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# **City approves revised Mainstreet plan**

By STEVE KELLMAN Staff Writer

A revised Mainstreet '93 plan was given the go-ahead by the Northville City Planning Comission Feb. 15, after designers incorporated a series of changes suggested by the commissioners.

The \$4.2 million Mainstreet '93 project calls for an expandable Cady Street parking structure to replace the existing deck, a new paved and lighted parking lot south of the deck and a new sunken parking structure south of MainCentre.

Among the changes most recently incorporated by Rich and Associates, the city's parking deck consultants, a south entrance to the MainCentre deck was moved west and more landscaping was provided around both decks and the new lot.

A traffic study has also been commissioned, and preliminary results were unveiled at a Feb. 22 Downtown Development Authority meeting.

Planning Commission Chairman John Hardin said his fellow commissioners were pleased with the design changes, which were first suggested at a Dec. 21 commission meeting. Commissioners then granted preliminary approval to the plans while suggesting several improvements and criticizing the lack of engineering done on the parking lot plan.

But the commission was pleased with the revisions, Hardin said. "We all loved them. They made some nice

changes and seemed to incorporate everything we asked for."

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Hardin commented specifically on the \$8,000 landscaping plan provided by Grissim/Metz. "Everywhere they could get greenery in, they've done it, and they've done a nice job," he said.

The planners had been concerned by the lack of landscaping between the MainCentre deck and Center Street in earlier plans. Under the revised plan, linden trees like those throughout downtown Northville are provided on a grassy strip along Center, a bricked patio area is included at the northeast corner of the deck and thick foliage shields residents south

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By STEVE KELLMAN Staff Writer

The impact of the state's property tax reform mea-sures are beginning to be felt in Northville, and the latest fallout is on Mainstreet '93.

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Finance Director Mark Christiansen updated the Downtown Development Authority Tuesday on a series of changes to the financial plan for the city's \$4.2 million parking program that "reflects the pending changes in the property tax laws," he said.

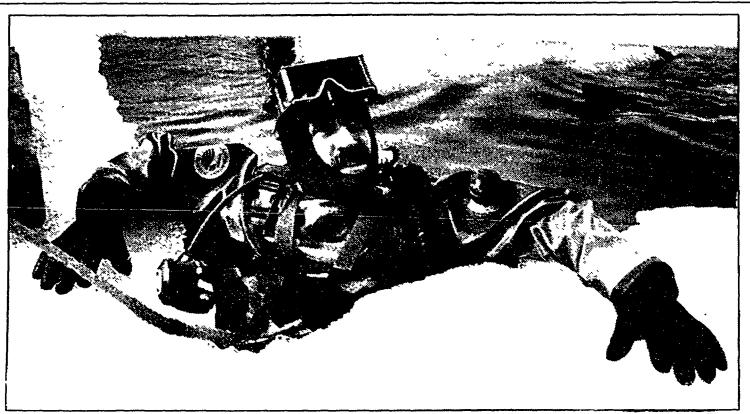
The latest financial plan, Version 36 A, is predicated on passage of the March 15 state ballot proposal to reduce homestead school millage rates to 6 mills and raise the state sales tax from 4 to 6 percent. The ballot plan includes no provision for tax-capturing projects like Mainstreet '93, so if it is rejected Mainstreet '93's financial projections will be more favorable.

Christiansen noted that the amount of taxes captured from downtown businesses if the ballot plan passes is about half the amount the city had been counting on ---\$257,597 in the 1994-95 fiscal year now as opposed to \$584,562 before. As a result, the period to pay off the bonds used to finance Mainstreet '93's construction has been extended to 15 years from its original 11-year period.

Even with the longer finance period, Christiansen noted that the plan ends in the year 2008 with a relatively low year-end balance of \$67,308. "This is a tight budget," he said.

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#### Scuba anyone?

It wasn't exactly the South Pacific, but Northville Township Police Sergeant John Sherman went under anyway. Sherman and other local officials took some chilling lessons in Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

diving techniques from Wayne County officials last week. The proliferation of man-made bodies of water in the township made the training necessary.

# **Township police** hurt in car crash

## By RANDY COBLE Staff Writer

Northville Township's two top cops were shaken up in a serious car crash a week ago, but came out of it without severe injury.

Captain Phillip Presnell and Director of Public Safety Chip Snider were thrown from the 1990 Ford Taurus Presnell was driving when the accident occurred. Snider received a cut to the head and was quickly back on the job. Presnell, however, remained at St. Mary Hospital in Livonia for six days but is now recovering at home.

The accident happened on Feb. 17 at about noon in Canton Township. A Canton woman was driving her 1992 Pontiac Grand Am east on Ford Road. Fresnell was driving the township-owned Taurus, with Snider in the passenger's seat, and was making a left turn from west-bound Ford onto southbound Lotz Road.

The Taurus collided with the Grand Am, sending the Pontiac into a utility pole. Presnell does not recall the impact, Snider said, but the di-rector added that a black van nearby may have obscured Presnell's vision during the turn.

Neither Presnell nor Snider was wearing a seat belt and both were thrown from the car by the force of the crash.

"I don't know how it happened," Snider said. "A 300-pound man and 228-pound man went through a hole that at best you might say a small child could get through."

White Lake Township and Canton rescue personnel treated all three at the scene. The woman, 30, was released there: Presnell and Snider were taken to St. Mary.

Doctors kept Presnell there due to concerns of a possible brain-related injury. Snider said. The captain was released Wednesday morning but is not expected back to work for a cou ple of weeks at least.

Snider received a cut on the forehead requiring a few stiches. The township vehicle was totaled. Canton police have to date issued no citations in the case.

)IS sale's legal, answer soon on DeMattia bid

By RANDY COBLE Staff Writer

Bill Davidson can relax: an investigation has pronounced the OIS land purchase OK.

Not that the owner of the Detroit Pistons, who also hold the reins to the Troy-based Optical Imaging Systems (OIS), had anything to sweat about. After all, the county last year sold him the 30 acres in Northville Township in the first place.

Whether the choice of attorneys for that

deal will cause U.S. Attorney designate Saul Green any trouble remains an open question, as does the fate of the other 900 or so acres the county owns in the south central portion of the township.

County lawyers are still checking on the legality of a proposed deal for the huge parcel which sits between Sheldon, Beck, Five and Six Mile roads. The multi-million-dollar offer from an investment group led by Plymouth developer Robert DeMattia hangs in the balance.

Wayne County Commissioner Thaddeus McCotter, who represents Northville, last week received some answers to questions he raised concerning the entire affair.

The story goes like this:

The county in 1993 agreed to sell 30 acres of the 926 it owns in the township to OIS. Davidson plans to build a \$75 million to \$100 million facility for building high-tech flatpanel computers there and move OIS from Troy to the township. He purchased the initial 30 acres for \$10 and has an option to buy 75 more which he hasn't used yet.

McCotter requested Wayne County's Corporate Counsel Jennifer Granholm to see if that was legal. A Counsel office staffer in remarks to County Commissioner Susan Hubbard said that the sale to OIS might not have been constitutional because the county can't sell land at below market value unless it is used for a specified public purpose.

Granholm in her reply to McCotter said that the sale was legal because of the clear benefit the county and the township will re-

ceive from it. OIS will spend tens of millions of dollars, she pointed out, bring 250 jobs and pay all of the back taxes owed on the land.

We are fortunate that we were able to keep OIS in Wayne County," Granholm said, to garner additional jobs, tax revenues and to encourage progressive technologies here."

McCotter has said he did not think the deal had any legal stumbling blocks but

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## Library mills will be returned

## By STEVE KELLMAN Staff Writer

When and if Northville voters approve a district library plan at a special election May 3, city and township officials will be left with a dilemma what to do with the millage they now levy to provide library services.

Township Board of Review is gearing

## By RANDY COBLE Staff Writer

With 1994 property notices hitting mailbox ville Township this week of Review is getting rea work.

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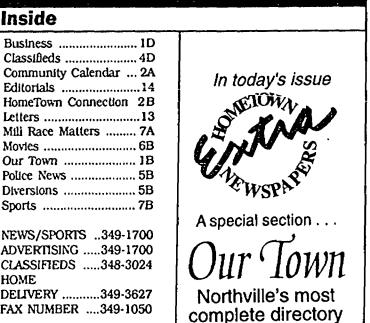


After some initial confusion, Northville City Council members made their intentions clear Tuesday at their regular meeting when they directed staff members to reduce the city's budget by the amount used to help fund the library. The move reflected City Manager Gary Word's recommendation to the council.

The township has not yet taken a formal position on the funds.

The city currently contributes \$128,830 annually toward library services, representing approximately .68 mill of the city's 13.14-mill operating levy.

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#### Grace on ice

Icy dancing duo Jerod Swallow, a former Northville resident, and wife Elizabeth Punsalan took a tumble at the Winter Olympics and finished out of the running for a medal Monday. See sports, page 7-B, for a special story from Norway.

## Two dead as suspect flees cops in Livonia

## By RANDY COBLE Staff Writer

An attempted car theft turned deadly Friday when a Detroit man attempting to elude police in a stolen Jeep struck the car of Northville Township resident David Hornshaw as Hornshaw drove through the intersection of Seven Mile and Haggerty Roads.

Both men were killed in the accident.

Livonia police say 27-year-old Robert Sturdivent was one of five men stealing auto parts and vehicles in the area on Feb. 18. Sturdtvent was fleeing police after attempting to hit an officer with the stolen Jeep Cherokee he was driving.

One witness estimated he barrelled through the Seven Mile and Haggerty red light at nearly 75 miles per hour, broadsiding Hornshaw's Chevrolet Blazer. Both were pronounced dead at the scene. Sturdivent's four alleged cohorts have been arraigned on felony theft charges. Livonia police Detective Sergeant

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#### **Community Calendar**

Cot 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.

#### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 24

CHAMBER BOARD: The Northville Community Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors meets at 7:30 a.m. today at the chamber office.

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

LIVONIA REPUBLICAN WOMEN & WESTERN SUB-URBS: The Livonia Republican Women and Western Suburbs meets at the Mayflower Hotel in Plymouth from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. For more information or reservations, call 474-3088, or 459-0134.

**NEW LIFE BIBLE STUDY:** A neighborhood nondenominational Bible study offers two different classes this year, "Discovering New Life" and "Healing Joy and Hope." Classes run from 9:30-11:30 a.m. at the First United Methodist Church of Northville on Eight Mile at Taft. Baby-sitting provided. Newcomers welcome any time. For more information call Sybil at 349-0006 or Judy at 348-1761.

#### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25

**GRANDPARENTS RAISING GRANDCHILDREN:** This support group meets at 7:30 p.m. in the Seven Mile/Haggerty area. For more information call Beth at 344-9241 or Kelly at 531-7782.

MOM MEETS: Meet Other Mothers will hold a group meeting at the First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth, 701 Church St., from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. The program will be *How to Photograph Your Children* by Focal Point Photography. MOM is a support group for mothers. Child care is available for a nominal fee. For more information, call Toni at 453-6134 or Lynzie at 455-5407.

LIBRARY BOARD MEETING: The Northville Library Board of Directors will meet at 9:15 a.m. at the library. Members are welcome.

Your Mystery Package Includes:

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 27

SINGLE PLACE SUNDAY MORNING 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 parents meets at 11 a.m. in room 10 of the First United Methodist Church of Northville. Public welcome. The facilitator is Carol Haveraneck, MALLP, educator and psychologist.

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

#### MONDAY, FEBRUARY 28

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

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. 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 Charisse Ryan at 420-2045. Visitors welcome. NORTHVILLE MASONIC ORGANIZATION: Northville Masons meet at 7:30 p.m. at the Masonic Temple.

NORTHVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION: The Northville Board of Education meets at 7:30 p.m. at Cooke Middle School.

#### TUESDAY, MARCH 1

**OPTIMIST CLUB MEETS:** The Northville Optimist Club meets at the Northville Senior Citizens Building, 215W. Cady St., at 7:30 a.m. For more information, call Dave Vincent at 349-2932 or 553-4900.

NYA ADVISORY COUNCIL: The Northville Youth Assistance Advisory Council meets at 8:30 a.m. in Cooke Middle School, Room 2.

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

GARDEN CLUB: The Country Garden Club of Northville will be taking a trip to "Blossoms" in Berkley, Michigan for a flower demonstration and a luncheon.

AMERMAN PTA: The Welcome to Amerman's PTA meeting will be held in the Media Center at 9:15 a.m.

NORTHVILLE ROTARY: The Northville Rotary Club meets at noon in the Boll Fellowship Hall at the First Presbyterian Church of Northville. Northville Record editor Lee Snider will speak on Proposal A.

KING'S DAUGHTERS AND SONS: The King's Daughters and Sons, Mizpah Circle, meets at noon for a spread and business meeting. The meeting is at the First United Methodist Church, Eight Mile at Taft.

MIDWEST RADIO CONTROL SOCIETY: The Midwest Radio Control Society meets from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Northville Community Center, 303 W. Main. A youth program is also available. For more information, stop by a meeting.

VFW: Veterans of Foreign Wars Northville Post 4012 meets at 8 p.m. at the post home, 438 S. Main St.

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

EAGLES AUXILIARY: The auxiliary of Fraternal Order of Eagles No. 2504 meets at 8 p.m. at 113 S. Center St.

#### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 2

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

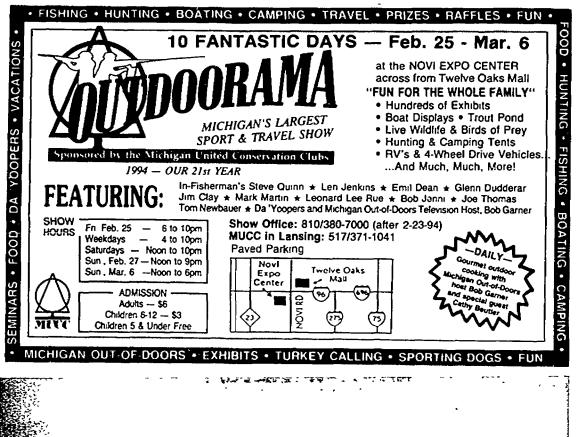
WEIGHT WATCHERS: Weight Watchers meet at 9:45 a.m. and 6 p.m. at the Northville Community Center, 303 W. Main. Doors open 45 minutes before scheduled meeting time. For more information call 1-800-487-4777.

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

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

SINGLE PLACE: Single Place meets at 7:30 p.m. at First Presbyterian Church, 200 E. Main. Donation \$4. For more information call 349-0911.

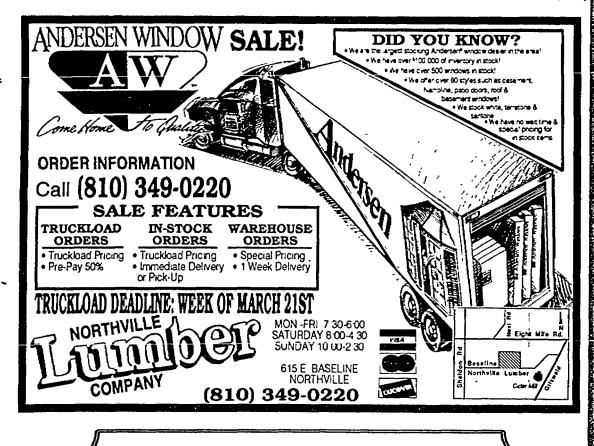
NORTH-WEST LIONESS CLUB: The North-West Lioness Club meets at 7:30 p.m. at the VFW Hall, 438 S. Main St. New members welcome.



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#### **News Briefs**

SENIOR PARTY: The parent-sponsored senior all-night party is being planned. If your student will be attending (close to 90 percent of the senior student body attends), your \$30 is due by March 1. The price increases to \$35 after that date.

Send your check payable to Senior All-Night Party, in care of Judy Fisher, 20180 Rippling Lane, Northville, MI 48167.

For further information, contact Sue Krupansky at 347-1208.

DRIVERS NEEDED: Meals-On-Wheels, the volunteer drivers' service that takes prepared meals from Allen Terrace to homebound persons in the Northville area, is in need of new and substitute drivers to volunteer for an hour or two a week. Kitchen helpers are also needed and usually work from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Those interested in giving one or two hours once a week should call Marcle at 349-9661 (10:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday through Friday), or Judy at 348-1761.

ARTS SERIES: The Northville Arts Commission is again sponsoring its Michael Farrell Lecture series. Farrell, an associate professor of art history at the University of Windsor, will speak on the 17th century masters Jan Vermeer and Rembrandt on March 17 and April 14, respectively. The Rembrandt lecture was rescheduled from Jan. 19.

All lectures will take place in the Northville High School Forum at 7:30 p.m. Season tickets are \$15, available in advance. Individual tickets sell for \$6 at the door. For information, call 349-6104.

ARTS COMMISSION SEEKS MEMBERS: The Arts Commission is seeking new members to round out its 15-person board.

The commission meets the third Tuesday of the month at Northville City Hall. Members plan cultural events that take place in the area. Currently, there are 11 members, four short of a full complement.

In addition to needing permanent members, the commission is also seeking help on two special projects: the Art Market and the Summer Music Series.

Those intereted in joining the commission or volunteering for the special projects can call Kathryn Peltier at 348-7026. For information about Arts Commission activities, call 349-6104.

# **PTA hosts special party**

By STEVE KELLMAN Staff Writer

Northville's Parent Teacher Assoclations do more than hold bake sales and coffee klatches, and they're out to prove it.

The Northville Council of PTAs will host "The Education Celebration" this Tuesday, March 1, between 4:30-6:30 p.m. in the Northville High School cafeteria. The program's goal is to celebrate the founding of Parent Teacher Associations here and around the country, and acknowledge the volunteers and educators who have made such programs a success.

PTA Coordinating Council Presi-dent Caryn Doehler noted that the first Parent Teacher Association was established in 1897, while Michigan's first PTA was formed 76 years

and fund-raisers, more than the fund-raising arm of the school," Doehler insisted. "We're coming close to 100 years that the PTA has advocated for children."

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strate that fact by highlighting the way Northville PTAs have impacted local schools, through programs like Silver Springs Elementary's volunteer extracurricular reading program titled Junior Great Books and Winchester Elementary students' in-

teraction with local senior citizens through Civic Concern.

Moraine Elementary PTA members will reveal how that school has been successful in its efforts to get fathers more involved in schooling and PTA activities, Doehler added.

This group of dads wants to be more than car pool drivers," she said. They want to be involved in a meaningful way."

The PTA health committee will present videotapes on AIDS education and how to communicate with teenagers, while the Legislative Action Network updates parents on the latest news on school finance reform

from Lansing. The evening will also feature pre-sentations of drama and vocal music in Northville Public Schools, as Winchester students present an act from The Phantom Tollbooth, Cooke Middle School's seventh-grate choir performs a vocal program and the Meads Mill Honors Choir presents a vocal program featuring music from the Disney movie Akadán.

Refreshments will be served throughout the evening.

## LAN offers vote info

The Legislative Action Network (LAN), consisting of representa-tives of all Northville Public Schools' PTA organizations, has been studying the March 15 ballot question, Propoal A, and accom-panying legislation. A document explaining the election and the proposed Constitution Amendment has been prepared and is being made available through PTA groups.

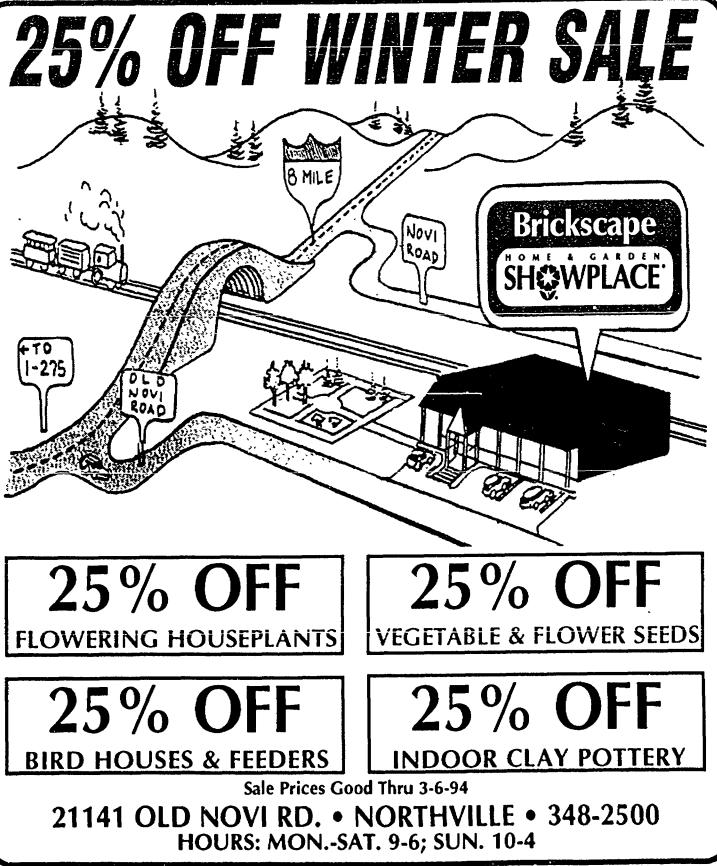
This information, as well as more detailed information regarding the election, will be available at the LAN display at the Northville Council of PTA's celebration in Education Tuesday, March 1, from 4:30-6:30 p.m. in the Northville High School cafeteria. After that day, the comparison document will be available in all schools through their PTAs.

In addition, State Rep. Willis Bullard will be at Northville High School on Thursday, March 10, at 7:30 p.m. to explain Proposal A and to answer questions regarding the ballot and statutory school finance plans.



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## Vandals damage fire station again

By RANDY COBLE Staff Writer

It's getting to be like a broken record.

Northville Township's Fire Station No. 3 has been vandalized again, suffering thousands of dollars in damages

The incident, which happened two weeks ago, is one of a number of such cases, the most recent happening less than three months ago. It may come up when the township board of trustees again considers a request to put an alarm in the station.

Unknown persons threw rocks, broke windows and damaged trucks in the latest incident at the Sheldon Road station. The total cost will be more than \$10,000, Fire Chief Ricke Rosselle estimated.

Past acts of vandalism at Fire Sta-tion No. 3 have caused more than \$20,000 in damages and put the firefighting equipment there completely out of service three times.

Rosselle last month recommended that the board approve an alarm system for the station to prevent future problems and to avoid the possibility of a problem with the township's insurance company, which has covered all of the costs to date.

"I would hope it could catch some of these vandals so we can make them pay for the damages." Aveile said. "Maybe the word would get ar-

ound and the station would be let

\$3,400 to buy one to a low of a \$425 a month lease with a monthly monitor-

alvx. Prices for a system range from

ing fee of \$35. The cost is not a budgeted item for the township. The trustees tabled the issue last month but are expected to consider it again in coming weeks.

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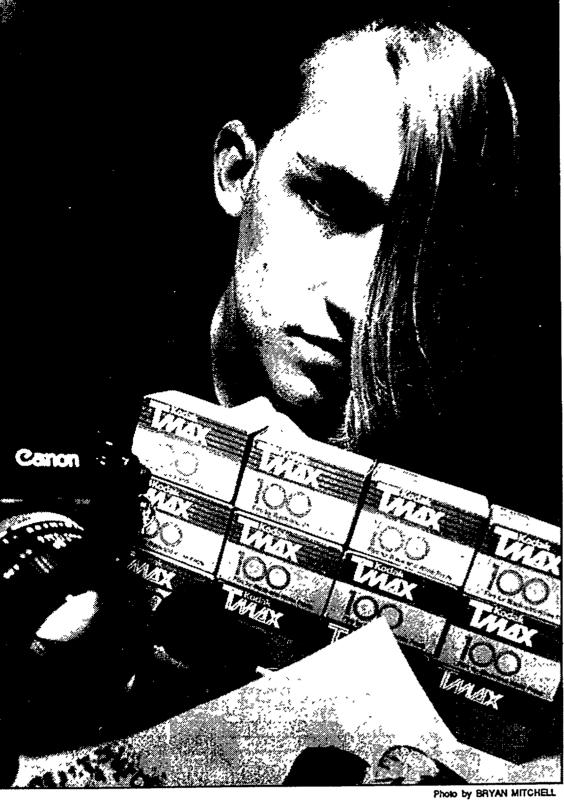






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#### Art honoree

Photography buff John Holtschneider took art student of the month honors at Northville High School.



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# **Police News** Man's car stolen, found

# in Detroit missing parts

A man who dropped his 1984 Ford Mustang GT off at McDonald Ford for servicing Feb. 11 returned Feb. 14 to find it had been stolen from the 550 W. Seven Mile lot. The car, valued at \$5,500, was recovered in Detroit the evening of Feb. 20. Its wheels, engine, transmission and license plate had been removed.

A blue and beige Ford conversion van was broken into while it sat on the McDonald Ford Rental lot at 480 W. Seven Mile between Feb. 11-17. Someone pried open the van's rear passenger door, causing an estimated \$400 in damage, and stole an Audiovox videocassette recorder valued at \$320 and an Audiovox color television valued at \$465.

HIGH SCHOOL ASSAULT COM-PLAINT DROPPED: A Northville High School junior was reportedly assaulted by a 16-year-old Northville male the night of Feb. 11 in the high school parking lot.

The student told city police he was at the school for a basketball game when the suspect came up to him in the parking lot and punched him in the face. Witnesses saw the suspect being driven away from the scene in a green or maroon four-door vehicle like a Ford Tempo that was driven by a woman.

When police questioned the suspect, he said that the student had swung first.

Police noticed a 2-3 inch laceration over the student's left eye and a 2-3 inch scratch under his eye, as well as some swelling.

The case was closed after the two teenagers settled their differences and the student declined to prosecute.

DISORDERLY CONDUCT: Township police on Sunday took care of a disorderly conduct case at Wooly oully's on Seven Mile.

An employee at the bar told police

that a man had been kicked out of the place nearly two hours before but refused to leave, staying in the parking lot and banging on the doors. A waitress has had problems in the past with the man, the caller said, and has reported a stalking complaint to the city of Plymouth on it.

The responding officer spoke with the man when he arrived at Wooly Bully's, finding out that he is not the individual involved in the Plymouth case. The waitress said this is the first time she has seen the man. The officer told the man to leave and not bother the woman again. The officer also advised the man not to drive home.

About an hour later, Wooly Bully's employees called police again, saying that the man was still in the parking lot. The officer returned and in his report said that the man was too intoxicated to be able to tell the driver of the taxi he called how to get to his home in Salem Township. The officer drove him home.

BICYCLE SHOP BROKEN INTO: City police were called to Town & Country Cyclery at 148 N. Center the night of Feb. 8 after a Main Street resident noticed that the rear entrance to the store had been forced open. A witness had heard the store's burglar alarm go off at about 10:50 p.m.

Police theorize that someone pried open the door with a small crowbar that was found in the snow outside, and fled when the alarm was triggered. A cursory inspection by the store owner did not turn up any missing items.

Police have interviewed at least one suspect in the case, and their investigation is still under way.

DRY CLEANER CLEANED OUT: City police are also investigating the theft of \$100 in start-up money and three day's worth of receipts from Cleanarama Cleaners at 123 E. Dunlap sometime between 7:30 p.m. Feb. 10 and 7 a.m. Feb. 11.

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A store employee found the back door unlocked when she reported to work that morning, though another employee remembered locking both entrances as she left the night before. There were no signs of forced entry.

A & B REPORT: Township police investigated a complaint of an assault and battery between a husband and wife on Feb. 16.

Police received a call from an elderly female township resident who said her husband had assaulted her. She told the responding officer that he had struck her with a shoe the week before. The officer noted no signs of trauma; the woman said she was not injured and refused his offer of medical assistance.

The woman's husband and son, a Livonia resident, said she had undergone brain surgery and had a stroke, which they said was the cause of her behavior.

BENCH WARRANT ARREST: An 18-year-old Ann Arbor man was arrested by city police Feb. 18 on two outstanding warrants. An off-duty police officer noticed the man sitting on a bench on West Main that afternoon and notified the police department.

The man was wanted for failing to appear in court on charges of assault and battery and receiving or concealing stolen goods in South Lyon. He was turned over to South Lyon police.

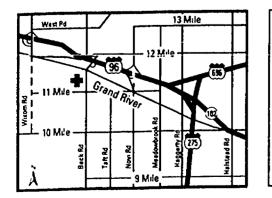
WARRANT ARREST AT RACET-RACK: City police arrested a 44-year-old Northville man on two outstanding misdemeanor warrants at Northville Downs Feb. 17. The man had been charged by Detroit Police with disorderly conduct and narcotics violations.

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

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## Man threatens, strikes officer

### By RANDY COBLE Staff Writer

A traffic stop turned out to be anything but routine for one Northville Township police officer this weekend man perform field sobriety tests. when a man suspected of drunk driving assaulted him and threatened his life.

Officer Kevin Bias on Sunday was between Six and Seven Mile. He came up behind a 1986 Toyota travelling 50 miles per hour on the 40 mph thoroughfare. Bias in his report said he saw the vehicle cross the center line of the road twice before they reached Seven Mile.

The Toyota then turned right onto Seven Mile, veering into the left lane and sliding its rear end over the center line because of the driver's fast acceleration, Bias said. He followed the vehicle east on Seven Mile and tried to pull it over by activating his overhead lights.

The vehicle did not stop, Bias said, continuing on Seven Mile, then turning north onto Silver Springs and then east onto Swan Lake Drive, where it finally halted. Bias asked the driver, a Wixom resident, for his license and registration. The man told him he didn't have a licence and couldn't find his registration.

Bias said he detected a strong odor of intoxicants coming from the inside of the Toyota and asked the man to step out of the vehicle. The man did

so but refused to give Bias his name wanted to kill himself, reports said, or answer when Bias asked if he had been drinking.

Two other township officers arrived to assist Bias. He requested the When asked to recite the alphabet,

the man tried twice, stopping at "I" both times, and then said he couldn't do it. Bias noted in his report that the patrolling north on Northville Road man's speech was "slow and slurred.

When asked to count backward from 100 to 85, the man said he could not and refused to answer Blas when he asked why he couldn't.

Bias then asked the man to perform another test, touching his nose with his index finger. The man went one for two, touching underneath his nose on his first attempt and on the tip the second time. However, he swayed back and forth as he did so, Bias noted.

At that point, the two other officers were dispatched on another call. The man then became loud and combative, reports said.

\* 'I am going to take your gun and shoot you in the head, \* Bias quoted the man as telling him. He pushed the man away and radioed for backup. The man then hit Bias in the

chest. The two officers quickly came back to help. All three forced the man onto

the hood of a patrol car, handcuffing

The man several times said he

and said that he wanted the officers to shoot him. Police took him to headquarters.

At the station he again became uncooperative, officers said.

Bias asked him to sit down while he read the man his chemical test rights, a prelude to a breathalzyer test request. The man refused to sit, demanding to call his attorney. Bias said that he could call anyone he wanted after booking procedures were complete. The man refused again to sit down and again demanded to call his lawyer.

Another officer placed the man in a chair. He "spent the time glaring" at Bias while Bias read him his rights, the officer said.

After he finished, the man said he hadn't heard him, so Bias repeated the reading. The man then refused to take the breathalyzer test.

Bias then told the man to stand up so he could remove his handcuffs to carry on with the booking. He again became combative and had to remain handcuffed for a time while being held in a detention cell.

Police cited the man for assault and battery on an officer, resisting arrest, driving with a suspended license and operating a vehicle while intoxicated. The man eventually posted bond and was released pending his upcoming date in 35th District Court.

# **Meadowbrook** manager Andy Bertoni dies at 81

Northville and the sports world lost one of its most colorful personalities last week with the death of Andy Bertoni, longtime former golf course superintendent at Meadowbrook Country Club.

Mr. Bertoni, 81, died at his home in Ann Arbor following an extended illness.

Born in Genoa, Italy, Bertoni im-migrated to this country with his family in 1913 and settled in the Ann Arbor area. He attended Sacred Heart Seminary in Detroit, Notre Dame University in South Bend, Ind., and the University of Michigan.

In the late 1940s he began his lifelong career in golf course man-agement at Barton Hills County Club in Ann Arbor. In 1952, he moved to Northville to accept the position of golf course superintendent at Meadowbrook Country Club, managing that course for many area tournaments including a number of Motor City Open competitions and the national PGA tournament in 1955.

Mr. Bertoni had a strong personal and professional commitment to the golf industry, both on the local and national levels. He served as a director of the Michigan Turfgrass Council, as a member of the board of directors and in every office including president of the Michigan and Border Cities Golf Course Superintendents Association and director of Green Section for the Golf Association of Michigan.

Nationally, he served on the Green Section of the United States Golf Association (USCA) and a twoterm director of the Golf Course Superintendents Association of America (GSCAA). He was the driving force behind the GSCAA's Scholarship and Research Fund.



#### Andy Bertoni

In 1986, he was awarded the Dis-Linguished Service Award, an honor bestowed annually by the CSCAA to only one member of that 20,000-member association.

In his middle years, Bertoni channeled his love of sportsmanship into officiating. He was a famillar figure on the courts and football fields of Michigan high schools and colleges, and was highly regarded as one of the area's most respected officials.

He was a charter member of the Huron Valley Officials Association and the Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association in both football and basketball.

In spite of his many accomplishments, Mr. Bertoni was best know for his sense of humor and warm wit. He was a sought-after speaker for sporting events and civic and professional gatherings, and was appreciated by many children's organization for his role as Santa Claus during the holidays. His love

for every person was apparent and he always had a kind word and a humorous story for every encounter and situation.

Mr. Bertoni leaves a wife of 55 years, Evelyn (Purchis): two daughters - Giannine (Donald) Perigo, principal of Carpenter School in Ann Arbor, and Corinne (Fred) Duerkop, a writer, in Park Ridge, Ill.; two sons - Dr. John (Carol), chairman of the neurology department at Creighton University Medical School in Omaha, Neb., and James (Teri), owner of Bertoni Golf Designs in Coronoa del Mar, Calif.

In addition, he leaves 10 grandchildren; a brother, Richard (Jenny) of Ann Arbor; and two sisters - Marguerite (William) Oliver, owner/operator of Pastablities Restaurant in Ann Arbor, and Nancy (Dr. John) Lager of Madison, Wis. He was preceded in death by a brother, Eugene, and a sister, Toni Royce.

## Northville kids need your caring

him there.

Northville Youth Assistance is Director Mary Ellen King said. These making a plea for help. The organization is in great need of volunteers to help provide crucial emotional and moral support for youths in the community.

The next training session NYA offers is a five-week course beginning Thursday, March 3, and meeting on consecutive Thursdays from 6:30-9:30 p.m.

The community has always stepped up and met the need for adult role models in the past." NYA

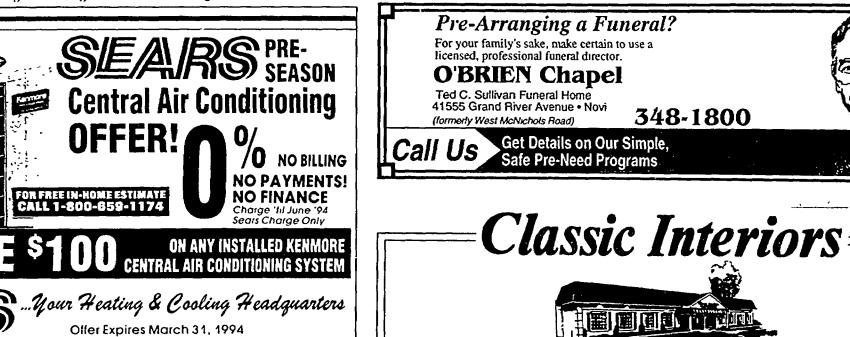
kids are waiting for help. If we don't get additional volunteers, we might have to postpone a training couse for the first time in seven years. We desperately need more people."

NYA trains adults to act as role models and friends to youths who are experiencing personal difficulties that might be related to parental divorce or some other stressful situation.

Call 344-1618 to register. King said her organization has a waiting list of youths who need to be matched up with caring volunteers.

"We have two boys whose mother has been widowed and who need a man to fill the void in their lives. There's also a battered wife who recently moved to Northville and thought it was important for her children to get outside support at this time."

King said about 10 more volunteers are needed for there to be enough for the March class.



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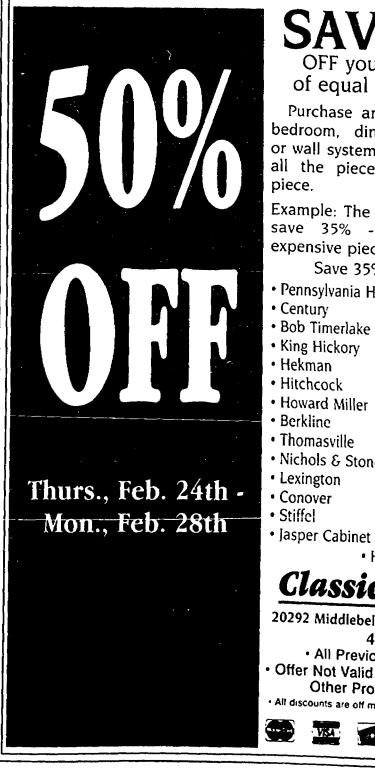


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#### Mill Race Matters

Trivol Fair jurying occurred on Monday, Feb. 22, and as always an exciting and interesting array of items will be available for sale at this year's 25th annual Fair to be held this fall. Tivoli Fair is the primary fund-raiser of the Northville Historical Society. It supplies about 60 percent of the operating expenses to keep Mill Race Village operational from year to year.

The village will be open on Sunday afternoon from 2 to 5 p.m. beginning June 5. A special reception has been planned for this years' opening. Details will follow as the time approaches.

The Northville Historical Society hopes to obtain a photocopier for use in the office and to simplify duplication for research requests. Donations for the purchase of an already used machine would be much appreciated. Please call the office if you have a machine you might donate or if you wish to contribute to the purchase.

The board has also agreed to purchase microfilm copies of the Federal census for this community using funds contributed in memory of Jack Hoffman. Census records for 1830 through 1920 for both the Wayne and Oakland County portions will be obtained and available soon for research. Those wishing to contribute may also call 348-1845.

The 19th Michigan Antiquarian Book and Paper Show is scheduled for Sunday, March 27, from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. at the New Lansing Center in Lansing. There is a \$3 admission charge. One hundred and fifteen dealers sell at this largest midwestern antiquarian show. Anyone interested in regional or geneological history might benefit from attending.

Last week's column discussed early settler Gideon Benton. The Benton farm was located in what became the community of Waterford. Today's residents call the area Mead's Mill. In the early years of this township it was the largest community being plated earlier than Plymouth or Northville.

The Phillips family also settled in that region. David Phillips received a grant for 80 acres in what was Section 15 of the township in August 1825. The land was bounded by Six Mile on the North and Sheldon Road on the east. It adjoined the property of Jonathon Baker, William Randall and Amerin Allen.

Phillips constructed a more ample dwelling in 1832 which survived to house the Sackett family and then the Gibson family. It still stands on Six Mile just west of Sheklon.

David and his wife Parna were parents of the township's first newborn, Oscar. They are buried in the cemetery at Waterford. When A.B. Markham arrived in the spring of 1826 he found Benton and Phillips the only neighbors within two miles of his home. They helped him build his first dwelling. Markham left a record of the early years. Next week's column will deal with some of his memories.

#### CALENDAR

Wednesday, March 2 Basket Guild, Cady	
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## Cocktail party will raise money for library help

at the Sheldon Roadhouse (formerly Rose Cottage) will kick off the Northville Library Campaign Committee's fund-raising efforts.

Hors d'oeuvres and a cash bar will be available from 6 to 9 p.m. Tickets are \$15 per person and are available Library Campaign Committee.

A cocktail party Monday, March 7, at the Sheldon Roadhouse, 505 North Center Street.

> Sheldon Roadhouse owner Tony Rizzo is donating hors d'œuvres and cash bar proceeds. All proceeds from the event will benefit the Northville

New Address?

Newly Engaged? New Baby?

Suzanne Hansknecht

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# Cable carries area ice

## events

The excitement of the 1994 Plymouth Ice Spectacular is coming to Omnicom Cable's WLOC Ch. 8. Tune in for the "chilling" details of the event, including the student competition, and the professional individual and team competition.

The highlight of this year's video presentation is the "Wild, Wild West" ice carving which was the main feature sculpture in Kellogg Park.

From the warmth of your family room, sit back and enjoy the show captured by Omnicom during this week-long event. The 1994 presentation is scheduled for cablecast:

Friday, Feb. 25, 10 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 26, 7:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 28, 6 p.m.

Tuesday, March 1, 4:30 p.m. Omnicom has been covering the

Plymouth Ice Spectacular in its entirely since the festival began in 1982. The company currently has programs that date back to 1986 in its production library which are available for cablecast at customer request.



## Delivery day at Amerman

Letter writing and processing were the lessons to be learned at the Amerman post office, set up on Valentine's Day to help thirdgraders with their literary assignments. Lyle Jones looks like a genuine mail carrier with

the bag slung over his shoulder, while Andrea Gorecki gets ready to ink a stamp and Jordan Soderberg prepares to drop a letter down into the box.

# AUW honors community contributor

In celebration of Women's History Month, the American Association of University Women (AAUW). Northville-Novi branch, will present its annual Community Enrichment Award.

The event will take place on International Women's Day, at 8 p.m. Tuesday, March 8, at the Country Epicure Restaurant, 42050 Grand River Ave., Novi. Dinner will precede the event at 6:30 p.m. Guests are welcome. For reservations, call Verna Lee Hill at 348-3006 before March 2.

The recipient of this year's award is Betty Griffin. She is recognized for her continuous involvement through the years in several worthwhile community activities in both Northville and Novi.

Among other things Griffin has Program, a one-on-one caregivers

generously given her time and efforts to are an adult literacy program; she is past president of the Friends of Northville Library; edits the newslet-ter of the organization; and is campaigning for a new public library in Northville. She also edits the newsletter of the Farmington chapter of the Older Women's League, a non-profit national organization concerned with affordable housing, pension equity, social security reform and

health care for older women. For nearly nine years, Griffin has been a volunteer peer counselor at the Women's Resource Center at Schoolcraft College in Livonia.

Griffin also works at the Holy Family Church in Novi with the international ecumenical Stephen Ministry

program for people who are hurting (1992) and Dorothy Flattery (1993). in any way. At the same church, she is one of the founders of Accent on Women, a newly formed group for mutual support, fellowship and enrichment through outside speakers. All of Griffin's activities fulfill the

criteria stipulated for the AAUW award. The recipient should:

1. Have a current or historical impact in the community.

2. Reflect the goals of the AAUW's mission statement which promotes equity for women, education and self-development over the life span, and a positive societal change.

Previous recipients of the award have been Diane Rockall of Northville (1991), Gretchen Pugsley of Novi

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and fourth-grade student Ross Doolin shows he'll be able to make use of a multitude of me-

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## Greenpeace goes door-to-door here

Members of Greenpeace, the international environmental organization, are now in the Northville area on a door-to-door canvassing campaign.

Canvas director Chuck Barbieri says Greenpeace representatives are working neighborhoods in both the city and the township, educating people about environmental issues and seeking donations.

According to Barbieri, the Greenpeace workers will be expressing concern about the hunting of whales and will inform residents about the need to reduce organochlorine com-

pounds in the Greak Lakes. As a non-profit organization, Greenpeace does not need a permit to go door to door, but must register with municipal authorities.

The Greenpeace workers are ex- Ann Arbor at 313-761-1996.

pected to remain in the area for the next two weeks.

Greenpeace has offices in 31 countires. The national headquarters is located in Washington, D.C., while the regional headquarters is in Chicago.

People with questions or comments are invited to call Barbieri in

# Homestead form Q & A

A: Yes, but only the portion of your home you live in, not on the portion you rent out. On the affidavit, find

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tiguous to your home, according to Treasury. If it's across the road, the

9: Is the state really going to change the March 1 deadline for fil-

ing the lower homestead tax rate?

to extend the deadline to May 1. A

lawmaker tells us: "May 1 is the con-

sensus date." Nothing's certain, but

this Lansing watcher will guess yes.

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ers. We get two answers: Rep. Willis

Bullard, R-Milford, co-chair of the

House Taxation Committee, wants to

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You may claim an exemption for the

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the home as your principal

A: That continues to bother read-

**Q: I am having a new home built** 

A: A Senate bill is being prepared

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### By TIM RICHARD Staff Writer

Most of your dozens of questions on Proposal A continue to be about the homestead exemption alldavitthe simple form you must sign to make your home eligible for the sixor 12-mill propety tax instead of 24 mills.

Question: I own and occupy my own home. My daughter and sonin-law are on the deed as coowners. Whose name and social security number are needed?

On my deed, there are myself and my wife. But my wife's name is on her mother's deed.

Answer: Only co-owners who occupy the home as their principal residence must sign the affidavit, the State Treasury Department says. Family members who are co-owners but don't live there should not sign. Be careful if you own a house and

are listed on a parent's house as coowner. Sign an affidavit only for the house you occupy. You are entitled only to one homestead tax break.

g: My children are owners of my home, but I hold a life estate. May I claim the exemption?

A: 'Yes. Fill out the affidavit using your name, address, social security number and signature. Your children should not sign the affidavit."

Treasury says. **9: We live in a mobile home in a** trailer park in South Lyon. Do we get any break?

A: You may claim an exemption on your garage and shed if they're taxable, but mobile homes in a licensed park are taxed under a different law. not the homestead property tax.

9: I rent a room to a boarder. May I still claim an exemption?

## Prop A's ballot language released

Here is the official text you will see on the March 15 special election ballot:

#### PROPOSAL A

A PROPOSAL TO INCREASE THE STATE SALES TAX AND USE TAX RATES FROM 4 PERCENT TO 6 PERCENT, LIMIT ANNUAL IN-CREASES IN PROPERTY TAX AS-SESSMENTS, EXEMPT SCHOOL OPERATING MILLAGES FROM UNIFORM TAXATION REQUIRE-MENT AND REQUIRE THREE-FOURTHS VOTE OF LEGISLA-TURE TO EXCEED STATUTORILY ESTABLISHED SCHOOL OPERAT-

ING MILLAGE RATES The proposed constitutional

amendment would: 1. Limit annual assessment in-

creases for each property parcel to 5 percent or inflation rate, whichever is less. When property is sold or transferred, adjust assessment to current value.

schools. 3. Exempt school operating millages from uniform taxation

requirement. 4. Require three-quarters vote of G: Your paper is offering a far-mail service to homeowners who didn't get a homestead affidavit from their local assessor. People should know they can get these free from the assessor's office.

A: You're right. Our service is designed to those who can't get to city or township hall during office hours or who are elsewhere in the country. Our \$4.95 price beats a plane trip home.

If you still need a homestead exemption form, call toll-free 1(800)967-5904 from anywhere in the U.S. Have your Visa or Mastercard charge card ready. Ask for item 0301. Specify whether you want delivery by fax (complete phone number, please), mail (complete address with area code) or Federal Express (for an additional \$20).

Q:I'm in the process of buying a house from a relocation firm. Who files for the exemption?

A: Only the owner-occupant may file for the exemption.

Q: My home in Bloomfield Township has been for sale for a year. I live in my second home. My CPA tells me not to change my voting address in order to qualify for a federal capital gains tax break.

A: This reporter is neither a CPA nor an attorney and isn't likely to give such detailed advice. Treasury's answer is short and sweet: 'You must claim the exemption for the home you occupy as your principal residence." Treasury does not check your affidavit against your voter registration. It checks only to make sure you're claiming only a single homestead.

This newspaper will try to answer in print all questions of general interest. By touchtone, call (313)953-2047 ext. 1881. One question per call, please.

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6. Nullify alternative laws raising school revenues through taxation 2. Increase the sales/use tax. Dedicate additional revenue to including an increase in income tax, personal tax exemption increase and partial restoration of

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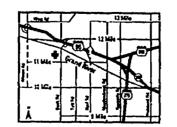
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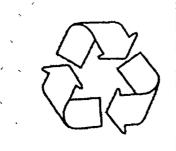
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# House delays transfer tax reduction one year

By TIM RICHARD Staff Writer

Democrats hope they've stuck a poison pill into a cut in the real estate transfer tax sought by Gov. John Engler.

The House Wednesday passed the tax cut 76 to 28. But it failed to come up with the two-thirds majority (72) to give Senate Bill 999 immediate effect. The second vote was 68 to 32.

So if the Engler-backed Proposal A wins March 15 at the polls, the real estate transfer tax - a 2 percent sales tax on homes - can't be cut to 0.75 percent until about April 1, 1995. Under the statutory plan, which takes effect if Proposal A looses, the real estate transfer tax starts at 1 percent on May 1 and drops to 0.75 percent in April of 1995.

"After more than a year of com-promise, House Democrats returned to their obstructionist role," said state Rep. Jerry Vovra, R-Plymouth. "it's a shame partisan politics stalled a well-deserved rollback."

"It will kill real estate sales," added marathon legislative session. Republicans like Rep. Willis Bullard of Milford and Sen. Michael Bouchard of Birmingham. Bouchard sponsored the bill. Bullard guided it through the House Taxation

Committee. They fear sellers will keep houses off the market until April of 1995 in order to avoid a tax of \$200 per \$100,000 of sale price.

Under Proposal A, the real estate transfer tax's yield will be cut by \$266 million on a full-year basis, Bouchard said.

The Republican chieftains hope to try again for a two-thirds immediate effect vote - perhaps after the March 15 election, when the issue may be less partisan.

Engler called the plan a poison pill" designed to damage Proposal A at the polls. The governor said he proposed it last October when it appeared home property taxes would be zeroed out completely, but he wanted to drop it after the residential property tax was revived. Engler said it was reinserted in the Dec. 23-24

Four Democrats voted both ways: for the tax cut but against giving it immediate effect. All HomeTown area representatives from both parties voted yes: Bullard, whose district includes South Lyon and Novi; Susan Munsell, R-Howell; Tom Middleton, R-Ortonville, whose district includes Highland; Kirk Profit, R-Ypsilanti, whose district includes Salem; and Jerry Vorva, R-Plymouth, whose district includes Northville. The final vote followed a long battle along party lines over parliamentary maneuvers and amendments.

One Democrat, Howard Wetters of Bay County, denounced Engler and Republican senators as "willing to change this in mid-stream while the voters are watching. To give this bill immediate effect would only encourage and reward this behavior" and aid the GOP "in their headlong desire to appease the special interests."

Realtors had withheld support of Proposal A until the transfer tax was reduced.

# Due date may be delayed

A bill to extend the deadline for homeowners to submit the new Homestead Exemption Form in order to be eligible for lower homestead property taxes under both the ballot and statutory school finance reform plans passed unanimously in the House Taxation Committee Feb. 16. This bill was expected to be taken up this week by the full House and is expected to pass overwhelmingly. The current law says that these homestead forms must be submitted by March 1, but, under the Freeman Bill, that date would be moved to May 1.

"There is no doubt about it, this is an important piece of legislation," Rep. John Freeman, D-Madison Heights, sponsor of the bill said. "Mi-

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serve more time to file this new tax form to get their tax cut."

"With the current deadline just 12 days away, the fairest step to take is to extend the deadline to May 1," Rep. Freeman noted.

If homeowners do not file by May 1, then they will pay the higher rate for their July tax payment. However, under the Bill, there is also a mechanism if homeowners fail to meet the new deadline of May 1 which will still allow them to realize their tax cut. By failing to file by May 1, a homeowner will pay the higher tax rate on their July tax bill. However, if a homeowner files a late affidavit before October 1, the local tax collecting treasurer may do any of the following

chigan homeowners need and de- to refund or credit the excess amount billed on the summer tax bill: (a) Refund the excess amount billed

without interest. (b) Deduct the excess amount from the succeeding winter tax statement. (c) Credit the excess amount against future school tax statements.

If the Department of Treasury determines that the property is not a homestead, the department shall notify the property owner and local tax collector who will place the owner back on the tax roll for collection. An owner can appeal this determination directly to the tax tribunal within 35 days of the notice without appealing to the board of review.

## Top spellers

Cooke Middle School recently held its spelling bee competition and linguistic talents Shannyn Calardo, left, and Kristen Winter, fin-

ished at the head of the pact. Shannyn won the meet, while Kristen was first runner-up.



## NOTICE TO THE RESIDENTS OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE The Charter Township of Northville has scheduled a public hearing for Thursday, March 3, 1994, at 7 p.m., at the Northville Township Civic Center, 41600 Six Mile Road, Northville, Michigan 48167, for the purpose of hearing comments and ques-tions regarding a proposed AFC Small Group Home to be located at 15710 Winches-ter in Northville Township. (2-24 & 3-3-94 NR) SUE A. HILLEBRAND. CLERK NOTICE **CITY OF NORTHVILLE BOARD OF REVIEW** WAYNE AND OAKLAND COUNTIES

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Board of Review of the City of Northville, Wayne and Oakland Counties, will meet at the City Hall, 215 West Main Street, for the purpose of reviewing and adjust the Assessment rolls of the City of Northville on the

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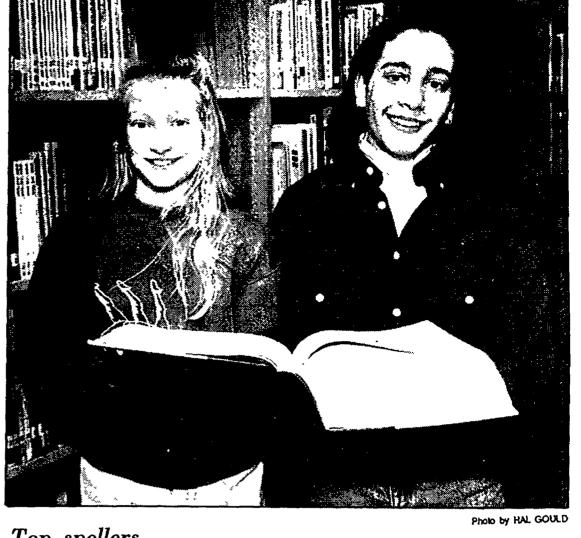
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	CLOSED MEETING SYNOPSIS
بر	Date: Thursday, February 10, 1994 Jine: 6:30 p.m., Piace: 41600 Six Mile Road 1. Call to Order: Supervisor Baja called the meeting to order at 6:30 p / 2. Roll Call: Present: Karen Baja, Supervisor, Sue A. Hillebrand, Clerk, Rick E
	getland, Treasurer, Mark Abbo, Trustee, Gini Britton, Trustee, Russell Fogg, Trustee Barbara Strong O'Brien, Trustee Also Present: Mr. Paul Coughenour, Township A torney, Moved and supported to close the meeting to discuss on-going labor negota

tions. Roll Call Vote: Motion carried. 3. NEGOTIATION UPDATE. Mr. Paul Coughenor updated board members on

labor negotations with the POAM, COAM and MAPE. 4. Adjournment. Moved and supported to adjourn the closed meeting. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 7:25 p m. THIS IS A SYNOPSIS. A TRUE AND COM-PLETE COPY is on file in the Northville Township Clerk's Office, 41600 Sx Mile Road, Northville, Michigan 48167. (2-24-94 NR)

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# **Members** scrutinize scheme one final time

By STEVE KELLMAN Staff Writer

In what they called their final review, the Northville City Council took one last, long look at the Mainstreet '93 plan Tuesday night before issuing their final approval.

The 4-1 decision, with Council Member Paul Folino casting the sole opposing vote, came after the council heard presentations from the city's parking consultants, engineer and the landscape consultant for Mainstreet '93.

tions to Singh Development Co. Inc. and replace its crumbling Cady Street deck at the same time.

The latest plan followed on the heels of Mainstreet '92, an ambitious \$6.2 million proposal for an expanded three-level Cady Street structure with ramps between the levels and an elevated pedestrian walkway across Center Street for MainCentre residents.

of more than five years of city effort to design and fund one or two decks to fulfill its contractual parking obligaparking above, and an elevator tower to a pedestrian bridge that crosses West Cady to the MainCentre apartments.

> The Cady Street deck will be rebuilt so that it can be expanded into the MainStreet '92 version in the future, and additional parking will be provided on a new 155-space paved parking lot across East Cady from the rebuilt deck.

#### The more modest Mainstreet '93 Council Member Charles Keys The \$4.2 million plan is the result plan meets the city's obligation to eight steps. **Council gives Mainstreet '93 green light**

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of the deck from car headlights and noise.

On the new parking lot, a bricked pedestrian promenade begins that stretches north to Mary Alexander Court, through a 10-foot corridor between the rebuilt deck and the Domino's Pizza building.

Some planners worried about changing traffic patterns proposed by city engineers at McNeely & Lincoln. The engineers had proposed an eastbound traffic flow on the nowwestbound Mary Alexander Court. and northbound traffic on the Hutton Street extension.

Planning commissioners sug-

area, and the city subsequently awarded a \$1,900 contract to Barton-Aschman Associates Inc. to analyze traffic flow around the area of the decks. Singh Development Inc. has agreed to split the cost, since the study includes the area around its MainCentre and proposed CadyCentre developments.

City Engineer Maureen Turner updated the Downtown Develop-ment Authority on the study's findings at the DDA's Tuesday morning meeting, noting that Barton-Aschman saw no immediate need for a traffic signal at the Cady/Center intersection.

Barton-Aschman agreed with gested an overall traffic study of the McNeely & Lincoln that reversing the

traffic flows on Mary Alexander Court would improve safety on Center and at the north entrance to the Cady Street deck, she said.

Turner added that First Presbyterian Church officials had reacted positively to talk of making the Hutton Street extension that runs by their church into a northbound street.

The church was looking very favorably at reversing that (direction) in conjunction with this project," she said. "If that happened, there would be a full traffic pattern around the church that doesn't exist now."

Drivers who turn east onto Cady at Center now have to drive to Griswold before being able to head west again back into town.

DDA Member Jim Long had his

hoped that a traffic light would be installed at Center and Cady to allow pedestrians to cross the street, particularly after Singh builds its proposed CadyCenter retail/office structure at the northeast corner.

Folino's remaining complaints about the much-debated plan included traffic flow and pedestrian access around the Center/Cady intersection and a proposed traffic flow reversal on Mary Alexander Court. He also worried that two short flights of steps at the northeast corner of the new MainCentre deck would pose a safety hazard in the winter, and advocated installing a ramp instead.

Architect Matt Jobin of Rich & Associates, the city's parking deck con-sultants, pointed out that the Americans with Disabilities Act requires all ramps to meet handicappedaccessible guidelines, which would require a 30-foot ramp in lieu of the

own questions about the traffic flow,

asking whether the change in direc-tion and reconfigured parking along

Mary Alexander Court and Hutton

would still allow trucks to drive

through to service businesses like his

own Long's Plumbing and Fancy

"They have trouble getting in there now, but I don't know how they're go-

ing to get around this reconfigured area," he said.

Turner assured him that the engi-

neers had taken into account the

turning radii of large trucks when de-

signing the new traffic layout. "What

we're getting is the same situation or

a little better than what's there now,"

Bath Boutique.

she said.

## **Property tax changes** could alter financing

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The revised plan also brought words of protest from Northville Public Schools Superintendent Leonard Rezmierski, who noted that previous plans had included a reversion of some of the captured tax revenue to the schools. Previous financial plans had returned upwards of \$130,000 a year to the school in cap-

tured taxes over the life of the plan. "I have to register a very strong objection to the lack of a reversion (in the current plan)," he said. "The money, if it is not realized, will be a loss to us because we had planned on that."

Mayor Chris Johnson sym-pathized with the school system's plight and noted that the city may revise the plan yet again if the ballot plan fails to be adopted. The city hopes to obtain more exact construction bids on the project by the end of March and put the estimated \$3.8 million bond needed to fund the project out to bid in early April.

Mainstreet '93 is an extension of

the Mainstreet '78 downtown improvement program that resulted in Northville's Victorian streetscapes

and renovated storefronts. The plan's primary funding source is tax capturing, the diversion of property tax revenue increases from a specified downtown development district to pay for projects that benefit that district. Northville's downtown develop-

ment district corresponds roughly with the boundaries of the city's commercial business district.

Revenues to pay off Mainstreet '93 also include a special assessment on downtown business owners and an additional assessment on Singh Development Inc.

Singh's contributions to the program have increased substantially since the company's assessments of \$336,042 for MainCentre and \$253,365 for the proposed CadyCentre building would be financed over 15 years instead of 11. Singh's total assessment with interest is estimated at \$890,722.

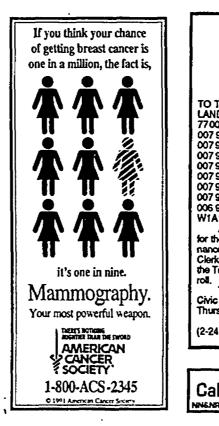
A special assessment of \$247,000 divided among all downtown businesses including Singh, which would be spread out over 11 years at 6 percent interest, remains unchanged under the new plan. The total assessment is estimated at \$310,799 with interest.

#### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Novi City Council will hold a public hearing relative to the relocation of East Lake Drive to 14 Mile Road. This has been raised with regard to the settlement of litigation regarding the zoning of property at East Lake and Mile Road

This hearing has been scheduled for Thursday, March 3, 1994 at 8:00 p.m., pre-valing eastern time. Said hearing will be held in the Council Chamber at the Novi Civic Center, 45175 W. Ten Mile Road, Novi, Michigan. All interested persons will be heard. (2-24-94 NR, NN) GERALDINE STIPP, CITY CLERK





NOTICE OF HEARING TO REVIEW SPECIAL ASSESSMENT ROLL TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE COUNTY OF WAYNE, MICHIGAN

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A special assessment roll comprising the above described properties and made for the purpose of defraying the cost of sanitary sewer improvements and appurte-nances to service said properties is on file for public examination with the Township Clerk and any objections to said special assessment roll must be filed in writing with the Township Clerk prior to the close of the hearing to review said special assessment

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the Township Board will meet at the Northville Civic Center, Northville, Michigan, at 7 o'clock p.m., Eastern Standard Time, on Thursday, March 10, 1994, for the purpose of reviewing said special assessment roll. SUE A. HILLEBRAND, (2-24 & 3-3-94 NR) TOWNSHIP CLERK

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Date: Thursday, February 10, Time: 7:30 p.m.

Place: 41600 Six Mile Road 1. CALL TO ORDER: Supervisor Baja called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. 2. ROLL CALL: Present: Karen Baja, Supervisor, Sue A. Hillebrand, Clerk, Rick Engelland, Treasurer, Mark Abbo, Trustee, Gini Britton, Trustee, Russell Fogg, Trustee, Barbara Strong O'Brien, Trustee. Also Present: The press and approximately 40 visitors.

3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: 4. BRIEF PUBLIC COMMENTS AND QUESTIONS: Mr. Marvin Gans stated the planning process for land uses. Mr. Dean Len-

4. Briter Public Commercial and Consent Agenda. Moved and supported to approve the agenda and consent agenda.
 5. AGENDA: Approval of Agenda and Consent Agenda. Moved and supported to approve the agenda and consent agenda.
 Motion amended to include the total amount for bills payable for February 10, 1994 in the grand total of \$276,163.80. Roll Call Vote:

6. PUBLIC HEARINGS; a. Scheduling of CDBG Public Hearing for March 10, 1994 at 7.15 p m. Moved and supported to sche-

PUBLIC HEARINGS: a. Scheduling of CDBG Public Hearing for March 10, 1994 at 7.15 p.m. Moved and supported to schedule the CDBG public hearing for February 24, 1994 at 6:45 p.m. Motion carried.
 PETITIONS, REQUESTS, AND COMMUNICATIONS: None.
 RESOLUTIONS AND ORDINANCES: a. YCUAWTUA Ordinance — Effective upon Publication. Moved and supported to adopt the YCUAWTUA Ordinance to become effective upon publication. Roll Call Vote: Motion carried. b. Dare Resolution for Grant Application. Moved and supported to accept resolution 94-4 for the DARE program. Motion carried. c. Resolution for Red Ribbon Substance Awareness Week. Moved and supported to adopt resolution 94-11 for the Red Ribbon Substance Awareness Week. Moved and supported to adopt resolution 94-11 for the Red Ribbon Substance Awareness Week.
 UNFINISHED BUSINESS: a. BFI Composting Agreement. Moved and supported to table agendantem 9 (a) discussion until the developer requests it be back on the agenda. Roll Call Vote: Motion carried. b. Alarm System Station 3. Moved and supported to table item 9 (b) Alarm System Station 3. Motion carried. c. Preliminary Draft. The board concurred that the Clerk should continue with this project.

Draft. The board concurred that the Clerk should continue with this project. 10. New Business: a. Parkstone Subdivision — Final Plat Approval 1. Private Road Construction and Maintenance Agree

10. New Business: a. Parkstone Subdivision — Final Plat Approval 1. Private Road Construction and Maintenance Agree-ment. 2. Agreement for Maintenance of Open Space. 3. Declaration of Restrictons for Parkstone Subdivision 4 Resolution regard-ing Bike Path Maintenance. 5. Easement with Ward Church. Moved and supported to table item 10 (a) item 1 through 5 Roll Call Vote: Motion carried. b. Genry Dodd's Resignation from Board of Review dated January 17, 1994. Moved and supported to receive and file this resignation. Motion carried. c. Judy Jambor's resignation from Beautification. Moved and supported to receive and file this resignation. Motion carried. d. Muscular Dystrophy Association request for Annual campaign. Moved and supported to permit MDA to run their annual campaign from April 15 through May 15, 1994. Motion carried. e. Northridge Quake request. Moved and supported that we approve the proposed agreement to provide professional consulting services from McKenna Associates to do all and use study of the property on Seven Mile Road in an amount not to exceed \$6,000.00 and we should check into the availability of CDBG Grant money to pay for this since it was not a budgeted item. Roll Call Vote: Motion carried g Letter from Edward J Naszradi re: Traffic Flow for Country Club Village Entrances/exits. Moved and supported to table. Motion carried h. Interum Employment Posrion. No action taken. taken

taken. 11. RECOMMENDATIONS: a. Six Mile Road Water Main Extension — Engineer's Recommendation. Moved and supported to accept the recommendation of Ayres, Lewis, Norris and May, Inc., to grant the bid in the amount of \$401,305 00 to J. Brothers Exca-vating for the Six Mile Road Water Main Extension. Amended: That the project cost will not exceed \$495,305 00. Roll Call Vote: Mo-tion carried. b. Pressure Reducing Valves and Vautis Gerald Avenue and Haggerty Road — Engineer's Recommendation. Moved and supported to grant the project for Ayres, Lewis, Norris & Mays, Inc., recommendation for the pressure reducing valves involved for Gerald Avenue and Haggerty Road to George Odiem Incorporated, the total project cost is not to exceed \$120,070.00. Roll Call Vote: Motion carried. c. Beck Road Water Booster Station — Engineer's Certificate No. 1. Moved and supported to pay the F. Jones \*24. 201.00 for work complated and that we set up a separate account to hold our retention money. Roll Call Vote: Motion carried

Vote: Motion carried, c. Beck Road Water Booster Station — Engineer's Certificate No. 1. Moved and supported to pay the F, Jones \$34,290.00 for work completed and that we set up a separate account to hold our retention money. Roll Call Vote: Motion carried 12. BOARD COMMUNICATIONS: a. Supervisor. The quad meeting — March 30th at Cook Middle School at 7 p m. Supervisor Baja stated that the Recreation Department has a new hire her name is Nicki Ross and she started on Monday. Wayne County is requesting that they be allowed to develop the sever for the County land under Public Act 157, which would allow the county to establish their own SAD. Supervisor Baja suggested that the board go to two regular meetings per month. Supervisor Baja stated that the Blue Ribbon Committee has met on joint services that the voter statation of joint services regarding financing and control is not working to the satisfaction of this Board of Trustees. Merger-Consolidation was proposed by Mayor Johnson. Moved and supported to allow the Blue Ribbon Commission and comments and questions regarding the proposed group home. Motion carried to tail ow the Blue Ribbon Commission and Board of Trustees meeting. C. Treasurer. Moved and supported to have a public hearing on March 3, 1994 at 7 p m, to hear comments and questions regarding the proposed group home. Motion carried March 23, 1994 is the Planning Commission and Board of Trustees meeting. C. Treasurer. Moved and supported to have a public hearing on March 3, 1994 at 7 p m, to hear comments and questions regarding the proposed group home. Motion carried that the Planning Commission and Board of Trustee Abbo stated that the Planning Commission and Board of Trustees meeting. C. Treasurer. Moved and supported to have a public hearing on March 3, 1994 at 7 p m, to hear comments and questions regarding the proposed group home. Motion carried that the Planning Commission and Board of Trustees meeting c. Treasurer. Moved and supported to have a public hearing on March 3, 1994 at 7 p m, to he

 Extended Public Comments. Mr. Mary Property De Scussed the Parks and Recreation Dinner on Saturday, April 23, 1994.
 Mr. Donald Thomson referenced a conversation with Chief Snider regarding our weights and measure department and its status.
 15. Adjournment. Moved and supported to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 9.40 p.m. THIS IS A SYNOPSIS. A TRUE AND COMPLETE COPY may be obtained at the Northville Township Clerk's Office, 41600 Six Mile Road, Northville, Michigan 48167. (2-24-94 NR)

SUE A HILLEBRAND, CLERK

## Township sets review board dates

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The board will hold hearings by appointment only on the following dates:

• Tuesday, March 8, from 1-5 p.m. Thursday, March 10, from 9 a.m.

to noon and 1-5 p.m.

Monday, March 14, from 9 a.m. to noon, 1-5 p.m. and 6-9 p.m.

The hearings will be held at township hall, located on Six Mile Road between Winchester and Haggerty. Call 348-5800 for an appointment or more information from Feb. 28 through March 4.

Hearings will be held on a walk-in basis or for missed appointments on the following dates:

Saturday, March 12, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

• Wednesday, March 16, from 1-5 p.m. and 6-9 p.m.

Township offices will be open for assessment information until 8 p.m. on March 1 and March 7.

### **Education Notes**

SCHOOLCRAFT OFFERINGS: Schoolcraft College is offering the following activities and events:

Cooking Class: If you're a serious, sophisticated cook or a professional chef who understands the value of learning from talented colleagues, Schoolcraft College's Sixth Annual Chef's Seminar for Sophisticated Cooks is for you.

Participants in the March 7 seminar will have the opportunity to select four out of eight different workshops to attend throughout the day. In addition, they'll have a chance to work with prominent Detroitarea chefs, including Mary Brady (Diamond Jim Brady's), Peter Ashcraft (Charley's Crab), Kevin Brennan (Orchard Lake Country Club) and others.

The fee is \$150. Hours are 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

To register or to obtain information, call 462-4448.

Crafters Needed: Schoolcraft is looking for crafters to feature their work in the college's juried Spring Craft Show on Saturday, March 12, from 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. To obtain an application, call 462-4417.

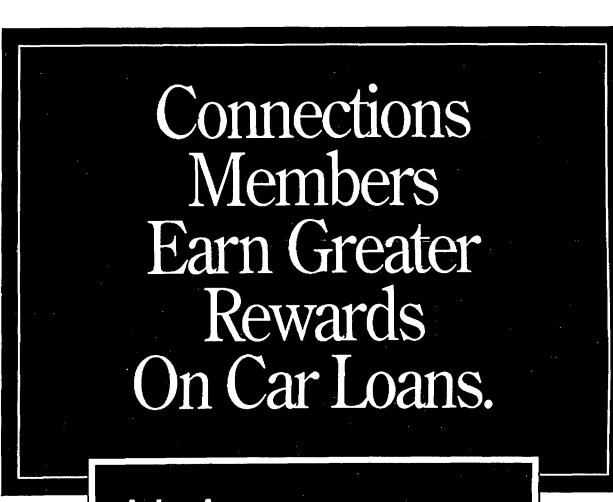
MADONNA UNIVERSITY: Madonna University announces the following activities:

 Living Trust: Madonna will hold a living trust seminar on Thursday. March 10, in room 2213 from 2213 from 7:30 to 9 p.m. It is open to the public and free of charge.

Seating is limited. For reservations, call 591-5123.

Management Pointers: The continuing education department is offering Interpersonal Management Skills, a course for secretaries and administrative assistants designed to sharpen people skills.

Participants will learn to communicate effectively with different types of people, handle delicate situations tactfully, respond to changing priorities and schedules and coordinate meetings, conferences and projects. The class will meet from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 26. The cost is \$50. For information or to register, call 591-5188.



**DeMattia bid scrutinized** 

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wanted to make sure by seeking the opinion. He is still awaiting the Counsel of-

fice's opinion of the legality of a potential sale to the DeMattia group. DeMattia's is one of four groups who have offered to buy the land or manage its development for the county. Executive Ed McNamara is expected to make a recommendation soon on which offer the county commission should vote to accept.

Questions have arisen in some quarters, however, concerning De-Mattia and a partner in his group, Southgate developer Heintz Prechter. Both were members of the county's Economic Development Corporation (WEDC) in 1989 when that body voted to end a sublease with a private company for developing 101 acres of the 926. DeMattia abstained from the vote.

Some feel the vote still may have been questionable in light of events. Less than six weeks later, DeMattia led a group of developers which included Prechter who agreed to a deal to buy the 926 acres for \$32 million. The agreement fell through when the Huntington Falls Ltd. Partnership could not secure financing for that amount in 1991.

Also waiting on word - but of a different kind - is President Bill Clinton's nominee for U.S. Attorney in Michigan's Eastern District, which comprises Detroit. Saul Green had been sailing toward confirmation by the U.S. Senate when Hubbard raised questions about decisions he made that involved the township property.

Green served until last year as County Corporate Counsel. In that job he hired a Detroit firm to repre-

sent the county in a lawsuit filed in 1993 by the company with which the

WEDC broke the sublease in 1989. Joining that firm at the same time that Green was hiring it was Leon Cohan, who chaired the citizens' committee that recommended Green to Clinton for nomination to the U.S. Attorney post.

Green has repeatedly denied any impropriety or unethical behavior. McNamara maintains Hubbard and Sheriff Robert Ficano, his political ri- . vals, are running a smear campaign against Green to see if any mud to sticks to the executive.

Green's name remains in nomination but has not come up for a vote yet. FBI investigators at last reports were checking into Hubbard's allegations, some of which do not relate to the township land.

## Car theft attempt turns deadly

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Ken Marlowe said that the five men rode to Livonia in a van from Detroit. At about 1 a.m. Friday they began to steal auto parts and cars, he said. Li-

College's parking lot, located on Haggerty between Six and Seven Mile.

"Unfortunately for the bad guys, their luck wasn't good," Marlowe said.

The van, containing stolen auto parts, had broken down in the parking lot. A 1982 Pontiac the men stole was also broken down, Marlowe said, in the middle of Haggerty. A police unit arrived to find the men trying to push-start the Pontiac with the Cherokee, he said.

of his vehicle and ordered the men to legal proceedings.

#### vonia police received a report of a sto- halt. Sturdivent. Marlowe said, then len vehicle present in Schoolcraft tried to run the officer over with the Cherokee.

Hornshaw, a Dearborn Place resident, was 55.

Three of the suspects were arrested at the scene, Marlowe said." The fourth man, Sturdivent's cousin, fled on foot and was apprehended. with the help of police dog tracking.

The four men were arraigned in-16th District Court on charges of conspiracy to commit larceny from a motor vehicle. They will return to the-The responding officer stepped out Livonia court on March 1 for further

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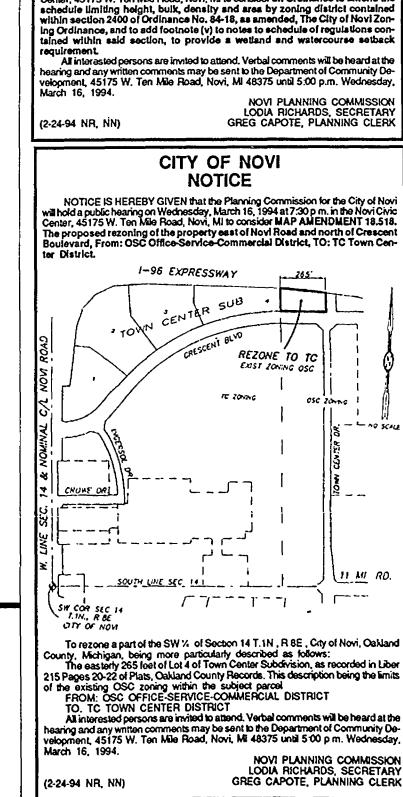
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# RECORD **OPINION**



#### **Our Opinion**

# Lift the veil of secrecy over Richards' ouster

It all happened so fast. Northville Township Manager Bill Richards announced that he was taking a medical leave in late January, and that same day he was off the job.

Hardly two weeks later, we heard that Richards was out as manager after having reached a termination agreement with township officials. In the same breath, we were told that Richards had already landed a new job with the Downriver Community Conference, an organization that administers publicly-funded programs for 17 metro-area communities.

So, in a blur of activity, the man who seized the reins of township government just eight months ago amid a shower of praise and a sea of promise is gone. Now we need to know why.

Township officials have been tightlipped on the case of Bill Richards, declining comment while the situation was still unfolding. Now that everything has been finalized, however, a little candor is the order of the day.

Township trustees are obligated to make public the terms of the settlement with Richards, and we expect to be given a full account of the severance accord. What is equally called for, in our view, is an official explanation of what happened.



Specifically, how was it that a qualified professional, someone who was selected from among a field of 50 candidates, was moved to leave his place of employment after only eight months' time? The average term expectancy for municipal managers is about five years, and eight months doesn't even constitute a get-acquainted period for a highly complex position like that of a municipal chief executive.

We call on someone — anyone — in township government to come forward and offer his or her best interpretation of what happened. Our preference would be for all seven members of the board of trustees to address the issue in a public setting, but we'll take whatever explanation we can get: provided, that is, that it's direct, thorough and honest.

Township residents deserve to have this one brought out in the open.

# Some studies go on forever

The quote of the week has to go to Northville Mayor Chris Johnson Yup, it was almost 26 y who said: 'You can study something forever."

Johnson made the remark while explaining why he favors putting the question of merging Northville City and Northville Township to a vote this fall.

The possibility of asking voters how they feel about unification is still being kicked around by Johnson and others who tend to favor

the idea of a single Northville.

Lee

Snider

Johnson said some people have suggested holding off on a vote until more can be learned about consolidation, but, in his view, there comes a time when you have to stop inspecting the merchandise and make your purchase. If you hesitate too long, the store will close and you'll get cheated out of the opportunity to make any decision at all.

Besides, a ballot question would be only a non-binding advisory request. Kind of a voting booth opinion poll.

What makes me think Johnson's seemingly ingenuous comment is worthy of note is a discovery I made during office clean-up day last Thursday.

Along with a pile of 2-year-old press releases that had slipped behind my desk and a handful of bulletin board tacks that had settled between two file cabinets, my search-anddestroy mission eventually led me to an old document, yellowed but completely in tact, that bore the title: "Full Report on All Information Compiled for the Feasibility Study for Unification of the City and Township of Northville." The date -

Yup, it was almost 26 years ago that a thorough feasibility study on consolidating the city and township was completed. Not "forever" exactly but it ain't first edition news either.

According to the report, published by The Northville Record, city police "patrolmen" were hired in at \$6,500 a year in 1968 and the fire chief doubled as the DPW superintendent. Volunteer firefighters under a cooperative service agreement were paid \$4 an hour (for the first hour, \$3 for additional ones) and Maybury Sanitorium was still a budget item.

In spite of all the changes that have occurred between then and now, the essential issue remains the same: Would erasing the boundaries that separate the city and township make sense?

Johnson says the first election in which he was cld enough to vote included a question on unification. He thinks the year was 1973. City voters approved the proposal, township residents rejected it.

According to the mayor, it was a heated battle that touched off Civil War-like divisions.

"Neighbors were not talking to each other," he claims.

I think the idea of pursuing unification of the city and township is a sound one. As Johnson told me, there is a sense of community here that makes a merger seem natural. Unlike Dearborn and Dearborn Heights, which have only a first name in common, I detect a genuine feeling that the city and the township are really just extensions of one another.

In any case, a yes outcome on an advisory vote would only authorize officials to look into the idea further.

Which would confirm the reliablity of the quote: You can study something forever.

**By Bryan Mitchell** 

Lee Snider is editor of The Northville Record.

#### Moments



# A clarion call for help

Northville community residents are with adults who act as mentors and role good-hearted people. They provide for each other during times of disaster and come through with relief efforts when others get their backs pinned against the wall.

Two cases in point are the help they extended to people whose homes were devastated by fire at the Innsbrook apartments Feb. 2, and the outpouring of emotional and financial support Northridge Meadows residents offered their counterparts in an earthquakeravaged complex of the same name in

models. The organization provides training and the volunteers give a few hours of invaluable companionship a week to the youths to whom they've been assigned.

The next training session is a fiveweek course beginning Thursday, March 3, and meeting on consecutive Thursdays from 6:30-9:30 p.m. But there is a problem.

For the first time in the 7-year history of NYA, a training session is threatened with cancelation due to a lack of enroll-

southern California.

But as generous as the locals are, life goes on and the need for help seemingly knows no limits. At the risk of going to the well one too many times, we find ourselves again having to ask volunteers to come forward and deal with yet another difficult problem.

Northville Youth Assistance is a program that works much along the same lines as the Big Brother/Big Sister arrangement. NYA takes the names of children whose lives have been disrupted by traumas such as divorce or domestic violence and matches them

ment. According to director Mary Ellen King, roughly 10 more volunteers are needed for there to be enough trainees to proceed with the class.

King is asking responsible, caring adults to become involved in this worthy effort and we add our voice to hers. There can be fewer undertakings as fundamentally kind as helping a young person overcome deep personal stress, and we're keeping our fingers crossed that folks in the community can be counted on to deliver help where it's needed.

Call 344-1618 to register.

## A vote on medicide

Dr. Jack Kervorkian and his minions appear to be on the right track, finally, with their efforts to circulate a petition to place a constitutional amendment on the ballot which would protect the right of terminally ill patients to end their lives.

Heretofore, the good doctor has attempted to force the issue by practicing his so-called "medicide," and the Legislature and courts have proven them incapable of addressing the issue. The Legislature has done everything it can to avoid the issue, deciding instead to undertake a study.

The temporary ban, enacted while the Death and Dying Commission was still reviewing the question, produced a plethora of court cases, but even the judges have spent most of their time on peripheral issues, skirting the central question. Even the rulings on the constitutionality of the law addressed only the question of whether the temporary ban was enacted properly, not on whether terminally ill patients have a right to end their suffering by suicide.

It could well be that there is nothing in the constitution which would settle the question. A lay person's reading of the constitution would reach that conclu-

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sion, although attorneys and judges might some other point of constitutional law does cover the issue.

So Kervorkian and his supporters are proposing to solve the problem by adding the necessary verbiage.

Now, the proposed constitutional amendment would pose some interesting problems for the legal system. It simply states that the right of terminally ill patients to take their own lives shall not be abridged. It would simply give them an absolute right to commit suicide.

It does not address a number of related issues, like whether a physician has a right to assist in the suicide of a terminally ill patient. Nor does it address the question of how to insure that the old and infirm are not coerced into suicide by those who would benefit by the death.

But in giving a definitive statement about whether it is right or wrong for the terminally ill to end their suffering by suicide, the amendment will give the Legislature and legal community their marching orders to set up the necessary systems to address the surrounding auestions.

Ultimately, that is a question only the electorate can decide.



## Spring thaw

Warm temperatures caused the snow to melt, feeding rivers and streams.

# Happy birthday City of Novi

community that it is today?

Some argue that it is merely a a starting point. And many other tors and what you've got it Novi. communities have started out with equally good placement and managed to foul things up pretty well along the way.

Others will point to the extension of 1-96 expressway through town as a turning point for Novi.

Again, many communities have expressways and have not done as well.

It was the expressway that brought Twelve Oaks Mall to town some 16 years ago . . . what some say was the critical here. And unlike many other regional malls which seem to lose their luster after only a few years, Twelve Oaks' reputation has grown over time. Still, upper-market malls are not all that uncommon.

Some say it is the school district. Novi schools have a welldeserved reputation for offering an excellent education, and there can be little doubt that the district has attracted many residents who moved here specifically because of it. Still, that doesn't sufficiently explain it all.

Still others point to progressive city government and solid municipal planning. Hey, city government and planning may be an item that produces a lot of complaining and controversy, but you have to admit that Novi's planning is head and shoulders above what most surrounding communities success. have managed.

Ever hear of the term "synergy." That's when two or more and The Northwille Record.

Who can say what factor, or fac- forces combine to create another force with an even great eftors have made Novi the premiere fect than the original forces are capable of individually. I'd like to suggest that what Novi has is synergy.

Probably the primary ingredient in that synergy are the cimatter of location. But that is only tizens themselves. Put them together with all those other fac-

> Novi, from my experience, is blessed with a population of educated, aware and active residents. They don't wait to get elected to pitch in and do what they can for the community.

> This Sunday, Novi will celebrate the 25th anniversary of its formation its as a city. The city is planning a party noon to 5 p.m. There will be entertainment from a number of local groups. Display booths are being planned and local restaurants will supply the food.

City Manager Ed Kriewall will give an introduction and Oakland County executive L. Brooks Patterson will be on hand to help him out with the welcoming remarks. Former ingredient. Granted, Twelve Oaks has had a major impact Mayor Matt Quinn is scheduled to unveil a gift to the city from its former mayors and council members.

But all this aside, I think the primary attaction of the day will be simply the gathering of those people who have worked so hard over the past quarter century to make this city great. According to Director of Public Information Cindy Stewart, all of the former mayors, council members and appointees have been contacted and many are planning on being there.

It is a time not just to remember the city's past 25 years. but to recall all those contributions some many people have made which, when combined with all the other little contributions everybody else made, have managed to create one great little town.

Happy birthday, Novi. And congratulations on 25 years of

Michael Malott is the Managing Editor of The Novi News



#### Mike Malott

#### Letters

# Innsbrook fire victim says thanks

#### To the editor:

I just wanted to write to express my appreciation to everyone who has been so supportive and compassionate to the families who lived in the apartment building in Innsbrook Apartments that burned on Feb. 2.

My son and I are one of those families left homeless because of the fire. From the moment I arrived at the scene everyone that I have had contact with has been so nice and helpful.

Every day we hear horror stories from people all over the United States of disasters that have befallen them and how no one cares anymore. I just want to tell everyone that the people of Northville are not like that. I have not encountered one person who has not tried to help in some way.

The personnel of the Northville Township Fire Department did an excellent job with assistance from the Northville City Fire Department and the Livonia Fire Department. Even though we lost basically everything, they were able to contain the fire to one building. No lives were lost, although there were some animal casualties.

The men and women of the fire departments, police personnel, Red Cross, Salvation Army and residents of Innsbrook were very understanding of those of us suffering from the shock of losing our homes. We are slowly rebuilding our lives and recovering from our losses but wanted to take the time to thank everyone for everything. Kim Hudson

## Response to mall crime was great

#### To the editor:

I am a Northville resident who, like many Northville residents, often shops at the various Novi mall areas. I have always gone to the area with confidence in regards to my personal safety.

I was quite surprised to be the

victim of a purse snatching in the process out in the open where we West Oaks II parking lot recently. I can object loudly each time we are would like to thank the employees of Kohl's Department Store who assisted me so promptly by calling the police.

I would also like to thank the Novi Police Department for their quick response and assistance. I was greatly impressed with the professionalism. sincerity and dedication of the officer who helped me, as well as the results he and the Novi Police Department obtained.

I will continue to do shopping in the Novi mall areas. I will be more alert in regards to my personal safety, but I will continue to shop in the Novi mall areas with confidence that professionals who care are paying attention and there to help if necessary.

If people in the community need to see real life heroes. I suggest they look no farther than their local police department. Name withheld on request

### Tax proposal is hidden tax

To the editor.

The tax shift shell game is alive and well. Proposal A is another in the long series of attempts by the state legislature to coerce the public into increasing the almost hidden state sales tax with the meaningless promise of limiting annual property assessment increases.

We now have three large, obvious and obnoxious taxes: federal income taxes, state income taxes and property taxes. We see and feel these taxes every time we pay them. The sales tax is one of the hidden taxes because a small To the editor: amount is tacked onto every purchase we make and we accept it as a daily fact of life.

We do not need to increase the hidden taxes that increase our cost of living. We need to eliminate hidden taxes and keep the taxation you printed about the reunion.

forced to give up our income for the bureaucracy to waste. The control of our taxes is the only way we can keep bureaucrats in line. We now have the Headlee Amendment to hold property tax increases down to the rate of inflation regardless of assessment increases.

A vote for Proposal A means that we approve of business as usual for the legislature, the MEA, the teachers and the school administrators. A vote against Proposal A sends a message to the state legislature that we want the school reform and tax reductions that we were promised last year. It is time to send the legislature back to the drawing board to do the job that the taxpayers elect them to do and represent us instead of the special interests. Donald C. Young Jr.

### We deserve a great library

#### To the editor:

I don't understand some of our citizen's attitudes about using other libraries. We are not a poor community and should not be relying on the good will of our neighboring libraries. We should be proud enough of the Northville Community to have a library adequate for our people. Our neighboring community's citizens are not paying their taxes with the intention of supporting our library needs. Phil Smith

### Reunion group is appreciative

Our committee would like to thank you for your support this year. The Northville Reunion in Florida on Feb. 17 was a great success, thanks in part to you and the Northville Record for the articles

There were 91 of us who met and enjoyed a good lunch and fellowship. Next year will be the 25th anniversary of the Northville Reunion and we hope to make it bigger and better. Thank you again Doug & Rose Slesso

Approval was

given too quickly

To the editor:

I thought that I was one of the happiest people in Northville but after reading that our former Township Manager already has a new job. I must concede that feeling to Bill Richards.

Good luck Bill, Northville Township is the loser and not you.

I am a little disturbed that a new corporation can hit town, apply for a liquor license and begin digging dirt by May or June. It zipped through the planning commission and only Barbara O'Brien had the guts to vote no until she had further information on the corporation.

I expected Mrs. Baja to vote yes because she thinks Wooly Bully is a great asset to the Township.

I didn't expect that the other five trustees would play dead and vote without further inquiry.

I had a client that was an original stockholder in the race track at Saginaw. To be a stockholder and for the corporation to have a liquor license, they all had to be squeeky clean. They had to prove that the money was theirs and not borrowed. Tax returns for about five years to prove that they made that kind of money. It took almost a year to investigate the stockholders and receive a liquor license.

It is now done in a matter of weeks. Is this new license an original issue that you pay \$500 to the state or are they paying \$50,000 or more for one that is existing now in the Township?

Dean H. Lenheiser

# Michigan casinos would go broke

smoking: down. wagering and the

Tim Richard

Why? You hear

-Gambling may be going the way of Day 1952; Hazel Park, Memorial Day 1965. From the tax standpoint, Michigan's record horse racing year was \$28.9 million in 1975. Both horse race Since then, state taxes have slipped more or less steadily to the \$21 million mark, according

to the racing commissioner's annual report. State Lottery are losing customers and yielding shrinking reraise the take by expanding the racing season from 590 days in 1975 to more than 900 days venue for state and local governments. currently - even as wagering and attendance have slipped.

lots of reasons: the economy, competition from other

Lottery Commissioner Jerry Crandall notes that Michigan pays out only 45 cents of each \$1 bet. State taxes eat the lion's share. The retailer gets a fee.

Clearly, lottery players are making a wager with poor payoff odds. Crandall thinks taxes should be cut. He

thinks legislators blundered when they exempted lottery winners from the Freedom of Information Act. Newspapers used to give the lottery a lot of free publicity when they published feature stories on local winners. No more.

Crandall also thinks lottery fans become distrustful when Lansing doesn't (can't) tell them winners' names. Folks suspect bureaucrats are hiding the money.





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states' lotteries, simulcasting of races in Windsor.

I would like to think people are getting smart. Economists say it's healthy when people try to achieve wealth by savings and investment; bad when they try to hit a jackpot with one wager. Lawmakers look folks square in the eye and talk

taxes instead of preying on gamblers. Horse racing is regulated by the Michigan Department of Agriculture. In the old days, horses were considered a farm industry deserving of promotion, the way apples, cherries and beans are promoted today.

Clearly, horse racing's heyday is past. Northville Downs set its attendance record May 15, 1950; Ladbroke DRC in Livonia on Memorial dates because the horse supply is down -17.000 in 1991 compared to 19.000 in 1984 according to the Senate Fiscal Agency.

Michigan has been trying desperately to

It was silly, in my opinion, to expand racing

Fewer horses and more races mean poorer quality. A decade ago, I went to Northville Downs on a Wednesday night. The first five or six races were "maidens" — horses who never had won a race. Handicapping (rating) horses of such poor quality is impossible - like predicting the weather without satellite maps or looking out the window at the sky. Any bet is a sucker bet. I haven't been back. Obviously, other ex-fans agree.

The Michigan Lottery is having a similar experience. A decade ago, ticket sales were less than \$600 million a year. They topped in 1988 and have been slipping since then.

Some lottery players believe fervently that certain numbers have "luck." as if luck were a measurable quality like radiation or calories. That's raw superstition, unscientific and antireligious. The chances that any digit will come up are always one in ten. Ask your pastor. Ask your kid's math teacher.

If gambling casinos ever come to Michigan, I bet they go broke.

Tim Richard reports regularly on the local implications of state and regional events. His touchtone voice mail is (313)953-2047.

# Knollenberg dissects health plans

### By RANDY COBLE Staff Writer

Bill Clinton's plan for health care reform will take more money from you and give you fewer choices, U.S.

Rep. Joe Knollenberg says. In fact, the President's newlyproposed plan will devastate the best health care system in the world, the freshman U.S. Congressman said at a town hall meeting he held in Novi over the weekend.

Knollenberg, along with state House member John Jamian, R-Bloomfield Hills, discussed Clinton's plan, Republican alternatives and fielded questions from the 150 or so people who attended the Feb. 12 event, held at the Novi Expo Center.

Knollenberg represents Michi-gan's 15th District in Congress, which includes Novi and part of the City of Northville.

The Clintons - Knollenberg emphasized the plural - talk about security for all Americans, the legislators said, but deliver the opposite in the details of their plan, presented to Congress last month.

The plan will raise taxes and the cost of health care generally, Knol. lenberg said, while increasing government bureaucracy and regulation by leaps and bounds. In return, he continued. Americans will find themselves more limited in their health care choices than they are now.

If the reaction of those attending the meeting is any indication, the legislators have a lot of kindred spirits among their constituency. Many of the questions they received had a distinctly anti-Clinton-plan flavor, which Knollenberg labeled 'a grand government experiment which hreatens health care for everyone." Americans want three things from heath care reform, Knollenberg said:

first, portability - taking insurance coverage with you from one job to another, and not being denied coverage when you do because of a preedisting condition.

Second, people want to see rising health care costs controlled. Third, Americans want expanded access to health insurance for those who don't get it from their jobs, don't make enough to buy it on their own and yet make too much to go on Medicaid.

The Clinton plan, he said, is throwing the proverbial baby out with the bathwater. It seeks to radically reform a system that basically works well.

This plan represents the welfarization of American health care," he said. "It will make the middle class dependent on the government."

That's exactly the point of the plan, Knollenberg said: to increase the power of government in people's lives. Under the Clinton plan, he

which ones would be covered and the population remains continuwhich not and how much you can pay

The plan would restrict people from free choice in their health care, the Congressman said, and make it difficult or even illegal to obtain services not allowed by the plan - even if you would pay for them.

Knollenberg and Jamian dis-cussed a Republican alternative plan which House minority leader Bob Michel presented a month before the Clinton plan. In essence, they said that the system ain't as broke as the Clintons make it out to be. What it needs, Jamian said, is "fine-tuning," and the Republican plan offers a common-sense" way to do that, Knollenberg said.

The Clinton plan would make you pay more to receive less care, he said, as well as reduce your choice of doctors. It could prevent you from choosing health care services not approved by government officials, even if you pay for them, he said. The plan would reduce the number of medical specialists and your access to them.

The Congressman said that the Clinton plan overstates the problem. The administration often says that 37 million Americans don't have health insurance and that medical costs are spiraling out of control.

Knollenberg said that statistics said, bureaucrats decide who you show those facts to be misleading. can go to for health care services. For example, only three percent of

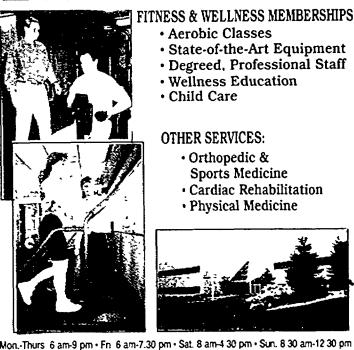
ously and involuntarily uninsured, he said. Most of the 37 million don't have insurance for a few months while changing jobs, he said. Others have income and education levels high enough to afford health care insurance but choose not to get it.

While it's undeniable that health care costs are rising faster than inflation, Knollenberg said, and impede people's ability to get affordable care. the problem is a manageable one. It can be solved without scrapping the entire care system as it exists now, he said.

That is what Clinton's proposal will do, he warned. Bureaucracies and regulations at the federal and state levels will spring up like weeds. They will cut down choices and create waiting lists for major health care services like heart surgery. There will be outright rationing of care as well, he added, pointing to Canada's single-payer government-run system as an example.

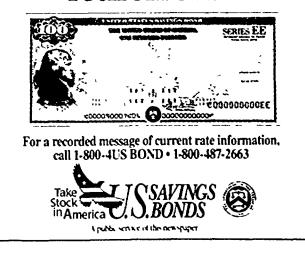
The President's team is underestimating the pricetag for their plan as well, Knollenberg said, a habit of those in government. In 1935, he cited as an example, Congress said Social Security in 1980 would cost about \$3.5 billion after adjusting for inflation. Actual cost that year: \$105 billion.





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# City to cut library funds if district plan approved

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District Library Board Member Phil Smith noted that residents are curious about the fate of the money should the district library plan be approved by voters. People don't want to feel that they're paying twice (for library services)," he said.

While most council members readily agreed to the line-item reduchesitated.

"I don't want to say necessarily that it will be refunded to the citizens, because if they want some additional service the funds could be directed toward that in the budgeting process," she said.

Mayor Chris Johnson countered that the end result will likely be a line-item reduction of the full

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tion, Mayor Pro Tem Carolann Ayers \$128,830 amount. "I don't anticipate residents coming in here and asking for higher taxes," he said.

> The council eventually cast a unanimous vote to direct city staff to eliminate the \$128,830 from the budget during the budgeting process, if the district library plan passes

The Northville District Public Library Board hopes to win voter ap-

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proval May 3 to levy about 1.5 dedi-cated mills for library services alone. to fund the operation and possible construction of a district library. The board has tabbed a Cady Street site behind city hall and the recreation center as the best site for a new twostory facility with about 25,000 square feet of space.

determine final ballot wording for the May 3 vote.

The current 6,000-square-foot library has instituted a series of book purchase reductions and shortened public hours over recent years to cope with budget cutbacks by the city and township. While Northville residents check out more books and materials than ever before, a growing percentage check their materials out of other libraries besides Northville.

(313) 348-3022

The board meets this Saturday to

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only a phone call away. For the seventh consecutive year, the Michigan Association of Certified

CPA group answers tax

questions free by phone

Public Accountants is sponsoring its annual "Ask a CPA Call-In Days." This program provides taxpayers the opportunity to have their federal and state tax questions answered free by certified public accountants. Taxpayers with questions may call

the numbers below on the following dates: Saturday, Feb. 26, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., 616-771-6680 or 616-771-6678;

Saturday, March 5, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., 313-855-2288;

Sunday, March 5, from noon until 4 p.m., 313-855-2288.

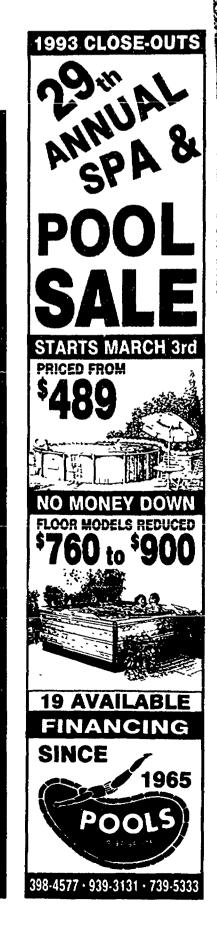
Individuals may call as often as

Swamped with tax questions and they wish; however, they are limited don't know where to turn? Help is to two questions per call in order to accommodate as many calls as possible.

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# RECORD **OUR TOWN**





By MICHELLE HARRISON Staff Writer

Cathy Lincoln said she will try to pray more daily during the

40-day Lenten season. A Catholic, Lincoln will join others in her religion as well as Christians of other faiths in sticking to their Lenten pledges.

The Rev. James Cronk said although some members of his congregation at St. James Catholic Church in Novi have made vows such as not eating between meals, avoiding certain meats or saying no to sweets or cigarettes, the idea of Lent has changed.

Other area pastors agree that the latest concept of Lent does not necessarily emphasize giving something up.

"We're not urging people so much to give up than to take up." said J. Cyrus Smith, associate pastor of Novi's Faith Community United Presbyterian Church.

Taking up new responsibilities could include increased devotions or church attendance, Smith explained. Or, it could mean volunteer work.

We also encourage enhanced prayer life by reading scriptures or in person by stopping by the church," Cronk said. "And there's the charity kind by visiting someone you haven't seen in a long time comes from a Biblical concept,

or shut-ins."

"We try to foster this is as a time for devotions," agreed the Rev. Jim Russell, associate pastor of evangelism and outreach at First Presbyterian Church of Northville. "We do not foster the idea of giving up something." Russell explained that God

wants the person, not what the person gives up.

"This is a personal time for re-newal," he said. "We try to set some time aside if you can in the hustle and bustle of life to study what our relationship is with Jesus Christ."

Lent begins with Ash Wednesday, which was celebrated Feb. 16

"We apply ashes to forcheads as a sign of human sinfulness," Smith explained. "Later in the service the pastors wash the ashes off as a sign of cleanliness. . . . it takes a little more to make people feel cleansed."

Russell said about 100 people attended Ash Wednesday services at his church. A White Breakfast served with Communion featured special music and a sermon. Hot crossed buns were also served, he said, with the crosses on the bun serving as a symbol.

The ashes on the forehead

Attendance usually climbs during the Lenten season, accord-

"In some churches, Good Friday is a bigger day than Easter" attendance-wise, said Russell. Services for Palm Sunday and Easter also find churches filled to capacity.

"Our climax is Palm Sunday," Smith said. "We have a lot of young families and that's when they go back home for Easter." "This is just a time that is important for church." Russell said.



Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

Bonnie Haun, left, and Marvel Eberly pray during the Lenten season at St. James Catholic Church in Novi.

#### Cronk explained. \*it signifies humility and a will-

ingness to turn from sin," he said. Cronk was pleased with the turnout for Ash Wednesday services, especially since it's the first year services were held in the con-gregation's new church on Ten

ing to area pastors.

Lenten season calls for special services

By MICHELLE HARRISON Staff Woter

Area churches are celebrating Lent with a host of programs and special services. Below is a list of area Lenten activities.

#### St. James Catholic Church

46235 W. Ten Mile, Novi A parish mission retreat for people who lead busy lives will be held the first

week of Lent at 7:30 nightly. At 7:30 p.m. each Friday of Lent there will be a devotion of stations of the

cross Although Lent ends for St. James parishoners on Holy Thursday, March 31, special programs have been planned to celebrate the Lord's Last Supper, Good Friday and Easter.

#### First Presbyterian Church 200 E. Main St., Northville

1. Marilynn and Bill Mitchell will present a Lenten study group for couples. The seminar will seek ways in which couples can help each other grow spiritually.

Marilynn is president of Power Associates and is involved in training for the automotive industries while Bill is CEO for M.B. Associates.

2. "In Search of Excellence in Ethics" will be presented by Dr. James Conley, a professor of business at Eastern Michigan University and an ordained Presbyterian minister. Conley will discuss whether faith has any bearing on the marketplace.

3. The Rev. Martin R. Ankrum will talk on "Basic Christianity: What We Believe." Just what are the basic tenets of faith for the Christian religion? Where do Presbyterian beliefs intersect with others of the Christian faith? Ankrum, associate pastor for education at First Presbyterian Church of Northville, will attempt to answer those questions.

On Thursday, March 24, Al Warren will address "Corporate Ethics." Retired from General Motors as a vice-president in charge of labor negotiations, Warren will conclude the ethics seminar. Presently consulting with firms in the field of conflict management. Warren is an elder at the Grosse Pointe Me-

An adult education Lenten series has been planned for the five Thursday evenings of the season. A snack time will begin at 6:45 while classes last from 7 to 8:15.

Classes to be offered include:

1. A comparison of major religions around the world with Lee Davis, an elder of the church.

2. Smith will offer "Bible 101," an introductory course to Bible study. The class will start at "ground zero" for those who feel "consciously ignorant" about the Bible, said Smith.

3. Pastor Richard Henderson will present a class about the Book of Acts. During Holy Week, a Tenebrae service will be held at 7:30 p.m. March 31. Smith said the lights will be dimmed throughout the service and finally

turned off at the end to signify the waning life of Christ on the cross. Special services will include music on Palm Sunday March 27, which represents the day Jesus rode the mule into Jerusalem, with his followers

throwing palms in front of him, to face the cross, Smith explained. An Easter sunrise service has been tentatively set for 7 a.m.

"If at all possible it will be held outdoors," Smith said.

Mile Road.

All series begin with dinner at 6:30 p.m. in the Boll Hall. For those opting mortal Presbyterian Church.

to skip dinner, the seminars begin at 7:30 p.m. and will last for approximately one hour.

Dinner will be catered by Crawford's Restaurant of Northville. The cost for a person. Reserve them in the office. adults is \$6.75 per person with children's tickets at \$3.75. Reservations must be phoned into the church office, 349-0911, by 5 p.m. the day preceding the seminar.

or Christian education (first through fifth grades).

The seminars will begin Feb. 24 and run through March 24. The seminars are as follows:

#### Volunteer



Michael Gabriel

Holy Week services include Maundy Thursday, March 31. Dinner will pre-

cede the 7:30 p.m. worship service at 6:30 p.m. in Boll Hall. Tickets are \$6,75

Services for Good Friday will be held at 1:30 p.m. April 1 at Northville Methodist Church.

A sunrise service has been scheduled for 8 a.m. Easter Sunday in the

**Grand River activist** 

cleaning up corridor

River.

build it."

Faith Community United Presbyterian 4440 W. Ten Mile, Novi

By DOROTHY NASH

no other place like it.

lf you live in Novi, you know there's

It has everything you ever wanted

in a hometown, and Michael T. Ga-

briel, owner of State Farm Insurance

on Ten Mile thinks so, too. But he

can't believe that strangers driving

through on Grand River are much

And that's why he and other busi-

ness and property owners - 25 of

them -- formed the Grand River Cor-

ridor Committee two years ago to

suggest to the City Council how to

improve Novi's basic thoroughfare.

money, just give ideas. And so, Ga-briel said, they work on a WISH LIST

when they get together at their meet-

ings, which are not held on a regular

basis but only when it is thought they

They're not empowered to spend

impressed with what they see.

Staff Writer

are needed.

sidewalks.

The church has a memorial garden where the services will be conducted.

#### Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

#### 40700 Ten Mile Road, Novi

Special services featuring guest speakers will be held 7 p.m. each Wednesday during Lent.

On Feb. 23, Pastor James Frey of Belleville spoke on being free from fear. Pastor Thomas Johnston of Huron Valley Lutheran High School in West-Three seminars will be offered each Thursday evening for the adults. The forum room. Services will also be conducted at 9:30 and 11 a.m. that land will speak on living in Jesus and being free from the love of money on children will either be in supervised nursery (infants through kindergarten) morning.

Pastor Karl Vertz of Livonia will address living free from guilt March 9.

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### It's A Fact

## **City of Novi Tax Rates**

tax rates for the last three years are as follows:

	1991-92	92-93	93-94
General Fund	4.37	4.37	3.94
Street Fund	0.76	0.76	0.71
Police & Fire	1.48	1.48	1.5 <b>1</b>
Library	0.84	0.84	0.79
Drain	0.76	0.76	0.71
Parks & Rec	0.40	0.40	0.37
Total Operating	8.61	8.61	8.03
Total with Debt	10.69	10.69	10.40

#### SOURCE: City of Novi 1994 Calendar

come Sign will be the main subject First on their WISH LIST, he said, under discussion. Maybe the first is the widening of Grand River, but sign will be put in place this spring? "that will take a long time." Then there should be lighting and If you are interested, concerned or have questions, you may call Michael

The Novi News.

Gabriel at his office at 477-8383.

"We need sidewalks," he said. "As

But one thing the Grand River

"We have a beautiful wooden

Corridor Committee can see in place

soon is a "Welcome to Novi" sign.

sign," he said. "it's been designed and

approved, but we need money to

The plan is to have one with appro-

priate landscaping on Grand River as

the thoroughfare enters Novi —

member of the Grand River Corridor

Committee, you are welcome to come

to a meeting. Yearly dues are \$15.

Meetings are held as needed, and to

announce time and place, flyers are

sent out and also a notice is put in

The next meeting will be in March,

Gabriel said. The status of the Wel-

If you are interested in being a

northwest and southeast.

it is now, you can't walk along Grand

#### In Our Town

# Northville residents cook up idea for book

Northville residents Martha Schaefer Kuciban and co-author Linda Hazell-Szovinszky have created a unique low-fat dessert cookbook titled Sweet Nothings Ultra Lo Fat Dessents.

Schaefer-Kuciban, a registered nurse at Providence Hospital, and Hazell-Szovinszky, an educator for Redford Union Schools, will autograph their cookbook from 2 to 4 p.m. Saturday, March 6, at The Book Connection of Livonia, 19043 Middlebelt Road (at Seven Mile), across from Livonia Mall.

If you can't imagine fudge brownies or chocolate pudding cake with only one tiny gram of fat or less, free samples of 60 recipes from the book will also be available for review. Sweet Nothings recipes include Raspberry Torte, Apple Strudel and Cheesecake and Zuchinni Pineapple Bread. No recipe in the book exceeds 3 grams of fat per "generous" serving.

In addition to an index, the book provides a page of "equivalents," "help-: - ful hints" and a list of all the ingredients needed to stock one's kitchen so that any recipe can be easily prepared at any time without numerous special trips to the grocery store.

Cheri France, store operations manager for Books Connection, said the recipes were easy to follow and the food was "tempting and delicious."

#### Newcomers plan activities

February events include:

Bunko — Feb. 24 Bowling — Feb. 28

Information about the Northville Newcomers is available from Lisa · ; Kozerski, 380-9355.

#### Republican women to meet

Spencer Abraham, a candidate for the United States Senate will speak at the general meeting of Suburban Republican Women at 11 a.m. today at the Mayflower Hotel in Plymouth.

Suburban Republican Women is the new name for the former Livonia Republican Women. The new name will enable the group to welcome more women from the western suburbs into the club. Members are from Livonia,

Plymouth. Northville, Farmington and Dearborn Heights. To join the group, call J. Hartman at (313) 474-5637. The speaker for the March meeting will be Ronna Romney.

#### Single Place presents

Single Place participants gather from 10 to 10:45 a.m. every Sunday morning in the library of First Presbyterian Church of Northville. Bob Allwine

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

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On Wednesday, March 2, Mary Linkberg Kelly will talk about dating at 7:30 p.m. in the Boll Fellowship Hall. The cost is \$4. Larry Lipton will speak on the "ABCs of Money Management for Singles"

at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday in the library/lounge. Volleyball will be played from 9 to 10:30 Friday night at the Northville

Recreation Center, 303 W. Main St. A \$3 donation is requested. All skill levels are welcome.

Several Opportunity for Growth workshops have been scheduled. The first, "Nurturing Relationships: Fantastes, Facts, Feelings" will be presented by Fred and Roz Lessing at 7:30 p.m. March 10, 17 and 24 in the library/ lounge. A donation of \$24 is requested for the series.

Happily Ever After" will be presented by Tim Connor at 7 p.m. March 6, 13 and 20 in the forum room. The cost is \$25 for the series

A seven week divorce recovery workshop has been scheduled to begin March 10. The workshop will meet from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. in the library/ lounge. The cost is \$30.

Country western dance lessons with Casey will be offered from 8:30 p.m. to midnight March 5 at the Northville Recreation Center. Tickets are \$8 in advance and \$10 at the door. Tickets will be available at Single Place on Wednesday nights or First Presbyterian Church, 200 E. Main St. For more information about any of the Single Place events, call

Spring fashion show

The Northville Woman's Club is planning a spring fashion show at Jacobson's in Laurel Park on Friday, March 4. Admission is \$2 and refreshments will be served. Members are invited to bring guests. Advance registration is required and must be completed by Monday, Feb. 28. Call 349-9005. The event takes the place of the regularly scheduled Woman's Club meeting for that week.

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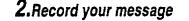
### Watcha got cookin'?

Martha Schaefer Kuciban, right, and Linda Hazell Szovinszky. both of Northville, will be autographing their low-fat dessert cookbook at The Book Connection in Livonia March 6.

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A support group for multiple scierosis patients offers not only fellowship but a water workout at the Livonia YMCA. The group was started by Northville resident Doris Colling.

# Support group members get into the swim of things

## By MICHELLE HARRISON Staff Writer

Patients suffering from multiple sclerosis can find more than fellowship at an area support group started by Northville resident Doris Colling.

A victim of the disease, Colling approached officials at the Livonia Family YMCA last fall about using the pool and the building for an exercise and support group.

Multiple sclerosis is a chronic disease of the central nervous system which can result in muscle weakness and loss of coordination and balance.

"The problem is that a lot of people with multiple sclerosis do not have the energy to get together," Colling said. But there is a minority out there that does have some energy left.

There's new medication helping multiple sclerosis patients - hopefully it will stop it. But if we can keep up our strength to that point in time. we might have a chance in reversing It and having a quality of life that is improved."

Every person attending the sup-port group has told Colling they do feel better, she said.

"If you think you feel better, that's what is important," she said. "It gives you some kind of hope for the future. The thought of getting worse is awful.

Medical researchers do not know what causes multiple sclerosis, only that it's a viral infection that attacts the myelon coating of a nerve. Sometimes it's hard for a multiple sclerosis patient to move an extremity except when he or she is in the water.

"I'm totally mobile in the water," Colling said.

ture, according to Colling. And as with all exercise programs, it's also a form of stress management.

The St. Mary Hospital physical medicine and rehabilitation staff focused on strengthening, flexibility and balance exercises in helping the YMCA develop the program.

Colling credited Ron Mattei, program director for St. Mary's Physical and Rehabilitation Department, for his enthusiasm in the project.

Sue Wilson of the National Multiple Sclerosis Society, headquartered in Southfield, recently attended a meeting of Colling's support group. The national society is writing a training manual for volunteers that will include how to set up aquatic programs, Colling said.

Although she was diagnosed with multiple sclerosis approximately seven years ago, Colling remembers her feet getting numb at the age of 29.

"I thought I had worn improper shoes," she said. "But each day the numbness climbed up my body."

She went to a neurologist who performed a battery of tests, but nothing was discovered.

When Colling was 53, she was exercising on the floor when she realized she couldn't cross her right leg over her left one. She visited a neurosurgeon and a neurologist and within a short period of time was diagnosed with multiple sclerosis.

"He (the neurologist) said to me that I must have known (something was wrong)," Colling said. He told her he had a suspicion that she had multiple sclerosis.

"I had no idea. I didn't know anything about multiple sclerosis," she said. "I was totally in shock. I was always healthy. "I never had a cold. I never had to go the hospital except to have my three children. I've always seen myself as a very healthy person and to have the doctor tell you something

like that, I just thought it couldn't be true.

Once Colling accepted she had the disease, she decided to learn to live with it.

"I remember driving home with tears running down my face." she said. "I told myself I had two choices. I could either accept it and go on, make the best of it and try to be happy. Or, I could feel sorry for myself."

Colling continues to lead a normal life. She works for Wayne County Commissioner Thaddeus McCotter doing "little public relations kinds of stuff.

The Northville Township resident also keeps busy with her support group. About 15 local people get together from 6 to 8 p.m. each Friday at the Livonia YMCA. Water exercise is conducted from 6 to 7 p.m. by Robin Grace, Livonia Family Y Wellness Center coordinator. A support group meeting is held from 7:15 to 8 p.m.

The group usually discusses new information and emotions members are feeling.

"The most important thing is companionship," Colling said. ". . . . It's so nice to be with people who understand what you're saying, how you're feeling.

It's a pretty upbeat group, too. "We don't want to get together and complain," Colling said. "We want to support one another and encourage.

For more information about the program, call the Livonia Family Y at 261-2161 or the St. Mary Hospital Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation Department at 591-2955.

For a physician who specializes in the treatment of multiple sclerosis.

#### **PTA News/**Elementaries

Winter is here! The PTA isn't letting us sit idle, though. We've been brav-ing some cold and sloppy weather to be a part of all the activity.

Amerman's first Opening Night Art Show displayed many of the creations that were entered in the Reflections Contest. About 125 people attended the event. The students were examining each other's work trying to decide which one they liked best.

Eighteen families provided refreshments for the show. Students served the refreshments as well as gave out ballots for the Peoples' Choice Awards. McDonald's on Six Mile and Newburg, provided the cups and beverage. Meadowbrook Golf Course provided the pencils. Bookstalls On The Main donated four gift certificates in the literature division. Borders Book Store donated four gift certificates in the art division.

All 130 students who entered will receive a free cookie courtesy of The Great Harvest Bread Company. Thank you to chair Abbie Holden and her team of Linda Koons, Barb Arne, Lisa Engles, Sue Nido, and Dave Tiernan for an enjoyable evening. Thank you for all the community effort.

Staff members were treated to some delicious December goodies in the lounge. Andrea Czarniecki, Lisa Engles, Karen Klimek, Kim Kubas,

#### **On campus**

KAREN BAIRD, a senior majoring in health, physical education and recreation, was honored by Adrian College for her outstanding performance in Phonorama 1993-94.

Karen is the daughter of Thomas and Patricia Baird of Northville. She is a 1989 graduate of Northville High

School. Phonorama is a semi-annual fund-raising campaign where students, staff and alumni telephone parents and alumni on behalf of Adrian College. This year's Phonorama raised more than \$60,000.

TARAL. HENNESSY of Northville has been named to the dean's list for fall term at Northwood University. The announcement was made by Dr. Catherine Chen, Dean of the college.

Tara is the daughter of Kent and Jo-Ann Johnson of Northville. To achieve dean's list recognition.

students must earn a 3.0 grade point on a 4.0 scale.

Northwood University is a private. accredited college specializing in practical career preparation and offering two and four year degrees in the fields of business and management. A new executive MBA program has been added this year. The college emphasizes the importance of the free enterprise system and the relationship between business and the

Carol Zinser, Barb Bennett and Carla Thomas all contributed their time and talents to December's theme.

The noon-hour program organized by Lynn Soderberg and Art Appreciation organized by Irene Fleming and Linda Jo Hare both began in January. Many volunteers have offered their time to continue these programs at Amerman. The noon-hour program provides adults who supervise indoor games during the winter lunch recess

Art appreciation provides exposure to classic works of art and encourages interaction to color, space and many other elements of art. For all students to participate, it requires a great many volunteers and much preparation. We have been looking forward to these programs and are pleased they are under way.

The Skating Parties have kept us warm. Taking part in the racing segment can be rewarded with a coupon for a future free admission. It was noticed that Skatin' Station gave a coupon to just about every courageous parent who raced. They received much student support.

If you do get snow bound, put those quiet moments to good use. READ - and make sure you get credit in the Rev Up To Read program endorsed by the Michigan PTA and

the Michigan Library Association. You can enter at your public library.

Did you like you child's gift from the Holiday Shop? Are you now the proud owner of an "Award Winning Mom" key chain or a "No. 1 Dad cap"?

The Holiday Shop operated along with the Pancake Breakfast. Chairs Vicki Snearly and Cindy Atkinson. staff members Mrs. Mallette, Mrs. Oliverio, Ms. Jarvi, Mrs. Bartlett. Mrs. Frayne, Mrs. Fountain, Mrs. Knight, Mrs. Krictzs, Mrs. Thompson and Mr. Babich along with 41 parents provided an opportunity for students to shop for holiday gifts at affordable prices. Gift wrapping was available as well as the knee of a jolly ole man in red.

Amerman wants ice indoors? Yes occasionally bumps need attention and much to our secretary Joyce Greywall's relief, we now have a new refrigerator that makes ice and keeps things cold. It took the combined effort of the PTA disbursement committee and Matt Thurber of Selective Homes and his generous donation. Much thanks for the assistance.

And as our new school banner reads, "WELCOME." The banner looks terrific Mr. Anderson. A big thank you to our principal. Pat Straub

arts. Northwood operates three residential campuses in Michigan, Flor-ida and Texas; the Margaret Chase Smith Library Center in Skowhegan. Maine: 31 external plan-of-study centers throughout the United

> ANGELA ABBOTT of Northville was among 276 freshmen who were new members of the Carl and Winifred Lee Honors College at Western Michigan University this fall.

States; and international study prog-

rams abroad, principally in Europe.

These students who have demonstrated a strong enthusiasm for living and learning, represent the largest entering class in the 31-year history of the honors college. They have excelled academically in their high schools and displayed commitment to their schools and local communities through an impressive list of extracurricular activities and volunteer service.

Measures of their outstanding academic achievement include an average high school grade point average of 3.85 and a composition average aptitude score of 27.3 on the American College Test. Honors freshhen have won recognition as National Merit Finalists and as recipients of awards from the American Chemical Society and Phi Beta Kappa.

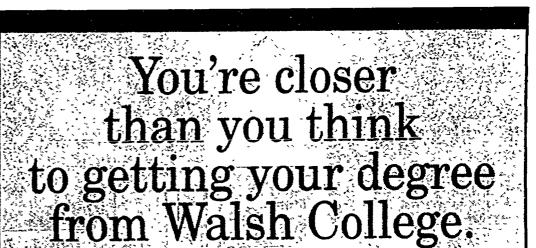
These talented students have recorded achievement beyond traditional academic skills by participating in high school sports, musical organizations and journalism as well as community service projects. The freshmen have been involved in city orchestras, elementary school tutoring, beauty pageants, teaching Sunday School and Students Against Drunk Driving.

This outstanding group of students joined 700 other academically talented undergraduates who are current members of the Lee Honors College in taking courses this fall," said Dr. Joseph D. Reish, Dean of the Lee Honors College.

In each of their first two years at WMU, honors students take a group of three courses clustered around common themes, issues or problems such as "Science and Technology," "Explorations in Multiculturalism" and "Looking into Nature and the Outdoors."

The cluster concept encourages students to explore relationships among various disciplines, to write, speak and think across the curriculum, and to build a student learning community among the 25 students enrolled in each cluster," Reish said. The freshman class began submit-

ting applications in October 1992.



Aquatic exercise promotes strength, stamina and flexibility. The resistance and buoyancy of the water improves range of motion and balance and reduces pain due to the relaxing effects on the skeletal struc-

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call St. Mary Hospital's physican referral service at 464-WELL. To learn about other programs for MS patients, contact the National Multiple Sclerosis Society in Southfield at 1-800-243-5767.



### FIND OUT HOW CLOSE AT OUR NOVI CAMPUS **OPEN HOUSE** • MONDAY, FEBRUARY 28

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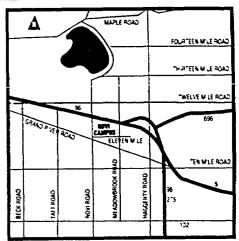
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#### Engagements



· Donald DePriest/Karen Meehan

Mr. and Mrs. George Meehan of Northville announce the engagement of their daughter, Karen Terese, to Donald Austin DePriest, son of Rosalind DePriest and Jim DePriest of South Lyon.

The bride-elect is a 1989 graduate of Northville High School and is completing her secondary education cer-

#### Julia Watkins/Christopher Wise

Mr. and Mrs. Rick Watkins of Novi announce the engagement of their daughter, Julia Lee, to Christopher Douglas Wise, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Wise of Milford.

The bride-elect is a 1988 graduate of Novi High School and a 1993 graduate of Eastern Michigan University. She recently passed her national certification exam, and is a Certified Therapeutic Recreation Specialist. She is employed at a private facility in Detroit as a therapist.

The bridegroom-elect graduated zabeth Fox.

#### In uniform

Cadet STEPHEN P. McLALLLEN, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. McLallen of Northville, has completed six weeks of rigorous new cadet training at Valley Forge Military Academy and College. He was personally recognized for his achievement by Rear Admiral Virgil L. Hill Jr., USN (Ret), president of the school.

Cadet McLallen joined approximately 350 other new cadets who swore to uphold the Cadet Resolution during the annual Recognition Day Parade, held recently on the Wayne, Penn., campus, making each of them full-fledged cadets. Cadet McLallen currently attends Valley Forge as a sophomore in the

tificate at Eastern Michigan University in math and computer science.

The groom-elect is a 1984 gradu-

ate of South Lyon High School. He is employed by J. G. Enterprises in Ann Arbor as a construction foreman.

A May wedding is planned in St. Colette's Catholic Church.

#### from Milford High School in 1988 and from the College of Business at Eastern Michigan University in 1992. He is employed as a computer systems

consultant by MetLife in Southfield. An October 1994 wedding is being planned. The wedding party includes many local friends; maid of honor Jennifer Henstock, best man Aaron Strand, and Brian Schram, Mindy Watkins, Brian Oldenburg, Tracy Watkins, Megan Parker, and Eli-

tion, direct patient care, research

Lora is the daughter of John A: and

Army National Guard Pfc. LEE J.

papers, and a variety of projects.

Kathleen M. Higgins of Northville.

MILLS has completed a unit supply

specialist course at Fort Jackson,

instruction in the maintenance of

stock records and the procedures

necessary to receive, store, issue,

Northville. He is the former ward of

Mills is the son of Ted. F. Mills of

and ship supplies and materiel.

Jeff Fuller of Winchester, Va.

During the course, Mills received

Columbia, S.C.

## 40 days of Lenten season Continued from 1

Living free from loneliness will be the topic Jan. 16 when Pastor Myron adult class.

The series will conclude on March 23 with Pastor Keith Schreiner of Westland. He will speak on living free from stress and worry.

On Palm Sunday, special services including a cantata by the church choir will take place at 10:30 a.m.

Maundy Thursday services are scheduled for 7 p.m. and a Tenebrae service will take place at 7 p.m. on Good Friday.

A sunrise service has been scheduled for 7 a.m. Easter Sunday.

Church of the Holy Family 24505 Meadowbrook Road

Weddings



James and Nancy Trivisonno

Nancy Federspill and James Trivisonno were married Oct. 9, 1993. Nancy is the daughter of John and Jeanne Federspill of Northville, and James is the son of James and Bernice Trivisonno of Niles, Ill.

The wedding was held at the Stonecliffe Mansion on Mackinac Island with Rev. Charles Hastie of Mackinaw City officiating. A recep-tion for 100 guests followed the ceremony. Among those attending was a college friend of the bride's, Hidemi Hasegawa from Kobe, Japan. Other guests included relatives and friends from California, Florida, Missouri and Illinois.

The bride's sister, Karen Joyner of Kalamazoo, served as matron of honor. The groom's daughter, Amy Trivisonno, was junior bridesmaid. Other attendants included the honeymooned in Cancun, Mexico.

bride's niece, Jacqueline Joyner as flower girl, the groom's son Christopher Trivisonno as ring bearer, and the bride's brother John Federspill as best man.

Following the ceremony, the new-hyweds circled the island in a horse drawn carriage before joining their guests at the dinner reception at the Stonecliffe Mansion.

The bride is a graduate of Northville High School and Michigan State University. She is employed as a job developer with the Wayne County Job Connection.

The groom received his bachelor's degree from Illinois State University and his master's degree from Central Michigan University. He is president of Industrial Relations Inc. in Detroit.

The couple, who reside in Milford,



#### Maureen and Bradley Larson

Bellevue, Wash., and Bradley Ed-ward Larson of Kent, Wash., were married Aug. 21, 1993, in the Old Church at Northville's Mill Race Historical Village. The Rev. Lloyd Brasure officiated. The bride is the daughter of Pat

and Dick Sullivan of Northville. The groom is the son of Betty and Bert Larson of Tacoma, Wash.

The bride wore a white brocade gown with a portrait neckline and beaded applique and a shoulderlength veil.

The matron of honor was Maggie Sullivan Hock of Cincinnati, Ohio, sister of the bride. Bridesmaid was Kathy Borina of Carna Del Mar, Calif., friend of the bride. Erin Johnson of Tacoma, niece of the groom, was

the flower girl. The attendants wore tea-length

**Optimists to hold contest** 

Kent, Wash,

Novi Optimist Club members Kathy Crawford and Karen MacKenzie are finalizing plans for the annual oratorical contest sponsored by Optimists International.

High school students from both sides of the baseline are invited to compete for cash prizes in the competition. The top local prizes for both males and females are a \$200 savings bond and an opportunity to compete in a national competition for a \$5,000 college scholarship. Locally, there are second and third place prizes.

created "Baseline Oratorical Champion" trophies which will be displayed at the high schools with an inscrip-tion of the winning students' names.

This year's theme is "Optimism! The Right Stuff." The rules are simple.

Students at Northville High School should contact Cheryl Gaslay for more information. Novi High School students need to reach Kathy Pas-

Grand Rapids. The Feb. 27 session will be about \*Salvation, God's Plan for Our Happiness and Our Response." The symbol Sordahl of Westland speaks to the will be the Bible, representing God's

Local churches observe

communication to all people. On Feb. 28, the discussion will center on Jesus as Savior -- What Kind of Jesus Do I Believe In?" The symbol will be the crucifix, representing Jesus's way of life through

> death. The topic of the March 1 meeting is Sin and Reconciliation - Living the Life of Conversion." The symbol is the Easter candle, representing the risen Jesus.

The loaf of bread, representing Jesus, the Bread of Life, will be the symbol for the March 2 session. The topic will be "Eucharist - A Faith and a Way of Life Expressed By You.\*

Maureen Elizabeth Sullivan of foral dresses of lavender, pink and rose. The best man was Bert Larson, father of the groom. Matt Sullivan of

Grand Junction, Colo., brother of the bride, served as usher. The ringbearer was Brent Larson of Kent, Wash., son of the groom.

A reception followed at Meadowbrook Country Club in Northville.

Maureen is a 1985 graduate of the University of Cincinnati and is the Pacific Northwest District Manager for Imaginarium, a chain of educational toy stores.

Brad graduated from the University of Washington in 1980 and is employed by Bergman Locks and Securities.

The couple honeymooned on Mackinac Island and are residing in

#### Academy.

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Air Force Capt. LORA B. HIGGINS has completed a residency program at Seymour-Johnson Air Force Base in Goldsboro, N.C.

Training included several hundred hours of classroom educa-

Marine Pfc. ROBERT McCLURE, a 1991 graduate of Walled Lake Central High School, recently reported for duty with 8th Engineer Support Battalion, 2nd Force Service Support Group, Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejeune, N.C. He joined the Marine Corps in Fe-

bruary 1993.

#### CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE NOTICE OF ORDINANCE AMENDMENT

Please be advised by this notice that at their meeting of January 13, 1994, The Charler Township of Northville Board of Trustees approved amendments to Chapter 61 of the Charler Township of Northville General Ordinances dealing with water and sewer operations in Northville Township A summary of the ordinance changes is as follows

1. The definition section of the ordinance was changed to incorporate definitions required by the Ypsilanti Communities Utility Authority (YCUA) to allow sewage flow to travel from the Township of Northville into the YCUA system.

2. Also Sub-Chapter E1 was added to the ordinance which provides detailed requirements that must be complied with by users of the Northville Township sewage system in order to allow sewage flow to travel from Northville Township to the YCUA system.

A complete copy of the ordinance amendments can be inspected at the Town-ship Hall by contacting the Deputy Clerk, Eurice Switzler, during normal business hours between 800 a.m. and 430 p.m., Monday through Friday. (2-17-94 NR)

#### NOTICE OF HEARING TO REVIEW SPECIAL ASSESSMENT ROLL TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE COUNTY OF WAYNE, MICHIGAN

TO THE OWNERS OF ALL PREMISES WITHIN THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LANDS:

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A special assessment roll comprising the above described properties and made for the purpose of defraying the cost of sanitary sewer improvements and appurte-nances to service said properties is on file for public examination with the Township Clerk and any objections to said special assessment roll must be filed in writing with the Township Clerk prior to the close of the hearing to review said special assessment roll

roll. TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the Township Board will meet at the Northville Civic Center, Northville, Michigan, at 7 o'clock p m, Eastern Standard Time, on Thursday, March 10, 1994, for the purpose of reviewing said special assessment roll. SUE A. HILLEBRAND, SUE A. HILLEBRAND, TOWNSHIP CLERK

(2-24 & 3-3-94 NR)

Special services are planned Fathers Rudy Papes and Jack Willett ing, representing Jesus pouring of the Redemptorist Missions in Himself out for us.

The last night of the series will be nightly at 7 beginning Sunday, Feb. about "Your Mission --- Vocation of 27, through Thursday, March 3. Service and A Call to Ministry." The Each service will be conducted by altar will be the symbol of the even-

This year, the Novi Ontimiete have

quantonio for details and assistance.

The contest will be held at 7 p.m. March 9 in the Novi Council

Fathers Rudy Papes and Jack Willett ing, representing Jesus pouring of the Redemptorist Missions in Himself out for us.	This year, the Novi Optimists have chambers.
NOTICE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE BOARD OF REVIEW For the purpose of reviewing and adjusting the assessment roll for the Charter Township of Northville, 41600 Six Mile Road West, Northville, Michigan, the Board of Review will meet on the following dates: March 8, 1994, 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.	CITY OF NORTHVILLE 215 W. MAIN STREET PUBLIC NOTICE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the City of Northville City Council Meeting hour will be changed from 8:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. boginning March 1, 1994. DELPHINE DUDICK CMC (2-24-94 NR)
March 10, 1994, 9 a.m. to 12 p.m., and 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. March 14, 1994, 9 a.m. to 12 p.m., 1 p.m. to 5 p.m., and 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. Appeals will be handled by appointment on the above listed dates and times. Please call Northville Township for appointments from February 28, 1994 through March 4, 1994, between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday at 348-5800. Cancelled and unscheduled appointments will be handled on a walk-in basis on the following dates and times: Saturday, March 12, 1994, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. March 16, 1994, 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. and 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. The Charter Township of Northville Offices will be open for information gathering purposes on the following dates and times: March 1, 1994, 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. March 7, 1994, 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Members of the two Boards of Review: Zouwan Chisnell, Ann Robson, Richard M Henningsen, Judith Whiteley and Susan Vlangoc. Please acquire Northville Township's application form prior to appearing before the board. (2-24 & 3-3/10-94 NR)	NOTICE OF HEARING TO REVIEW SPECIAL ASSESSMENT ROLL CITY OF NOVI COUNTY OF OAKLAND, MICHIGAN TO THE OWNERS OF ALL THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED PROPERTY. 50-22-25-227-001 50-22-25-227-002 50-22-25-227-003 50-22-25-227-003 50-22-25-227-003 50-22-25-227-005 50-22-25-227-005 50-22-25-226-003 50-22-25-226-004 50-22-25-226-003 50-22-25-226-003 50-22-25-226-003 50-22-25-226-003 TAKE NOTICE that a special assessment distict's share of the cost of the following de- scribed public improvement:
CITY OF NOVI NOTICE OF MEETING OF BOARD OF REVIEW Notce is hereby given that the Board of Review meetings will be held at the Novi Assessor's conference room at 45175 W. Ten Mile Road on March 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18, 1994 This year all appearances will be by appointment only. If you or your rep- resentative want to appear in person, the appointment must be made on or before 500 p m, EST, Friday, March 11, 1994. Appearances before the Board of Review are imited to five (5) minutes or less Petitions are available at the Assessor's Office. NO APPOINTMENTS WILL BE GIVEN UNTIL A PETITION IS RECEIVED BY THE AS- SESSOR'S OFFICE Written protests will be accepted on or before 500 p m EST, Friday, March 18, 1994. Postmarks will not be considered. When submitting a written petition for the Board of Review's consideration, you must attach the formal petition (available at the Assessor's Office), tutly executed along with any supporting information.	scribed public improvement: Construction of a road closing barrier to include landscaping on Burton Drive at Haggerty Road. The said Special Assessment Roll is on file for public examination with the City Clerk and any objections to said special assessment roll may be made in writing prior to the close of the hearing to review said special assessment roll. TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the City Council and the City Assessor will meet on Monday, March 7, 1994, at 8 00 p.m., Prevating Eastern Time, at the Novi Civic Center, 45175 W. Ten Mile Road in the Council Chambers for the purpose of review- ing said special assessment roll. TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that appearance and protest at such hearing is re- quired in order to appeal the amount of the special assessment to the State Tax Tri- bunal. An appearance and protest may be made by an appearance at the hearing to protest the special assessment or by filing an appearance and protest by letter. THIS NOTICE is given by order of the City Council of the City of Novi, Cekland (2-24-94 NR, NN)
All agents protesting values on property, other than their own, MUST HAVE writ- ten authorization from each property owner they are representing. BOARD OF REVIEW SCHEDULE: Monday, March 14, 1994 — 800 a m. to 500 p m. Tuesday, March 15, 1994 — 1200 p m. to 900 p m. Wednesday, March 16, 1994 — 1200 p m. to 900 p m. Thursday, March 16, 1994 — 800 a m to 500 p m Finday, March 18, 1994 — 800 a m. to 500 p m "Thursday and Finday appointments given only if Monday through Wednesday appointment schedules are filled Any questions should be directed to the Assessor's Office at (810) 347-0485. GERALDINE STIPP, (2-3/10/17/24 & 3-3-94 NR, NN) CITY CLERK	<b>349-1700</b> IS OUR NUMBER Feel free to call us with any news tips. The Northuille Record



# RECORD DIVERSI





The Cascade Connection and Patch Chords will be two featured quartets brought to the Detroit area to provide both close harmony and mirthful comedy at the annual Wayne chapter show of the Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barber Shop Quartet Singing in America, Inc. (S.P.E.B.S.Q.S.A.).

The show is entitled "The Pirates of the Barbershop Coast" and will be presented March 4 and 5 at Mercy High School (located at Middlebelt and Eleven Mile roads) in Farmington Hills. Showtime is 8 p.m. both evenings. Tickets can be ordered by calling John Lynn at 937-1322.

Evergreen District Barbershop Quartet champions in 1982, the Cascade Connection got together in February 1982. After two appearances in the International competition, two of the members left to work for the international Barbershop Society at its headquarters in Kenosh, Wis.

While two members continue to reside in Oregon and two reside in Wisconsin, they continue to appear on shows around the country. They also coach other quartets and choruses.

How do they stay together as a quartet when they live 2,000 miles apart? You'll have to come to the show and ask them.

Recent appearances have taken them to Wisconsin, Missouri, Colorado, Oregon, South Dakota, Utah, Michigan, California and New York. A few weeks after this show, the quartet will travel to New Zealand and Australia to perform and coach.

Lead Jerry Harrison is a longtime barbershopper and was a member of a District Champion quartet in 1962. He is a chorus and quartet coach, as well as a prolific songwriter. He lives in Oregon.

Reid Stewart, bass, has a varied background, including stints with the "Young Americans" and singing. and playing keyboard with a U.S.O. troupe touring southeast Asia during the Vietnam conflict. He is a Certified Presentation Judge for the society and a popular quartet and chorus

coach. He also resides in Oregon. Tenor Jim DeBusman has many years of experience as a director of



The Cascade Connection Barbershop Quartet will perform at the annual Wayne chapter show of the Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barbershop Quartet Singing of America Inc. March 4 and 5 in Farmington Hills.

vocal music at South Eugene, Oregon, High School. Now employed by the Barbershop Society, he travels extensively coaching quartets and choruses. He now resides in Kenosha, Wis. Mel Knight is the baritone of the group. Knight was director of instru-

mental music at Lebanon, Oregon, High School for 20 years. As director of the Cascade Chorus,

he led them to several district championships as well as three appearances in international competition. Currently director of musical activities for S.P.E.B.S.Q.S.A., Knight is a certified music judge and resides also in Kenosha.

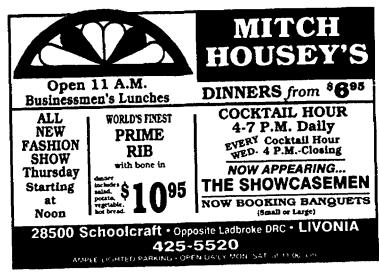
Mid-Michigan's own Patch Chords have been sweeping the area during the past 17 years with a crowdpleasing combination of melodic harmony and mirthful comedy.

A fun-loving barbershop quartet from Lansing, the group entertains audiences of all ages with a fastpaced show package which includes rib-tickling antics mixed with show tunes, up-beat contemporary numbers and old-time nostalgic favorites.

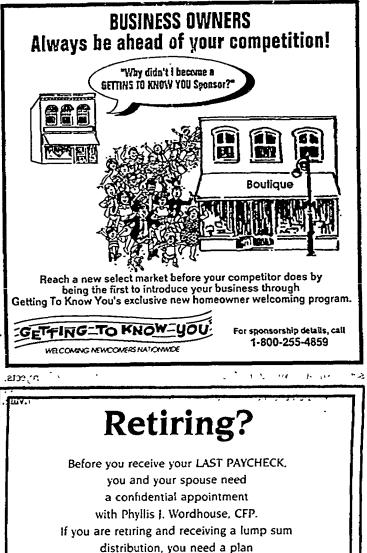
Members include Jerry Tlemann, lead; Rich Harlow, tenor; Monte Bates, baritone; and Doug Pearson. bass.



Mid-Michigan Barbershop Quartet singers The Patch Chords are scheduled to perform a combination of melodic harmony and mirthful comedy.







#### **Entertainment Listings**

Submit items for the entertainment listings to The Northville Record, 104 the arts council, 347-0400. W. Main, Northville, MI 48167; or fax to 349-1050.

#### **Special Events**

AUDITIONS: Pontiac Theatre IV will hold open auditions for the Broadway favorite, Fiddler on the Roof. Auditions will take place at 2 p.m. Feb. 27 and 7 p.m. Feb. 28 at the Pontiac Public Library, 58 Pike Street, Pontiac. Call-backs will be scheduled as needed.

Actors should come with a prepared song and a non-returnable picture. All auditioners will be asked to read from a script. A musical accompanist will be provided.

For more information, call John Tonner at 624-3187 or the Pontiac Theatre IV office, 335-4277.

ART LECTURE SERIES: The Northville Arts Commission is sponsoring Michael Farrell in an art lecture series focusing on 17th century Flanders and Holland.

The works of Vermeer will be presented March 17. A lecture on Rembrandt, originally set for January. has been rescheduled for April 14.

Each lecture will include a slide presentation accompanied by the wit and style of a knowledgeable art historian. Farrell is an associate professor of art history at the University of Windsor, adjunct curator of the Detroit Institute of Arts and an instructor at the Art House of Detroit.

Lectures will be held in the Northville High School Forum at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are available at the door for \$6 per lecture. For more information, call 347-9664.

#### PERFORMER'S SHOWCASE:

The Novi Arts Council wishes to showcase the talents of area performers. Performances will be in the atrium of the Novi Civic Center prior to selected city council meetings. On occasion, performances may be taped by Metrovision and cablecast to residents.

Musicians, actors, poets, dancers, etc. are invited to submit an application form and audition tape, if available, to the Novi Arts Council.

For further information, contact

#### Theater

CHARLOTTE'S WEB: A musical adaptation of Charlotte's Web, by E. B. White, will be the spring production at Northville's historic Marquis Theatre, 135 E. Main St., March 5 through April 10.

Directed by George Valenia, Charlotte's Web is an endearing story about a little girl named Fern, who saves the life of Wilbur, a young pig. and Charlotte the spider, who enriches Wilbur's life with friendship and love.

The role of Fern will be shared by two young actresses: Carla Freshwater of Canton and Laurie Boloven of Northville. The role of Wilbur will be shared by Jeffrey WEiner of Farmington Hills and Alison Reiter of Dearborn. Tracey McCoy, an actress from Chicago, will perform the role of Charlotte.

Appearing in the children's chorus are: Katherine Superfisky, Mike Superfisky, Rachel Conant, Andrew Martin, Lars Kvalvaag and John Kohl, all of Northville and Aimee Garrison, Danielle Franz and Tim Kava, all of Novi.

Performance dates and times are 2:30 p.m. weekends March 5-6. 12-13, 19-20, 26-27 and April 9-10. Spring break performances will also be held at 2:30 p.m. April 4-8.

Tickets for all public performances are \$6.50. For ticket information, group rates and for teachers to arrange special performance times and rates, call 349-8110.

NORTHVILLE PLAYERS: The Northville Players will perform The Man Who Came to Dinner during the first two weekends in March.

Barb Underwood of the Birmingham Village Players will direct the winter production. The show will be performed at the American Legion Hall in Northville.

For information, call 349-1205 after 5 p.m.

HOME SWEET HOME: A dinner theater program will continue with a performance Saturday, Feb. 26, at 7

p.m. at the 1920s-era now m which now houses Home Sweet Home restaurant. The murder mystery and a tenderloin and salmon dinner are \$25.95 per person.

Diners are given clues - and sometimes speaking roles in the action - to help them figure out who dunnit. Prizes are given out to the best guessers.

Home Sweet Home is located at 43180 Nine Mile Road just east of Novi Road.

Also, comedy night returns on Thursdays with a show at 8 p.m. Feb. -24.

For information and reservations, call 347-0095.

GENITTI'S: Genitti's Hole-In-The-Wall Restaurant brings "The Genitti's Radio Hour Dinner Theatre" to you every Thursday, Friday and Saturday evening. Featured is Genitti's famous seven

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Admission to the performance and dinner is by reservation only. Call (810) 349-0522 for reservations.

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

DINNER THEATER: The Plymouth Community Arts Council will continue its tradition of dinner theater presentations with March Murder Madness on March 5. The perfor-mance marks the third year of the program.

The mystery will be presented by Theatre Arts Production Ltd.

Cocktails begin at 7:15 p.m. followed by dinner at 8 p.m. with the cast mingling with the audience throughout the evening. The scene of the "whodunit" mystery is Laurel Manor Banquet and Conference Center, 3900 Schoolcraft, Livonia. The cost is \$40 per person.

For tickets, call the council office at 455-5260.



SUNSET GRILL: Live entertain-

s tock a band Wild Orchid happens at 8 p.m. every Friday and 9 p.m. every Saturday at Sunset Grill, 43393 W. Thirteen Mile at Novi Road in Novi.

CAFFE BRAVO: On Fridays from 8 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. and Saturdays from 7 to 9 p.m. classical guitarist Carol Smallwood is continuing her engagement at Caffe Bravo. Smallwood also appears on Sundays from 1 to 3 p.m.

Also each Saturday, from 9 to 11 p.m., a local contemporary folk trio, The Color Wheel, performs. The group features Northville High School graduates Tony Slevert, Dave Murray and Chris Dattilio.

On Sundays, from 3 to 6 p.m., Michael Fracassi appears with his guitar, strumming a variety of blues and jazz numbers. He also performs on Saturdays from 3 to 5 p.m.

The coffee house is in the Main-Centre in downtown Northville. For information, call 344-0220.

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 is from 9 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. For information call 349-4000.

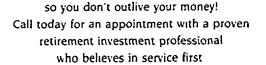
**RIFFLES:** Fridays and Saturdays at 10 p.m., Riffles of Northville becomes a live rhythm and blues cafe.

Riffles is at 18730 Northville Road. For information, call 348-3490.

SHERATON OAKS: It's live entertainment on Friday and Saturday at Eli & Denny's from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. The music is Top 40. Taylor Made are scheduled to per-

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# RECORD MOVIES



# 'Ace Ventura' features antics of Jim Carrey

"An outrageous comedy" is one description of Warner Bros.' "Ace Ventura: Pet Detective."

"Ace Ventura: Pet Detective" follows the adventures of an unconventional detective who specializes in locating lost pets. When he is hired to find the Miami Dolphins football team's missing mascot, a dolphin named Snowflake, Ace finds himself hot on the trail of kidnappers who have also abducted Dan Marino, the Dolphins' star quarterback on the eve of the Super Bowl.

And Ace, wih his wacky antics, bizarre hairdo and unfathomable professional skills, becomes the only man who can handle the job of returning both Snowflake and Marino to their rightful places in time to clinch a Super Bowl victory.

The film stars Jim Carrey, best known for his work on the Emmy Award-winning Fox-TV series "In Living Color," where he has brought to life such outrageous characters as the controversial Fire Marshall Bill and the husky-voiced, steroid-crazed

body builder Vera de Milo. Although Carrey has appeared in several other films, "Ace Ventura: Pet Detective" marks his motion picture debut in a starring roll. Carey's previous film credits include "Once Bitten," "Peggy Sue Got Married," "Earth Girls Are Easy" and "The Dead Pool."

The cast also includes Sean Young, Courteney Cox, Tone Loc and Dan Marino, who is cast as himself in his film debut.

When writer Jack Bernstein first got the idea for "Ace Ventura: Pet Detective," he knew he had a great concept for an off-the-wall screenplay with unique potential. He also knew it would take someone with an equally off-the-wall point of view to get the picture just right.

James G. Robinson, CEO of Morgan Creek Productions, knew it too and selected ex-standup comedian Tom Shadyac, formerly the youngest writer ever to create routines for Bob Hope and a writer of telefilms for the Fox Television Network, to direct.

"I had never met Tom Shayac, or even heard of him," said Bernstein, who sports shoulder-length dark hair and favors casual clothes and un glasses, "so I was a bit nervous

Ventura.

Jim Carrey, whose memorable television characterizations included Fire Marshall Bill and Vera de Milo, was Shadyac's first and only suggestion for Ace Ventura.

Once Carrey committed to the project, he and Shadyac worked to finetune the script to Carrey's unique comic talents, which include a gift for mimicry coupled with physical flexibility and energy. "The brainstorm-ing sessions were marathons," recalled Shadyac. "Now that I think about it, Jim contributed more storm than brains."

The character of Ace went through many changes during this molding process but, through all those changes, Carrey stood firm on one major point: "The people who watch me on In Living Color expect something really crazed. I knew if we could give them that in the character of Ace. we would have something."

As for the plot, Melissa Robinson (Courtney Cox), the Dolphins' marketing director, is saddled with the task of solving the twin kidnappings after Snowflake and Dan Marino suddenly disappear.

In desperation, Melissa turns to Ace Ventura, who looks like he dresses in the dark, who eats sunflower seeds like a parrot and whose harido looks like a cross between Bob's Big Boy and the tail end of a cockatoo. Ace alternately shows moments of

stunning detective work and total incompetence.

Here's Ace, turning up a clue the police missed — the stone from an AFC championship ring found in the bottom of Snowflake's now empty pool. Here's Ace, making a fool of himself and Melissa as he tries in vain to link the wealthy Ronald Camp (Udo Kier) to the crime. Here's Ace, sniffing clues like a bloodhound at the scene of Dolphins' general manager Roger Podacter's (Troy Evans) murder. And here's Ace, following Dolphins' players down highways, around running tracks and . . . into the showers? . . . trying to match the missing stone to their championship rings.

In the end, though, it can only be Ace Ventura who realizes that the kidnappings and murder center on a missed field goal in the 1984 Super Bowl and that the mysterious Lt. Einhorn (Sean Young) may have ulterior motives in trying to sabotrage his investigation. And, in the end, it can only be Ace Ventura, who solves the murder, rescues Snowflake, returns Dan Marino to his rightful place in the Super Bowl-albeit at half time-and wins the heart of the beautiful Melissa.



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before my first meeting with him. But when I walked in and saw this young guy with long, dark hair wearing sunglasses. I knew we were on the right track.

Shadyac and Bernstein agreed that the idea behind the movie was sound, but that revisions were needed. They also agreed that those revisions would be determined by the casting for the lead role of Ace

# Hopkins impressive in role as C.S. Lewis

SHADOWLANDS By Carol Haveraneck Northville

Anthony Hopkins portrays C.S. Lewis, author and Oxford professor in "Shadowlands."

In one memorable scene, set in an English pub, he tries to explain to several colleagues the reason why he writes children's fiction - "It's the magic, you see . . . the magic." They do not see. And it is their be-

mused silence that speaks.

Hopkins, playing a fiftyish bachelor, falls in love with an acerbic American poet played by Debra Winger. When Winger is advised by Hopkins' associate that, "men have intelligence and women have souls," she asks. "Are you just terribly rude, or are you stupid?"

Against the backdrop of Oxford University and the English countryside, it is still Hopkins' performance that entrances. His final scene with Winger's son is art.

#### BLINK

By Deborah Hunt Plymouth

\*Blink,\* the story of a blind violinwitness murder around her, is the kind of thriller that one sees all too rarely these days.

The casting of Madeleine Stowe through to a satisfying end.

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and Aidan Quinn makes for attractive and sympathetic characters as the threat of a serial murderer closes in on their lives.

Stowe's new vision is far from perfect, either. She has side effects, which leave her baffled and confused about this world she sees

Quinn, who plays a detective assigned to the case, has to rely on his instincts in using Stowe as his main interest. We feel his frustration in trusting her credibility when his department pressures him to solve the murders.

Although there are some plot conist whose vision is corrected only to trivances toward the end of the movie, at that point the building of suspense and the likable characters of Stowe and Quinn carry the movie



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# RECORD **SPORTS**



# **Swallow competes in Winter Games**

## By POHLA SMITH Special Writer

HAMAR, Norway- His scraped right arm was packed in ice, her whole body ached, and their pride was a bit bruised as well. But U.S. ice dance champions Jerod Swallow, a Northville native, and his wife, Elizabeth Punsalan, managed to laugh anyway.

Years from now, we'll tell our kids, We made it all the way to the Olympics. We skated like crap, but we had a great time," " she said after the newlyweds crashed hard onto the ice of Hamar Olympic Amphitheatre Monday night during the free dance finale of the 1994 Winter Games.

The scary-looking fall dropped the twosome, who live in Pontiac, from 14th place after the first two rounds of compulsory and original dance competition to 15th place among the 21 competing couples.

The event was won by Russians Oksana Grichichuk and Yevgeny Platov, while another husband and wife team from Russia, Maya Usova and Aleksanr Platov, finished second. Legendary Britons Jayne Torvill and Christopher Dean, reinstated as amateurs 10 years after their 1984 Olympic triumph, had to settle for third place.

Swallow, 27, was carrying Punsalan across the ice in a tricky move when the edge of his blade slipped out from under him, sending him sprawling as he struggled to protect

his 23-year-old bride of five months. They had fallen practicing the move a couple weeks earlier, and Punsalan hurt a shoulder.

The Olympic fall was not nearly as (arring physically, but the pair nevertheless considered it a gold-medal embarrassment.

"It's not the first time we've fallen, and I'm sure it won't be the last, but it doesn't usually happen that big," Punsalan said. She laughed.

But that's the way their Olympics went. They also had a tough time in the compulsory dances — Swallow tripped over some rough ice while they skated the Starlight Waltz. Still, because they have not been to the world championships since 1991, Swallow said he believes they would not have been placed much higher with a clean performance.

"If you're going to sit home for two ears, you've got to work your way back up," he said.

Obviously, though, they wished they had skated cleanly.

"It's the first poor competition we have had all year," Swallow said. "But Id rather have this here than in the worlds (the world championships next month in Japan). I wouldn't want to end the season this way."

Even if they did, the skaters no doubt would accept it with grace and a sense of humor. Bright and intelligent, the duo came to Norway with a new perspective on sports after sustaining a major personal tragedy in early February.

Less than two weeks before Punsalan and Swallow were to leave home for this first Olympics, Punsalan's father, Dr. Ernesto Punsalan, was stabbed to death as he slept in his Sheffield Lake, Ohio home.

Elizabeth's 20-year-old brother Ricardo, who has a long history of drug abuse and mental illness, told police he'd committed the crime, although he later entered an innocent plea

The next day, Punsalan and Swal-low announced that, at the urgings of their families, they would go on to the Olympics as planned and dedicate their performance to her late father, a surgeon at Elyria (Ohio) Memorial Hospital. Ten members of their family eventually joined them here for what was a welcome respite from grieving.

"We decided to come knowing that all our relatives, families and friends were behind us and encouraging us to doit in his honor, and also because he would have wanted us to do it," said Swallow, who seemed to be grieving the loss of his father-in-law as much as his wife was.

"Obviously, a death in the family is more important," Swallow said, "but to know that individual who passed wouldn't have had it any other way but to have us be here is the reason we're here."

Swallow and Punsalan talked about the tragedy, her father and brother, and their skating a couple days before the start of their competi-

tion. A number of reporters wept as the duo painted loving portraits of her father, a compassionate and funloving Filipino immigrant with a Ricky Ricardo-sense of humor, and her brother, whose problems began when he was sidelined by a sports injury in grade school and got in with a crowd that did drugs.

"I'm angry with what he did," Pun-salan said of her brother, "but I know he wasn't aware of what he did. He wasn't in control of it. I just hope he can get the help he needs."

Those kind of compassionate and articulate comments won the young couple much respect from the international media and skating community.

Jerod and I have both worked with sports psychologists since we were very young," Punsalan said. "I started when I was 14, and you never know when you're going to need it. This has actually helped a lot, just trying to get all your thoughts and feelings organized and situated."

One of the things the young couple realized is that they needed to get more pleasure out of their skating.

The biggest challenge in our life before this was getting through a practice and getting through a skating competition with consistency," Swallow said. "Once you've been through a real-life situation, skating is just for fun again, and you enjoy it more because there are other things in life that are tough. "Skating isn't tough."

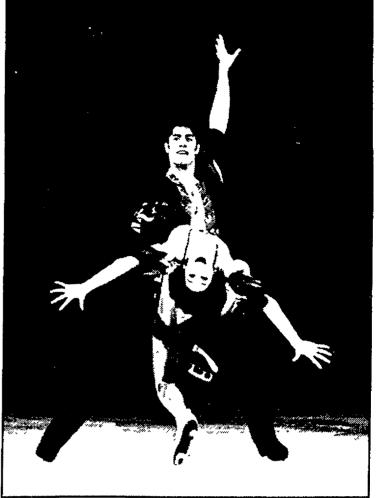


Photo by Paul Horvath/Special to the Record

Jerod Swallow and Elizabeth Punsalan placed 15th in the Olympic ice dancing competition.

# Three advance from district to state regional

By SCOTT DANIEL Sports Editor

James Kyle, Jason Tarrow and Adam Lynch have a lot to smile about

this morning. The trio of Mustang wrestlers will head to state regional competition Saturday in South Lyon. Kyle, Tarrow and Lynch survived last weekend's district action at Walled Lake Western to earn the right to move on.

Northville High coach Bob Boshoven was very happy for his wrestlers. He was hoping, however, to get a few more to regionals.

"It was a little disappointing that we only took three," he said. "We were hoping to get six or seven." That's not to say that the rest of the squad had poor performances. Competition was very tough with the likes of state powerhouses Brighton, Howell and Livonia Stevenson on hand. There was little margin for error. A

sioned Jim Donahue of Walled Lake Central 6-2 in the second round. Kyle fell in his final two matches.

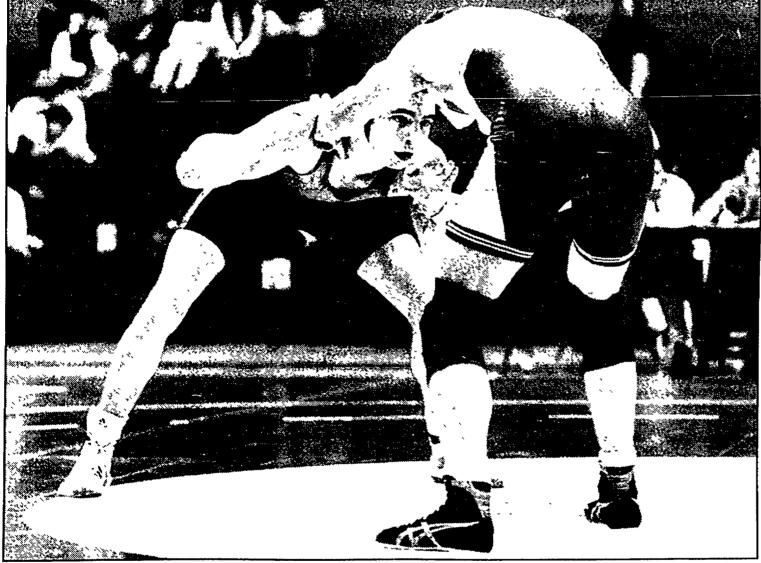
"He's wrestled real well all year," said Boshoven.

Tarrow came in as the fifth seed at 119 pounds. He finished fourth by pinning John Wolf of Walled Lake Western in 3:42 and then beating Salem's Scott Hughes 11-8.

Illness forced Tarrow out of the tournament after that match. He will wrestle the top seed at regionals Saturday, Tony Underwood of Westland John Glenn.

"I think he can beat Underwood," said Boshoven.

Lynch finished fourth at 160



Adam Lynch (facing forward) scored a big upset of Novi's Mark McBride in the team district final.

#### Photo by HAL GOULD

loss in the first two rounds ended the season for wrestlers.

Kyle, Tarrow and Lynch managed to win those first two matches and guarantee themselves spots in the regional.

Wrestling at 112 pounds, Kyle was seeded fourth and finished fourth. He pinned Travis Schrowe of Farmington Hills Harrison in 1:47 then deci-

pounds. The No. 2 seed pinned Brian Jones of Walled Lake Western in just 44 seconds to start the tournament and then garnered another pin against Justin mavel of Pinckney in 3:01. Lynch lost his final two matches.

"He's really come on in his four years," Boshoven said of his senior captain. "Even if he doesn't go any farther than regionals he's got to be happy with how his four years have turned out."

Other results included: Don Battle (125) fell in a second round match to Pat Esper of Howell, Chris Harrison

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# Cagers comeback crushes Canton

By SCOTT DANIEL Sports Editor

George Lemmon was The Man in Northville's 70-53 road win over Canton Friday night.

The senior center sparked a third quarter comeback that saw the Mustangs go from seven down to one up by the end of the period. Lemmon converted on a three-point play with just more than a minute to go in the third to tie the ballgame.

Marc Chiasson then put Northville in the lead for good, 44-42, with 52 seconds left. Lemmon finished the game with 13 points, including seven in the third quarter.

•George played an outstanding game," said Northville coach Larry Taylor. "He rebounded and jumped like I haven't seen him before."

Chiasson was excellent as well. The senior made sure Canton wouldn't comeback in the fourth perlod by scoring 10 of his game-high 18 points.

"Those two guys lit a spark in the second half," Taylor said.

It was an important victory. By beating the Chiefs, Northville assured itself of a tie for the Western Division championship.

The Western Lakes Activities Association playoffs start tomorrow.

Northville, which stands at 5-6 in the league and 11-5 overall, will play Westland John Glenn at home at 7:30 p.m. Westland beat the Mustangs in early January at home.

Taylor said beating the top seed Rockets would give his team a real chance of winning the WLAA playoffs.

"It would be a great thing for us to pull off a win," he commented. "Our kids won't back down."

Northville certainly didn't back down from Canton Friday night.

The Mustangs took an early 40 lead on baskets by Josh Williams and John Farrar. The Chiefs then went on a 12-0 run by pressing Northville and forcing turnovers.

Led by Tardarius Rachal's eight points, Canton piled up a 19-8 lead at the end of the period. The Mustangs wasted little time in getting back into the game in the second.

Chuck Apligian swished a threepointer at the 6:19 mark to cut Canton's lead to 21-15. Northville trailed just 31-29 at halftime thanks to balanced scoring.

"We played pretty good after the first quarter," said Taylor. "I wasn't worried. We've been behind in a lot of games after the first quarter." Northville trailed 42-35 with about

three minutes left in the third period

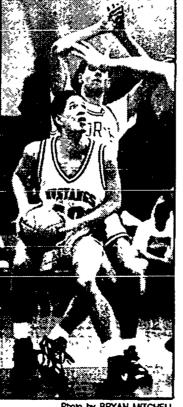


Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

Marc Chiasson looks for a shot against North Farmington.

when Chiasson and Lemmon caught fire. The duo sank consecutive baskets to cut the lead to three.

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#### By SCOTT DANIEL oorts Editor

In baseball, the pitcher that closes the game and preserves a win gets paid millions of dollars.

While Kate Woodrich won't be signing a multi-year deal with the Tigers or any other Major League team, she is doing a great job of closing vol-leyball games for Northville High. The senior finished all three games in a Mustang win over Canton Feb. 16. "She's our finisher," said coach

Laurra Murray. "Kate is tough at crunch time."

Northville fell behind two games to none to the Chiefs, but managed to pull out a victory. It was the Mustangs' second five-game win of the week.

The spikers improved to 4-5 in the WLAA and 11-9 overall. Murray said the wins will help her team's confidence heading into this weekend's conference finals.

"Last year we just kind of showed up," she said. "We deserve to be there this year."

The Chiefs dominated the first two games last week.

Despite 41 hitting attempts by Northville, Canton took a 15-5 win in the opener. The game was tied 3-3 early, but the Mustangs could do little after that.

Northville played better in game two. Canton won the game, though, 15-9 as four missed serves cost the

Mustangs. Murray said she got on her team a little after the game.

Spikers beat Chiefs in five

"I knew they were much better than what they were showing," she said

It took a big effort, but Northville won game three 16-14.

Lindsay Shulenberger helped her team to a 6-1 lead by serving for three straight points. The Chiefs came back to tie it at six.

Canton eventually took a 14-11 lead and it looked as if Northville would lose the match in three games. But then it was Kate To The Rescue. Woodrich served for points 12-16

to give the Mustangs the win. She had six points, three kills and an ace in the game.

Northville trailed 8-3 in game four. Angle Groves came on to put her team in the lead at 9-8 with six straight points on her serve. Woodrich closed it again with three straight points.

contributor to victory in that game. Rence Androsian and Groves combined for five digs.

led 5-3 in the early going but the team ville won 15-13. The Mustangs took battled back and forth. the match by winning game five

The Mustangs led 14-9 when Can- 16-14. ton came back to take a 15-14 lead. Woodrich, who else, then came on to give her team a 16-15 lead. Groves closed out the win and the match points in that streak while Woodrich 17-15.

For the match, Woodrich had 14 two points.

points and four aces. Renee Olin had six blocks, Snyder 18 assists and seven kills. Groves was also tough with 16 serving points and seven kills while Androsian had seven kills and four digs.

NORTHVILLE def. WALLED LAKE CENTRAL

It took five games, but the Mustangs beat one of the WLAA's better squads Feb. 14.

Going into the match. the Vikings had lost only once in the conference to top rated Salem. Murray said it was quite uplifting for her team to

"This victory really boosted our confidence," she said. "We knew we could play against the is kind of team.

Northville fell in games one and two by scores of 15-11 and 15-9, respectively. The matched turned around in game three, however.

Despite five missed serves, Northville won 15-8. With the game tied at The Mustangs' defense was a main seven, Woodrich served for three points. Shulenberger closed the game out with three points as well.

Woodrich finished off a close game What a war in game five. Northville four with three points again as Norththe match by winning game five

> Northville trailed 10-6 and put a run of six points together to take a 12-9 lead. Androsian served for four came on to close the game out with

#### **Recreation Briefs**

CROSS COUNTRY: Northville Parks and Recreation Department is offering a cross country skiing class on Feb. 27 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Maybury State Park. The class was originally scheduled for Feb. 20. This class will introduce the beginning skier to the enjoyment of cross country skiing. The cost is \$9 per person and \$14 with equipment rental. Please register at Northville Parks and Recreation downtown. For further information contact the office at 349-0203.

MAYBURY PARK: Maybury State Park in Northville is open for cross country skiing with miles of groomed trails. Ski rentals are available weekdays and weekends for \$5.25 the first hour, \$2 for the second hour and \$1 for every hour thereafter. The rental office is open from noon to dusk on weekdays and 9 a.m. to dusk on weekends. For more information call 348-1190.

SWIMMING: Northville Parks and Recreation is offering several different learn-to-swim courses on Saturday mornings at the Northville High School pool. Our swimming instruction classes are divided by ability, not age. All classes run nine weeks. Fees vary according to class types.

DOG OBEDIENCE: Two dog obedience classes are being offered through the Northville Parks and Recreation Department. Kindergarten puppy training for 8-16 week old puppies and household obedience for dogs 4% months and older. Classes meet on Monday nghts from 6:30-7:30 p.m. for household and 8-9 p.m. for kindergarten. All classes are held at the Northville Community Center. Fees are \$55 for kindergarten and \$80 for household. Bring your dog the first week with small treats and on a buckle collar and leash.

SOCCER: The Northville Soccer Association will sponsor an under 15 boys premier soccer team. For tryout times call Joe Reizbach at 347-0064.

SCUBA DIVING CLASSES: Become a certified scuba diver and explore the fascinating world of lakes and oceans. Don's Dive Ship will lead the classes through classroom work and water training. An open water dive is required to complete certification. Modest swimwear is recommended.

Students will need a mask, fins, snorkel and boots in addition to tank rental. Several different classes are offered on Monday and Wednesday evenings from 6 to 10 p.m. Each class runs either three or six weeks. Ages 14 and older are welcome. The fee is \$78 per class (doesn't include equipment rental). You must be a good swimmer to enroll.

KENSINGTON METRO PARE: One of the most popular winter playgrounds in southeast Michigan is Kensington Metro Park near Milford. Facilities for ice skating, tobogganing, sledding, cross-country skiing with a ski rental service, ice fishing, nature hikes, farm center activities and photography are available. Park hours are 6 a.m. to 10 p.m. For more information call 1-800-234-6534.

STEP BENCH AEROBICS AND TONING: Registrations are now available for New Attitude Aerobics' upcoming session. Morning and evening classes are available seven days a week and feature flexible scheduling, on-site child care and certified instructors. For more information call 349-0203 or 348-3120.

#### **Fitness Briefs**

JAZZERCISE: Exercising can be fun. We offer an exercise program to fit everyone's level of fitness. Regular jazzercise, low impact, high intensity, high impact, weights, and the new circuit training program. Morning classes start at 9:30 a.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Babysitting is available. Evening classes are Tuesday and Thursday at 6 p.m. A free introductory class is offered.

Come give us a try. Located on Center Street across for the MainCentre area at the FOE (eagles) building. For more information call Dawn at 347-3335.

FITNESS FACTORY: Fitness Factory aerobic/muscle toning classes began recently and will hold registration through the 10-week winter session. These classes are offered for men and women at all fitness levels beginning with a warm up, cardiovascular workout, muscle toning and ending with a cool down.

Nine Mile Road between Meadowbrook and Haggerty Road. The schedule of classes is: Monday through Wednesday (High/Low), Tuesday and Thursday (low). Friday (Step) all at 9:30 a.m. with baby-sitting available and Monday through Wednesday (High/Low), Tuesday, Tuesday and Thursday (Step) at 6:30 p.m. For further information call 349-7928 or 349-0510.

FAMILY FOOT CARE: Family foot care will be in the Novi Senior Center the first Friday of each month. They will use a whirl pool bath, clip toe nails, trim corns and address foot care. Medicare will be accepted as payment. Call 347-0414 for an appointment.

#### Scoreboard

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## Lemmon leads Northville comeback

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Lemmon then collected a rebound. scored and was fouled. He made the free throw to tie the game at 42.

Northville outscored Canton 28-11 the rest of the way. Five Mustangs scored in double figures led by Chiasson's 18. John Buser scored 12

while Farrar and Williams added 10.

Farrar made the first but missed the second. Williams fouled out on the play and the Raiders then converted on two free throws to cut the lead to two.

On Northville's next possession,

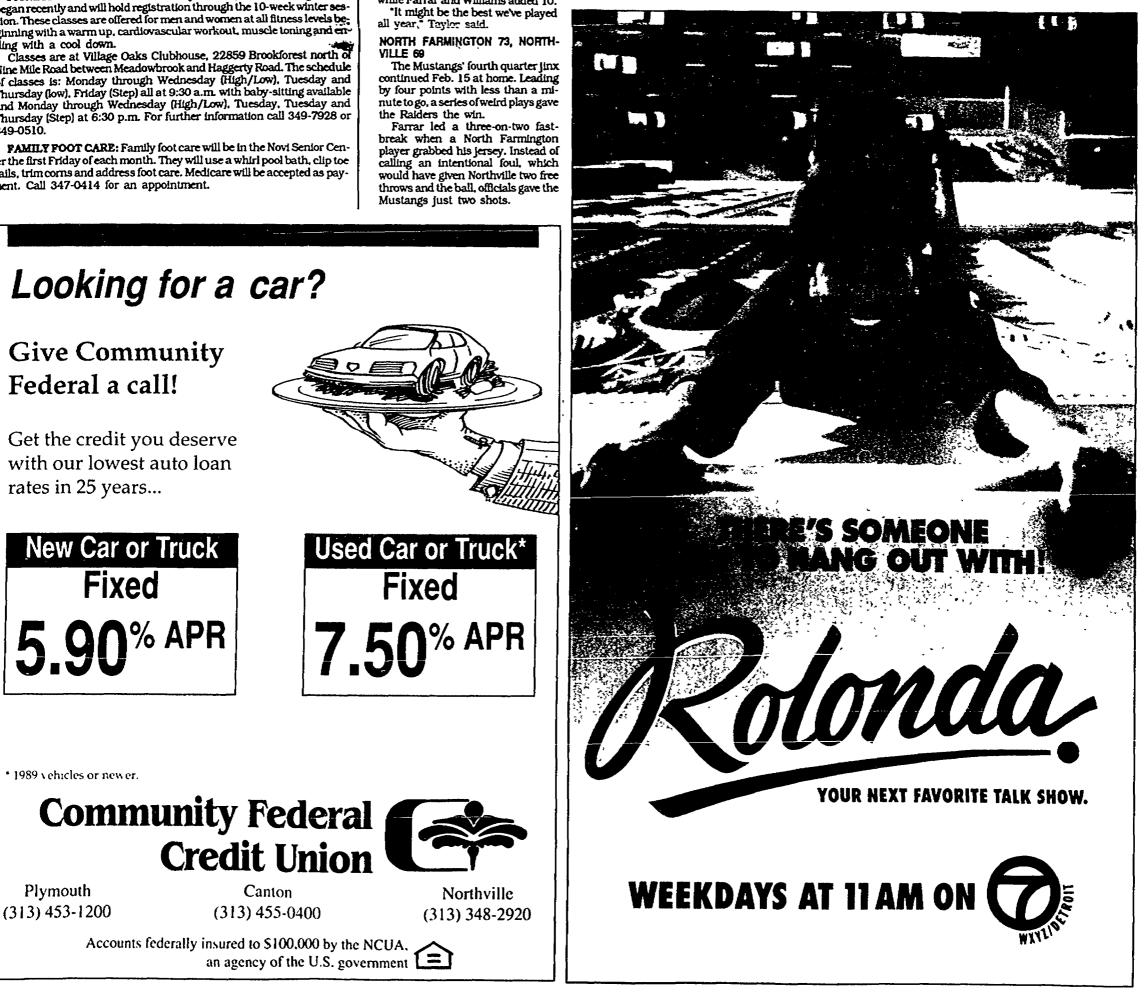
free throws to tie and then the gamewinning hoop. "We had them beat and let it get

away," said Taylor.

the ball squirted loose and a pile of The coach questioned the officiatplayers scrambled for it on the floor. ing, perhaps with good reason. North

The Mustangs were then called for an Farmington shot 30 from the charity intentional foul. North made the two stripe in the game, twice as many as the Mustangs. The Raiders made 23 of those while Northville made just

nine. Kieran Williams was the Mustangs biggest bright spot in the game. The senior forward scored 18 points and grabbed 11 rebounds.





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By CINDY STEWART Special Writer

The beautiful atrium of the Novi Civic Center has become very cultured in the past year. It is now the home of the Gate VI Gallery and Performer's Showcase. The Novi Arts Council is committed to promoting a cultural environment of fine arts that will attract the support and active involvement of Novi citizens.

Gate IV Gallery exhibits the work of local artists while Performer's Showcase highlights the talents of area performers. It is a perfect combination of art and music for the entire community to enjoy and a positive, healthy outlet of cultural expressions.

In the past year Gate VI Gallery has displayed paintings, sculptures and photographs of local artists. Display walls are utilized to show larger paintings and other artwork. They are able to be adjusted in many ways to show off each painting. These complement the pedestals that are used for sculpture and three dimensional art. Plans are under way to expand the Gallery to allow larger shows, or to show several artists at one time.

The local artist currently featured at Gate VI Gallery is Janus Benda, a Farmington Hills resident. Benda's works include translucent watercotors, acrylics, oil paintings, ink and dye on rice paper and handmade paper assemblages. She became a full-time artist in 1989, after working over 15 years as a structural engineer of commercial buildings. Benda's work reflects her world travels to Europe, Mexico and especially Alaska.

"Alaska is the only state left where nature is virtually undisturbed by fnan," said Benda. "I love its undeveloped landscape and want to go back



Novi had added a little culture with its two art galleries at the Civic Center.

soor, to Alaska to paint."

Twenty-nine of Benda's works are on display at Gate VI Gallery through March 15. Currently she is working on a new series of Michigan Upper Peninsula waterfalls. One of this series titled "Fumee Fails" (on display at Gate VI) will appear on the cover of the May issue of the Michigan Bar Journal. Her works are displayed at six galleries throughout Michigan. Visit the Gate VI Gallery, Monday through Friday, from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m.

A Calligraphy Show will be displayed at Gate VI Gallery from March 15 through April 11. April is Michigan Glass Month, and from April 11 through May 1, the Center for Creative Studies Glass Department (one of the best in the country) will feature an exhibit of various types of glass works. The May exhibit will feature a photography display from the Novi Camera Club. The June exhibit will

feature the "Novi Art Fair." Gate VI Gallery is available to area artists, individuals or groups who would like a public forum for their ex-hibits. Call Larry Champine, Novi

Arts Council Gallery Chair, at actors.

380-0470 for more information. Performer's Showcase was the brainchild of Novi Arts Council Vice President Ann Oberts. She loved the open space of the Civic Center Atrium and knew it could be utilized to showcase the talents of area performers. Recreation Coordinator Marilyn Troshak is always open to creative suggestions for Parks and Recreation programs and saw Performer's Showcase as a natural extension of the Novi Arts Council.

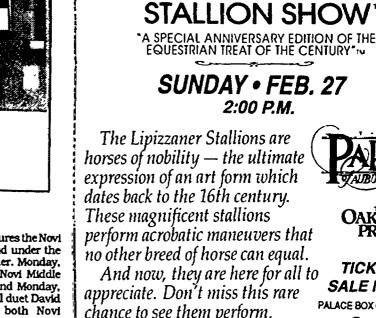
The Novi Civic Center is a centralized location for the Novi residents with daily Parks and Rec activities and meetings, so why not take ad-vantage of the natural foot traffic to highlight local performers who need a place to develop their artistic expression.

Novi Arts Council President Paula Joyner Clinard suggested piggyback-ing onto Monday night Council meetings since you have a ready-made audience. Novi residents can stop in the Atrium at 7:30 p.m. and experience some of our community's finest sin-gers, dancers, musicians, poets and case, call 347-0400.

Monday, Feb. 28, features the Novi Middle School Jazz Band under the direction of Gordon Seiler. Monday, March 7, features the Novi Middle School Concert Band and Monday, March 21, features vocal duet David and Beth Langham, both Novi students.

Any Individuals or groups inter-ested in performing in the Novi Civic Center Atrium prior to Novi City Council meetings should call Mere-dith Girard at 347-0400. The Performer's Showcase is a very nice collaboration between the City, Schools and residents who have an opportunity to recognize all of the talent in this community.

Novi Arts Council is trying to obtain a small baby grand plano for Per-former's Showcase. If anyone would like to help, please call 347-0400. In the future, the Arts Council may try and combine the opening of Gate VI Gallery exhibits with Performer's Showcase, a natural artistic coupling. For more information about Gate VI Gallery or Performer's Show-



chance to see them perform, including their AIRS ABOVE THE GROUND. They have, after all, been practicing for the last 400 years.



## Steroid use on rise in nation's high schools



has skyrocketed in high schools, colleges and in weight gymnasiums across the country. Contrary

to popular belief,

steroid use is not

limited to ath-

letes. During the

past. decade,

The illicit use of Premature hardening of the arteries is common, alterations in liver function anabolic steroids and liver tumors have been reported and testicular atrophy and infertility also is associated with prolonged use of these drugs.

Recent clinical surveys have exposed

adequate because of their predictability. Drug testing needs to be unannounced and randomized in order to reflect usage.

Unfortunately, the use of anabolic steroids is no longer a male phenomenon. More and more women are experimenting with these drugs in athletes and in pursuit of body beautiful. Most do not realize that while some of the undesirable effects are reversible in men in the early stages, most of the undesirable physical changes are not reversible in women. Current local surveys have shown that these drugs are readily available. They can be found in high schools, weight rooms and local gyms. High school surveys in Michigan suggest that 15-20 percent of all high school students have either experimented with these drugs or know someone who has.

#### **EXCITING DEMO DAYS AT GOLFLAND!** A WINNER

## Wojtys

body-conscious individuals, both male and female, pursuing improvement in their physical appearance, have turned to steroids to add muscle mass to their physique Consequently, our society now faces a new frontier in illicit drug use.

Undoubtedly, anabolic steroids can increase muscle mass and strength when combined with a rigorous training program and proper diet. Recently, sterolds have also been used to decrease fatigue in endurance athletes. Whether pursuing power, endurance or physique improvement, steroids enable an athlete to train harder and more frequently.

The medical profession got into trouble with athletes during the 1960s and 1970s by claiming that steroids did not work. Athletes knew better. Unfortunately, very few of the users knew much about the side effects of these drugs, and those who did usually ignored the medical warnings.

There is no doubt that anabolic sterheart, blood vessels, liver and genitals. testing programs as a whole are in-

profound psychological effects with regular steroid use. These drugs are no doubt addicting; an increase in aggressiveness is common. These medications were first used by German stormtroopers in World War II to increase hostile behavior on the front lines in combat. While some may view this increase in aggressiveness as desirable in football or hockey players, the reports of bizarre behavior and violence involving these athletes are worrisome.

Recent testimony before the United States Congress revealed that anabolic steroids are used by some professional football teams at rates higher than 90 percent in the strength demanding positions of some teams.

Recent drug testing by the NCAA and by professional sports teams has failed to detect the level of use that most observers in sports medicine would have predicted. Caution should be used in interpreting these results. We should not assume this low rate of detection means steroid use is low.

Athletes have become very sophisticated in their use of these drugs and when the drug testing schedule becomes predictable, athletes can alter their drug olds have serious harmful effects on the regimens to avoid detection. Current

Current efforts in Michigan to harness the problem include high school drug education and legislation to decrease the availability of these substances.

When considering the possible side effects of these drugs, these efforts are no doubt warranted, and should be rigorously supported by parents, teachers, trainers and coaches.

Dr. Edward Wojtys is the assistant medical director of the U-M MedSport Sports Medicine program and associate professor of surgery at the U-M. This column is coordinated by Peg Campbell and the staff at the U-M Health Centers.

# More oxygen equals more energy



Franklin

Have you ever wondered why some individuals seem to have to so much energy while others drag? The answer is

quite simple: "High energy" persons can take in more oxygen. Whether you real-

ize it or not, you exenergy pend throughout the en-

tire day, even when you are sleeping. The energy you are burning is called "adenosine tri-

phosphate," or ATP.

source, similar to the gasoline that we use to run our cars.

Unfortunately, your body can store only a limited amount of ATP. Consequently, you must produce it almost constantly.

Through a series of chemical reactions, we convert the food we eat into the ATP we need for energy. The formation of ATP is markedly increased when sufficient oxygen is available to our body tissues. This process is called aerobic metabolism.

However, ATP can also be produced in a less efficient manner when oxygen is absent. This process is called anaerobic metabolism.

Anaerobic production of ATP supplies I like to think of ATP as our body's fuel energy when we need it in a hurry. This form of energy production provides an immediate source of ATP for brief, high-intensity activities.

For example, when you run to catch a bus or dash up a flight of stairs, your body relies primarily on anaerobic energy production.

But anaerobic production of ATP is extremely inefficient compared to energy production with oxygen.

For example, if your body converts food to ATP in the absence of oxygen, you get only about 5 percent of the potential ATP. Conversely, if oxygen is present, you get 20 times more ATP. There is another disadvantage of anaerobic metabolism.

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# Tankers splash Walled Lake, Brighton, South Lyon

By SCOTT DANIEL Sports Editor

You want to talk about winning programs? Lets talk about Mustang swimming.

Northville High completed its second straight 10-1 dual meet season Thursday by crushing Walled Lake 114-66. The Mustangs will hope to carry on their winning ways tomorrow at the WLAA finals at Plymouth Salem.

"It should be a real exciting league meet," said Northville coach Mark Heiden. "We'll have to swim really well."

The coach said Salem, which ranked in Class A's top 10, will likely win the meet. Heiden said it will be a tough battle for second place as well. "Whoever swims second will have

to swim very well," he said. Northville swam very well against Walled Lake.

The 200-yard medley relay team of Jordan Brun, Justin Schlanser, Jim Malloure and Shawn Hollister were second in 2:03.82. Matt Basse, Chris Anderson, Marc Wilson and Jim Johnston were third.

In the 200-yard freestyle, Jason

# Mustangs capture district

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(130) lost in round one to Jason Eicholz of Western 4-3. Corey Keranen (135) lost in the second round by decision, Carl Tune (140) lost 7-3 to Livonia Stevenson's Scott Goldman in the round two, Ryan Baber (145) lost in the first round, Joe Scappaticci (152) lost in the second round, John Matthews (189) lost in the second round, and heavyweight Nick Bowersox lost in round two to Dave Ross of Stevenson by a pin.

#### TEAM DISTRICTS

The Mustangs survied a tough final match with Baseline rival Novi to move on to team regional action. Northville locked homs with the

Northville locked horns with the Wildcats Thursday and hung on for a 35-27 victory. The district final went down to the last match.

"I think we gave them a scare," said Novi coach Brad Huss. "We did a nice job against them."

"They've really brought that team a long way." Boshoven said of Huss. "Novi always manages to have a good performance against Northville."

The Mustangs were scheduled to compete at the regional yesterday (after Northwille Record deadline).

Kyle and Tarrow took pins in the 112 and 119 pound matches to give the Mustangs a 12-6 advantage. Novi's Garrett Barrons cut the lead to three by decisioning Battle 8-4.

Taka Watanabe then moved Novi ahead 15-12. The 130-pounder led he took Chile Harr down and pinned him at 1:19 in third period. Keranen got three points for Northville with an 11-3 win over Chris Young at 135 pounds. It was a gutsy performance nontheless for the Novi wrestler. Young was clearly ill and struggled to stand at times. But he fought on and avoided being pinned. Tune grabbed a 14-3 win over Nick Biagini at 140 pounds. James Cini then decisioned Baber 5-2 to make the score 20-18 in Northville's favor. The match's biggest upset was at 160 pounds. Lynch led Mark McBride by two points after two per-McBrite by two points and the point iods and ended up winning 8-3. Matt Buck got Novi back into it with a pin of Eric Hibbler in 2:12 of the first period at 171 pounds. Ben Wendt then cut the lead to 29-27 by stopping Matthews 5-1. Northville went on to victory as heavyweight Bowersox pinned James Probyn at 1:17.

Fisher was first in 1:48.87 while James Elsesser was fourth and Wilson was fifth. Dave Wesley captured first in the 200 IM in 2:04.53. Chris Bond was third in 2:27.57.

Jason Lennig's 24.16 was good for second in the 50-yard freestyle. Joel Elsesser was third and Mike Basse fourth.

In diving, Mike Malloure totaled 242.75 points for first place. Jeff Sieving won the 100-yard butterfly in 57.05, Schlanser was fourth and Johnston fifth.

James Elsesser won the 100 frees-

tyle in 57.15 while Hollister was second in 57.94 and Kevin Mount fourth in 1:01.44. Bond won the 500-yard freestyle in 5:44.2 and Andy Stewart was third in 5:53.01.

The team of James Elsesser, Jim Malloure, Mike Basse and Anderson were second in the 200 free relay in 1:43.52. Lennig was first in the backstroke with a time of 1:05.83, Matt Basse second and Brun fourth. Hollister grabbed a win in the 100-yard breaststroke in 1:12.31. Northville completed a sweep with Johnston taking second and Jim Malloure third.

The team of Fisher, Joel Elsesser, Wealey and Steving were first in the 400-yard freestyle in 3:24.85. Stewart, Wilson, Bond and Mike Basse took third.

The victory secured Northville's fifth straight Western Division title

official. Northville 10-1 season shouldn't come as a surprise. In Heiden's seven years as coach, the Mustangs have posted an 82-11 record — a winning percentage of 88.

TRI-MEET

Northville faced Kensington Valley Conference teams Brighton and South Lyon Feb. 15 and won easily. The Mustangs totaled 160 points, Brighton 107 and the Lions 63. Heiden said the meet gave him the

chance to use some of his swimmers in different events. With the cancellation of a few meets, Northville hasn't had that chance all season.

The Mustangs dominated, nonetheless. Northville got a state finals cut in the 200-yard freestyle relay with the team of Fisher, Sieving, Lennig and Wesley. They made the cut by one-tenth of a second. Bond, Joel Elsesser, Wesley and Lennig won the 200-yard medley relay in 1:50.52. Fisher then made a state qualifying time of 1:48.66 in the 200 freestyle.

Other winners in the meet included: Joel Elsesser in the 200IM. Sieving in the 50-yard freestyle, Mal-

lour in diving, Fisher in the 100-yard butterfly, Bond in the 500 freestyle, and the 400-yard freestyle relay team of Joel Elsesser, Wesley, Fisher and Selving.

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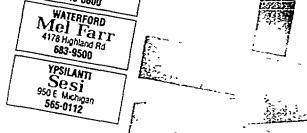
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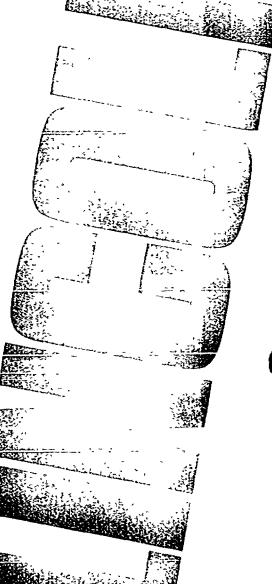






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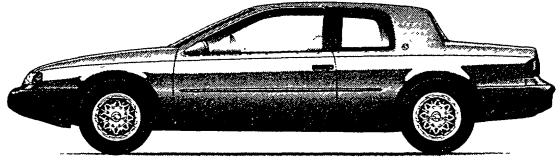




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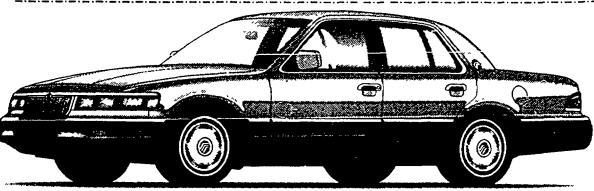
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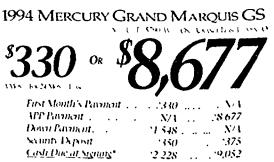
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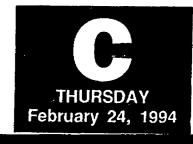
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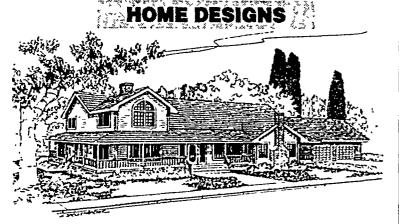


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## Lotsa room to spread out in the Westminster

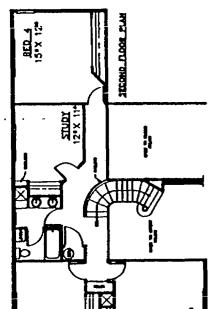
#### By James McAlexander Copley News Service

Family living spaces are a top priority in the Westminster, a contemporary, two-story countrystyle house with plenty of room for a large family to spread out.

A long wraparound covered porch in front, and a wide deck in the back provide additional options outdoors.

Just inside the vaulted entry, columns flank the entrances to the formal rooms—living room on the left and dining room on the right. Informal family living areas are on the far right, leaving the huge master suite, in the left rear corner of the home, well-isolated from the hustle and bustle of family activities.

Luxury amenities in the master suite include a huge walk-in closet, a window-bright spa tub and a second basin in a vanity outside the



bathroom.

A graceful open staircase curves up to balconies that overlook the foyer and the vaulted dining room. Three large bedrooms and a study (that could be another bedroom) are upstairs, served by a compartmentalized bathroom with twin vanities and a laundry chute.

Both the living room and family room have fireplaces. Shelves for displaying family mementos or objets d'art are tucked into an alcove next to the living room.

Windows flank the fireplace in the vaulted family room, and a wide hearth spans the width of the front-facing wall. This room is large enough to accommodate a pool table, if billiards is your game, or home entertainment center surrounded by a cluster of couches and easy chairs.

Whoever is working in the kitchen need never feel left out of the fun. Nothing separates the two

rooms. The cook top is set in an angled island/eating bar combination. Standing there, cooks can face into either the bayed nook or the family room, keeping an eye on both. The sink view is through a garden window and across a deck.

A freezer could be in the spacious two-car garage, which has two long workbenches and extra storage space as well. Utilities are to the left of the kitchen in a bright, generously sized room with space for a sewing machine.

For a study plan of the Westminster (332-230) send \$9 to Landmark Designs, c/o HomeTown If you're a current homeowner thinking of refinancing your mortgage or a first-time buyer entering the market, now is the time to make your move and save big.

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By ALICIA GARRISON Staff Writer According to Michael Latham, senior loan officer and

sales manager for Source One Mortgage Services Corp., Brighton branch, mortgage rates are lying low and the opportunity to save money is prime.

"They've remained fairly stable (from last year)." According to Cindy Kenney, a mortgage loan officer for NBD, Ann Arbor, interest rates increased slightly when the Federal Reserve raised its discount rate earlier this month, but she said the rates are still considered to be "excellent."

In the last two weeks, Kenney said mortgage rates have gone up three times due to the discount rate rising, but she said that doesn't necessarily mean they'll stay up. "Sometimes it's just a knee-jerk reaction for the first few weeks (after the discount rate rises) and then they level off," Kenney said. "If you compare these rates to a few years ago, they're still very good. They're excellent for first-time home buyers or for refinancing." According to Kenney, the following home mortgage loans can be obtained at these interest rates (based on

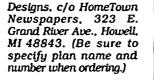
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7/1 ARM loan — 6.75 percent.
10/1 ARM loan — 7.125 percent. In the late 1980s, Latham said fixed-rate mortgages hovered in the 13-14 percent bracket. Today, the going rate is between 7 and 7.5 percent, and single-digit interest rates are expected to continue throughout 1994.

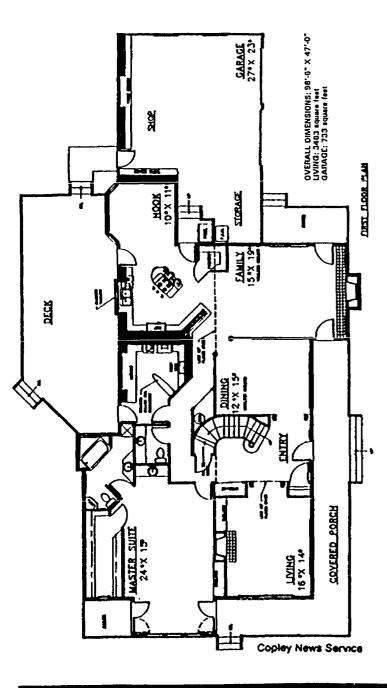
"For the remainder of the year, you can expect rates



By ALICIA GARRISON







to stay within a bal2ea percent of where they are now," Latham said. "The current rates are about .25 percent better than they were last April." With lower rates, Latham said buyers can afford larg-

er and better quality homes. For example, in 1984, when the going interest rate

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### Anthuriums thrive in humidity

#### By C.Z. Guest Copley News Service

9. I placed my anthurium about 3 inches away from a south-facing window with sheer curtains. I keep it moist and fertilize regularly. New growth and some of the old keeps turning brown and shriveling. What's the trouble?

A. The anthurium is a tropical plant that requires plenty of warmth (80-degree to 90degree day temperatures, never below 60 degrees in winter), moisture and humidity. The soil must drain properly yet remain moist.

A mix of equal parts ordinary potting soil and fir bark makes the perfect medium. Water generously with warm water when the plant is blooming, and keep it damp at other times.

The brown-edged leaves may be due to low humidity, so keep it high by misting the plant daily. Better still, set the pot on a pebble-filled tray that holds water—evaporation will increase the humidity. Be sure that the water level is always below the bottom of the pot so that the plant doesn't sit in water

Fertilizer can burn tender roots, so water the day before fertilizing and feed every two weeks from February to

# August

Anthuriums are very susceptible to mites, scale, whiteflies and mealybugs. For control, spray with insecticidal soap, and be careful to keep the spray off the flowers as they can be easily injured by such sprays.

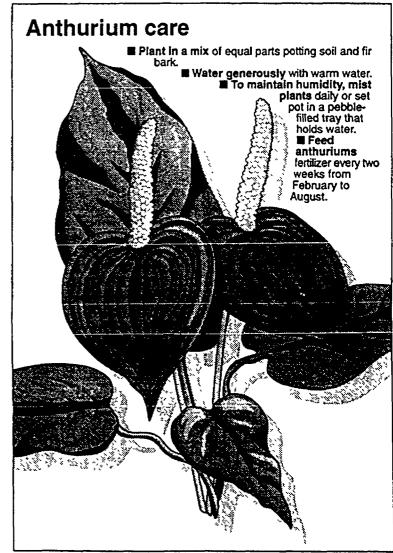
I suggest moving your plant to within 1 foot of an unshaded northern exposure—please no drafts! Anthuriums need bright, indirect light to thrive and don't do well under artificial light.

Q. During my two-week winter break this month, I won't be able to put out birdseed every day as I usually do. I am worried that some birds will starve during my absence because a great variety depend upon my feeder.

A. Don't worry — if a feeder suddenly becomes empty, birds are self-reliant and find other sources of food. If you live in a remote area where there are no other feeders, your birds will be put on the same footing as wild ones who have never had the benefit of human handouts.

Keep in mind most feeder-

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# Treating and preserving redwood

By Gene Gary **Copley News Service** 

9. Our red-cedar siding has darkened over the years and the grain is raised in areas exposed to the sun. The wood has never been treated.

What will restore the natural color of the wood and help preserve it in the future?

A There are a number of excellent commercial wood cleaners on the market that can be used to lighten and restore the natural wood coloring of your cedar siding.

Dekswood manufactured by The Flood Co. is a good choice. Easy to apply, it is a concentrated cleaner and brightener formulated to restore natural beauty to weathered wood.

You can use a solution of oxalic acid crystals dissolved in a small amount of water to brighten weathered wood. The advantage of Dekswood, which is a blend of detergents and oxalic acid, is that it also is a cleaning agent. The product is a biodegradable concentrate and the solution will not harm plants and shrubs.

After hosing down your siding, Dekswood is applied with moderate scrubbing using a bristle bush. If the discoloring on your siding is caused by mildew, in addition to Dekswood you will have to use a solution of household bleach mixed with water to remove and kill the mildew fungus.

After the siding is clean, free of mildew and dry. a protective coating should be applied. Select a basic water-repellent preservator or a semi-transparent stain. Or, choose Flood's CWF-UV Ultraviolet Resistant Clear Wood Finish.

This penetrating finish enhances the natural wood coloring and protects from the damages of exposure to sun and bad weather. It can be applied by brush, roller or airless sprayer and comes in clear. redwood or cedar tones.

Birds won't starve while you're gone

#### HOW TO

Protective coatings should be reapplied every two or three years to maintain the natural wood surface.

9. Please tell me how to remove paint from oak trim. Our "painter" said it is water-based paint and would wash off. It didn't. We have paint on both the trim and the floor that has hardened and is not removeable with soap and water.

A. There are two stain removal cleaners that should be effective in the removal of dried latex paint spills.

"Goof Off" from Atlanta Sundries, is available in 4-ounce and 6-ounce cans and a 7-oz spray can. Klean-Clean comes in a 7ounce aerosol can and a 4-ounce flip-top can.

Both products are available at home centers, paint stores and hardware stores. These cleaners also are effective in the removal of other types of stains (gum, glue, lipstick, crayon, etc.). It is a good idea to test any new product in an inconspicuous area to make sure that it does not mar your oak finish.

If these products prove ineffective, you will have to use a paint remover recommended for waterbased paints. Your local paint dealer can assist you in selecting a brand.

It is likely that a paint remover will mar the oak finish and you may have to spot refinish, or completely refinish your oak trim.

9. I have some aluminum pots and pans that are so dingy they look dirty. I have used several metal cleaners without much success. Do you know of any method that can restore the aluminum brightness?

A. An old-fashioned method of

cleaning the inside of aluminum pots and pans and other utensils Is with potassium bitartrate (commonly known as cream of tartar).

Fill your pans with water. Deposit a small box of cream of tartar in the water and bring to a boil. Let this solution simmer in the aluminum pan (you can add any aluminum utensils) until the inside comes clean and the natural color is restored.

This can be used on cast aluminum and other aluminum pots and pans. It only works on aluminum and is not good for other metals.

9. We are plagued by ants invading our home. They are particularly bad in the kitchen. I do not like to use toxic chemicals and poisons around the home. Do you have any suggestions on how I might get rid of these pests without using harsh substances?

A. For long-term ant control methods. sanitation is important, says the Environmental Health Coalition in San Diego. Don't leave food out, especially sugar and grease. Store food in sealed containers.

Help prevent access to your home by cutting branches, which make nifty insect bridges, away from the exterior walls. Ants and ant nests in wall spaces can be eradicated by applying (nonmedicinal) boric acid powder, which is found in home improvement stores, into structure walls.

Apply boric acid powder to cracks and crevices, where ants enter and roaches live. Securely seal with caulk. Indoor and outdoor boric acid ant stakes attract ants who will carry small amounts of boric acid back to their nests.

Besides ants, boric acid also is effective against roaches, silverfish and spiders. It does not give off toxic fumes but it is a moderately

toxic stomach poison. Keep it out of the reach of children and pets. Apply a dehydrating powder such as food/garden grade (not pool grade) diatomaceous earth or pure amorphous silica gel, which is found in garden stores, to car-

pets. Sprinkle powder lightly around edges of carpeted areas. Avoid breathing the dust. It is not toxic but the fine powder can irritate lungs. Wear a mask or handkerchief while applying. Brush powder into the carpeting. Let it settle for a few hours before wiping off adjacent surfaces. Wait three days before vacuuming.

Application once a year should be sufficient. Some quick fixes recommended by the Environmental Health Coalition include:

Sprinkle cornmeal around the outside walls. Cornmeal makes ants thirsty. They go for water, swell up and explode.

• Wash counter tops, cabinets and floors with equal parts water and vinegar spray to repel ants.

• Attract sugar ants with a sponge full of sugar water. When sponge is covered with ants, rinse out sponge.

Chalkboard chalk can be used to draw a line that will repel ants. The line must be solid or ants will find a way through. Lines made with cayenne and black pepper also work in a pinch.

• A dab of toothpaste can temporarily plug a hole or crack where ants are entering until a permanent control such as caulking can be done. A soap solution (1 part soap, 2 parts water) spray will break their message system and serves as a quick control method. Soap spray is especially handy when ants are headed for your picnic or patio party.

 Lure ants away from your home by putting 4 tablespoons of honey and two small packages of baker's yeast in the center of some dirt in a small red clay flower pot. The queen will make her nest

> year and produce more blossoms each season.

ing hot water.

By using these long-term meth-

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aggravation can become a thing of

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out the use of toxic pesticide ant

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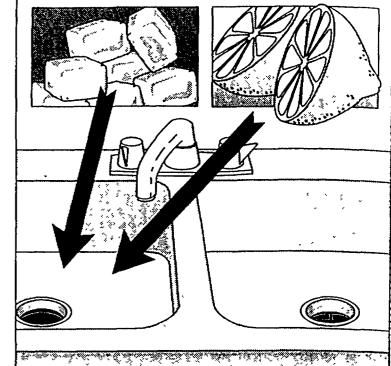
The tendency to make spurs varies widely. For example. Red Delicious is a naturally 'spurry' tree.

Spur-type trees began to be developed commercially more than 20 years ago, and

#### Keep disposals fresh, clean

To freshen a garbage disposal, dump in a tray of ice and a handful of lemon rinds. Turn on the water and run the disposal until the mixture has disappeared. The same technique will work without lemon rinds: Use a tray of

ice made with vinegar and water. To clean the disposal, pour in 1/2 cup of baking soda and flush with very hot water. This cleaning method will work for any drain.



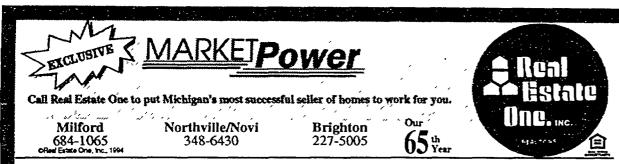
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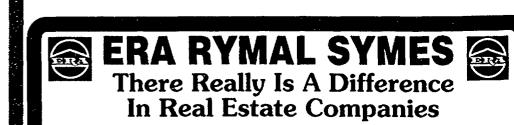
there and the ant colony will move control sprays. in. When it does, destroy with boil-

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this trait has been bred into many modern varieties ever since Almost all the MacIntosh varieties available today have an abundance of spurs.

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habitated birds forage for 75 percent to 80 percent of their diet with commercial birdseed accounting for the rest.

When you get home, you'll have fewer birds visiting your yard. Have patience, it takes a little time for them to reestablish themselves.

Q. I want to buy apple trees this spring,

and I've come across the term "spur type" in the variety descriptions. What does that mean, and are they more vigorous than other varieties?

A. Spurred varieties make less shoot growth, and so they require less pruning, take less space and yield more than other varieties.

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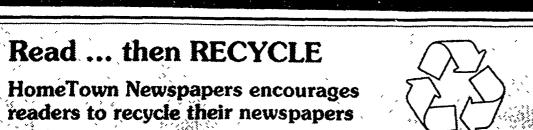
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This porcelain figurine was manufactured in Thuringia, Germany and could sell for \$300 to \$325 in good condition.

## Are you waiting for low mortgage rates?

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was about 13.5 percent for home mortgage loans, Latham said a \$100,000 mortgage would've cost \$1,146 a month. But at today's rates, he said the same house payment would drop to \$674. That's a \$472 monthly difference for the same mortgage.

"When rates were higher, a lot of people were shut out of the housing market," Latham said. "The current market is open to so many more home buyers.

According to Joseph Nagy, a loan officer for Source One, the housing market is especially

encouraging for first-time buyers. At today's rates, Nagy said

homes can be bought with a down payment of only 3 percent of the sales price through some FHA mortgages. He said the minimum down payment for a conventional loan can be as low as 5 percent of the sales price.

"From a cash flow standpoint, it takes less money to get into a home these days." Nagy said. Properties haven't appreciated much and rates have come down so now is the perfect buying opportunity.

By taking advantage of low interest rate loans through refinancing. Latham said homeowners can improve their lifestyle by increas-

ing their out-of-pocket cash flow. Nagy said most mortgage companies are making it easier for homeowners to refinance with "0" point loans and "0" closing costs.

Latham said the advantage of refinancing your home is not so much related to the interest rate, but the opportunity of lowering your house payment.

With the low rates that are now available. Latham said a lot of people are refinancing their 30-year mortgages to 15 years and their

payments are staying the same.

If you have a 30-year fixed-rate mortage at 10 percent on a \$100,000 loan, for example, Latham said your principle payment would be \$878. By taking advantage of a 15-year fixed rate mortgage at 6.625 percent, Latham said the same \$100,000 loan principle payment would be \$878.

"You can cut the term of your mortgage in half and still keep the same payment," he said. "It appears that rates have bottomed out, so there's no time to wait."

## **Meissen-style figurine** was made in Germany

#### By Anne McCollam **Copley News Service**

9. I am enclosing a picture of facturer a porcelain figurine that I've had for a few years. It is marked on the bottom with a crown and the letter "S." There are two diagonal lines and one horizontal line through the S. I have been unsuccessful in identifying the origin and value

of my figurine. I hope you can give me some information. A. Your figurine was made by

Sitzendorf Porcelain Manufactory in Sitzendorf. Thuringia, Germany. This firm made porcelain figurines in the Meissen style.

The mark you described was used in the early 1900s. Your figurine would probably be worth about \$300 to \$325 in good condition.

9. I have a frosted glass dish in the shape of a shell. It is 5 inches in diameter. Engraved on the bottom are the words "Lalique-France." I think it is an oyster dish.

Can you tell me when it was made and how much it is worth?

A. Rene Lalique made fine glass in Paris, France, from the early 1900s. Although he died in 1945, Lalique glass is still being produced. He was known for his outstanding work in both art nouveau and art deco styles.

Those items marked "Lalique-France<sup>\*</sup> were made after 1945.

Yes, this is an oyster dish sometimes called a coquille. It would probably be worth about \$165 to \$195.

9. This mark is on the bottom of a vase that I bought at a church sale. The height is 7inches. It is decorated with hand-painted green leaves and a flower against a matte cream background. Green, blue and rust bands are at the top and the base. On each side there are small scroll-shaped handles.

A friend who collects art pottery told me that the pattern is "Bonito." Could you please give me some information on the manu-

#### ANTIQUES

and the value? A. Weller Pottery was foundeđ by Samuel A. Weller at

Fultonham, Ohio, in 1873. In 1882 the firm was moved to Zanesville, Ohio. Art pottery was first produced in 1993. "Bonito" was made from 1927 to 1933.

This mark was incised by hand and the letters "HP" are the initials of the artist Hester Pillsbury. She was highly regarded as an exceptionally talented artist.

Kyle Husfloen's The Antique Trader Antiques & Collectibles Price Guide, 1994" lists a "Bonito" vase similar to yours at \$120.

#### **BOOK REVIEW**

Wallace-Homestead Price Guide to American Country Antiques, 13th Edition<sup>-</sup> is by Don and Carol Raycraft and is published by Wallace-Homestead. It is available in antique shops and bookstores for \$15.95.

The Raycrafts tell the reader in their 13th edition of "Wallace-Homestead Price Guide to American Country Antiques" that they want "to provide you with the necessary background information to become a recognized national authority.

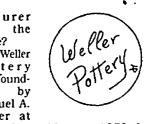
To facilitate their goal they share their expert advice. valuable tips and snappy humor.

The "Final Exam" at the end of the book should not be overlooked if you want to pass "Antiques 102.' I may have to pull an allnighter if I want to be on their honor roll.

Now what did I do with my cheat sheet?

Letters with pictures are welcome and may be answered in the column. We cannot reply personally or return pictures. Address your letters to Anne McCollam. P.O. Box 490, Notre Dame, IN 46556.







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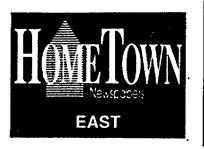
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# **Merry Maids** relieve you of housework

By RICK BYRNE Staff Writer

After a long day at work, you may not be feeling so merry. But you still have to face that mountain of housework on your days and evenings off.

That's the time to call Merry Maids. The new South Lyon business serves portions of Oakland and Livingston counties with home cleaning service.

Wouldn't it be great if someone else did the dusting, scrubbing, vacuuming and other chores while you were at work, so you could relax with your family at night? That's how Merry Maids works, according to franchise owner Denish Das.

This is his second Merry Maids franchise (the other is in Canton). Das said the bulk of his customers have been singles, two-income families or the elderly; anyone who either doesn't have the time, or doesn't want to do their own cleaning.

"I saw a need for a professional cleaning service, and I'm trying to fill that need," he said.

Customer service is nothing new to Das, who earned the start-up mo-

there for their children at the end of the school day.

The maids spend a full week in the classroom and on-the-job training. Their references, credibility and competence are checked before hiring, Das said, but then they are taught the Merry Maids method of cleaning. In teams of two, they attack dirt and grime following explicit company procedures and computerized

checklists. One team member handles the "wet tasks" such as the kitchen and

bathroom, while the other does the "dry tasks" like the living areas. They start at the top of each room and work down, vacuuming and dusting ceiling and wall corners, heat registers, picture frames, furniture and table-top items, before moving to

baseboards, floors and carpets. Merry Maids don't mop; they scrub floors the old fashioned way: on their hands and knees. The method isn't intended to be primitive, though.

We believe that mopping just pushes dirt around," Das said.

The teams even leave nifty little personal touches, like point-folding

Breakables are in good hands, as

ing teams, but expects to add more as The progress of every new team is his new business grows. checked, and spot-inspections of cleaned houses are made frequently

Costs are based on the size of the



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Denish Das, owner of the Merry Maid franchise in South Lyon.

Das said.

Das currently employs two clean-

tion in downtown South Lyon. A appointment.

Meny Maids has just erected a grand opening is scheduled for Mon: new sign at its 123 W. Lake St. loca- day, Feb. 28. Call 486-4404 for an





Photo by KRIS ANDERSON .

# Holiday season was even better than expected

Here's the final word on Michi-gan's Christmas shopping season: "even better than expected."

The annual post-holiday sales survey by Michigan Retailers Association (MRA) showed most stores' sales rose an average 16.5 percent over 1992 sales from Thanksgiving to Christmas.

The increase was even better than the optimistic 12 percent prediction made by the retailers in MRA's preholiday survey in early November. It was also a major factor in pushing total 1993 sales above 1992's totals.

\*Michigan retailers were optimistic going into the holidays-and they didn't come out disappointed. Sales were even better than expected for most retailers," said Larry Meyer. MRA Vice-Chairman and Chief Executive Officer.

\*Most retailers also entered the holiday season with 1993 sales ahead of 1992 sales. Strong holiday sales kept this year's total above the

92 totals," Meyer said. Statewide, 67 percent of MRA members reported holiday sales inpreases averaging 16.5 percent.

Lansing, Jackson and Battle Creek area retailers reported the best holiday season. Sixty eight percent of the retailers responding to the survey reported an average increase of 20.5 percent over 1992.

West Michigan recorded the highest percentage of retailers reporting increased sales. Seventy one percent of area retailers reported increases averaging 14 percent.

Seventy percent of Flint, Saginaw, Bay City and Midland area retailers reported average increases of 18 percent.

Sixty three percent of Southeast Michigan retailers reported increases averaging 14 percent.

Sixty two percent of Northern Michigan retailers reported increases averaging 17 percent.

\*Holiday sales were strong all across Michigan and significantly stronger than national figures," said Meyer. We believe this reflects a strengthening Michigan economy that is outperforming other parts of the nation."

An improved economy and greater 🔳 Southeast Michigan consumer confidence spurred shoppers' spending, the retailers said. They also cited their own larger inventories, more effective advertising

"Michigan retailers were optimistic going into the holidays — and they didn't come out disappointed. Sales were even better than expected for most retailers."

Larry Meyer Vice-Chairman and Chief Executive Officer,

Michigan Retailers Associaton

as chief reasons for the double-digit increases.

The percentage of reatilers reporting year-end sales increases ranged from 75 percent in the Lansing-Jackson-Battle Creek area to 57 percent in Northern Michigan.

More than 400 retailers participated in the annual mail survey, which began the first week of January.

Meyer said the survey's statewide 16.5 percent figure was consistent with a smaller but more detailed analysis of 125 members' actual credit card sales for the holiday season. That study showed same-store sales up 14.2 percent over last year.

Details of the latest survey are attached.

Michigan Retailers Association represents more than 3,900 retail companies operating more than 5.500 stores across Michigan. It is the largest state retail trade organization in the United States.

Michigan Retailers Association 1993 post-holiday survey results:

Statewide

Retailers realizing holiday sales increase 67 percent.

Average increase 16.5 percent. Retailers reporting year-end increase 66 percent.

#### Retailers realizing holiday sales decade. increase 63 percent. Average increase 14.18 percent. Retailers reporting year-end in-

# Get education with assistance

**Money Management** 

The federal government allocates some \$18.4 billion for student financial assistance each year and is expected to set aside a similar amount in the coming year. To take advan-tage of this available funding, the Mi-chigan Association of Certified Public Accountants recommends that interested students complete financial aid applications as soon as possible. Here is what's available to qualified students and their families

#### STAFFORD LOANS

The largest number of student loans are Stafford Loans (formerly Guaranteed Student Loans). These loans are made by a lender, such as a bank, credit union or savings and loan association. Repayment of the loan, however, is guaranteed by the federal government. You must begin to pay the loan back six months after you graduate or withdraw from school. Interest rates on Stafford Loans are generally low, although you may have to pay an origination fee of 5 percent. This fee is deducted proportionately from each loan disbursement made to you.

#### PLUS AND SLS LOANS

Like Stafford Loans, PLUS Loans

and Suppliment Loans for Students (SLS) are made by a lender. However, interest rates are usually higher. PLUS enables parents to borrow up to \$4,000 per year, for a total of \$20,000 for each child who is a dependent student and is enrolled in a college or university at least halftime. SLS enables graduate and independent undergraduate students to borrow the same amounts, and like PLUS loans, comes with variable interest rates. Generally, PLUS and SLS borrowers must begin repaying both principal and interest within 60 days after the loan disbursement.

#### PELL GRANTS

A Pell Grant is an award to help undergraduates pay for their education. Unlike loans, these grants do

available through programs administered by schools. These include a Supplemental Educational Grant (SEOG) for undergraduates with exceptional financial needs; lowinterest Perkins Loans, available to both graduate and undergraduate students through a school's financial aid office; and the College Work Study Program which provides jobs for undergraduate and graduate students who need financial aid.

#### Eligibility requirements

Except for PLUS and SLS loans, federal student financial aid is awarded on the basis of financial need. Applicants must also be U.S. citizens with a high school diploma or General Education Development Certificate. If you do not have either of these certificates, you must take a test designed to measure your ability to benefit the education you are seek-

making satisfactory academic progress.

#### How to apply

You can obtain a federal financial aid form from your high school gui-dance counselor or a college financial aid office. Generally, it take four weeks for your application to be processed, at which time you will receive a Student Ald Report (SAR). The SAR will contain the information you gave on your application. plus numbers that tell you about your eligibility for specific federal aid programs.

If you feel you have special circumstances that migh affect your eligibility for finacial assistance, the Michigan Association of CPAs recommends that you speak to your financial aid administrator. After considering the specific circumstances, the administrator may reduce the amount you and your family are expected to contribute to your education.

This article was prepared by the Michigan Association of Certified Public Accountants.

# Down payment is biggest obstacle

For many Americans, owning their own home is so important they'd commute an extra hour a day. Or take a second job. Or even put off retirement.

By a 3-1 margin, Americans would rather own a home than retire 10 years early, according to a survey conducted for the Federal National Mortgage Association, or Fannie Mae.

By a 4-1 margin they would rather own a home some distance from work than rent within easy commuting distance.

By a 4-1 margin they would rather own a home than take a better job in a city in which they could afford only to rent, the poll found. And, by a greater. than 2-1 margin, they believe owning a home is worth taking a second job. if that's what's necessary.

Still, the Census Bureau says Americans were less likely to own a home at the end of the 1980s than they were a decade earlier. The number of those who owned their own homews droped 1.7 percent over that

biggest barrier to home ownership is affordable housing. Seven out of eight respondents identified affordability as a "serious problem."

In fact, the survey added, by a 3-1 margin they identify it as one of the two or three most serious problems" facing the United States.

The major stumbling block is the inability to make the down payment and pay the closing costs, the survey showed. And that stumbling block was higher for minorities than for whites.

While 47 percent of whites identify having enough to make the downpayment and closing costs as a major impediment, that figure is 66 for blacks and 59 percent for Hispanics," the survey found.

Respondents said income, credit worthiness and job security were other barriers to home ownership.

The Census Bureau said that the median mortgage at the beginning of this decade was \$737 a month, up 26.9 percent from ten years earlier,

The Fannie Mae survey found the same time, the median household income totaled \$30,056 a year earlier. down 18.5 percent from a decade earlier.

The median means that half of the mortgages cost more and halfless, or that half of the households earned more and half less.

Despite the overwhelming desire to own a home, the Fannie Mae survey showed there were some risks that most Americans would not take.

By a 4-1 margin, Americans say it is not worth it to financially overextend themselves to own a home, it found. Only one in three thought it was worth it to place a young child in day care so the mother could work. even if this was a necessary step to become a homeowner.

The more unlikely a person was to have sufficient funds, the greater the desire for home ownership, the survey showed.

While owning your own home' was considered one of their most important long-term goals by 60 percent of those in the lowest income brackets, It was declared as such by only 31

percent of those in the highest," it said.

Blacks are more willing than either whites or Hispanics to make certain major concessions to become homeowners, the study found. Blacks are more prepared to take a second job or put a young child in day care, if that's what it takes.

The survey showed that 80 percent of Americans Identify the traditional single-family detached home with a yard as the ideal place to live. But nearly 75 percent of them said living in a good neighborhood was more important than living in a good house.

The poll of 1,521 people, con-ducted by Hart-Teeter Research, was weighted to reflect the 64-36 split between homeowners and renters.

Fannie Mae is a congressionally chartered, but shareholder-owned company that finances one in every eight single-family home purchases. It buys mortgages from lenders, holding some in its own portfolio and packaging others for resale to investors.



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## **Business Briefs**

RICHARD LEIGHTON has joined Bloomfield Hills-based First Security Savings Bank as Manager of Corporate Training. The announcement was made by Mark Hammond, Executive Vice President of First Security.

One of the nation's leaders in mortgage lending. First Security takes pride in its commitment to offering comprehensive employee training and education programs, which in turn support and maintain quality customer service and excellence in performance standards.

\*First Security believes that nationally recognized corporations, who stand out as leaders in their fields, do so because their employees are skilled in the areas necessary to consistently meet and exceed customer expectations," explains Leighton, who will oversee the design and implementation of formalized training programs for First Security's 900-plus employees. He will also coordinate in-house seminars by prominent outside sources from within the mortgage banking industry.

Prior to joining First Security, Leighton served as Special Projects Administrator and Business Instructor for FTD International Headquarters in Southfield.

A resident of Milford, Leighton has earned a B.S. in Communications/ Marketing from Eastern Michigan University and a Master's of Education from Wayne State University. He is also an active member of the American Society for Training and Development (ASTD) and the National Society for Performance and Instruction (NSPI).

First Security Savings Bank is privately held savings bank with headquarters in Bloomfield Hills, Michigan. In a recent five-year perfor-

## Bureau debunks top five consumer myths

In 1993, nearly 300,000 consumers called the Better Business Bureau's (BBB) 24-hour telephone line; - ; many of these callers confused standard business practices with laws enacted to regulate business, according to Thomas Ashcraft, BBB President. To help correct these misconceptions, the BBB has compiled announced 1993's five most frequent business myths.

Myth No. 1: Consumers have three business days to cancel contracts.

The Home Solicitation Sales Act of 1971, does not provide full protection for consumers who sign contracts. Ashcraft said this law was enacted primarily to protect consumers



JOHN O'REILLY

mance analysis of the nation's Top 500 National Savings Institutions (Thrifts), First Security Savings Bank ranked first in Return on Equity (ROE) and second in Return on As-sets (ROA). The company has financed \$3.8 billion in mortgages during the first nine months of this year and currently services more than \$4.9 billion in mortgage loans.

Northville resident MARILYN DYER has joined St. Mary Hospital as director of quality improvement. In this newly-created position, Dyer supports and directs hospital-wide quality improvements activities. Dyer was most recently director of medical re-

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cords, utilization review and quality assessment at Detroit Osteopathic Hospital in Highland Park, where she worked for 10 years. For two years prior to joining DOH she served as director of Medical Records for Pontiac Nursing Center, a 300-bed extended care facility. A registered record administrator, Dyer received a bachelor's degree in medical record administration from Mercy College of Detroit. She also attended Wayne State University College of Nursing.

Walled Lake resident WILLIAM J. AUSTIN was elected to serve as a board member of the Michigan Credit Union League representing credit

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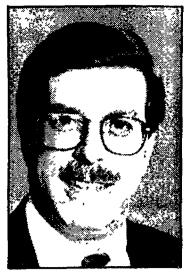
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unions in western Wayne county. As a director, Austin holds an important role in the governing of the MCUL. Founded in 1934, the MCUL is the primary trade association representing credit unions in Michigan.



**RICHARD LEIGHTON** 

Northville resident JOHN O'REILLY, a certified public accountant with Guardian Industries in Novi, was recently named chairman of the St. Mary Hospital Board of Trustees. O'Reilly has served on the

St. Mary Hospital Board since March 1990. He received his B.A. in financial administration from Michigan State University and his MBA in business administration and accounting from Eastern Michigan University.

HIGHLAND DODGE, at 2565 Highland Road in Highland, has announced a major expansion of its dealership.

Owner Edward V. Sauer has a newly expanded inventory lot for storage of 300 automobiles, owning to the doubling of his business in the last year. More building expansion is planned for the spring of 1994. The dealership boasts an award-winning 5-Star service department, and provides shuttle service for customers.

Sauer, who learned the auto sales business through the Rinke organization and the Falvey Motor Group, has owned Highland Dodge for eight years. He regularly donates cars for community event parades.

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against high pressure sales that take place in the home. Extended warranties on automobiles, service agreements for computers or other contracts signed at a normal place of business are not covered by law. Other exemptions include purchases less than \$25, real estate or insurance transactions.

Myth No. 2: Retailers are required to give refunds or exchanges.

"Retailers with liberal refund and exchange policies believe they help build customer loyalty, but merchants looking to minimize expenses may make all sales final," Ashcraft said. "Ultimately, it is the consumer's responsibility to ask about these policles before making a purchase."

Myth No. 3: "As is" merchandise car-ries standard guarantees.

Respected auto dealers, furniture and appliance stores sell used, irregular, or close out products on an "As is" basis. Stores' refund, exchange and repair policies do not apply to this merchandise, Ashcraft said.

Myth No. 4: People with no jobs, no credit or bad credit can get loans.

Qualifying for a loan can be difficult under any circumstances, but it is particularly challenging for these people," Ashcraft explained. "Firms that lend money to poor credit risks sometimes ask for as much as \$15,000 in collateral to ensure they are covered against loss."

Myth No. 5: All job advertisements are viable.

\*Consumers who responded to work-at-home ads for envelope stuffers, reported to us that after they paid the up-front fee, they were sent instructions on how to set up their own envelope stuffing business rather than receiving envelopes to stuff as they expected.

He explained that companies advertising guaranteed jobs request an advance processing fee of \$25 to \$75. Consumers responding to these ads have been sent tips on how to write resumes as well as the names and addresses of companies in particular industries. Some of these companies may have openings, but none offer guaranteed employment to job seekers.



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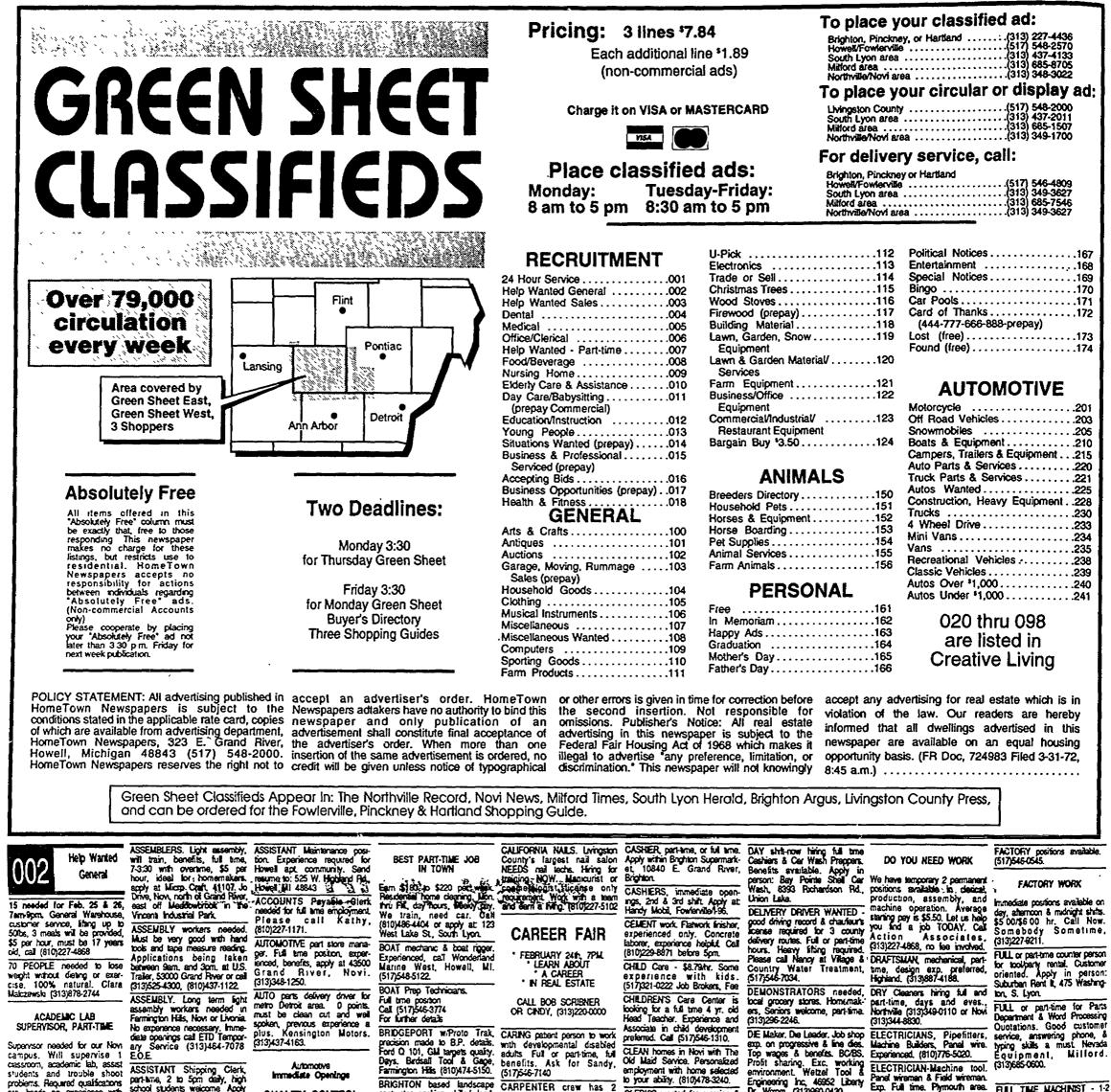
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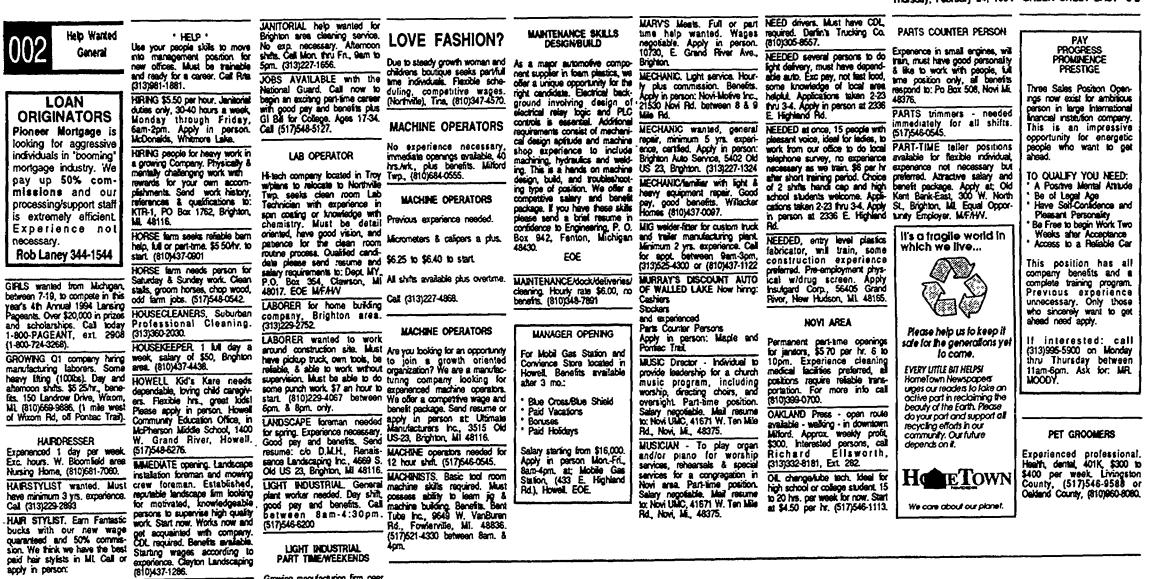
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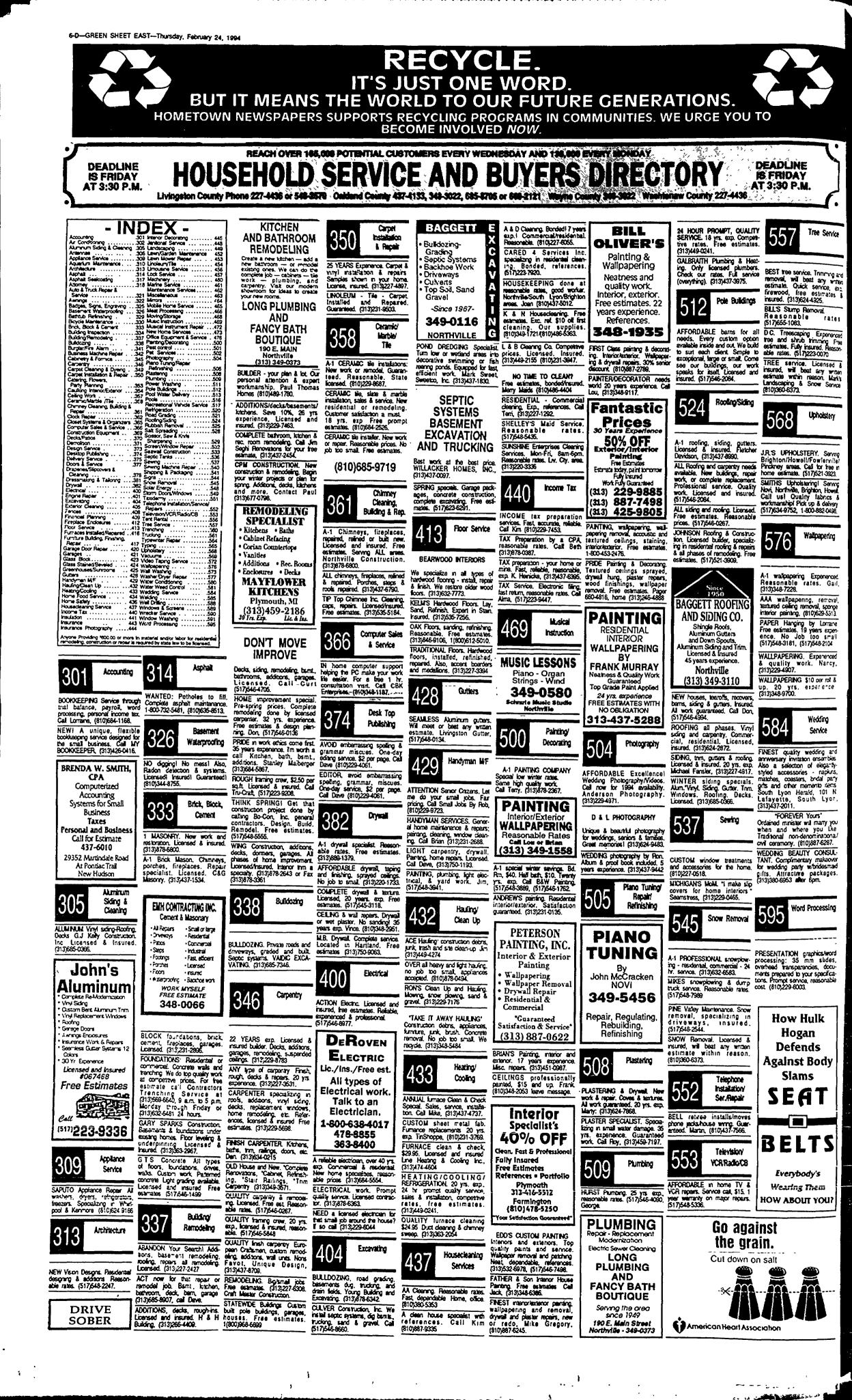


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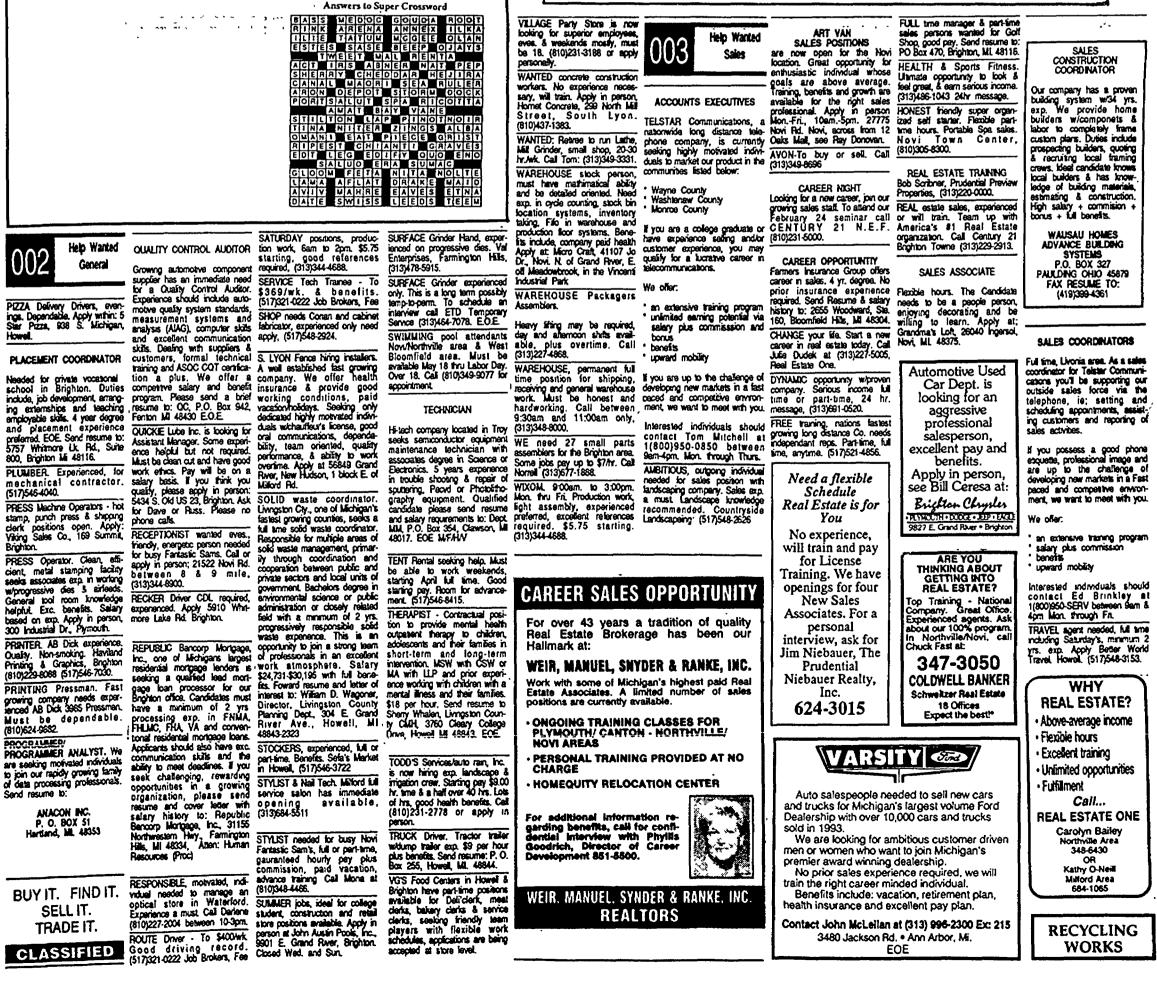






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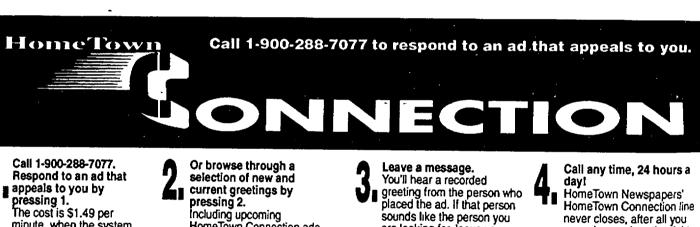
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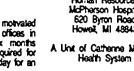
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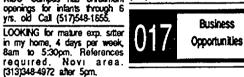
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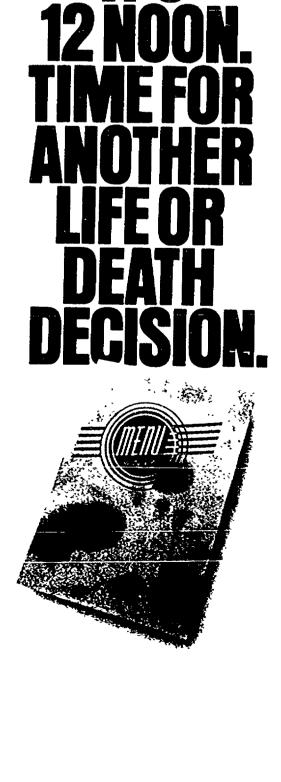
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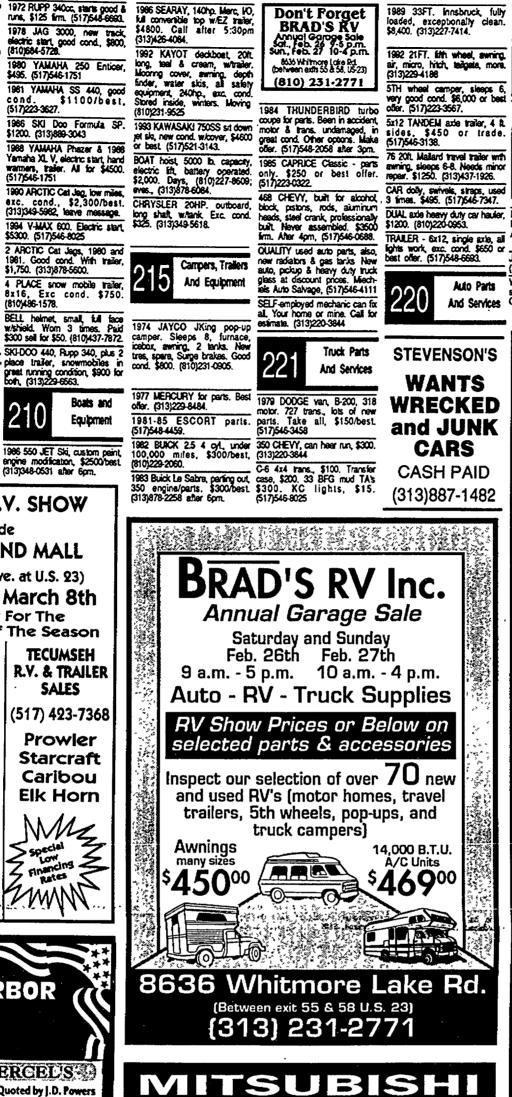
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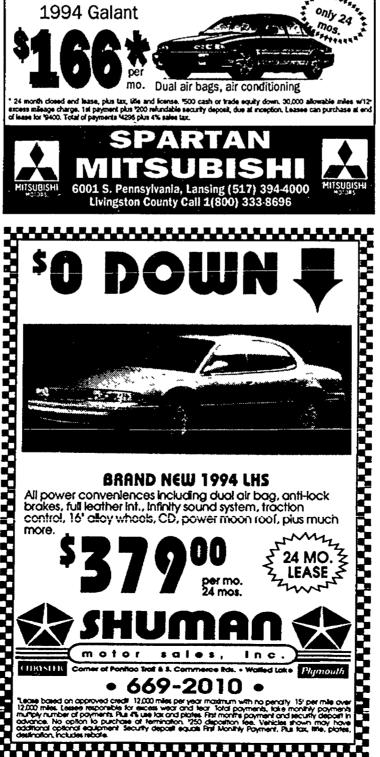
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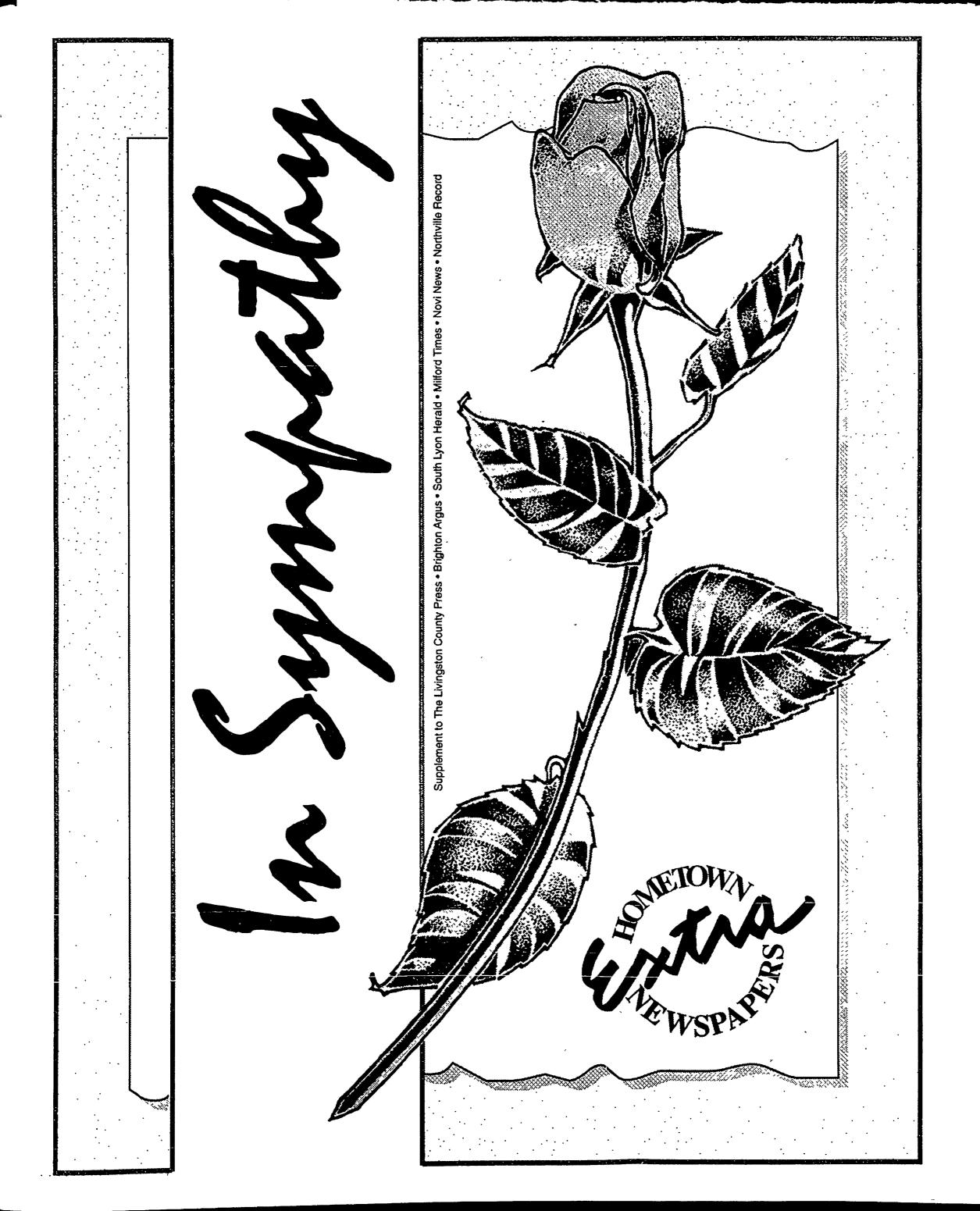
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# SYMPATHY '94 How to pass on savings wisely

#### By Sharon Achatz

Copley News Service

It's true you can t take it with you, and most folks really wouldn t want to even if they should. After a lifetime of building up assets, most people dream of being able to pass on savings and personal items to heirs.

All it takes to make that dream a reality is some careful estate planning. Unfortunately, misconceptions about those two words estate planning— prevent many folks from maximizing their estate for their heirs.

One common misconception is that estate planning is only for the wealthy.

No estate is too small for a will, which allows a person to choose his heirs and provide for the disposal of property and assets per his wishes. A will also provides a forum for addressing funeral and burial issues or other business interests, including naming an executor for the estate.

While the trend is to select a child or spouse as executor, it may be more beneficial to the estate to employ someone who s better able to handle all that the job entails

The executor typically: gathers and values assets: files returns for income; estate and inheritance taxes, pays those taxes: distributes assets. If a family member lacks the financial background or time for such tasks, bank trust departments and other financial professionals often offer such services for a fee.

Another common mistake is that most folks underestimate the value of their estate, which can lead to the imposition of federal estate taxes that can severely diminish—if not entirely deplete— the heir's benefits.

In addition to federal taxes, estates also are subject to state inheritance taxes. income taxes, attorney fees, court costs. funeral expenses and outstanding debts.

Besides depleting the amount left to distribute among survivors, such costs also can require a substantial amount of cash that may not be available if estate assets are not liquid. In some instances, for example, families have been forced to sell businesses or homes to pay taxes.

An estate valued at less than \$600,000 is exempt from federal estate tax, but every dollar above that is taxed at rates higher than the highest federal income-tax levels. Before you fall into the trap of saying, "I know my estate is worth less than that", carefully consider hidden sources of estate value such as life insurance policies, retirement plan benefits, securities. real estate, automobiles, jewelry, etc. Many people who consider themselves to be of modest means may find that their net worth is much more than they thought once they add up all the assets. In cases where net worth is near or above that \$600,000 mark, financial professionals can help you set up legal devices such as trust funds to minimize your estate s tax liability. An attorney can help you draft a will or set up trusts, and other financial pros can aid in setting up monetary gifts and life insurance policies.

Here s a description of some such monevsaving options:

• Gifts: Some individuals reduce their net worth through financial gifts to their children. The law allows individuals to give up to \$10.000 per ,year per heir free of gift tax.

Some people also reduce their net worth by making charitable contributions.

• Joint tenancy with spouse or children: In this legal agreement, ownership of savings accounts or real or personal property is held jointly. At the death of one owner, the assets pass to the survivor without having to go through probate, a process that is both timeconsuming (nine months to a year and expensive (court fees are taken off the top as well as a percentage of the estate for both the executor and the attorney)

• Estate insurance: A common way to protect a large estate from high taxes is to purchase an insurance policy that provides liquidity for an estate---money that can be used to pay taxes, probate costs and other expenses for the estate.

• Trust funds: These legal entities separate the powers of ownership from the benefits of ownership in order to allow the transfer of wealth from generation to generation with the least amount of tax consequences. The person who sets up the fund has control over how the money is managed and eventually disbursed but can not use it for himself. After his death, the assets pass to the beneficiaries.

Testamentary trusts are part of a will and don t take effect until they have passed through probate. Living trusts are entities into which assets can be transferred while a person is living and have the benefit of passing or. to beneficiaries without the expense and hassle of probate.

With revocable trusts, the grantor can change the terms and beneficiaries at will and be as involved or uninvolved as he wishes in managing the assets. An irrevocable trust, however, transfers assets permanently and without the possibility of change. The grantor gives Up all control but gains tax benefits as only the original assets are considered part of the taxable estate. Income and appreciation aren't subject to estate tax. Trusts can be tailored for specific situations, as well. If an heir is not financially responsible, for example, a grantor can dictate that the trust be distributed only to pay for college costs. Or that only a certain amount of money can be taken from the trust each year.

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If an heir makes so much money that leaving him additional assets would only add to his estate problems, generation-skipping trust may be a solution. This trust gives a child the income from the assets. but the assets themselves are held in trust for grandchildren.

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## SYMPATHY '94 When a good friend dies

#### **By Letitia Baldrige**

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When someone dies, the devastation in the family—and in the circle of close friends—feels at the time as though it will be a permanent state of being. Thank heavens, life does go on for those left behind—but it goes on a lot easier if family members and well-meaning friends are sensitive to the needs of the bereaved person.

Everyone is different and must be judged as individuals. What works in consoling one might not with another.

One person will want to talk about the person who just died naturally and continually, as though there is no other subject worth discussing. Another person will be just the opposite, preferring to keep the feelings down under, strictly controlled.

Perhaps as good friends, the only thing we can really do is listen —to pick up little cues from the person's conversation, to listen to little cries of help in telephone conversations and to catch a look of fright and hopelessness in his or her eyes all of a sudden.

If your friend is a religious person, now is the time to toss the ball of his faith — hard, right at him—and hope that he catches it. It will help him immeasurably.

In talking to people who have lost  $s_{p}^{p}$  uses, parents and children recently, there has been a general agreement that right after death occurred in that family, these services were really appreciated:

• An offer to take the children at any point during the first week, whether it's to baby-sit them in the bereaved's home,

take them to school and to sports or take them to your own house to sleep over for a couple of days.

• An offer to answer the telephones at the house when the death occurs, to relay all the messages, and to keep records of who called, who sent Mailgrams, faxes, notes, cards, Mass cards and flowers as the word got around.

• Assistance with compiling the biography of the bereaved if that person is prominent enough to have the newspapers want to write an article on his or her death.

• Writing and placing the appropriate paid death notice in the newspapers.

• Carrying out the bereaved's wishes if there are donations to be made in the deceased's name, including contacting the organization, getting the information into the paid death notice and handling the necessary red tape involved.

• Assistance in making all the arrangements with the funeral home and interment authorities.

• An offer to call all the family members and close friends around the country to apprise them of the funeral or memorial service plans, so they can attend, if possible.

• Help with organizing the memorial service, including lining up the people who will give eulogies.

• Inviting the one left behind to lunch and dinner regularly—and keeping in touch through the months ahead. A telephone call to ask. 'How's it going?" is important, and an invitation to "Come on over Sunday, watch the game and have supper with us" will be something very precious to your friend.

Q. I cry too much at funeral services, get completely

out of control and openly sob. I'd like to explain to my friend in advance why I can not go through with the services for her husband so she won't feel badly that I'm not there. Is this the proper way to handle it?

A. The proper way to handle it is to take a box of tissues with you to the services and sit in the back far corner row of the church — where you will be inconspicuous but also present.

Q. What if you don't have a charity to suggest as the recipient of any donations made in the name of your wife'!

A. Put in the newspaper death notice that 'donations may be made in her memory to a charity of your choice."

Q. My family is coming from all over, and so are friends of ours, to our child's funeral. We can't afford to entertain them—even to feed them after the funeral. I don't know what to do.

A. This is what friends are for. Have them organize a lunch after the services in someone s home. Everyone except you can bring a dish. If you can't swing the after-services lunch, then it should be done for you. It s important for family and friends from out of town to be able to see and talk to you both and help you through these terrible days.

Letitia Baldrige is the author of numerous books, including -The Complete Guide to the New Manners for the ".90s" and "The Complete Guide to Executive planners." Write Copley News Service, P.O. Box 190, San Diego, CA



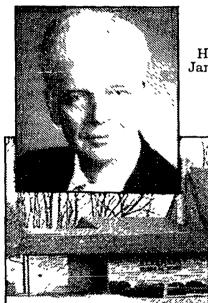
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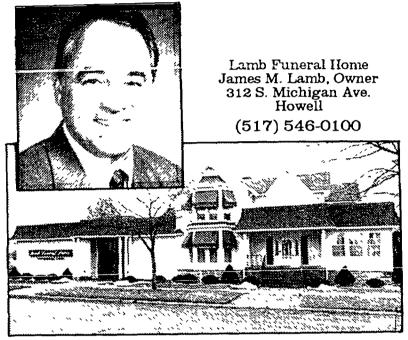
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# How to cope with loss of loved one

#### **By Sharon Achatz**

Copley News Service

No loss can compare to that of losing a loved one, and there's no ordeal more personal than coping with the accompanying grief.

There is, however, a lot of advice available for those who want help. Many local agencies and hospitals have counselors and support groups that specialize in managing grief, and bookstores are filled to the brim with helpful tomes. Here's a partial list:

"Widowed" by Joyce Brothers (Ballantine), "Afterloss: A Recovery Companion for Those Who are Grieving" by Barbara Hills Les Strang (Thomas Nelson Publishers), "Seven Choices: Taking the Steps to New Life After Losing Someone You Love" by Elizabeth Harper Neeld (Delb) and "Life After Loss" by Bob Deits (FisherBooks).

#### **EMBRACING GRIEF**

One piece of recurring advice is that of giving yourself permission to cry and grieve, even embracing grief to the point that you communicate with it in writing Deits suggests that a daily grief journal should include each of the following items:

• A significant event that happened today.

• The person who was most important to me today

Changes I observe happening to me now

• My plans for tomorrow.

• Notes to myself.

According to Deits: "Writing down the events of each day gives these events significance. Thinking about people who are important to you keeps you from further loneliness. Always noting your plans for the next day encourages a positive direction."

#### THE ART OF CONDOLENCE

What also seems to help are the kind words and deeds of family members and friends.

Unfortunately, many people are at a loss as to what to do and say to offer support and comfort—after all, they can't bring back the dead and can't take away the bereaved's grief.

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The book "The Art of Condolence: What to Write, Say and Do at a Time of Loss" by Leonard M. Zunin and Hilary Stanton Zunin (Harper-Collins), however, is full of compassionate and practical suggestions. Among them:

Respond promptly. Don't delay writing for fear of saying the wrong thing, but don't tell the person how to feel or what to do. Do write a note even if you've sent flowers.

Think of what you want to say, not the "proper" way to say it. Write naturally, as if you were speaking, and mention special qualities and memories of the deceased — how the person influenced your life or personal traits you admired

Provide specific assistance, such as offering to make phone calls, help the bereaved clean house, prepare a meal or meals, make travel plans, house-sit during the funeral or any of a number of other items listed in an entire chapter on actions from the heart

Continue to offer help and "be there" in the weeks and months following the death, perhaps extending invitations to help guide a friend back into the world "Grieving is a long-term process" explain the Zunins, "and people need repeated contacts from those who

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"The changes that mark your progress through grief come slowly. You may think you are making no progress at all and become more discouraged At times like these, reading back through your journal will help you remember ... how far you have really come."

Deits continues: "I suggest you make your journal entries in the evening because when you are struggling with grief, the evenings are almost always the most difficult time of the day. By intentionally focusing on your grief at this time, you take charge of your experience. I call it de-spooking the evenings. It works." care about them "

The book offers much more, including: sample letters, suggestions for helping children cope, special advice for situations such as suicide, resources and recommended read-

ings.

#### PRACTICALITY REIGNS

Aside from coping with a deep and shocking sense of loss, grieving people also must handle the practical matters of death such as funeral arrangements, obituaries and settling personal affairs and

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#### finances.

To get the name of a reputable funeral home, consult with friends, relatives or clergy. A reputable firm can smooth the difficulties of choosing the type of service, style of casket or urn and type of monument or headstone---- as well as assist in preparing and placing an obituary in the newspaper. The cost of the funeral and burial generally is paid by the person's estate and is often covered under his life insurance policy.

It's essential to locate the will as soon as possible after a death. Not only does it provide for the distribution of assets, but it also may include directives on the deceased's wishes for burial. Wills usually are kept with important papers at home, with a lawyer or in a safe-deposit box. If there is no will, the state sets a priority of distribution among surviving family members and appoints an administrator to distribute the assets and pay

#### bills and taxes.

To ease these issues, many people plan ahead for their death by pre-purchasing cemetery plots and monuments and writing up wills that outline funeral service requests as well as distribute assets. Pre-planning not only spares surviving family members additional burden in their time of grief, but also ensures that the person's burial and distribution of assets are completed according to his wishes.

Pre-planning also is a vital issue in cases of terminal illness in which a person may wish to have the right to choose when to die. A so-called living will could permit the termination of life-support measures or even request assisted suicide.

Two books outlining opposing points of view on this controversial issue include "Final Exit" by Derek Humphry (Dell Trade) and "When Is It Right to Die?" by Joni Eareckson Tada (Harper Collins).

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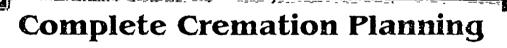
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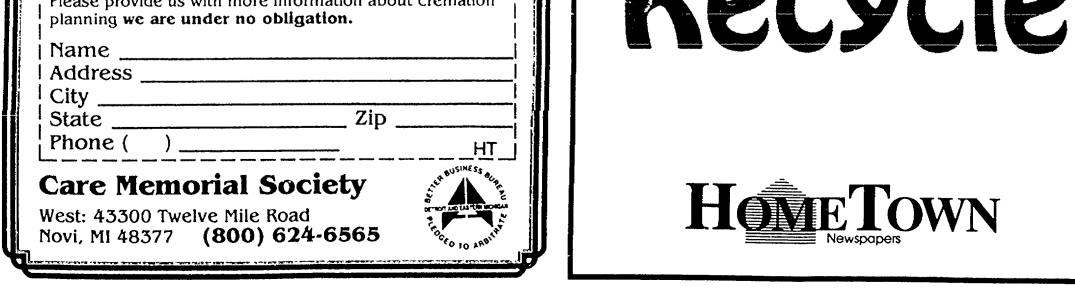
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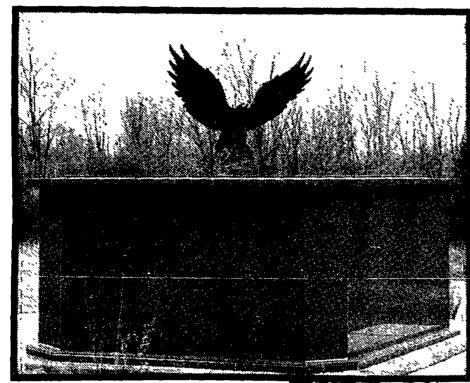


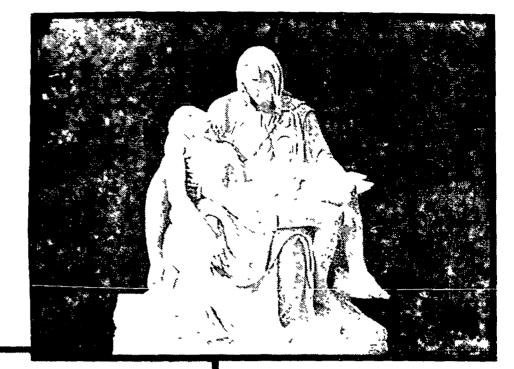
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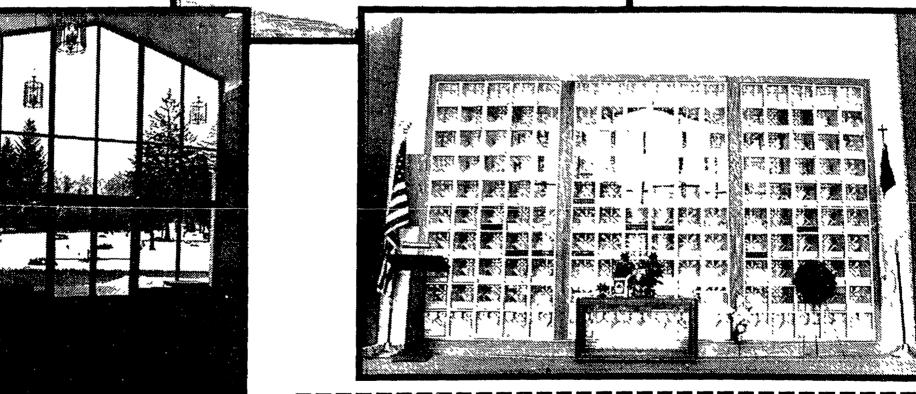
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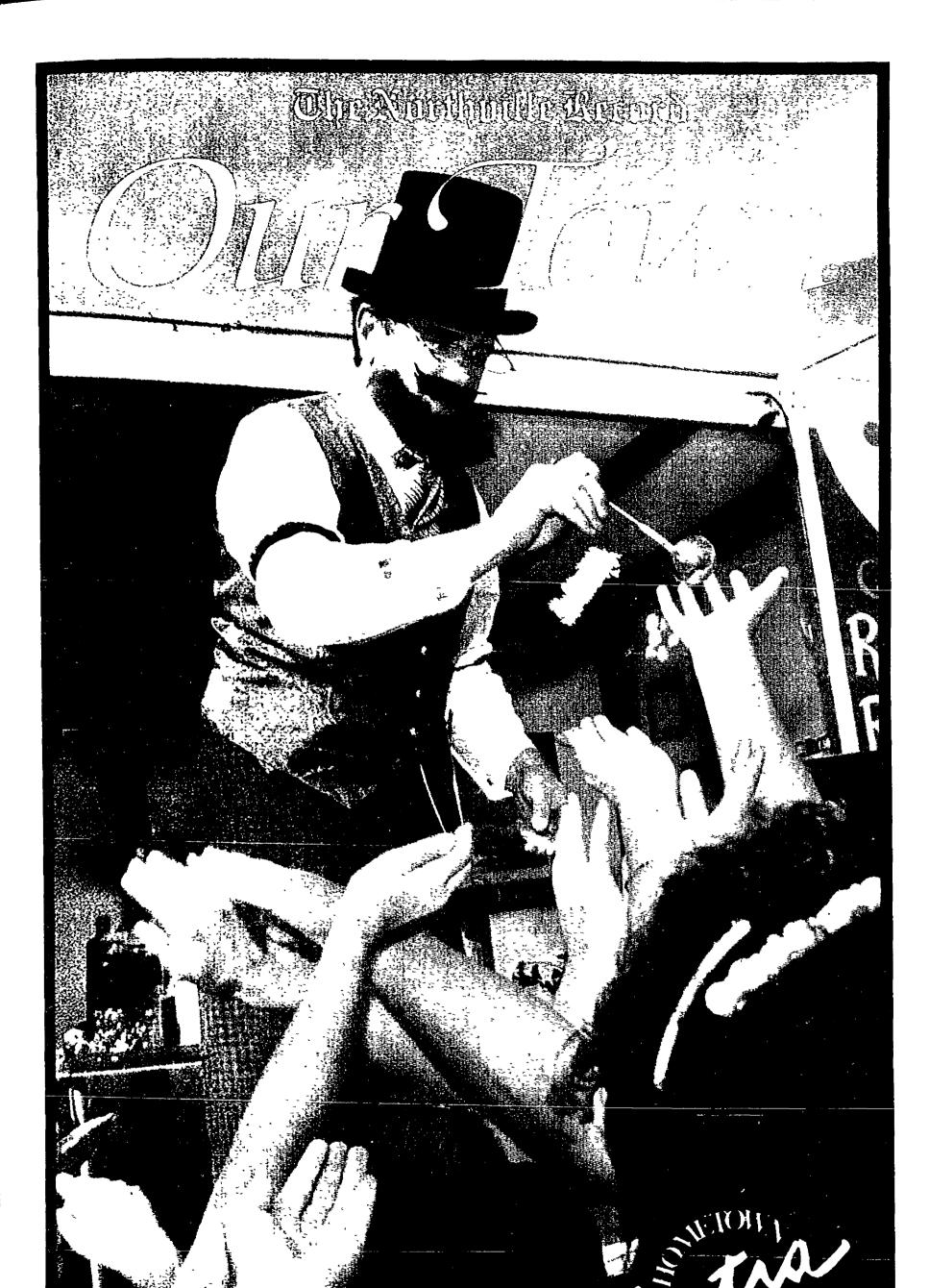
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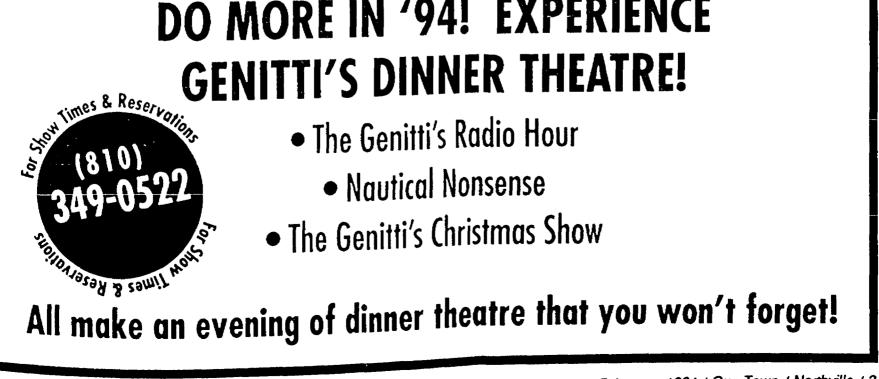


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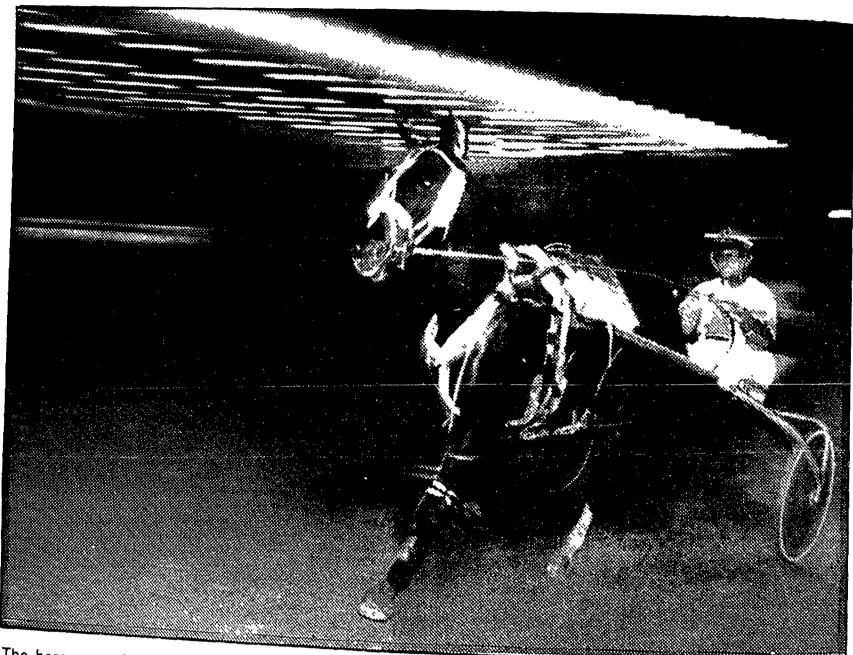
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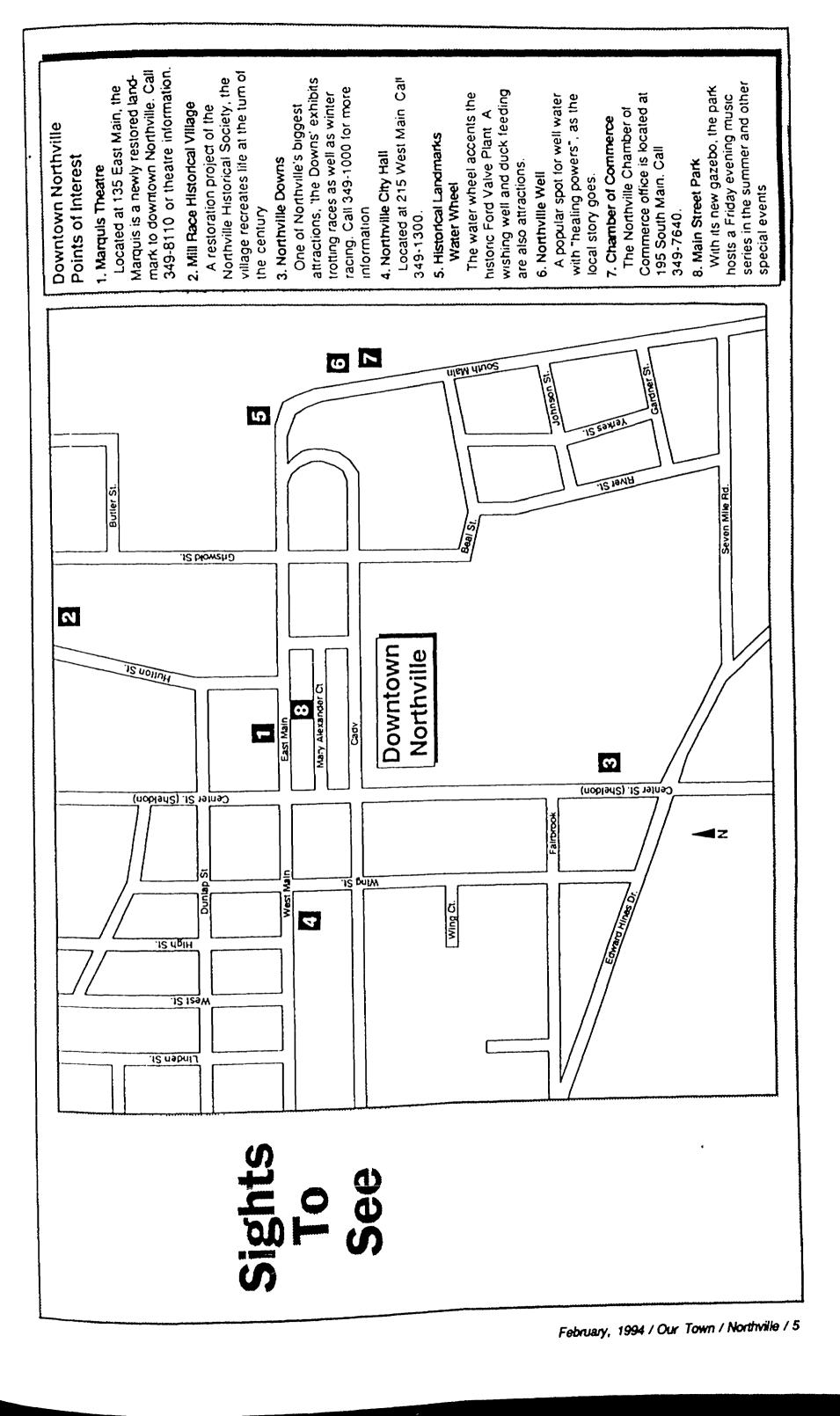
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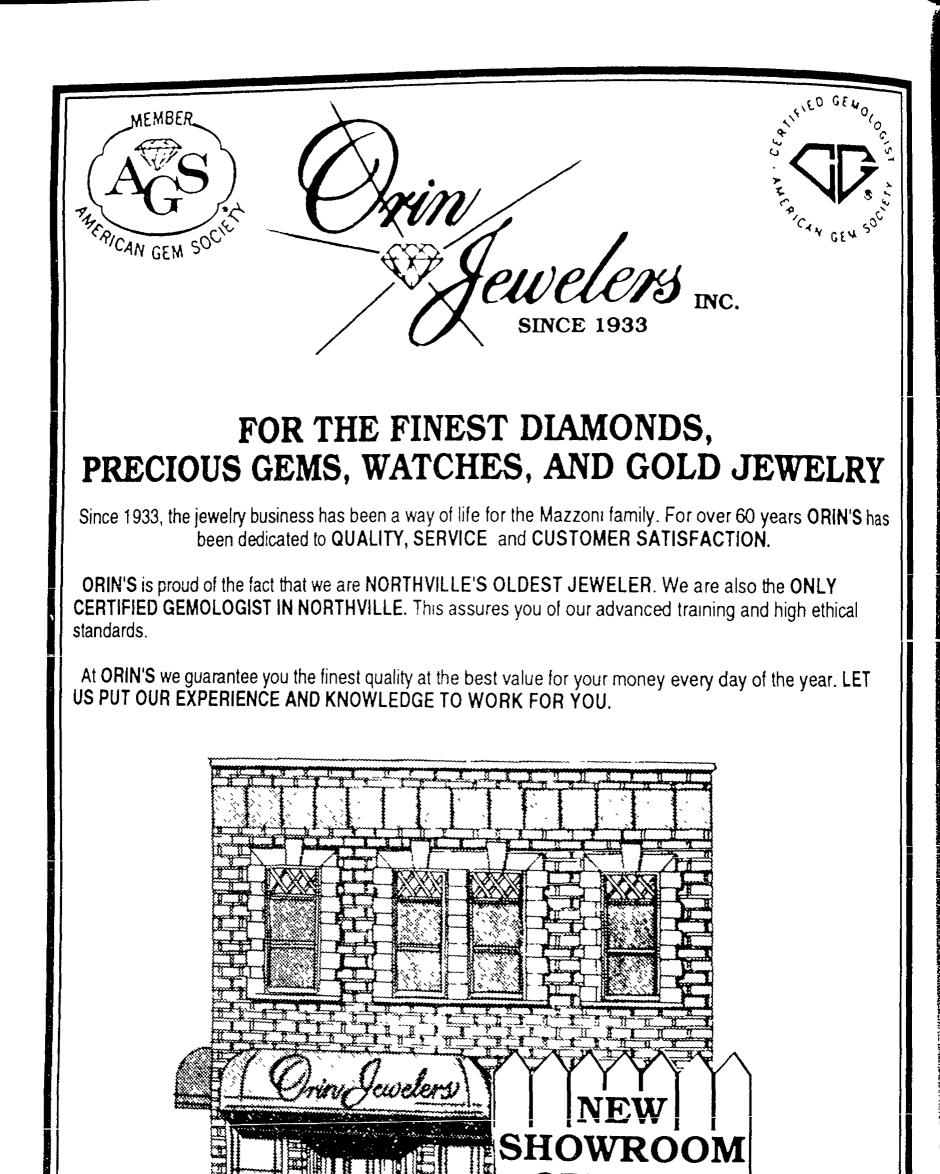


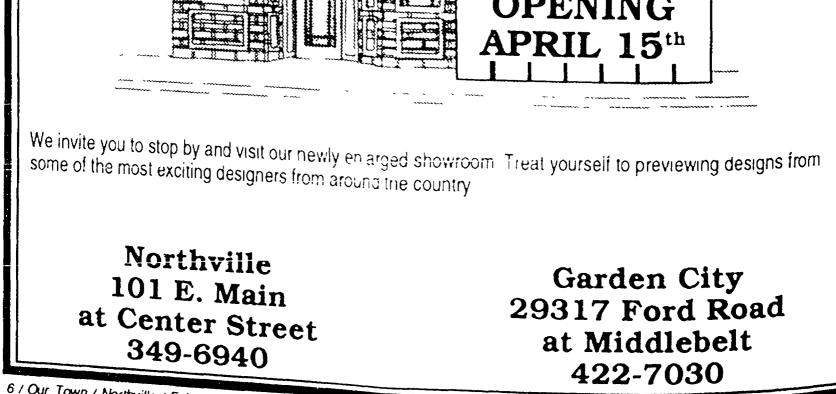
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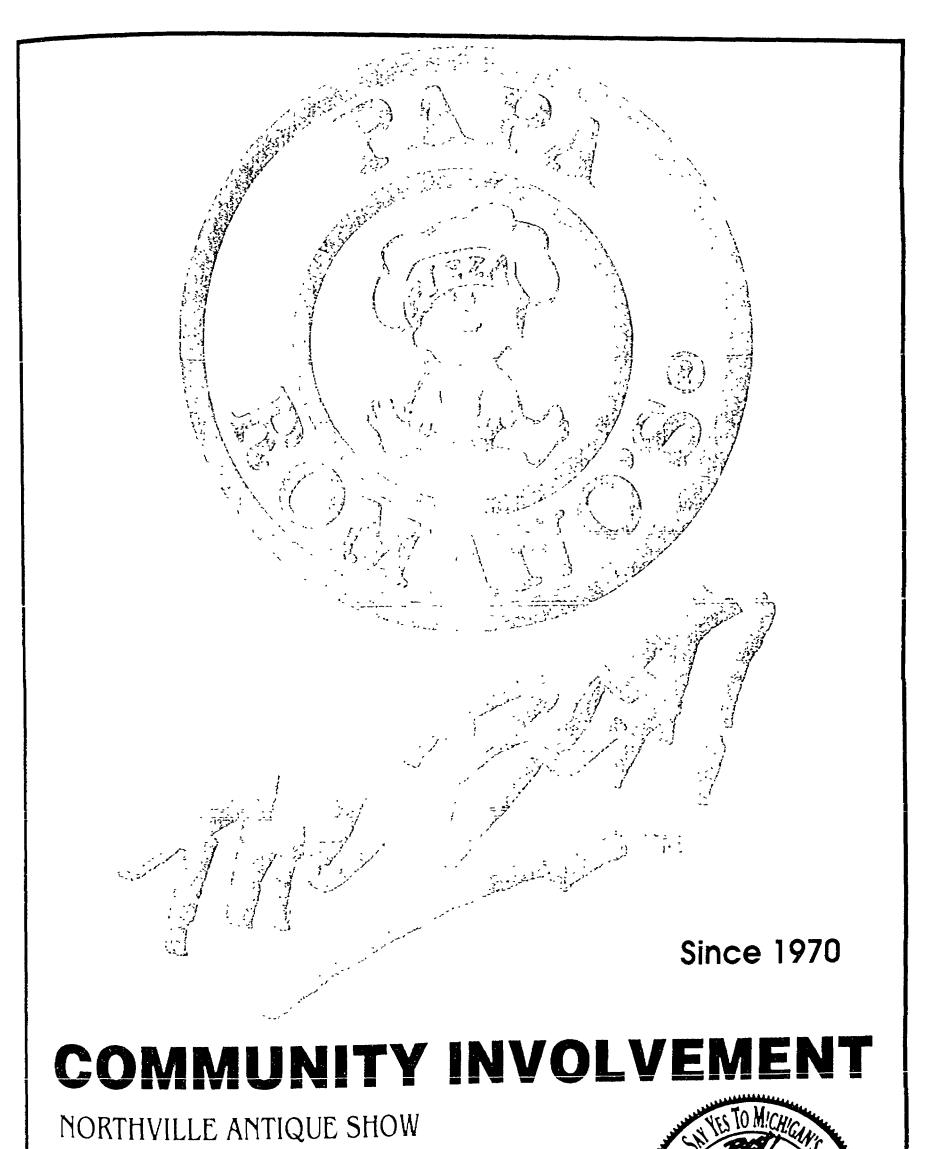
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## Welcome FROM THE CHAMBER

On behalf of the Northville Community Chamber of Commerce, it is my pleasure to welcome you to our community.

The Northville Chamber of Commerce is a community-wide organization of business people dedicated to improving the quality of life and business in Northville.

One of the most important functions of the Chamber is providing programs for the business community. The Northville Chamber presents informative programs on a variety of topics for professionals, small business owners and managers. These programs are offered to aid members in networking, understanding legislative issues of interest to the business community, advertising, recycling, goal setting, effective business communication, and other topics of professional development. Breakfast and evening activities are offered to provide members with a diverse range of opportunities to learn, socialize and network with other professionals.

Pressure-sensitive labels are available for members at a discounted price. In addition, brief demographic studies are compiled on the Northville Community. The Chamber also compiles a listing of churches, clubs, apartments, realtors, doctors, dentists, schools, and restaurants for the entire community. The Community Calendar, another Chamber resource, lists and promotes all events and tourist attractions in the Northville community.

Among the activities directed by the chamber are sponsorship of community events, including the following:

• Art in the SUN: A fine arts/crafts event. This year, Art in the Sun takes place June 25-26 throughout the downtown area.

• Golf Outing: The Chamber invites the community to participate in a day of golf and camaraderie in June.

• Christmas Walk: The Chamber annually sponsors a downtown Christmas Walk the Sunday before Thanksgiving, Nov. 20 this year. It is a time when Northville comes alive with lights, decorated windows, and special shopping hours.

 Farmers' Market: Area farmers sell fresh produce, plants, baked items and poultry every Thursday, May through October.



Laurie Marrs

weekend of old-fashioned family fun.

The events begin Friday with a Victorian parade through the historic district of Northville. The Victorian homes and tree-lined streets of our community are the perfect setting for a return to the romanticera of yesteryear. On Saturday, children's activities, oldfashioned medicine man shows, a Victorian melodrama, street entertainment, food booths and a romantic candlelight Victorian Ball are part of the festivities. On Sunday, activities continue and include a special family picnic at historic Mill Race Village. All three days of the Festival feature a wonderful art show and sale, sponsored by the Northville Art Commission.

One of the special aspects of the Northville Victorian Festival is the community-wide involvement in the festival. Non-profit groups from every community organization, the Northville schools, merchants (who dress in period costumes) and a veritable army of volunteers, participate in making the event a successful celebration. The Northville Community Chamber of Commerce is proud to sponsor the activities and workshops that help make Northville a special place to live and work. For more information contact the Chamber at 349-7640.

• Networking Northville Business Expo: An opportunity for businesses, restaurants, and non-profit groups to showcase their products. This annual event will be held March 16.

● Victorian Festival: One of the most comprehensive activities sponsored by the Northville Community Chamber of Commerce is the celebration of Northville's heritage in the spectacular three-day event — The Northville Victorian Festival. The community comes together during the festival to celebrate its unique Victorian background. This year's festival will take place September 16-18. Downtown Northville will be transformed through costumes and turn-of-the-century games and entertainment for a

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Laurie Marrs Executive Director Northville Community Chamber of Commerce



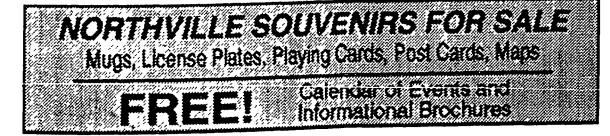
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There's plenty of great community theater in Northville, as Jacquie Rundell, left, and Gail Morris demonstrate while performing

in the Northville Players' production of "Egad, The Woman in White."

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## TUNCE IN TO

The Northville community may be a small place but our town offers plenty of sites and things for people to see and do. Throughout this book you'll find descriptions of some of the annual events which attract local residents and visitors alike. But here is a rundown of a few of our town's ongoing attractions

## DOWNIOWN

The central business district serves as the heart of the entire Northville community. Main Street, Center Street and the surrounding area play home to many different retail stores: clothing, antiques, arts and crafts, gourmet goodies and several excellent restaurants. MainCentre, a retail and 10 / Our Town / Northville / February, 1994 apartment development on the southwest corner of Main and Center streets, is approaching full occupancy. Shopping, browsing or just spending time in downtown Northville provides a fresh, relaxed alternative to the malls in the area. The stores and restaurants help the community carve out its own special niche, drawing regular visitors from around Michigan, Ohio and Ontario. In addition to the business establishments, downtown Northville also serves as the location for many community events throughout the year. Its scenic redevelopment and abundance of benches make it a perfect place for a casual stroll at any time. Explore it for yourself.

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## MILL RACE

If you walk east of Main and turn north onto Griswold, you'll find yourself at Mill Race Historical Village, an especially popular attraction of our town. The village is a gathering place for historic buildings from the area, rearranged and restored into a living museum. This ongoing project is the major undertaking of the Northville Historical Society, which sponsors guided tours on Sunday afternoons during the spring, summer and fall. But you can walk around and take a look any time. If you haven't visited lately, be sure to see the Cady Inn restoration and the interurban station.

The society opens the village for many community functions, and rents it to private parties as well. For information on the village or the society, call 348-1845.

## THE FORD PLANT

At the east end of Main Street the road bends to the south in the process of turning into Northville Road. Just before the bend is a now-nameless building which used to be the Northville Ford Valve Plant - a structure which holds a special place in Northville history.

The former "village industry" plant, built by Henry Ford, was recently purchased by a Northville Township firm, R & D Enterprises. R & D has plans to occupy the building soon and use it as a site for the manufacture of heat exchangers for the marine industry.

In the meantime, the site provides a scenic community focal point that includes a water wheel which once provided some of the plant's power. The big attraction, however, is the waterfowl; countless ducks and geese that have become a symbol of the city. Don't forget to bring the bread crumbs.

## THE WELL

Just below the plant on South Main you'll find the famous Northville Well. Once upon a time, the well was spring-fed and its Silver Springs water gained fame for its restorative

## LIVE THEATER

You won't find many communities this size that boast a functioning live theater, but Northville has the Marquis. On Main Street in the heart of downtown, this restored former movie house now offers up plays and musicals throughout the year, geared to both adults and children. For more information, call 349-8110.

The Marquis is only the start of Northville's stage offerings, however. The Northville Players present several productions throughout the year (344-1969); Genitti's Hole-inthe-Wall presents regular murder mystery dinners at its 108 E. Main St. restaurant and full theatrical productions at its new Samuel H. Little Theater next door (349-0522); and even the Plymouth Theatre Guild (349-7110) makes its home here, in the Water Tower Theater on the campus of Northville Regional Psychiatric Hospital.

## NORTHVILLE DOWNS

Professional harness racing comes to Northville for six months of the year at Northville Downs, on the northeast corner of Center Street (Sheldon Road) and Seven Mile.

The usual schedule of racing is October through March. The Downs runs both evening and matinee programs. Call 349-1000 for more information.

## HINES PARK

The Hines Park system runs throughout much of Wayne County but it starts (or ends) in Northville. Running along scenic Hines Drive, the park offers favorite spots for kiteflying, Frisbee-throwing, bike-riding, ball-playing, picnicking or just relaxing during most of the year. When the snow flies, you'll see plenty of sledders and cross-country skiers.

## **CIDER MILLS**

Come fall, Northville goes cider-happy with two local mills producing their own fresh drink. Parmenter's, on Baseline east of Center, and Foreman's, on Seven Mile west of Beck, each have their devotees. Doughnuts and other apple goodies are also available, of course, and Parmenter's even offers its own wine. For more information, call Foreman's at 349-1256 or Parmenter's at 349-3181.

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The spring dried up long ago, but the well still delivers fresh, delicious water - and long-timers will tell you it tastes as good as ever. (Don't let anyone tell you the well is hooked up to the city water system. That was true for a few brief periods when the well had to be re-drilled, but not now.)

## TOWN SQUARE PARK

This little urban park sits off the south side of Main Street east of Center. Its dominant feature is a bandshell which was a major community project a few years past. Now the park hosts a variety of events, but it's most famous for free Friday evening concerts throughout the

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## MAYBURY STATE PARK

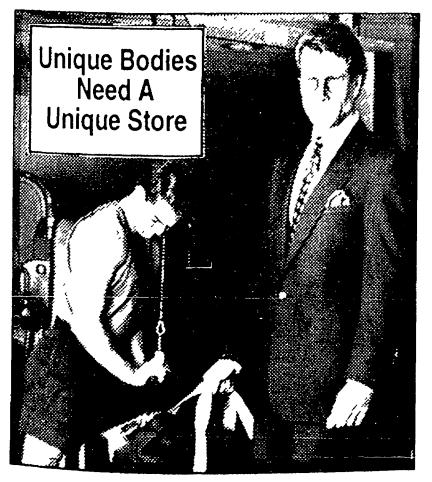
Some visitors seem surprised that Northville houses a state park. Once a sanitarium for tuberculosis patients, Maybury now serves as a wonderful community resource. Horseback riding, trails for biking and cross-country skiing, picnic areas and the popular, fully operating Living Farm lead the list of attractions. But it's best to explore for yourself. Enter off Eight Mile west of Beck or Beck south of Eight Mile. For more information, call 347-1088.



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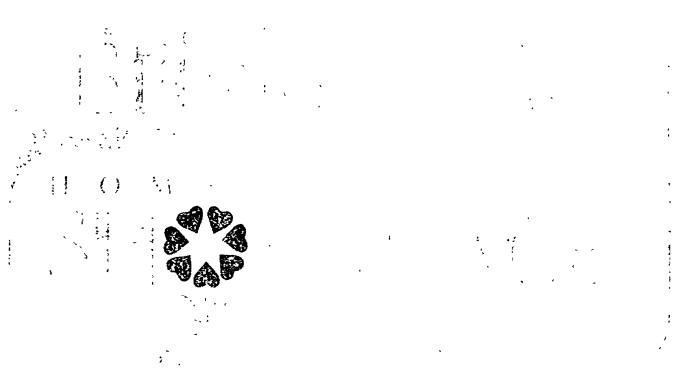
# What's Happening BUSINESS EXPO



The fourth annual Northville Networking Business Expo is et for March 16 this year. The event, to be held at Northville High School at the corner of Eight Mile and Center, will feature exhibits from several areas businesses, including many restaurants. In addition to informative displays, tasty food samples will be available and representatives from several non-profit organizations will be on hand. Raffles, drawings and giveaways will also be included. It's a great way to get to know local business leaders.

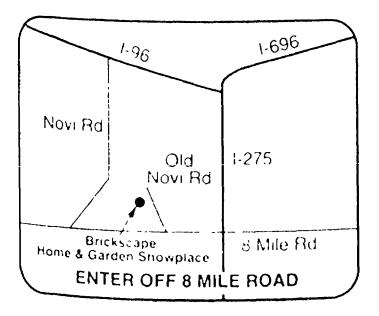
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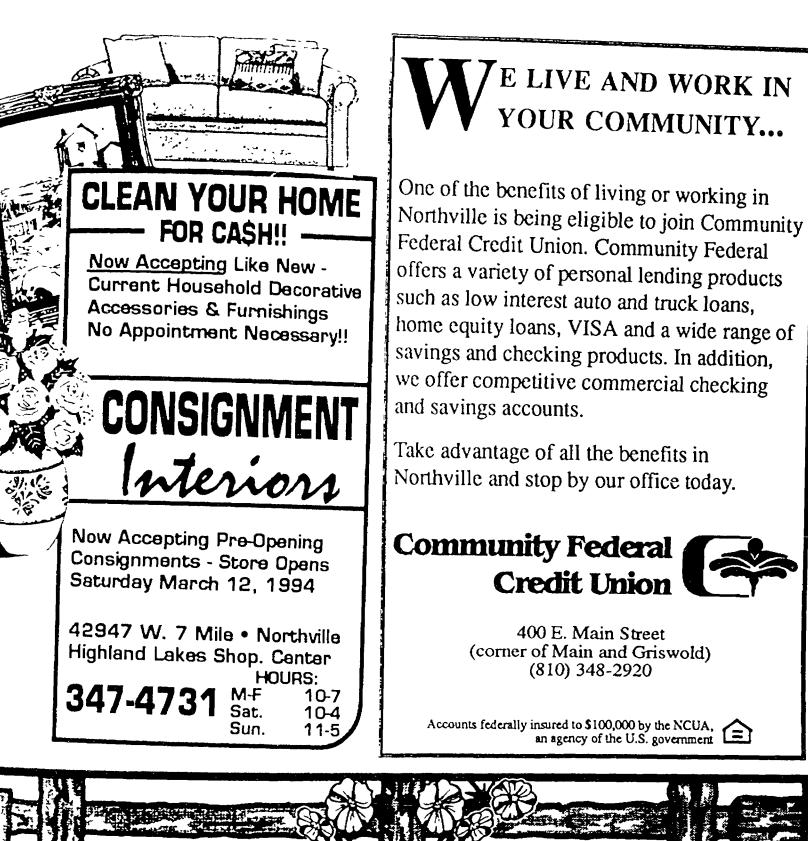


Northville's Main Street goes into full bloom during the colorful Seventh Annual Flower Show & Sale. Many of the same growers from Detroit's Eastern Market bring thou-

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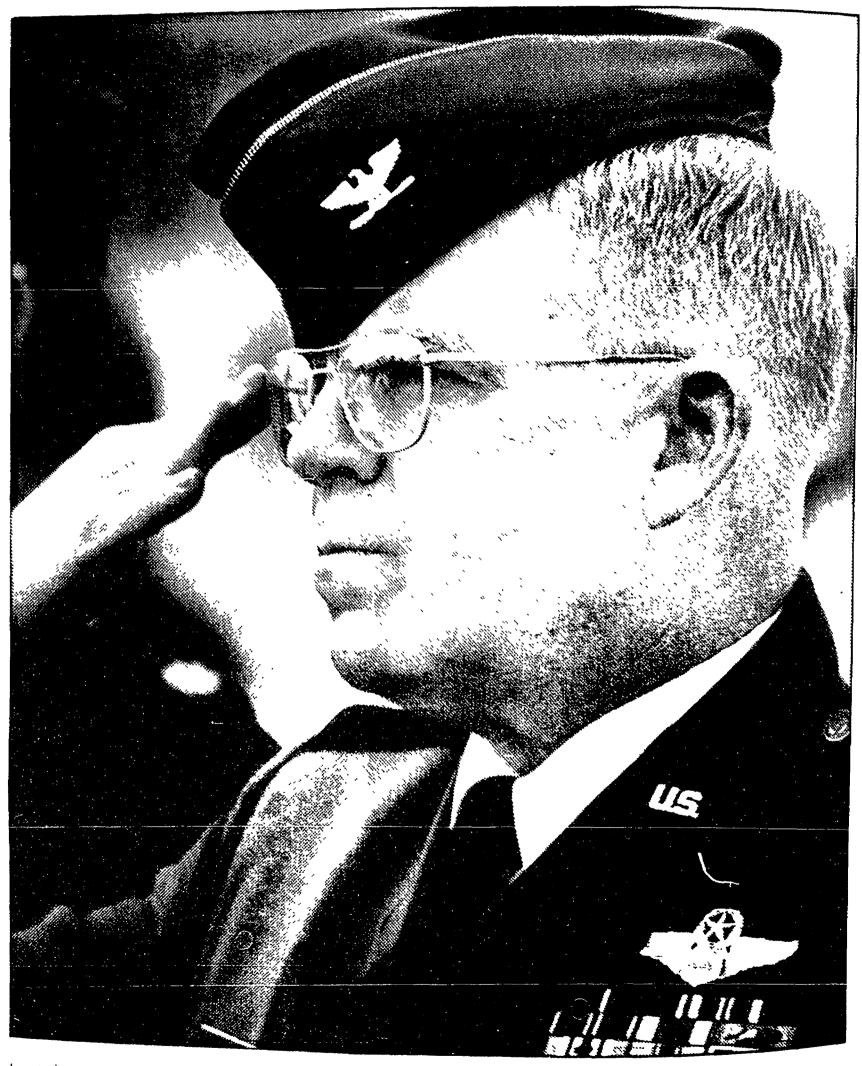
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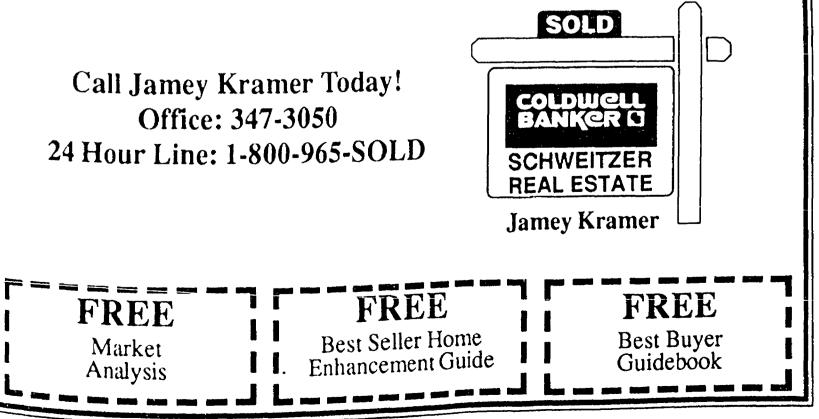
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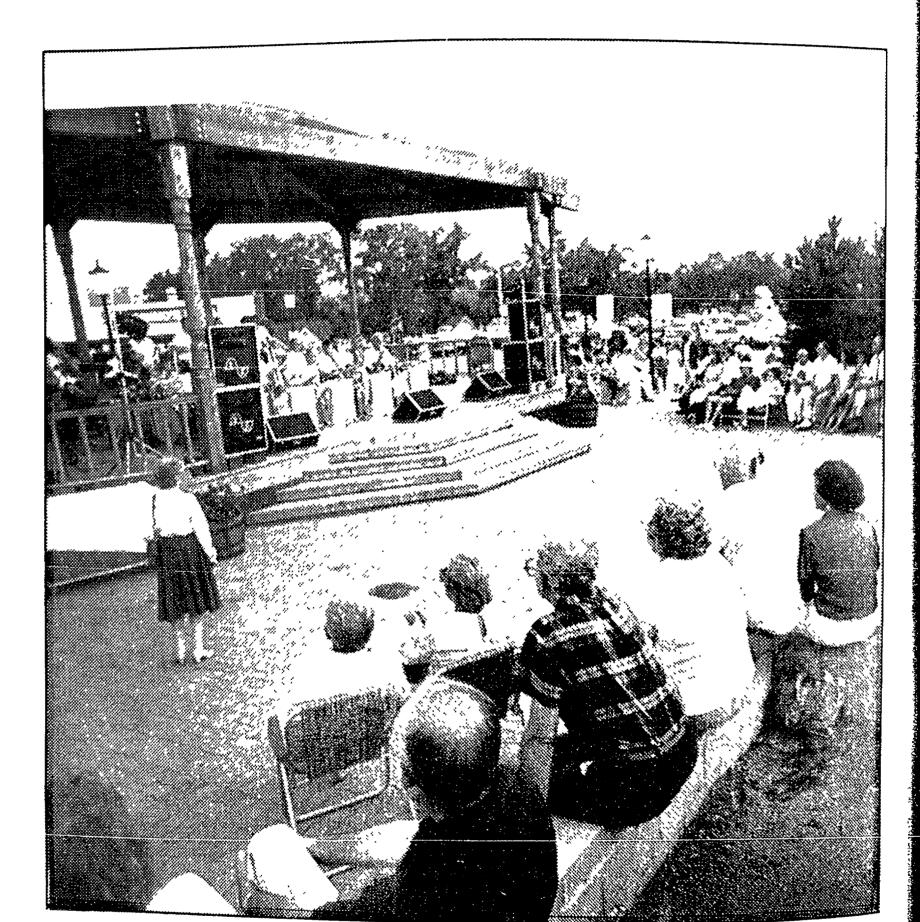
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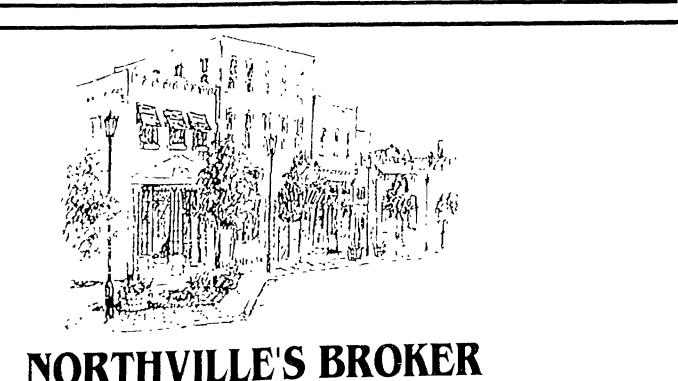
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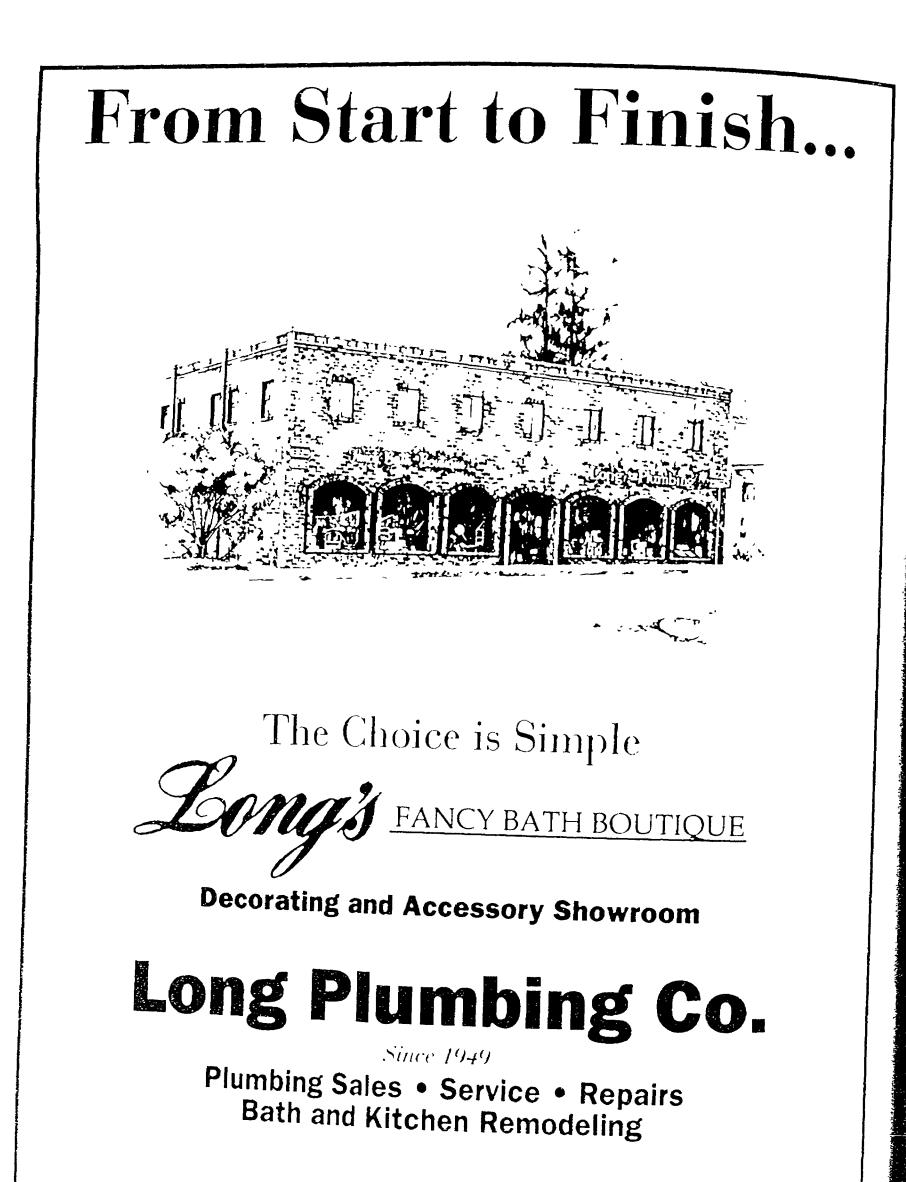
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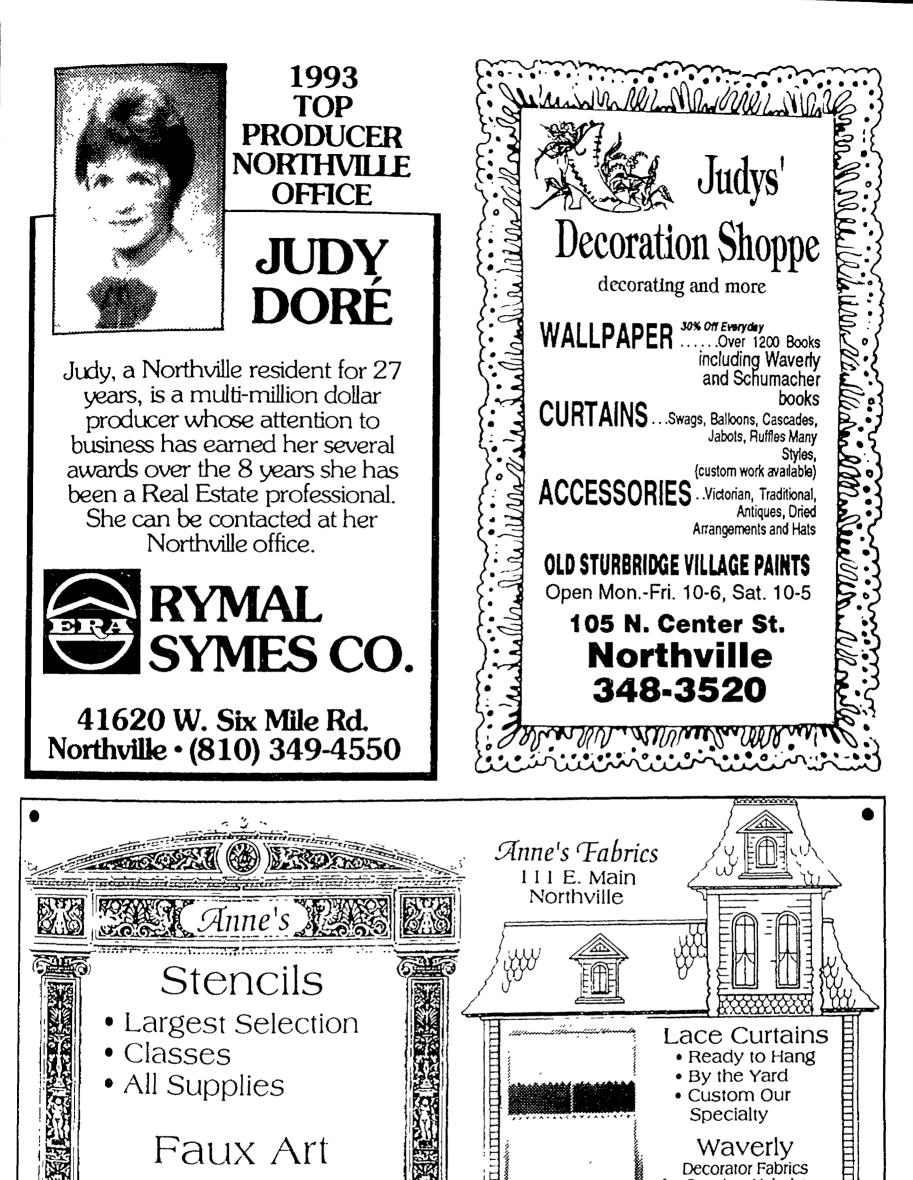
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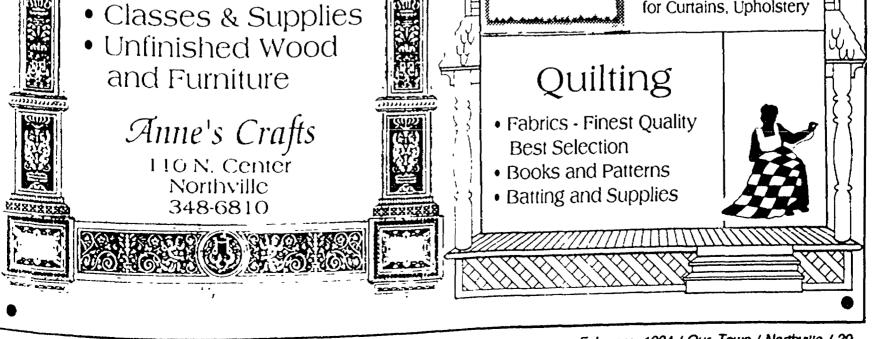


The Northville Victorian Festival, a gala celebration commemorating the city's historic past, has developed into the biggest annual event in the town. The Chamber of Commerce sponsors the event, but everyone participates in the lavish production: residents, schools, merchants, local governments and the Historical Society. For three days Northville returns to the era which gave the city its start an era still alive in the downtown and in many historic homes. The highlights of the weekend are far too numer-

ous to mention here, but the biggest of the big events are a Friday evening parade, a Saturday night costume ball, and a Sunday afternoon picnic. The Northville Arts Commission's Art Market, a juried street show of fine art and artists, is held in conjunction with the festival. This is the ultimate "don't miss" event in Northville — so don't miss it. For more information on the festival, call the chamber at 349-7640; on the Art Market, call the Arts Commission at 349-6104.

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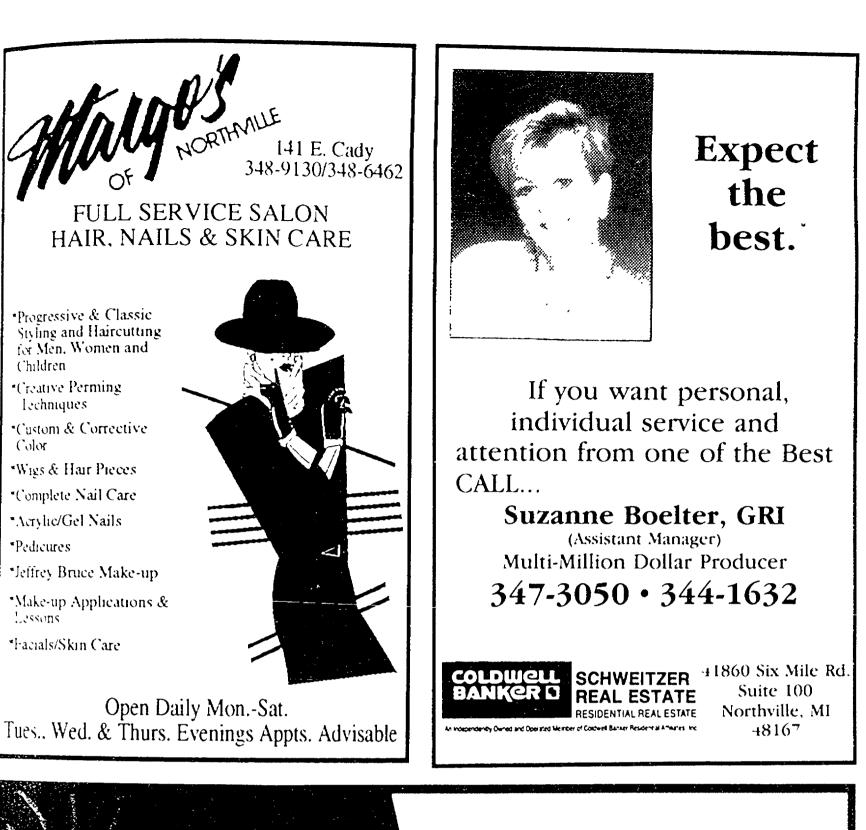
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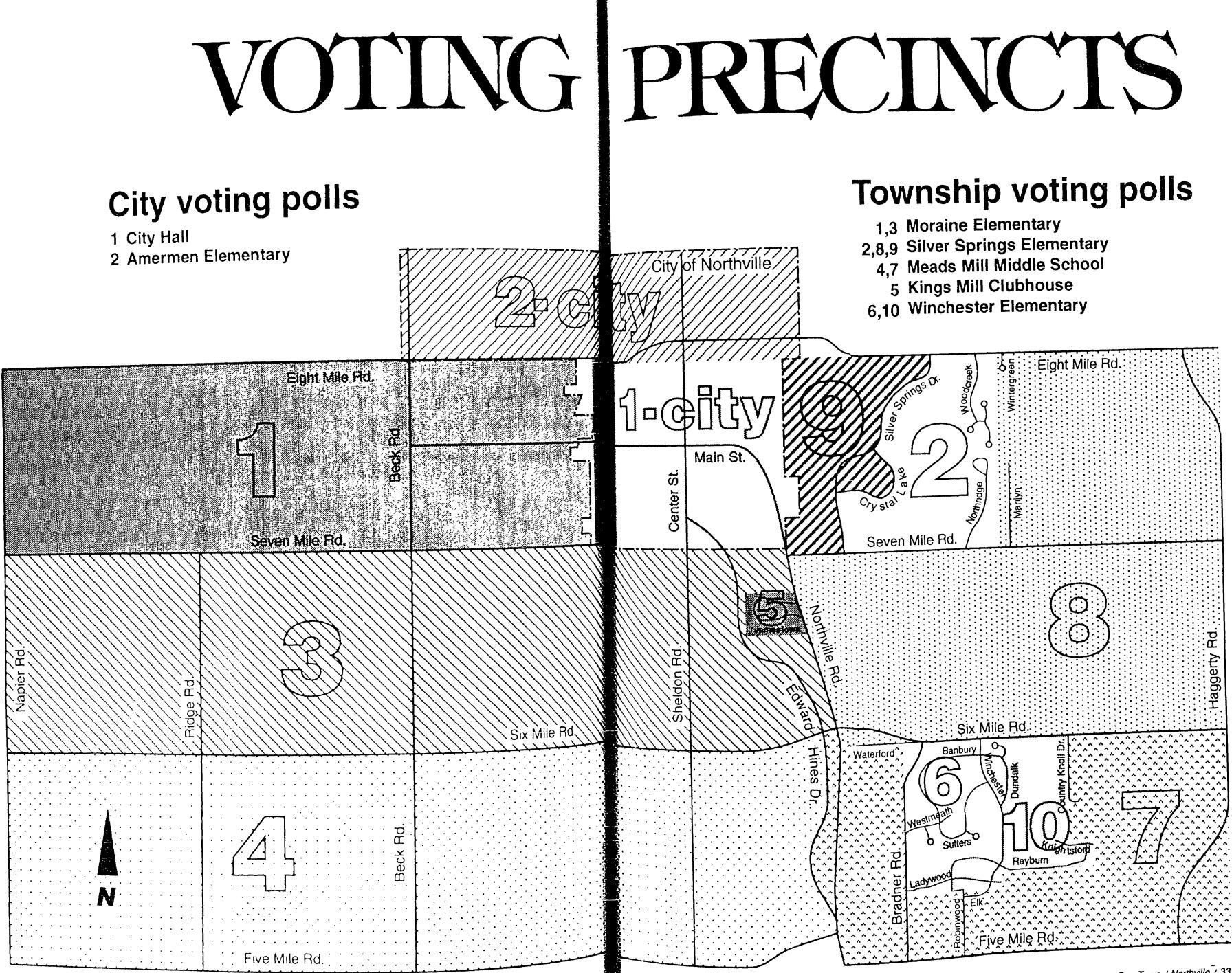


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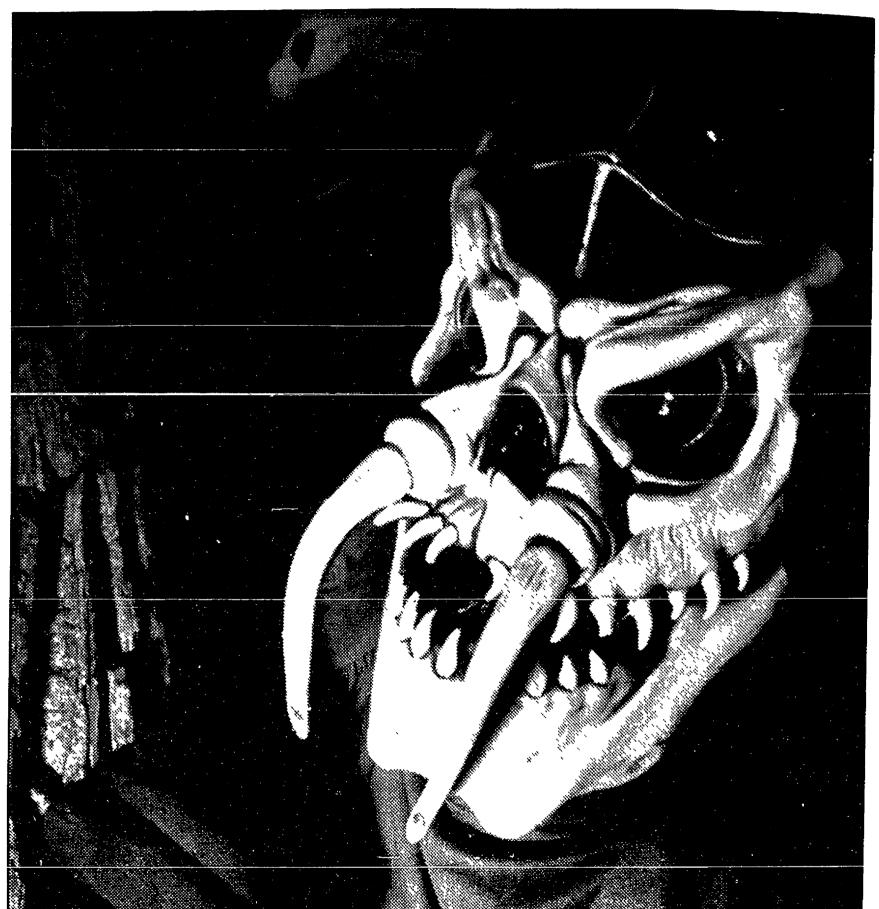
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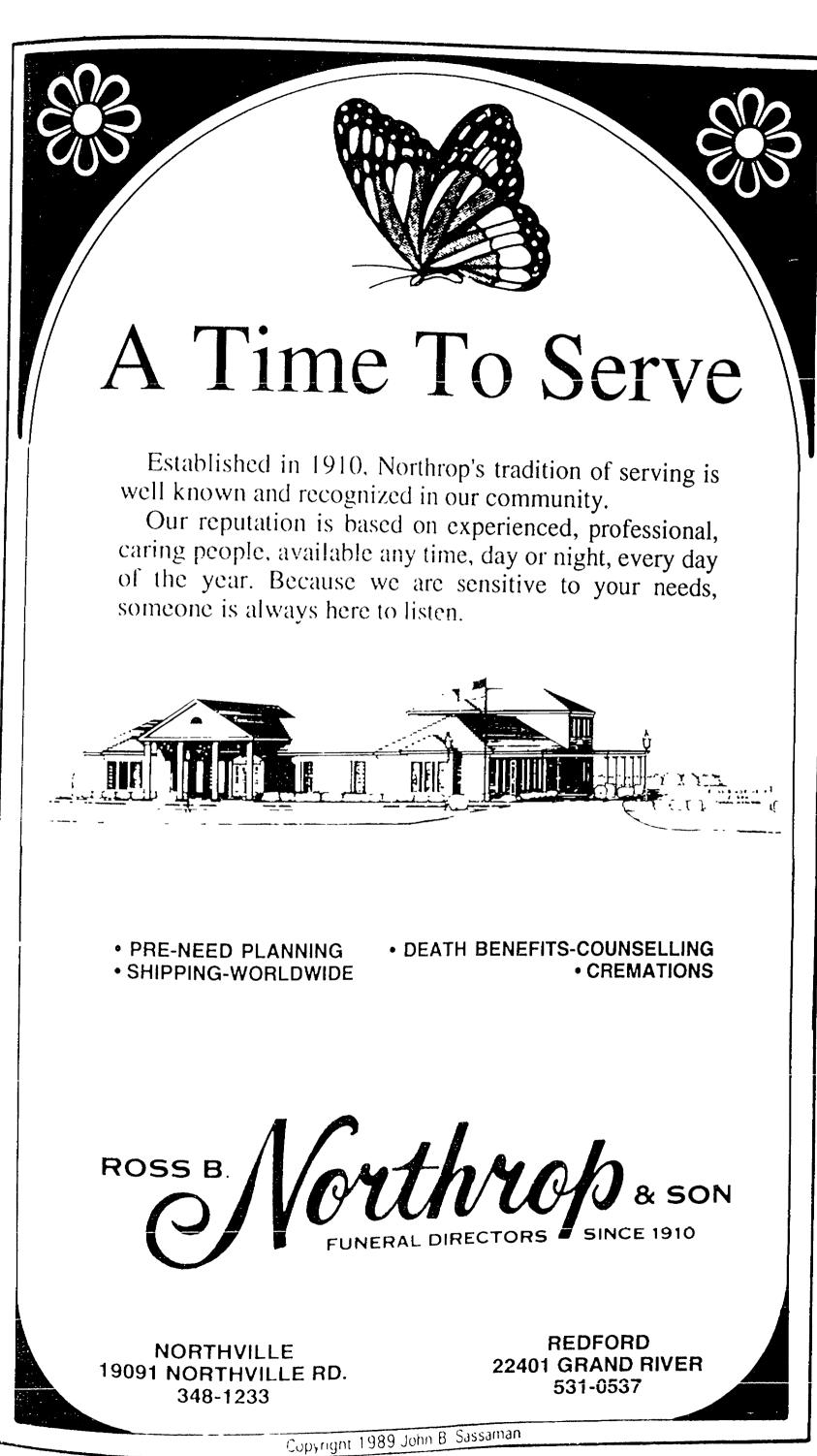




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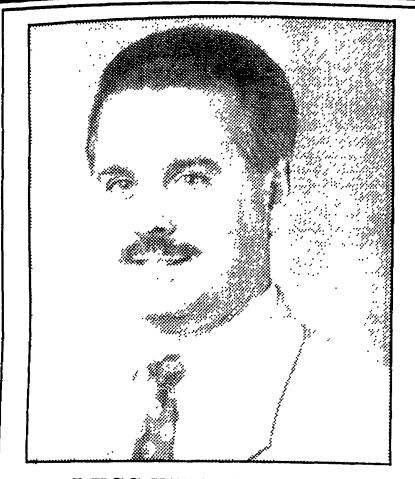
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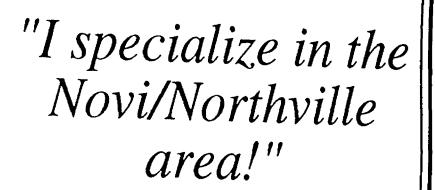
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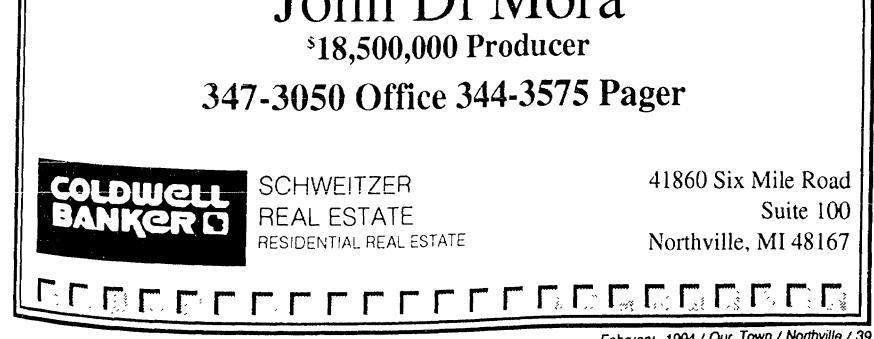
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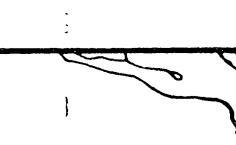
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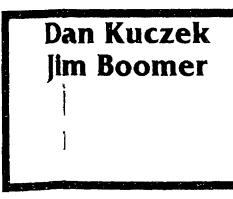
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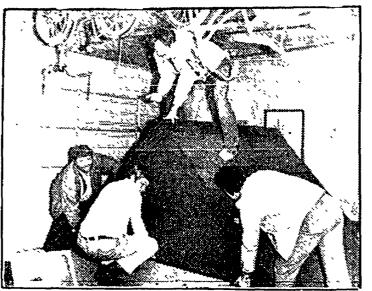
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Members include Chairman Ken Romine, Dick Brown, Rick Engelland, Paul Folino, Joe Gallagher, Judy Kohl, Connie Livanos, Charlie Stilec and John Werth.

Traci Johnson is the Director of Parks and Recreation. The main office is located in the Northville Community Center at 303 W. Main St. in the city, 349-0203.

The community center is open from 8 a.m. 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. The department also operatates two parks. They include:

• Fish Hatchery Park, located on Seven Mile between Rogers and Clement.

• Northville Community Park, located on Beck Road between Five and Six Mile.

# DISTRICT COUR

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Two judges preside at the court. Voters in the five communities elect them on a non-partisan basis for six-year terms.

A state panel has recommended that a third judgeship be added. Legislators in Lansing are expected to consider the matter in 1994. If approved, an election for the third judgeship would be held in November 1994 for a four-year term, followed by elections for six-year terms from then on.

The court is located at 660 Plymouth Road in Plymouth

Township, 48170. Its main switchboard number is 313/459-4740.

The 35th District Court judges are:

Hon. James N. Garber, term ending Dec. 31, 1994. He has announced he will retire at the end of this term. An election to fill his seat will take place in November 1994.

• Hon. John E. MacDonald, term ending Dec. 31, 1996.

 Court Magistrates include Eric Colthurst, Susan Ewing, Theodore Johnson and Mary Childs.

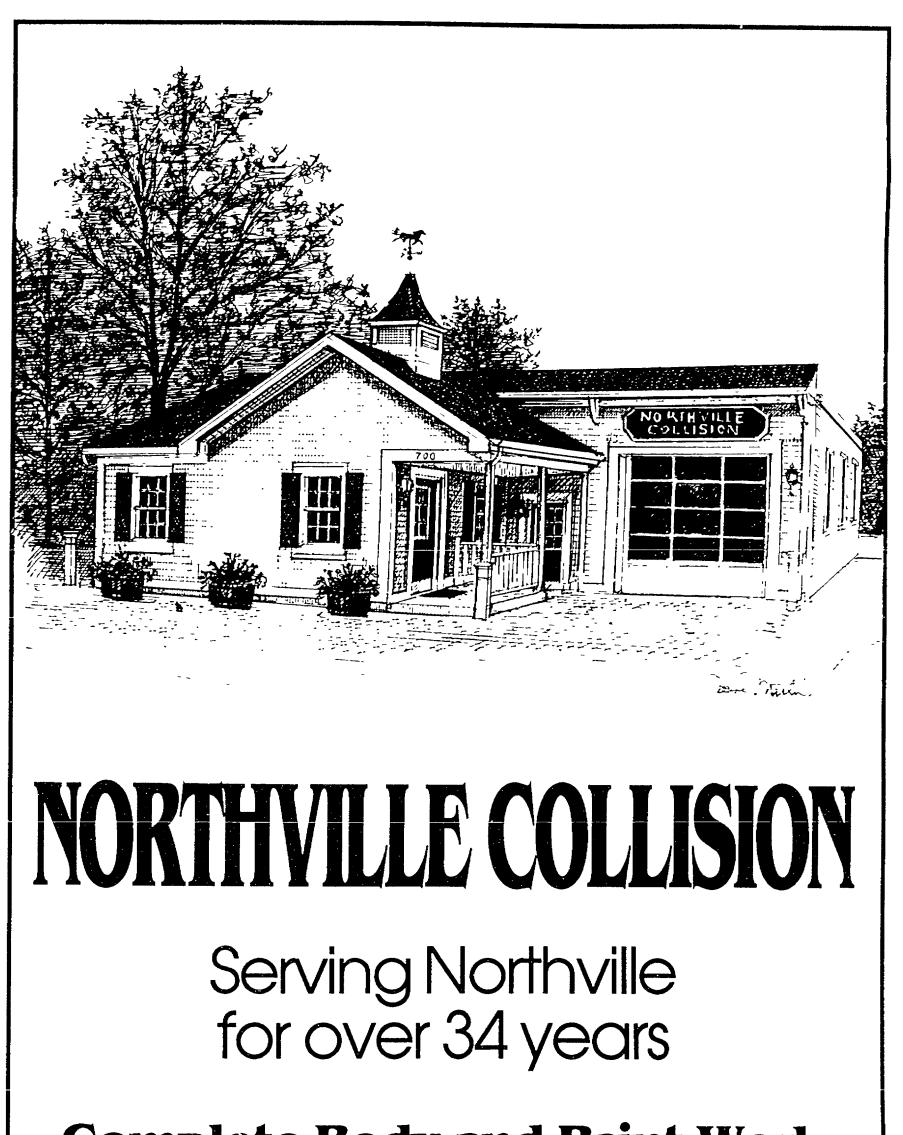


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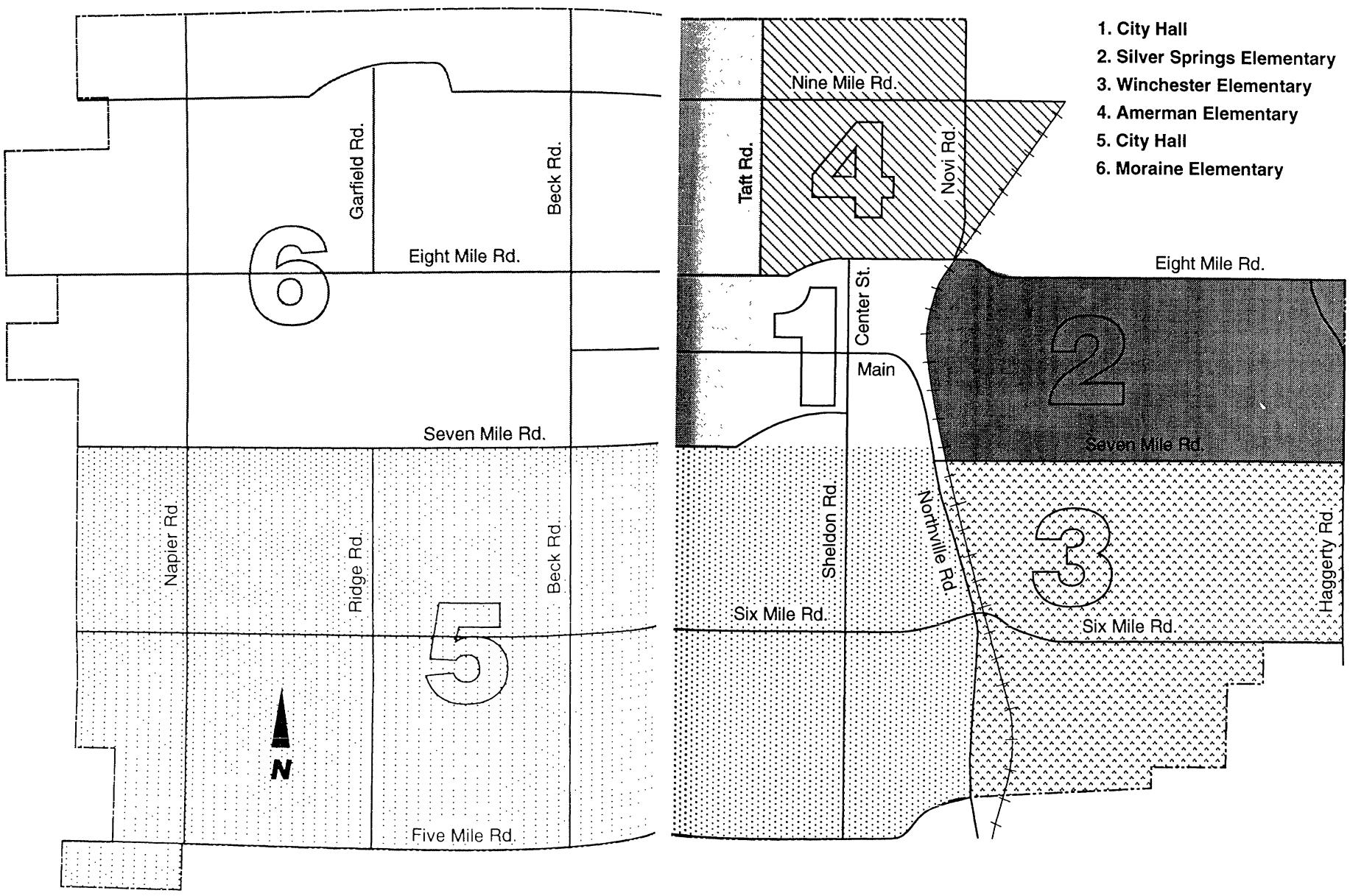
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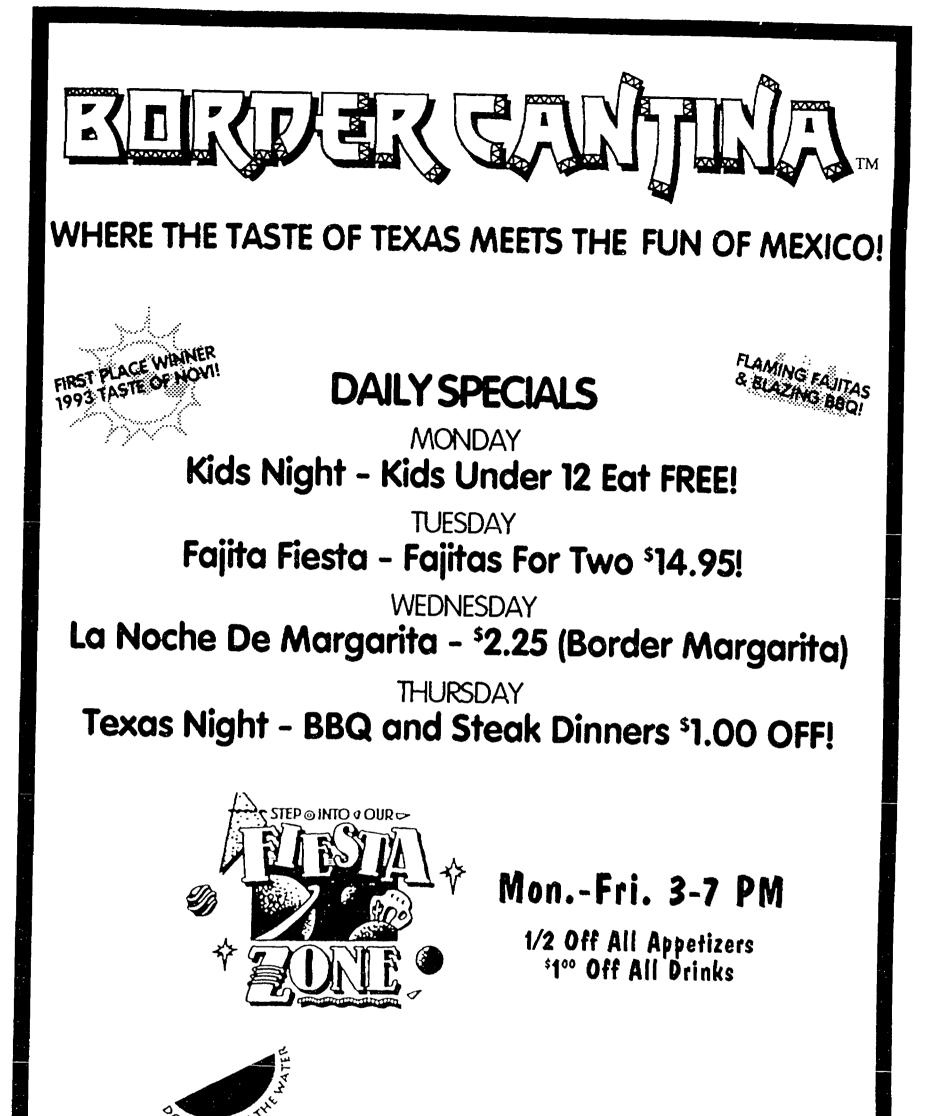
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#### ADMINISTRATION

Central Office: Northville Public Schools, 501 West Main Street. Northville 48167; 349-3400.

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David C. Bolitho, Assistant Superintendent for Administrative Services: 344-8441.

Dolly McMaster, Assistant Superintendent for Instructional Services: 344-8442.

Robert Sornson, Executive Director of Special Education: 344-8443.

John C. Street, Director of Business and Finance: 344-8444.

R. Roy Danley, Director of Personnel: 344-8451.

Tom Bailey, Administrative Assistant for Operations: 344-8455.

#### AUXILARY PROGRAMS

Karen Hooper, Supervisor, Community Education: 344-8447.

Gayle Fountain, Gifted Resource Teacher: 344-8448.

Jan Purtell, Business/Education Project Supervisor: 344-8458.

#### NORTHVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

775 North Center Street, Northville 48167. Start Time: 7:30 a.m. Dismissal: 2:05 p.m.

David Longridge, Principal, 344-8435; Susan Meyer Assistant Principal; Science/Math Office, Betty Parker, Re. source Teacher, 344-8467; Educational Technology C. fice, Barbara Fife, Resource Teacher, 344-8111.

## AMERMAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

847 North Center Street, Northville 48167. Start time: 9 a.m. Dismissal: 3:30 p.m. Stephen A. Anderson, Principal, 344-8405.

#### MORAINE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

46811 Eight Mile Road, Northville 48167. Start time: 9 a.m. Dismissal: 3:30 p.m. Mary Najarian, Principal, 344-8473.

#### SILVER SPRINGS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

19801 Silver Springs Drive, Northville 48167. Start time: 9 a.m. Dismissal: 3:30 p.m. Kenneth Pawlowski, Principal, 344-8410.

#### WINCHESTER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

16141 Winchester Drive, Northville 48167. Start time: 9 a.m. Dismissal: 3:30 p.m. Kathy Morhous, Principal, 344-8415.

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405 West Main Street, Northville 48167. Start Time: 9 a.m. Dismissal: 2:15 p.m. Christine Clinton-Cali, Administrator, 344-8460.

Dr. Thomas Johnson, Principal, 344-8425; Laura Wallace, Assistant Principal, 344-8426; Ralph Redmond, Assistant Principal, 344-8427: Dennis Colligan, Athletic Director, 344-8403; Charlie Stilec, Student Assistance Coordinator, 344-1825.

## COOKE MIDDLE SCHOOL

21200 Taft Road, Northville 48167. Start time: 8:15 a.m. Dismissal: 2:45 p.m. Jeffrey Radwanski, Principal, 344-8493; Susan Meyer, Assistant Principal: Mary Ellen King, Northville Youth Assistance Director, 344-1618.

## MEADS MILL MIDDLE SCHOOL

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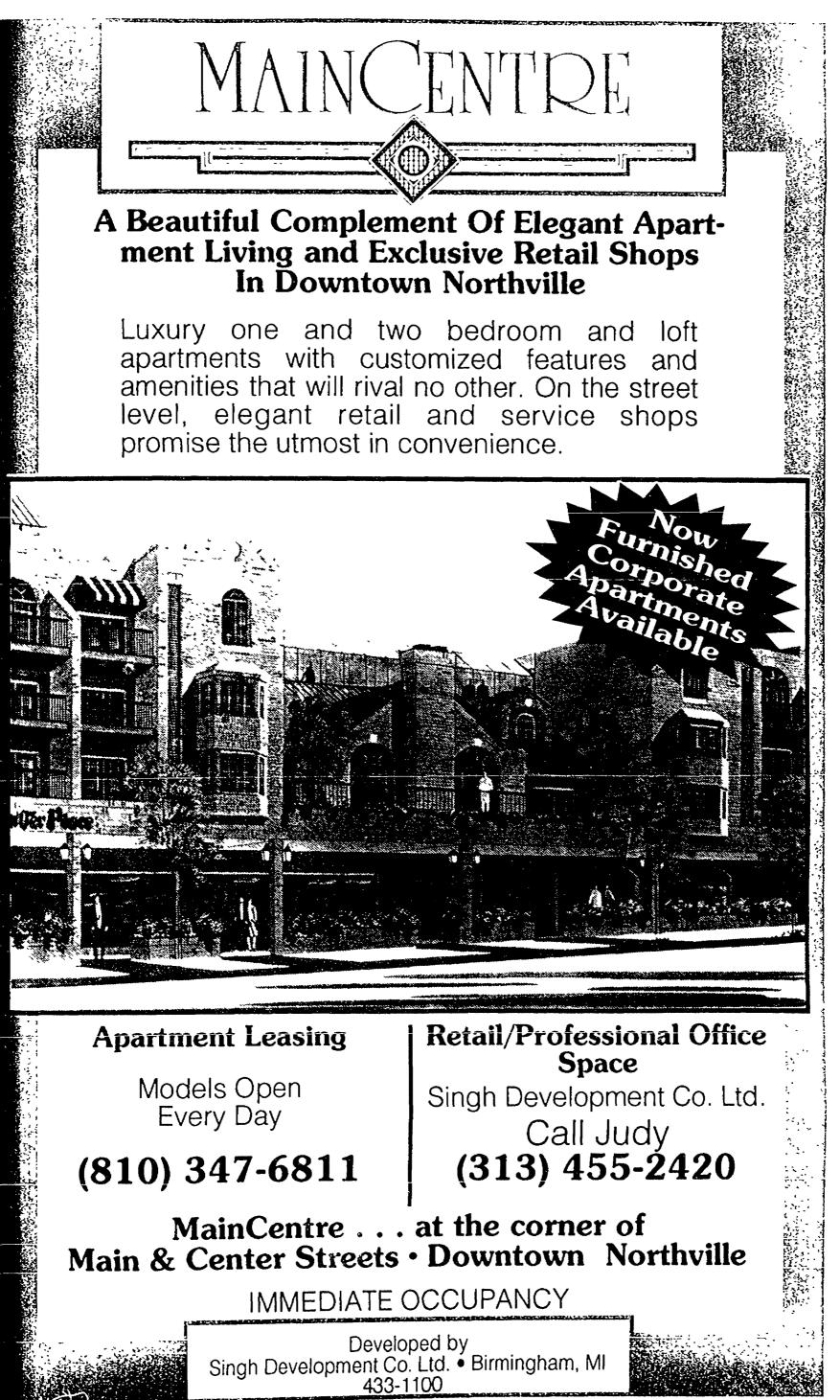
501 West Main Street, Northville 48167. Mary Kay Gallagher, Early Childhood Specialist, 344-8465.

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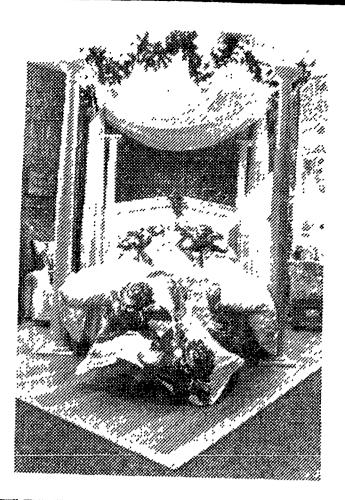
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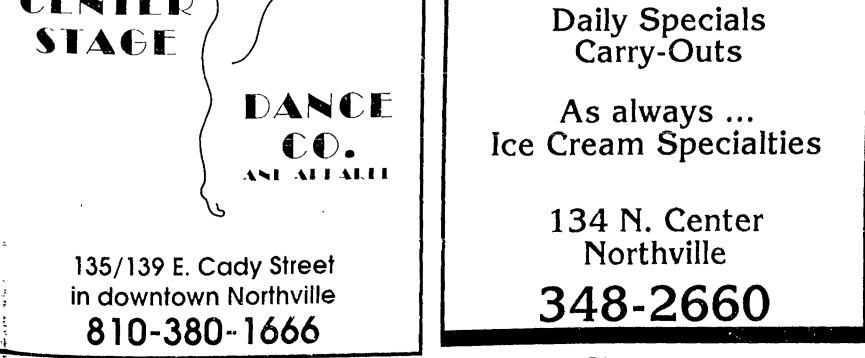
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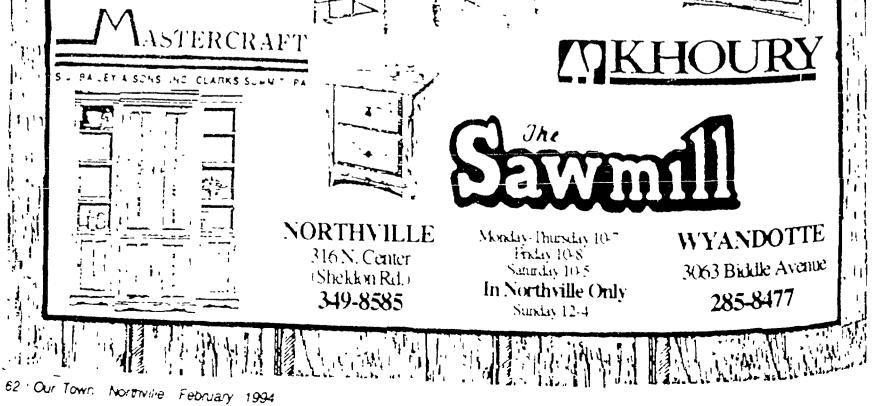
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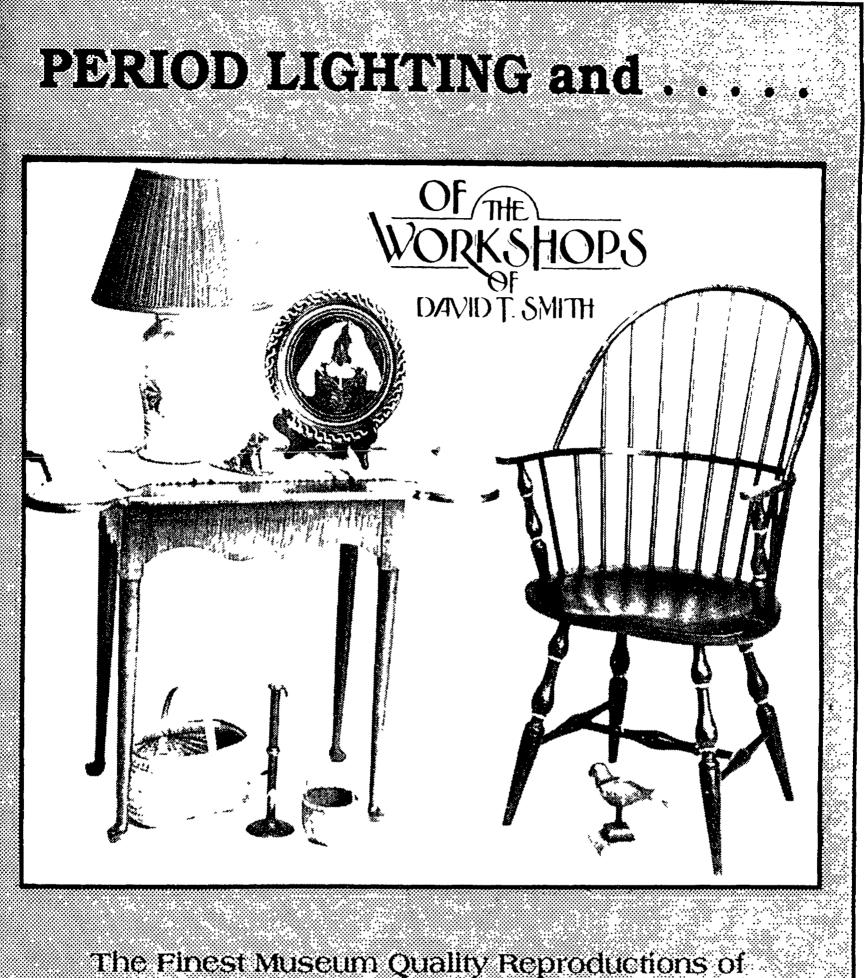
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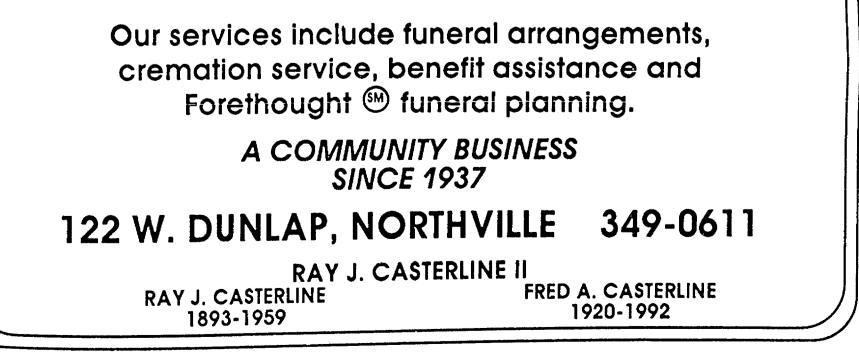
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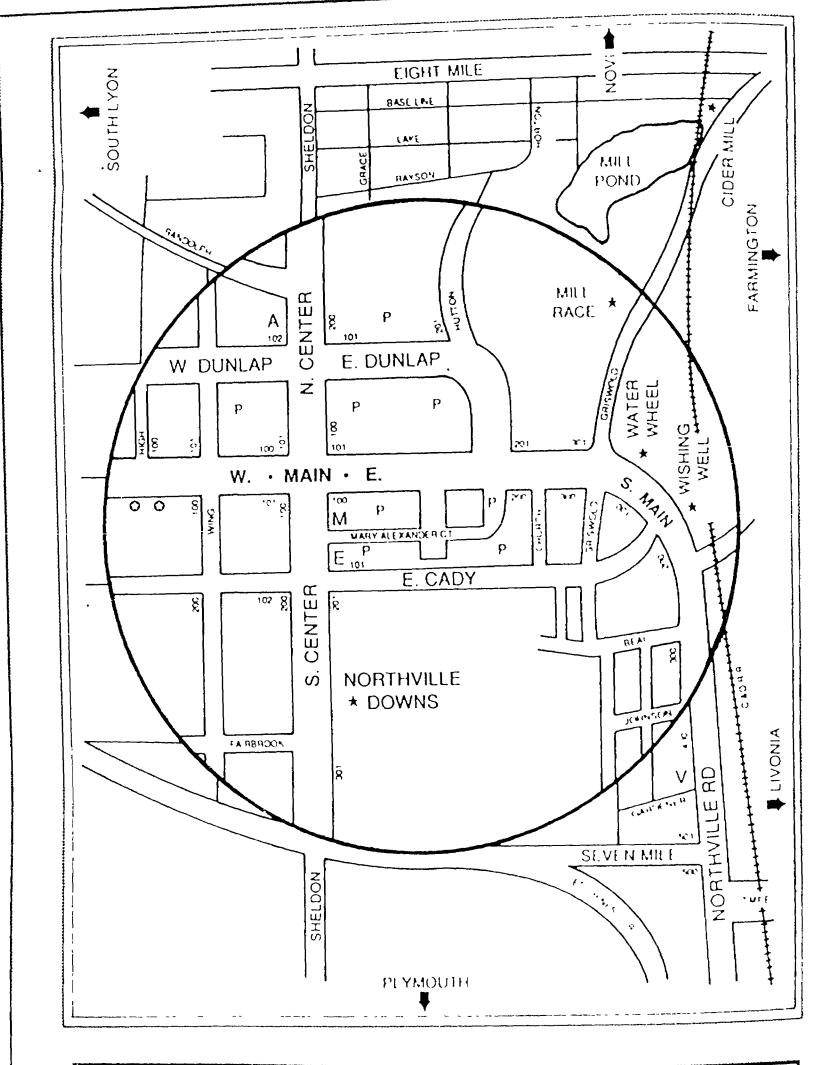
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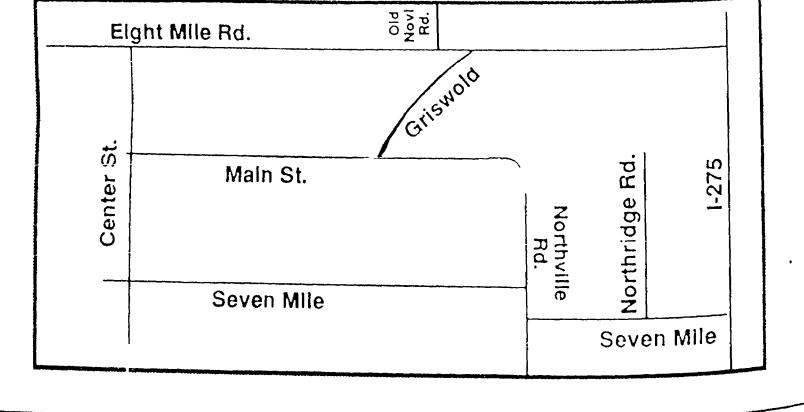




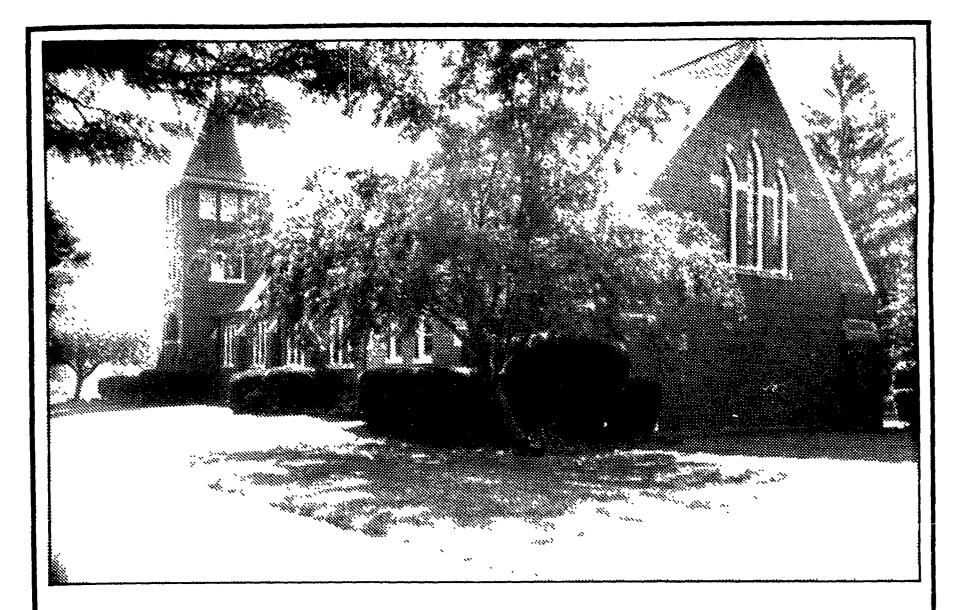
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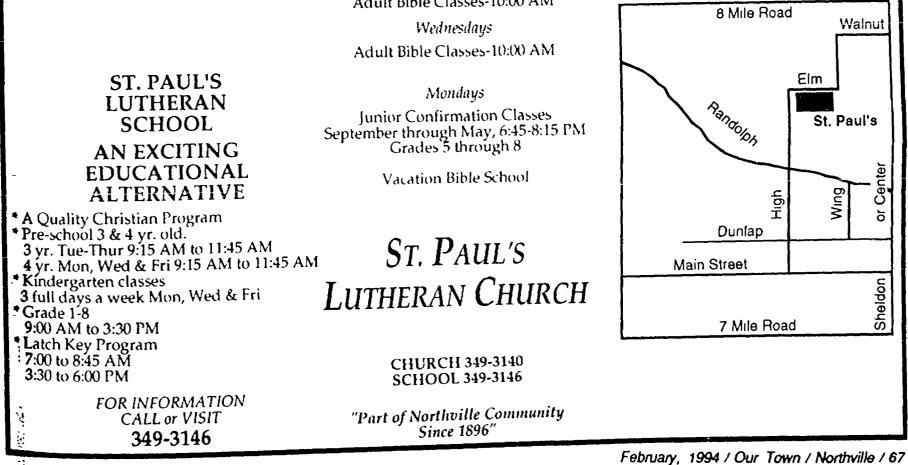
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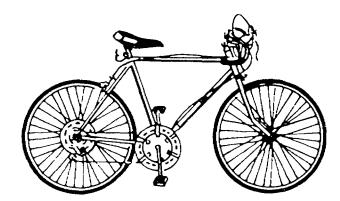


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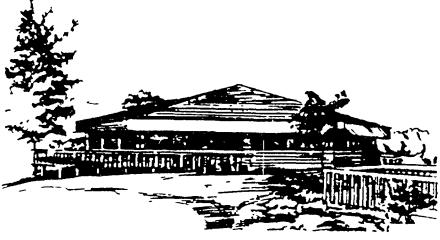
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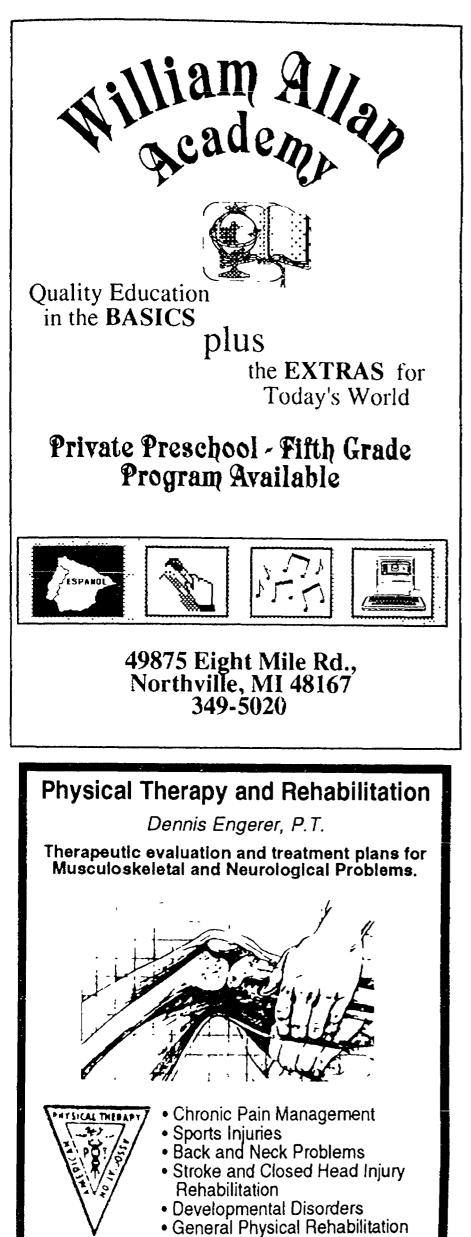
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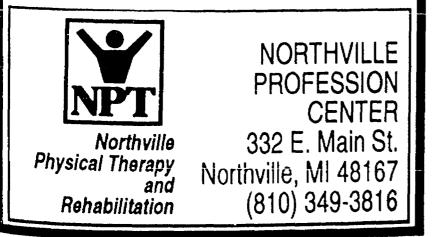
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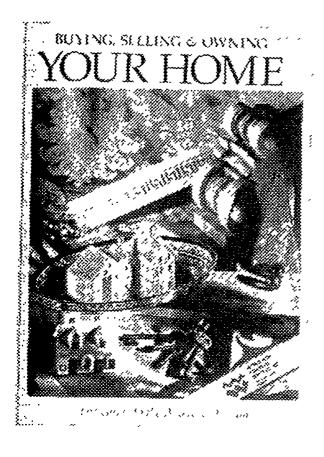
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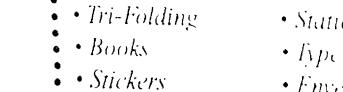


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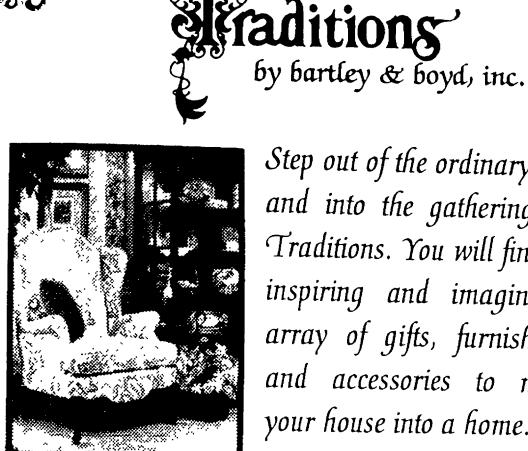
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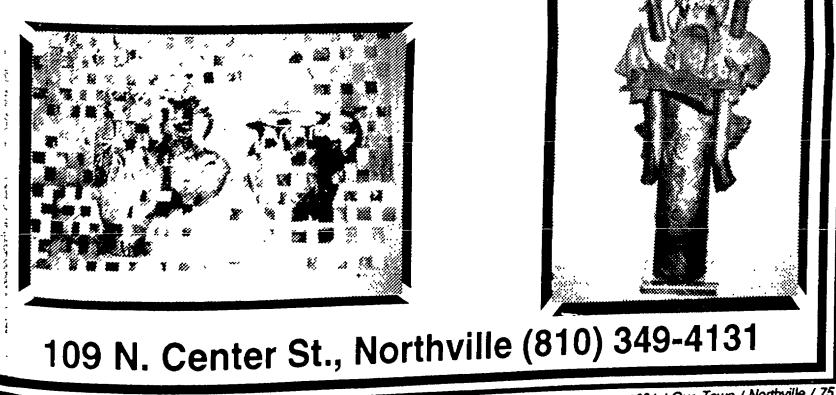


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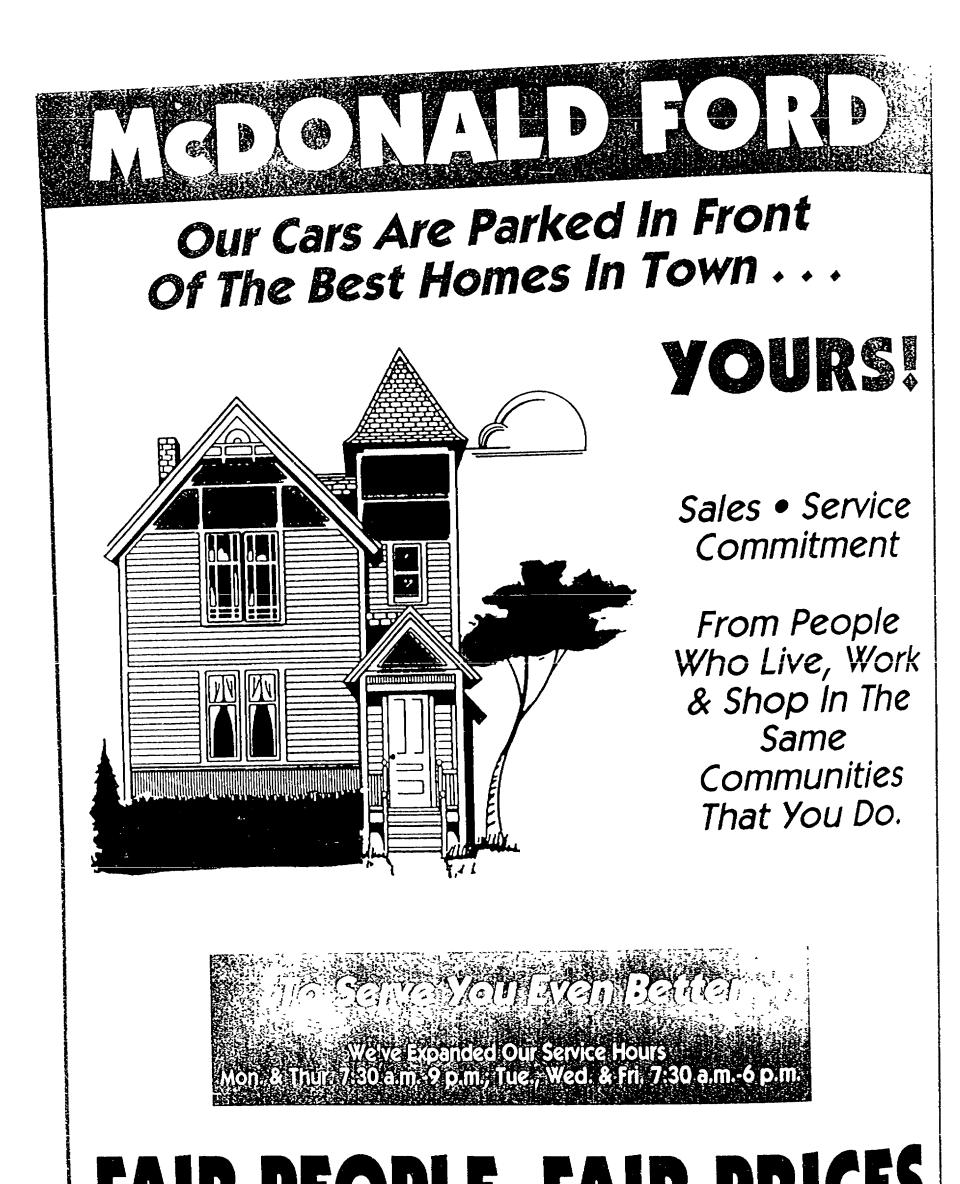
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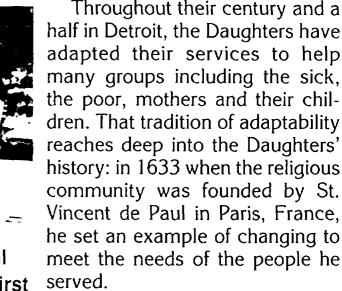
This issue of **Profile** features our Providence specialty centers which are located both on the Hospital's campus and in communities surrounding Southfield. These centers care for

patients who have advanced health care needs: individuals who have cancer or suffer from chronic pain; individuals with hearing and balance disorders; and individuals who need the intricate skills of craniofacial reconstructive surgery to present a normal face to the world.

Many of the physicians and surgeons who staff our specialty centers are nationally and internationally known. Providence is proud to offer their services to the people of metro Detroit, proving that it is not necessary to travel far from home and family for specialized medical care.

The quality that hallmarks these services is also found throughout the rest of the Providence network. In fact, it is one of the core values of the Daughters of Charity National Health System, the sponsors of Providence Hospital. Quality has certainly been a guiding force in the services the Daughters have provided in Detroit. This May, we will commemorate the first four courageous Daughters who were missioned to Detroit. When they arrived in our city 150 years ago, they first founded a school. Detroit, however, was often devastated by outbreaks of cholera and smallpox, and the Daughters responded to

the city's crying need by also establishing a hospital. Little St. Vincent's Hospital was the first hospital in Detroit and in the entire Northwest Territory.



Today, Providence remains responsive to that historical example, readying itself for the coming reforms in health care in a number of ways. Most importantly is our upcoming Joint Operating Agreement with Catherine McAuley Health System in Ann Arbor. In the months ahead, we will work closely with the three hospitals in this system to develop a seamless network of quality, accessible health care that will respond to the needs



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of the many communities we will serve together.

Our alliance marks an innovative step in assuring the future of Catholic health care in Southeast Michigan--health care that will provide quality, accessible, responsive care not only for those using the system today but for the generations to come.

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Merrylee McDougall of Saskatchewan has been a patient of Ian Jackson, MD, director of the Providence Institute for Craniofacial and Reconstructive Surgery, for several years.



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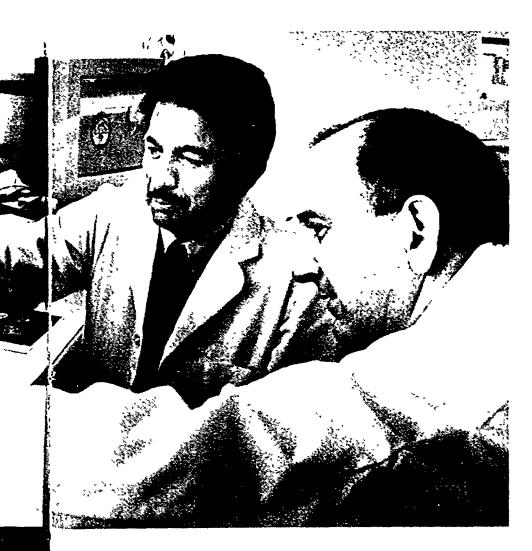
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Above, left to right: Jack, Erin and Sarah Watkins cuddle with Chumpki (center)

Right: Ian T. Jackson, MD, is shown in surgery. Dr. Jackson describes the group effort of many Providence physician specialists, nuises and support staff as "unique" in providing a continuum of care for patients.





### A Beacon of Hope

One of the nation's most precious resources to help individuals in need of craniofacial and reconstructive surgery is housed on the third floor of Providence Hospital's Fisher Center.

The Institute for Craniofacial and Reconstructive Surgery, headed by internationally known surgeon, Ian T. Jackson, MD, FACS FRACS, began at Providence in 1989.

It is a resource not only for individuals seeking reconstructive or aesthetic surgery of the skull and facial regions, but also for those who need reconstructive surgery following removal of tumors of the head and neck or of the breast for cancer. In addition, the Institute is internationally acclaimed as a center for the treatment of skull base tumors as its physicians work with Providence neurotologists.

In the past two years, the Institute has added two physicians to its staff: Mune Gowda, MD, a hand surgeon with expertise in microvascular surgery and Robert Forte, DDS, MD, a specialist in craniofacial, oral and maxillofacial surgery. The Institute also developed a Craniofacial and Cleft Palate Diagnostic Clinic. One afternoon each month a group of specialists gathers to examine patients, perform all needed tests, evaluate those test results and develop individual patient treatment plans during one coordinated visit.

Over the past four years, the Institute has become a mecca -- a beacon of hope not only for people in our area but for people around the world who have heard of the quality of reconstructive and tumor surgery performed by Dr. Jackson and the members of the multidisciplinary Providence group which assists him. Dr. Jackson calls this effort "unique in its combination of skilled specialists who work so well together." Among the group's members are physicians, residents, nurses and social workers on the Institute staff as well as Providence neurosurgeons, oral surgeons, otologists/ neurotologists, ophthalmologists, microvascular surgeons, pediatricians, surgical and clinical nurses, and other health care professionals.

Little Chumpki, who turns five this July, recently benefitted from the combined skills of Dr. Jackson and the physicians with whom he works at Providence. The little girl from India was born with clefts extending from her eyelids through her cheeks to the lower corners of her mouth. She also had a cleft palate and her jaws were fused together. Chumpki had never tasted food. She had never spoken. Her family asked for help from Indian charitable institutions where Chumpki was kept alive with tube feedings. Through the help of a social worker and the international organization, Healing the Children of Michigan, Chumpki found her way to Dr. Jackson at the Providence Craniofacial Institute in June of 1993.

Chumpki's plight came to the attention of the employees of Loomis, Sayles & Company in Livonia, whose vice president, Gregg Watkins is a member of the Providence Hospital Foundation board of directors. The Foundation annually provides funds for Dr. Jackson to help 12 indigent patients from around the world. And Loomis, Sayles & Company employees generously gave the Foundation a substantial donation to help with Chumpki's care.

In August, Dr. Jackson repaired the deep clefts in Chumpki's cheeks, reconstructed her lower eyelids, separated her jaws and closed her cleft palate. She can now chew and swallow and is beginning to speak.

Despite Chumpki's difficult start in life, her story has a happy ending: a new face to show to the world, a new American name--Beth, and a new future as a permanent part of Watkins family. Gregg Watkins, his wife Joan and their three children have welcomed Chumpki into their Bloomfield Hills home and into their hearts and are currently waiting for adoption procedures to be completed.

Success stories like Chumpki's are practically everyday occurrences at the Institute. Craniofacial and reconstructive surgery has made tremendous technological advances over the past decade, according to Dr. Jackson. "Tools such as three-dimensional imaging allows surgery to be planned carefully before we even enter the operating room," he explains. "The development of microvascular surgery permits surgeons to move tissue from one site to another. With these technological advances, we are often able to accomplish, with great success, in one extensive surgery what would have previously required multiple surgeries over a number of years."

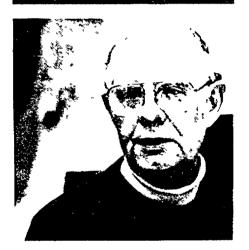
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Upper left: Mune Gowda, MD, a specialist in hand and microvascular surgery and Robert Forte, DDS, MD, a specialist in craniofacial and reconstructive



lan T. Jackson, MD, director of the Craniofacial Institute, greets his patient, 10-year-old Merrylee McDougall. Merrylee and her family travelled all the way from Saskatchewan for a checkup and a chance to join other young patients at the Institute's fifth annual Christmas Party.

### Oncology and Pain Control: Putting Patients First



"Mine is a spectacular success story," says Jack Callam (above), "but early detection of prostate cancer is really the key. I can't stress that enough."

Above right, P. William McLaughlin, MD (right), director of Radiation Oncology. pre-plans a patient's radiation treatments with Gail Pfeiffer, BSR(T), CMD, dosimetrist, and Peter Roberson, PhD, physicist.



During a routine physical exam, Jack Callam's physician noted a slightly elevated PSA level. PSA--short for prostate specific antigen--is measured with a simple blood test. A PSA level higher than four can often indicate the presence of prostate cancer. Mr. Callam's PSA level was six.

Over a period of time, his physician monitored the 66-year-old retiree's PSA level, ordering ultrasound tests and a biopsy to see if cancer was present. Even though the PSA levels kept creeping up, no cancer was detected until Providence urologist Raymond Winfield, MD, performed another biopsy in the spring of 1993.

A CT-scan and other tests showed that the cancer was still in its earliest stages and hadn't spread beyond the prostate gland itself. That's when Dr. Winfield suggested that Mr. Callam meet with P. William McLaughlin, MD, director of Radiation Oncology at Providence.

Because of the early and localized stage of his cancer, the physicians explained, Mr. Callam had a number of treatment options: surgery, radiation or a brief outpatient procedure during which tiny radioactive seeds are permanently implanted into the prostate to eradicate the disease.

Dr. McLaughlin says forms of this procedure, called brachytherapy, "have been around for 30 years but the method used to place the radioactive seeds was not always very accurate. At Providence, we use sophisticated 3-D computer planning technology to calculate the precise placement of the radioactive implants. And then we go a step further, using both ultrasound and x-ray during the actual procedure to be certain we have placed the radioactive seeds where the computer has plotted they should go."

Mr. Callam weighed all his options and chose the implant procedure because it offered the fewest side effects. Other therapies carry greater risks of serious side effects, including impotence.

Last September 9, in a 90-minute procedure using long hollow "needles," doctors positioned 84 minuscule radioactive seeds-each the size of a grain of rice--inside Mr. Callam's prostate. Less than 24 hours later, he returned to his Farmington Hills home. "I had no side effects whatsoever," he says. "But the best news of all came last December 9 when my first follow-up blood tests showed a PSA level of only 3.6"--within normal limits.

Dr. McLaughlin adds that all of the patients who have received this treatment at Providence over the past two years have shown normalized PSA levels within a few months of the procedure.

"Mine is a spectacular success story," says Mr. Callam, "but early detection of prostate cancer is really the key. I can't stress that enough."

Providence physicians agree and credit much of the success of the Hospital's cancer programs to the multidisciplinary approach in detecting cancer and in streamlining treat-





Anibal Drelichman, MD, applauds the multidisciplinary approach Providence takes with cancer patients.



Carol Mastalerz, RN, MSN, is project manager for the oncology nursing case management program at Providence.

ment for patients, whether they are treated in the Hospital or in an outpatient setting.

Such streamlining in inpatient oncology has been just one of the success stories at Providence over the past year as more than 100 patients participated in the new nursing case management program. In this program, a nurse case manager acts as a facilitator and an advocate, working with staff nurses, physicians, patient and family to understand and meet medical and psycho-social needs of patient and family. The results have been impressive: hospital stays for these patients are a day-and-a-half shorter and they have had fewer unnecessary or early readmissions.

On the outpatient side, where much of today's cancer care takes place, the Providence Cancer Center on the Hospital's Southfield campus provides a model for other community-based programs. One convenient building houses medical and radiation oncology, along with another of the Hospital's specialty areas, the Pain Control Center. This facilitates the multidisciplinary approach that Providence physicians feel is key in fighting cancer, according to Anibal Drelichman, MD, director of Medical Oncology at Providence.

This approach has proven especially beneficial for Providence lung cancer patients over the past several years. Oncologists, surgeons, radiologists and support staff have formed a working group which allows patients diagnosed with lung cancer to be seen, tested, evaluated and provided with a treatment plan within a week to ten days--a dramatic decrease from the amount of time formerly necessary to complete the process.

Providence has also declared its cancer program to be a "pain-free zone," according to Dr. McLaughlin. "One of the greatest fears for a patient diagnosed with cancer is uncontrolled pain," he says. "Today we can offer patients more options to alleviate or control their cancer pain."

Providence oncologists bring their patients the newest research and technology in cancer care through the hospital's involvement in programs like the prestigious Southwest Oncology Group (SWOG). "We have recently added a basic science researcher to our staff; he will work to develop new treatment strategies for tumors," Dr. Drelichman explains.

"Providence has made significant achievements in treating cancer in the past five years," according to Shun C. Young, MD, FACS, residency program director for General Surgery. "Dramatic advances in medical and radiation oncology, as well as in surgery, mean that surgeons are now able to achieve the same success rate in tumor removal with less radical surgery. All of these achievements add up to quality care for cancer patients at Providence."

### PAIN CONTROL

Chronic pain can magnify everyday stresses, produce feelings of anger, sadness, hopelessness and despair. It can disrupt sleep, alter personalities, interfere with work and with relationships.

Much chronic pain--including cancer pain, low back pain, shingles, even TMJ (temporal mandibular joint) pain--can be treated, controlled and managed, according to Riad Khoury, MD, medical director of the Providence Pain Control Center. The Center is staffed by physicians who specialize in anesthesia but have additional training in algology or pain management. In conjunction with neurologists, nurses, psychologists, physical and occupational therapists and social workers, these physicians develop treatment regimes that help many patients control or eliminate chronic pain.

Among those treatments are nerve blocks and trigger point injections and TENS. Most are completed on an outpatient basis, so patients return home the same day.

A new addition to the services of the Pain Control Center is a pilot program where a nurse case manager coordinates a multidisciplinary group of nurses, physicians, a physical therapist and a psychologist, who all work with chronic pain patients. The group develops a treatment plan for each patient. The case manager monitors the patient's progress and acts as liaison between the patient, the working group and referral sources. This program was developed to meet the needs of many organizations that refer patients to the Center, including rehabilitation centers, occupational medicine departments, workers compensation and social services agencies.

The Pain Control Center offers two other special programs: a pain management service for cancer patients and a chronic pain support group which allows patients to share their experiences and gain support from others.

The Center attributes its success not only to its technology but also to its staff. According to John Traylor, MD: "Each of our staff members is dedicated to treating both the physical and emotional aspects of pain with the goal of returning people to many of their daily activities as quickly as possible."



Riad Khoury, MD (left), medical director of the Providence Pain Control Center, and John Traylor, MD, discuss a patient's treatment plan with nurse case manager, Gail Gualdoni, RN.



Otology/ Neurotology **Programs at Providence:** Leaders in the Midwest





Left photos (top to bottom)

Michael LaRouere, MD. (right) practices at the Michigan Ear Institute.

Dennis Bojrab, MD, Ear Consultants of Michigan. chairs the Providence departments of Ophthalmology and Otolaryngology.

Larry Lundy, MD, is a physician at the Michigan Ear Institute.

Above right Jack Kartush, MD, evaluates patient Mary Gaynor's progress following posterior canal occlusion surgery.





### **Tonsils and Tubes**

For Providence otolaryngologists--specialists who diagnose and treat diseases of the ear, nose and throat--winter and early spring herald the prime seasons for ear and tonsil infections.

Middle ear infections are the most common childhood illness, according to C. Barthell Dickson, MD. Frequently associated with severe allergies and colds, they are caused by bacteria and poor functioning of the Eustachian tube, which normally allows air to pass from the back of the nose to the ear. In children, when a nasal infection causes irritation of the Eustachian tube, the tube swells shut, trapping fluid and bacteria in the middle ear. Within hours, the child may begin to experience pain, fever and hearing loss.

In about 20 percent of cases, fluid accumulation in the ear may cause an ear infection, according to Jeffrey Weingarten, MD. "persistent fluid in the ear and ear infections could cause hearing loss and result in speech delay, poor performance in school and difficulties with friends and family."

The primary treatment for ear infections is antibiotics, sometimes coupled with a decongestant to dry up nasal secretions. If this fails or if a child has three to five significant ear infections in a year, physicians

Mary Gaynor of Bloomfield Township has "a new lease on life" after treatment at Providence for benign positional vertigo (BPV), the most common cause of serious dizziness.

In September of 1992, seventy-five year old Mrs. Gaynor was "sitting at the computer doing volunteer work when I noticed a fullness in my right ear. By evening, I couldn't hear a thing.' Her hearing problem seemed to improve—until one night when "the whole room just began spinning around."

Mrs. Gaynor was examined by Jack Kartush, MD, director of Otology/Neurotology and Skull Base Surgery at Providence who suggested a type of inner ear surgery called posterior canal occlusion.

Individuals with BPV have tiny particles that move around in the fluid of the inner ear canals. When these particles accumulate near a particularly sensitive part of the inner ear, the result can be severe vertigo or dizziness. Initially, physicians attempt to move the particles to a less sensitive area of the inner ear by carefully rotating the patient's head. If this does not provide a permanent solution, surgery may be an option--trapping the offending particles and sealing them into the end of the ear canal where they can no longer cause vertigo.

"Over the winter and spring, I tried to decide what I should do," Mrs. Gaynor explained. "I'd have two or three good days, then a bad one. I finally decided to have the surgery done in May of 1993." Using a laser and a bit of the patient's own soft tissue and working through a small incision behind the ear. her surgeon permanently sealed the offending particles into the end of Mrs. Gaynor's ear canal."The results have been tremendous," she enthuses.

Mrs. Gaynor's story is just one of the success

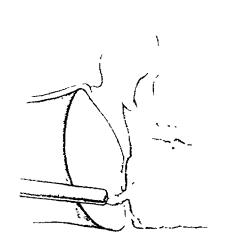
may recommend a painless, 15-minute procedure to insert tiny plastic ventilatory tubes into the eardrums. Tonsillitis, another common affliction for children

and young adults, is an infection of the two tonsils located in the back of the mouth, explains David Davis, MD. "The adenoid is the third 'tonsil' located just behind the roof of the mouth; it may become infected along with the tonsils."

One treatment for tonsillitis is antibiotics. Doctors agree that tonsil and adenoid surgery should be considered only when they become a significant, continuing problem with multiple episodes of tonsillitis each year or in consecutive years.

Other reasons to consider tonsil and adenoid removal are abscesses and chronic sore throats; excessively loud snoring; persistent breathing through the mouth, which over time, can cause changes in the shape of the face and jaw as well as problems with the teeth; sleep apnea (stoppage of breathing during sleep); nasal obstruction and chronic nasal drainage.

Providence otolaryngologists stress the importance of early parental detection of ear infections and tonsillitis. In most cases, treatment with appropriate medications can prevent the pain, fevers and hearing loss commonly associated with these illnesses so common to young children.



Illustrations: A middle ear effusion is removed (top) and a ventilatory tube is inserted (bottom).

stories common to Providence otologists and neurotologists who treat patients from throughout the Midwest for inner ear, balance or facial nerve disorders, facial paralysis and for surgical removal of acoustic neuromas.

Four Providence physicians specialize in helping these patients: Jack Kartush, MD, who is also president of the Michigan Ear Institute affiliated with Providence; Michael LaRouere, MD, and Larry Lundy, MD, also with the Michigan Ear Institute; and Dennis Bojrab, MD, EAR Consultants of Michigan, and chairman of the department of Otolaryngology and Ophthalmology at Providence.

According to Dr. Kartush: "Providence otologists and neurotologists do some of the most sophisticated ear surgeries in the country. They see and treat a large volume of unusual cases and have developed important expertise in this area."

Dr. Bojrab credits the "Hospital's foresight in developing a successful otology/neurotology program which helps many patients with problems that are quite unique in hearing, balance and facial nerve disorders."

For many years, these four specialists have been at the forefront of developing laser surgery for ear disorders. They comprise one of a handful of programs around the country where patients can come for surgical removal of acoustic neuromas, non-malignant tumors that grow along delicate hearing and balance nerves. These specialists are also known for their work with treatments to correct dizziness and for the development of rehabilitation programs for patients who suffer vertigo or dizziness, whether from Meniere's disease, a debilitating inner ear disorder or benign positional vertigo.

Dr. Bojrab has dedicated his practice and research efforts to developing both surgical and non-surgical techniques to help patients with dizziness. He has also researched and developed a number of techniques to restore hearing. In fact, a nationally-available middle ear prosthesis used in hearing restoration bears his name--the Bojrab Universal Prosthesis.

Michigan Ear Institute (MEI) physicians have been leaders in cochlear implants, sophisticated devices that allow patients who have suffered a total loss of hearing to hear sound. Last year, MEI began performing cochlear implants in children. Dr. Kartush is also excited about the possibilities of MEI's newest project: serving as lead investigator in the final phase of an FDA-approved study for a semi-implantable hearing device. This device offers individuals the possibility of hearing sounds more clearly than they can with traditional hearing aids.

Through years of dedication and research, Providence otologists and neurotologists have helped return the quality and enjoyment of life to thousands of patients.

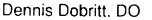
### Outpatient Surgery: A Choice For Many

"...patients really do recover more quickly and more comfortably at home in familiar surroundings...new anesthetic agents which are shorteracting...also mean patients get back on their feet sooner."

(Opposite page top photo) The number of outpatient surgeries has increased dramatically. Advances in technology. anesthesia and pain control--plus patient demand for convenience-have made outpatient surgery an attractive option for many individuals.

(Bottom photo) Family members are encouraged to stay with patients before surgery and in the recovery room





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James Livermore, MD

Years ago, most patients having surgery faced a hospital stay even for minor procedures. Today, nearly 80 percent of surgical patients go home within 24 hours after surgery.

Providence has been a leader among area hospitals in establishing outpatient surgery programs, opening its Center for Outpatient Surgery (COPS) in 1978, the Providence Surgical Center in Southfield in 1986, and the Helen L. DeRoy Ambulatory Surgery Center at Providence Medical Center-Providence Park, Novi in 1992.

Lasers, laparoscopes, advances in anesthesia and pain control have contributed significantly to the shift from inpatient to outpatient surgery. So have patients' demands for convenience, time-savings and a pleasant environment.

Through the years, the medical community has also recognized that patients really do recover more quickly and more comfortably at home in familiar surroundings.

One of the procedures that would have been unthinkable to do on an outpatient basis just a few years ago is gall bladder removal, says Shun Young, MD, FACS, administrative chief of Surgical Services at Providence Medical Center-Providence Park. Today, using special surgical instruments and guided by a laparoscope—a rigid fiberoptic tube with a small camera at the end—surgeons can remove a diseased gall bladder and send a patient home within 24 hours. Most patients recover fully in two weeks rather than the usual six weeks normal with the previous method of surgery.

In 1965, Providence became Michigan's first hospital to use a laser in surgery. Today, laser technology is routine for many surgeries, offering the advantages of reduced bleeding, swelling, scarring and healing time. Many medical specialties including gynecology, ophthalmology, reconstructive surgery, otology, otolaryngology, oncology and urology routinely use lasers.



Shun Young, MD, FACS

According to James A. Livermore, MD, medical director of the Helen L. DeRoy Ambulatory Surgical Center at Providence Park and Dennis Dobritt, DO, medical director for the Surgical Center in Southfield, the use of regional anesthesia rather than general anesthesia and of new anesthetic agents which are shorter-acting and have fewer side effects also mean patients get back on their feet sooner.

Improved methods to control pain have also made the increase in outpatient surgeries possible, they add.

Today's outpatient surgery patients can take advantage of short stay or recovery care units such as the one available at Providence Medical Center-Providence Park in Novi. This unit currently offers four private rooms where patients can be closely monitored for up to 23 hours after surgery. In May, the unit will add two additional rooms. The Hospital's Center for Outpatient Surgery on its main campus also offers a short-stay facility.

Providence streamlines an outpatient surgical experience for many patients with same-day pre-surgical testing to complete blood work, electrocardiograms and other needed tests.

Family members are encouraged to stay with patients in the pre-op holding area before surgery and to rejoin their loved ones in the recovery room when procedures are performed in COPS, at the Surgical Center and at Providence Park. And because they will help care for patients at home, family members receive post-operative instructions, too.

A day or two following surgery, staft nurses make phone calls to assess each patient's status, answer questions and provide reassurance.

Providence will remain in the forefront of outpatient surgery in the years to come and will continue to expand its facilities to meet the demand of patients in the many communities it serves.





### Providence offers three locations for Outpatient Surgery:

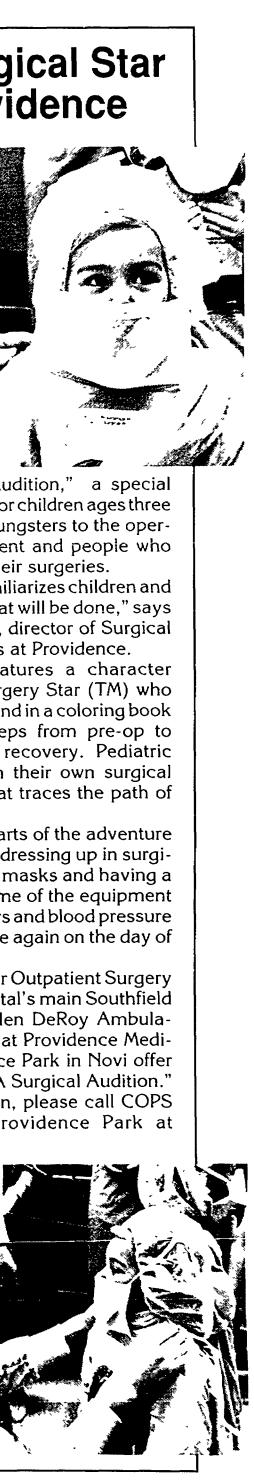
The Center for Outpatient Surgery (COPS): Located in the Seton Center at the main Hospital in Southfield COPS has four busy operat ing rooms and often uses some of the main Hospital ORs for surgical cases. It handles outpatient procedures in gynecology; orthopaedics; ophthalmology; urology; ear, nose and throat; and plastic and general surgeries. A short stay unit located near COPS allows patients to recover up to 23 hours following surgery.

The Providence Surgical Center-Southfield: Doctors at this facility located in the Farmbrook Medical Complex on Telegraph Road in Southfield perform craniofacial, gynecologic, ophthalmologic, orthopaedic, plastic, podiatric, urologic, vascular and general surgical procedures. In addition, the Center offers outpatient pain management services including nerve blocks, TENS (nerve stimulation) and behavioral pain management.

Helen L. DeRoy Ambulatory Surgery Center, Providence Park-Novi: Specialties at this facility include gynecology, ophthalmology, orthopaedics, otolaryngology (ear, nose and throat), plastic and general surgery. Many of the surgeons use lasers for gynecologic and ophthalmologic procedures. An endoscopy suite allows physicians to perform diagnostic and therapeutic procedures using an endoscope--a viewing tube with a light source. Various types of endoscopes are used to view the bladder, lungs, esophagus, stomach and colon.

### Be a Surgical Star at Providence

Surgery, whether outpatient or inpatient, can be a frightening and stressful experience for parent and child alike. But a Providence program helps calm these fears by making children the stars of their very own surgical auditions. "You Are the



Star - A Surgical Audition," a special orientation program for children ages three to 10, introduces youngsters to the operating room, equipment and people who will be involved in their surgeries.

"Our program familiarizes children and their parents with what will be done," says Deborah Haling, RN, director of Surgical and Clinical Services at Providence.

The program features a character named Sally the Surgery Star (TM) who appears on stickers and in a coloring book that outlines the steps from pre-op to operating room to recovery. Pediatric patients then star in their own surgical "audition," a tour that traces the path of Sally's adventure.

One of the best parts of the adventure for the youngsters is dressing up in surgical gowns, caps and masks and having a chance to try out some of the equipment such as thermometers and blood pressure cuffs that they will see again on the day of their surgeries.

Both the Center for Outpatient Surgery (COPS) on the Hospital's main Southfield campus and the Helen DeRoy Ambulatory Surgery Center at Providence Medical Center-Providence Park in Novi offer "You Are the Star - A Surgical Audition." For more information, please call COPS at 424-3978 or Providence Park at 380-4170.





#### One of the great strengths of Providence Medical Center-Providence Park is the Hospital's medical staff, especially those physicians associated with Providence Park who practice in 40 specialties.

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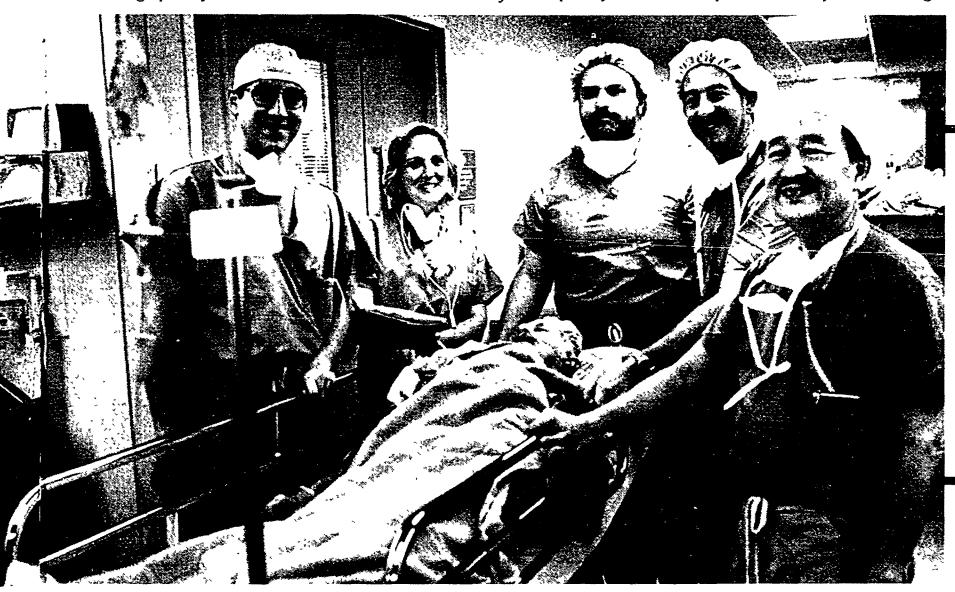
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"High tech" and "high touch" are just some of the words that have become part of the health care system's vocabulary over the years. A few facilities live up to their promises of melding the two concepts into a special kind of care. Providence Medical Center-Providence Park in Novi is one of them.

According to Michael M. Cervenak, senior vice president and administrator at Providence Park: "From the time it opened in June of 1992, Providence Park has focused on being friendly and convenient for patients as well as on providing quality service in a state-of-the art facility.

C. Young, MD, FACS, administrative chief of Surgical Services at Providence Park: "We are now able to do nearly 80 percent of the surgeries that used to require an inpatient stay on an outpatient basis." In part, this is due to advanced surgical technology, he feels. But Providence Park goes a step further, offering a 23-hour post-surgical recovery care unit, staffed round-the-clock by in-house physicians, where patients recover under careful supervision before returning home. "This combination of services allow us to deliver cost-effective, high quality care to our patients," says Dr. Young.



Designed as the first phase of our health care center of the future, this Providence Medical Center offers residents the area's most comprehensive outpatient diagnostic services.

A 24-hour Emergency Care Center provided compassionate care for more than 20,000 patients in its first year of service. The Center, staffed by emergency physicians and nurses trained in advanced cardiac life support techniques, is equipped to care for everything from minor illnesses and injuries to major heart attacks or accidents.

Physicians performed more than 1,700 surgeries and 660 diagnostic endoscopies in the Helen L. DeRoy Ambulatory Surgery Center last year. One of the innovative procedures available is laparoscopic cholecystectomy--gall bladder removal using less invasive laparoscopic technology. According to Shun

New services began at Providence Park over the past year: magnetic resonance imaging (MRI); the Sleep Disorders Center; the Women's Imaging Center offering mammograms and ultrasounds; the Maternal-Fetal Diagnostic Center; and the Corporate Health Services department, which provides care for employees of 360 area businesses.

By summer of 1994, Providence will unveil yet another innovation at this facility: the New Life Center at Providence Park—a comfortable and intimate setting where families are born. Mothers will labor, deliver and recover in a private, homelike room, then return home within 24 hours after the birth. Home nursing visits to provide post-partum care and education will round out this unique service.



Among the new services added at Providence Park in 1993 are centers for maternal fetal diagnostics, women's imaging, sleep disorders and corporate health services.

### Providence Park: Quality and Patient Satisfaction **Come First**

Left, Shun Young, MD, FACS (right), administrative chief of Surgical Services, credits Providence Park with providing cost-effective, quality care n outpatient surgery and services.



James Bolz, MD, performs outpatient orthopaedic surgery at Providence Park.







The Providence satellite network traces its beginnings back to 1975 when the Murray **Deighton Family Practice Center** opened. Since then, the network has expanded to total 11 centers, bringing **Providence quality** health care to residents of the growing northwest suburbs.



### Providence Medical Centers: A Growing Network of Care

Providence Medical Center-Deighton Family Practice, Southfield has 10 family practice faculty physicians and many physicians-in-training with the highly-respected Providence Family Practice Residency Program. The Center serves more than 2,500 patients each month.

Providence Medical Center-South Lyon began in 1978 to provide family practice residents with an opportunity to practice medicine in a rural location. Today, family practice physicians see patients and supervise resident physicians as they also care for patients. A physician assistant provides routine medical care for many patients. Behavioral medicine and x-ray round out the services available at South Lyon.

Providence Medical Center-Milford has served area residents for nearly 10 years. A family practitioner and an obstetrician/gynecologist, along with a physician assistant, staff the Center. Other services include alleray behavi

services include allergy, behavioral medicine, x-ray.

Providence Medical Center-Livonia opened in 1988. On its staff are physicians specializing in family practice (including primary care sports medicine), internal medicine, obstetrics/gynecology and pediatrics. Other services offered at Livonia are behavioral medicine, dietary counseling, pharmacy, lab and x-ray and physical therapy.

Providence Medical Center-North Woodward, located in Berkley, opened in 1991 and focuses on primary care for the entire family provided by three family practitioners and two internists. One of the family practitioners is fellowship-trained in primary care sports medicine. Two Providence specialists in obstetrics and gynecology also have an office in the same building. Several specialists time-share at the Center: an allergist, a dietitian, a gastroenterologist, a colon-rectal surgeon and a psychologist. Lab and x-ray facilities are available at North Woodward. provides comprehensive ambulatory diagnostic and treatment facilities and is featured in a separate article on the preceding pages of **Profile**.

Providence Medical Center-Northville became an important part of this Victorian city's downtown in the summer of





tologist time-shares there also. **Providence Medical Center-West Bloomfield**, located at the corner of Fourteen Mile and Haggerty roads, opened in early fall of 1993.

1992. A family practitioner and

an obstetrician/gynecologist

staff the facility and a derma-

The Center offers the services of three full-time family practitioners, all of whom completed their residencies in family practice medicine at Providence Hospital.

Providence Medical Center-Southfield, located in the Providence Medical Building on the Hospital's main campus, opened in late fall of 1993. It is staffed by two specialists in

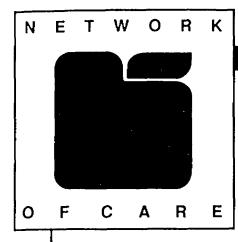
family practice, one of whom has a special interest in geriatrics and the other who is specially trained in primary care sports medicine.

Providence Medical Center-Suite 608 opened in December of 1993. Located in the Providence Medical Building, this practice is staffed by two internal medicine physicians who are both graduates of Providence's residency program.

Providence Medical Center-North Southfield opened in December 1993. Its staff physician, a specialist in internal medicine, is also a graduate of the Providence residency program.

Providence Medical Center-Providence Park, Novi, which opened in June of 1992 The Providence ambulatory network will continue to grow, but one thing will remain a constant, according to Matthew Hutchings, administrative director of Ambulatory Services: "Whatever the services and wherever the satellite, our primary goal is to provide quality care to each patient we serve.

You'll find a map with phone numbers and addresses for each Providence satellite on the back cover of this publication.



# PROVIDENCE

#### CLASSES

**HEARTSAVER CPR** The signs and signals of heart attack, risk factors, healthy heart living, one-man rescue and the Heimlich Maneuver are taught in this three-hour course. Successful completion results in American Heart Association certification.

Choose one three-hour session. Fee is \$15.00

**NOVI** 6:00-9:00 pm-Monday, March 7, 21, April 4, 18 **SOUTHFIELD** 6:00-9:00 pm-Monday, March 14, April 11

**INFANT CPR** This three-hour course is designed for families with infants up to twelve months of age who risk the development of respiratory emergencies such as choking, croup or sudden infant death syndrome (SIDS). Successful completion of this course results in American Heart Association certification. Current Heartsaver CPR certification is a prerequisite for attending this class. Choose one of the following three-hour sessions. Fee is \$15.00. **MILFORD** 7:00-10:00 pm-Monday, March 14 **NOVI** 6:00-9:00 pm-Monday, February 24, March 24, April 28 **SOUTHFIELD** 6:00-9:00 pm-Monday,

February 28, March 28, April 25

**PREPARATION FOR CHILDBIRTH** This six-week series is designed for the pregnant woman and her support person and will help prepare the expectant mother for the birth experience. Information about labor, delivery, the newborn period, and breast-feeding will be provided. Exercises will be discussed, demonstrated and practiced. Classes should begin in the seventh month of pregnancy. A tour of the New Life Center is included. Fee is \$65.00 per couple. **Registration required. Limited to ten couples who plan to deliver at Providence Hospital.** 

BERKLEY 7:00-9:00 pm Thursday: Section D: March 3-April 14 NOVI Choose one of the following sections. There are six sessions in each section.

Times: 7:00-9:00 pm Monday: Section E: April 11-May 16 Wednesday: Section I: February 23-March 30

Section J: April 13-May 18 Friday: Section M: February 25-April 1 SOUTHFIELD Choose one of the following sections. Tuesday: 7:00-9:00 pm- Six sessions Fisher Center Auditorium Section F: March 8-April 12 Section G: May 3-June 7 Wednesday: 7:00-9:30 pm- Five sessions Fisher Center Auditorium

Section L: March 16-April 13 Section M: April 27-May 25

Friday: 7:00-9:00 pm- Six sessions Providence Medical Building Room 8C Section R: April 8-May 20 (class will not meet

April 22) Saturday: 10:00 am-12:00 Noon - Six sessions

DePaul Center Doctor's Dining Room Section Z: April 9-May 21 (class will not meet April 23)

### SUPPORT GROUPS AT PROVIDENCE PARK

**BREAST DISEASE SUPPORT GROUP**-Meets the third Tuesday of the month at 7:00 pm in the Conference Center, Room C. MANIC-DEPRESSIVE AND DEPRESSIVE ASSOCIATION OF METROPOLITAN DETROIT-Meets every other Wednesday at 7:00 pm in the Conference Center, Room B.

### Community Health Education: classes and support groups at Providence



#### THEHEALTHEDUCATION RESOURCE CENTER -NOVI

A wide range of health related materials is available including books, videotapes, computer databases, pamphlets and anatomical models. Drop by the center to participate in our special monthly and seasonal ac-

**MENOPAUSE SUPPORT GROUP-**Meets the first Tuesday of each month from 7:30-9:00 pm in the Conference Center, Room B. Call 424-3048 for further information.

ADULT ATTENTION DEFICIT DIS-ORDER-Meets the second and fourth Tuesday of each month at 7:00 pm in the Conference Center, Room C.

**F.E.M.A.L.E.** (Formerly Employed Mothers At The Leading Edge)-Meets the fourth Tuesday of each month at 7:30 pm in the Conference Center, Room B. Call Laura Olesko at (313) 684-6096 for further information. ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS-Meets every Thursday at 12:00 Noon in the Conference Center, Room A.

**OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS-**Meets every Friday at 7:00 pm in the Conference Center, B-129, Room B.

AT PROVIDENCE HOSPITAL: FOR INFOR-MATION ABOUT SUPPORT GROUPS WHICH MEET AT PROVIDENCE HOSPITAL IN SOUTHFIELD, CALL (313) 424-3175. tivities.

Please call (313) 380-4115 for information about our hours of operation. Our address is 47601 Grand River, Suite A-101.

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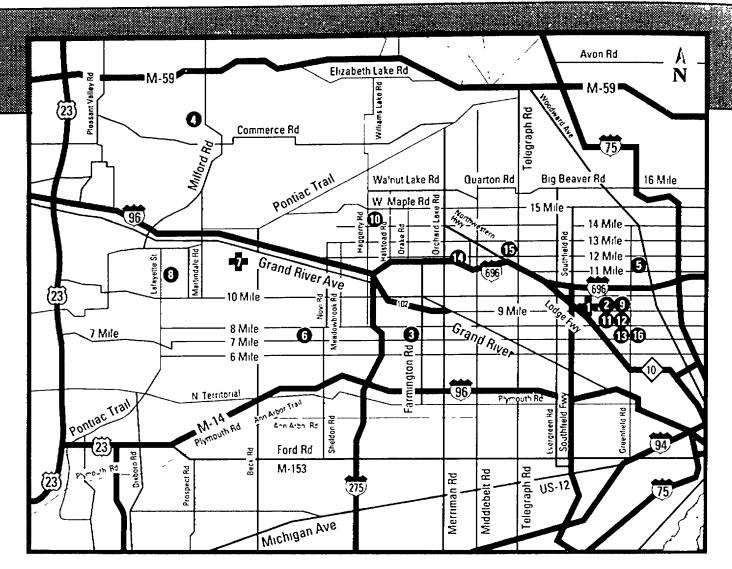
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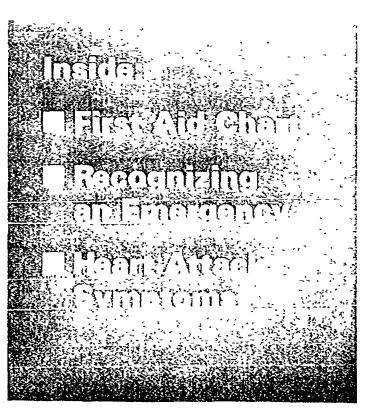


# Make the Right Call-Phone 9-1-1 First!

Under the following conditions, it's best to call 9-1-1 for an ambulance:

- the person's condition appears to be life-threatening.
- the person's condition might worsen on the way to the hospital.
- moving the person to a car might cause further injury.
- the person needs the expertise of EMTs and paramedics.
- distance or traffic might cause a delay in getting the person to the hospital.





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### **Recognizing a Heart Attack**

Delay can prove deadly. When someone suffers a heart attack, minutes—especially the first few minutes—are very important. The most common sign of a heart attack is *chest pain or discomfort*, often described as uncomfortable pressure, fullness, or squeezing. The pain is often located in the center of the chest under the breastbone but may also start in or spread to either shoulder or arm, neck or lower jaw. The pain may remain constant or it may come and go.

Other signs of a possible heart attack include:

- Sweating
- Nausea
- Difficulty breathing
- Lightheadedness
- Dizziness
- Fainting

### Post this first aid chart where you can find it quickly.

### What to do in a Medical Emergency

### **Bleeding/Injuries/Fractures**

- 🖬 Call 9-1-1.
- Control bleeding by pressing on wound with clean cloth.
- Keep person lying down.
- If you suspect fractures or back injury, do not move victim.

### Chest Pain/Heart Attack/Breathing Problems

- Call 9-1-1.
- Keep person comfortable.
- If victim is not breathing, perform CPR if you are trained.

### **Convulsions/Seizures**

- Do not restrain person.
- **Call 9-1-1**.
- Frotect person from harm.
- **Turn person on side after seizure stops.**

### **Choking/Airway Obstructions**

- **Call 9-1-1**.
- If person cannot speak or cough, perform Heimlich Maneuver if you are trained.
- If airway clears, keep victim calm until paramedics arrive.

### **Ingestion Poisoning**

- **Give nothing by mouth.**
- Call Poison Control Center, 1-313-745-5711.
- If directed, call 9-1-1.

### **Recognizing Other Medical Emergencies**

Know which symptoms to watch for. The warning signs of a medical emergency are:

- Difficulty breathing or shortness of breath
- Chest or upper abdominal pain or pressure
- Fainting
- Sudden dizziness, weakness or change in vision
- Change in mental status (such as unusual behavior, confusion or difficulty waking up)
- Sudden, severe pain anywhere in the body
- Bleeding that won't stop
- Severe or continuous vomiting
- Coughing up or vomiting blood
- Suicidal or homicidal feelings

### **Calling for Medical Help**

Emergency Number: 9-1-1 for Ambulance, Fire or Police.

- **Stay calm and dial 9-1-1.**
- Stay on the line and answer all questions.
- Follow the directions of the 9-1-1 operator.
- If possible, send someone outside to direct the ambulance.

### Serious Burns

- **Remove source of burn.**
- Call 9-1-1.
- **Cover area lightly with thick layers of clean cloth.**



To receive free 9-1-1 phone stickers by mail, call Huron Valley Ambulance at (313) 971-4211, ext. 665.

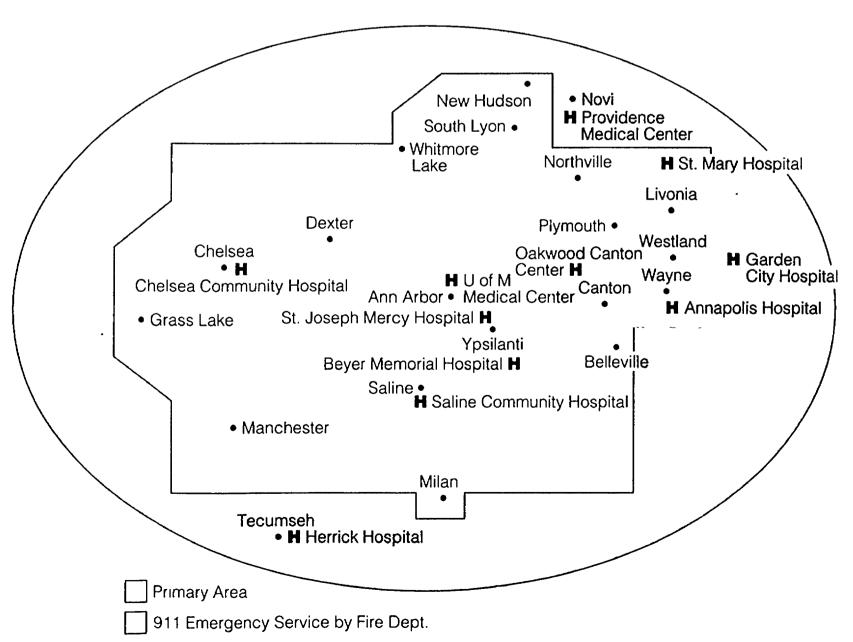
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During American Heart Month, HVA is providing its customers with information on recognizing heart attacks, spotting other medical emergencies and what to do in case of various emergencies. The inside of this flyer is a handy first aid chart to post in your home or business.



This map shows hospitals with 24-hour emergency centers

A nonprofit community-owned service formed in 1981, Huron Valley Ambulance, Inc. (HVA) serves Washtenaw County, western Wayne County and surrounding communities. HVA is accredited by the national Commission on Accreditation of Ambulance Services (CAAS). As a full-service prehospital care agency, HVA provides the following:

- emergency paramedic advanced life support.
- non-emergency ambulance transportation.
- tation for the seriously ill or injured.
- senior and physically challenged citizens.
- emergency medical education.

We're always interested in hearing from you, especially if you have a suggestion on how we can do things better. Feel free to call us at (313) 971-4420.

### First Aid Chart Inside

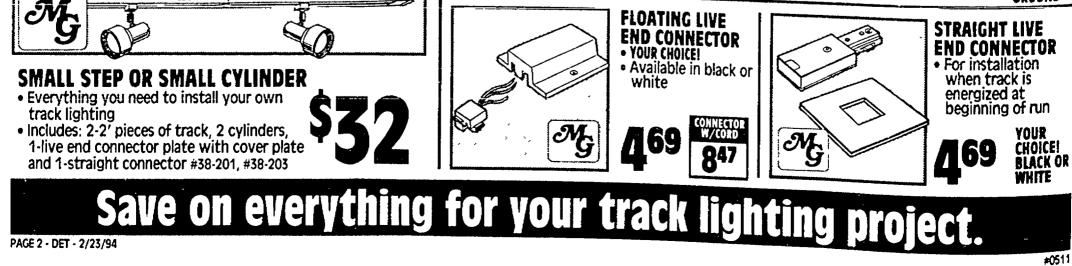
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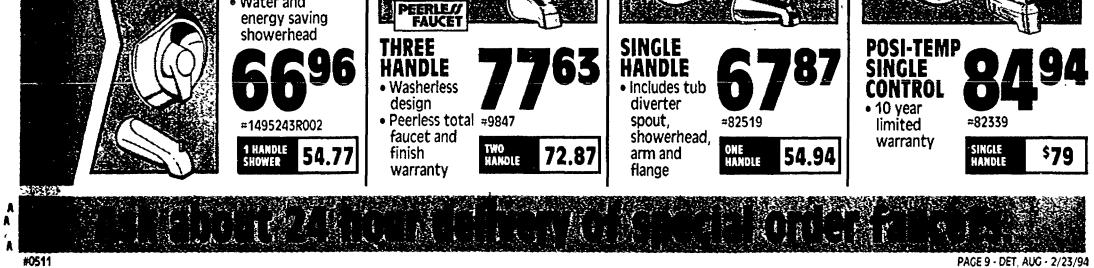
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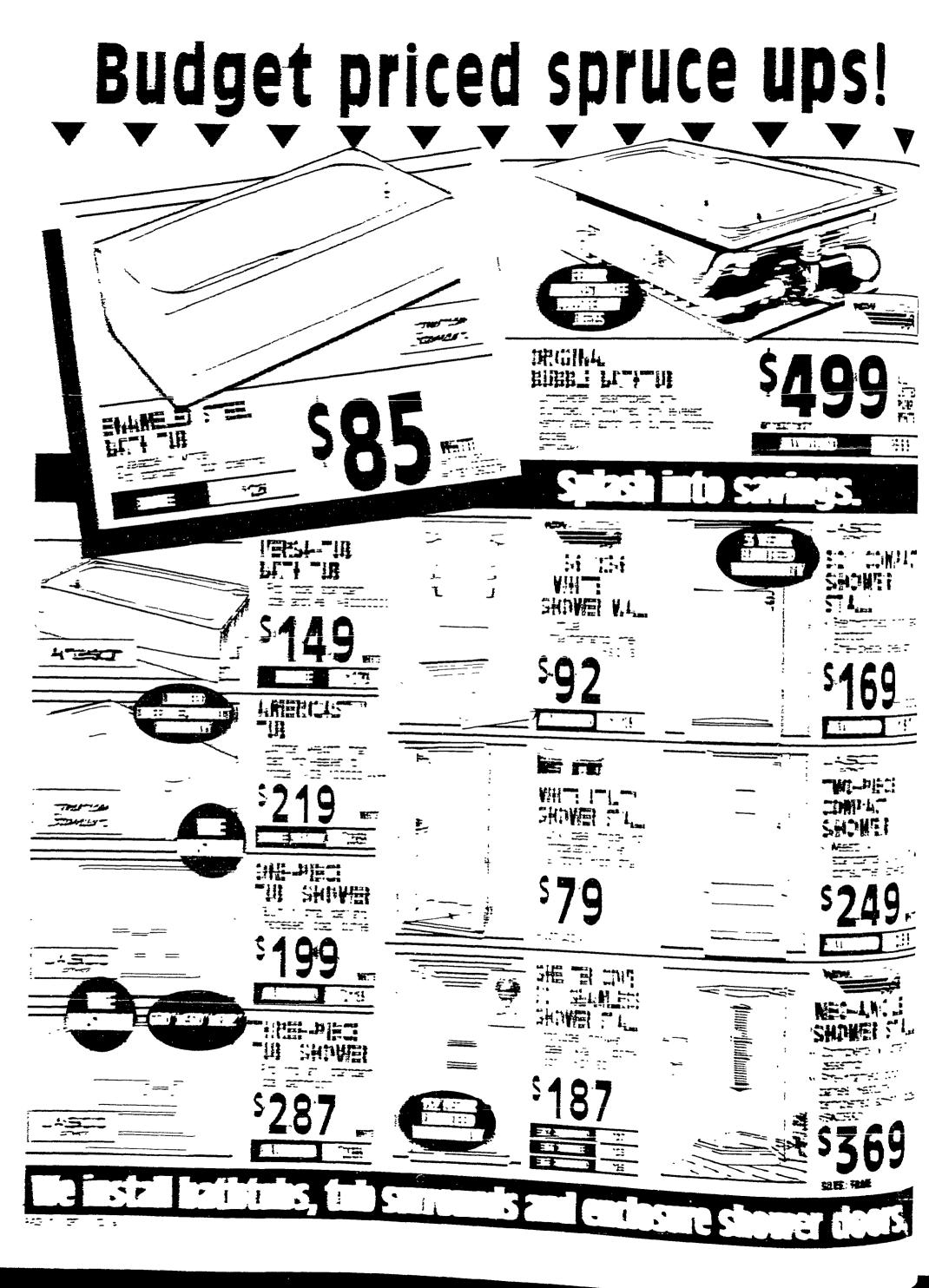
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