on the bottom of a porcelain celery dish. The dish is 13 inches long and 4 inches wide; it is decorated with red flowers with foliage.

Can you tell me anything about its origin and current value?

A. Your celery dish was made in Baltimore, Md., by the Edwin Bennett Pottery Co. about 1890. It might sell for \$50 to \$60.

Q. What can you tell me about a can for talcum powder marked "Baby Powder" and "California Perfume Co." It has a picture of toy soldiers on the front.



A. This is quite a find! The California Perfume Co. was the original Avon Co. Your baby powder can is worth about \$125 to \$135 in good condition.

Q. I have a Royal Doulton plate, D-5175, titled "The Artful Dodger." It is 10 1/2 inches in diameter and depicts a character from Dickens.

When was this made and how much is it worth?

A. This plate, depicting a character from "Oliver Twist," was made in England during the early 1900s and would probably sell for \$125 to \$135 in good condition.

Q. We recently cleaned our attic and found a watch I had when I was a little girl. It is a

1963 Barbie wind-up watch. I had it repaired; it still works and has the original band.

I would like to know its value.

A. Your watch might be worth about \$25 to \$35 in good condition. It lists for \$50 in mint condition in the original box.

Q. I have an 11-inch-diameter cake plate with handle holes. The mark is "C. Tielsch—Germany." It is decorated with lilies of the valley and violets with gold trim.

Please tell me when it was made and the value.

A. Carl Tielsch operated a porcelain factory in Altwasser, Germany. Your cake plate was made about 1900 and would probably sell for \$35 to \$45.

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.

Victorian sub offers vintage vistas

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All the Heintz family enjoys sports. Amanda, 16, plays volleyball for Milford High School while her brother Nick, 13, is on the seventh grade basketball team at Muir Middle School.

The family's one lament about their move to Milford is that until more homes in Milford Heights are occupied, they will not be able to have cable TV. Twenty-one of 81 lots have been sold but only four houses are completed and occupied at this time.

"Our house is already for cable, but we can't get it until more homes are occupied here," Mark explained.

Jane said she really enjoys the oak floors in the foyer and kitchen dining area and finds them easy to care for.

Lots of space in the master bedroom allowed Mark and Jane to replace their standard bed with a queen-size when they moved. Having

their own master bath and two walk-in closets is also a plus.

All the family bedrooms have walk-in closets, and there are two coat closets in the main floor foyer. The two upstairs bedrooms and the downstairs powder room also have linen closets.

Deer and bunnies cavort in the backyard which has yet to be seeded. "Since we moved in in October we have one growing season (according to subdivision regulations) to put in the lawn and landscaping," Mark explained.

"We have lots of rocks up here, so we are planning some stone garden walls and will get started as soon as the weather turns to spring."

Although moving to Milford meant Mark has a greater distance to travel in his daily commute as a senior engineer at General Motors Tech Center, it has only added 10 minutes to his drive. "I only have one traffic light (at Milford Road and I-96)

before I get on the freeway. It makes the first part of my trip much quicker than from Redford."

For Jane, who has been employed nearly three years at Kennedy Industries on Pontiac Trail in Milford Township, the commute now is much shorter. "The company is very generous with working out our hours so that employees can enjoy family activities. When I hired in the children were younger, of course, and it was even more important to work for a family-oriented company."

Milford Heights is being developed by Trimount Co. with a selection of 13 different floor plans and 30 (front) elevations. Prices range from \$140,000 to \$197,000, according to Michelle Chaklos, project coordinator.

At the entrance to Milford Heights, four 10-unit apartment buildings are also being constructed along Milford Road in what is known as Milford Place.

Shamrocks and luck with transplants

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Q. Can you give me any information on the shamrock?

A. The shamrock is a member of the clover family. It is the national emblem of Ireland and is said to have been used by St. Patrick to explain the nature of the Trinity. Leaves divided into three were used as emblems of the Trinity.

To this day, the shamrock is worn in buttonholes on St. Patrick's Day in Ireland as well as other countries in the world.

Q. I haven't had much luck in raising my own transplants, so if I decide to buy plants this year, how do I pick good ones?

A. Always look for healthy, green plants. Stay away from light-green, spindly ones with yellow leaves, as they may be undernourished or dis-

eased. Look, too, for obvious insect problems.

Keep in mind that smaller, younger plants are best, like the ones that haven't yet started to flower or bear fruit. These get established faster in the garden and pro-

duce more plants that have flowers or fruit.

C.Z. Guest is a gardening authority whose work appears in *House and Garden* and author of numerous books and videos, including "5 Seasons of Gardening" (Little, Brown and Co.)

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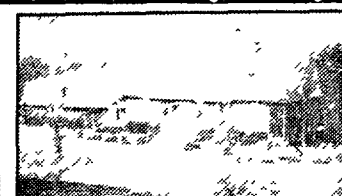
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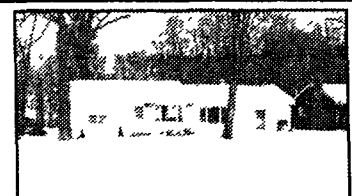
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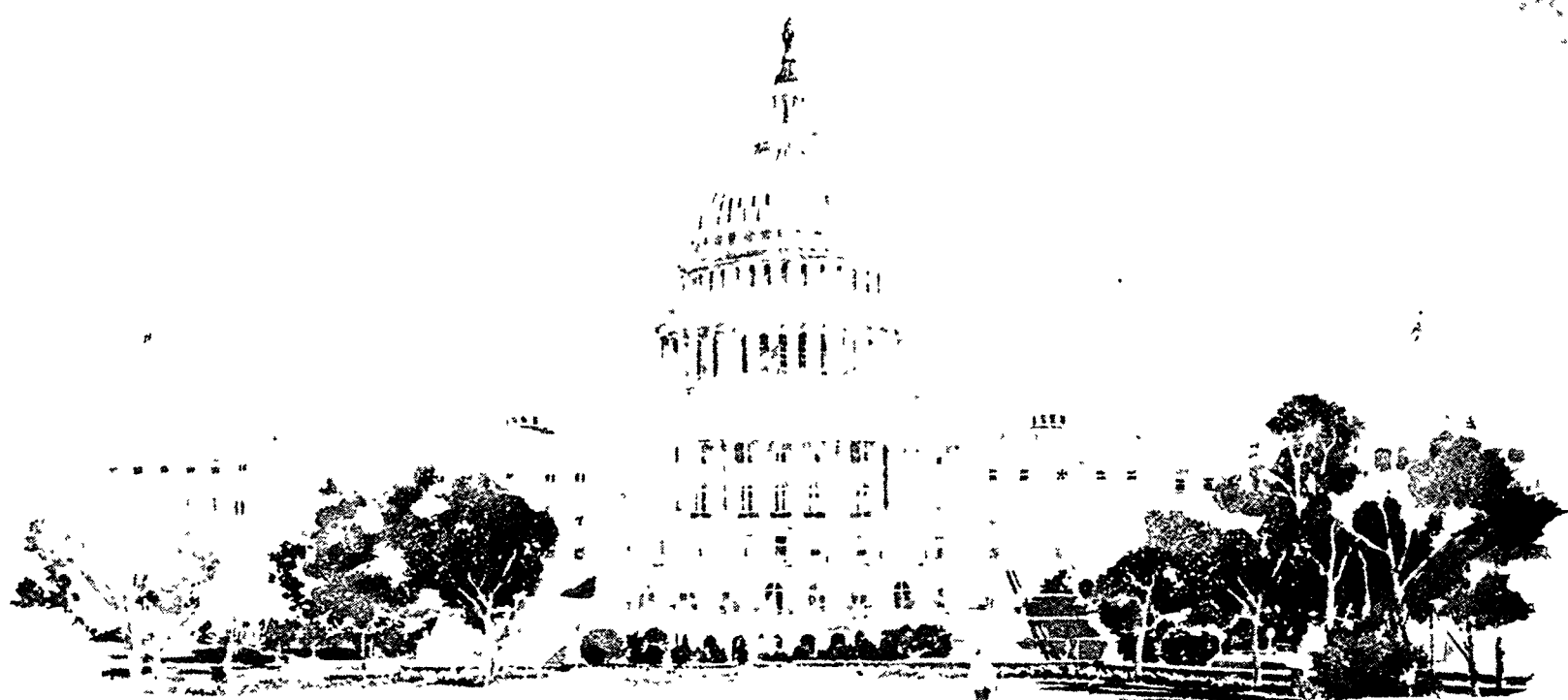
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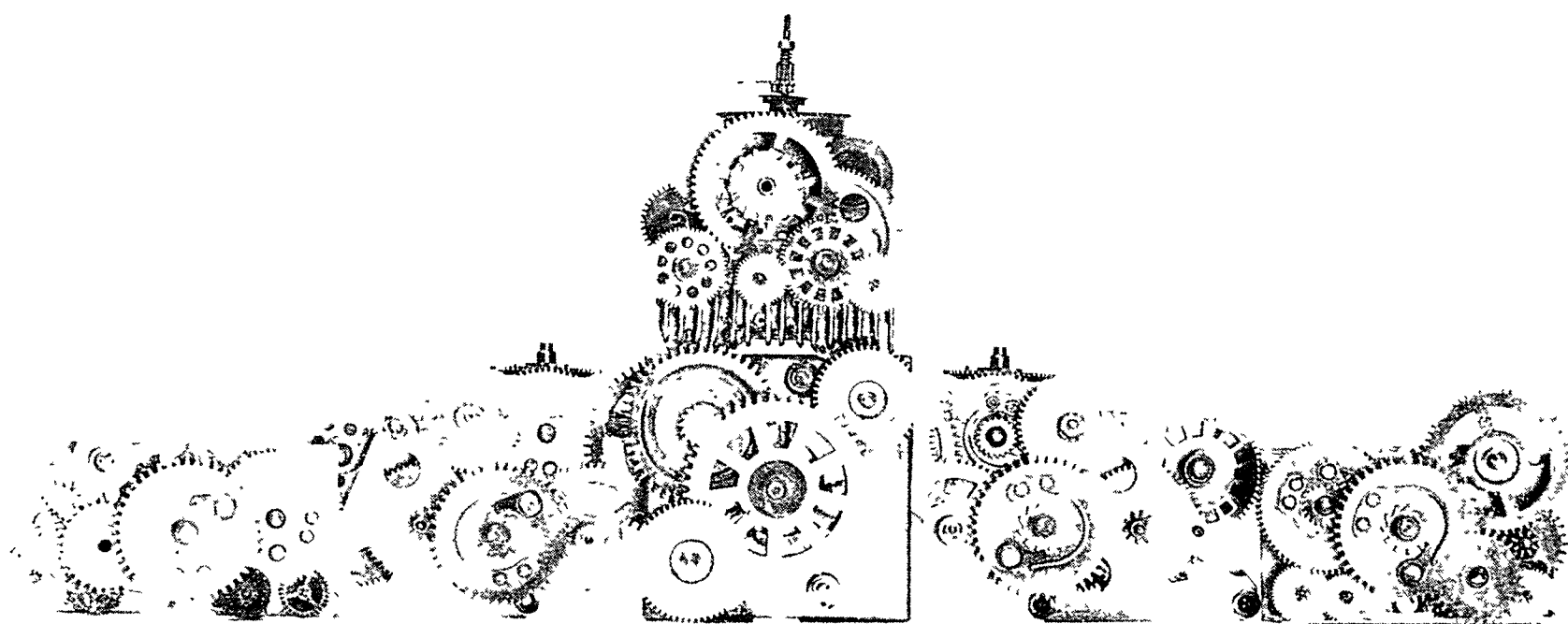
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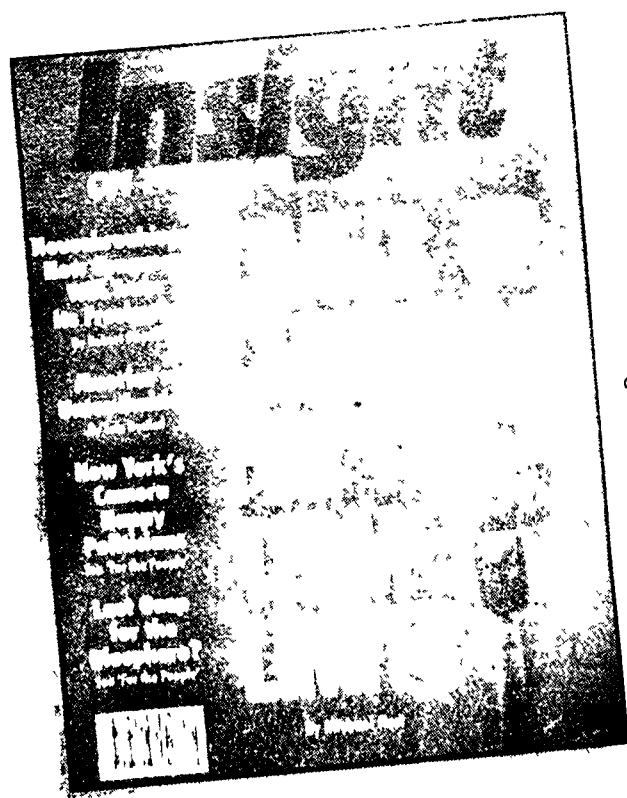
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CUSTOM built contemporary ranch 3 br., 2 baths, Solarium, 2 way stone fireplace, cathedral ceilings, 1st floor laundry, finished bsmt., extensive decking w/ screened gazebo, 24x36 barn on rolling 7 1/2 acres, partially wooded w/ paved circular drive, \$299,500. Land Company of Michigan, (313)229-4884

DOWNTOWN Extra nice, 4 br., bungalow, central air, 2 decks overlooking treed yard. Immediate possession. (313)229-7614

HANDYMAN special, Round Lake, lakefront, very unique stone house, fix it up and make a bundle. Needs approx. \$10,000 in repairs. Should sell for approx. \$110,000 Will sacrifice for \$75,000 on land contract, with \$5000 down for 3 yrs. at 11%, or \$70,000 cash Hurry won't last. (517)546-5137

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ACCESS on Lake Moraine. 3 br., 2 1/2 ceramic baths, huge family room, country kitchen, 2 decks overlooking treed yard. Immediate possession. (313)229-9605

ON 1 wooded acre 2 yr. old 3 br., ranch on crawl Hartland schools \$119,900. (313)227-7479

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041 Brighton

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BRIGHTON schools, 2 story, 3 br., full bsmt., 2 car attached, first floor laundry, large deck, new appliances Just outside city tax area, close to schools & expressways No down payment, 8% assumable mortgage available \$124,900 (313)227-0086

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Daria Bohlander Days 781-6600 Even. 478-1478 Edward Surovell Co./Realtors

046 Fenton

NEW, by owner. 3 Br. ranch, 2 car garage, Owen Rd., Fenton No realtors please \$118,500 (313)629-6388

CUSTOM built horse ranch located on beautiful 6 acre country corner lot Paved road, 3 br., 2 baths, fireplace, central air, 2 car attached garage, outbuildings, fencing, \$108,000. (517)521-3454

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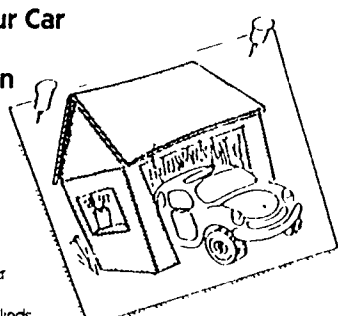
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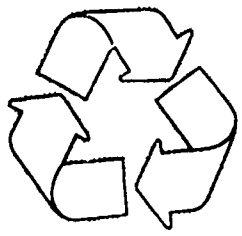
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Crawfords' restaurant is a family fare affair

By RICK BYRNE
Copy Editor

Some people just can't get enough of a good thing.

At Crawfords' Restaurant in Northville, it's been five years since founders Dick and Ruthellen Crawford had a hand in the day-to-day operations. To the delight of many of their old fans and friends, they've returned to assist daughter Sue Poster in running the popular eatery at 160 E. Main St.

"I can't get 'em to slow down," Sue said. "Mom took over the waitstaff, and Dad is in here every day, taking care of the books."

Dick and Ruthellen opened the restaurant in July of 1984, but retired just four years later, leaving the restaurant in the hands of Sue and her two brothers. But as the men lost interest in the restaurant business and found other pursuits, Sue decided she needed some help.

"We went from five partners down to just one," she said. "So this just kind of evolved."

Indeed, Crawfords' has been a family place from the very beginning. Sue's son, Terry Poster Jr., worked there the day it opened, when he was just 12 years old.

"We had just moved our house in Wayne and moved here," Sue said. "With him working until 10-11 o'clock at night, he didn't do too well in school that year."

Today, he's running the kitchen and all the food preparation. After graduating from Northville High School in 1990, he took over as day cook. With training in Schoolcraft College's culinary arts program, he's got some great new recipes to pre-

sent, along with Crawfords' favorites. Sue still runs Crawfords' Bakery Connection at 123 E. Main, which she has done since opening the bakery in 1989. The bakery is the source, not only for Crawfords' famous desserts and dinner rolls, but now all of the restaurant's breads too.

"We serve good homemade food," said Sue. "And we make the stuff the way we did at home. We don't open boxes and cans, and we try to give the customer a good value for the dollar."

The atmosphere is homestyle too, with lots of soft, indirect lighting, and family photos on the wall. There are no service stations in the dining room for the waitstaff.

"We'd like to think our dining room is kind of quaint," Sue said. "Our purpose was to make people think they're sitting in their own dining room or a friend's dining room."

It's easy enough to find a familiar face at Crawfords'. While some restaurants may change waitstaff as often as they change the tablecloths, Sue says the average stay for a Crawfords' waitress is five years.

"We have one woman who started with us as a busgirl in high school," Sue said. "She just came back to work for us, and she's got a 3-year-old daughter already."

"We have employees who come in and pay to eat here. Now that's a big compliment."

With Dick and Ruthellen back in the fold, some big changes have taken place. For one thing, Crawfords' is now open on Sundays, from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m., in addition to Monday through Saturday from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.

They've also initiated a senior citizens' discount of 10 percent at all times. The breakfast special of egg,

toast, meat and coffee for \$1.75 is quickly becoming a favorite for those in their golden years.

They've kept some of the old traditions in place, too. Dick still makes the salmon loaf, and if they're out of it, it's because he's gone out of town for a while. Dick does the books and the food buying, too, jobs he just can't seem to give up.

"Figures are not my thing," Sue said. "I can do 1/2 cup and 3/4 cup, but I'm no mathematician. Dad was also supposed to train my husband to do the buying, but he enjoys going down to the Eastern Market. And he's down there every single morning."

Sue can't blame her mother and father for wanting to stay involved. She said operating a restaurant in Northville offers unique rewards, unlike any other community.

"The restaurants in Northville all seem to work together," she said. Whenever somebody's running low on something, there's always another restaurant willing to share, loan or trade.

Indeed, Rich Willerer from Heavenly Bakery on Seven Mile invited the whole Crawford family over for a Thanksgiving dinner at his shop. They closed at 6, he closed at 8. It was a natural.

Northville's restaurants are also donating food for the Taste of Northville, a sit-down dinner on May 1 to benefit the Northville Parks and Recreation Commission.

"It's neat the way the restaurants have all come together," Sue said. "Everybody's donating something, and the menu is fabulous. The tickets are sold out already."

At Crawfords', pitching in is what it's all about.



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Dick and Ruthellen Crawford came out of retirement to help run Crawfords' restaurant.

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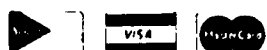
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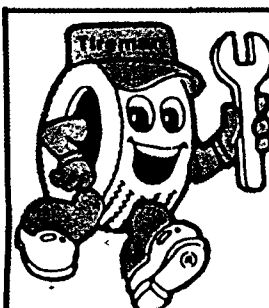
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Neil Murphy was elected to his new position by the company's board of directors in November 1990, allowing time to effect an orderly transition of leadership for the 500-person, employee-owned firm. In these interim months, Loveland and Murphy have worked closely with senior management to plan the transition throughout the seven-company O'Brien & Gere Limited organization. Initial management changes that were put into place in mid-1991 redistributed responsibilities that allowed Murphy to assume full leadership of O'Brien & Gere Engineers by the end of 1992.

JEFFREY C. CLARK has been appointed a registered agent for The Equitable's Hobbey Agency, headquartered in Troy. The appointment was made by Donald N. Hobbey, agency manager. Clark is assigned to the agency's Mellin District. As a member of this district, he is licensed to offer the full range of financial services available through The Equitable.

Clark was in the restaurant industry for over 20 years. He was owner of a restaurant in the Waterford Township area for eight years. His formal education includes a degree in hospitality and management from Oakland Community College. He has also attended Ferris State College in Big Rapids.

Clark resides in Highland Township with his wife Denise and two children. He is involved in many community activities, including belonging to the Troy and Greater Detroit chambers of commerce.

As a fully licensed agent with The Equitable, Clark looks forward to working with local individuals and business owners. His office number is 641-3532.

HUNGRY HOWIE'S PIZZA AND SUBS INC. has opened a new store in South Lyon, announces Steven E. Jackson, president of the Livonia-based company. The store, owned and operated by franchisee David Platt, is located at 226 Lafayette. Platt also owns stores in Brighton and Ypsilanti.

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The South Lyon Hungry Howie's is open from 3-10 p.m. during the week; Friday and Saturday, 11 a.m.-midnight and Sunday from noon-10 p.m.

MICHAEL STEVANOVIC recently opened Soundcrafters, a car audio and alarms business, located at 222-A S. Lafayette, South Lyon. Assistant manager is Aaron Michael Johnson.

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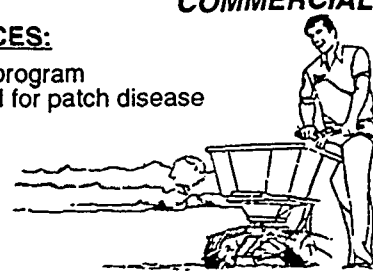
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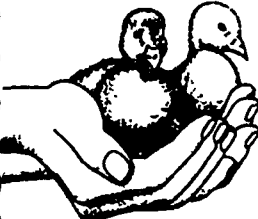
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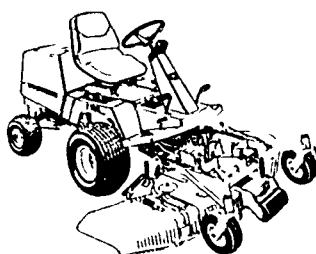


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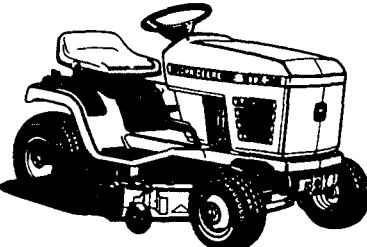
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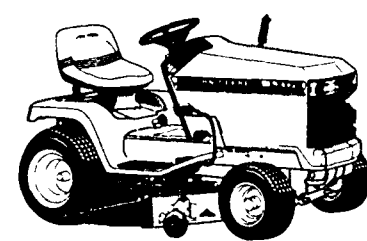
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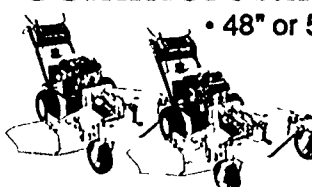


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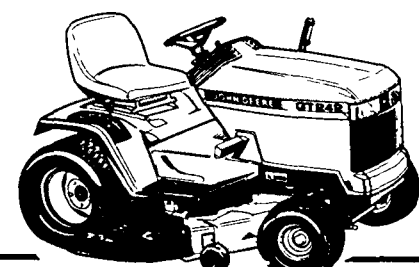
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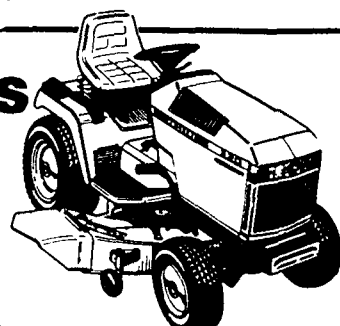
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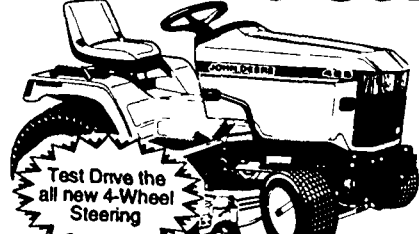
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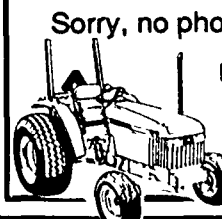
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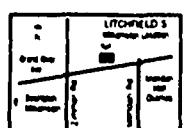
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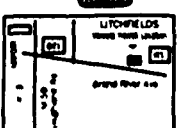
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While deducting unreimbursed medical expenses has become more difficult, it may not be as far out of reach as you think. To deduct medical costs, your unreimbursed expenses must total more than 7.5 percent of your adjusted gross income. Before you decide that the 7.5 percent floor rules out the deduction, review this list of deductible medical expenses provided by the Michigan Association of CPAs.

THE BASIC MEDICAL EXPENSES

Payments to a family doctor, dentist, nurse, chiropractor, psychiatrist and podiatrist all qualify as deductible medical expenses. Laboratory tests and prescription drugs qualify too. Additionally, just about all hospital-related charges are deductible — from intensive care nurses to blood transfusions.

While you may no longer deduct the cost of cosmetic surgery, other surgical treatments that affect the structure or functions of the body remain deductible. The same holds true for supplies or special aids purchased to correct a physical defect or

furnish relief from an ailment. Included in this category are crutches, contact lenses, hearing aids and special telephone equipment for the deaf.

SPECIAL SCHOOLS/TRAINING PROGRAMS

One relatively unknown medical deduction is the cost of attending special schools or training programs for a mentally or physically handicapped person — as long as the main purpose for attending is to relieve the handicap. While the school curriculum must focus primarily on treating the handicap, it may also include regular educational programs.

HOME IMPROVEMENTS FOR MEDICAL CARE

Generally, the cost of improvements made to your home, prescribed in writing by a doctor, can be deducted. However, an improvement that increases the value of your home is considered a capital expenditure. In this case, your deduction will be limited to the difference between what you pay and the increase in the value of your home. On the other hand, the cost of certain home improvements made for handicapped individuals, such as widening doorways to accommodate a wheelchair, generally do not increase the value of a personal residence and are therefore fully deductible.

TRANSPORTATION EXPENSES FOR MEDICAL CARE

If you drive your car to the doctor's office or hospital, you can deduct 9 cents a mile plus the cost of parking and tolls, or the actual cost of gas and oil, plus parking and tolls. If you use public transportation, your bus, taxi or train fare is deductible. In addition, if, on the advice of a doctor, you or your child seek medical treatment away from home, your lodging costs of up to \$50 a day per person can be included in your deductible medical expenses.

PREMIUMS FOR MEDICAL INSURANCE

You may deduct your costs for medical insurance coverage, as well as any Medicare fees you pay directly. If you are self-employed you may be able to deduct 25 percent of what you pay for medical insurance for yourself and your family as an adjustment to income rather than as an itemized deduction. The other 75 percent of your premiums is added to your other medical expenses and are subject to the 7.5 percent floor.

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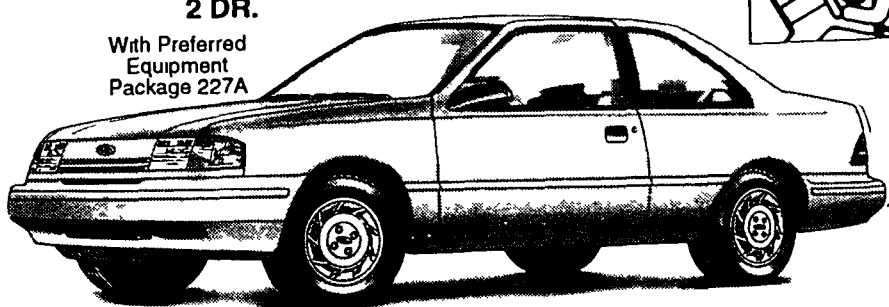
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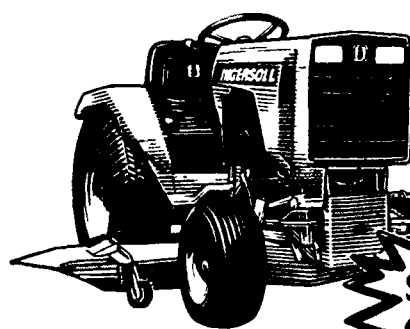
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FRED RICHTER, a Northville Realtor and Tax Accountant, is a national director of the National Association of Residential Property Managers and presently holds their MPM designation. He is chairman of the national certification committee and has been appointed a national instructor for marketing courses.

At a recent board of directors meeting in San Antonio, Texas, he was awarded the prestigious MPM designation, one of only eight in the United States awarded to date. He is also a member of the Real Estate Educators Association, does seminars nationally for property mana-

gers, realtors and real estate boards, and has been an adjunct instructor at Schoolcraft College for many years. He is the president of Richter & Associates Inc. real estate management firm and represents buyers and sellers in sales of homes. Richter has been a real estate broker since 1968.

MORE THAN 86 DETROIT EDISON ENGINEERS in February will share their enthusiasm for energy and help enlighten math and science studies for students at Wilson Middle School and hundreds of other Southeastern Michigan youngsters. The Detroit Edison engineers will join 30,000 engineers nationwide heading back to classrooms to mark National Engineers Week, Feb. 14-20.



Detroit Edison's Paul Beckwith and Peter Kohlert, both of Northville, will speak Feb. 17 at Wilson Middle School as part of the engineer's annual student outreach effort, Discover "E." Beckwith will discuss how engineering relates to energy development and how students can prepare for engineering careers. Kohlert will discuss how engineering relates to energy development and how students can prepare for engineering careers.

CHARISSE LUCKEY of Novi has been named director of business planning and control systems, North America, for Diversey Corp. of Livonia.

Charisse commutes from Cincinnati, Ohio and lives in Novi during the week.

She holds a bachelor of science degree in accounting from the University of Cincinnati. She was previously the director of national account services for Diversey Corp. and formerly vice president of operations for DuBois Chemicals of Cincinnati. Diversey Wyandotte merged with DuBois Chemicals in April 1991 to form Diversey Corp.

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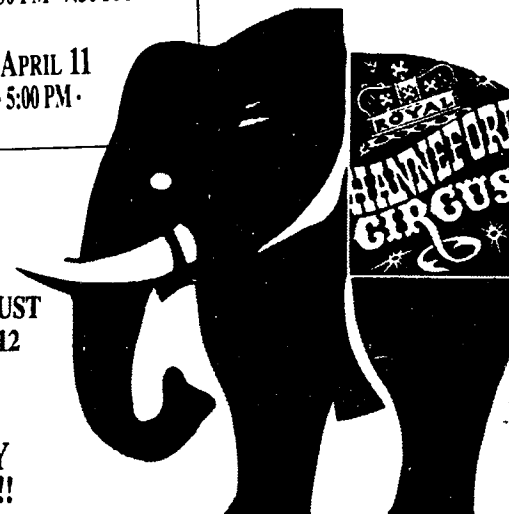
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



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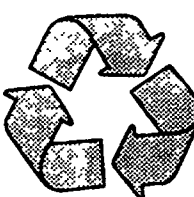
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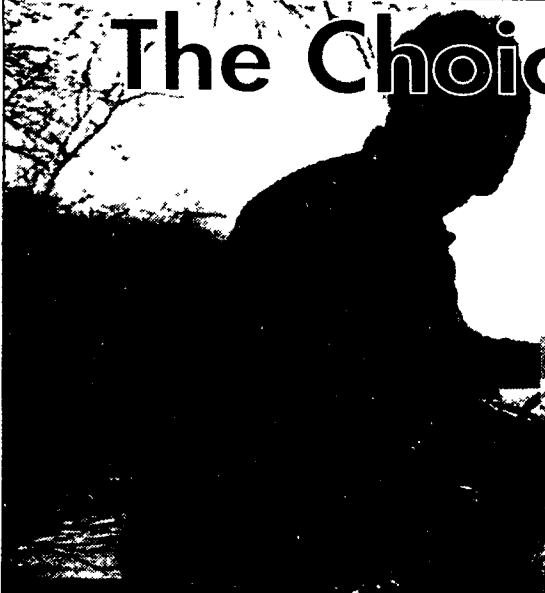
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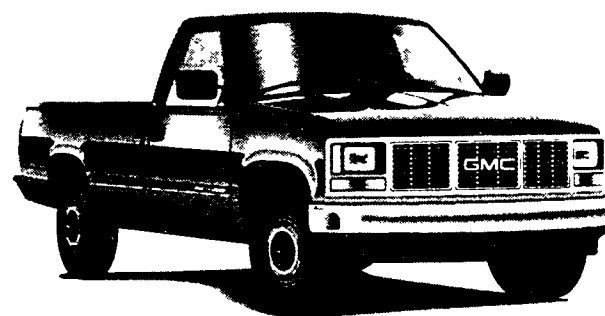
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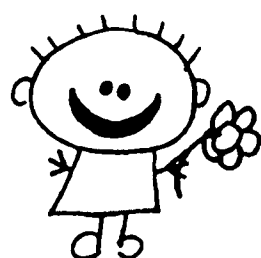
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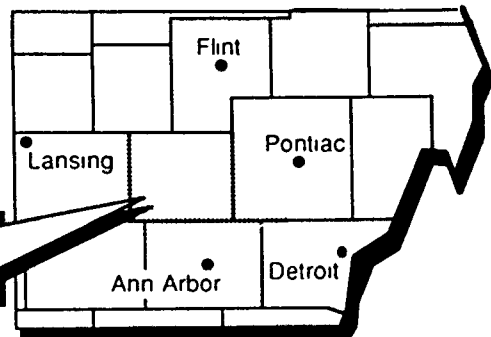
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AUSTRALIAN Shepherd mix, female, speckled, all shots, papers, to loving home, due to moving. (313)787-0715.

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COCKER Spaniel, male, 2 yrs. old, neutered, housebroken. (313)486-0526

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PUPPIES Beagle mix, 6 wks. (313)229-7848.

PUPPY, mixed Blue Tick, male, loves outdoors. (313)669-0946.

SHEPHERD Lab mix, spayed female, 1 1/2 yrs., great with kids. (313)229-7848.

S N O W B L O W E R. (313)227-1027.

SOFT-COATED Wheaten Terrier, male, 6 yrs. old, purebred. Moving to condo. (313)685-9402.

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103 Garage, Moving, Rummage Sales

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ALL GARAGE, RUMMAGE & MOVING SALES PLACED UNDER THIS COLUMN MUST BE PREPAID AND START WITH THE CITY WHERE THE SALE IS TO BE HELD

BRIGHTON, 916 Farway Trail cross streets, Grand Trunk & Brighton Rd. Fr. 7:30am to Noon Baby things, stove, misc items. Cleaned out barn.

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HOWELL 18 yrs accumulation Lots of furniture 4/9-10 9am-6pm 965 E. Barron.

HOWELL Antique Sale Thursday, April 8, 9am 444 E. Livingston, off S. Michigan

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NORTHVILLE Estates Moving sale. Furniture, etc. 21248 Summerdale near Beck & 8 Mile, 9am-4pm, April 16.

NORTHVILLE Rummage Sale Thurs. April 15th, 9am-5pm, Fr. April 16, 9am-12 Noonville VWV Ladies Auxiliary, 438 S. Main

NOVI Dunbar Pines Sub. Nine Mile off Taft, 44443 Midway, 1 day only, Fr. April 9, 9am-3pm. Children's clothes, misc.

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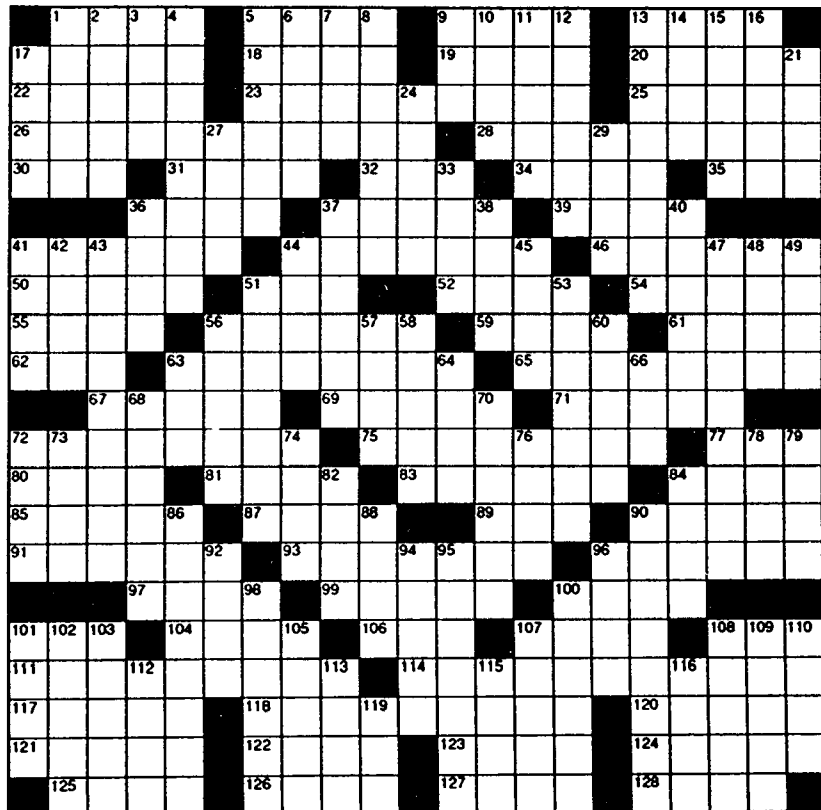
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166 Medical

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168 Office/Clerical

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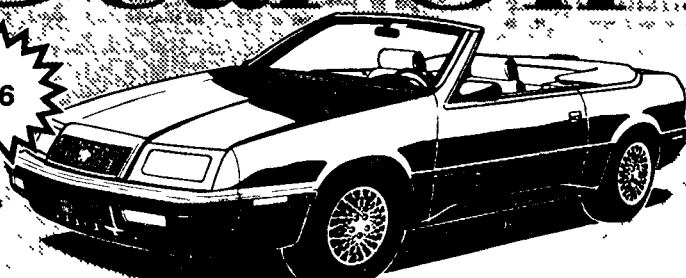
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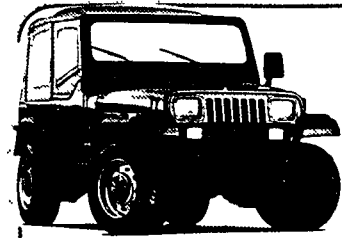
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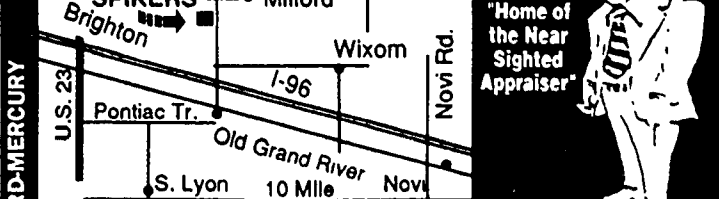
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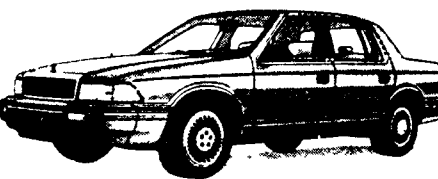
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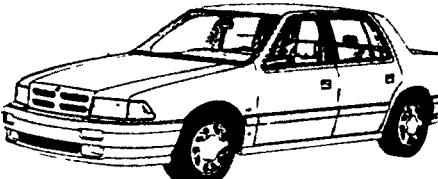
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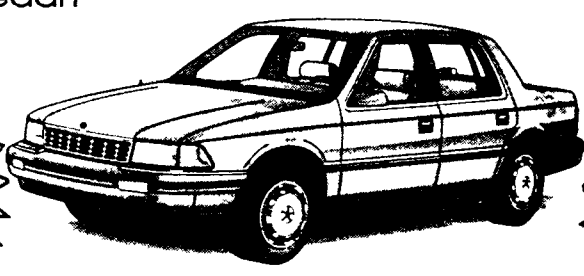
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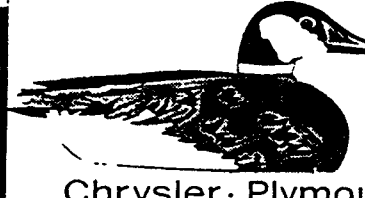
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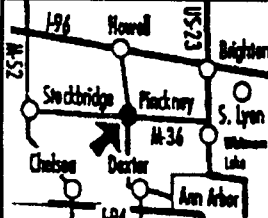
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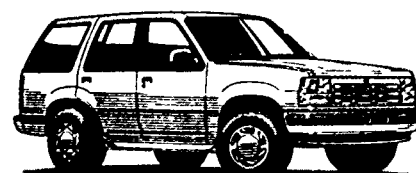
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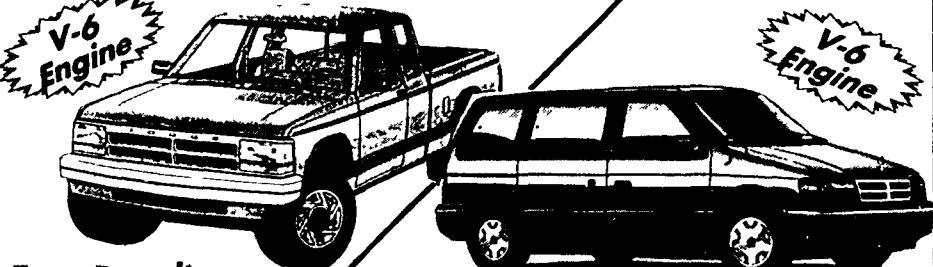
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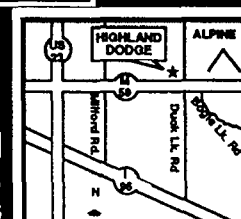
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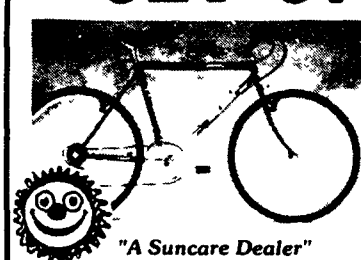


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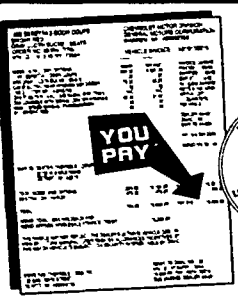
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