## Final chapter written in life of Jack Hoffman

By LEE SNIDER

Jack W. Hoffman, longtime community leader and acclaimed newspaperman, died in Indian River, Mich., Sunday, Oct. 17.

Hoffman suffered from a heart condition, and was stricken with a modest circulation. heart attack in his home. He was 61.

Hoffman's journalism career spanned 37 years, much of it as edi- Hoffman. He attended Flint public tor of The Northulle Record during the 1960s and '70s. He was known as a caring individual and a consummate professional who considered service to community a high responsibility and the duty of every good chronicler of local affairs.

'He wasn't a great idea man, but he performed," said Bill Sliger, former owner of The Record and Hoffman's boss for many years. "He was more than an employee. If he had to walk through a wall for you. he

Hoffman came to the area in 1958. He served briefly as editor of The South Lyon Herald before beginning a long tenure as editor of The Record.

He left his position in the early '60s to take a higher paying job as a public relations man for General Motors. The post didn't suit him, however. and he was soon back in Northville doing the kind of work for which he was uniquely qualified.

He remained at Sliger Home Newspapers - the former name of Home-Town Newspapers — until 1985, when long hours and deadline pressures forced him to adopt a quieter lifestyle. At that time he moved with his wife, Joan, to the northern Michi-

gan resort town of Indian River and schools, graduating from Beecher purchased *The Strausland Resorter*, High in 1950. a small weekly.

Characteristically, he lavished attention on the publication and ele vated the newspaper to a standard of excellence out of proportion to its

Hoffman was born Dec. 13, 1931. in Flint to Jacob and Emma (Dreuth)

He completed an academic program at Flint Junior College in 1952. and served, stateside, with the U.S.

Army, 1952-54. On Jan. 9, 1954, while they were both in the military, he and Joan De Pree were married in Braunfels,

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## Accolades pour in from friends of late newsman

By LEE SNIDER

Community members this week praised the memory of Jack Hoffman, the hard-working, communityspirited journalist who died Sunday at his home in Indian River, a northern Michigan resort near Cheboygan.

Those who knew him best depicted Hoffman as big hearted, energetic. and professionally astute. He was described as an enthusiastic civic booster who thrived on community involvement.

Good friend and sailing buddy John Genitti echoed the sentiments

'Quite simply, he was the best. That's all I can say.

Colleague Tim Richard, a current staff writer for HomeTown Newspap-

ers, said Hoffman was a rare sort, combining sharp reporting instructs with an approachable personality.

"He was a crackerjack newsman and a heliuva nice guy," Richard said. "It's not often that you see that in the same person. He always wrote eloquently. He was very clear in what he was trying to say.

HomeTown Newspapers Executive Editor Phil Jerome said Hoffman was the ultimate community journalist. Jerome tells a story that suggests the extent of Hoffman's interest in local events:

One time we were covering a Novi/Northville football game together. He was covering Novi and I was writing about Northville. We were walking across the field and the

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Jack Hoffman, far right, talks with then-U.S. Representative Carl Pursell (middle) and newspaper publisher Bill Sliger in this photo from the early 1980s. In the bottom left is an inscription from Pursell to Sliger, the owner of the photograph.

## Township budget stalled by hearing

BY SHARON CONDRON

While most township employees already have seen parts of the proposed 1994 budget, Northville Township residents expecting to get a glimpse of the proposed 1994 budget will have to wait until

The budget review committee had planned on making its budget recommendation public at the board of trustees meeting tonight, but members realized at the last minute they needed to post no- drafts a cover letter to introduce the budget.

tice of a public hearing before the budget is presented to the board.

Trustees will approve the date and time of the public hearing tonight, then the committee will be free to present its budget recommendation to the public on Nov. 1. The board will consider approval the budget at a special meeting that same night.

Finance Director Dwayne Harrigan said Tucs day the committee is still working on packaging the budget for publication. He said he'll be compiling the figures while Treasurer Rick Engelland

Engelland said he thought the proposed budget is reflective of the to vis. up a financial picture

"I don't think we are doing anything drastic in this budget," he said. "Now not everybody got what they wanted, but I think it's fair across the board.

Engelland said the review committee has reached a tentative \$4.1 million budget. The proposed spending plan includes \$4,113,750 in revenues and \$4,073,734 in expenses. The difference in revenues over expenses, the surplus, is

## City audit marks financial improvement

By STEVE KELLMAN

Auditors issued Northville City a clean bill of fiscal health Monday. noting that the city is coming out of its deficit elimination plan faster than anticipated.

But auditors from Plante & Moran

zation of the new Finance Officer Nicolette Bateson and greater qualitycontrol measures such as crosschecking of financial analyses between the finance officer and Finance Director Mark Christiansen.

Under the city's original deficit elimination plan, enacted in 1991 after did have some recommendations for the withholding of state racetrack re-

city officials, including greater utili- venue helped create a \$1 million debt, the general fund was expected to run about a \$376,000 deficit.

Instead, the deficit is \$149,476. The difference is due largely to the unanticipated return of state racetrack revenue, which the city weaned itself off after the 1991 withholding threw it deep into debt.

While the city is slated to receive

\$900,000 in such revenue annually. the state has returned about onethird of the allocated amount in the

past two years. The apparent plugging of a mammoth water leak from the city's aging system of water mains should save city coffers, specifically its water and

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## Department heads balk at budget committee's plan to freeze funding

By STEVE KELLMAN

The Friends of Northville Parks & Recreation and Friends of Northville Public Library have nothing against raising funds for their respective beneficiaries.

But they do object to what they consider an increasing reliance by local governments on their private other typically follows suit. contributions to fund public services.

That reliance has never been more evident than in Northville Township this year, they say, where the Budget Review Committee is considering holding shared service contributions at their current levels for the coming fiscal

As shared services expenses and contractual obligations are rising steadily, frozen revenues could lead to drastic cuts in the service provided, according to the shared service directors.

Since the contributions are based on a specific shared service formula, when one governmental unit limits its contribution the

First the matter goes to a special blue-ribbon committee to settle the difference between the funding

Library Director Pat Orr said she may have to lay off a staff member and close the library one more day a week if her budget is frozen, mak-

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Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

## Onslaught

It's was all Mustangs Friday as Northville 40-0. Read all about the lopsided win and crushed opponent Walled Lake Western other local sports starting on page 7-B

## Clerk contests manager's legal policy

By SHARON CONDRON

The Northville Township Clerk and Township Manager disagree that blocking elected officials' use of the township attorney is one means of re-

ducing their high legal bills. Last week, Clerk Sue Hillebrand requested that Manager Bill Richards draft a new attorney-use policy that would limit township emplovees' access to the attorney and

Richards complied with the clerk's request but failed to include language in the policy that blocks board members' access to Township Attorney Leonard Krzyzaniak of Vanderveer Garzia.

Richards' proposed policy will head to the board tonight for discussion, but Hillebrand said she'll vote

against it in its present form "We basically have the same policy

eliminate elected officials' contact in effect now (that he's suggesting). with him altogether. in effect now (that he's suggesting). dures in place now that haven't worked. So I say why bother with this policy, there's no meat in it."

The clerk said she turned the task of writing the new policy over to Richards last week with some very specific suggestions on what to include She said she told Richards then she wanted it written into the policy that

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## Record takes '93 MPA awards

The Northwille Record received nine awards in the Michigan Press Association's 1993 Better Newspaper Contest, the results of which were recently announced.

The contest accepted entries from newspapers across the state, and The Record competed against other weekly publications with comparable circulation rates. The contest period ran from April 1, 1992, to March 31,

The Record, now in its 124th year, took three first-place awards, three second-place honors and one thirdplace certificate. The Record also won

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#### **Community Calendar**

Got an event you want people to know about? We'll be glad to include it in the "Community Calendar." Just submit it to the newspaper office, 104 W. Main St., by mail or in person; or fax items to 359-1050. The deadline is 4 p.m. Monday for that Thursday's calendar or 4 p.m. Thursday for the following Monday's.

TODAY, OCTOBER 21

FARMERS MARKET: The North ville Farmers Market runs from 8 a.m. to 4 p m. at the northwest corner of Center Street and Seven Mile Road. A variety of plants and fresh produce will be available.

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

NEW LIFE BIBLE STUDY: A neighborhood nondenominational Bible study offers two different classes this year, "Discovering New Life" and 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. Babysitting provided. Newcomers welcome any time. For more information

call Sybil at 349-0006 or Pam at

HIGHLAND LAKES PASHION SHOW: The Highland Lakes Women's Club hosts a fall fashion show by Consignment Clothiers at 1 p.m. Friends are welcome.

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.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY BOARD MEETS: The Northville Historical Society Board of Directors meets at 7 30 p.m. at the Cady Inn in Mill Race Historical Village.

GREAT BOOKS DISCUSSION: The Great Books Discussion Group meets from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. at the Livonia Civic Center Library, 32777 Five Mile. Tonight's discussion is on Hebrew poetry from the Biblical book of Job. For information and a reading list call Zo Chisnell at 349-3121.

#### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 22

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

#### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23

CLOTHING DRIVE: First Presbyterian Church of Northville hosts a clothing drive to benefit Detroit homeless persons from 9 a.m. to 3 pm at the church, 200 E. Main St. For more information, call 349-0911.

SEMINAR ON PARENTING ADO-LESCENTS: \*Parenting Skills for the inevitable: Adolescence with Dr. Thomas M. Buescher will be presented at Northville High, 9 a.m. to noon. The seminar is designed to help parents of even young children build skills and plant the seeds for the future parenting of your all-toosoon to-be adolescent. Sponsored by Western Wayne Alliance for Gifted Education. Admission for members

is\$10 and \$15 for non-members. Advance registration requested. Call Cheryl Gassen at 422-0784.

#### SÚNDAY, OCTOBER 24

SINGLE PLACE SUNDAY MORN-ING GATHERING: Single Place will meet from 10-10:45 a.m. in the library lounge at First Presbyterian Church, 200 E. Main St. The gathering is open to single adults, regardless of church affiliation, for fellowship and learning. For more information, call 349-0911.

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

SINGLE PLACE BRUNCH: Single Place will meet at 12:30 p.m. for brunch at MainCentre Grille, 146 S. Center St., Northville. 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

MILL RACE OPEN: Mill Race Historical Village, on Griswold above Main, will be open from 2 to 5 p.m. with trained docents offering tours.

#### MONDAY, OCTOBER 25

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

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

BPW: Northville Business and Professional Women's Club will meet for social hour and networking at 6 p.m. followed by dinner at 6:30 p.m. at Genitti's restaurant. The program for the evening is to be announced For more information and reservations call Norma Knapp at 348-6834

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

MOTOR CITY SPEAK EASY TOASTMASTERS: The Motor City Speak Easy Toastmasters Club of Northville meets from 7 to 9 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church of Northville, 777 W. Eight Mile. For more information call Barbara Wold at 464-4199. Visitors welcome.

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#### **News Briefs**

CORRECTION: A photograph of soap opera star Eileen Fulton that appeared in last week's edition should have been credited to Barb Orto.

GRIEF COUNSELING: The Ross B. Northrup Funeral Home is holding a series of classes on grieving and recovery. The classes are planned for 7-8 p.m. Oct. 25, Nov. 1 and Nov. 8. For information, call

PTA CALENDARS ON SALE: The PTA/PTSA Coordinating Council's calendar is now available in school offices for \$3.

FLU SHOTS: A number of sites throughout western Wayne County are offering flu shots for a nominal charge. For information on nearby flu shot sites, call The Information Center at 422-1052.

MILL POND MEETING: The Friends of Mill Pond will meet at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 21, at 536 Rouge St. The group is trying to spur action to preserve Mill Pond.

MAKE-A-WISH: The Northville Clark service station is participating in a benefit for the Make-A-Wish Foundation, the organization that fulfills the wishes of terminally ill children ages 3-17.

Stop by the station during October and purchase wishbones for \$1. Proceeds will go to the foundation.

## Judge sentences former Northville latchkey aide to five years probation

By SHARON CONDRON Staff Writer

Months after a former Northville Township resident was charged with six counts of sexual misconduct but found guilty of only two attempt charges, a Wayne County Circuit Court Judge has sentenced the man to five years probation.

On March 10. Northville Township Police arrested David Thomas Broad and charged him with six counts of criminal sexual conduct, four in the first degree, two in the second degree.

Police picked up the 25-year-old after the mothers of the two 8-yearold girls he allegedly abused filed

Court Judge Claudia Morcom found Broad guilty of two counts of attempted criminal sexual conduct in the second degree. Last week, Circuit Court Judge Leonard Townsend sentenced the man to five years' probation.

Township Police Officer Fred Yankee was the arresting officer who has followed Broad through the system.

"I think he should have gotten some time," a disappointed Yankee said Tuesday. 'I believe that we proved there was enough evidence to prove penetration."

Broad's arrest and arraignment spurred a public outcry in March af-

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> Even though police said the alleged abuse took place after Broad was fired from the schools in May 1992, residents and parents with children enrolled in the child care program were outraged.

> According to the police report, the abuse happened sometime between June 1992 and March 10, 1993, in the Queen Anne Court home where Broad was living at the time with his girlfriend and her daughter. After the allegations surfaced the man moved

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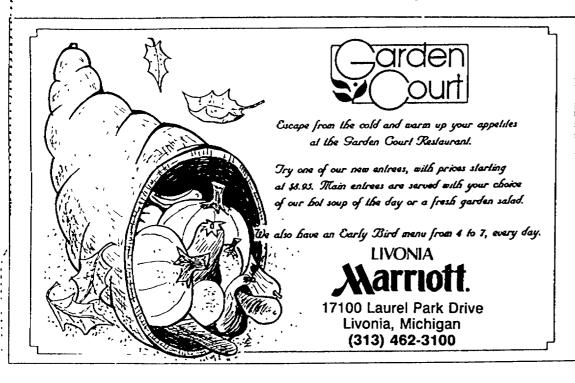
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## VFW telephone scam artists broaden horizons

By STEVE KELLMAN Staff Winter

A scam in which callers claim to represent the Northville VFW post appears to stretch beyond Northville.

In the scam, described in Monday's Record, male and female callers ask for \$25 donations for a Thanksgiving dinner for the needy at Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 4012. Would-be donors are asked to leave

\$25 checks made out to "VFW" in past department president of the their mailboxes or taped to their post's ladies auxiliary who now lives doors to be picked up in the afternoon or evening.

Trouble is, Northville's VFW post is not planning any Thanksgiving dinner for the needy.

VFW Post 4012 members discussed the deception at their regular meeting Tuesday night and learned that Northville residents are not alone in receiving the requests. A

in Garden City received a call Monday afternoon, said Post Adjutant Clayton Myers. She also reported that a neighbor a few doors down

from her received a similar call. When the woman told the ersatz fund-raiser that she had to check with her husband, she was given a Farmington number and told to call back and ask for Bill Bailey. When

Myers called the number back, he was told that Bill Bailey wasn't home and that he had the wrong number.

Awoman at the Farmington phone number told a Record reporter Wednesday that there was no Bill Bailey at the address and that she had nothing to do with the VFW fundraiser.

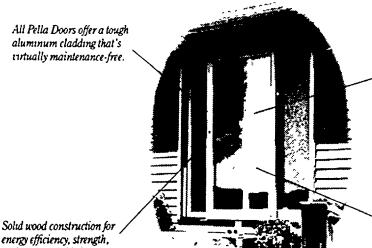
The city police department received at least three calls about the callers last Thursday, and Thursday asternoon police received a complaint of a man going door-to-door soliciting funds. One caller, who identified herself as Barbara, asked would-be donors to leave the checks out to be picked up Thursday evening.

The VFW post itself received five calls within an hour-and-a-half last

Thursday from people wondering whether the calls were legitimate. Myers said.

One VFW member who has been with the post since 1947 received a call last week, and told the caller he attended every meeting and had heard nothing about the fundralser. The caller hung up.

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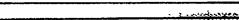
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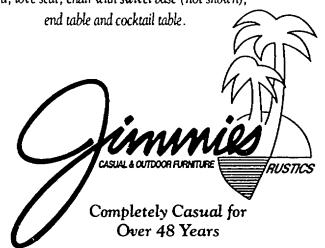


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## Community mourns the loss of leader, civic-minded journalist

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Texas. Joan would become a lifelong confidante and advisor, helping with research and publishing tasks.

Following discharge, Hoffman resumed his college career, earning a bachelor of arts degree and a certificate of fournalism from the University of Michigan in 1956.

His first job was as a police and business reporter with the Saginaw

In 1958, Sliger hired Hoffman, prompting a career move that proved decisive. Hoffman came to Northville and threw himself into activities in which he had a consuming interest: newspapering and community

Hoffman worked slavishly, devoting unending hours to his profession and to numerous civic causes.

Over the years, he helped organize the Northville Jaycees and served as a director of the Northville Chamber in 1980.

of Commerce. He was charter secretary of the Northville Building Authority, president and charter member of the Northville Historical Society, and charter secretary of the Northville Historic District Commission. In addition, he was a dedicated Ki-

warus Club member and took special interest in the organization's handicapper programs He also taught journalism at

Schoolcraft Community College and, in 1976, wrote a local history: Northtule - The First 100 Years. The book, a labor of love for Hoff-

man, is now in its third printing All proceeds are earmarked for the Histoncal Society. Eventually, he was made vice

president/general manager of Sliger Home Newspapers, and went to work in the company's central office in Howell. Jean Day Couse succeeded him as editor of The Northville Record

Hollman's extensive community involvement and incisive commentaries brought him wide local recognition and respect. He was steeped in local issues and enjoyed first-name friendships with most community activists. In spite of his busy schedule, Hoff-

man found time for hobbies. He was a competent furniture maker, duck decoy carver, fisherman and bow hunter. History was always a favorite pastime, and one of his projects was an

ongoing but ultimately unsuccessful search for the gravesite of Samuel H. Little, who founded The Northville Record in 1869. Hoffman suffered two heart at-

tacks before being fatally stricken. The first occurred more than 10 years ago, and the second took place earlier this year. Reportedly, doctors considered a heart transplant, but age ruled out that option.

 Other civic affiliations included: Past president Northville and South Lyon Kiwanis Clubs: Kiwanian for 30 years, perfect attendance for 17 years; Lt. Gov. of Kiwanis District 22: member American Historical Society of Germans from Russia, Detroit Chapter, secretary Northern Michigan Walleye Association: member and past president Indian River Kiwanis Club; and secretary Indian River Chamber of Commerce. Professional affiliations:

Member and past director Michigan Press Association; member National Newspaper Association; past member Suburban Newspaper Association; past president Wayne State University Press Club; and member University of Michigan Press Club. • Awards:

U.S. Jaycees Distinguished Service Award, 1970; National Journalist of the Year, 1977; Michigan State Senate resolution commendation, 1978; Michigan House of Representatives commendation, 1978; County of Wayne resolution commendation, 1978; Northville Citizen of the Year, 1981; Michigan House/ Senate joint resolution commendation, 1982; Northville Kiwanis Distinguished Service Award, 1985; Joseph B. Reams Kiwanis Distinguished Service Award (Indian River), 1989; Distinguished Kiwanis Lt. Gov. 1991-92.

In addition to his wife, survivors include six children: Deborah of Plymouth; Mary (Mrs. Douglas) Meadows of Marietta, Ga.; James (Thressa) of Linden: Joel of Shelby: Jennifer of Indian River and Isle Royale; and Rebecca of Marietta; seven grandchildren; a brother, Richard (Ellen) of Eastport; a sister. Janet (Charles) MacDonald of Omena; and several nieces and nephews.

A sister, Shirley (Gilbert) DeJonge, died only one day before Hoffman, on

The body was cremated and a memorial service was held yesterday at the United Methodist Church of Indian River. The Rev. Father Mike Herman officiated.

Donations in his memory may be made to the Northville Kiwanis Club or the Northville Historical Society.

## Friends pay tribute to editor's memory

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band was playing and the kids were cheering, and he turned to me and said: 'Phil, can you imagine anywhere you'd rather be?

'He meant it. He couldn't imagine anything he'd rather be doing on a Friday night. He liked nothing better than writing stories and making community newspapers. It gave meaning to his life."

Doug Drapal, who succeeded Hoffman as editor of the Straitsland Resorter early this year, said Hoffman had great descriptive abilities. "He could look at a fencepost out

it - what kind of wood it was made of, how long it had been around. He • He liked writing and meeting described scenes in beautiful language." An unusual turn of events

front then write a whole page about

brought Drapal to work for Hoffman. A former reporter for The Detroit News, Drapal lived in Northville

and owned a cottage in Indian River, the town The Straitsland Resorter covers. He received issues of the Resorter through the mail and read ab-

out Hoffman's heart attack last winter. Always wanting to move north, he called Hoffman and offered to relieve him of some of the work load. Slowed by his condition, Hoff-

man agreed and hired Drapal, first on a part-time basis, later full-

make the adjustment from major metro daily to small town publication.

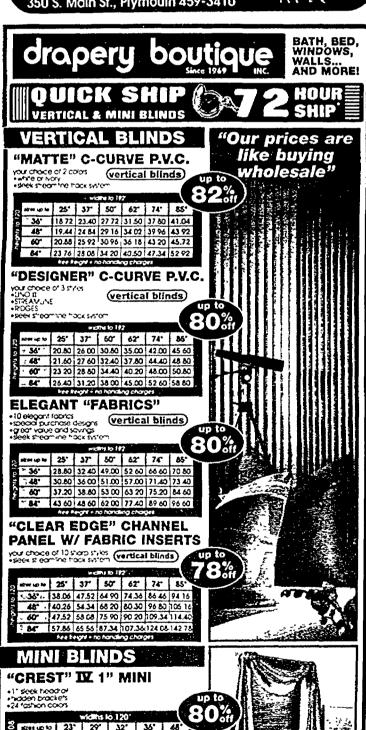
I looked at news one way and he looked at it the right way for a newspaper in this community."

Drapal characterized Hoffman's style as dated but charming. He said he considered Holiman a mentor, someone who showed him a new slant on reporting.

Here are short reminiscences from other community leaders:

- "He was very civic-minded, a great, great guy. He always wanted to do things in the community. His will be a lasting memory." — EdJamieson, friend and owner of Northville Travel Plans.
- people. He was a great feature writer. Personally, he was a good friend and a very kind person. Very loyal." - Jean Day Couse, former editor Northville Record.
- "He was a great guy. He worked very heavily with the handicapped kids here, it was one of his pet prolects. He was a well known man in this town." — Mitch Deeb, fellow Kiwanian.
- "He made such a major contribution. Everybody liked him and respected him. He was just a firstclass guy." - Dick Ambler, former city council and planning commission member.
- "He was a very giving person. All his talents went to somebody else." Fran Gazlay, fellow Northville Drapal said it took him a while to Historical Society board member.







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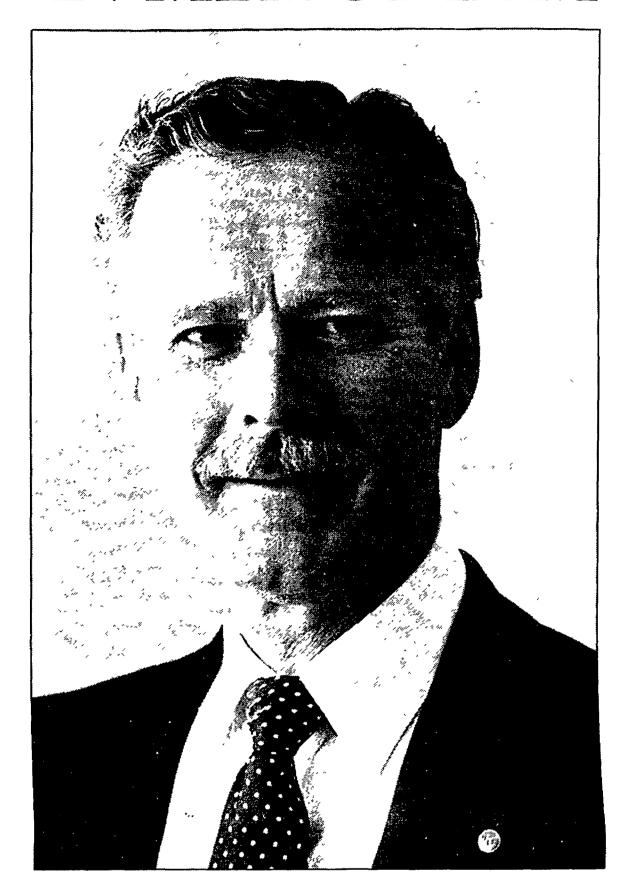
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Tim Richard Staff Writer HomeTown Newspapers

'He was very civicminded, a great, great guy. He always wanted to do things in the community. His will be a lasting memory.'

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'He liked writing and meeting people. He was a great feature writer. Personally, he was a good friend and a very kind person. Very loyal.'

Jean Day Former Editor The Northville Record

'Quite simply, he was the best. That's all I can say. He will be sorely missed.'

> John Genitti Owner Genitti's Restaurant

'He was a great guy. He worked very heavily with the handicapped kids here; it was one of his pet projects. He was a well-known man in this town.'

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Doug Drapal, Current Editor Straitsland Resorter

'He made such a major contribution here. Everybody liked him and respected him. He was just a first-class guy.'

> Dick Ambler former Northville City and Township official

'Jack absolutely loved being the editor of a community newspaper. He couldn't imagine anything better than writing stories and making newspapers. It's what he absolutely loved to do.'

> Phil Jerome Exec. Editor HomeTown Newspapers

'He was just a fabulous guy; a very giving person. All his talents went to somebody else.'

> Francis Gazley colleague Northville Historical Society

'He was more than an employee. If he had to walk through a wall for you, he'd do it.'

Bill Sliger, former owner/publisher Sliger Livingston Newspapers

'... and he was the best fishing partner in the world.'

Mike Preville Ad Director HomeTown Newspapers

#### **Police News**

## Cash, jewelry taken from township apartments

Township police are looking for the person or persons who pryed through the front doors of two Harbour Village apartments.

On Oct. 13, someone broke into one home and stole \$1,155 in cash and valuables, and caused \$100 in damage. The next day, thieves broke through the front door of another residence and stole \$5,295 in jewelry and other items.

At the first home, a woman reported that someone broke through \$40 in coins, a \$300 brown leather stores men's coat and \$800 in savings bonds.

the theft of her \$5,000 diamond engagement ring, \$190 worth of tickets for a local production of Les Miserables, a \$30 swatch and \$75 ring.

68-year-old Northville woman was taken to St. Mary's Hospital on Wednesday, Oct. 13, after the car she was driving ran a red light at Six Mile and Sheldon Road and collided with a car driven by a woman from Westland. The woman, the Westland driver and the hospital and treated for minor

FRAUDLENT SCHEME: Township police arrested a 36-year-old Detroit man who claimed he found metal shavings in candy he purchased from Big Lots on Oct. 13. The man tried to get a refund from the store clerk for the six bags of candy he said he purchased there earlier. The clerk complied and then ran up the refund of \$16.14 in order to get a positive ID from the suspect. After police learned the man's identity, they realized the same man had made sithe front door and stole \$15 in cash. milar claims at two other Big Lots

Police also learned that the man had claimed he found things in his The next day, a resident reported food at the Five Mile McDonald's, Top of the Cone in Northville, Mini Macs in Redford, Fresh Approach in Farmington and Kmart in Farmington.

CHILD ABUSE: Township police PORCED ENTRANCES: A are investigating a 15-year-old girl's complaint that her 59-year-old step father has sexually abused her.

The victim allegedly alerted school and social workers to the problem after she passed a note to a fellow student during class. The other student turned the note which described the her male passenger were all taken to alleged abuse over to the teacher. According to the police report, the note said the man had allegedly french kissed the girl and repeatedly

touched her genitals and buttocks. It also said the man had used his finger to penetrate her.

The victim refused to confirm the contents of the note with her teacher. The police report indicates that the teacher fears the girl is physically scared and worries her mother would get angry if the allegations surfaced. The incident remains under investigation with township police, private school officials and social workers from the Department of Social Services Child Protective Services

HARASSING CALLS: A Northville resident reported receiving hang-up phone calls shortly after he moved into the city Oct. 8. The man had received at least 100 similar calls while he lived in Southfield, and at his job in Plymouth. While the caller has never spoken to the man, co-workers in Plymouth have reported that a male voice had asked for the complainant when they answered the phone there.

CAR THEFTS: City police received two reports of items stolen from cars this past week. Sometime between 6 p.m. Oct. 16 and 1:15 a.m. the next morning, someone stole 10 cassette tapes and a white duffel bag containing karate gear from a car parked on Carrington. The karate gear included a pair of black hand pads and foot pads and a black cloth belt. The car was unlocked at the time.

An estimated \$550 in items was stolen from a car parked on South Ely between 12:30-9 a.m. Oct. 17. The items included a gray men's winter coat by London Fog and a pair of green Bausch & Lomb 10-by-50 power binoculars.

Drunk woman takes off on POLICE: City police were called to Fairbrook Apartments the night of Oct. 17 on reports of an intoxicated woman. When they got there they found a resident who was removing her clothes and running through a neighbor's apartment after having thrown a phone through an apartment window. When a police officer tried to take the woman into custody. she became combative and ran from

him. He fell on top of her while trying to restrain her but neither was reportedly injured.

Once the woman was subdued, an ambulance crew took her to St. Mary Hospital's detoxification ward.

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

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#### Mill Race Matters

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Special thanks this week go to Howard Walker of Plymouth for some old photographs of the Fish Hatchery now Hatchery Park on West Seven Mile Road. Thank you as well to the Michigan Chapter of the Victorian Society of America for their cash donation.

The Great Lakes Lace Group invites all interested parties to attend 'For the Love of Lace' from 11 a.m. until 4 p.m. Visitors will see handmade lace on exhibit as well as lacemakers demonstrating their

The Northville Historical Society and Mill Race are slowing down for the winter, but many activities are yet to occur. Elementary school groups are still visiting almost daily and will continue to do so until mid-November. Plans are under way to participate in the citywide Christmas Walk. Members are planning a wine tasting function in late December. A new Quarterly is now in the works and will be out in about

The board meets at least monthly to keep the organization functioning and planners for spring and summer activities are already at work.

The Stone Gang continues maintenance operations on Tuesday and Thursday morning and the Archives committee continues its endeavors each Friday morning. Researchers are encouraged to call ahead for appointments as research space is extremely limited. Members as well as volunteers are always needed. If you'd like more informationn call 348-1845.

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## Classes to strengthen parent skills

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The workshop will conclude by exploring ways of coping with change and staying out of psychological games associated with divorce.

Children will be loaned a copy of "Boys and Girls Book of Divorce" which parents will find useful in discussing several concepts.

The workshop will be facilitated by Steve Anderson, principal of Amerman Elementary. He has served as a counselor for public schools. Catholic Social Services and the Arizona Councilation Court.

The workshop is scheduled from 7:30 to 9 p.m. Wednesday evenings through Nov. 10 at First Presbyterian Church, 200 E. Main St., Northville. The cost is \$15. Scholarships are available. Call the Rev. Jim Russell at 349-0911 for further information or registration.

 Parent Seminars. These seminars will focus on different subject areas.

Northville elementary schools are Parents will learn about the latest research and theory in teaching these subjects. Examples of lessons will be presented and various ways parents can help their children will be

discussed. Parents will receive handouts of several fun things to do together to become a partner in their child's

This series of seminars will be presented by Amerman learning consultant Jan Tiplady (last year's WDIV Teacher of the Year runner-up) and principal Steve Anderson as well as several volunteer faculty members from Northville elementary schools.

A language-arts/writing seminar is scheduled for Nov. 15 and language arts/reading is set for Jan. 12. 1994. All seminars will take place from 7 to 9 p.m. in the media center at Amerman Elementary. There is no cost to attend. Call 344-8405 for registration.

• Parenting Class, STEP. The Systematic Training for Effective Parenting (S.T.E.P.) class will learn ways of diagnosing, treating and reorienting child behavior. Parents will apply

these techniques with video, audio and actual case histories and experimenting at home

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The class will be led by Steve Anderson, Amerman principal, on 10 Monday evenings, 7 to 9 p.m., beginning Jan. 10, 1994, at Amerman Elementary. There is no cost to attend. To register, call 344-8405.



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## Trustees tighten reigns on company vehicle use

By SHARON CONDRON

Northville Township Trustees are hoping a vehicle use policy will help administrators keep a tighter leash on who is using township owned cars and for what purpose.

The township vehicle policy was drafted by Clerk Sue Hillebrand last week at the request of the other trus tees who expressed concerns about vehicle use and abuse by township personnel

The policy will go before the full board tonight for consideration, discussion and possible adoption.

If the proposed plan is approved tonight as presented, Township Supervisor Karen Baja will lose the 1991 Ford Taurus she's been using

to commute around town.

The proposed policy specifically states that elected officials will no longer be allowed to use a townshipowned car for any reason

While the clerk agrees the supervisor should be allowed to drive the car on business-related trips only, she concurs with the majority of the board that wants to see the Taurus parked in the township lot at night and on weekends.

"I think the initial point of the polcy was to have the supervisor's car left at township hall in the evening and picked up in the morning." the clerk said about trustees' reasons for wanting to see the policy in place.

"I don't have a problem with the supervisor using the car as long as its use and destination are logged and

documented," Hillebrand said. "But after they began questioning who that wasn't the concensus of the majority of the board who doesn't want to see elected officials using township-owned cars at all."

Hillebrand said the policy was initiated by board members. Since it came up weeks ago, the clerk said she has talked with all five of the trustees before drafting the policy. She has also asked for the supervisor's

"it came from just about everybody," the clerk said. "Everybody on the board had some comment and some concern. There were some who were getting real irritated that township cars were being taken home at night.

The clerk said trustees originally brought the matter to her attention

drove township cars and why. As talk of the policy unfolded several trustees expressed concern over the supervisor's use of her car after

Just two weeks ago, Baja spent five days in Anaheim. Calif. at a seminar. During the five-day stay out west, her township-owned car remained parked in her driveway.

There have been some concerns expressed about the supervisor's car and why it's available to her around the clock," the clerk said. "They (trustees) wanted to know why it was at her home and not here.

The clerk said trustees want to see township cars left at township hall when they aren't in use, and that is why they are seeking to park Baja's

Taurus at the office. Baja didn't return phone calls to the Record Tuesday before press time

to comment on the new policy. Hillebrand said at least seven other employees and department heads drive township owned cars regularly. Several other pool cars are also available for business use by

building inspectors and other staffers. Baja is the only elected official who

drives a township car, the clerk said.

That could change tonight if the board adopts Hillebrand's draft which also calls for an annual inventory of all township-owned vehicles including police and fire vehicles.

Since neither Township Manager Bill Richards, Finance Director Dwayne Harrigan nor Hillebrand

could say exactly how many vehicles the township owns and what kind of condition they are in, a complete inventory of the fleet seems like a feasi-ble undertaking.

We need to have a complete inventory so we know how many cars we have.\* Richards said.

The inventory will include recording the year and make of the car, the license plate, registration and insurance information. Mileage and maintenance of each of the vehicles will need to be recorded too. And all township vehicles will be marked and identified.

Any request by an employee to use a township-owned car will will have to be approved by the supervisor and the manager and then entered into a vehicle request log.

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## Treasurer defends budget figures

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\$40,016.

The lion's share of the revenue - \$2,075.816 will be generated from property taxes. Another \$911,854 will come from state sources.

The township's building department is expected to generate \$464,500 in revenues next year, while another \$498,665 will come into the revenue account from fees, interest and similar

New license fees and ordinance and law enforcement fines are expected to raise an additional \$171,915.

Engelland said the budget reflects the \$233,000 in additional millage revenues the board voted for under the truth-in-taxation program in August. Even though the budget shows a narrow \$40,016 in excess revenues, the treasurer said the additional millage has helped in other

"With this budget we were able to put a little more in the budget for capital outlay this year than in years past," he said. "The \$233,000 from truthin-taxation has certainly had a lot of impact. Without it, we would have seen some cuts."

On the expense side, the \$4,073,734 in total expenses reflects a slight increase in capital outlay for the new year and a zero percent increase for all four shared-service departments.

Engelland stood steadfastly on the budget review committee's decision not to allocate anything more this year for shared services than was appropriated last year.

Despite an hour-long plea from two of the four shared service department heads at last Thurs-

day's budget review committee meeting, the township's contribution to Northville Parks and Recreation, Northville Public Library, Northville Senior Citizens and Northville Youth Assistance will remain frozen at last year's levels.

According to the proposed budget, total shared services expenditures in 1994 will remain at the \$335.853 allocated for those services last year.

When the \$335,853 figure is itemized, it breaks down to \$189,036 spent last year on library services; \$111,534 on recreation; \$17,640 on senior citizens; and \$17,643 used to jointly fund Northville Youth Assistance.

The shared services freeze in the township means that Parks and Recreation Director Traci Johnson won't be getting any part of the \$6,905 or 6.7-percent increase she sought for her department this year.

Nor will Library Director Pat Orr see a dime of

the \$18,904 or 10-percent increase she requested. Similarly, Northville Senior Citizens will have to make due without the \$3,421 or 19.3-percent increase Karl Peters wanted and Northville Youth Assistance has to do without the \$6,447 or 36.5-percent increase department head Mary Ellen King requested.

If you look at the revenues, excluding the building department, the entire revenue is up only 2.5 to 3 percent from 1993 to 1994, Engelland said about the decision to freeze the allocation to shared services.

"So when you see that you cannot go around and give departments huge increases. There is just not enough money in the budget for that."

Engelland said since the city of Northville, which jointly funds the four shared service departments, had already granted increases to some of the shared services that the township has frozen, he believes it's best to send the matter to a commission for resolution.

I think we would like to have a blue-ribbon commission determine the appropriate funds for each of the four shared services," he said.

The treasurer was quick to deflect criticism that the budget review committee was making huge cuts in department budgets.

We really aren't making any cuts," he said. "We are just trying to stem off any additional growth in

Engelland said if the board of trustees adopts the budget on November, it may have to be adjusted at least once after that depending on the tax reform actions of the state Legislature.

The treasurer said the committee anticipates about \$911,854 in state revenues. Roughly \$750,000 of that figure, Engelland says, is sales tax revenue that is guaranteed under the constitution. The rest, or \$161,854, is at risk of being gobbled

up by lawmakers and their tax reform proposals. If that happens. Engelland said the township is covered but sometime in the future township officials will have to look at finding other revenue sources and could be forced to increase the millage. The risk I see in the state resources is

\$162,000 out of that budget," he said. "If we lose that portion of the (state's) plan we would have to make some adjustments in the budget and that could mean a request for more millage."

Copies of the proposed budget will be available in the clerk's office after Oct. 25. Monday through Friday from 8 a m. to 4:30 p.m.

#### **Obituaries**

#### ROSEMARY A. HESLIP

Rosemary A. Heslip died Oct. 15 at the home of her son. Thomas. following a lengthy illness. She was

Mrs. Heslip was born Oct. 7. 1906, in River Rouge to Francis and Clara (Denno) Higgins. On Nov. 7, 1925, she married Arthur J. Heslip in River Rouge. They moved to Northville in 1942 and lived there for many years. Mr. Heslip preceded her in death on June 25, 1968.

Mrs. Heslip was a member of St. Patrick Catholic Church in Brighton, and was a former member of Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church of Northville.

Surviving are eight sons: James. John, Thomas, Robert, William, Patrick, Richard and Michael; one daughter. Mary Hoscielniak; 56 grandchildren: 39 great grandchildren; one brother, Vincent; and two sisters, Rita and Mary Louise. Several nieces, nephews, and cousins also survive.

A funeral mass was celebrated Monday, Oct. 18, from St. Patrick Catholic Church with the Rev. Fr. Thomas W. Thompson as cele-

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Betty J. Sutton died Oct. 12 at her Northville residence. She was

Mrs. Sutton was born March 12, 1926, in Northville to Ross and

Myrtle (Taylor) Kenner. Mrs. Sutton was a retired bus driver for Novi Public Schools and

had lived in this area all her life. She is survived by her daughters Karen (Rollie) Cattano of North Carolina, Roxanne (Randy) Johnson of Hartland, and Kim (Leif) Romberg of Virginia; son Mike (Jeanne) Sutton of Milford; and seven grandchildren. She was pre-

brother and one sister. The funeral was Oct. 14 at the Casterline Funeral Home, Northville. The Rev. Deborah Kerr, Belleville United Presbyterian Church in Belleville, presided.

ceded in death by her parents, one

Burial was at Rural Hill Cemetery. Northville.

The family would appreciate memorials to Hospice of Southeastern Michigan.

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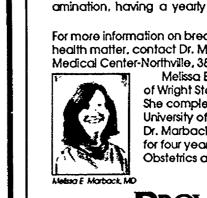
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## True-crime author tells tales to library friends

By STEVE KELLMAN

Chatting with murderers and psy- was how open even the worst crimichopaths may not be everybody's

Cauffiel described his line of work media accounts of murder and mayin detail earlier this month at the hem can often feel slighted by the 10th annual Friends of Northville previous coverage of their crimes in Public Library dinner at Genitti's headlines and news briefs, and look Hole-in-the-Wall Restaurant. And if forward to telling the whole story, he what the sellout crowd of 80 wanted said. was a taste of the macabre, they got

psyches of the people capable of committing such acts. His first work, Masquerade: A True Story of Seduction, Compulsion and Murder, focused on the double life and grisly

account of two Grand Rapids nursing ments in the process. aides who suffocated five of their elthe word "murder" with the patients'

Cauffiel noted Monday that his literary tastes have often run to the grotesque, starting with the first search the stories very, very carebook he checked out of the bookmobile that stopped by his hometown of Torture, he said.

lice investigations and authored a value."

Cauffiel, an animated speaker with an appropriately twisted sense of humor, told Monday's audience that his brand of writing often lands him on murderers' Christmas card lists and makes for strange pen-pals. He read excerpts of several polite letters from one convicted killer serving a life term without parole. The killer hoped all was well with Cauffiel and noted that his own situation was

unlikely to change soon.
One thing that amazed Cauffiel when he was researching his books

chopaths may not be crowded to true-crime author Lowell Cauffiel it's all in a some trust, people want to tell you their stories, he said. The subjects of their stories, and may a formular and may

Caufflel admitted that the market for the so-called true-crime story has The nationally published author has built a career around in-depth duick ripoffs that are rushed into explorations of brutal crimes and the print or onto television screens within weeks or months of the story. "It seems like America can't get

enough of it," he said. His own works, on the other hand, can take more than a year to research death of Detroit psychologist Alan after a suspect has been convicted. Canty. It became a national best- Cauffiel notes he can spend between seller and is now being developed into six and nine months simply rea made-for-television movie by ABC. searching a story, recording hun-He followed that success with dreds of hours of interviews and com-Forever and Five Days, the chilling piling thousands of pages of docu-

The research also includes interderly patients while trying to spell out viewing forensic psychologists who examined the suspects and conducting his own psychological tests using standardized forms.

"With murderers involved, I refully," he said.

Caufflel compared his true-life Temperance, Mich. The book was tales to morality plays in which, titled A Complete World History of though a dreadful crime is committed, the criminal is eventually Working 15 years for The Detroit brought to justice. After luring read-News and Detroit Monthly magazine ers in with the gruesomeness of the honed his investigative skills and crime or the bizarreness of its perpetgave him an extended glimpse into rators, he said, "I try to tell you a story the criminal mind, as he covered po- that actually has some redeeming

string of cover stories for the news-paper's Michigan Magazine and De Cauffiel argued that they set things in perspective for those of us who choose not to act on our darker impulses. They really explore the darkest recesses of the human spirit," he said. They let us know where we are

> The stories also give Caussel a out the Me Decade. It's about an '80s the elderly. couple that have all the right things,"



True-crime author Lowell Cauffiel talks with Joan Wadsworth at the Friends of Northville Public Library function.

tients' fears were ignored by the un- come as desensitized as anyone excuse for nearly everything. chance to touch on greater themes. suspecting staff, also works as a cauthrough his work but has no desire to Masquerade, for example, "is ab- tionary tale about the warehousing of kill.

Instead, he attributes the brutal Cauffiel, with two works sche- crimes and serial killings that are at shalt not kill that's one thing we can duled for television, puts little faith in the heart of his works to a culture all still stand behind."

Forever and Five Days, with its de-theories that televised violence be-that allows situational ethics and repiction of a nursing home where pagets real violence, noting that he's be- lative morality, and gives people an jects in his stories remains unanswered in Cauffiel's mind.

> ound just about every one of the 10 "I still haven't decided," he said. "Is commandments," he said. " Thou it a psychological aberration or is it



Members of the Northville High School choir and band put in long hours practicing their performing arts.



## Musical departments at high school are like one big family

BY MICHELLE HARRISON

There are really no solos when it comes to performing music at Northville High School.

Actually there's more of a 'family musical lines down on paper. feeling built on respect and nurtur-

"It's a place where a kid, regardless of academic ability, can still work temporary pop style and traditional together (with others) . . . they're all men's glee club writing. working toward the same goal, Pryce 3. Girls' ensemble — Membership When the football season ends, the

look out for each other at the high Festival and have received superior for the upcoming concert season. school, agreed Magge Schodowski, ratings at the district and state level Band-O-Rama kicks off the concert who heads publicity for the Music Choral festivals for several years. Boosters. They could be called like a family, yes."

choral festivals for several years. In November these singers will the instrumental department at the host a festival at Northville High high school.

family feeling, Pryce added.

Both the choir and band have also 4. Concert choir — Made up of 53 sponsored by the Northville Arts hit high notes in recruiting members. members, mostly juniors and se- Council. For the third year in a row, The instrumental music department, niors. A regular high school class, the the jazz band was also invited to play led by Mike Rumbell, has exper- choir rehearses daily. It has consis- at the prestigious Montreux-Detroit ienced a 50 percent increase over the tently received superior ratings at Jazz Festival. past four years. The choral depart- both the district and state level choir Figures from the 1992-93 school ment is composed of over 150 stu- festivals. The choir sings in many year indicate music plays a big part dents from the ninth through the languages, from Latin and Hebrew to in the lives of band members. Over 65

good the kids are interested in play- The concert choir made two re- years. Over 55 percent play more ald. "The same goes with Mary Kay sections from Mozart's "Requiem." Over 40 percent of the band memto the high school they know the onto. They hope to perform the angroup outside of the school. program is so excellent they want to them for the Chicago Cubs during

Both musical departments have tive in all of the festivals sponsored by the Michigan School Vocal Music Association, the choral department cert choir. They rehearse twice a high school participates in the state Honors week after school. The prog Choir, choral festival and solo and ensemble festivals.

The symphonic band also participates in festivals sponsored by the Michigan Band and Orchestra Association. It has consistently earned the highest marks at both district and state competitions. Close to half of the students participate in solo bleMakers — Specialty type groups and ensemble festivals each year.

tion, vowel placement and blend). The students learn to sight-read of musical performers. The marching

2. Male chorus — Meets once a shows at all home football games, ing," according to Mary Kay Pryce, di- week after school and is open to all te- and appears in the homecoming, Vicrector of Northville High School's nor and bass singers. It offers oppor- torian, Santa, Fourth of July and Metunities to sing in a variety of styles morial Day parades. including barbershop harmony, con-

The pressure situations which oc- School for other girls' choirs around cur before competitions, as well as the state. The guest clinician for the too. Members performed at the the long bus rides, also lend to that event will be the choral director from bandshell in Northville in September

Central Michigan University.

an instrument, Schodowski cordings, a Christmas album and than one instrument.

For the last two years the North- Another jazz band was added to the the invitation to peform at the Michi-teacher. gan Youth Arts Festival at Western

which perform a wide range of musi- "I like it because it's so alive," she

gers and designed to teach the basic six. Both of these groups perform principles of good singing (tone production, breathing techniques, diction, breathing techniques, dictions and for the student body.

The band also has several groups choral music as well as how to write band is 114 members strong and per-

> The marching band begins rehearsals in mid-August and practices

four hours a day weekdays. is up to 50. The girls recently per- marching band becomes the sym-Those band kids and choir kids formed at the Northville Victorian phonic band, beginning rehearsals

> The Jazz Ensemble has been busy, as part of a musical concert series

Slovak and Zulu. In March, the stu- percent started playing their instru-With Mr. Rumbell being the band dents will perform six pieces with the director, the jazz band has gotten so Detroit Symphony Orchestra. ments at age 10 while 46 percent have taken private lessons for four

Pryce. It all goes with the excellent They have also sung the national an- bers participate in sports; 70 percent eaching...the kids hear about it in them for the Detroit Tigers at both Ti- are active in other activities; and 30 the eighth grade and when they come ger Stadium and SkyDome in Tor- percent are playing in a musical Band members are just as smart

the May 1994 spring tour to Chicago. as they are talented. The average 5. Northville Singers — A madrigal grade point is 3.45 and 99 percent of also made names for themselves. Ac- ensemble of 16 select singers. Most them plan to attend college after pieces are sung a cappella. Each per- school. Over 60 percent plan to conformer is also a member of the con-tinue playing in a musical group after The program continues to grow.

> ville Singers have been selected as program. While one band is led by one of the top singing groups in the Rumbell, the other is directed by Joe state. This honor has earned them Syler, Northville High's new music

Pryce has taught for the Northville district for 17 years, the past 12 at 6. and 7. Male quartet and the Tre- the high school. She said she enjoys

The choral department is made up cal styles from classical choral litera-said. "It changes every day. I love to ture to pop and jazz styles. The Tre-turn kids on to new music and I love 1. Varsity choir — Open to all sin- bleMakers is a select girls' group of to watch them sing the classics."

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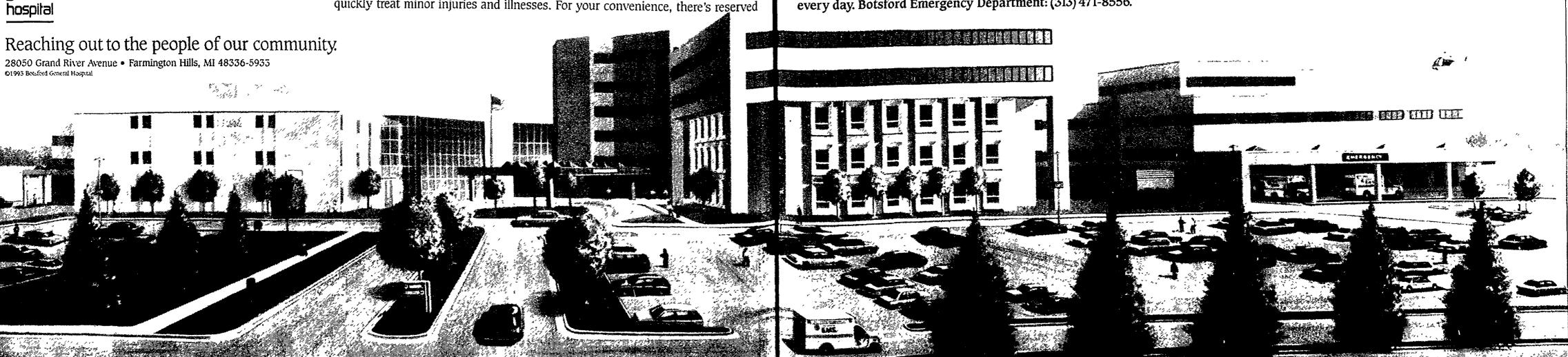
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## Prognosis on plan to erase deficit good following audit

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sewer fund, some \$190,000 a year. according to the auditing firm

A city-commissioned engineering study in January located the leak in a 4-inch water line under the Beal Street Bridge, and city workers plugged it by closing two valves on

The closure may have corrected years of inordinate water loss from the city system, which had been running at more than 40 percent of all the water pumped into the system. Since the leak was plugged, the loss rate has been a more typical 20 percent or less.

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Over the course of the last fiscal year, about \$427,000 was transferred from the city's Downtown Development Authority fund and \$183,000 from the general fund to erase that deficit and leave the fund with a \$51,459 surplus.

"It's going to be ever more important to make sure the project is tightly monitored as you go along, said Auditor Jim Eagan.

While the general fund's deficit is nearly erased, not all was well with the city's complex set of funds, the auditors reported. The city's refuse and recycling fund needed a \$69,000 bailout from the general fund to avoid a deficit when revenues from customer fees came in 33 percent lower than last year's level and expenses only dropped 14 percent.

The auditors recommended that the city review its fees and other fund revenues and make sure the system is self-sustaining.

The same thing happened in the city's inspection services fund, where revenues decreased faster than expenses and necessitated a \$42,000 contribution from the general fund. Again, the auditors recommended that the city review its building inspection services to make it selfsufficient.

The auditors also recommended consolidating some of the city's funds for a less cumbersome system, singling out the public improvement fund, which for years had been the repository for racetrack revenue. The fund could be combined with the general fund at this point, according to the auditors.

funds network. Plante & Moran noted that the city has six special revenue funds, a debt service fund, two enterprise funds, an internal service fund, two expendable trust funds. three agency funds, a general fixedasset group of accounts and a longterm debt accounts group.

This fund structure has grown over the years to account for the many activities projects which the city has gotten involved in." Eagan wrote. "As a result, however, the accounting and budgeting efforts have become more complex.

Eagan also recomended a formal review of the city's 10-year-old computer system for potential updating or replacement.

The auditors also cautioned the city to have contingency plans in place in case the state decides to cut state-shared revenues, as is now proposed in Gov. John Engler's plan to replace school property tax funds. If enacted as proposed, it could cost the city \$210,000 in annual revenue from the state, they said.

Said Auditor Ken Kunkel, "It's go-In describing the city's tangled ing to be a very volatile year, for sure."

### Parent needed to serve on district's math task force

By MICHELLE HARRISON

Two down and one to go. Dolly McMaster, Northville School District assistant superintendent for instructional services, is looking for one more parent to complete her K-12 math task force. She is seeking a parent with a both a math background and a child in a Northville elementary school.

\*It's imperative the parent have a child in the elementary level for the next couple of years," McMaster said.

The other two members of the task force include a middle school parent with a bachelor's degree in math and a master's in computer science and a high school parent with math and statistics degrees.

The task force will address one of curriculum - implemented along call McMaster at 344-8442.

with the applied mathematics program. First the curriculum was written, then delivered as well as aligned with state math curriculum guidelines. Now it's time to find out if stu-

dents are learning from it. McMaster said the task force will look at other ways of assessing the program and its outcomes other than the traditional pen-and-paper testing of students. For example, students may be required to give demonstrations using objects and/or solve a real world problem before a review panel. Student portfolios will also

play a role in the assessment. An orientation will be held for the task force sometime before Nov. 15 and 16 when members will attend an assessment seminar in Livonia.

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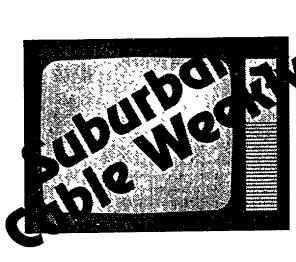
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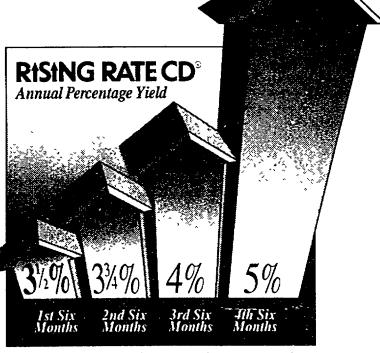
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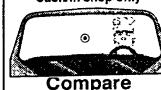
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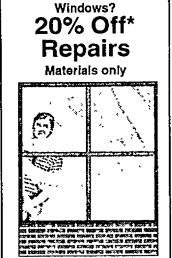
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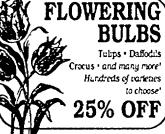
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## **Trustees** to tackle legal policy Thursday

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board members' access to the attorney would be blocked until legal bills were reduced.

That didn't happen and the clerk believes the bills won't be reduced under the policy Richards will offer the board tonight.

"I turned it over to Bill and offered some sugestions and some points I thought should be included," she said Tuesday. But in my opinion he didn't cover all of those points with this policy."

Richards' version of the new policy allows elected officials to call or visit with the attorney as long as their contacts are recorded in the clerk's office and reported to the board.

\*Elected officials could access legal services regarding Townshiprelated business based on their own judgment and discretion," he wrote in the policy he plans to submit for the board's approval.

But in Hillebrand's mind it is the lack of judgment and discretion of Township Supervisor Karen Baja that's contributed to Krzyzaniak's growing legal expense.

After repeated attempts to get the supervisor to respond to her inquiries about the number of the attorney contacts Baja had made with Krzyza-niak, the clerk suggested the supervisor was partly to blame for the excessive bills. That's when she decided neither Baja nor any other elected official should be calling the attorney.

"I don't know any other way to reduce them than to deny access and filter everything through the town-ship manager's office," she said. "And even then I plan to hold him accountable for reducing those bills."

The clerk said she suggested a new policy after she realized recent billings from Krzyzaniak were going to put the township well over its 1993 budget for all legal services provided by the four attorney firms it has done business with this year.

As of Aug. 31, the township had been billed \$183,000 for legal services. That's \$21,800 over the \$161,200 that was budgeted for all of fiscal 1993.

If Krzyzaniak's bills continue to average \$29,000 a month, the township could see as much as a \$80,000-120,000 overrun in legal expenses by year's end.

"I know it's a drastic measure, but I think we have to take drastic measures now," Hillebrand said. "We are already over budget and it can't continue. We just can't afford it."

And while the clerk admits that blocking the board's access to the attorney may not be the sole answer to the legal fee debacle, she said it's a start toward containing costs.

"I just think we need to get a handle on the amount of attorney contact we have," she said. "And this may just be a stop-gap measure. I know that it's drastic and it could be temporary until the bills go down. But right now, I'm not in favor of allowing the elected officials to continue to contact him.

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## Plans for a teen center stalled until task force surveys interest

By STEVE KELLMAN Staff Wnter

Talk of a new teen center has been put on hold until members of a task force looking into the proposal can gauge interest in their plan.

In the meantime, the members hope to use a Nov. 5 "Youth Activity Night" at the Northville Community Center event as a litmus test of local interest in a new youth center.

Some of the adults at the latest meeting of a Teen and Adult Task Force to Create a Teen Center Oct. 5 feared that there was not enough youthful interest in the project, noting that only three students showed up while nearly a dozen adults were in attendance.

But the students pointed out that they've obtained at least 200 signatures on petitions in favor of a new teen center.

Group members have looked at

several sites as a tentative location. Several toured the Open Door Christian Church at Dunlap and Center recently and they suggested the facility would make an excellent teen center - except for the \$700,000 price tag. The 12,000-square-foot building has plenty of room to house other local

organizations as well, they added. We couldn't dream of a better place," said Adult Task Force Chairman Ty Madge.

One student questioned the housing of other programs at the church. saying. The thing with kids is they

kind of want to get away from adults."
Other adult task force members

noted that adult programs would likely take place while students were in school, leaving the facility available for students in the evening.

Township administrative assis-Supervisor Karen Baja at the meeting, noted that the township is still working toward acquiring the stateowned Wayne Community Living room for a teen center.

That's still very viable, she said. When a student noted that the loless likely to disturb anybody," suggesting that youths could hold activities like bonfires and bands on the

Our ideal situation would be having a teen center a little ways away

from town," Madge agreed.
Oslecki also suggested starting with programs in existing facilities rather than shooting for a new facility right now. We have to think about starting small and working our way up," she argued.
The idea found favor with other

adult task force members. Sharon Ferrara agreed, saying, "What I'm learning is that the kids have an idea of what their ideal teen center is, but it's a far-off goal because we don't have the space, we don't have the money and we don't have the support from the kids at this point," she said.

"You can buy a building and open the doors and nobody will show up

except to look at the building." The adults suggested holding activities like overnight lock-ins at the high school or all-night volleyball tournaments for students, and noted tant Maureen Osiecki, representing that Northville Parks and Recreation is planning a Youth Activity Night at the Northville Recreation Center between 9 pm. and midnight Nov. 5.

Activities include basketball, vol-Services building at Five Mile and leyball and other games and stu-Sheldon, which would have plenty of dents are invited to bring along their portable stereos. The fee for the event is \$2 per person.

Northville Youth Assistance Direccation was on the edge of town, tor Mary Ellen King said she was Osiecki agreed but said. You'd be shocked to learn that many students just stop in at events like homecoming and then leave to party elsewhere.

But one student countered that few people stay because there are few activities like pool or games to hold the students' interest.

You just need something to keep the kids there," said Bernie Tomsa. That's why kids would stay at the teen center instead of the homecoming."

Teen Task Force Chairperson Amanda Cole said some students are still skeptical about the teen center idea, not because they don't want one, but because they aren't certain they'll get one.

"A lot of people are for it but they have their doubts because it's not here yet," she said.

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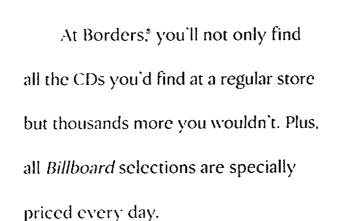
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Two first-place finishes went to staff photographer Bryan Mitchell. Mitchell took first for his feature pic ture "Down on the Farm." a deep shadow photograph of a man stand-

ing in an open doorway.

Good eye - beautiful design, perfect moment," the judges said.
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Mitchell's "What? No Foul," a photograph of two basketball players struggling for possession of the ball. won first place for sports picture

The other first-place honor went to former reporter Mike Tyree for "Behind the Scenes," an in-depth series detailing abuses of the Western Townships Utilities Authority.

before the public is a newspaper's reason for existence," the judges said of the series. "Mr. Tyree is doing his job as a reporter and doing it well." The entry was submitted in the local

news reporting category. Second place awards went to staff writers Sharon Condron and Steve Kellman and to graphics artist Chris Boyd for lifestyle section; to Mitchell for spot news picture, and to Snider for local columns.

Mitchell also took a third place

Placing information such as this award. Photographer Hal Gould and sports editor Scott Daniel won honorable mentions.

> The Record's sister publication, The Novi News, also did well in the competition, garnering six honors. In addition. The News received a firstplace award in the recent Suburban Newspaper Association's annual contest.

> Members of the Colorado Press Association judged the entries for the Michigan Press Association.

## Parenting skills to be topic of presentation at Northville High School

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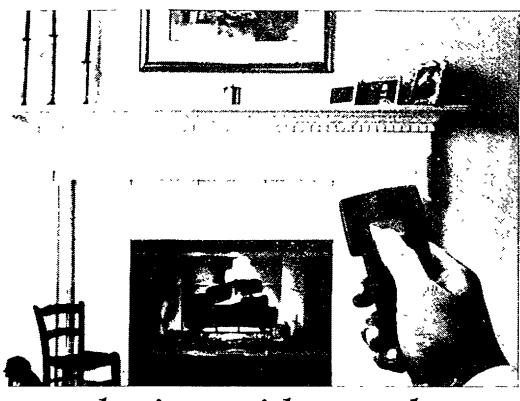
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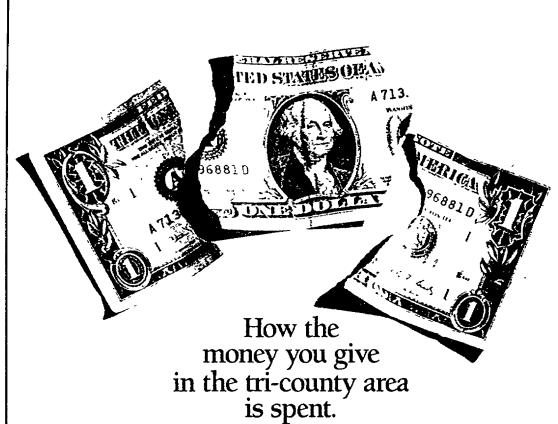
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Tickets are \$7 and include admission to the park, haunted walk, hay ride and refreshments. The tours begin at 7 p m. and run to 10:30 p.m. each night. Group tickets go on sale beginning Oct. 1. Individual ticket sales begin Oct. 8.

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## $Twp.\ freeze$ leaves joint services out in the cold

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ing it a five-day operation and limiting its hours to 43 a week. That's dangerously close to the 40-hour minimum required to receive state funding and remain in the Wayne Oakland Library Federation, she

"Right now, we sometimes don't have enough staff to meet our regular service hours," she added, noting that the library has already closed early six times this year.

Orr noted that the six most recent improvements at Northville Public Library were all funded by donations from the Friends rather than the regular budget. They included chairs for the staff, the children's picture book room and a copier.

Janine Bauchat, vice-president of Friends of Northville Public Library. argued that the Friends-funded improvements reflect an unwanted change in the group's role.

"We're beginning to pick up more and more of the cost of the operation," she said.

The impact is not limited to library services. Recreation Director Traci Johnson said the Beck Road community park may not be able to open next spring as planned if she is not allowed to hire a full-time maintenance person to oversee upkeep of its seven new fields and irrigation system.

She added that township committee members were informed of her budget requests back in June when the Parks department switched to the city's fiscal year on July 1.

We've been operating for four months under the assumption that the budget would be approved as presented, "Johnson said. "Now I have a \$400,000 investment on Beck Road that I won't be able to maintain."

Parks Friends member Steve Fecht noted that his organization the services provided by the Parks department.

But what we're finding out now is that the funds we're raising are used for matching funds for Beck Road park and to put a roof on a storage shed . . . I don't think that's our role, he said. "It's privatizing the parks and recreation department."

Fecht said his group is not interested in serving as the means by which the parks department is privatized.

"If they're going to rely on the Friends to provide basic services, we might as well disband because we feel that's the government's responsibility." he said.

Under the proposed township budget, which runs through calendar year 1994, the four sharedservice agencies would split the same \$335,853 allocation in 1994 that they received in 1993, with \$189,036 going to the library, \$111,534 to parks and recreation, \$17,640 to the Northville Senior Citizens program and \$17,643 to Northville Youth

Assistance. In the city, where the fiscal year runs from July 1 through June 30. 1993-94 contributions to shared services totaled \$224,501 and included \$128,830 to the library, \$72,900 to parks and recreation, \$11,946 to the senior citizens and \$10,825 to NYA.

All four shared services have sought increases from the township this year. Parks and Recreation is seeking a 6.7 percent boost while the library has requested a 10-percent hike and the senior citizens program sought 19.3 percent more this year because of increased program participation in its programs and use of The Senior Center facility.

Northville Youth Assistance wants 36.5-percent increase, and NYA Diector Mary Ellen King said the reuest reflected the program's real ost as its previous fund balance is epleted. Since 1987, the program has been operating in part off a oneme startup grant of \$10,000, she

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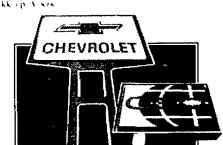
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Wreaths are available in 18- and 26-inch sizes and sell for \$11 and \$13, respectively. The roping is offered in 60-inch cedar and balsam

varieties. Each sells for \$21. Checks should be made payable to Northville Branch W.N.F. & G.A. and sent to: 18338 Laraugh, Northville. MI 48167.

The deadline for mail orders is Monday, Oct. 25. Orders must be picked up at Mill Race Historial Village Monday, Nov. 15, between noon and 3 p.m.

Unsold wreaths and roping will be offered for sale on Sunday, Nov. 21, by branch members who will approach patrons on the sidewalks of Northville's Main Street. The sidewalk sale will start at 9 a.m. and con-

Proceeds from the wreath and rop tinue until the decorations are sold. ing sales will be used to provide four \$1,000 scholarships: two to Northville High School students and two to homemakers planning on returning

The balance of the revenues will go toward beautification projects in Northville and Northville Township.

## Art talks on pottery, People Mover

The Northville Arts Commission will present two special programs

on art-related topics this fall. On Thursday, Nov. 4, Melanie Bazil will discuss Pewabic pottery at Genitti's Samuel H. Little Theater in downtown Northville.

Founded in Detroit in 1903, Pewabic pottery has permeated all areas of the decorative arts. Bazil, the archivist/curator of Pewabic Pottery on East Jefferson in Detroit, will discuss the craftsmanship and beauty of handmade objects of daily life.

The program will start at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are \$6.

On Sunday, Nov. 7, the program will feature "Art on the People Mover.

This special event will consist of an optional lunch at Fishbones Restaurant in Detroit's Greektown area at 11:30 a.m. Patrons will later ride the People Mover while Michael Farrell discusses the scultpures, mosaics, paintings and Pewabic tiles along the route.

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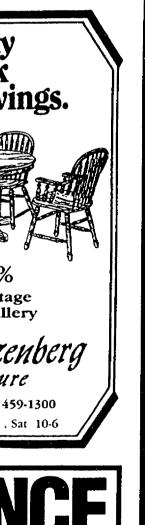
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## Youth Forum program to fulfill awareness goal

By MICHELLE HARRISON Staff Writer

Community awareness has long been a goal of the Northville Youth Forum.

Members of the forum will get their first chance to fulfill that goal with a parent's workshop scheduled for Wednesday.

Bill Winkler, an instructor of the Systematic Training for Effective Parenting (STEP) program, will address parents from 7:30-9.30 p.m. at Northville High School. A \$1 donation at the door is requested.

Certified by the American Guidance Services, Winkler will speak on the topic "Communicating With Your Teen-ager . . . A Parents' Challenge.

Barb Flis explained that the Northville Youth Forum has two branches: one is concentrating on a youth center while another is looking at community awareness.

The alcohol problem is overwhelming," Flis said. "And it's one that's not just a community one, it's nationwide. We didn't know where to start . We thought going with parent education might be the way to help parents:

The STEP program is designed to

 Begin a personal discovery process that can build confidence and positively affect family life;

 Understand children's behavior and learn the skills to effectively deal with that behavior and; • Create an environment that will

produce cooperative, responsible and self-reliant young people able to function and communicate effectively with others.

Flis said the move to train the community only adds to the three roles the community already performs to tackle substance abuse. There's education in the schools with programs such as Student Assistance and Youth Assistance and in the community with Northville Action Council: law enforcement on behalf of the local police agencies; and treatment

"We have three gears in the wheel." Flis said. "What we're working on is adding more gears to the wheel . . . We're trying to shift the attitude of the community."

Flis said many times people either say "ain't that a shame" or they point fingers when a problem arises.

the problem belongs to all of us," she said. "We have to begin by looking at the behavior in our own homes. This probably has to be chipped away at bit by bit. It took us 33 years to get us where we are now with no smoking in (public) buildings. With alcohol, we have a major, major fight on our hands with advertisers."

The Northville Youth Forum was started six years ago, modeled after a similar program in Novi, according to Mary Ellen King, director of Northville Youth Assistance.

The purpose (of the forum) is to

"We want to make people aware not let's all do our own thing," King said "We're a small town here."

The forum is mainly a way to communicate and network to avoid duplication of services. The task forces. which were formed to study the teen center concept as well as the community awareness projects, emerged following the 1992 Alcohol and Other Drugs Survey.

The Youth Forum meets on the second Wednesday of each month. Its next meeting is scheduled for 9 a.m. Nov. 10 at Northville City Hall. All are welcome to attend.

## Review saftey tips with kids before Halloween

A bright orange plastic tote for youngsters and tips for Halloween safety are in the bag when you stop by a Detroit Edison customer office this

Halloween treat bags accompanied by flyers with safety tips and simple, festive recipes are available at Detroit Edison customer offices

throughout Southeastern Michigan. Detroit Edison also will distribute the bags and flyers to various elementary schools who share businesseducation partnerships with the

\*Parents should review several important safety tips with their children before they go trick-or-treating," said James B. Taylor, administrator of Detroit Edison's security department.

'It's an excluing time for children, and parents can help their children enjoy Halloween by discussing and following these safety suggestions:

Taylor advises:

Wear light, reflective colors so

children can be seen when it's dark. • Wear non-flammable costumes and make sure mask holes are large enough for wearers to see through

easily. Travel in groups accompanied by

familiar areas.

at least one adult. · Only approach well-lit houses in

Use a flashlight or lightstick on your rounds.

 Walk only on sidewalks and be careful when crossing streets.

 Don't eat anything until a parent checks it. Many communities will check the contents of children's bags by X-ray. Contact local police departments for the location of inspection

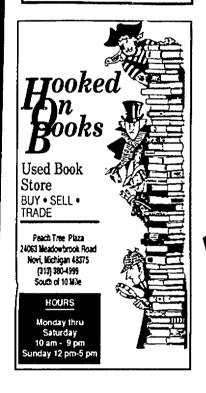
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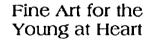
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#### **Our Opinion**

## Attorney-use policy a necessary measure

Northville Township trustees tonight will consider a new attorney-use policy designed to curb the township's mounting legal bills.

Legal expenses are already \$21,800 over budget with more than two months to go on the year, and bills from the firm of Vanderveer Garzia are averaging \$29,000 a month.

Something has to be done to provide increased oversight and the policy board members will discuss is a step in the right direction. The proposal, however, doesn't go far enough.

The idea to codify policy governing the use of legal services came from Clerk Sue Hillebrand, who, like other trustees, is concerned about the possibility of vast overruns.

Hillebrand asked Manager Bills Richards to draft a policy that would limit township employees' use of the attorney. In a particularly strigent move, Hillebrand's proposal was to include a component prohibiting contact between elected officials and attorneys altogether.

We have never heard of any municipality imposing a comparable code, but we think such a plan can be justified, as least temporarily, in this case.

Hillebrand argues, convincingly we think, that elected officials don't really need to contact attorneys directly and can entrust such tasks to the manager. Whenever legal questions arise, the manager can be asked to follow up with a telephone call or letter. The manager would then be responsible for relaying the attorney's opinion to the appropriate offical or to the full board of trustees.

The two-step procedure would be somewhat cumbersome but would tend to discourage frivolous attorney use, the



ary, stop-gap measure that could be abandoned once the problem is brought under control.

Hillebrand's policy request, unfortunately, didn't get acted upon. Instead of drawing up the policy the way the clerk wanted it, Manager Richards drafted a more permissive plan, one that would allow officials to contact attorneys as long as their requests were recorded with the clerk and reported to the board.

Either plan, we believe, would provide increased protection to township taxpayers, who, in the final analysis, pay for public expenditures. Hillebrand's proposal, however, represents the more effective measure and should be adopted, with the understanding that its more restrictive provisions would be deleted later.

Though officials are reluctant to say so, it's hardly a secret that the attorneyuse policy and another proposal aimed at limiting access to township-owned vehicles are directed primarily at Supervisor Karen Baja. Baja evidently continues to see herself as a privileged person who should be allowed to use township resources as if they were paid for with her own money.

We call on Baja to exercise greater restraint when making use of public goods and services. The supervisor's title is not a license to consume resources at will. To the contrary, public officials have a greater obligation to demonstrate self control apparent cause of the excessive bills. In and provide an example of good fiscal addition, the policy would be a tempor- s t e w a r d s h i p .

## Parents have chance to sharpen their skills

Northville's school students are first rate learners but we know from common sense and from the Alcohol and Other Drugs survey that studying isn't the only thing on their minds.

Coming of age has never been an easy transition, but children nowadays are in more danger than ever by being exposed to temptations that can distract, derail and, in extreme cases, destroy.

Fortunately, there are intelligent, energetic people in the community who care about the well being of youths and are taking steps to address the problems teen-agers commonly face.

Northville Youth Forum, a broadbased organization of community officials and concerned residents, is sponsoring a program every parent should find informative and useful. Next Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. in the Northville High School Forum, Bill Winkler, an instructor with the Systematic Training for Effective Parenting program (STEP), will speak on the fine art of talking and listening.

Communicating With Your Teenager. . . A Parent's Challenge," will focus on a problem that must date back to the time when families still huddled together in caves: how to bridge the communication gap between the generations.

Parents of children of all ages will benefit from the discussion. Members of Northville Youth Forum will also be on hand to talk informally to those who attend. A \$1 donation is being requested. The program is expected to run until

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**Jerome** 

More than anybody, with the possible exception of Bill Sliger, it was Jack Hoffman who taught me what I know today about journalism . . . community journalism. Jack died at his home in Indian

River last Sunday.

He had suffered a heart attack back in the mid-eighties and the condition of his heart had continued to deteriorate over the years. News of his death came as a shock, but not a surprise.

A lot of us old-timers here at the paper are upset about his passing. We're giving his death quite a bit of coverage partly because of what he meant to the Northville/Novi community, partly because of what he meant to our company.

It was Jack Hoffman who set the tone . . . who lived and breathed the spirit of "community journalism" which we still today attempt to instill in everyone who works here.

A tireless worker and a man of boundless energy, he approached everything he did with utmost enthusiasm and

He wrote business briefs with as much energy and interest as he would expend covering a train wreck. "So you're opening a new business," he would say. "Tell be about it." And then try to learn everything he could about the business and the people who were starting it.

Everything was interesting. Everything was fascinating. And he wanted to learn it all.

He was a man of intense concentration. I have never met anyone who could focus as totally on what he was doing as

So intense was his concentration that it was useless to ask him questions when he was dummying the paper. "He's not

ignoring you." explained a seasoned reporter after Jack had failed to acknowledge a question even though I was sitting directly next to him. "He really didn't hear you."

My first day on the job, I was greeted by Jack at the head of the stairs. "Philip, grab the camera and get out to the Island Lake Recreation area as fast as you can.

'Okay, where's the camera?" I asked.

"At my house," he blurted.

"Where's your house?"

He thought a moment, still very intense. Then turned to Sally Burke, another reporter.

"Sally, where's my house?"

Perhaps more than anything else Jack Hoffman's legacy at this paper was his community spirit . . . his community involvement. He loved this town and he loved the people in it. Everyone was his "Buddy." And he was involved in anything and everything, particularly Kiwanis.

He was in the middle of every community event. And he loved it all. He absolutely loved being a community

My favorite Jack Hoffman story, and there were many, occurred shortly after I had started at the paper. Jack and I were off to cover the first-ever Northville-Novi football game. It was a Friday night and I could think of things I thought.

at the time, that I would rather be doing on a Friday night. We walked together through the dew-covered grass, watching the lights of the stadium behind old Novi High School on Taft Road and listening to the band playing the fight song.

"Philip." he said to me as we neared the stadium. "Isn't this the best. Can you imagine anything better than covering a high school football game on a Friday night?"

I looked to see if he were serious. He was.

I was just a rookie reporter at the time. But I learned. Phil Jerome is executive editor of The Northville Record and HomeTown Newspapers.

#### **Bryan Mitchell/Moments**



Senior snuggle

Staying warm at Northville cheerleaders, Alison Superfisky, Shari Policicchio and Karen Thorne.

## Offer base, provide options



**Power** 

Stripped to the core, Gov. John Engler's plan for school funding seeks to replace a patchwork of locally voted taxes for education with a state-funded "one size fits all" system.

Here's how:

In the governor's plan, all districts would receive a minimum of \$4,500 per pupil in state aid. Districts now spending between \$4,500 and \$5,500 would get a 2 percent increase next year, while

those spending up to \$6,500 would get a 1 percent increase. School districts spending more than \$6,500 per pupil -35 in all—would get \$6,500 from the state and be allowed the local option of voting additional property taxes.

A fair number of readers have called this newspaper and complained bitterly about the governor's plan 'destroying local control of our schools.

There's some justice in this charge. One of the first things families with children do when they consider buying a new home is look at the quality of the local school system. In general — and there are many exceptions — the more local voters have been willing to tax themselves in school millages, the better their schools are.

So people shopping for a house can express their economic and educational choices by choosing a home in one district (with one tax level) but not another (with another tax level). What's wrong with that?

More to the point, what's wrong with the idea of asking

people if they're willing to pony up their tax money to support good schools for their kids? You pays your money and you makes your choice.

You can't do that under the governor's proposal, unless you live in the top-spending 35 districts.

I suspect there are a lot of peolpe outside the top 35 districts who care about their schools and the education of their kids and who like the idea of being given a choice in the matter of voting for or against school millages. And I hope there will be a big movement in the Legislature to give more districts their own voices.

More than that, though, Engler's "one size fits all" plan ignores the reality that there are really three different economies in Michigan, each with differing price and cost-of-living

• The suburbs around Detroit, where costs of everything are nearly a quarter higher than they are in the rest of the state. Outstate cities like Lansing and Kalamazoo, where prices

are in the middle. Rural areas like the Thumb and the U.P., where every-

thing costs less. One way to address this reality and yet bring up spending

in really poor districts is for the state to give all districts a perpupil base grant below which no district is allowed to sink and allow all districts to vote for local enrichment.

This improves the life of the poor but doesn't damage the rich - not a bad combination.

Phil Power is chairman of the company that owns this newspaper. His touch tone voice mail number is (313) 953-2047 Ext. 1880.

Dave Ryzyi

## Thanks for a successful Tivoli Fair

The Northville Historical Society's 1993 Twoli Fair Arts & Crafts Show was again a great success with total revenue coming close to matching our record year of 1991. Tivoli will be celebrating its "Silver Anniversary\* in 1994, and we are already making plans and will be asking for help from both members and friends. Thanks to all of you "shoppers" — you're certainly part of our success. However, without the help of the following, Tivoli Fair could not happen:

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 Melody Arndt, bake sale; all the people that contributed baked

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And very special thanks go to two very special husbands - Ron Omar and Wes Henrikson.

Sally Henrikson, Betty Omar Tivoli Fair Coordinators

#### Community helps band

To the Editor: On behalf of the 240 Northville High School Music students, and their families, we would like to thank all of the residents of the Northville School District who generously contributed to our deposit pop/bottle can collection held Saturday, Oct. 9. Despite ugly weather, you demonstrated your support for these talented and de-

dicated musicians.

Our first thank you goes to the Novi Band Boosters who encouraged us to tackle this project and offered not only their equipment

but their expertise.

We would like to especially thank Dean Kelly, manager of the A & P for his patience and courtesy. We would also like to extend our gratitude to Kim Stefanski who worked so hard on our behalf.

Special thank you messages should also go to Dr. Leonard Rezmierski and the Board of Education who approved this project. Dr. Johnson and Mr. Redmond contributed to our success.

What more can be said about Mr. Mike Rumbell, band director, who came out in the cold and rain to encourage the kids and who

pitched in and helped.

Thank you to all of the Music Booster parents who drove the routes and stayed for hours helping sort and count. You deserve special honors.

And what would we have done without those special students who not only collected the returnables, but stayed and helped count to the bitter end. You are all indeed very special people who possess generous and caring attitudes. You are all outstanding young adults and we are very proud to have worked with you.

Krueger, a young Amerman stu-dent, who not only picked up cans after the football games but also worked so hard sorting until late in the afternoon. You are a very special san indeed.

The Northville High School Music Boosters face a challenging year ahead but with the continued support of the community, the School Board, The Northville Record, and all those interested in a quality program, the year will wind

Jim and Tina Howie Co-Presidents Northville High Music Boosters

#### Clerk's move is lauded

To the Editor.

I wonder why we have a Board of Trustees for the Township.

I was and am under the impression that they along with the manager and supervisor run our

When I read that Baja is the only one to receive the attorney's bill and is surprised that the trustees read it, I cannot believe it.

Baja isn't Queen, she just thinks

I want to congratulate Sue Hillebrand for pointing out our legal problems and bills.

Attorneys love government work. They know they are going to get paid each month. When you hire a law firm that doesn't think the trustees should see the bill, it's time for a new firm and I don't care if the present one is a buddy of Baja's husband.

I disagree with the manager who thinks that elected officials should have a right to contact the attorneys.

The elected official should have the manager contact the law firm so the manager knows what is going on. After all, he is the manager.

You can't have everyone going in seven different directions and expect a smooth and efficient government.

What is lacking in business and government, is plain Common

#### Student acted Our last thank you goes to Carol with courage

I applaud the young female NHS student who stopped DeVaughn Dickee Little from harassing younger freshmen students. This was a brave act on her part. Unfortunately, she was knocked unconscious by Mr. Little. What is further disturbing is the Northville group ACORD came to the support of him, charging bias and unfairness towards the City Police and NHS. Shouldn't ACORD be asking why Mr. Little was harassing freshman students? And why, when a fellow student asked him to stop, he could only react by pushing her

through a glass panel? Something is wrong here! I have to ask what are the real motives of ACORD. They (ACORD) state they promote cultural diversity. Instead of being Americans, should we all be African, Polish, Chinese. French, etc ... Americans? If you Pledge Allegiance to our Flag, you pledge "One nation under God indivisible," not a cultural, ethnic. race diversified nation. Is ACORD un-American? It seems similar

questions are asked of the NAACP?

#### Why does group allege racism?

To the Editor:

The story in the Oct. 14 Record concerning the ACORD meeting and the DeVaughn Little case brought out some disturbing questions.

The first is why Little was not permanently expelled. Northville High School has enough trouble without tolerance of violence.

The second is why members of the ACORD group are crying "racism" at the appropriate actions of the police. This is the Coleman Young trick which has helped Detroit into disaster.

Northville doesn't need violence in its schools or a group with the attitude of ACORD criticizing when disciplinary action is taken.

Jan C. Mueller

#### Dean H. Lenheiser Governor should hold to promises

To the Editor:

Surprisingly Governor Engler's tax reform proposals rely heavily on the property tax as a source of revenue for school finances. Deep within the cavities of his plan I discovered extra mills could be levied by municipalities over and above their current millages. Cities could levy six additional mills, townships could levy three more, counties two more, and villags may levy two additional mills.

The above mills may be added to make up for losses to tax increment financing authorities and other municipal projects incurred when the huge property tax cut takes place next summer. In addition 16 mills of property taxes will be restored upon second homes and commercial property under the governor's plan. Homeowners will also be required to pay a 4-percent real estate transfer tax at the time of the sale of the home.

Why would the governor change his tune and sing the praises of returning to the property tax as a source of revenue? We should hold him to his promises about reducing property taxes.

Larry D. Vandermolen

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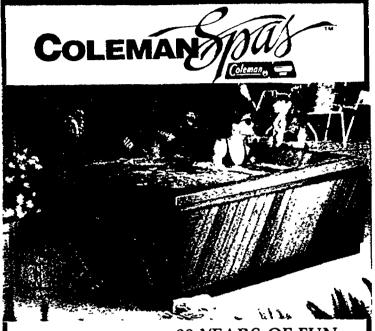
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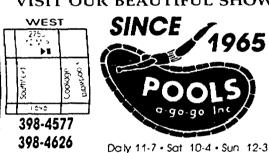
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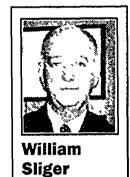
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## Jack was the 'right guy' for the job



10-day visit to the west coast Monday morning, we found a note stuck to our front door. It was from Jean

Day Couse dated Sunday, Oct. 17, and it said: \*Bill - Joan Hoffman wants you to know Jack died

this morning. Please call me.

Later Northville Record Editor Lee Snider called to ask if I would write a column about

It was December 12, 1979, when I wrote my

last "Speaking for The Record" column. I've missed the routine at times, but never enough Jack and I were working partners for nearly

20 years. He joined The Record staff in 1959. He had been working as a reporter for The Port Huron Times-Herald. He said he wanted to become involved in community journalism. I said there would be a heavy schedule of meetings to cover. lots of night work, long hours, low pay.

A guy has really got to love the work to take this job." I said.

You've got the right guy," said his wife, Joan, without smiling. I'd later learn that Joan Hoffman was one talented lady who worked hard at concealing the fact.

The norm for newspaper editorial staffers is to put off writing until the very last possible minute. Deadlines are made to be broken. Not so for Jack. He'd attend a night meeting and go back to the office late the same evening and write his story. Contrary to popular practice, he did not take a day-long breather after the paper was out to re-read his prose and catch up on gossip. He started writing for the next edition.

Jack was a workaholic. He would lead by example, which often meant that he would do the unpleasant tasks instead of delegating them without complaint. While performing these chores, he still found time to write Northville

. . The First Hundred Years, assume an active role in Kiwanis, the Historical Society, countless other community endeavors and pursue hobbies in woodworking and in exploring old

When Jack joined our staff, we published The Record and Novi News. Later I acquired The

I returned from a Both newspapers required heavy turn-around jumping, long jumping (back in those days we work. Jack packed up his family, moved to South Lyon and became an involved member of that community. Later, another excellent journalist and fellow staffer — the late Rollie Peterson — would do the same thing in Brighton. When The Herald was cleared for a younger editor to take over. Jack would return to Northville.

But first General Motors beckoned. Jack was offered a higher-paying position and the glamour of fast-lane public relations.

About two years and a parade of young reporters later I called Jack and asked how things were going. "Why do you ask?" he responded. I said there was an opening at The Record and I wondered . . . 'If you hadn't called, I would have," he interrupted. So Jack was back.

He remained after I sold my newspapers to the present owners. Jack took over as top man of the group, and successfully. But he was painfully aware he had a bum heart. He leaped at the opportunity to purchase a small weekly newspaper in northern Michigan. Not so enthusiastic was Joan. But she would become publisher of The Straitsland Resorter at Indian River. Jack, of course, was editor.

Many of today's Record readers may not recognize names like Hoffman, Peterson, Day, Golem, Gross, Murany, DeVreindt . . . they may, however, be more familiar with Jerome, Preville, Perlberg, Glubzinski, Whitmarsh and Kaake. They remain as staffers in key roles. Once they all constituted the heart of a team that published community newspapers this unbiased writer considered the very best of their time.

And Hoffman stood as the one they all liked. He was admired for his dedication to his job. But he was also a patsy for a joke. So intense was Jack at times that he was unaware someone had poured catsup into his coffee. But he would willingly go along with a spoof that featured him as the butt.

Several months ago Jack wrote to me and enclosed a feature article I had written in 1974. Yellowed with age the headline read: 'Skinny Girl Reporter Outjumps Aging Superstar." A kicker headline declared: "Jack was not so Nimble.

The story, complete with pictures, concerned an episode engineered by Sports Editor Phil Jerome. It reports that Hoffman at age 42 was recalling for a group of staffers that he had

When my wife and South Lyon Herald and The Brighton Argus. once been a track star of some note. 'High reflected, were his specialties.

Quoting from the story: "Did you know that Shipley holds the high school record for the long jump?" asked

"Who?" stammered Hoffman, his face slightly flushed. Dorothy Shipley, that skinny gal reporter on our Herald staff?" Hoffman asked again. 'Yeah, she jumped 15 feet, 81/2 inches back in '69 and the record still stands,"

answered Jerome. You could almost see the next question being born on the faces of everyone in the room. Silently, they were wondering, could a skinny girl reporter actually outjump an aging but still muscular super athlete? Suddenly, the old days were forgotten and it was back to business. Hoffman started handing out assignments in a flurry of activity.

"How far did you jump," someone asked Hoffman. "Oh, I don't know, but a lot farther than 15 feet," he mumbled. "Do you think you could jump farther than Dorothy?" 'Don't be silly," he responded. "Why don't we have a contest . . . Hoffman against Shipley . . . we'll get up an office pool...bet on either Jack or Dorothy and the one closest to the margin of difference wins the pot . . . she'd never do it," Hoffman said (hopefully).

But she did and 31 employees got into the pool and showed up for the big event. Shipley only needed one jump . . . 13 feet, two inches. In three rumbling attempts Hoffman managed 12 feet, three inches. Advertising Salesman Don Golem won the pool. "I figured she'd beat him by about a foot," he said. "Ad men," grumbled Hoffman. Someone reported that Shipley had lost an earring when she made her lone jump, "Girl reporters," grumbled Hoffman.

It was typical Hoffman. Everyone had a good time. And Jack went back to his typewriter.

Jack and I never had a serious disagreement. We were always on the same page, always the same objective and a deep mutual respect. He frequently referred to me as his boss even after I'd sold out and he took over as top man. I'd say, "I'm not your boss, I'm your friend." He'd say, "I know, boss."

Northville resident William Sliper is former

owner of the Northville Record.

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## Reform will force governments to face voters

By TIM RICHARD Staff Writer

County commissioners, city councils and township boards will have to raise property tax rates and face the voters when Lansing puts a halt to revenue sharing, says Gov. John needed.

Engler. local units, allowing county boards to replace them with three local mills. We do cities with six mills and townships with three mills.

Roberts one day after 1,000 local offi- cut. cials rallied to protest Engler's plan.

when you cut our revenue sharing. Some individuals (local officials) have been very candid, saying, 'I don't

want to vote to raise taxes. Well, I'm saying, Excuse me. but that's what you were elected to do to raise the taxes you thought were

They say. We prefer that the state Senate Bill 1, which wiped out raise the money and give it to us. school property taxes, freed up an av- said Roberts. Engler and his ecoerage of eight mills that previously nomic guru answered suburban ediwent to schools Engler proposes to tors' questions for two hours over end \$670 million in state grants to lunch in the executive residence

We do expect the locals to raise the property tax, and we've included that in our numbers. We expect loc-What are the locals complaining als to raise \$774 million, and that's about? said state treasurer Doug included in our (\$300 million net) tax

\*I cannot express my frustration They're saying we don't like it any more than this. We've said to locyour own destiny.

There are two types of revenue sharing in Michigan. First is constitutionally dedicated revenue sharing from the sales tax. We are not talking about (ending) that.

"We're talking about statutory revenue sharing. It comes from three places: the income tax, the single business tax and the intangibles tax. It is then collected by the state and distributed by what is called a 'relative tax effort formula that nobody can understand.

The first argument is philosophi-

als. Seize the opportunity to control cal. Why should the state collect money and then, based on the lobbyists' pressure at the moment, distribute money on a formula that nobody understands and only breeds cynicism about government?

\*Some locals (officials) say. Wait a minute. I can't go back to my voters and raise taxes. Listen to what we're saying. Listen! Listen to us before you

The state consitution provides for an automatic Dec. 1 property tax levy of 15 mills. County allocation boards split the mills between units of government — typically five mills for the county, eight for schools and two for want on the ballot does this." townships. Under SB 1, schools no longer will levy property taxes, freeing up their millages for other units.

Cities operate under home-rule charters that fix their property taxes at up to 20 mills. The six mills of additional taxing authority that Engler wants to give them would be over and above their charter millages.

\*But they're going to have to sit as local officials and raise the taxes they think necessary," Roberts said. "The county board of commissioners (and local councils) will have to vote. The constitutional amendment which we

Engler scoffed at county officials'

complaint that they would lose revenue from delinquent taxes. Local treasurers also complain they will lose I percent collection fees as property taxes drop. Locals raise a total of \$30 million on delinquent

taxes, \$84 million in interest on de-

linquent taxes, and \$38 million from

Refer to the governor's proposed constitutional amendment when writing to your state legislator in the State Capitol, Lansing 48913.

property tax administration fees.

#### NOTICE TO THE PROPERTY OWNERS OF GERALD AVENUE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE The public hearing scheduled for Thursday, October 21, 1993 regarding the Gerald Avenue Special Assessment District has been

(10-18 & 10-21 93 NR)

SUE A HILLEBRAND, CLERK

Western Townships Utilities Authority Board of Commissioners Meeting Synopsis 7 p.m. Monday, September 27, 1993 WTUA Conference Room 40905 Joy Road, Canton, Michigan

Meeting called to order at 7 10 p m

Present Thomas J. Yack, Karen Baja, Kathleen Keen-McCarthy. The agenda was adopted

The minutes of the speical meeting of August 30, 1993, and the regular meeting of August 27, 1993 were approved Requisition Certificate No. 116 and Requisition Certificate 117 totalling

\$911.865 23 were approved The Engineer's Update was received and filed

Change Order No. 8, Granger Construction Co., and Change Order No. 1, Merriman Construction Co, were approved.

The report of the Land Acquisition Attorney was received and filed. The monthly operating report was received and filed.

Plante & Moran was authorized to perform the annual audit at a cost not to

The meeting was adjourned at 7.45 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 October 21 1993

#### CITY OF NOVI NOTICE OF REGULAR CITY ELECTION

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF NOVI: PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Regular City election will be held in the City of Novi, county of Oakland, Michigan, on TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 1993, from 7 00 a m to 8.00 p m. EDT. TO BE ELECTED.

Three (3) Members of Council

The places of voting will be as follows
Pct. 1 - Novi Christian Schools, 45301 Eleven Mile Road

Pct. 2 - Faith Community United Presbytenan Church - 44400 W. Ten Mile

Pct. 3 - Novi Crvic Center - 45175 W. Ten Mile Road

Pct. 4 - Novr Village by the Lake - 45182 West Road Pct. 5 - Orchard Hills School - 41900 Quince Dr.

Pct. 6 - Fire Station No. 1 - 42975 Grand River Pct. 7 - Village Oaks Schools - 23333 Willowbrook Drive

Pct. 8 - Chateau Estate Clubhouse - 42000 Carousel Drive Pct. 9 - Novi High Auditonium - 24062 Taft Road Pct. 10 - Fire Station No. 3 - 42785 Nine Mile Road

Pct. 11 - Novi M.ddle School South - 25299 Taft Road

Pct. 12 - Novi United Methodist Church - 41671 Ten Mile\*\*\* ""Note Temporary New Location

Pct. 13 - Hickory Woods Elementary Schools - 30655 Decker Road Pct. 14 - Meadowbrook Congregational Church - 21355 Meadowbrook
ABSENTEE BALLOTS for said Election are available to qualified electors at
the office of the City Clerk. The deadline for receiving applications for ballots to
be mailed is Saturday, October 30, 1993 at 2.00 p.m. The Clerk's Office will be

open on Saturday, October 30th from 8 00 a.m. to 2.00 p m.
Persons qualified to vote by Absentee Ballot may obtain an Absentee Ballot until 4 00 p m, Monday, November 1, 1993. This ballot must be voted in person the Clerk's Office No ballots can leave the office on Tuesday, June 1, 1993. This Notice is given by authority of the City Election Commission.

(10-21 & 10-28-93 NR/NN)

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Nov. 5.

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The event will take place at the Monaghan Knights of Columbus hall, 19801 Farmington Road in Livonia. Items to be auctioned off include a

\$50 gift certificate from Orin Jewlers; two dinner-theater tickets for Genitti's; a framed photograph from Sandie's Hallmark; a popular book from Bookstall on the Main; a \$10 gift certificate from the Dandy Gander Restaurant; personalized thank you notes from Copy Boy Printing; and two dinner tickets for the Tea Room at Rose Cottage Restaurant.

Northville merchants are invited to donate items to be auctioned off. Another Way is a non-profit orga-

nization offering free tests and counseling on housing, schooling, medical care and legal matters to women who are or may be pregnant. The agency attempts to offer alternatives to abortion.

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Even though he was an alcoholic, Charlie was sure of one thing. He'd never take another drink. And this time

The reason he didn't tell anybody was because nobody really cared what Charlie thought about anything. After all, they figured, you don't get to be the Town Drunk by sitting as sober as an opening prayer in the front row of the Rev. Whitfield's church every

Sunday morning. People had decided a long time ago that a man like Charlie — who'd lwed his entire life right across the street from the church, practically eavesdropping on the Sunday services but had never once gone inside - wasn't about to start now. So Charlie made it a point to stay on his side of the street.

But Slim Jim's place, also across from Charlie's house but down a block in the opposite direction from the church — well, that was a different

So began the winner of our 1991 Fall Fiction contest, "Remembering Charlie" by Robert H. Thomas.

The 130 year old plaster and wood lath gave way with resounding cracks and snaps as Marie pulled on the crowbar with more strength than she

knew she possessed. But she was a woman with a mission. This

old gothic revival on

the corner of

West and

Street would once again stand as proud as it did in 1860 when it was built.

Mane was determined to restore this place to its former glory. She was equally resolute to strip the rest of the gathering room ceiling before Tom came home.

She attacked the ceiling feeling the crowbar bite into something solid and pulled down strongly. Crack, snap. wood and plaster crashed to the

floor as ancient dust rose up and choked Marie. She stepped down off the ladder and bent closer to the floor looking for fresher air. It was then that she spied it. Laying amidst the rubble and splintered wood was a brittle, yellowed envelope addressed to Cor-

erary field. The only major requirement is that poral Russell Thornton, the story must, in some way, relate to this community. It can be set in Northville or Novi, or involve the com-

munity in some other way. The top three winning stories will be published in an upcoming issue of the Northville Record and The Novi News.

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4. Entries must be short fiction; no essays, articles or poetry.

5. Entries limited to 1.500 words.6. Entries must be typed.7. Entries must be received by Nov.

8. Attach a cover sheet to the manuscript, which includes your name, age, address, telephone number and the title of your story as well as any other pertinent information. Do not put your name on any other page of the manuscript. Judges will not know authors' names.

9. Entries with self-addressed. stamped envelopes will be returned whenever possible. However, we cannot be responsible for lost manuscripts.

10. Mail your entry (or drop it off in person) to:

Northville Record/Novi News Fall Fiction Contest 104 W. Main St. Northville, MI 48167

Volunteer



DAVID JEROME

## Attorney works to keep Junior Baseball alive

By DOROTHY NASH

"I love law," said David Jerome, the Northville lawyer with offices on Center Street, "but I love baseball, too" and that's where his volunteering comes in.

He's been on the board of the Northville Junior Baseball board for eight years — as treasurer, secretary and now as president.

The Junior Baseball program, he said, was started in 1973 when local enthusiasts felt that Parks and Recreation wasn't doing an adequate

As a result of the take-over, the program is now an opportunity for 1.100 boys and girls, about 60 teams he said, in ages from 5 through 18 with girls in softball and boys in baseball.

Most teams are "house teams," Jerome said, but two in ages 12 and over travel to compete in places as far as Ann Arbor and Flint.

"Local merchants are sponsors" of the teams, and each team sports

shirts with its sponsor's name on

Elaborating on his intense enthuslasm for the program, Jerome said, "I'm a coach, and my son (he's 15) coaches with me. It makes a kind of neat bond" because it's something that boys and dads can do together."

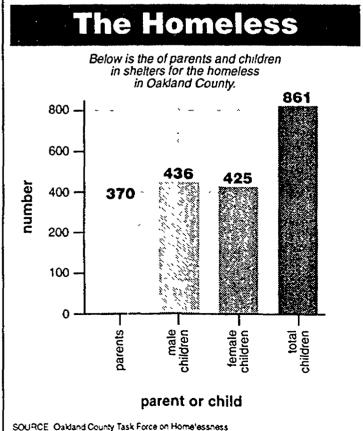
Being president of the Northville Junior Baseball board takes time, he said, and coaching takes more more in summer than winter maybe four to six to ten hours a week in season.

But it's worth it because, as he said, "The program is a good one - a big one, a lot of fun - and an asset to the community."

The term of office for a board member, Jerome said, is limited to three years, "but I could come back, run again, even though my son is out of

If you are interested in getting on the board or if you just want more information about Northville Junior Baseball, give Dave Jerome a call at 348.9097.

#### It's A Fact



## Heaton is vice-president of Hope student body

Christopher Heaton, a Hope College sophomore from Northville, has been elected vice president of the Hope student body for the 1993-94 academic year.

As vice president, Heaton is one of three officers of the college's 28 member Student Congress, which also has a president and comptroller. In addition to Student Congress, Heaton has been involved in the college's Critical Issues Symposium, the Extra-curricular Affairs Committee and the International Relations group.

The son of Terry and Lynda Heaton of Northville, Heaton is a graduate of

the University of Detroit Jesuit High School.

The Student Congress is the main body of student government on the Hope campus, and includes students elected to represent residence halls and off-campus students. Along with members of the faculty and administration, the student representatives become members of committees and boards that make most of the college's policy decisions.

Hope College is a four-year, co-educational, Christian, liberal arts college affiliated with the Reformed Church in America.

#### It's a girl

Amerman Elementary speech and language therapist Chris-Anne Kelly recently delivered a baby girl. Her permanent substitute for her leave of absence is Misty Kirkpatrick.

#### Newcomer news

The Northville Newcomer's Club has scheduled the following events:

● Today, Oct. 21 — Ladies' euchre, 7:30 p.m.

- Saturday, Oct. 23 Games, Games, Games, 7:30 p.m.
   Wednesday, Oct. 27 Duplicate bridge, 9:30 a.m.
- Thursday, Oct. 28 Ladies' Bunko, 7:30 p.m.

Northville Newcomer activities are open to all members. For information on membership or any of the above activities, contact Lisa Kozerski at 380-9355.

#### Detroit art comes to Northville

Pewabic pottery will be presented in a discussion and exhibition by Pewabic's archivist and curator Melanie Brazil at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 4, at Genitti's Samuel Little Theater. Advance reservations are \$5 each. Admission at the door will be on an availability basis at \$6 for each program.

For further information, call  $349{\cdot}6104$ . The program is being sponsored by the Northville Arts Commission.

#### Single Place presents

Single Place participants will gather from 10-10:45 a.m. Sunday in the library at First Presbytenan Church.

The gathering is specially designed for Christian singles of all denominations as a time of learning, sharing and growing. Bob Allwine will be the guest speaker.

On Wednesday, Oct. 27, Rody Yezman, Ph.D., will speak on "Blended Families." Also, it will be euchre night. Single Place meets every Wednesday beginning at 7:30 p.m. A donation of \$4 is requested.

A clue hunt road rally will begin at 6 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 6. Registration is required.

A divorce recovery workshop will be presented by Single Place Ministries for six Thursday evenings, Nov. 4 through Dec. 16, beginning at 7:30 p.m This workshop is open for divorced and separated persons of all ages. A donation of \$30 is requested. Scholarships are available.

\*Living Beyond Divorce, Divorce Recovery Workshop Phase II\* will be for six Thursday evenings beginning Nov. 4. This workshop is especially for people who have gone through a Divorce Recovery Workshop. A donation of \$28 is requested. An Opportunity for Growth Workshop, "Are You The One For Me?" with

Nick Berar will be held for three Thursday evenings. Nov. 4, 11 and 18, at 7:30 p.m. A donation of \$28 is requested.

For further information on any of the Single Place events, call the Single Place office at 340-0911.

#### Academy graduate

Brad Guerro, a 1988 graduate of Northville High School and former resident of Allen Park, has recently graduated from the Washtenaw Police Academy, class of July 1993.

While attending the academy, he served as a class officer, sergeant at arms and received two awards, the Michigan Law Enforcement Training Council Leadership Award and top aggregate Markmanship Award. Guerro is presently employed with the University of Michigan, Depart-



Northville graduate Brad Guerro has graduated from the Washtenaw Police Academy.

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#### Wedding



Michelle and Jeffrey Pitts

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Bryson of Northville announce the marriage of their daughter, Michelle, to Jeffrey Pitts of Woodbury, Conn., son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Pitts of Glastonbury.

The wedding ceremony took place Oct. 2 at Mill Race Historial Village. The couple honeymooned in Puerto Vallarto, Mexico.

#### PTA News/Elementaries

Moraine is off to another exciting year. Our fund-raiser was very successful, as was our first market day. Special thanks to Carl Modetz for chairing these programs for the past two years. The pickup for the fundraiser merchandise will be Oct. 29. That's almost a month earlier than last year.

Our Halloween parades will be held at 9:30 a.m. and 1 p.m. on the blacktop. If the weather is bad, programs will be in individual classrooms.

Becky Cotrell has arranged for our book fair to be held during November conferences. It will be held in the

Our 1993-94 goals were approved at our October PTA meeting. They

1) To promote the welfare of children and youth in the home, school

and community; 2) To help make field trips a part of the Moraine educational experience:

3) To broaden local community support of Northville Public Schools in general, and of Moraine specifically.

4) To promote volunteerism on the part of Moraine parents and neighbors; and

5) To create an environment of involvement, enthusiasm and purpose among Moraine PTA members.

Our art appreciation chairperson. Barb Hayes, reported her committee would like to develop a school beautification program. They are looking into making a secret garden on

school grounds. It would be modeled after the book, "Secret Garden," and would be a special place for teachers to encourage reading on a nice day. Her committee has also come up with some other great ideas.

Barb Bennett has asked our help in a special Campbell Soup label promotion, and reports we are working hard toward our goal this year.

Art Greenlee held his first meeting of the Father's Club. This group was developed to encourage fathers to get involved in their children's school. They've come up with some great suggestions for our school.

Special thanks to Rhonda Bremer and her helpers for getting our library books covered. Also, special thanks to Jane Gardner for her work on helping us meet our 100 percent mem-

bership goal, and for all her work on the school directory, which will be out soon.

Our reading consultant Barb Sixt has spent many years teaching our children about the exciting gifts of reading and books. Because of her dedication, our children wanted to give other, less fortunate children these same gifts. So, after learning from Sharon Buell about the need for books in Laos (located in southeast Asia). Sixt and Gloria Lundy. along with Moraine students and teachers. sent books to Laotian school children. Thanks Mrs. Sixt. You will be missed.

Our next PTA meeting will be at 7 p.m. Nov. 9.

Submitted by Vicki Dwelley

#### **Births**

Andrea and Keith Bridges announce the birth of their daughter Jacquelyn Jaye. She was born Sept. 6 in Mission Viejo, Calif. Jacquelyn weighed eight pounds, 10 ounces.

The grandparents are John and Connie Conder, of Northville, and Roy and Maxine Bridges of Canyon Lake, Calif.

Jacquelyn joins her sisters Kimberly, 3, and Rebecca Lee, 18 months.

The Bridges reside in Mission Viejo, Calif.

William and Barbara Pichan of Northville, announce the birth of their daughter, Emily Janina, on May 19 at 9:58 a.m. She weighed 5 pounds, 15 ounces at birth, and was 19 inches long.

Grandparents are Wesley and Jean Pichan, and Janusz and Krystina Sulich. Great grandparents are Stanley and Maria Sulich.

Emily joins a brother, Neil William.

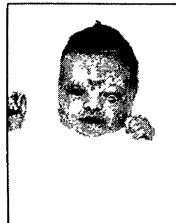
Joanne and Eric Frid of Brighton announce the birth of their daughter Michelle Ashley. She was born Aug. 31, 1993, at William Beaumont Hospital in Royal Oak. Michelle weighed

8 pounds. Grandparents are Norman and Marcia Frid, and Peggy Windisch, great-grandmother Bernadette Chatel, all of Northville; and greatgrandmother Marjone Sparling of Chambersburg, Penn.

Michelle joins a brother E.J., 6, and a sister Nicole, 4.



Jacquelyn Bridges



**Emily Pichan** 

#### Reunions

BLOOMFIELD HILLS 1983: The Lahser High School Class of 1983 will hold its 10-year reunion on Saturday, Nov. 26, at the Marriott Hotel in Southfield. Call Reunions Made Easy at (313) 380-6100.

CLASS REUNIONS PLUS: Class Reunions Plus, P.O. Box 806010, St. Clair Shores, Mich. 48080, has added the following reunions to their 1993 reunion schedule. Call 313-886-0770 for more information. Oct. 30 — Clintondale High School, Clinton Township, Class of 1983.

Vintage House, Fraser. Nov. 26 — Seaholm High School, Birmingham, Class of 1973 — North-

field Hilton Hotel, Troy. Nov. 26 - Osborn High School, Detroit, Class of 1973, Somerset Inn.

Nov. 27 - Mott High School, Warren, Class of 1973, Sterling Inn., Ster-

Nov. 27 - Finney High School, Detroit, Class of 1973, Barrister House, St. Clair Shores.

DETROIT NORTHERN 1941-1943: High School, classes of 1941, 1942 and 1943 will hold a reunion on June 5. 1994. Call Bill at 375-9529 or

FERNDALE 1973: Ferndale High School Class of 1973 will have its

20-year class reunion Nov. 27 at the Kingsley Inn in Bloomfield Hills. Call Reunions Made Easy at 380-6100. GARDEN CITY 1983: Garden City High School Class of 1983 will have

its 10-year reunion Friday, Nov. 26, at Hawthorne Valley in Westland. Call Reunions Made Easy at 380-6100. LADYWOOD 1978: High School Class of 1978 will hold its 15-year

reunion Nov. 13 at the Park Place in Dearborn. The committee is looking for classmates. Contact Mary (Rose) Bonk for reunion information at [313] 427-9275.

LIVONIA FRANKLIN 1973: Nov. 26: Livonia Franklin High School, Li vonia, Class of 1973, Novi Hilton Hotel, Novi.

CANCELLATIONS: Class Reunions Plus is no longer organizing reun-Ions for Grosse Pointe North High School, Class of 1973 and Dominican High School, Class of 1968.

For more information on the following class reunions write Class Reunions Plus, P.O. Box 806010, St. Clair Shores, MI 48080-6010 or call 824-1573.



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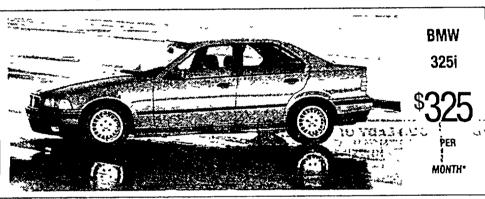
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## Floral consultant advises Woman's Club on Victorian flower arranging

The Victorian look in floral arranging and home decorating is a look wo men want, according to Fran Lee.

Lee, a floral consultant with Blossoms Fresh Floral Market, said an emphasis has been placed on the Victonan era of 1880-1910 in her line of

\*What we seem to be all craving is a return to the past," she told members of the Northville Woman's Club last Friday. The meeting was held at Mill Race Historical Village

Flowers meant a lot back then their smell was used to cover up the odors of the street and homes," Lee explained. They didn't have sewers or sanitations systems."

Lee demonstrated many Victorian style arrangements, including a Queen Mary vase, various forms of tussie-mussies, dried floral arrangements and wreaths.

The soft romantic look is coming nght back in," she said.

Lee also showed the women how to take ordinary household objects and turn them into 'vases.' \*How many of you have sugar and

cream bowls that have lost their

mates? she asked as she placed a few flowers into a creamer. Lee also suggested taking objects one might collect, such as antique perfume bottles.

Do something fun," she said. "Let the guest see you have all these neat

Other suggestions for fresh flower care included removing stems from flowers that fall below the water line because they'll just rot; cut flowers at an angle before placing them in water, and placing a drop of chlorine in the vase to rid the water of bacteria.

The Woman's Club will meet again Nov. 5 at First Presbyterian Church for a review of the book, "Wives of Henry the VIII."



Fran Lee of Blossoms Floral spoke to members of the Northville Woman's Club last Friday about Victorian table setting and floral arrangements.



Officers for the 1993-94 year in the Northville Mother's Club are: seated, left to right, Lynda Heaton, vice-president and Kathi Jerome, president; standing, Phyllis Heckemeyer, Ireasurer; Meg Coponen, corresponding secretary; and Bonnie St. Thomas, secretary.

#### On Campus

The Schoolcraft College Foundation has awarded the following Northville residents academic scholarships for the 1993-94 academic year:

DANNY D. ANGELO, Michael E. Bulger Endowment, and KATHIE L. CROSSMAN and KAREN MI-MIKOS, Northville Garden Club Scholarships. All are Schoolcraft students.

Schoolcraft College is located at 18600 Haggerty Road, between Six and Seven Mile roads in

JAY RYAN BLACKBURN, a senior majoring in mechanical engineering, was named to the University of Michigan-Dearborn dean's list for the spring/ summer 1993 semester. Students who make the dean's list must maintain a minimum 3.5 gradepoint average while carrying at least 12 credit hours of classes.

Eastern Michigan University has conferred advanced degrees upon five Northville residents as a result of studies completed in August 1993.

LINDA T. BACIGALUPI of Westmeath Road re-

ceived a master of science degree; TERESA M. GER-LICA of Weatherfield, LEANN MCKEE of North Hills Drive, and KAREN RACZKOWSKI of Brookwood received master of arts degree; and JOAN K. YAR-MUTH of Bradner Road received a master of business education degree.

Michigan Technological University in Houghton, Mich., announces the following degree recipients for the spring quarter of 1993:

KATHRYN BRUGMAN of Northville received a bachelor of science degree, cum laude, in environmental engineering.

GREGORY A. HUOTARI, of Northville, received a bachelor of science degree in civil engineering.

STEPHEN VENTURA of Northville, has received a bachelor of science degree in marketing from Ferris State University.

A total of 456 students completed the requirements for certificates, associate's, bachelor's and doctoral degrees at Ferris State University during the summer quarter, which ended July 30.

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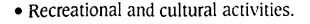
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## RECORD DIVERSIONS



## Dragons and witches and pumpkins, oh, my!

By RANDY COBLE

Do you enjoy good old-fashioned to munch as Genitti's serves it up! Saturday lunches will begin at seasonal vein? If you do. Genitti's Hole-In-The-Wall has a howl-oweenin' good time in store for ya'.

The Northville eatery has joined with The Lunch Bunch Players to present a musical romp entitled The Witch, The Princess & The Incredible Pumpkin, a play everyone can enjoy. Team that up with a special luncheon theater package — featuring Genitu's scrumptious spaghetti - and you've got a deal that can't be beat.

The Witch, The Princess & The Incredible Pumpkin is about a princess who loves gardening, magic pumpkins and naughty witches.

The pumpkins are filled with sleeping potions, said Director/, Producer Mary Bremer but we find out at the end that bad witches aren't so bad after all. It's a story with a moral."

Playing Jack O'Lantern is Andrew Keenan-Bolger. His sister Maggie plays Jack's sister Jackie. Karen Kron stars as Magarella the Witch and Dan Welcher as Norman the

Kelly Boczek will play Ophelia the Princess. Rounding out the cast is Christopher Bremer, who portrays

Sir Arthur the Knight. The show began this month and will run for another two weekends: Saturday, Oct. 23, and Sunday, Oct. 24; and Saturday, Oct. 30, and Sunday, Oct. 31. in a special Halloween

If you like the tangy taste of spaghetti with the works, be sure to get luncheon/theater tickets. Get ready

Saturday lunches will begin at noon and 2 p.m., followed by performances at 1 and 3 p.m. Sunday shows begin at 1 p.m. with lunch at

noon. Kids are invited to wear their Halloween togs and compete for the best costume. Tickets for the show/lunch combo

are \$10 for kids and \$12.50 for adults; tickets for show alone are \$7.50. For reservations, call

Contributing to the show's production as well are a varied and talented group of specialists.

Martin Burwell directs music for the show, which evolved from a work created by Maggie Wysocki for an off-Broadway show last year. Also contributing their talents are Arthur Beer, Sue Boczek, Kelly Thomson and Corrie Boczek.

A special feature of the show is Norman the Dragon's head, an exquisite piece of work. It was created by J.W. Seybold, who was one of the original designers of the Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles.

Next up for Genitti's and the Lunch Bunch Players is an all-time classic for the kid in all of us. A musical version of The Wizard of Oz begins Nov. 20 and runs through Jan. 8, 1994. Call 349-5022 for reservations

or more information. And if you're still looking for Halloween fun after seeing The Princess, The Witch and The Incredible Pump-



(Left to right) "Jackie" portrayed by Maggie Keenan Bolger chats with Dan Welcher as the dragon and Jack O'Lantern, her real-life brother Andrew Keenan Bolger.

kin, Northwille's Marquis Theater has got you covered.

The theater's childrens company will delight audiences with Hallo-ween Madness, a comedy about a group of your average, fun-loving folks — who just happen to live in a haunted castle.

Showtimes are Saturdays, Oct. 23

and 30, at 11 a.m. and 3 p.m.; Sundays, Oct. 24 and 31 at 2:30 p.m.; Friday, Oct. 29 at 10:30 a.m. and 8 p.m.; and Wednesday, Oct. 27 at 10:30 a.m.

Tickets are \$5. The theater is at 135 E. Main Street in downtown Northville. Call 349-8110 for more

#### **Entertainment Listings**

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

#### **Special Events**

HALLOWEEN TRAIN: It's a Hobo Halloween for kids at the Coe Rail Tourist Train in Walled Lake - and the proceeds will benefit the Oakland County Food Bank. The parties will be held from 11 a.m to 3 p.m. on Oct. 23 and 24 and Oct. 30 and 31. Along with the train ride, activities include face painting, pumpkin painting and

There'll be prizes for the bestdressed ghouls and goblins and other seasonal types.

Tickets are \$5 for children and seniors and \$6 for adults. Bring canned goods to contribute to the food bank,

Coe Rail is located at 860 N. Pontiac Trail between and Maple and South Commerce roads in downtown Walled Lake. For information, call 960-9440.

OPERA HOUSE FARCE: Ken Ludwigs knee-slapping comedy set in Cleveland, Lend Me A Tenor, will be performed at 7 p.m. on Thursdays through Saturdays from Oct. 15 to Nov. 6 by the Farmington Players. A

Sunday matinee is Oct. 31 at 2 p.m. Tickets are \$8. Call 553-2955. The show's at the Farmington Players Barn, 32332 W. Twelve Mile

Road, Farmington Hills. OPERA HOUSE, FOR REAL: The Verdi Opera Theater of Michigan, featuring Dino Valle, will present A Night At The Opera on Oct. 28 at Ginitti's Hole-In-The-Wall in downtown

\$29.95 — and that's something to sing about. For reservations, call 349-0522.

Northville. Dinner and the show are

FRENCH ACCENTS: Northville's La Belle Provence, a shop featuring French furnishings, will salute the renowned pottery Limoges on Oct. 22 from 2-8 p.m., when over 350 handpainted porcelain boxes will be displayed for sale by a French Limoges representative. A wine and cheese reception that day is open to the public from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. The event continues on Oct. 23 from 10 a.m. to 5

Ten percent of all October sales of Quimper and of Limoges boxes will be donated to Orchards Children's Services.

La Belle Provence is at 119 N. Center Street. Call 347-4333.

LOVE, TRANSYLVANIAN-STYLE: Schoolcraft College's theater season begins with a bite as Deane & Balderston's "Dracula" premiers on Oct. 22. The dinner theater will then run on Oct. 23, 29, 30 and Nov. 6. Tickets are \$15.50 per person.

Dinner's at 6:30 p.m. and it's vam-

pire time at 8 p.m. A theater-only performance will be given Nov. 5 at 8 p.m. for \$6 per

person. For information, call 462-4409. Schoolcrast College is located at 18600 Haggerty Road, between Six and Seven Mile roads, in Livonia.

SOMEONE'S IN THE KITCHEN: Three women in white hats cook for a cause" on Oct. 24 at the Novi Sheraton Hotel. Chefs Mary Brady, Denise Caurdy and Kelli Lawton will whip up their best gourmet grub from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. in a Western-style fundraiser for women's scholarships to Schoolcraft College.

The three chess have authored a cookbook Real Ufe, Real Cooking: Women Cook for a Cause.

To help work off all those yummy calories, the Cowboy and His Lady will be giving lessons in country dancing, including the Texas Two Step and the Tush Push. Wear your Western duds.

Tickets are \$50 per person. For information, call Carolyne Brown at 348-5474 or Elaine Tomalty at 462-4443.

The hotel's off Novi Road at I-96.

#### Music

CAFFE BRAVO: Northville flutist Gary Cooper will be performing everything from the Beatles to classical and light jazz with Westland guitarist Richard Zerdnt at Casse Bravo every Sunday from 1 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

On Fridays and Saturdays from 8 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. classical guitarist Carol Smallwood is continuing her engagement at Caffe Bravo. Smallwood also appears on Sundays from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. The coffee house is in the MainCentre in downtown Northville.

For information, call 344-0220.

COUNTRY EPICURE: A jazz duo featuring planist Wilbert Peagler is now performing at the Country Epicure Restaurant, Wednesdays and Thursdays.

On Friday and Saturday, the entertainment at the Country Epicure is a jazz quartet, featuring some of Detroit's finest vocalists.

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

HOTEL BARONETTE: Live entertainment from 7-11 p.m. every Tuesday through Saturday in the Tara Lounge in the Hotel Baronette at Twelve Oaks Mall. Live entertainment is also featured 10 a.m.-2 p m. every Sunday during brunch. Call 349-6666 for more information.

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 349-7038.

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.

It's Intrigue on stage Oct. 19-23 and Oct. 26-30.

For information call 349-4000. RIFFLES: Fridays and Saturdays at 10 p.m., Riffles of Northville be-

comes a live rhythm and blues cafe. Riffles is at 18730 Northville Road. For information, call 348-3490.

SHERATON OAKS: The Cool Notes Concert Series at the Novi Sheraton Oaks continues on Thursdays from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. The hotel is at 27000 Sheraton Drive in Novi, across from Twelve Oaks Mall.

For information, call 348-5000.

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.

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

Master of the Hammond, Mallett charms her audiences at Victor's with such favorites as Mistyand Moonlight Serenade.

#### Theater

HOME SWEET HOME: On Oct. 30, a Halloween murder mystery dinner theater will concentrate on the history of the 1920s-era Novi mansion which now houses Home Sweet Home restaurant. The show and a tenderloin and salmon dinner are \$29.95 per person

The dinner theater program will continue on the last Saturday of each month.

Every Thursday night is comedy night at Home Sweet Home as local comic and emcee Bill Barr brings in nationally known talent. Showtime is

at 8 p.m. Tickets are \$5. Or have dinner at the eatery and the show is free. Home Sweet Home is located at 43180 Nine Mile Road just east of

For information and reservations. call 347-0095.

WHO DUNNITS AND SIDE SPLIT-TERS: Genitu's Hole-In-The-Wall Restaurant has two production companies performing different Murder Mystery Dinner Theaters every Friday evening at 7:30 p.m. Reservations are required. Special performances of the Murder Mystery Dinner Theater are available.

The eatery 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."

Audience members are asked to perform roles in the play. Gifts are awarded to those who correctly guess the identity of the culprit.

Also running is a new mystery,

Wild West.
Genitt's "Hole-in-the-Wall" restaurant is located in downtown
Northville at 108 E. Main St. just east of Center Street.

The Murder Mystery Dinner Theater with the seven-course dinner is \$35 per person.

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

#### Art

GATE VI GALLERY: The Gate VI Gallery in the atrium of the Novi Civic Center, 45175W. Ten Mile features a changing show of the work of local

Starting Oct. 15, Dorothy Rohe's watercolors will be up.

ATRIUM GALLERY: Watercolors inspired by the recent travels of award-winning Southfield artist Manlyn Blinder will be showcased through November. Blinder's abstracts in chalk, multi-media and watercolor are on display, too.

New work by retired Schoolcrast College instructor Robert Black of Ann Arbor has also arrived.

The Atrium Gallery is at 109 N. Center St. in Northville. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Saturday; and Sunday from noon to 4

Contemporary arts and crafts, including raku pottery, glass, painting and jewelery are for sale. Call 349-4131.

TOWN CENTER GALLERY: The Town Center Gallery is located at Novi Town Center at 43267 Crescent Blvd. Hours are Monday through Friday 10 a.m. to 9 p.m., Saturday 10 a m. to 8 p.m. and Sunday noon to 5 p.m. Call 380-0470.

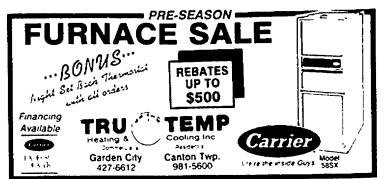
LITTLE ART GALLERY: The Little Art Gallery at Genitti's Samuel Little Theater in downtown Northville features two shows a month.

Michigan fine artists who would like to display their works are encouraged to contact gallery manager and artist Julie Giordano at

The Little Art Gallery is at 112 E.

BACKDOOR GALLERY: Farmington's Backdoor Gallery on 37220 Eight Mile Road specializes in unusual art dolls. The gallery is in the home of co-owner Kath Landers. She and the other owner, Kathleen Bricker, are both artists. Hours are 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Thurs-

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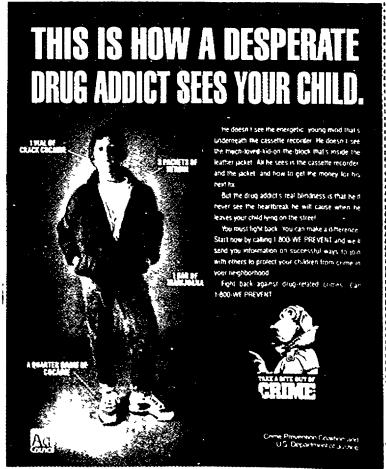
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## RECORD MOVIES



## Stallone film offers futuristic view of society

Los Angeles 1966.

A psychopathic criminal named Simon Phoenix (Wesley Snipes) is holding 30 hostages in a heavily-

armed compound.

1...A P.D. Sgt. John Spartan
(Sylvester Stallone), known as the
"Demolition Man" for his no-holdsbarred determination, apprehends Phoenix in a daring attack that de-

stroys the building.

The diabolical killer swears that Spartan is responsible for the incineration of the 30 hostages, and Spartan, convicted of involuntary manslaughter, is sentenced to sub zero rehabilitation as a frozen inmate of the Califonria CyroPenitentiary.

San Angeles 2032. A peaceful, more gentle society is led by the enigmatic Mayor/ Governor Raymond Cocteau (Nigel Hawthorne) His years of innovative work have put an end to virtually all forms of crime and violence - until Simon Phoenix enters the picture.

Thawed from his cyrogenic state for a mandatory parole hearing. Phoenix overcomes security guards. escapes from cyroprison and begins a savage rampage through the peaceful city. Cocteau orders the chief of police to use any means necessary to apprehend Phoenix, knowing that the police are unequipped and unprepared to deal with this savage from the past.

But one resourceful police officer - Lenina Huxley (Sandra Bullock) -is aware of someone who can deal with Phoenix — John Spartan, the Demolition Man, a '90s kind of cop to bring down a '90s kind of criminal.

Huxley, who's fascinated by the late 20th century, removes Spartan from the CyroPrison to once again face his arch-enemy.

That's the storyline for "Demolition Man." a futuristic action adventure starring Stallone and Snipes The film is produced by Joel Silver Warner Bros and Silver Pictures.

This time out, however, Spartan is in a strange new world - one where he's seen as a barbane savage who swears, shoots and even violates the taboo against personal contact. Without his family, without his past, a stranger in the present, Spartan must hit the ground running in his search for Phoenix

For while they've been experiencing cyro rehabilitation in prison. Spartan and Phoenix have been recewing radically different mental programming -- and now Phoenix is even more dangerous than he was in the century from which he came.

As Spartan races to bring Phoenix down forever, the dogged cop learns what lies behind his enemy's astounding new abilities, and what secrets the gentle, benign San Angelenos hide just beneath the surface of their shining new city.

Spartan knows he's gotten a second chance to face his nemesis. And the future isn't big enough for them

Silver, the producer, said he has attempted to do something novel with Demolition Man

chase, and placed it in a very different world, he said.

"It's a very clean world; there is no violence," he continued. There is no crime. There is no sex And people don't eat meat. They don't smoke, they don't drink, they don't swear, they don't even touch. Everything seems perfect, but it really isn't. And it takes our two dinosaurs — Spartan and Phoenix, who come into this world from the past - to find the problems and maybe correct them."

The filmmakers have set Spartan's pursuit of Phoenix into a future that highlights the political correctness of our contemporary culture and takes

From speaker boxes that issue pe nalties for using unsuitable language to klosks offering daily personal affir-



We took the classic genre, the LAPD Sgt. John Spartan (Syvester Stallone) and diabolical killer Simon Phoenix (Wesley Snipes) star in 'Demolition Man.'

voice, the megalopolis of San Angeles (created by merging Santa Barbara, L.A. and San Diego into one urban center) maintains the peace by virtually neutralizing its inhabitants.

We thought it would be interesting to do an exaggeration of the way things are today," said Brambilla, the director. We just extrapolated to create some more absurd scenarios. So what we're dealing with is a future that's perfectly acceptable in certain ways, but at the same time has lost its humanity."

To develop the set — San Angeles of 2032 — the filmmakers turned to production designer David L. Snyder. whose vision, as art director, of a futuristic Los Angeles in the classic film "Blade Runner" permanently mations in a soothing, computerized changed a generation's perceptions.

Snyder and his crew worked closely with Joel Silver and Marco Brambilla to create a series of striking images of the future as it may someday be, on locations in and around Los Angeles, Orange County and San Diego as well as soundstages at Warner Bros.' Burbank

One of the most distinctive sets is the California CyroPenitentiary. The CyroPenitentiary is central to the story - it's where Spartan and Phoenix serve their time and finally have their confrontation to the death. The massive structure of the cyroprison was built on a soundstage at Warner Bros. Because almost a third of the movie is set in this high-tech area, it had to carry a strong visual image.

The building's imposing look, with its downward-reaching spiral walkways, was originally envisioned by Marco Brambilla. I know Joel (Silver) has a particular affinity for the work of Frank Llovd Wright," he said, "so we took a variation of the Guggenheim Museum, a building

The megalopolis of San Angeles. on the other hand, was created to look as non-threatening and benign as possible - a clean, safe setting for peaceful inhabitants.

Wright designed in New York in the

50s, and adapted its spiral

architecture."

The city of 2032 is now San Angeles, which was renamed after a big earthquake in 2011 apparently forced in San Angeles.

leveled L.A. and gave them a chance to start over." explained Brambilla.

"It's a very correct, sterile kind of society, where the people live a very regimented and formal lifestyle. But I wanted it to be a bit theatrical. Most of the references were based on Japanese architecture and exaggerated to give the film more of a comic-book

The filmmakers wanted to make San Angeles more than an image; they wanted it to reflect the constraints of the people who live there. Anti-grafitti mechanisms, monitors worn under the skins of the city residents and voluminous clothing — all underline the way of life that is en-

#### 'The Program:' More than a 'guy' movie

THE PROGRAM

By Stacy Boucher

it's not just a "guy" movie.

Okay, so the majority of viewers were male, but a handful of females (including myself) were dragged by their boyfriends and husbands to see it. But once there, the men weren't the only ones to enjoy the film.

It's definitely a football movie, but the story line contains much more than rough and tumble field plays. It deals with legitimate events in the competitive sport of university foot-ball, including cover-ups, steroids, stress, injunes, alcoholism, educa-tion outside of sports, and even love

The action on screen catches and keeps your attention. So don't brush off this film as "just another football

Take a chance and go see it. You'll be happily surprised.

MALICE

By Traci McDowell Highland

With more twists than 10 gin-andtonics, "Malice" will keep you

Director Harold Becker slams us with another almost-too confusing thriller that rivals his last film. "Sea of

Centering on a New England college town searching for a senal rapist who cuts off his victims' hair. Bill Pullman plays a college professor married to Nicole Kidman, a \*Snow White character with abdominal

However, a thicker plot forms. Alec Baldwin stars as a pompous Page? surgeon who moves in with the seem-

ingly picture-perfect couple. Bebe Neuwirth, Lilith from 'Cheers," plays a detective tracking

the rapist when the story unfolds Highlighting the film is a scene with Ann Bancrost playing a sarcastic mother with a taste for good scotch. Although not gory, the film con-

tains violence and sexual situations. If you can overlook the poor accents of Kidman, who's trying to lose her Australian brogue, and Neuwirth, who adopts a Bostonian tongue, the movie is entertaianing.

"Malice" appeals to anyone who thirsts for suspense, twisting plots and a shot of humor.

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## RECORD **SPORTS**

## **Tankers** edgedby Chiefs 51-42

By SCOTT DANIEL Sports Editor

The Western Division's two best swimming teams squared off Thursday at Northville High.

But it wasn't the Mustangs that were left standing, as Plymouth Canton won the showdown 51-42. Although each squad has a few division meets left, it's very unlikely the Chiefs will lose.

"We started out strong," said Northville coach Bill Dicks. "But I guess their performance picked up at

The coach said his team's emphasis will now focus on the Nov. 3 conference meet and on the state meet late next month.

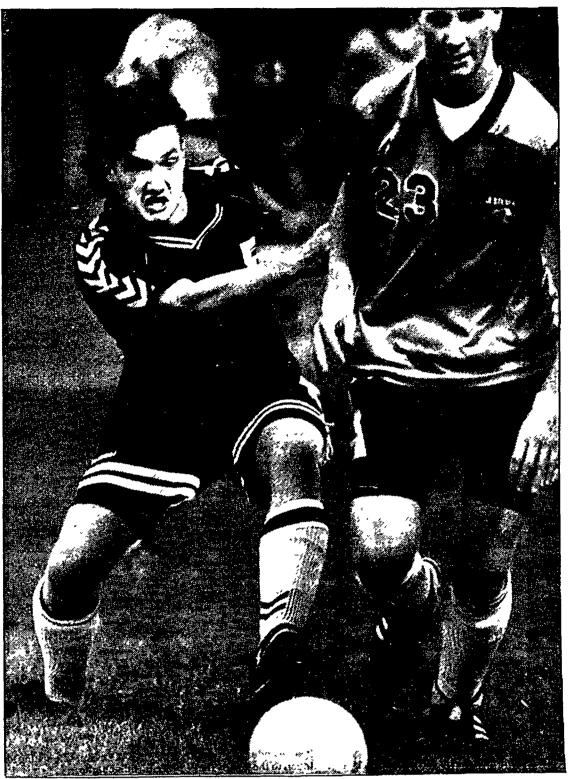
Even with the setback, Northville had some excellent performances Thursday. A total of 19 personal bests were set and Amity Heckemeyer got her third state qualifying time of the season in the 100-yard freestyle.

"The loss stung for a while," Dicks said. "But the girls were really happy with their performances."

Northville took first and third in the 200-yard medley relay. The team of Rebecca Anderson, Gwen and Sheila Osborne and Andrea Moretu were first in 2:00 while Kara Lyczak. Mandy VanHorn, Tammy Cook and Jodi Brown were third in 2:03.

Arry Kohl placed second in the 200 freestyle in 2:05.9 and Brenda Newton was third. Heckemeyer and Brown set personal bests in the 50 freestyle, and took first and third. respectively.

Sarah Carney's 204.10 points in diving were her best ever and good for second place. Amy Cristof was fourth



Bo Fowler (left) scored a goal for Northville High last week.

Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

## Canton drops kickers to third in division race

By SCOTT DANIEL Sports Editor

The Mustang soccer team had a chance for first place in the WLAA's Western Division but wound up in third instead as Canton beat Northville High 4-1 on Oct. 13.

Livonia Churchill took the division championship with the Chiefs finishing a notch ahead of Northville. The Mustangs finished the regular season at 8-6-3 overall and 2-1-2 in the

"We had a great season," said coach Doug Lyon. "It was the first time we've played for the division championship in a long time."

Northville played the part of ag-

gressor early on against Canton. The Mustangs missed a golden opportunity to leap ahead in the first five minutes by missing an open net, Lyon

The momentum changed to Canton's side a few minutes later. Mustang goalkeeper Ty Fowler got tangled up with a Canton player and officials called him for holding the Chief down.

The home team was then awarded a penalty kick and converted for a 1-0 lead at the eight-minute mark. The Chiefs went up 2-0 about 20 minutes

Lyon said he felt his team wasn't out of the game at that point. "We've been down on better teams

and come back," he said.

The half ended with Northville

down 2-0.

The Mustangs finally got on the scoreboard at the 20:49 mark of the second half. Matt Topous sent a corner kick toward Canton's goal and Rob Nelson sent a shot past the Chief keeper to make it 2-1.

But that's as far as the comeback would go. The Chiefs scored twice in the last five minutes to take the

"We had a great season. It was the first time we've played for the division championship in a long time."

> **DOUG LYON** Soccer coach

#### NORTHVILLE 2. WALLED LAKE

The Mustangs played one of their best games in weeks Oct. 11. Lyon said the difference may have been a simple attitude adjustment.

We just went into the game with more of a positive attitude I think," he said. "We came in more pumped up."

Lyon said Northville needed the emotion against a good Viking team.
"Walled Lake Central is a team that's really improved," he added.

Dan Lyczak got the Mustangs rolling at the six-minute mark. He scored on a feed from Nelson and Bo Fowler.

Fowler got the game winner about 15 minutes later. Nelson and Mike Kapusky assisted.

Northville slowed down in the second half but had enough left to beat Walled Lake. Lyon said the Vikings "got mad" and carried the play.

Central scored its lone goal about halfway through the second period.
"I wasn't worried," said Lyon.
"There was no fear we'd lose."

Northville starts state district play Monday at home against Livonia Churchill. A win there would pit the Mustangs against the winner of Ply mouth Salem and Walled Lake West-

ern next Wednesday. Baseline rival Novi Is also in the

## Cagers fall 55-47 to Harrison, streak now at five

By SCOTT DANIEL

ball court Thursday with a 54-47 setback to Farmington Hills Harrison on the road.

The Mustangs fought out of an 18-point hole to pull staying (focused) on the task within three late in the second half but couldn't complete the comeback. Gina Chiasson and Samantha Leger the first quarter. sparked Northville with 15 points each in the game.

were a lot of spurts and we were playing from behind all tangs up.

this fall. The Mustangs, in fact, haven't won since Sept. the Mustangs took a 14-11 lead by the end of the period.

We've lost five in a row but we've raised our level of

The coach added that his team remains upbeat despite Northville High's losing streak hit five on the basket- its difficulties, saying a "positive" atmosphere still exists. "Our reward is the camaraderie that we share," said Schwan. The kids are close. We're doing a good job of

Northville had to be focused to get back in the game in

The Hawks flew out to a 10-0 lead to start the contest. "It was a crazy game," said coach Gary Schwan. There A turneout called by Schwan seemed to wake the Mus-

Chiasson almost singlehandedly brought Northville After a 5-2 start, Northville has fallen on hard times back. The freshman scored 10 points in the quarter and As fast as Harrison lost the lead, the Hawks regained it

in the second. Northville went cold and Farmington raced with eight points. Schwan said he's been getting a good to a 23-18 lead by halftime.

"We don't seem to have a game without a bad quarter," said Schwan. "But its never the same quarter.

The Mustangs' sluggishness carned over early in the third period.

36-18 lead. But, hold on, the Mustangs weren't dead yet. Leger led Northville with seven by the start of the final quarter. Chiasson heated back up with five points in the

fourth and the Mustangs made it a 43-40 game with a little more than two minutes to go. The game then turned into a free-throw shooting con-

test and the Hawks cruised in with the victory. Krista Snow led Farmington Hills with 13 points.

effort from all of his players and, with a few more breaks. Northville will get back on the right track.

"I believe we'll stick one of these teams," he added The Mustangs play at home tonight at 7 p.m. against Livonia Churchill.

LIVONIA STEVENSON 48 NORTHVILLE 32

The Mustangs went up against the Western Lakes Activities Association's best team Oct. 12 and hung tough most of the way. Schwan said Northville played solid defense but just

couldn't find the basket. Stevenson, he added, had a lot to do with that by throwing different combinations of presses and defenses at the Mustangs.

They're a very good team," said Schwan. "It's been

Kari Krupansky played a strong game for Northville that way for a couple of years."

## Northville destroys Walled Lake

By SCOTT DANIEL Sports Editor

It was a debacle pure and simple.

Northville High manhandled Walled Lake Western Friday night on the road to the tune of 40-0. The Mustangs piled up more than 300 yards of offense and defensively choked the Warriors, which were playing before a large Home-

coming crowd.
It wasn't the team we prepared for," Northville coach Darrel Schumacher said.

Although it's tough to evaluate performance in such a lopsided game, he said he was pleased with his team's effort.

"I think we're improving," said Schumacher. Our desense played very well and the kids stood up and made the plays when we needed them."

Quarterback Marc Golden stood tall against the Warriors. He threw a pair of touchdown passes and ran for another score all in the first half.

"I'm pleased with Golden's progression." Schumacher said of the senior, who connected on four of five passes for nearly 100 yards. I think he's gaining more confidence in what to do out there." Northville moved to 6-1 on the



Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

## Canton beats both cross country teams

By SCOTT DANIEL Sports Editor

It took Adrienne Browne's bestever race Thursday for the Mustang cross country team to avoid a shutout by Plymouth Canton.

Browne finished sixth with an outstanding 21:18 at Cass Benton. Northville coach Nick Dunwoodie wasn't surprised by her performance. He said Browne has improved her racing times a great deal since last fall.

"I'd like to see her get under 21 minutes," the coach said. "If she (continues to improve) next year she'll be one of the best in the league."

The 15-49 loss to Canton didn't come as a shock to Dunwoodie. He said the Chiefs are state title contenders with as many as five runners under 20 minutes

"They've got a shot," said Dunwoodie

Canton is far and away the WLAA's best team, he added. The Chiefs should win Saturday's conference meet. Dunwoodie said his team could finish anywhere from second to

"We've got a chance anywhere after (Canton)," he added.

Monica Nayakwadi was the second Northville runner to finish against the Chiefs. She set a personal best of 22.06 some 15 seconds better

than her previous best. Erin Maloney was 11th overall in

22:52 while Laura Brown was 12th in 23:07. Alissa Nadeau took 14th in 23:30. Laura Thomas finished in 23:50 and Jodi Clark in 24:59.

Northville closed its regular season out Tuesday against Walled Lake Western, after Northville Record deadline. Dunwoodie said he would rest many of the Mustangs until Saturday.
"We'll aim for the conference

meet," he said

BOYS' CROSS COUNTRY

Unfortunately for Northville High. the Chiefs' boys squad was just as tough as the girls' team. Canton beat the Mustangs 15-46. Once again, Canton pushed the

first five runners across Northville's

Nate Kirmis ran his personal best to take sixth place in 17:39. Matt Demi won the race in 17:17 for the Chiefs. We were looking for the upset,"

said Northville coach Ed Gabrys. "It would have been bigger than Michigan-Penn State.

Scott Lloyd ran his best time of the season Thursday as well. He finished in seventh place with a time of 17:42.

Mark Ritter was 10th in 18.23 while Jeff Zwiesler took 11th in 19:11. Chris Shiftar was 12th in 19.25, Jeff Luterek finished in 20:19 and Steve Emseley in 20.59.

Gabrys said his team heads into the conference meet at full strength. "I think we'll be as healthy as we

can be," he said. Northville runs in state regional competition on Oct. 30.

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John Gatti stops a Western rusher in his tracks Friday night.

#### Scoreboard

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League Line

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Northville Hot Spurs beat Farmington 4-1 on Oct. 9. Brian Lake scored twice while Jeff Dunne and Jesse Dorsey added goals Jeff Huguelet and Christopher Ber-

nardo were MVPs.
Northville Lightning and Farmington tied 1-1 on Oct. 9. Bill Walsh got the North-

ville goal and was the offensive MVP. Philip Netti was the defensive MVP. Phymouth handed the Northville Row-

dies a 4-1 setback on Oct. 9. Mario Castrodale scored.
Farmington beat Northville Arsenal 1-0
Joey Gallagher and Charlie Snearly were

BOYS UNDER 10 Novi beat Northville Sting 3-1 on Oct. 9. Jon Paul Mistulis got the only goal for the Sting. David Wendland and Tim Calkins

were MVPs
Plymouth shut out Northville Cosmos 1-0 on Oct. 9 A.J. Samotis and Matt Hannah were MVPs for Northville.

Plymouth whipped Northville stompers

7-0 on Oct. 9.

BOYS UNDER 11

Northville Thunder and Novi played to a 0-0 tie on Oct. 9 Justin Beagan and Jon McClory were MVPs.

MCLORY WERE MYPS.
Northville Sting beat Brighton 3-0 on Oct. 9. Matt LoPiccolo, Derrick Lake and Scott Wetcksel scored. Jeff Fielhaver was the defensive MVP and Steve Bernacki got

Northville Express beat Plymouth 2-1 on Oct. 9. Mark Thomson and Josh Julow

BOYS UNDER 12/14
Northville United under 12 squad beat
Plymouth 1-0 on Oct. 9. Steve Yulzy

The United team shut out Livonia 4-0 on Oct. 9. Matt Shelley scored twice with Corey Dunmead and Michael Cristof adding goals.
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Lyon 2-0 on Oct. 10. Jeff Braziunas and Gabe Cristof scored for Northville.

Farmington stopped Northville United 3-1 on Oct. 9. Katie Bink scored while Lindsay Miglio was the offensive MVP.

Plymouth beat Northville Arsenal 2-1 on Oct. 9. Nicole Oshanski scored for the Arsenal Defensive standouts included Ashley Kniceley, Margot Spera and Lisa

GIRLS UNDER 12
Livonia beat Northville Arsenal 1-0 on Oct. 9. Jeanette Hoefer and Katie Last

Northville United beat Plymouth 3-1 on Oct. 9. Jennifer Caverly scored twice and Jennifer Hudolin added a goal. Kathryn Lemieur was the MVP. United is 4.1 on the

Northville Sting and Livonia tied 0-0 on Oct. 7. Lauren Rese and Christina Lewis were MVPs Aimee Jachym got the shutout

in goal GIRLS UNDER 14/16 Plymouth beat Northville Express under 14 on Oct. 10. Kate Vannier and Natalie Thompson were offensive MVPs Jen-

nifer Taylor and Amanda Shepard played strong defense. Farmington blitzed the Northville United under 16 team 7-1 on Oct. 9. Karen Atkinson got United's goal. Erin Bowdell

was the defensive MVP.
Northville United under 16 edged South Lyon 1-0 on Oct. 10. Julie Flis and Kristy Juip were MVPs. STING SOCCER

The Northville Sting premier team tied league leading Birmingham 1-1 on Oct. 9 Lauren Gugala scored for the Sting Sarah Yageman had an excellent day in goal and was supported by the defensive play of Le-cia Harmer and Allison Murphy. Nicky Gellner and Kristin Smith played solid at

The Sting fell 3-1 to Kalamazoo Oct. 10. Elise Hanania scored for Northville and was assisted by Kristy Maciver. Blakley Barry and Megan Reardon played well of-fensively while midfielders were led by Kerri Whelan and Janice Tharp.
LYSC SOCCER

The Little Caesars Girls Under 16 team recently competed in the prestigious WAGS tournament in Alexandria, Va. After winning the required regulation games, they advanced to the semi-finals and lost in overtime to the Potomac Pros of Potomac, Md. Team members included Northville and Novi residents Suzanne Novi Institute and Novi residents. McQuaid, Jennifer Sheehand and Kristen Wasalaski.

## Netters bounced from regionals

By SCOTT DANIEL Sports Editor

The luck of the draw certainly wasn't with the Mustang tennis team Friday at state regional competition in Waterford.

Northville High had the misfortune of drawing the field's toughest teams, namely Bloomsield Hills Lahser and West Bloomfield, in the early rounds. As a result, the Mustangs were unable to advance to state finals this weekend.

"We just didn't have any luck with our draws," said Mustang coach Uta Filkin. "It wasn't very nice, but that's the way it goes sometimes."

Jackie Moore was one of the few Northville players to garner a seed in the tournament. The Mustangs' top singles player received a bye in the first round and then beat North Farmington's Keely Jones 6-2, 6-1 in her first match. Moore was bounced from the tournament in the semi-finals by Lahser's Carrie Rose 6-3, 6-1.

That girl is really strong," said Filkin. "She's quite a little player."

At No. 2 singles, Susanna Anton fell in the first round to Novi's Megan Oleszek 6-0, 6-1. Jenny Pollock won her first match in two sets but then player in two sets.



Photo by JON FREILICH Although she didn't compete in regionals, Abby Semeyn has been a regular in doubles play for

fell 6-0, 6-3 to a Lahser player in round two.

the Mustangs this fall.

Kyley Mills received the No. 3 seed at last doubles. She beat Arry Marks of North Farmington 6 0, 6-2 in the second round and then lost a semifinal match to yet another Lahser

Nerves may have gotten the better of Jennifer McCormick and Lisa Wagner at top doubles. The Mustang duo lost in the first round in two sets.

Novi's Debbi Coonce and Jackie Gabriel beat Nanda Filkin and Meghan Connery for the third time this season at No. 2 doubles. Northville's final doubles team, Julie Weix and Chrissy Kapusky, made it to the semifinals.

They beat teams from Milford and Novi before falling to the top seeds in the semifinals. Filkin said she was a little disappointed with the tournament.

"Overall," she said, "it wasn't the best we've done."

#### **Sport Shorts**

MARATHON: Northville marathon star Doug Kurtis took third place in the annual Detroit Free Press/Mazda Marathon Saturday. A six-time winner of the event, Kurtis, 41, was the winner of the Master's Division with a time of 2:22:46. Among Northville female competitors, Robyn Frankowicz was the highest finisher (18th) with a time of 3:12:21.

Other Northville finishers included: Sally Bataran 3:55:46, Donna Swanson 3:22:17, Janice Valade 3:52:15, Andrew Bankson 3:41:43, Victor Barkoski 3:14:16, Keith Bilby 2:45:52, Richard Brown 3:39:49, Ed Cassel 3:56:22, Bill Courtney 2:32:28, Alan Dilley 4:32:41, Doug Dreher 3:13:17. James Gilland 3:35:06, David Gugala 4:39:56, Tim Kleczynski 3:48:49, Ken Lazur 3:29:52, Jon Logan 3:37:34, Patrick McMahon 4:22:21, Robert Robbins 4:46:03, William Rossow 3:43:16. Joe Ruthersord 4:46:46, Robert Thomas 5:26:49, Tom Valade 4:07:08, Michael Webster 2:51:21, Dave Wooten 3:25:52, Dale Yagiela 3:11:53 and Tom York 4:02:11.

FORMER MUSTANGS: Chris Lemmon, a 1990 NHS graduate, tied for ninth place in the Northern Intercollegiate Golf Tournament in Ann Arbor earlier this month.

Kalamazoo College junior Bob Holloway was named Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association defensive player of the week. Holloway, a linebacker, leads the team in tackles and interceptions.

Bob Dudley of Bowling Green State University was named Mid American Scholar Athlete of the week recently. Dudley is a twoyear starter on the defensive

## Gridders destroy Walled Lake Western on road

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season. The Mustangs face Livonia Stevenson tomorrow on the road at 7:30 p.m. in the Western Lakes Activities Association crossover game. Winner of the game will take third place in the conference this season.

A victory over the Spartans would almost ensure a state playoff spot. Northville is currently second in its Class A region. The top four teams in each region make the playoffs.

"A lot of things can happen," said Schumacher. But if we don't work for it we could be on the outside look-

The coach said his team will be ready for Stevenson.

"I think we're taking them sen-ously, "said Schumacher." I think the

kids will be focused." Northville was certainly focused Friday night.

As it turned out, the Mustangs put together one of their longest scoring drives on their first possession. Northville began on its own 20 yard line and scored eight plays later.

The Mustangs faced just one third down play on the drive. At his own 34. Golden scrambled left avoiding several Warrior linemen. He finally found Justin Cataldo wide open and the junior receiver went 41 yards to the Western 12-yard line.

Three plays later. Bryan Kelley rumbled in for a one-yard touchdown at the 8:32 mark of the first quarter.

Northville recovered a Walled Lake fumble on Western's second play from scrimmage at the Warrior 46. Seven plays later Golden hit John Farrar on a slant pattern for a 13-yard TD. The Mustangs went for a two-point conversion and failed, but took a 12-0 lead with 3:57 to go in the

The game became a rout in the second quarter.

Northville needed less than two minutes to make it 190. After a Bnan Jackson interception, the Mustangs started on Western's 32-yard line.

Aneil Kersey ran three straight times down to Walled Lake's 19. On first down. Golden connected with Jason Holman for a 19-yard TD. The Farrar's catch.

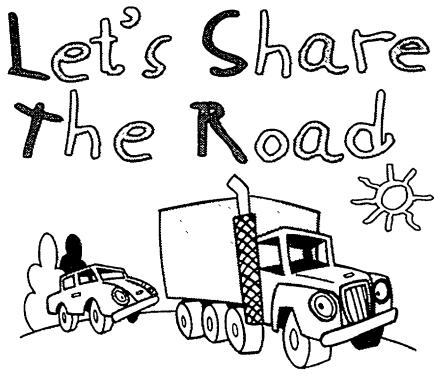
It became 33-0 by halftime. Kelley got his second score on a 17-yard run as he burst through the

pass, which came at 6:46 of the sec- middle of the Warrior defense and quick. ond quarter, was nearly identical to then up the left sideline to the end

the 1:20 mark.

Northville got its final touchdown zone. Golden rushed for a touchdown thanks to a couple of John Gatti himself with a 24-yard scramble at runs. The senior fullback ran 61 yards to the Western 2-yard line mid-The second half was mercifully way through the third quarter.





## Tip #6-Avoid Tailgating

Avoid tailgating. By following too closely, car drivers increase their chances of a rear end collision with a truck. Car drivers should always keep a 4 second following distance. In foul weather, increase your following distance to 6-8 seconds. Please wear your safety belt at all times, someone cares.





## RECORD RECREATION



## Carnival celebrates Halloween holiday

Calling all witches, ghosts and goblins. Calling all ballerinas, Ninja Turtles and even Barneys! You are invited to Novi Parks & Recreation's third annual Halloween Carnival on Friday, Oct. 29, from 5-7:30 p.m. at the Novi Civic Center. Bring your daddy and mumnny for a haunting good time!

Kids of all ages are welcome to come in costume and have a very ghoulish evening! You will also receive a special mystery prize if you wear a costume. There will be haunting activities, scary games, refreshments and Halloween goody bags for everyone. Special treats will be provided by Novi's own Olive Garden Italian Restaurant.

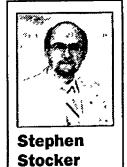
At 7:30 p.m. get ready for a special Halloween puppet show featuring Maureen Schillman, children and family entertainer. Travel with Maureen through a musical jamboree as she involves you in song, movement, puppetry and storytelling. See CoCo. her well-loved, kazoo-playing monkey puppet.

This fun-filled Halloween Carnival is another great holiday activity brought to you by your friends at Novi Parks and Recreation. Visit the Novi Civic Center for free family fun. Preregistration is not required. Call Parks and Rec at 347-0400 for more



Maureen Schiffmanwill provides the entertainment in Novi's upcoming halloween carnival.

## Clinical depression is treatable



breaking. Another dark and gloomy day. The sense that I amin a room full of sadness and emptiness. I feel a wave of melancholy pass through me and tears threaten to burst forth, but tears do not come. The gloominess has woven its spell. Sadness engulfs me and I try

to remove it with positive thoughts. But it's too overwhelming, I am consumed with feelings of • Changes in appetite despair and hopelessness. I feel defeated. 

Changes in sleeping patterns Where is my hope? Where is my life? Numb, I cease to care. I just sit and stare at the world passing me by!

Carol, a victim of depression, is describing a recent episode of major depression.

Clinical depression is a serious medical condition affecting about 11 million people a year. Twenty-five percent of all women and 10 percent of men will suffer from depression during their lives. While the majority of people become depressed between ages 24 and 44, depression also affects children, adolescents and the elderly.

It is sometimes more difficult to recognize depression in adolescents and college-age youth since the symptoms can resemble normal teen

"The dawn was difficulties—mood changes and withdrawn behavior, irritability, relationship problems and school difficulties. However, if not diagnosed and left untreated, some adolescents and young adults can become vulnerable to suicide, which is now the second leading cause of death among people between the ages of 15 and 24.

Likewise, depression among the elderly may not be fully recognized because symptoms such as sadness, fatigue and withdrawal from life may be mistaken as part of the normal aging process. Symptoms of depression can include

the following:

- Feelings of sadness or irritability
- Loss of interest in sex and other activities

- Feeling guilty, hopeless and or worthless Inability to concentrate and make decisions
- Fatigue or loss of energy Restlessness or decreased activity
- Thoughts of suicide or death

If you suffer from four or more of these symptoms, it is possible that you are depressed. Your depression can interfere with your job functioning as well as your family life. You may feel sad, empty and hopeless about your future. You may feel guilty, anxious, lose interest in your friends and family, and have many physical aches and pains that have no medical explanation.

It is important to understand that with the proper treatment, most depressed patients can overcome their difficulties and return to a productive and enjoyable life. Treatment for depression involves the use of psychotherapy and

People with mild to moderate symptoms often recover with psychotherapy alone, while those suffering severe depression will usually also require medication. There are several new antidepressant medications that are highly effective and have fewer side effects than earlier

Psychotherapy that helps identify and modify their negative thinking is particularly effective with depression. Psychotherapy can also help address problems in interpersonal relations. In addition, psychotherapy can help patients learn to deal more effectively with stress, which may have triggered the depression episode in the first place. By learning new coping skills, future episodes of depression are less

If someone in your family is suffering from severe depression, it is important for you to know that medical and psychosocial treatment is necessary. No amount of "cheering up" can make depression go away. Telling your spouse or relative to "be tough," or "just snap out of it," will only make matters worse.

Stephen Paul Stocker, ACSW, BCD is cofounder of Psychotherapy and Counseling Services in Northville. This column is coordinated by Peg Campbell and the staff at the U-M Health

#### **Recreation Briefs**

## Bowling outing planned by city

BOWLING OUTING: Northville Parks and Recreation is sponsoring a bowling outing for city children. On Friday, Nov. 26, an outing for chidren ages 5-13 will be held from 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the Novi Bowl. For \$10, children get two hours of bowling, shoe rental and a pizza lunch. For more information call 349-0203.

SWIM CLUB: Clarenceville swim club is holding tryouts for its yearround swim program. There are openings at all levels, munchkins, bronze, silver, gold and seniors. For more information, call Mary Ellen Mathie, membership chairperson at 476-6659.

COACH NEEDED: Northville High is looking for a girls' gymnastics coach. Those interested should contact athletic director Dennis Colligan at 344-8403.

JUNIOR BASEBALL: Northville Junior Baseball is accepting applications for coaches for the 1994 travel baseball program. Interested coaches may contact David Jerome at 348-9097.

HAUNTED FOREST WALK: A haunted forest walk at Maybury State Park will be held the evenings of Oct. 22 and 23 from 7-10 p m. The walk, "Maybury Madness," sponsored by the Northville Parks and Recreation Department, will be a guided tour along a path where participants will experience spooky Halloween

Tickets will be available at the Community Center. Large group sales (five or more) will begin Oct. 1; individual tickets will go on sale Oct. 8. Ticket price is \$7 and includes admission to the park, haynde, cider and donuts. For more information call the rec department at 349 0203.

SKI CLUB: All Northville students grades 6-12 are invited to join the Northville Parks and Recreation ski club. The club travels to local ski areas on most Friday and Saturday evenings. Registration begins Nov. 6 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. for a fee of \$80 at Meads Mill Middle School in conjunction with the Mothers Club Ski Sale.

Skiclub staff will be on hand to answer your questions. Students must attend to have a photo taken for their identification All registration after Nov. 6 will be done at the Northville Parks and Recreation office at 303 W. Main St. in downtown Northville. For more information, call 349-0203.

**BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT: A** three-on-three tournament open to boys and girls grades six to 12 will be held Nov. 20 at the Northville Community Center. Teams will be placed in age divisions based on the age of the oldest player. Registration deadline is Nov. 16 and the cost is \$32 per team. Four players must be registered.

GYMNASTICS: The Northville Parks and Recreation department is offering gymnastic classes for youths of all ages. Classes, for both boys and girls, are divided based on age and skill level. Classes are \$35 and registration is currently being accepted at the department, 303 W. Main St. in Northville. For more information call 349 0203.

YOUTH ACTIVITY NIGHT: Youths ages 13-18 are invited to come out to Northville Community Center on Nov. 5 from 9 p.m. to 12 a m. for a night of basketball, volley-

ball and other games. Bring a friend and attend the youths-only event. The fee is \$2 per person. Call 349-0203 for more information.

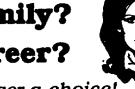
PRESCHOOL HALLOWEEN PARTY: Preschoolers ages 3-5 and their parents are invited to attend a Halloween Party on Wednesday, Oct. 27, from 4-5 30 p m at the North-fille Community Center. Children and adults are encouraged to wear costumes Registration deadline is Oct. 25. The party is limited to 60 kids. For more information call 349 0203

PANTASY BASKETBALL: The po pularity of Northville Public Library's Fantasy Baseball program has prompted expansion of fantasy sports leagues to include basketball. General managers of any age choose or draft NBA players whom they feel will perform well during the coming season and place them in strategic

Instruction/entry forms will be made available the last week of September. The deadline for joining is Nov. 1. after which general managers need only sit back and await the re-







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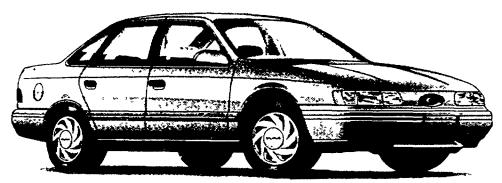
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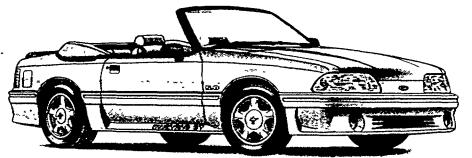
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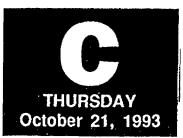
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## Conserving energy

By James W. Woodard Copley News Service

As we move into the winter months, the subject of energy conservation in the home becomes increasingly important.

Why is my home electric bill so high? I think the electric lines coming into our home must somehow throw electricity into the atmosphere."

That comment was expressed by a homeowner who attended one of many energy-conserving presenta-tions delivered by Monique Castro. an energy services representative for the Edison Co. She answered the question and offered information that is usable by homeowners throughout the country.

"It's not possible to loose electricity by having it escape from lines and drift into the atmosphere," Castro said. "But the comment is typical of those I hear at service clubs and other groups where I present information programs. Many people don't know the basics of energy and its conservation in the home."

For warm fall days, Castro suggests several specific commonsense steps to keep electricity costs down. For example, she recommends opening windows to cool

the house instead of using the air conditioner. Set the thermostat to off" when you're away from home.

She also urged people to keep their drapes closed during the day to reduce heat gain. And shade window areas from direct sunlight with window awnings, trees or

As we move into the winter season, Castro has other suggestions for saving energy costs.

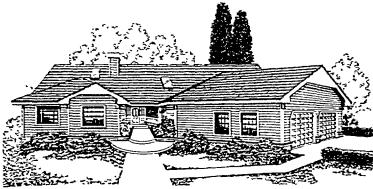
By setting the thermostat at 68 degrees or lower you can save a lot of electricity and cost. Just a 4 percent reduction can save as much as 28 percent in heating energy consumption. And you can save even more by lowering the thermostat to 55 degrees when you go to bed or when you're away from home during the day.

Castro also recommends keeping windows and doors closed when heating the house. Weatherstripping around those windows and doors will effectively cut down drafts.

She also suggests drawing the drapes on cloudy days and at night to reduce radiated heat loss through windows. But on warm days, open the drapes and let the sunlight in, she said.

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#### **HOME DESIGNS**



## The Darby offers privacy along with cheerfulness

By James McAlexander Copley News Service

Cheerful and sunny, the Darby is also very private. Only the two children's bedrooms have streetfacing windows.

orm of brick planters filled with colorful flowers that flank the front

walkway. Every room has at least one large window, but the sun room is the brightest. It has seven skylights, three large windows and French

Light from this richly illuminated space spills over into the vaulted living room and dining room. In winter, when the sky is dark, the tile-hearthed fireplace takes over

as the focal point. The large country kitchen is also skylit and vaulted. A central work island adds to the already ample counter space.

In fact, some families might prefer to replace the counter by the pantry with a built-in desk. One wall of shelves in the huge walk-in pantry is directly accessible from the kitchen.

A small bathroom is just around the corner, conveniently close to the garage as well.

The generously sized utility room

is but a few steps away from both the kitchen and the garage. It has a fold-down ironing board and a long counter for folding clothes. The family sewing machine might also find a permanent home here.

Extra space for storage and a A cheerful aspect comes in the workshop is at the back of the

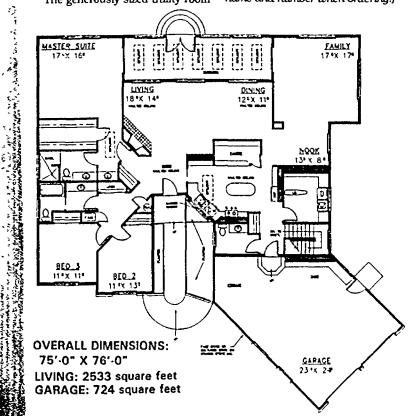
Basement stairs are tucked between the utility room and the garage. If the home is built without a basement, this space can be an additional storage closet.

Sleeping quarters are clustered together on the left side of the

The master suite has a private bathroom with oversize shower. Other luxury features include an extra-large walk-in closet and a skylit dressing area with a vanity outside the bathroom.

The other two bedrooms share a compartmentalized bathroom, which allows two people to use the bathroom at once, and still have privacy. Teenagers, especially, will appreciate this feature.

For a study plan of the Darby (332- 132) send \$7.50 to Landmark Designs, P.O. Box 2307 CN, Eugene, OR 97402. (Be sure to specify plan name and number when ordering.)





Eileen Anderson stops along the path of her garden. She spends up to 30 hours a week tending the flora.

## Can't see the GARDE

By ALICIA GARRISON

.. When Eileen and Bill Andersen of Brighton Township decide to take a stroll through their gardens, it usually turns into an all-evening

You see, the Andersens have a real "Secret Garden" to behold. Their 15-acre horse ranch is filled with interesting trees, brilliant colors and the sweet-smelling aroma of blossoms.

"It just makes me happy when I walk through my garden," said Eileen. "It's one of the most relaxing hobbies you can have."

When the Andersens purchased their ranch in the late 1970s, it didn't have one tree on it. Eileen said she started to envision how beautiful her yard could look with landscaping, flowers and trees, and her vivid imagination soon led to the creation of a breathtaking gar-

Today, the Andersens have more than 60 varieties of trees planted around their grounds. Ceramic signs are hung on the trees in case they forget their names. Some of the more unusual trees which can be found on the property are Japanese Tree Luac, Kentucky Coffee Tree, Camphor Down Elm and Weeping Purple Beech.

Globe Locusts are lined along both sides of the entry drive, giving the Andersens' home a dramatic introduction. An English garden with winding sidewalks accentuates the southern end of the ranch, and the barn area is surrounded by more trees yet.

In addition to their trees, the Andersens have more than 100 varieties of flowers. plants and herbs. They have an English garden, a vegetable garden, an herb garden and massive beds of perennials.

Indeed, the Andersens have their hands full caring for their arboretum and many gardens, but they wouldn't have it any other way.

"I guess you could say it's my main recreation...I can't be out here enough," said Eileen, who admitted to spending an average of 25-30 hours a week working in her garden "Sometimes I think I created a monster, but if

I didn't have it, I don't know what I would do." Since the Andersens planted their first tree 15 years ago, their garden has continued to flourish through the years. Elleen said she wants to expand her English garden and Bill wants to make a tunnel of Zel Cova trees

"I always have a couple mounds of mulch on hand to create new areas," Eileen said.

The Andersens' gardens aren't just for looks. Eileen said she has a purpose for everything she plants.

From her herb garden, she takes the sweetsmelling dried flower petals to make scented bouquets and potpourri. She grows edible herbs-such as sage, dill and mint-for seasoning foods, and harvests fresh flowers, buds and seed heads for wreaths. She makes the arrangements in a studio above the barn. where she hangs vrious plants to dry.

Eileen said she also sells dry herbs and different plants at the Brighton and Northville farmers' markets. "I started doing this 15 years ago and it just

intensifies every year." Elleen said.

Whenever the Andersens visit different states in the country, it's not unusual for them to rent a trailer to bring back new trees

The trees we've lost we probably shouldn't have planted in the first place because of this climate," Edeen said. "You have to nurture it (new tree) well during its first few years, but if it's really difficult to keep, you just can't fight

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### Fall cleanup will reduce spring's pests

By C.Z. Guest Copley News Service

By the end of October, most gardeners wrap up the gardening season. Yard and garden cleanup at this time is important to reduce pest problems next spring.

To prepare the vegetable garden for winter, remove all crop debris from the garden. Dead plants provide winter hiding places for insects and diseases, which can cause problems the following spring. Either till debris into the garden or put it on the compost

Plant material that is diseased should be disposed of or properly composted so the temperature in the pile is high enough to kill disease organisms. Fall plowing or tilling can

benefit the garden in several ways. Besides mixing in organic matter to improve soil structure and fertility, it also disrupts the life cycle of many insect pests exposing larvae and pupae to winter cold.

Plant a cover crop in the fall to reduce winter and spring weeds.

For sanitation in fruit crops. adopt good orchard practices. The destruction of harboring **GARDENING** 

places for insects and diseases plays a large part in a control program. Practices to in an orchard sanitation program include:

Mowing grass under trees and removing mulch within 1 inch of the trunk.

 Removing and destroying all dropped fruit. Raking and disposing of

apple and cherry leaves. Pruning and destroying all dead or diseased limbs. branches and twigs.

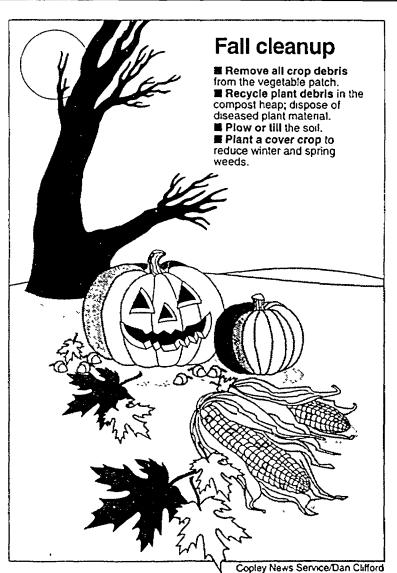
Canes of bramble fruits are biennial, the crowns are perennial. After fruiting, the old canes die while new shoots develop from crowns. Old fruiting canes may be removed any time after harvest.

They should be cut close to the base of the plant, removed from the plot and destroyed. Some growers, as a sanitation practice, do this immediately after harvest. However, most wait until the dormant pruning in late winter.

**PANSY PLANTING** 

The hottest item on the fall horticultural market is fall

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## Conserving energy; buying foreclosed property

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For year-round energy-saving measures. Castro urges people to insulate their homes effectively. Always close fireplace dampers when the fireplace is not in use to keep conditioned air from rising up the flue. And be sure to regularly clean or replace filters in your heating or air-conditioning system.

Many of the most effective ways to hold down energy costs are simple horse-sense methods, she said. But it does take time and effort to think through and implement

Incidentally, the single item that uses the most electricity in most homes is the refrigerator, Castro noted. The next most energy-consuming item is the water heat-

9. Is it safe to buy a foreclosed prop-

A. It's very risky unless you are a very knowledgeable real estate investor. It's difficult and sometimes impossible to examine the trustee's file to make sure all notices and matters leading to the

trustee's sale are in proper order. Failure to give proper notice to lien holders may invalidate the sale or may fail to eliminate a non-noticed lien. Also, if the owner losing the property through foreclosure files bankruptcy within a year of the sale, the bankruptcy court can set aside the sale if it finds it was not made for a fair equivalent value. And foreclosed properties are often burdened with overdue taxes and liens. You (the purchaser) could

be liable for these costs. These are just a few of the high-risk factors that are involved in many foreclosure property sales.

9. Why are so many real estate com-

panies merging?

A. Here's the view of William Lester. president of the real estate consulting firm of William Lester & Associates:

The big guys are definitely buying up the little guys. The residential real estate industry is going through a consolidation trend similar to that of the banking and airline industries. Reduced profitability is the root cause. And there's no indication that the current cycle of mergers and acquisitions is about to end "

Q. What's a good source of information about sellers taking back a mort-

A. A new book has been published on that subject, "Sell Your Property Fast-Take Back a Mortgage Without Being Taken. The authors are seasoned real estate practitioners Bill Broadbent and George Rosenberg. For information. write: Who's Who in Creative Real Estate. P. O. Box 23275, Ventura, CA 93002.

Questions may be used in future columns; personal responses should not be expected. Send inquiries to James M. Woodard, Copley News Service, P.O. Box 190, San Diego, CA 92112-0190

## New hybrid pansies for plant this fall

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pansy planting. Plant scientists and hybridizers have been working like

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short days of autumn, putting out flowers galore until frost becomes a regular

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shady location is best. Water well at planting time, and apply an organic fer-

Remove all faded blooms, encouraging new buds to open.

Accords make great companion plantings with spring bulbs, so don't miss the opportunity to liven up your garden this fall.

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.)

#### Tree garden

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The Andersens enjoy their gardens all year. In the spring, their gardens come alive with new leaves and blooms; by summer, the

color is at its peak intensity; in the fall, nature's re-seeding process begins all over again; and in the winter. white blankets of snow cover their plants, turning their garden into a winter wonderland.

\*A garden can be kept to

reflect all of the seasons if allowed to follow its natural course," Eileen said. "Your garden can be an expression of you. That, combined with nature, can create your very own special garden of vers-

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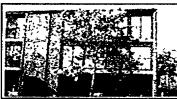
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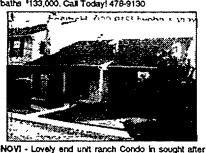
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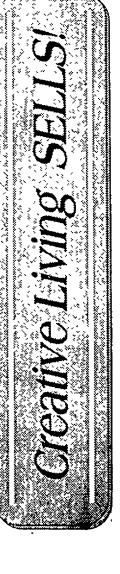
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## Table typical of early 20th century

By Anne McCollam Copley News Service

Q. Enclosed is a picture of an oak table that I inherited. It is over 80 years old and is in good condition. The table is 30 inches high and the top is 24 inches square.

Do you have an idea of how much it is worth?

A. Your parlor table was manufactured in the early 1900s. The ball-andclaw feet, the lower shelf attached to the legs and the scalloped top are typical of oak furniture made in the early 20th century.

This table would probably be valued around \$300 to \$325.

Q. I have a complete set of Noritake china. It is a service for 12 and consists of 93 pieces, including serving pieces. The dishes are two-tone white with a gold design on a darkblue border. Each dish is marked on the back with the letter "M" in a wreath and the "Noritake—Japan." wreath words

I had the set shipped home from Japan in 1953. It is still packed in two wooden boxes.

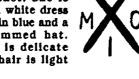
Can you give me any indication of its current value?

A. Noritake porcelain has been made in Nagoya, Japan, from 1904 to the present. The firm manufactures fine china for export. The "M" in the wreath stands for Morimura, the name of the brothers who founded the company. Your dinnerware was made in the mid20th cen-

Assuming there are no broken pleces, your set would probably be worth about \$900 to

Q. Enclosed is the mark on a porcelain female figure that has been in the family for **ANTIQUES** 

over 60 years. She is 4 inches tall and carrying a basket. She is wearing a white dress trimmed in blue and a wide brimmed hat. Her face is delicate and her hair is light



Is this a toothpick holder? When and where was it made and what is the approximate value?

A. Yes, it is a toothpick holder. They were very popular accessories in the Victorian era. American and European firms made them in a variety of materials, such as glass, silver plate and

Your holder was made by Metzler and Ortloff in Ilmenau, Germany, in the late 1800s. It would be worth about \$55 to

Q. I have two clear glass water goblets from the 1876 Centennial Exposition. They are decorated with a rope design around the top and have 1876 Centennial" etched in the

If you could give me any informa-tion on my goblets, I would be very grateful.

A. The 1876 Centennial Exposition was in Philadelphia. Inscribed glass plates, vases and goblets were some of the more popular items frequently produced to commemorate large exposiEach goblet would probably be worth about \$35 to \$45 in good condition.

Q. Fifty-two years ago I was given an elephant mechanical bank. On its back is a paper label of a bank in California. When the tail is pulled the trunk moves up so that a coin can be deposited into its back. It is made of cast iron and still works.

Does my bank have any value? A. Cast-iron mechanical banks date

as far back as 1870. Condition and those having the original paint help decide the price.

Your bank would be of interest to collectors of both banks and elephant items. It was made in the 1930s. The value would be \$150 to \$550 depending on the condition.

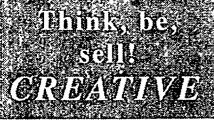
Q. I have a Royal Doulton figurine of "Sweet Anne." It is marked "HN 1496," is 7 inches tall and is in perfect shape. She is wearing a red hooped skirt, patterned red jacket, shaded red and blue bonnet and rib-

Can you tell me its vintage and value?

A. Sweet Anne was designed by L. Harradine for Royal Doulton and pro-

duced between 1932 and 1967. Your figurine would probably be worth about \$275 to \$300.

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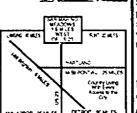


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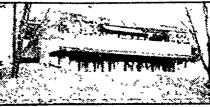
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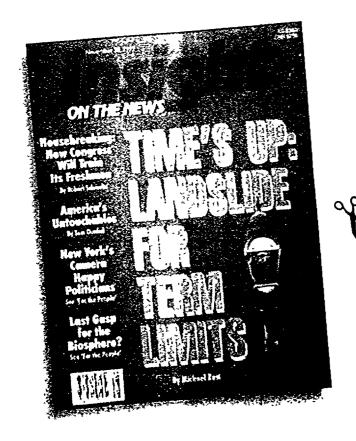
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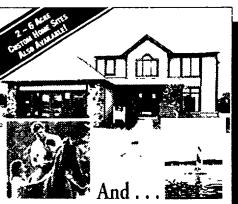
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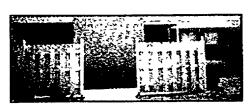
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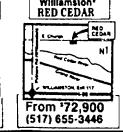
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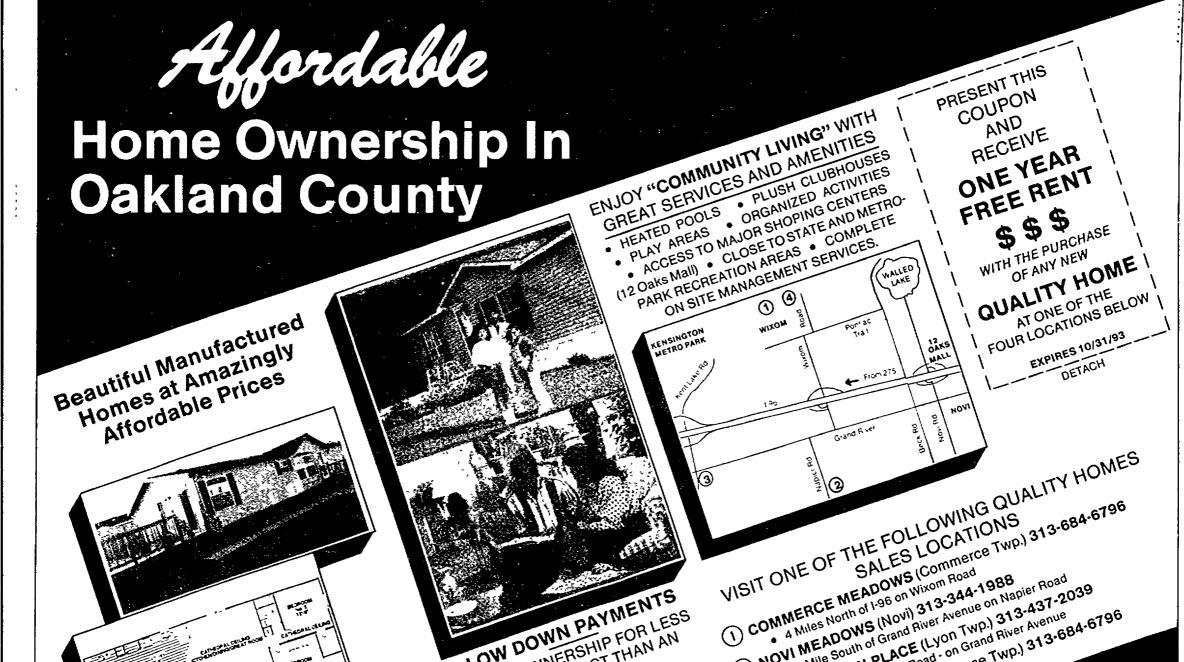


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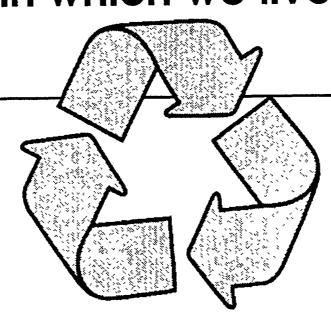
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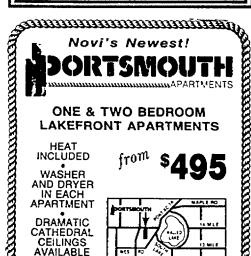
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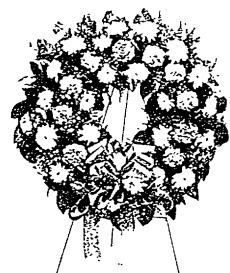


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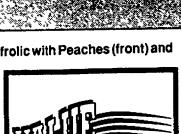
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"We can do cats," sald owner Barb

Bocci. "But the reason dogs tend to be more popular with us is because they are social animals. With dogs, behavior problems tend to erupt when they're lest alone.

"Cats don't go through the same

thing. But we do get some cats who are recovering from surgery where they can't be left alone for eight or nine hours. We get dogs in for the same reason.

Yupple Puppy Day Care grew out of the Trainers Academy, a small chain of dog obedience schools. The first daycare location was in Union Lake. That center, like the one in Novi, is a full-service facility, meaningit offers obedience classes in addition to the day care.

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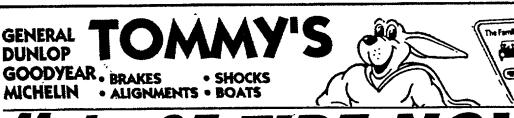
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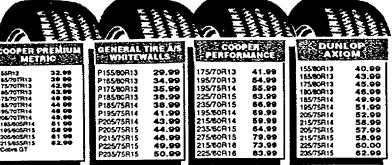
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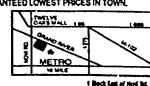
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When they first tested the concept, the owners discovered that not only was there a big demand (they were at full capacity within a year), but the visitors were not just pupples either.

"We handle a lot of geriatric dogs." said Bocci. "When they get older, they can become incontinent, and can't hold themselves for eight hours. Maybe they can only go for four hours

Customers with pupples and mature dogs appreciate knowing that

up speed. And the number of new

home sales in Michigan are expected

to rise modesly during the third

"July's residential report, released

in late September, reflects a positive

gain for the industry and it appears

increase," says Mike Hofer of Wel-

come Homes in Clarkston, 1993

President of the Michigan Associa-

right now, mortgage rates are low and state.

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starts in Michigan have begun to pick have been in years." Hofer says.

that new home sales will continue to Builders in Lansing is comprised of

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but can't see leaving them alone for eight hours a day.

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Evening obedience sessions are available as well. The six week classes have separate sections for pupples and mature dogs.

The basic daycare gets your pet at least two play periods a day in groups of up to five or six dogs. The socialization is carefully monitored and controlled by trainers.

Some dogs are great playmates, their dog won't get lonely at home all and some are not," said Bocci. "When day.

This especially gives the single trainers will monitor him to see if he's we get a new dog into the group, the

starts total \$2.029 billion, which

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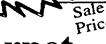
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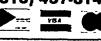
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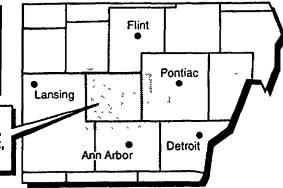
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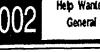
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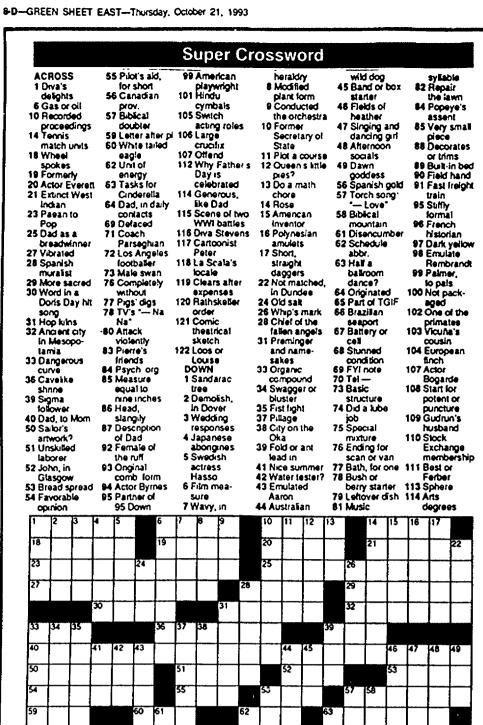
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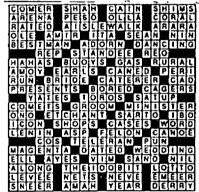


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Aquanum whiter, craft supplies, fabric pieces & trims, baby riems, clothes & misc. 619 Mill St., off

MILFORD TWP. Childrens to

adult clothing- some large sizes, hand tools, building materials, trusses for 14x20 room, misc household nems. Fn & Sat., Oct. 22, 23. 9-5. 995 Adams Rd Off.

Dawson Rd., between S Milford Rd., & S. Hill Rd.

NORTHVILLE. Oct. 22, 9am-5pm. Oct. 23, 9am-3pm 7/10th of a mile W. of 1-275, off 7 Mile to Manwell, turn 1 blk N. to

41074 Stoneleigh. Table saw, drill press, shaper, air compres-

sor, garden tools, household tems and electric baseboard

GM Rd by Johnson School.

HOWELL St. Joseph's Catholic 9am to 6pm.

MOVING SALES PLACED UNDER THIS COLUMN MUST HOWELL M-59 and Butler, 2094 Moore Place. Furniture, knick-knacks, glassware, clothes, shelves, etc. Sat. 9am to 5pm BE PREPAID AND START WITH THE CITY WHERE THE SALE IS HOWELL Rummage sale, St. HOWELL Rummage sale, St. School Gym. 28650 Lahser Rd Johns Church, 504 Prospect St. S. of 12 mile on Lasher Rd by the hospital Sat Oct 23, 9am (Located behind Highland Park to 3pm. Clothes dishes & stuff.

School

9:30am.

household items

BRIGHTON Twp. 9167 Scenic Dr., W. of Old 23, N. of Hyne. Oct. 23-24, 9am-4pm Clothes, HOWELL Rummage sale. Grace Lutheran Church. 312 Prospect St. Fn. Oct. 22., 6pm-9pm. Sat. BRIGHTON. Oct 22-23. 9am-6pm, 6440 Grand Circle Drive, off Challis Rd Remodeling Oct. 23, 9am-1pm

sale, French Prov. dining set, records & cabinet, console ly, sofa, chairs, end tables, in-sel stove, appliances, household items, books, jewelry & clothing (several families)! BRIGHTON, Oct 22, 23 10am-3pm, 5476 Mystic Lake

UNDER THIS

CLASSIFICATION

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

MICHIGAN STATE POLICE,

November 4, 1993, 9 A.M. Lansing Antilery Training Center (formerly Marshal Street Armony).

300 Alvin Court, Lansing, Mi.

Property recovered includes

tool cabinet whools. Also

Dr., of Milroy, across from Oak Pointe. Furniture, appliances, outdoor furniture, household atems, clothing, beby & childrens atems, Sears wood chipper & snowblower, much more BRIGHTON, Fri -Sat. Oct. 22-23. 2271 Hacker, 12th house

LIVONIA. Holy Trinny Lutheran Church. 39020 5 Mile, between Newburgh & Haggerly Rds Fn. Oct. 22, 9:30-4pm. Sat. Oct. 23, off Grand River. Many families. BRIGHTON, 204 Chateau (near Taylor Rd.), Sat. Oct. 23 only. 9em-5pm. Hardware, furniure, womens good clothes, camper, catamaran, etc.

MilFORD Hentage Hills Sub. 714 Hentage Dr Sat, Oct. 23, 9-5pm. Furniture, clothing, toys, BRIGHTON. Avid antique collec-BRIGHTON, Avid antique collec-tor's estate containing many collections of antique glassware, china, furniture, linens, books & collectibles, general houseful. Sat., Oct. 23, 9-4pm.; Sun., Oct. 24, 12noon-4pm. Take Old 23 S of Lee Rd., Exit 58 off US-23 to Lee Rd., Exit 58 of US-23 to Levann Hits. Sub. 8208 Bit physic MILFORD-Moving Sale Paddle boat, king size bed, 10th Silkinck X-mas tree, older file cabnets, etc. Oct. 23 & 24. 2727 Ripplewray or call (313)685-0234. MILFORD. Moving sale 835 Rowe Rd., N. of town, off Milford Horzon Hills Sub. 8208 Bluebird

BRIGHTON/Hamburg Twp 4 families combined 7044 Wide Yalley Pane, Valley Estates Sub-Oct 22, 23, 9-5 cm. Toys, clothes, 1003-864-865, 1003-864, 10 ter, utility trailer, books, much more No early birds.

BRIGHTON, Moving sale Gas grill, snowblower, computer, air conditioner, childrens clothing, misc. household sems. Oct 21. 22. 9-5 8711 N. Christine BRIGHTON/HOWELL Oct 22

23; 9-5 Chilson to Nixon to 4540 Sem. Stove, Sealy Maxipedic set, daybeds, lift & occassional chairs dinette set marble table china & misc. household. BRIGHTON, Brandywine Farms,

5051 N. Bunker Hill, Sat., 11am 4om Rockwell plates dual voltage refingerator, upnght treezer, bet/disc sander, misc.

BRIGHTON, Garage Sale Mt. Brighton Sub 9-5pm Thurs. 4641 Kingswood Dr.

NORTHVILLE. Super garage sale Software, shop equipment, furnium, appliances, adult and childrens clothing, household nems, camera, more. Fr., Sat. 9am-5pm, 1065 Horion, 2 bits N. BYRON. Yard sale, Sat. Oct 23, 8am-5pm, 8927 Lovejoy Rd. (4 mile W. of Byron Rd.) Household terms, stereo, coal stove, and

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23, 1993, 10:45 A.M. Mr. Hank Schuster is selling his home and moving.

All his personal property will be auctioned at 302 Whipple Street, South Lyon, MI. Located 1 block west of the South Lyon Hotel. Partial Listing Includes:

Stant Top Desk, Couch, Chair, 2 single beds. Large Ottoman, comer cabinet, 8 drawer dresser, double bed, 2 book cases, 4 drawer dresser, 3 2-drawer files, Glass Stem Lamp, End Tables, Lamps, Sewing Machine, Eureka and Hoover w/ attachments, ceramic elephants, Wards 8 track AM/FM stereo w/receiver & 2 speakers, luggage, linens, numerous chairs, Whirlpool Electric Drye Roper Washer (Like New), Iron & Ironing Board, Metal Unity Cabinets, 22 Rally Lawn Mower, Lawn Tools, Garden Tools, Shop Tools, 1941/42 Gale Outboard Motor by OMC, Lawn Boy Snow Blower, Elect Weed Whip, Step Ladder, Trash Cans, Lawn Furniture, 2 Gas Tanks for Evanrude or Johnson Motors, Misc Shop Nails/bolts/etc Power Dnll & Saw, 2 Metal Cabinets, Ext. Cords, Metal Shelves, Numerous Misc. CB Mic's & Parts, Numerous Antiques Added.

Owner: Hank Schuster Auctioneer: Jerry Duncan (313) 227-7835

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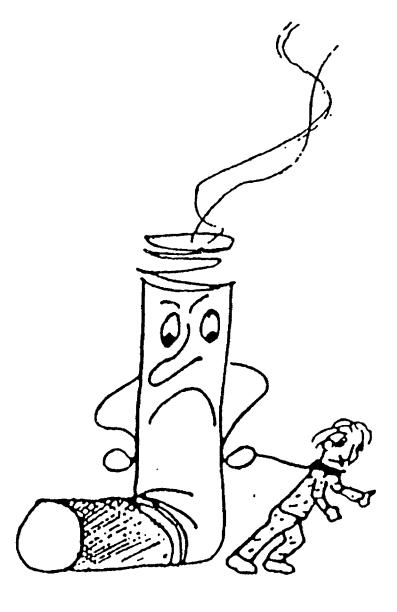


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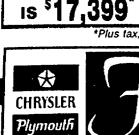
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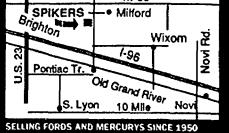
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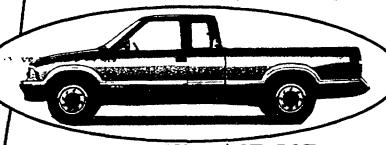
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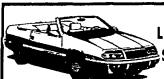
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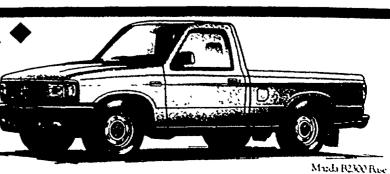


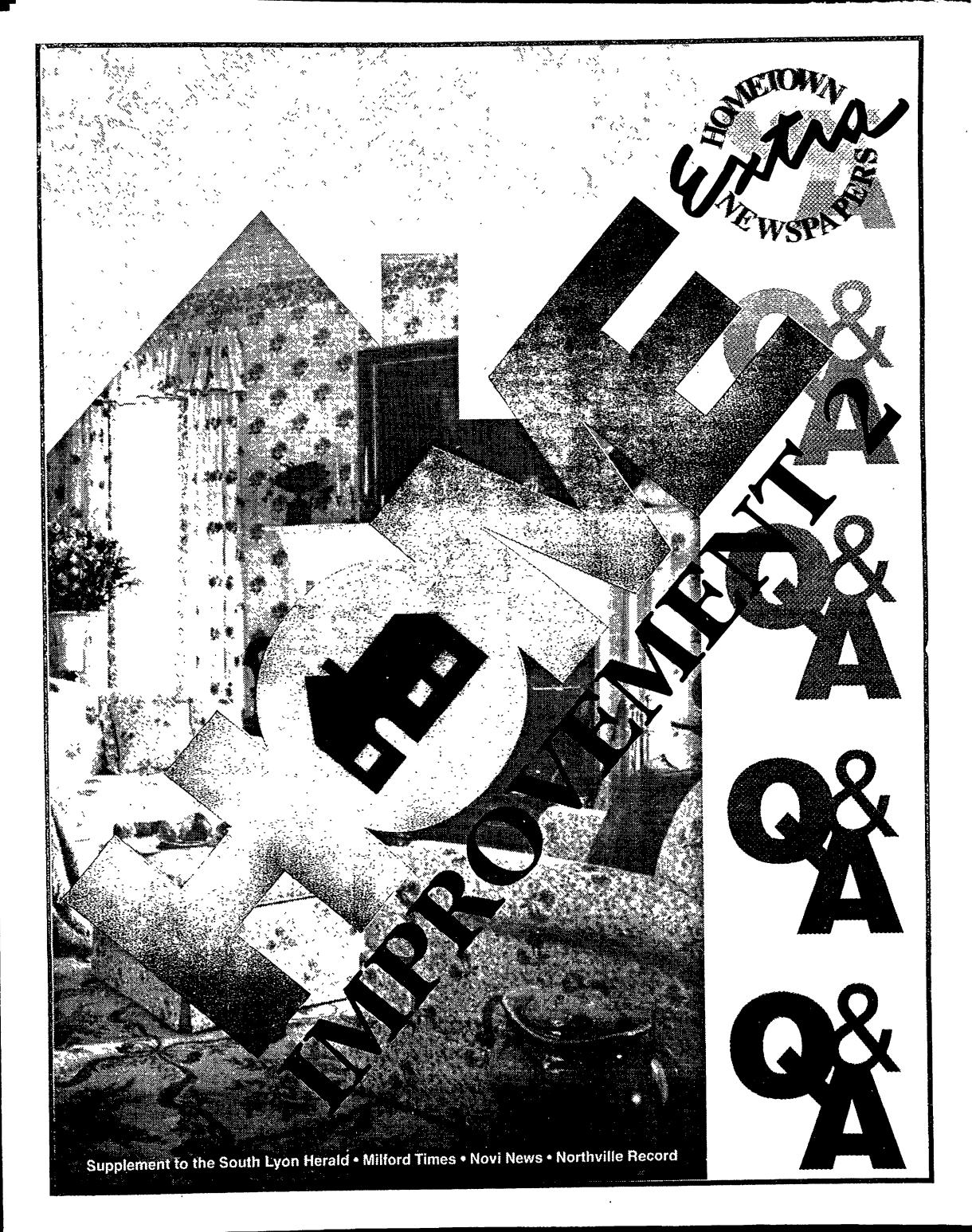
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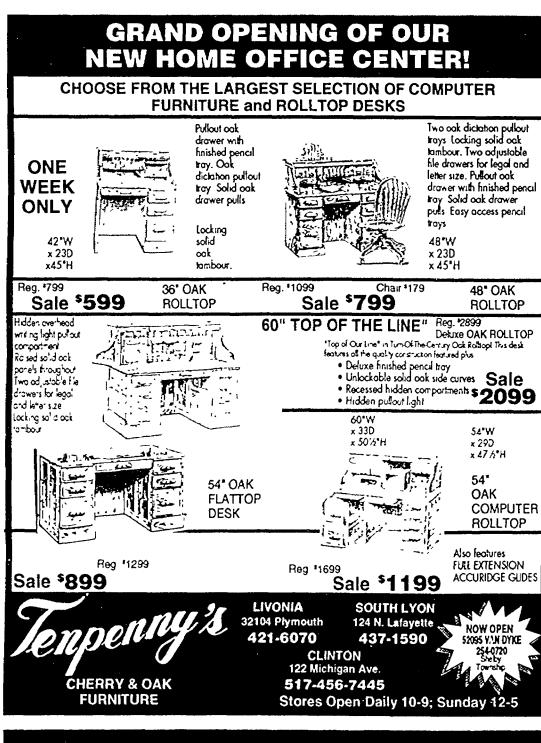
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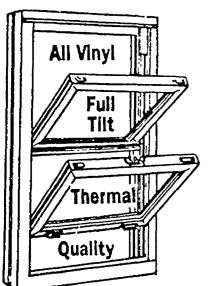
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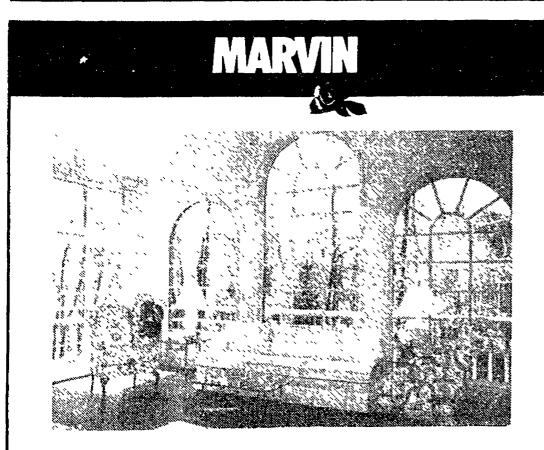
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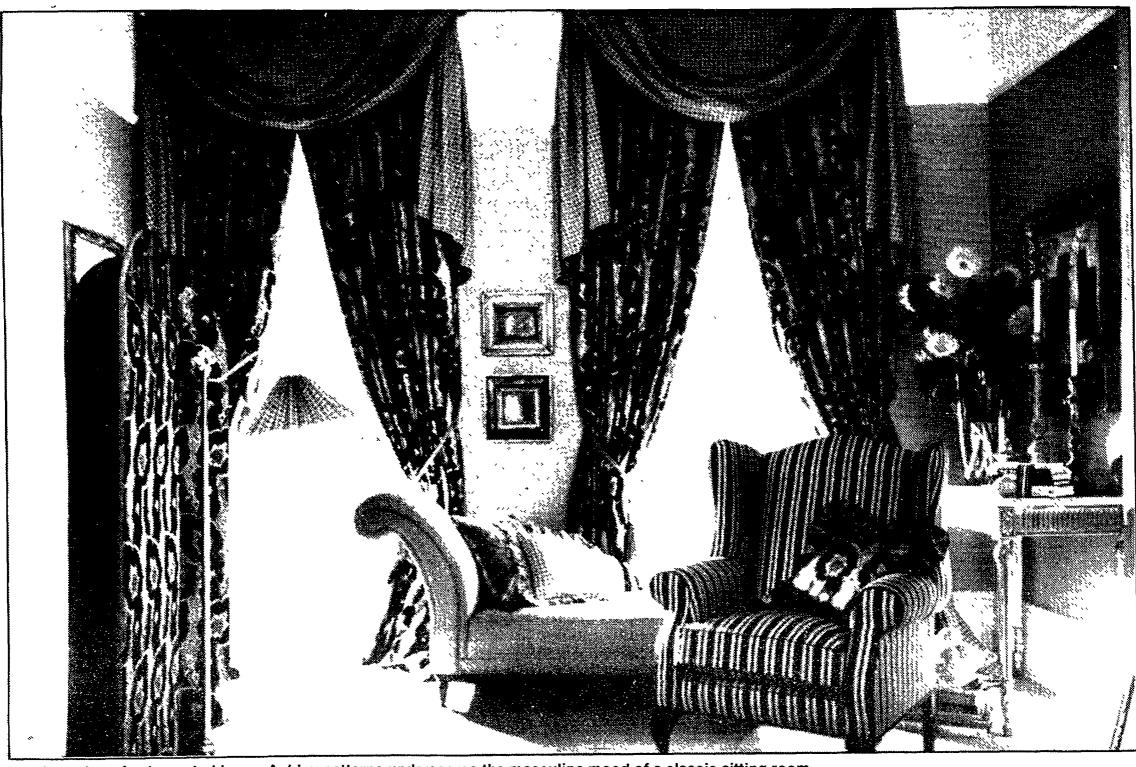
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A. I'm trying to envision how a "macho" fabric would look, but since no hairy-chested herringbones or muscle-bound brocades leap to my mind's eye, let's analyze the ones in this photo instead.

Yes, that is a flower pattern on these windows, but even "Iron John" would have to approve. Dramatically overscaled, the floral motif looks downright masculine —if not "macho"—in Laura

Ashley's stylized black-on-beige "Venetia" pattern. The small check that's swagged over the ceiling-high curtains repeats on the linings — a subtle touch you probably can't tell from the picture.

Nor may you be able to see that the walls also have a menswear pattern (a pin stripe). But, certainly, the extroverted stripe on the wing chair sings out that this is a study in which any real man could feel at home.

Three other things to keep in mind when you're decorating for "the stronger sex."

- Avoid pink like the plague. At least, never refer to any color as "pink"; most men will have a kneejerk hate reaction, even if they secretly like the actual color.
- Use as much natural wood as you possibly can. Men equate it with quality, strength and, one guesses, masculinity. Ditto for leather, as in a tufted leather Chesterfield.
- Always give him an oversize, overstuffed easy chair. Men look on "their

chair' as a child looks on "my room." It's a very private and special place.

A wing chair like the one in this photo is good; an honest-to-laidback recliner is even better. (Don't shudder before you see how stylish—and incognito—recliners have become.)

Q. Give me some ideas on what to do with my stair landing. It's long but really too narrow for a chair or table, although there is a hanging chandelier. I've always had an arrangement of photographs there but would like a change—T.P.

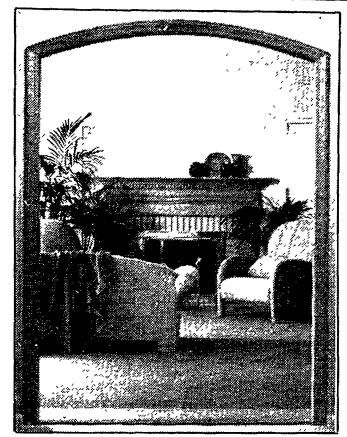
A. Consider a scenic wallpaper mural, an ancient idea that's looking new again. Murals have been around since Pompeii, and were popular in affluent 18th-century homes, says wall-coverings designer Lori Reagle.

If she has her way, murals will enjoy a renaissance in contemporary American homes. Reagle is art director for Richard E. Thibaut Inc. a leading manufacturer of wali-covering murals and patterns based on historic "documents"— antique fabrics, wallpapers or other vintage motifs.

"A wall 'view' that appeals to the senses ... instantly transports a room beyond the ordinary," she says. That "view" can be realistic or stylized, even stencil-like, depending on your own decorative point of view.

Most murals come in a range of color "ways," as they're called, and can be scaled up or down in size to conform to any wall space. By adding solid-color background panels, you can easily adjust the scene to transport even odd areas like your long stair landing "beyond the ordinary."

Rose Bennett Gilbert is the coauthor of "Manhattan Style" and associate editor of Country Decorating Ideas.



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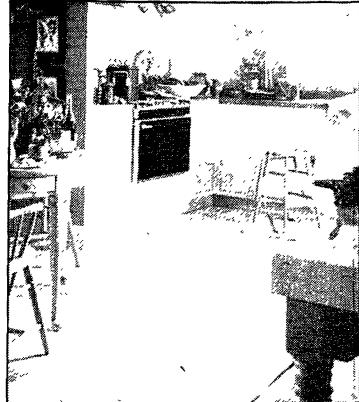
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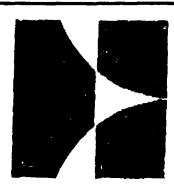
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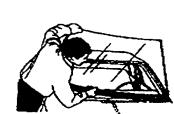
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First figure out how much you can spend. Is it a simple project like building a flower box? Or is it a major remodel where plastic sheeting will be the only thing protecting you from the elements for several weeks?

You may need to take out a second mortgage for a big remodeling job. If so, are you willing to put up with the inconvenience of having workmen tromp through your personal living space at 7 a.m.?

Once you've accepted the cost and inconvenience, then draw up a set of architectural plans. This may be no more than a sketch of a wall unit you want built in the family room on a sheet of paper or several pages of blue lines done by an architect.

Whatever the complexity of the plan, the purpose is to set specifications accurately so the contractor and you know what is expected. The more detailed the plan, the better. And avoid verbal instructions as these often lead to confu-

The plans also come in handy when getting bids. The more specific the plan, the better.

When hiring a contractor, check his references. Make sure he is licensed and

Before work starts, meet with the contractor and go over every detail. Some things might have been overlooked during the bidding stage. These need to be ironed out.

Once the job starts, don't make changes. This is the quickest way to create job delays and construction overruns.

Although it may seem like a simple change at the time, the repercussions are many and complex even on the simplest projects.

For example, in expensive remodeling jobs, a contractor must keep to a schedule to make a profit.

He has probably scheduled subcontractors — plumbers, electricians, painters — who will begin work on other jobs if yours falls behind schedule. This means more delays and more money lost, Not to mention aggravation for both you and the contractor.

Also, keep in mind that older homes present different challenges, in particular plumbing, masonry or electrical problems that are not evident until exposed.

If changes can't be avoided, ask your contractor to give a written estimate of any cost revisions.

Somebody has got to eat the loss. Most probably it will be you. Smart homeowners figure an extra 3 percent to 5 percent into their budget to cover cost overruns.

One way to avoid many of these

headaches is to hire a project manager. This person oversees your remodel from the drawing of the plans to the final inspection and can save you many of the day-today headaches that occur during a project.

"The Complete Guide to Contracting Your Home" (Betterway Publications) by Dave McGuerty and Kent Lester provides this advice for keeping a good attitude throughout the remodeling process:

 Persevere. Don't let anything get you down. Keep the project moving and as on schedule as possible.

Tackle problems as they arise and remember that time is money and you're responsible.

- Be firm. Stick to your guns if you have a dispute with a contractor. McGuerty and Lester quote the "golden rule" — "he who has the gold makes the rules."
- Don't be a perfectionist. Of course you want the highest quality work done to your home, but don't get upset you if see a bent nail or stray hammer mark. The flaws you notice should be hardly noticeable once the job is done.
- Be frugal. Look for creative ways to save money from the beginning to the end of the project. Small savings can add up.
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- Don't get mad. Treat those working with you with respect. More likely they will be be glad to do things your way if they are not afraid of your ire.
- Don't worry too much. Stop obsessing, do something about the problem.

# Making your home cozy for cool weather

By Sharon Williams

Copley News Service

Outside, there's a chill in the air. Inside, the temperature is also a little on the brisk side.

The air-conditioned days and balmy summer nights now are things of the past — as are the fragrant, colorful blossoms of spring and summer. Falling leaves are floating in the pool, and the slipcovers, sheer curtains and bare floors that looked so cool last season suddenly seem skimpy in light of decreasing temperatures.

Well, you can warm things up— and warm. them up fast without even turning up the thermostat.

Making seasonal changes around the house may be an oldfashioned idea — but it's still a smart one.

With a few home-decorating twists and turns, you'll not only turn up the heat without hiking up the utility bill, but you'll keep your environment as interesting inside as it is out.

Ready for a rundown? Following are a few easy ways to envelop your home in a blanket of warmth:

• Pile it on: Promote a warming trend all around the house by tossing a crocheted afghan on the chair, draping an Indian blanket over the couch and hanging a quilt on an antique rack. Both fun and functional these warm-andfuzzy additions invite everyone to sit down and snuggle up.

Get in the spirit of the season by stitching something yourself, or purchase the wrap-up of your dreams by searching antique stores for yesterday's quilts and cowboy blankets, and bedding sections and home-decorating shops for the latest, greatest looks in throws, comforters and pillows.

• Defrost the floor. You'll hardly need slippers if you dress up your vinyl, hardwood or even carpeted floors with area and throw rugs.

Options range from quintessential and classic Oriental styles to down-home, braided rag rugs.

• Make a clean sweep: Everyone gets in the spirit of spring cleaning. But, it's an equally good idea to brush away the cobwebs before cool weather sets in.

Some ideas? Hire a housekeeper that does do windows to help you get your panes sparkling for the cold months ahead, or have the carpets cleansed of all that summer dirt and sand.

Outdoor duties range from raking piles of autumn

leaves and protecting plants from early frost to planting bulbs for next spring.

• Install, update and replace: Winterize and weatherproof now, and you'll feel warmer both physically and psychologically once cool weather sets in.

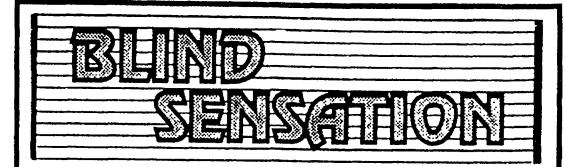
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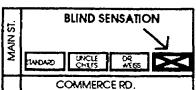
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• Bring home the harvest: You can scatter fall all around the house by artfully arranging the fruits and foliage of the season.

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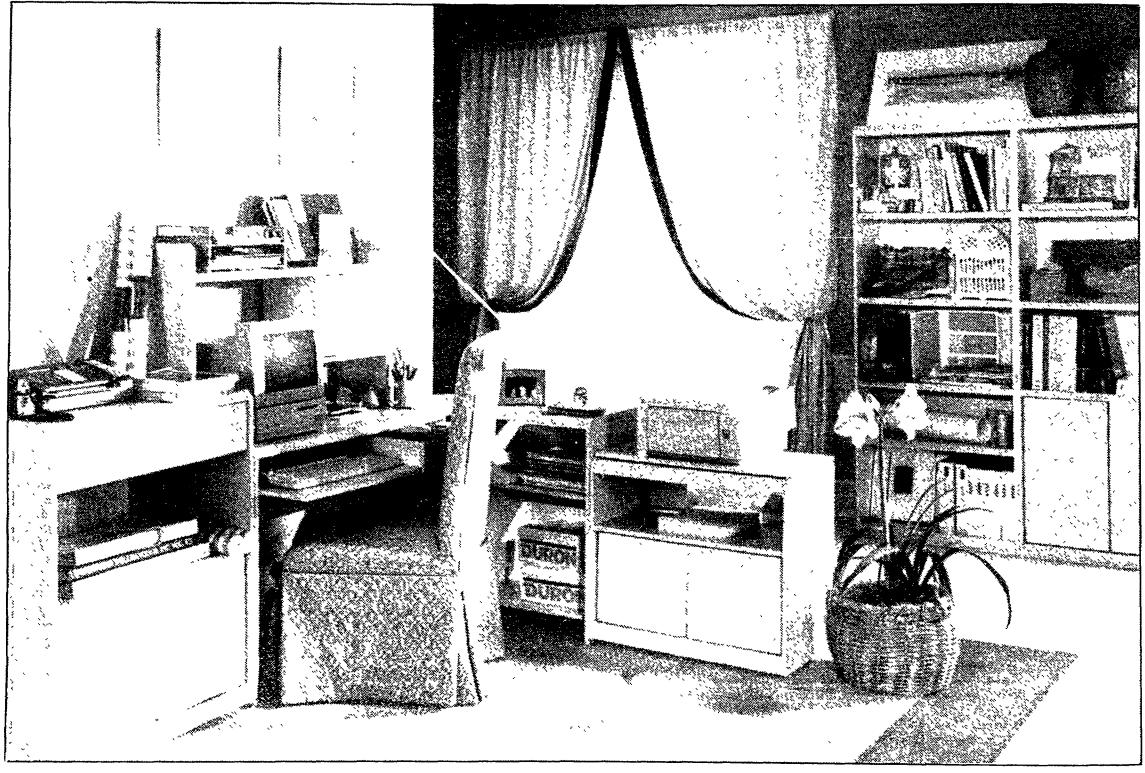
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# Small space can become home office

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Q. With the arrival of our second baby, I've decided to start working at home full time (as if anyone with two babies doesn't). The problem is finding office space and making it businesslike enough to work for me (I'm a typical Virgo and must have things in order). Do you have any advice on home offices?—O.R.G.

A. Just because one works at home—an option more and more of us are exercising in these days of easy electronic communications —you don't have to settle for a makeshift office stuck off in the corner of your bedroom. (In fact, psychologists warn married people against working in their bedroom. Seems that old taboo about "office romances" holds even at home.)

Potential office space may be waiting in the attic or garage. Even a hallway or stairs landing can often be pressed into service, as long as it offers pleasant working conditions. Don't set up shop in your basement, for example, if being underground depresses you. Your new office should be as cheery, comfortable and efficient as possible or, warn experienced work-at-homes, you'll find every excuse to stay out of it. Be all business when you furnish your at-home office. Avoid hand-me-downs unless they offer such workaday amenities as generous desk space for your computer and peripherals, good lighting and commodious storage.

Don't worry that you'll need venture capital just to set up: Check out the inexpensive, ready-to-assemble home office furnishings available for stay-at-home workers, like the R-T-A pieces from Sauder Woodworking in this photo.

Set up in a second-floor hallway, they make an almost-instant and highly efficient home office you can buy for less than \$600 (plus the cost of a good screwdriver).

Q. Now what do we do? We ran out of paint in the middle of the living room wall, and the new can doesn't match. Do we have to paint the whole room over again? Answer quick, please, we're having the rehearsal party for my brother's wedding!—I.L.W.

A. First the good news: You probably won't have to repaint the entire room. If the new paint comes reasonably close, you can redo just the one wall, not such bad news after all.

Because the two colors will meet in a corner, chances are no one will pick up the difference. The experts at Sherwin-Williams Paint have more good advice:

- If you see you're going to run out of paint, stop in a corner, not in the middle of a wall.
- When you buy more paint to finish the room, always mix the leftover paint with the new before going on.

Q. My wife and I bought a piece of furniture at auction that the auction-eer referred to as a "Bombay" chest. We'd like to find out more about it but we can't find anything under Indian furniture that resembles this piece. It's made of pine with rounded sides and brass pulls. Can you help?—S.S.

A. Yes — and so will your French dictionary. What you bought is a bombe chest, pronounced just as you heard it — "bom-bay"—but having nothing to do with the city in India.

The word means "bomb-shaped" or "bulging," as in the rounded sides on your piece.

The bombe shape was a Louis XV favorite and even showed up in some American country pieces, which is probably what you have.

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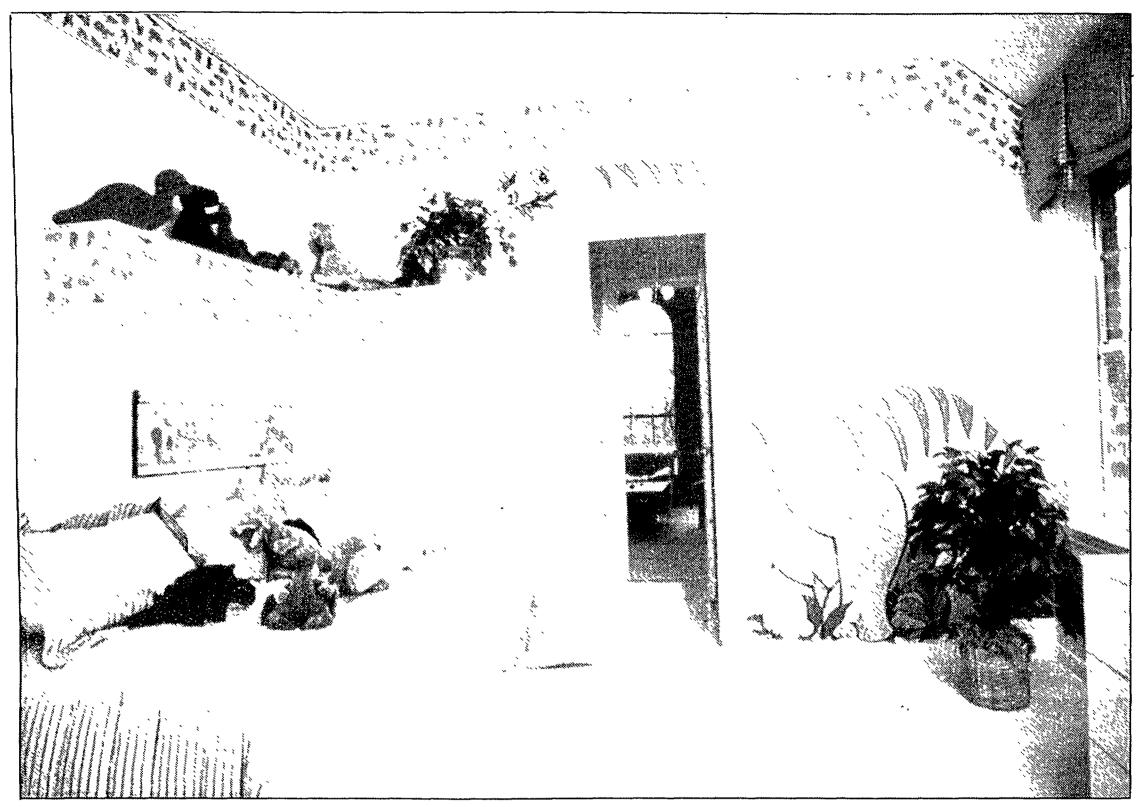
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Making child's play of a problem doorway, Denver designer Lolita Dirks painted a brontosaurus that "nibbles" the plant on the wallpaper.

# An inviting room is child's play

By Rose Bennett Gilbert

Copley News Service

Q. I'd like to do something different in my sons' room. It's kind of in an attic, and the wall isn't straight all the way around — which should inspire me but doesn't. Would you please try?— L.Y.

A. Try this: Denver designer Lolita Dirks has created a whimsical masterpiece in the boy's room we show here. (I'd say "monsterpiece," but dinosaurs are too dear to everyone's heart today to be called monsters.)

Besides the designer's imagination, all it takes to individualize any room is courage, paint and—in this case—wall-paper. For this room in a new house built by Emerald Homes in Houston, Dirks borrows her brontosaurus from the wall-covering border and blows him up dra-

matically to fill the end wall.

Even a non-artist can scale up any motif by using graph paper ruled so a quarter of an inch equals a foot. You transfer the design, square by square, to the wall, chalk your guidelines and paint.

Children's rooms are great fun to play with. Not only do the young occupants respond to bright colors and offbeat ideas, they keep on growing up from one ambience to another. This means you'll keep changing their environment, so there's none of the worry about "investment decorating" that so often fossilizes our sense of fun in more serious rooms in the house.

Q. We were flooded out this summer—like half the people in the country! — and need some help getting our lives back in order. This

may not be your kind of question, but since the first thing we have to do is repaint every room on the first floor, we need information on the best kind of paint to use over water-damaged surfaces. Also important: Is there anything we can do to combat the awful mildew odor that's all through the house? —I.W.R.

A. You're right that this is not my usual kind of decorating question, but you're also right that smart decorative products can go a long way toward solving problems like the ones you were left with when this summer's waters finally receded. The experts at Wm. Zinsser & Co. of New Jersey have been giving painting tips since 1849 or so, and they've been quick to respond to problems caused by the floods of 1993.

Their advice: Once surfaces are thoroughly dry (test with a moisture meter

you can buy at the hardware store), prime before painting with a shellac-based primer. The shellac will keep stains from leaching out and marring the top coat. The shellac will also help seal away musty odors and eliminate mildew, Zinsser promises.

If you're repainting your entire house, however, shellac-based primers would seal things up too tightly.

Since you'll want to talk specifics about your own problem, here's the number for the technical hot line the company has set up: (908) 469-4605.

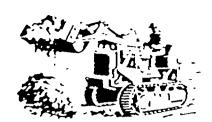
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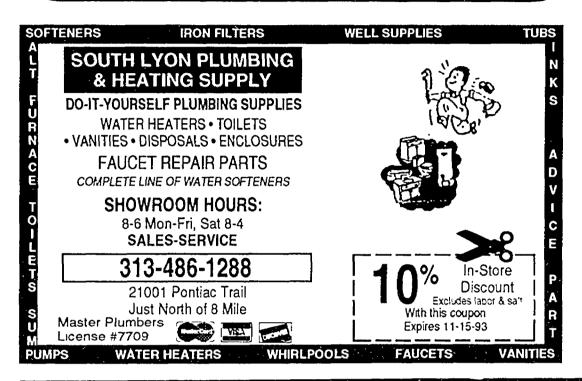
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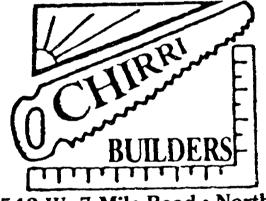
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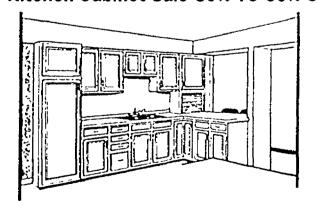
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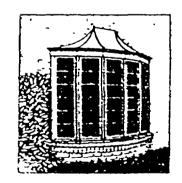
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You wouldn't buy an expensive outfit without trying it on. Yet you're planning on buying a home without having lived in it

How can you know, as you tour homes for sale, whether the ones you fall in love with "fit" you and your family? Try to keep your emotions at bay.

Never mind your dreams of serving wine on the balcony at sunset, or how well a chintz sofa might look in the living room.

Evaluate the quality of the neighborhood, services and schools.

Find out about local zoning laws, pollution concerns and traffic congestion.

Even if these and other factors don't matter to you, they may affect the home's future sales potential.

As you view the house, think in terms of adequate storage and parking, the requirements of your family members (now and as they grow older), ease of backyard access, how many steps you'll have to climb daily and whether the kitchen is arranged efficiently.

Den't assume the inspector will hke care of such things for you. "Many homebuyers have unrealistic notions about what home inspectors actually do and don't do." say Warren Boroson and Ken Austin, authors of "The Home Buyer's Inspection Guide" (Wiley).

"Inspectors don't estimate the market value of a house, nor do they flatly tell potential buyers whether or not to buy. They simply evaluate the various components of a house, looking for significant defects — not stains on a carpet, a hairline crack in a window pane or a loose doorknob."

Better to buy dispassionately than be disappointed later. The more objectively you view the house you've fallen for, the more you'll notice its drawbacks. (All houses have them, even dream houses.)

Besides, the more you find wrong, the better your bargaining position.

The buyer should always be aware.
Boroson and Austin's book is full of "red flags," those defects buyers often overlook — even though the flaws are in plain view.

For example, if you're touring a house and it has air conditioning units in each room, you should anticipate high electrical bills — especially if there are no trees, awnings or insulation to protect from the heat of the sun.

Here are other red flags every home buyer should recognize:

• The house is all-electric, yet it has minimal insulation. Watch out — the utility costs may be astronomical. (Ask the seller to show you utility bills for the

fall, there should be no lingering puddles. Also check the yard to see if there is bare earth where water may have eroded the ground.

- The wood siding has blistering or peeling paint. If the paint must be removed, it's a gigantic expense.
- Other external red flags: warped or cupped shingles or shakes; neglected

settlement. Check whether door bottoms have been cut to accommodate settling. Be alert for replaced or repositioned baseboards, intended to cover up telltale gaps at the places where walls and floors meet.

- In the bathrooms: Water should drain from tub, basin or shower quickly. Look for water stains on the floor or walls, and on the ceiling of the room below.
- In the garage: Make sure your cars fit the available space. Look for cracks in the floor, and check to see if there is adequate lighting and electrical outlets. Also make sure the garage door works properly and, if it is motorized, stops readily when it encounters resistance.
- In the kitchen: Red flags include inadequate lighting, old appliances, not much storage space and no room for a dining nook. Check the water pressure in the sink and look for insect traps hidden behind appliances.

Finding flaws means you can pursue a lower purchase price. If you still want the house, use your discoveries to advantage in your negotiations.

There's no reason why you shouldn't try to buy for as little as you can. After all, most sales are made for less than the asking price, and it's up to you, as buyer, to seek out the seller's bottom dollar.

How low will the seller go? Start your negotiations at a price lower than you are willing to pay. You can always raise your offer.

Another advantage to starting low is that each time you renegotiate, you have an opportunity to try to exact some further concession from the seller.

How well you fare in your negotiations depends on how serious the seller is about selling, says Joan Meyers, author of "Buying and Selling a Home in Today's Market" (Dell).

"The more you can learn about his reason for selling, the better your chances of driving a good bargain. It's hard to get a good deal out of a seller who is just fishing for a price that assures him a certain profit and is content to stay put if he doesn't get it." Meyers adds that bringing in an appraiser and a building inspector is an excellent bargaining device, "because if you do make an offer below the asking price, you have some objective justification for it."

# **Financing**

#### By Debra Lee Baldwin

Copley News Service

How much house can you afford? You'll need enough money for the down payment and closing costs, plus enough income to cover the monthly payments, utilities and maintenance.

Plan on accumulating 20 percent of the purchase price in cash for the down payment. Multiply your annual income by two to determine how much mortgage you'll likely qualify for.

Before you begin shopping for a house, consult your bank or savings and loan and find out how much you are qualified to borrow.

Here's a menu of mortgage options:

• Fixed-rate mortgage (FRM). The interest rate doesn't fluctuate, so your monthly payments (principal plus interest) stay the same over the 15- or 30-year life of the loan.

The advantages of FRMs is that as your income increases, your payments become less and less of a burden.

Also, there is security in knowing exactly what to budget, each month, to make your mortgage payment.

• Adjustable-rate mortgage (ARM). These can be more attractive than FRMs because the interest rates are usually lower. However, the rate will fluctuate over the life of the loan. Be sure to check into the rate cap — how high the interest rate might go.

It's possible to get an ARM that is convertible to an FRM after a certain period of time. And an ARM may be your answer if you need a house now, yet can't afford the higher interest rate of a FRM.

But don't consider an ARM if you think your income may drop in the future.

• Specialty loans. ARMs and FRMs are the most common mortgages, but it may pay to look into FHA and VA loans. If you've been in the armed services, you may qualify for a veteran's (VA) loan.

If you fall within certain income guidelines, you may be eligible for a Federal Housing Administration (FHA) loan.

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- While you're pulling your car out of the driveway, you can't see up and down the street; a neighbor's tree, a bend in the road or a wall blocks your view.
- The driveway slopes toward the house or garage. Find out if drainage is adequate. The ground should be graded away from the house, and after a rain-

masonry; bulging or uneven walls; wavy aluminum or vinyl siding; walls that have been damaged from vines or ivy; brick veneer pulling away from the house; vertical cracks in walls — especially if they are larger than a pencil and wider on top than on the bottom.

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The "marble" plant stand is actually made of plywood dressed in wall coverings.

# Patio plants indoors

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Q. I'm planning now to bring all my patio plants indoors when the weather turns cold. They should do nicely on the sun porch—it has windows on three sides. What I need are ideas on how to display them (without buying new furniture. Our budget is fallow!) How would one of the wrought iron garden tables look indoors? It's painted white—C.D.

A. Your table sounds like a perfect beginning—garden furniture is always in sync with plants, of course. Just remember that you are not just wintering-over; you are adding a display of living accessories to your

As with any collection, you should keep an eye out for variety in the size, shape, texture, and color of your plants in their pots or eachepots and in the height at which they stand.

As background, consider hanging several in front of a window, each at a different level. You can also harken back to that Victorian favorite, the plant pedestal, to showcase special greenery.

Legions of vintage plant stands can be found in antique stores and at tag sales. Or you can make your own so you can afford a variety of heights.

In the country-flavored dining room shown here, the plant stand has been built from four pieces of 1/2inch plywood, topped with a square of inch-thick plywood and stood on another square mounted on a 1-by-2inch wood frame. A wrapping of faux marble wallcovering belies the handsome pedestal's humble—and inexpensive—beginning, a heritage shared by the homemade standing plywood screen. It's decorated with medallions cut from the chair rail border (the wallcoverings and fabrics, by the way, come from the Colony Club II Collection by Sunworthy).

All of which goes to prove that when your imagination is as fertile as your garden, there's a bumper crop

of cheap-chic ideas just waiting to be harvested.

Q. Our living room has three windows with arched tops across the front wall. Can you suggest some simple—and inexpensive way to decorate them that won't also block the light? It's those curved tops that are making me crazy!-V.M.

A. Pretty though shaped windows may be, there's a veritable plague of them descending on the homes of America. After all, the builders who seem to plug rounded windows into every available wall seldom stick around to tell you how to dress them.

Several solutions to consider, some less expensive than others:

- Have a blind or wooden shutters custom-fit to the curve for a spare. architectural treatment that will let you control the light (expensive but long-lived):
- Install a flexible plastic rod around the arch and hang regular floor-length curtains, tied high at the sides (relatively inexpensive):
- Frame each window with an upholstered lambrequin you can make yourself from plywood. Hang ordinary sheer curtains inside so the frame conceals the rod (inexpensive if you're handy):
- Mount translucent shades or pleated blinds upside-down so they pull up to where the arch begins.

For curtains, borrow an idea from window expert Dorothy Collins: cut and hem a length of fabric that is twice as long as the measurement around the entire window. Knot it in the middle and tack the knot to the center of the arch. Make two more knots, one on each side at the lower edge of the arch and let the fabric panel drop into a puddle on the floor-inexpensive, depending on your choice of fabric.

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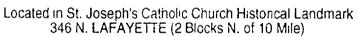
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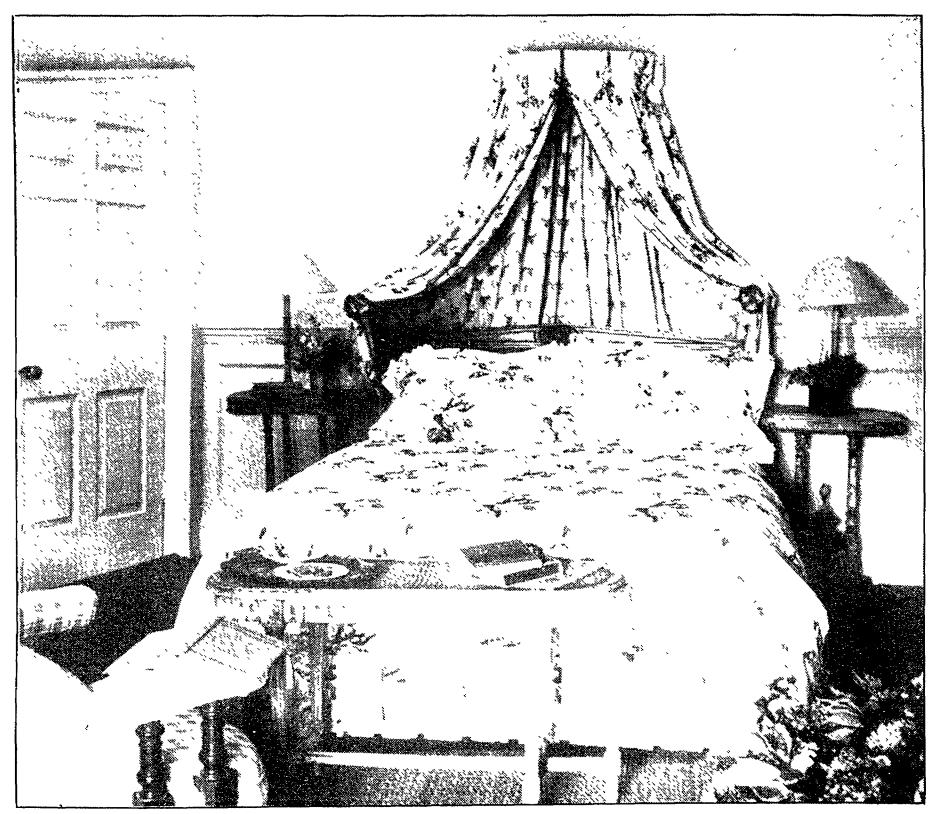
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# Canopy creates bed fit for royalty

#### **By Rose Bennett Gilbert**

Copley News Service

Q. I would love to have a canopy bed, but all there is to work with is a queen-size Hollywood bed—no head, no foot. I keep seeing canopies that hang on the wall, without a frame overhead. Can you tell me how this is done?—P.L.

A. In a word: easily—thanks to the great variety of curtain hardware out there today. It works as well on curtains for beds as for windows. For example, you can hang a canopy completely around your bed, using a rod mounted on the ceiling. You can mount rods across the wall to frame your bed's head with panels of decorative fabric.

Or you can use a special, half-bowed rod to create the kind of coronet we show in the photo here. Actually, this canopy consists of two drapery panels made to match the window draperies, except that they are lined in a compatible fabric (both by Laura Ashley).

Hung on ordinary hooks, the panels are draped gracefully over decorative hold-backs mounted on the wall just at chair-rail height. Matching bed linens complete the "coronation." so now a once commonplace boudoir puts on royal airs.

You could also create the same effect with a plywood frame mounted on the ceiling, but ready-made rods are a ready-made solution. Take a sketch or photo of your idea to your local window-treatment specialists. They know what's available and where to get the support you need for such canopy fantasies.

Q. I have a question about something I read somewhere but can't confirm now—that people in the 18th century used to push all their furniture against the walls before they went to bed every night? Is that true, and if so, why?—J.R.

A. It is sort of true, at least in 18th-century America, say the experts at the Winterthur Museum near Wilmington, Del. Winterthur is home to one of the greatest collections of art, architecture, antiques, artifacts and facts from early America, assembled there by noted antiquarian Henry Francis duPont and now open to people like you who are as curious about old lifestyles as about old furniture.

Winterthur's scholars confirm that furniture—especially the dining table and chairs—would never be left front and center in an early American room overnight. The reason makes perfect sense: In those pre-electricity times, one could easily cream oneself, or worse, stumbling around by candlelight in a roomful of hazardous furniture. When our forebears squared things up with the walls by night, they were just safeguarding their shins.

In fact, say Winterthur historians, the dining table as we know it —permanently placed in the middle of the dining room — didn't become standard procedure until the mid-19th century. Until then, tables folded or dropped their leaves and obligingly stepped out of the way between meals.

Q. There's a chair rail in my dining room, which I'm about to have papered. I'd like to use a matching border.

How would it look to install the border right above the chair rail? —C.G. A. Just fine.

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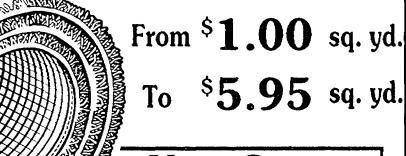


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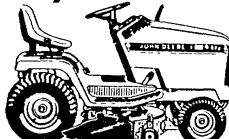
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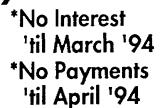
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# Projects to lend value to your home

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almost stressfree.

First figure out how much you can spend. Is it a simple project like building a flower box? Or is it a major remodel where plastic sheeting will be the only thing protecting you from the elements for several weeks?

You may need to take out a second mortgage for a big remodeling job. If so, are you willing to put up with the inconvenience of having workmen tromp through your personal living space at 7 a.m.?

Once you've accepted the cost and inconvenience, then draw up a set of architectural plans. This may be no more than a sketch of a wall unit you want built in the family room on a sheet of paper or several pages of blue lines done by an architect.

Whatever the complexity of the plan, the purpose is to set specifications accurately so the contractor and you know what is expected. The more detailed the plan, the better. And avoid verbal instructions as these often lead to confusion.

The plans also come in handy when getting bids. The more specific the plan, the better.

When hiring a contractor, check his references. Make sure he is licensed and has insurance.

Before work starts, meet with the contractor and go over every detail. Some things might have been overlooked during the bidding stage. These need to be ironed out.

Once the job starts, don't make changes. This is the quickest way to create job delays and construction overruns.

Although it may seem like a simple change at the time, the repercussions are many and complex even on the simplest projects.

For example, in expensive remodeling jobs, a contractor must keep to a schedule to make a profit.

He has probably scheduled subcontractors — plumbers, electricians, painters — who will begin work on other jobs if yours falls behind schedule. This means more delays and more money lost, Not to mention aggravation for both you and the contractor.

Also, keep in mind that older homes present different challenges, in particular plumbing, masonry or electrical problems that are not evident until exposed.

If changes can't be avoided, ask your contractor to give a written estimate of any cost revisions.

Somebody has got to eat the loss. Most probably it will be you. Smart homeowners figure an extra 3 percent to 5 percent into their budget to cover cost overruns.

One way to avoid many of these headaches is to hire a project manager. This person oversees your remodel from the drawing of the plans to the final inspection and can save you many of the day-today headaches that occur during a project.

"The Complete Guide to Contracting Your Home" (Betterway Publications) by Dave McGuerty and Kent Lester provides this advice for keeping a good attitude throughout the remodeling process:

• Persevere. Don't let anything get you down. Keep the project moving and as on schedule as possible.

Tackle problems as they arise and

remember that time is money and you're responsible.

• Be firm. Stick to your guns if you have a dispute with a contractor.

McGuerty and Lester quote the "golden rule" — "he who has the gold makes the rules."

• Don't be a perfectionist. Of course you want the highest quality work done to your home, but don't get upset you if see a bent nail or stray hammer mark. The flaws you notice should be hardly noticeable once the job is done.

• Be frugal. Look for creative ways to save money from the beginning to the end of the project. Small savings can add up.

• Be thorough. Pay attention to detail by keeping records that are always up to date.

• Don't get mad. Treat those working with you with respect. More likely they will be be glad to do things your way if they are not afraid of your ire.

• Don't worry too much. Stop obsessing, do something about the problem.

# Making your home cozy for cool weather

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squashes and miniature pumpkins used as table arrangements or centerpieces.

Wreaths and wall hangings made of dried weeds, leaves, fall flowers, pine cones and seed pods are additional ways to warm hearth and home instantly.

• Go to great panes: Those bare, breezy window treatments were wonderful for warm weather. But, howling winds and blowing snow and rain call for a bit more decorative protection.

To the rescue come a variety of window dressings that you can custom order, purchase off the shelf or make yourself.

Options range wooden mimblinds, shutters and fabric shades that can boost the warming power of simple curtains to imaginative valances that add a warming touch to an unadorned window.

• Get cooking with color. The deep golds, rich browns, burnt oranges and mellow yellows of fall are easy to bring into your home. Just get out your paint brush.

Some ideas? Create a faux antique look by giving a bench or chair culled

from a garage sale a weathered, paintedon finish, stain an unfinished cupboard in a deep, rich hue or festoon an entire room in fall by painting the walls or simply applying a stenciled or wallpaper border of country motifs such as leaves, houses or geese.

• Warm with accessories: Handmade objets d'art. American folk art and antiques can instantly make an environment more welcoming.

Accessories that pull their weight in warmth include birdhouses, decoys, needlepoint and embroidered pillows, wall quilts, twig frames, wooden checkerboards, stacking boxes and dolls.

Larger-scale additions might include a well-worn rocker, a bedside table sporting a faux tortoiseshell finish, metal milk canisters and a chair crafted from willow boughs.

• Decorate for comfort: The winter wind might blow, but you and your guests will be collected and cozy in a room decorated for comfort.

Start by rearranging the furniture. Pull a comfortable chair and ottoman up to the fireplace or create a conversational grouping by moving furnishings closer

together in a more intimate arrangement.

Take an equally easy attitude to the things around you. Don't be afraid, for example, to leave stacks of books out or a cup and saucer here and there for casual appeal.

Groupings of framed photographs, coat racks filled with scarfs, shawls and hats, well-stocked bookcases and even boots artfully positioned by the front door ensure that while it may be cold outside, a welcoming ambience awaits within

• Lighten up: The effective use of light is a sure-fire way to bring a warm glow into your home.

To create a splash of golden lamplight, consider replacing regular light switches with a dimmer that allows you to control the degree of lighting in a room or do away with harsh, overhead light completely by adding tabletop, freestanding and spot lighting.

Lamp shades that are wider at the bottom create a softer, warmer feeling than other styles because they throw more light down on the surface below.

 Count on candles: The flicker of a flame and the scents of the season will help heat things up in your home.

Consider, for instance, a grouping of harvest-hued tapers for the mantle, or a collection of votive candles for a tabletop. When lit, both arrangements are almost as romantic as a log on the fire.

Sweet-smelling potpourris, oils and candles, meanwhile, will have fragrances such as vanilla, pumpkin pie and spice apple wafting through the air in no time.

• Fire up with fabric: Warm spicy hues, rich patterns and ethnic prints pull a lot of weight when one's decorating for winter.

Use these warming fabrics to create dozens of throw pillows for tossing on sofas, beds and chairs, or stitch up or buy a duvet cover or slip covers for instant seasonal appeal that can be removed when warm weather returns.

You also could create a harvest feast with fabric. Decorate your table with autumn-hued napkins, table cloths, table runners and place mats, then serve your meal on a dinnerware pattern adorned with fallish motifs and patterns such as leaves, hunting scenes and fish.



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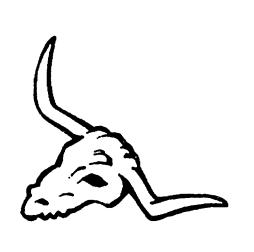
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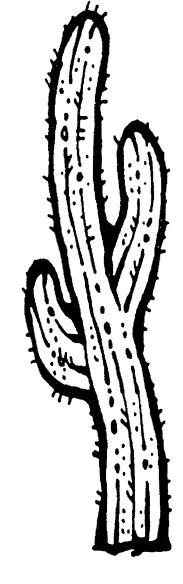
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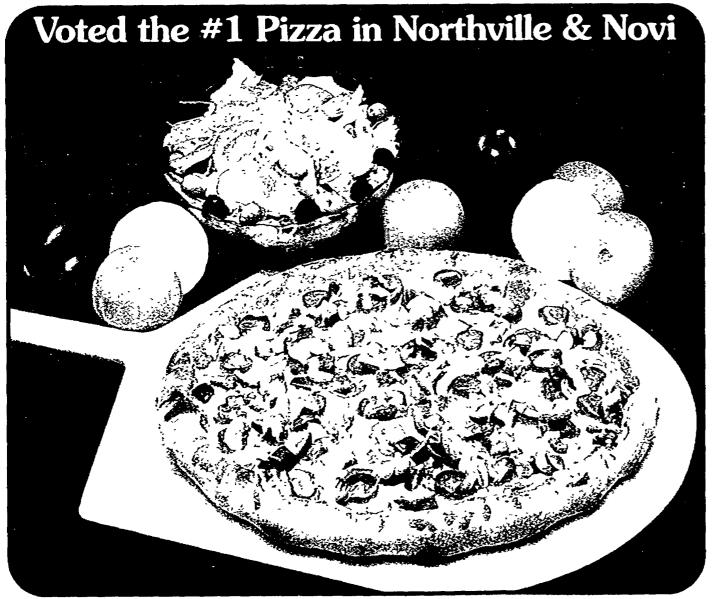




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